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GENERAL UNIVERSITY INFORMATION

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An announcement with information on administration, organization, admission and graduation requirements, and the courses of instruction in:

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It is the policy of the University of Miami that no person within the jurisdiction thereof shall, on the basis of race, religion, color, sex, age, disability, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, veterans status, or national origin, be excluded from, participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination or harassment (including all forms of sexual harassment and sexual violence) under any program or activity of the University, regardless of whether such program or activity occurs on-campus or off-campus. The University does not intend by this commitment to require compliance with this policy by governmental or external organizations that associate with but are not controlled by the University, except as required by law. The Executive Director of Workplace Equity and Performance is responsible for coordinating the University’s effort to implement the nondiscrimination policy and Affirmative Action Programs for employees and students. The Executive Director may be contacted at the following address or telephone number:

Workplace Equity and Performance Office
Gables One Tower, Suite 100R
1320 S. Dixie Highway
Coral Gables, FL 33146
305-284-3064

More information regarding the student sexual harassment/violence policy may be found online in the Student Rights and Responsibilities Handbook (http://www.miami.edu/SRR/). For available resources and services contact the Dean of Students Office (http://www.miami.edu/sa/index.php/dean_of_students/), Phone: 305-284-5353; the Counseling Center (http://www.miami.edu/sa/index.php/counseling_center/), Phone: 305-284-5511; and/or the Sexual Assault Response Team (http://www.miami.edu/sa/index.php/counseling_center/current_students/special_programs/sexual_assault_response_team_sart/) (S.A.R.T).

The University of Miami is authorized under Federal law to enroll non-immigrant alien students.

The University reserves the right to change any provision or requirement, including, but not limited to fees and tuition, at any time without notice. Degrees, courses, programs, activities, and like academic or non-academic offerings of the University may also be changed from time to time without notice. The University further reserves the right to require a student to withdraw at any time under University policies, as may be promulgated from time to time. Further, admission of a student to the University of Miami for any semester does not imply that such student will be enrolled in any succeeding academic semesters. It also reserves the right to impose sanctions on any student whose conduct is unsatisfactory. Any admission on the basis of false statements or documents is void when the misconduct is discovered, and the student is not entitled to any credit hour for work which the student may have done prior to any discipline that may be taken as a result of such misconduct. When a student is dismissed or suspended from the University for cause, there will be no refund of tuition or fees paid. If a dismissed student has paid only a part of his tuition and fees, the balance due the University will be considered a receivable and will be collected.

There will be no refund of tuition, fees, charges or any other payments made to the University in the event the operation of the University is suspended at any time as a result of any act of God, strike, riot, disruption, or for any other reason beyond the control of the University.

The University of Miami is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges to award bachelor’s, master’s, educational specialist, and doctoral degrees. Contact the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges at 1866 Southern Lane, Decatur, Georgia 30033-4097 or call 404-679-4500 for questions about the accreditation of the University of Miami.

The University of Miami is an approved member of the National Council for State Authorization Reciprocity Agreements (NC-SARA) which is recognized by 49 states and the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, and the U.S. Virgin Islands. The University of Miami is not required to have state authorization for distance education in California which is not a member of NC-SARA. A full list of state agencies is published on this website (https://ua.miami.edu/state-authorizations-for-distance-education/student-complaints-related-to-distance-education/).

Mission Statement

The mission of the University of Miami is to transform lives through education, research, innovation, and service.

Core Values

We are committed to freedom of inquiry—the freedom to think, to question, to criticize, and to dissent. We will pursue excellence in our research and educational missions with the single-mindedness that marks great commitments. We will prepare our students for rewarding lifelong careers and will instill in them a continued and permanent dedication to the search for knowledge and the search for truth. We will provide them with the
foundations for ethical citizenship and service to others, a respect for differences among people, and a commitment to high standards of thought and communication. We will provide service to our community and beyond, including the delivery of high-quality, compassionate care through an academic health system. We will strive to transform the world in positive ways through innovative education, impactful research and scholarship, and the translation of knowledge into solutions.

Founded in 1925 by a group of Miami citizens who believed that an institution of higher learning was necessary for the development of their young and growing community, the University has matured into a major research university and academic health system. Located within one of the most dynamic and multicultural cities in the world, the University is a distinctive community with a variety of races, ethnicities, customs, genders, and faiths. Its geographic location uniquely positions the University to be both local and global in outlook and outreach.

We aspire at the University of Miami: to be a global university with an intentionally hemispheric strategy, pursuing inclusive engagement as a bridge across the Americas to the rest of the world; to be an excellent university, striving to achieve the highest standards of performance in every aspect of our work; to be a relevant university, connecting scholarship to real-world solutions; and to be an exemplary university, offering a model to society through the steadfast achievement of our mission.

University Policies
Course Information

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Academic Calendar

The University of Miami adheres to a reasonable approximation of the Carnegie unit for contact time. In addition, students are expected to spend two hours outside of class in preparation for every classroom hour. The Academic Calendar (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/) is maintained by the University Registrar and is the official record of academic instruction.

The standard meeting times for three-credit hour courses are as follows:

- 50-minute, Monday-Wednesday-Friday schedule;
- 75-minute, Tuesday-Thursday schedule.

The calendar is planned to ensure 69 class days (41 Monday-Wednesday-Friday meeting days and 28 Tuesday-Thursday meeting days) and at least five days for final examinations in a 15-week semester. The policy allows a mandatory examination period to be counted in the Carnegie unit hours of instruction, but does not count reading days. The University has a required two-and-a-half-hour final examination policy, resulting in a minimum of 45 hours of classroom instruction in a three-credit hour course for all undergraduate and graduate terms in the Academic Calendar.

The calculation for summer sessions and other abbreviated terms follows this same standard which means longer class meeting times over the duration of the shortened term.

Miami Herbert Business School

In the Miami Herbert Business School, graduate programs include terms of varying length. The School follows federal and SACSCOC guidelines for the credit hour. All graduate business programs have a minimum of 750 minutes of instructional contact time per credit hour, including the final examination. Students are expected to dedicate at least two hours of course-related work for each hour of instruction.

School of Law

The School of Law is accredited by the American Bar Association and follows federal and SACSCOC guidelines for the credit hour. Ordinarily, full-time students must enroll for a minimum of 11 credit hours and a maximum of 16 credit hours (please consult the Student Handbook and Honor Code). For one credit hour, a student receives 700 minutes of instruction, exclusive of examination time. For a three-credit hour course, this equates to 2,100 minutes of classroom instruction. An additional 180 minutes of instruction is allotted for the final exam session in a three-credit hour course. The faculty expects students to spend at least two hours outside the classroom in preparation for each hour of instruction.

Miller School of Medicine

The Miller School of Medicine is accredited by the Liaison Committee on Medical Education (LCME). The School's Department of Physical Therapy is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation in Physical Therapy Education (CAPTE). The length of all educational programs is appropriate for each degree, based on national standards and accreditation criteria. The School follows federal and SACSCOC guidelines for the credit hour. Completion of the M.D. program ordinarily takes four years. Although credit hours are not specified by the LCME, the medical education program leading to the M.D. must include at least 130 weeks of instruction.
**Academic Credit**

The University of Miami adopted the following Federal Definition of the Credit Hour at the Faculty Senate meeting on April 17, 2013 that appears in the Credit Hours policy statement of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges (SACSCOC).

**Federal Definition of the Credit Hour**

For purposes of the application of this policy and in accord with federal regulations, a credit hour is an amount of work represented in intended learning outcomes and verified by evidence of student achievement that is an institutionally established equivalency that reasonably approximates:

1. Not less than one hour of classroom or direct faculty instruction and a minimum of two hours out of class student work each week for approximately fifteen weeks for one semester or trimester credit hour, or ten to twelve weeks for one quarter credit hour, or the equivalent amount of work over a different amount of time, or
2. At least an equivalent amount of work as outlined in item 1 above for other academic activities as established by the institution including laboratory work, internships, practica, studio work, and other academic work leading to the award of credit hours.

**Application of Credit Hour Policy**

This credit hour policy applies to all undergraduate and graduate programs that award academic credit (i.e., any course that appears on an official transcript issued by the University) regardless of the delivery method including, but not limited to, self-paced, online, hybrid, lecture, seminar, and laboratory. Academic units are responsible for ensuring that credit hours are awarded only for work that meets the requirements outlined in this policy.

The expectation of contact time inside the classroom and student effort outside the classroom is the same in all formats of a course whether it be online, a hybrid of face-to-face contact with some content delivered electronically, or one delivered in lecture or seminar format. The University operates on the semester system and, for its measure of academic course work, uses academic credits (referred to as semester credits, semester hours, credit hours, hours, or credits).

Courses that have less structured classroom schedules, such as research seminars, independent studies, internships, practica, studio work, or any other academic work leading to the award of credit hours, at a minimum, should state clearly learning objectives and expected outcomes and workload expectations that meet the standards set forth above.

Two or three laboratory hours each week throughout a semester are considered the equivalent of one lecture hour in counting credit hours earned in an undergraduate laboratory or studio course.

No grades or credit hours are given for audited courses.

**Campus Processes - Curriculum Review**

Each College or School within the University of Miami is charged with following the policy on credit hours in its review and approval of all undergraduate and graduate courses and for certifying that the expected student learning for the course meets the credit hour standard. The determination of credit hours is made when a new course or a revision to an existing course is proposed. The submitted syllabus is examined for contact time as well as for assignments and evaluation mechanisms.

The Office of the University Registrar requires training for class scheduling before granting access to any departmental staff approved by a department for scheduling classes.

**Cancellation of Courses**

Students who select courses and fail to make payment and/or financial arrangements with Canes Central prior to the payment deadline will have their course schedules canceled. Reinstatement of classes can only occur after payment arrangements have been made with the Canes Central to cover all financial obligations including any reinstatement fees. Reinstatement to cancelled classes will be on an “as available” basis after financial arrangements have been completed.

**Change or Drop of Course**

- Dropping of any course for which the student has registered is official only when the drop has been fully processed by the student successfully dropping the course via CaneLink or by Canes Central (https://canescentral.miami.edu/).
- **Please note:** Failure to attend classes or merely giving notice to instructors of one’s absence will not be considered as an official withdrawal and may result in failure in the course.
- The last day to drop a course or make a change in credit-only option is noted on the Academic Calendar (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/).
- Students enrolled in a course after the withdrawal date must receive a final grade in the course.
- Requests for course changes (adding or dropping) past the deadlines for each semester’s add and drop period must be approved by the University Registrar and Director of Financial Assistance. These requests will only be considered for extraordinary circumstances.
Modification of Courses

All courses in this catalog are subject to change. The University reserves the right, in its sole discretion, to change course content, instructor, location and instructional format. The University cannot guarantee an in-person format even where noted as such in the catalog, and reserves the right to present any courses in a virtual/remote or hybrid format.

Class Attendance and Absences

Regular and punctual class attendance is vital for all students. Instructors will distribute course syllabi which include policies regarding class attendance and missed or late work. Any student may be dropped from a course or receive a lowered grade for unauthorized absences in excess of those permitted by the instructor. It is each student’s responsibility to know and understand the instructor’s policies. It is also the student’s responsibility to give the instructor notice one week prior to any anticipated absence and to contact the instructor within one week after any unanticipated absence.

All students are responsible for material covered during their absence. However, the instructor must allow each student who is absent for a University-approved reason either the opportunity to make up, or to be excused from, work missed, without any reduction in the student’s final course grade as a direct result of such absence.

Other than absences for a University-approved reason, the instructor determines whether or not an absence is for an acceptable reason and whether or not students shall have the opportunity to make up missed work. If the instructor does not recognize the reason as acceptable, the student may appeal to the chair of the department in which the course is offered.

The following constitute University-approved reasons for absences:

1. Participation in an activity approved by the Academic Deans Policy Council, such as musical and debate activity, R.O.T.C. function, or varsity athletic trip; participation in a special academic activity such as a field trip or other special event connected with academic coursework. Verification of a student’s participation shall be issued by the sponsor when authorized by the Office of the Executive Vice President and Provost.
2. Observance of a religious holy day as described in the Religious Holy Day Policy, below.

Religious Holy Day Policy

The University of Miami, although a secular institution, is determined to accommodate those students who wish to observe religious holy days. It seeks to reflect its awareness of and sensitivity to religious holy days whenever possible when scheduling University activities. The following provisions are meant to apply equitably to all religious groups and to provide opportunities to all to meet their religious obligations.

1. Except as specifically provided to the contrary, this policy is binding on all students in undergraduate programs. Schools offering graduate or professional programs, including undergraduate professional programs, are strongly encouraged to adhere to these policies to the maximum extent practicable.
2. Any student absent from class in observance of a religious holy day shall not be penalized in any way for an examination or assignment missed during the period of absence. Absence in observance of a religious holy day does not relieve students from responsibility for any part of the course work required during the period of absence. Students who are absent on days of examinations or class assignments shall be offered a reasonable opportunity to make up the work without penalty, if the student previously arranged to be absent. Nothing in this policy shall preclude faculty members from limiting the number of student absences to a reasonable number of absences for any reason. The faculty member has discretion to determine how the make-up obligation will be fulfilled. A faculty member who penalizes a student contrary to these provisions may have committed unprofessional conduct, and thus may be subject to a complaint to the Committee on Professional Conduct under the provisions of Section B4.9 of the Faculty Manual.
3. It is the student’s obligation to provide faculty members with notice of the dates they will be absent due to observance of religious holy days, preferably before the beginning of classes but no later than the end of the first three class days. For religious holy days that fall within the first three class days, students must provide faculty members with notice no later than two class days before the absence. Missing a class due to travel plans associated with a particular religious holy day does not constitute an excused absence. Absences due to observance of religious holy days that are not pre-arranged with the relevant faculty member within the first three class days may be considered unexcused, and the faculty member may therefore prevent the student from making up examinations or assignments missed during the period of absence.
4. Faculty members are encouraged to anticipate days when a substantial number of students will be absent for observance of religious holy days and should avoid scheduling examinations and assignment deadlines on those days. Faculty members are expected to reasonably assist students in obtaining class information the student missed during the period of absence in observance of a religious holy day. In that regard, faculty members are urged to allow taping or recording of the class session, with the reproduction limited to the student’s personal use, when a student misses a class due to observance of a religious holy day. To assist in identifying religious observance days, faculty members are encouraged to consult the illustrative list provided in the Interfaith Calendar. (http://www.interfaith-calendar.org/) Faculty members are urged to remind students of their obligation to inform faculty members within the first three class days of any anticipated absences due to observance of religious holy days and should include that information in the syllabus or course requirements document for that course.

Course Numbering System

The following course-numbering system is used:
• Courses in the 100 series are primarily for freshmen.
• Courses in the 200 series are primarily for sophomores.
• Courses in the 300 series are primarily for juniors.
• Courses in the 400 series are primarily for seniors.
• Courses in the 500 series are open only to seniors or other qualified undergraduates.
• Courses in the 600 through 800 are open only to graduate students.

Courses in some departments, with the specific numbers 100, 200, 300, 400 are offered, in most instances, on an experimental or trial basis. When listed in CaneLink’s Course Offerings, a more descriptive title will normally be attached.

Eligibility

To be eligible to enroll for courses under the CR/NC option, a student must:

1. Hold the standing of Sophomore or above, and, if a transfer, must have completed one semester of residency at the University of Miami;
2. At the time of registration have a minimum cumulative grade point average of at least 3.00;
3. Elect the CR/NC option within two weeks following the last day of registration for Fall and Spring semesters. Election of CR/NC options for Summer Sessions must occur no later than the last day to drop without a W. No changes except withdrawals from the course are permitted after this time.

Regulations and Restrictions

1. Eligible students may take one course per semester for credit only, to a maximum of 9 credit hours.
2. Only free electives may be taken under this option. Free electives are defined as courses not taken to fulfill the requirements for the major, minor, or general education requirements (including prerequisite course work) of the University and the individual schools.
3. ENG 105 and ENG 106 cannot be taken for credit only.
4. Grading standards for the credit only option are the same as for students who register for the course under the regular grading system. Letter grades will be submitted by instructors to the Office of the University Registrar. The Office of the University Registrar will change all grades A through C (including "C-") to CR (Credit Received) for those enrolled under the CR/NC option.
5. A grade of NC (No Credit) will be recorded by the Office of the University Registrar for all grades of D and F. The student will not receive credit hours or quality points for the grade of NC.
6. Should a student subsequently change his/her major, free electives taken for credit only prior to the declaration of this major may be counted toward fulfilling major, minor, or general education requirements at the discretion of the department chairman and the academic dean.

Credit for Service Experience

Veterans of the military services may make application for academic credit for schooling received while in the armed forces. Credit hour may be awarded for work that the American Council on Education Guide regards as college level. Students must have credit hours approved by their departmental chairperson.

Credit hour for military service and experience is usually in the elective area and may not take the place of subjects required for graduation. Such work is not assigned quality points and is not included in quality point computations.

Final Examination Policy

• Final Examinations may not be given during a regularly-scheduled class period.
• No examination shall be permitted during the reading period.
• Final Examinations may be rescheduled only with the permission of the school/college dean.
• No student shall be required to take more than two final examinations in a twenty-four hour period. A student having three or more final examinations scheduled during a twenty-four hour period may request the instructor of the course most easily rescheduled (normally the course with the smallest enrollment) to reschedule the examination for that individual. The request shall be made no later than two weeks before the last class day.
• A student who has a conflict between a final examination and a religious observation may request that the instructor reschedule that student’s examination. The request shall be made no later than two weeks before the last class day.
• For the resolution of any problem pertaining to the scheduling of final examinations, a student should consult with the following entities or persons in this order: the relevant instructor, the department chair, the Dean or designee. If the matter cannot be resolved at the school or college, the student should contact the Office of the Provost.

Military Withdrawal

• Students who need to withdraw from a semester due to official orders to active duty with the Armed Forces of the United State must provide a copy of their official written orders when submitting the request to withdraw.
• Students who withdraw after the 12th week of the semester because of these official orders may either be awarded credit hour (CR) or an academic grade for any course in which they have achieved a C or better up to the time of withdrawal. Instructors must certify that the student had achieved satisfactory accomplishment on the basis of previous work in the course by awarding an appropriate grade. Accomplishment of less than C should be entered on the permanent record as a withdrawal without prejudice (W).

• Credit hour granted for courses under this policy should count toward graduation.

• There should be no refund of tuition for courses for which credit hour has been awarded. Refunds for courses not awarded credit hour should be on the same basis as complete withdrawals for military service.

• The above recommendations are procedures for determining the awarding of credit hour and do not release the student from the usual withdrawal procedures.

Registration
Registration dates are shown on the University Academic Calendar (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/), and all students are expected to register on these days. If a student is permitted to register late, a fee may be charged.

Repeat Rules
A student may repeat a course, but the repetition will not eliminate the previous grade from the record. A course may be repeated only once unless written authorization is provided by the chair of the department in which the course is offered or, in the case of an un-departmentalized school, by the dean.

Illegal Repeat
A student may not repeat a course in which a grade of C or higher has been earned. This is considered an illegal repeat.

General Repeat Rule
• If the initial grade is D+ or lower (or a C- in cases where an academic unit requires a C or higher), both the initial grade and the repeat grade are included in the computation of the student's cumulative grade-point average (CGPA).

• If the initial grade is a D or D+ (or a C- in cases where an academic unit requires a C or higher) and the repeat grade is passing, the number of credit hours required for graduation will be increased by the number of credit hours repeated.

• Registrations that involve repeating a course in which a grade of C or higher (or C- in cases where an academic unit does not require a C or higher) has already been earned do not earn quality points or credit hours, nor count as credit hours attempted.

• Courses repeated after graduation will be posted to the transcript showing the grade received; however, the CGPA and credits earned will not be modified based on the grade received for the repeated course.

Undergraduate Repeat Rule
• A student may elect to repeat up to two courses that were taken at the University of Miami in which the student earned a grade of D (including D+) or F. Each repeated course must be taken at the University of Miami, must be the same course as the course initially taken, and must be completed within two regular semesters enrolled following the initial course.

• No course may be repeated more than once under this rule. A course repeated more than once under the University's General Repeat Rule will not qualify under the Undergraduate Repeat Rule.

• Enrollment for a second time in a course constitutes a repeat of that course for the purposes of this rule, unless the student withdraws from the course on or before the University's published Last Day to Drop a Course date.

• For each repeated course, only the second grade (whether higher, or lower, or the same as the first grade) will be used in the computation of the student's CGPA. The initial course will not count as credit hours attempted or earned, although the initial course grade will remain on the student's permanent record.

• Students who plan to apply to graduate and/or professional school should be aware that such institutions may recalculate the CGPA to include the initial grade earned before the repeat.

1 This does not include courses that are eligible to be repeated for credit (e.g. Special Topic courses, Music lessons, etc.). Courses that are eligible to be repeated are designated in the student information system, CaneLink. Courses may have limits on the number of times they may be repeated.

2 This refers to courses or a course with a particular grade required for entry into a different degree program.

Graduate Repeat Rule
A student may repeat a course in which a failing grade was earned, but the repetition of the course will not eliminate the previous grade from the record. A course may be repeated only once unless written authorization is provided by the Dean of the Graduate School. All grades are included in the computation of the quality point average. If a course in which an unsatisfactory grade (as determined by the program advisor) was earned is repeated and the repeat grade is a "C-" or higher, the number of credit hours required for graduation will be increased by the number of credit hours repeated.
Miami Herbert Business School Graduate Repeat Rule
Graduate students in the Miami Herbert Business School who fall below the 3.0 GPA may be placed on academic probation. Within one semester after their GPA falling below 3.0, Master’s students wishing to repeat a course may petition their program director to do so. If the petition is approved by the Graduate Program Director, the grade obtained in their second attempt will replace the original grade for purposes of calculating their GPA for clearance for graduation only. Authorization to repeat a course is limited to courses in which an unsatisfactory grade was earned (as determined by the Graduate Program Director). Additionally, a course may be repeated only once and students may not repeat more than two courses. The student’s transcripts will continue to show all attempts and the GPA computation will include all grades earned for purposes other than computing the GPA for clearance for graduation. If a course in which an unsatisfactory grade of lower than a B- was earned is repeated and the repeat grade is "C" or higher, the number of credits required for graduation will be increased by the number of credits repeated. Registrations which involve repeating a course in which a grade of "A" or "B" has already been earned may not earn quality points or credit hours, nor count as credits attempted.

Undergraduate Schedules
Fifteen or sixteen credit hours constitutes a normal schedule at the University. Academic deans and advisors will determine the appropriate credit hour load for their students. (A schedule of charges for credit hours is found in the Financial Payment Policies section of this Bulletin.) The schedule of any student whose outside interests cause unsatisfactory scholastic attainment may be reduced by the dean.

Temporary/Permanent Withdrawal from the University
If a student decides to withdraw from the University of Miami, there are procedures in place to facilitate this process. In order to withdraw officially from the University, a student must follow the procedures outlined in this bulletin and on the University of Miami website (https://success.miami.edu/student-withdrawal/important-information/).

Failure to follow the outlined withdrawal process may result in monies owed to the university (e.g. tuition, fees, etc.), failing grades on a student’s academic record and/or other negative consequences.

Please note that dropping courses in a summer session, thereby reducing a student credit-hour load to zero is not construed as a formal withdrawal from the University.

Undergraduate Students
In order to officially withdraw from the University, Undergraduate students are required to speak with an Advisor in the ‘Cane Success Center. The ‘Cane Success Center is located on the 2nd Floor of the University Center, Suite 2275. Walk-in hours are available from 9:00 AM – 2:00 PM Monday thru Friday. You may also reach a ‘Cane Success Center Advisor by calling 305-284-4500 or via email (success@miami.edu) to initiate the withdrawal process.

For more details about the withdrawal process and for helpful hints on making a smooth transition out of the University, visit the Undergraduate Withdrawing Student Checklist (https://success.miami.edu/student-withdrawal/important-information/).

For students who are no longer on campus – If you have already left the University but did not complete the withdrawal process before your departure, please call or email (success@miami.edu) the ‘Cane Success Center at (305) 284-4500 to begin the withdrawal process. Your withdrawal will not be finalized until an Exit Interview is completed with a ‘Cane Success Center Advisor.

Undergraduate Appeal Process
Withdrawal Date Appeal Form – If you were unable to attend classes due to a serious accident or illness, and this prevented you from notifying the University of your withdrawal in a timely manner, a Withdrawal Date Appeal Form (https://success.miami.edu/student-withdrawal/important-information/) can be submitted for consideration by an Appeals Committee. Appeals are submitted AFTER completing the official withdrawal process above and must include supporting documentation as to what prevented a timely notification. All appeals must be submitted within 30 calendar days of the official withdrawal date established with the ‘Cane Success Center or if the appeal is being submitted for a semester that has already completed, it must be submitted within 30 calendar days of the last day of the end of the semester in question. Appeals should be submitted via email (univregistrar@miami.edu) or by mail to:

University of Miami
Office of the University Registrar - Withdrawal Date Appeal
P.O. Box 248026
Coral Gables, FL 33124-6914

Merit-based Scholarship Status upon Return – If you withdraw from the University but choose to return within one calendar year, and you have continued to meet the requirements of your scholarship, then your merit scholarship[1] will be waiting for you. Contact the ‘Cane Success Center to begin the process of readmission.

1 Frost School of Music students will need to re-audition after one semester away from the University.
2 Merit Scholarships are awarded as consecutive semesters. If you spent a semester or two away from the University, these would be terms counted as part of your total scholarship. Please refer to your scholarship agreement for details.
Student Groups with Special Concerns Regarding Withdrawing from the University

- **Veterans** and children of deceased or totally disabled veterans attending the University as students under the government’s educational benefit bills must also be cleared by the Veterans Affairs Certifying Official.

- **Varsity athletes or any athlete** registered with the department of Athletics must obtain approval and be cleared by the Athletic department prior to any change in their registration status, including withdrawal from the university.

- Per U.S. Department of Homeland Security (DHS) regulations, **international students in F-1 or J-1 visa status** must notify their ISSS advisor prior to temporarily or permanently withdrawing from the University and must leave the U.S. within 15 days of withdrawing. Failure to comply with DHS regulations may result in the loss of your future eligibility to enter the U.S.

**Refunds**

During the academic year, tuition will be refunded on a prorated basis depending on the date that is noted as the ‘Total Withdrawal Date’. Tuition will be refunded on a prorated basis through 60 days of the semester. Please see the Refund Policy (p. 43) under the Financial Payment Policies section.

Title IV financial aid and tuition will be refunded on a pro rata daily basis through 60 percent of the semester. This date is determined based on the student notifying the Cane Success Center (Undergraduate)/ Office of the University Registrar (Graduate) of his/her intent to withdraw. If the student fails to notify the appropriate office, federal guidelines for determining refunds will be followed.

**Financial Assistance**

https://finaid.miami.edu/

The Office of Student Financial Assistance (https://finaid.miami.edu/) and Employment (https://www.miami.edu/ofas/) administers federal, state, private and University financial assistance programs. Our office awards financial assistance for Undergraduate and Graduate/Professional students. We communicate with our students mainly through the CaneLink system regarding any information we might need to complete the financial aid process. Medical students should contact their respective financial aid office.

**Financial Aid Walk-In Services provided at:**

‘Canes Central

1307 Stanford Drive

Student Services Building, 1st Floor

Coral Gables, FL 33146

**Financial Aid Walk-In Hours:**

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday from 8:30 to 5:00

Thursday from 10:00 to 5:00

**Financial Aid Phone Hours:**

Monday through Friday from 8:30 to 5:00

Telephone: 305-284-IBIS

**Student Employment Walk-In Services provided at:**

“The Nest”

1306 Stanford Drive

University Whitten Center, 2nd Floor

Suite 2275

Coral Gables, FL 33146

**Student Employment Walk-In Hours:**

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 9:00 to 4:30

Wednesday from 10:00 to 4:30
Student Employment Phone Hours:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 9:00 to 5:00
Wednesday from 10:00 to 5:00
Telephone: 305-284-6000

Undergraduate Financial Assistance

It is the purpose of the Office of Student Financial Assistance and Employment to provide need based assistance and/or academic achievement awards to qualified students in the form of scholarships, grants, loans and work programs (https://finaid.miami.edu/types-of-aid/) to the extent that resources are available. Professional financial aid and student employment advisors are ready to assist all students plan for the most efficient use of their financial resources for education.

Underlying the awarding of need-based financial assistance is the philosophy that the student and family have the primary responsibility for educational costs. Need-based financial assistance serves to supplement these primary resources.

- Students who require financial assistance to attend the University should apply for assistance each academic year.
- Candidates for admission should indicate their interest in financial assistance by checking the box provided for that purpose in the application for admission.
- The U.S. Department of Education's Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) (http://www.fafsa.ed.gov/) is used to determine eligibility for federal need based assistance. The FAFSA must be completed for each academic year.
- The College Board's CSS Financial Aid PROFILE Application is required to determine institutional need based financial aid awards. The PROFILE application only needs to be completed only once during your enrollment.

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Important Financial Aid Tips

- Financial aid applications are accepted throughout the year but it is important to note that the appropriate preference date for receipt of aid applications must be met as aid is awarded on a funds available basis.
- **DO NOT WAIT FOR YOUR ADMISSION DECISION TO APPLY FOR FINANCIAL AID.** Financial aid resources are limited and there is no guarantee of assistance for students who do not submit appropriate documentation by the deadline posted above. Your financial aid application will not be considered complete until all documents are received.
- Complete your CSS/Financial Aid PROFILE at css.collegeboard.org (https://student.collegeboard.org/css-financial-aid-profile/). After you complete your CSS/Financial Aid PROFILE, you will receive an e-mail from the College Board’s IDOC (https://idoc.collegeboard.org/idoc/) process with instructions on submitting the necessary documentation. All documents should be submitted directly to College Board.
- If you are not required to file a federal tax return and will not be filing, please submit the official IRS non-filer letter. This can be ordered through the IRS website www.irs.gov (https://www.irs.gov/individuals/get-transcript/).

Financial Aid Census Date

Financial aid awards will be set according to a census date or date of fixed enrollment. All financial aid awards will be set according to the enrollment in effect at the close of business on the last day of the drop/add period each regular term semester. No adjustments will be made to the financial aid awards for any enrollment changes (increases or decreases) made after this date with two exceptions:

1. Bright Futures awards will continue to be adjusted (increased or decreased) according to any change in the enrolled credit hours.
2. The aid award package for students with federal financial aid and who completely withdraw (drop to 0 credit hours enrolled) will be adjusted according to the regulatory required Return To Title IV Calculation.

Graduate and Doctoral Students

It is the purpose of the Office of Student Financial Assistance and Employment to provide federal financial aid assistance to qualified students in the form of loans and work programs (https://grad-prof.miami.edu/types-of-aid/) to the extent that resources are available. Professional financial aid and
student employment advisors are ready to assist all students plan for the most efficient use of their financial resources for education. Law, Graduate and Doctoral students need only complete a few steps to receive notification and disbursement of federal awards.

1. Apply for Admission to a Graduate Program or the Law Program at the University of Miami.
2. Complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).
   a. Graduate/Doctoral Students: School Code 001536
   b. Law Students: School Code E00532
3. Accept, reduce or decline your awarded aid via CaneLink.
   a. First-time loan borrowers must complete Entrance Counseling at the Department of Education website (http://www.studentloans.gov/).
   b. A signed Promissory Note for both the Unsubsidized and the Graduate PLUS Loan are required if either loan is utilized. Each should be completed at the Department of Education website (http://www.studentloans.gov/).
   c. Students receiving the Graduate PLUS Loan must have an approved credit check conducted by the Department of Education for the loan to be disbursed.

Your financial aid award may consist of loans, scholarships, tuition waivers or a combination. Aid is offered to a student's maximum eligibility as determined by enrollment and the Cost of Attendance (COA).

Some of the aid programs which may be offered to a Law, Graduate or Doctoral student:

**Federal Direct Unsubsidized Loan:** Eligibility is not based on need and is up to $20,500 for an academic year. This loan program does accrue interest while the student is enrolled.

**Federal Direct Graduate PLUS Loan:** Borrowers may be eligible to request up to the cost of attendance minus other financial aid. Your award letter includes your maximum loan eligibility for the Federal Graduate PLUS Loan. This loan is based on the borrower not having an adverse credit history. Once you have accepted the offered loan amount on CaneLink, a credit check will be conducted by the US Department of Education. You will be required to have completed a Master Promissory Notice as well as Entrance Counseling (first time borrowers only). In the event your loan is declined, you have the option of appealing that decision or reapplying with an endorser; however, the Department of Education will then require you complete Credit Counseling in order to approve the disbursement of your loan.

**Scholarships and Tuition Waivers** are exclusively handled by the respective department. Our office is notified of scholarships/waivers by the department and it is then added to your award package. Adjustments to your Graduate PLUS Loan and/or other aid may take place upon notification to prevent an over award of aid.

To be considered for a graduate assistantship or fellowship, a graduate student must:

- Be admitted unconditionally to a post-baccalaureate degree program;
- Be enrolled for full-time study; and
- Maintain a cumulative graduate grade point average of 3.0 or above.

For additional information, please visit the Law School Website (http://www.law.miami.edu) or the Graduate School Website (http://www.miami.edu/grad/). For specific information regarding graduate programs, contact the Graduate Advisor of the respective program. For information regarding loan and work-study opportunities, visit the Office Student Financial Assistance and Employment website (http://www.miami.edu/ofas/).

For United States citizens and eligible non-citizens, federal financial aid is available for online programs.

- Applying for Financial Aid (https://grad-prof.miami.edu/applying-for-aid/), UM
- Costs and Financial Aid (https://grad-prof.miami.edu/cost/), UM

**Eligibility**

Please see the University's Financial Aid (https://grad-prof.miami.edu/applying-for-aid/terms-and-conditions/) website for eligibility criteria.

**Applying for Financial Aid**

To apply for financial aid, submit the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) (https://fafsa.ed.gov/). Be sure to include the University of Miami school code 001536.

**Awarding and Disbursing Financial Aid**

Key Points and associated deadlines:
Satisfactory Academic Progress

- Awards are processed on a rolling basis and are done annually, one academic year at a time (3 terms per academic year: Fall, Spring and Summer).
- Students are strongly encouraged to begin the application process at least four weeks prior to the start date of their program or renewal date of their existing loan.
- Applications will be accepted in the last 30 days of the term, but the Office of Student Financial Assistance and Employment cannot be held responsible if funds are not available for disbursement for the term. Delays can occur that are outside of the control of the Office of Student Financial Assistance and Employment.

New Students
The Office of Student Financial Assistance and Employment will award Financial Aid for new students when

- A student has been fully admitted
- FAFSA has been received
- Student has enrolled in classes
- Student has been billed for that term

Financial Aid will be disbursed to the Office of Student Account Services:

- After the last day to add/drop and when attendance has been confirmed by the Online Department.

Continuing Students
The Office of Student Financial Assistance and Employment will award Financial Aid for continuing students only when

- FAFSA has been received
- The student has enrolled in classes
- Satisfactory Academic Progress has been determined
- Student has been billed for that term

Financial Aid will be disbursed to the Office of Student Account Services:

- After the last day to add/drop and when attendance has been confirmed by the Online Department.

Maintaining Eligibility, including Satisfactory Academic Progress
Students must maintain all federal aid eligibility requirements for the entire term. Please see the Satisfactory Academic Progress (https://grad-prof.miami.edu/applying-for-aid/satisfactory-academic-progress/) page for specific criteria for maintaining eligibility.

Satisfactory Academic Progress

Federal and Institutional Need-based SAP Policy

- In compliance with federal financial aid regulations, the University of Miami requires satisfactory academic progress (SAP) towards a degree as an eligibility requirement for federal and university need-based financial assistance. The SAP policy requires both a quantitative and a qualitative measure of a student’s progress.
- This policy is applicable to all undergraduate, law, graduate and doctoral students receiving financial aid through federal aid sources, including the Federal Parent Loan for Undergraduate Students (PLUS).
- At the end of each semester, the Office of Student Financial Assistance and Employment Services reviews the academic progress of all University of Miami financial aid recipients.
- If it is determined that a student is not making satisfactory academic progress at the end of the semester, a notification is sent to the student. The student will be placed on financial aid warning for one semester. Aid will not be withdrawn for the subsequent (warning) term, but at the end of the warning term, the student’s academic record will be reviewed by Office of Student Financial Assistance and Employment and appropriate renewal or termination actions will be taken. Notification will be sent to the student detailing information on the appeal process.
- If a student is determined to not be on track toward completing their degree requirements within the 150% Maximum Time Frame, they could immediately lose aid eligibility. See “Warning Period” below for more details.
- Those who have taken a course twice, cannot have need based aid applied to the credits of any future attempts of the same course.
- Federal academic progress policy is subject to change based on guidelines and changes made by the U.S. Department of Education.
Undergraduate Satisfactory Academic Progress

Review and Notification
To determine continued aid eligibility, the Office of Student Financial Assistance and Employment will review the academic progress at the end of each academic term for all undergraduate students receiving federal and institutional need-based aid including the Federal Direct PLUS Loan. An academic progress review will occur at the end of each academic year for all Florida aid programs and merit scholarships.

Students who fail to meet Satisfactory Academic Progress will be notified by email. If a student is placed on an academic probationary term (replaced academic probation) they will be eligible for financial aid during that probationary period. A student may receive probationary aid (removed scholarship) assistance only once.

SAP Appeal
A student may appeal a failed SAP determination by completing and submitting to the financial aid office an Academic Progress Appeal Form (http://finaid.miami.edu/resources/forms/). Appeals may be granted only if the student failed to meet academic progress requirements as a result of an emergency and/or illness, and these circumstances must have occurred within the semester/academic year during which SAP requirements were not met. All appeals should be submitted no later than 30 calendar days from notice of ineligibility. All decisions made by the committee are final. Please be advised that students will only be eligible to receive one approved appeal during their enrollment at UM. Should a student fail to meet the minimum academic standards outlined in the conditions of their initial approved appeal, they will not be granted an additional appeal unless there are new mitigating circumstances.

Federal and Institutional Need-Based Aid Academic Requirements

For the purposes of these policies, an academic year is defined as Fall, Spring and Summer semesters.

Satisfactory Academic Progress for federal and institutional need-based aid renewability including need-based donor scholarship merit aid renewability is reviewed by the Office of Student Financial Assistance and Employment.

GPA Requirement
Students must complete a minimum institutional GPA of 2.0.

Credit Completion Requirement
Students must earn 67% of the total credit hours attempted during his/her overall academic career. Rounding does not apply.

- Undergraduate and graduate credits cannot be combined to meet this standard.
- Withdrawals, incompletes, audits, NG (no grade), and F's are attempted but not earned hours.
- Transfer credits are counted in the calculation, but not in a cumulative GPA.

Maximum Timeframe Requirement
A student must be on track with completing their undergraduate degree within 150% of normal completion, as determined by the school or college catalog (example: Bachelor’s degree = 120 credits; 150% rule = 180 credits). All attempted UM credits, enrolled UM credits, transfer credits and remaining UM degree credits are factored into this calculation. A student is ineligible for need-based financial aid when it becomes mathematically impossible for him/her to complete their program within 150% of the length of the program. There may be no warning period for failing maximum timeframe requirement (see below).

Warning Period
Federal and institutional need-based aid recipients will be placed on a "warning status" for one semester following notice of failure to meet SAP requirements. Failure to meet the requirements by the end of the warning period will result in loss of aid eligibility for future periods of enrollment unless a student is granted a probationary semester as a result of a granted appeal.

The only exception for the Maximum Time Frame are those who are within 30 credits of reaching their limit as will be placed on "Alert". Those whose academic records indicate that they are not on track with completing their overall undergraduate degree within the 150% maximum time frame will immediately lose eligibility for aid and will be notified via email. A student pursuing multiple undergraduate majors, or minors, whose combined credits and remaining credits exceed the 150% calculation will fail SAP.

Example: For a 120-credit hour program, if all attempted UM credits + enrolled UM credits + transfer credits + remaining UM degree credits exceed the allowable limit of 180 credits, the student will fail SAP.

Merit Scholarship Academic Requirements
Satisfactory Academic Progress for merit aid renewability is reviewed by the Office of Student Financial Assistance and Employment and applies to undergraduate students receiving academic scholarships except Ronald A. Hammond Scholarship. The Ronald A. Hammond Scholarship recipients should contact the Office of Academic Enhancement (http://www6.miami.edu/provost/oaec/hammond/) to review their contract renewal terms.

GPA Requirement
Students must complete a minimum institutional cumulative GPA of 3.0.
• Only credits taken at UM count toward your GPA requirement.

**Credit Completion Requirement**

• At least 24 credit hours each academic year.
• At least 12-credit hours for full-time students enrolled for only one semester.
• Withdrawals, incompletes, audits, and F's are attempted but not considered earned hours.
• Transfer credits are counted in the calculation, but not in a cumulative GPA.
• Credits earned from enrollment during the academic year being reviewed at UM or transferred from any institution may count toward the total credits earned to satisfy this requirement.

**For All Incoming Freshmen and Transfer Students:**
Students who fail to meet the academic requirements to maintain their scholarship at the end of their first year will lose their eligibility.

**Students will not receive a probationary period.**

**Florida Financial Aid Requirements**


**GPA Requirement**

• Florida Academic Scholars must maintain a minimum institutional cumulative GPA of 3.0 for full renewal; 2.75 for partial renewal (equivalent to FL Medallion amount)
• Florida Medallion Scholars must maintain a minimum institutional cumulative GPA of 2.75.
• Effective Access to Student Education Grant (EASE), and Florida Student Assistance Grant (FSAG) must maintain a minimum institutional cumulative GPA of 2.0.

**Credit Completion Requirement**

At least 24 credit hours earned toward your degree each academic year.

• At least 12-credit hours for full-time students enrolled for only one semester.
• Withdrawals, incompletes, audits, and F's are attempted but not considered earned hours.
• For EASE and FSAG students, classes taken in the previous summer may be included in calculating the completed hours
• Part-time Bright Futures recipients must earn a prorated number of credit hours.
  (9-11 credits per term = 9 earned hours per term) (6-8 credits per term = 6 earned hours per term).

**Maximum Time Frame**

Students receiving Florida Bright Futures awards may receive funding for up to five years from high school graduation for a maximum of 120 semester hours (or equivalent) toward the completion of a first baccalaureate degree. A student with remaining unused credits after the completion of an undergraduate degree, may be eligible to use a limited number of undergraduate credits toward their first term of graduate study in an eligible Florida institution. Some restrictions apply.

Students receiving the Effective Access to Student Education Grant and/or the Florida Student Assistance Grant may receive a maximum of 9 semesters of eligibility. Unused terms may not be used for further course funding after a student earns a baccalaureate degree.

**Reinstatement of Florida Bright Futures**

Recipients of the Florida Bright Futures Scholarship programs who do not receive any scholarships for the period of one academic year may apply for reinstatement of aid through the Florida Department of Education Office of Student Financial Assistance (OSFA) website at www.FloridaStudentFinancialAid.org (http://www.floridastudentfinancialaid.org/).

Florida Academic Scholars award recipients who fail to achieve a 3.0 institutional average, but achieve at least a 2.75 institutional average will renew at the lower Florida Medallion amount.

Bright Future eligible recipients who graduated from high school in 2009-2010 and thereafter who fail to achieve a minimum 2.75 institutional GPA and became ineligible during their first year of funding may apply for restoration in an academic year after which the 2.75 institutional GPA requirements were met. (The 2.75 institutional GPA must be met before the fall term for which the student is applying.)

The student must complete a Reinstatement/Restoration application available on the Florida Department of Education Office of Student Financial Assistance (OSFA) website at www.FloridaStudentFinancialAid.org (http://www.floridastudentfinancialaid.org/).

Students who do not meet the minimum earned hours requirement during any academic renewal period or who fail to meet the minimum institutional GPA requirement after their first year of funding will not be permitted a restoration opportunity.
Restoration of the Effective Access to Student Education Grant

Reinstatement of the Effective Access to Student Education grant (EASE) may be obtained after one full academic year of ineligibility by earning a minimum of 24 credits and/or a minimum institutional GPA of 2.0.

Graduate/Professional Satisfactory Academic Progress

Graduate Students

Review and Notification

To determine continued aid eligibility, the Office of Student Financial Assistance and Employment will review the academic progress at the end of each academic semester for all graduate and professional students receiving federal aid, including the Federal Direct PLUS Loan.

Students who fail to meet SAP will be notified in writing by email. If a student is placed on academic probation they will be eligible for financial aid during that probationary period. A student may receive probationary scholarship assistance only once.

SAP Appeal

A student may appeal a SAP determination that results in loss of aid by completing and submitting to the financial aid office an Academic Progress Appeal Form. Appeals may be granted only if the student failed to meet academic progress requirements as a result of an emergency and/or illness, and these circumstances must have occurred within the semester/academic year during which SAP requirements were not met. All appeals should be submitted no later than 30 calendar days from notice of ineligibility. All decisions made by the committee are final.

Reinstatement of Aid

Reinstatement of aid may be obtained by earning additional University approved credits, achieving the indicated percent completion standard, or successfully appealing.

GPA Requirement

All University of Miami graduate and doctoral students must maintain a minimum 3.0 cumulative grade point average (CGPA). Graduate students who fail to meet the minimum credit hour or cumulative grade point average requirements have failed to meet the satisfactory academic progress standards established by the University. Those in violation of the satisfactory academic progress eligibility requirements will be notified in writing of their eligibility status and right to appeal.

Credit Completion Requirement

Students must earn 67% of the total credit hours attempted during his/her overall academic career. Rounding does not apply.

- Undergraduate and graduate credits cannot be combined to meet this standard.
- Withdrawals, incompletes, audits, NG (no grade) and F’s are attempted but not earned hours.
- Transfer credits are counted in the calculation, but not in a cumulative GPA.

Graduate students must be enrolled at least half-time in order to receive federal financial assistance. A minimum of 5 graduate credit hours constitutes at least half-time enrollment at the graduate level. The only exception to this credit hour requirement is enrollment in any of the 800-level research courses. Students enrolled in any of these courses are considered full-time and are eligible for federal loans.

Duration of Eligibility

All work must be completed within six years of the time of admission to a graduate program, for those studying for the various master’s degrees; and within eight years for those studying for doctoral degrees. For those admitted directly into a Ph.D. program without a master’s degree in field, work must be completed within eight years. Individual programs may set a shorter time period.

Graduate students may receive federally funded assistance for the time to completion limits set up by the Graduate School - six (6) years for those studying for the various master’s degrees and 8 years for those studying for doctoral degrees. Students pursuing dual master’s degrees will receive aid for a maximum of six (6) years. Students in a combined master’s degree/doctoral degree program are eligible for assistance for a maximum of eight (8) years.

Time to Completion

Time to completion starts when a student begins any program in the Graduate School. All work must be completed within three (3) years of the start date to the graduate program, for those studying for the various master’s degrees. Individual programs may set a shorter time period. Exceptions may be granted by the Dean of the Graduate School at the request of the Graduate Program Director. Course availability may vary by program and term; therefore students who may need to withdraw or take a break from their program should work directly with their Academic Advisor to ensure timely completion within the three (3) year window.

A student is ineligible for financial aid when it becomes mathematically impossible for him/her to complete the program within 150% of the length of the program. The length of the program is the amount of time necessary for a student to complete all requirements for a degree or certificate.

Each online degree program has a minimum time within which a student may complete the degree if the student takes the courses on a continually enrolled basis. Online degrees are flexible, and the actual time to completion, within the three-year limit, can vary by student. However, if a student is not continuously enrolled for a period greater than one year, he or she must reapply to the program and will lose any tuition discounts previously
applied to their account. A student may be eligible for any tuition discounts available to new students at the time of the student’s re-admission, and should contact the Online Enrollment Office to see if they qualify.

**Merit Scholarships**
Graduates scholarships awards are determined by the departments. A student’s academic progress and eligibility for an award is monitored and evaluated by the departments.

**Law Students**
Program specific requirements may be found online at http://grad-prof.miami.edu/applying-for-aid/satisfactory-academic-progress/law-sap/index.html (http://grad-prof.miami.edu/applying-for-aid/satisfactory-academic-progress/law-sap/)

**Maximum Time Frame**
Law Students are eligible to receive financial aid up to 33% over and above the maximum of credit hours required to obtain his/her law degree. All periods of enrollment (including Summer), will be counted toward the maximum time frame.

**Treatment of Punitive and Non-punitive Grades and Courses**
All courses with a grade of F, I, IP, NG, U, W and repeated courses will be considered in the calculation of credit hours attempted and will be subject to satisfactory academic progress. Audited courses are not considered in awarding financial aid; therefore, they will not be counted in the determination of satisfactory academic progress. Incomplete (I) grades will be calculated as failing grades in regard to credit hour completion until the course has been satisfactorily completed.

**Notification of Satisfactory Academic Progress**
Awards are considered estimated, until the final grades are reviewed by the Office of Financial Aid. Students are allowed their first term of failing to meet satisfactory progress, due to GPA or failure to meet the required 67%, as a probationary period. Students who have not met the minimum standards of satisfactory academic progress as outlined above, beyond a their probationary period or are academically dismissed, are considered on financial aid suspension and no longer eligible for aid.

**Reinstatement of Financial Aid Eligibility**
A student may regain eligibility by:

- Achieving the required GPA and Credit Hour Completion as outlined.
- Appealing the financial aid decision as described below.

**Financial Aid Appeal Process**
A student may appeal a SAP determination that results in the loss of aid by completing and submitting to the Office of Student Financial Assistance and Employment an Academic Progress Appeal Form. Appeals may be granted only if the student failed to meet academic progress requirements as a result of an emergency and/or illness, and these circumstances must have occurred within the semester during which SAP requirements were not met. All appeals should be submitted no more than 30 calendar days from notice of ineligibility. All decisions made by the appeals committee are final.

**Student Employment**

**Student Employment**
Student Employment (http://www.miami.edu/ose/) is responsible for assisting and guiding students (admitted and enrolled in a degree program at the University of Miami) through the job search and placement process while attending the University.

Student Employment provides job opportunities to all students regardless of sex, age, disability, sexual orientation, ethnicity, nationality, race or creed. University of Miami student employees are required to adhere to established federal, state and local employment regulation practices.

Employment programs for undergraduate students include the Federal Work Study, Student Assistant program, and Lead Miami program, all of which offer opportunities on campus and in the surrounding community. Employment programs for graduate students include: Federal Work Study, Student Assistant Program and Graduate Assistantships. Available positions are posted in JobX (https://umiami.studentemployment.ngwebsolutions.com/)

Student employment program earnings are paid directly to the student as they work and are not applied as a credit toward tuition charges.

**Federal Work Study**
Federal Work Study is a need-based program that provides part-time job opportunities based on your financial aid eligibility. To apply for Federal Work Study, you must complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).

Students who are awarded Federal Work Study obtain jobs available at the University of Miami campuses or at off-campus community service agencies that have been approved to participate in the program.
Student Assistant Program

All degree seeking, admitted, and enrolled students are eligible to apply for positions under the Student Assistant program. Student assistant positions are similar to Federal Work Study in terms of job responsibilities and rates of pay; however, they are not supported by federal funds.

LEAD Miami Program

The LEAD Miami program (http://admissions.miami.edu/undergraduate/financial-aid/lead-miami/) is available by invitation to a limited number of students based on Office of Admission referrals. To be considered, invited students must apply to the program by the published deadline.

Graduate Assistantship Program

Graduate Assistantships are mostly offered directly to selected students by their academic departments. Graduate Assistantships may include a tuition scholarship of varying amounts, in addition to work payment. Students must be admitted to a Graduate or Professional Degree Program at the University of Miami in order to be hired as a Graduate Assistant.

Off-Campus Employment

Students seeking career-related experiences and who have reliable transportation can work off-campus. Student Financial Assistance and Employment acts only as a referral service and makes no particular recommendations regarding off-campus employers. Off-Campus employers hire students directly and Student Financial Assistance and Employment is not responsible for safety, wages, working conditions, or other aspects of off-campus employment.

The University of Miami participates in E-verify, an Internet-based system that allows an employer, using information reported on an employee’s Form I-9, to determine the eligibility of that employee to work in the United States. The E-Verify system is operated by the U.S. Department of Homeland Security (DHS) in partnership with the Social Security Administration (SSA). Student employees need to present original documents to complete the Form I-9 and E-verify. A list of other acceptable documents can be found online at https://www.uscis.gov/i-9-central/acceptable-documents/.

Terms and Conditions

My UMIAMI E-MAIL ACCOUNT

The University of Miami Office of Student Financial Assistance and Employment (OSFAE) will communicate with students and their parents by e-mail. Students are required to monitor their CaneLink Student Center (View Financial Aid) and will be responsible for checking their UM email account regularly. Failure to meet deadlines may result in a loss of aid eligibility.

PENDING FINANCIAL AID AWARDS

Awards may be “PENDING” due to a variety of issues that require resolution before financial aid can be disbursed. Students must monitor their outstanding requirements on CaneLink Student Center (View Financial Aid) and submit the necessary documentation as soon as possible. Failure to complete the financial aid process by the priority deadline may impact aid eligibility.

FINANCIAL AID OVER-AWARDS

Students financial need is determined based on the difference between the cost of attendance (COA) and the family’s Expected Family Contribution (EFC) as calculated by the Institutional Methodology formula using information reported on the CSS Profile. Eligibility may change if students receive funds from another source that is not included at the time of the initial financial aid award. OSFAE will communicate with students about award changes which can be viewed on CaneLink Student Center (View Financial Aid).

OUTSIDE SCHOLARSHIP

If a student receives an outside scholarship, it may impact their aid award. Federal regulations require that students submit all information from the scholarship agency to the Office of Student Financial Assistance and Employment (OSFAE) as soon as they are notified of the award. The OSFAE will first fill any gap between the CSS Profile Expected Family Contribution (EFC) and FAFSA EFC and then reduce loans/work study before reducing any need-based grant eligibility. Students can request that the financial aid office reduce federal work study before reducing loan eligibility; however, requests must be made in writing to the Office of Student Financial Assistance and Employment.

FEDERAL AND INSTITUTIONAL WORK STUDY PROGRAMS

There are a variety of work study (federal and institutional) positions available on and off campus. It is the student’s responsibility to find a suitable employment opportunity that fits their needs, areas of interest and academic schedule. Once a position has been secured, students must complete a work study authorization form, I-9 form, W-4 form and a direct deposit authorization before work can begin. If Federal Work Study is awarded as part of the financial aid package, you must accept the award to participate and the amount indicated is the maximum amount a student may earn during the academic year. The amount awarded is not a guarantee of employment and if a student applies too late in the hiring season, a suitable position may no longer be available.
INSTITUTIONAL AID ENROLLMENT REQUIREMENTS

For all merit and need-based aid from the University of Miami, full-time enrollment is required. Full-time enrollment is defined as 12 credits or more each semester. The student must have the required full-time enrollment to qualify for institutional aid. Enrollment of less than 12 credits may result in the reduction or loss of some aid programs. Enrollment in "credit only" courses may not count as part of the 12 credits for certain awards.

SATISFACTORY ACADEMIC PROGRESS

Students must maintain Satisfactory Academic Progress to be eligible for federal, state and institutional financial aid programs. The University of Miami standards of SAP measure a student's academic performance both qualitatively and quantitatively by reviewing the following three areas of performance: completion rate for coursework enrolled, cumulative grade point average earned, and the maximum time frame to complete a degree. The standards of SAP apply for all federal, state and institution funded financial assistance programs. Students that fail to meet the minimum requirements to be eligible for financial aid will lose their eligibility at the end of the period of review.

A student may appeal a failed SAP determination by completing and submitting to the financial aid office an Academic Progress Appeal Form (http://finaid.miami.edu/resources/forms/). Appeals may be granted only if the student failed to meet academic progress requirements as a result of an emergency and/or illness, and these circumstances must have occurred within the semester/academic year during which SAP requirements were not met. All appeals should be submitted no later than 30 calendar days from notice of ineligibility. All decisions made by the committee are final. Please be advised that students will only be eligible to receive one approved appeal during their enrollment at UM. Should a student fail to meet the minimum academic standards outlined in the conditions of their initial approved appeal, they will not be granted an additional appeal unless there are new mitigating circumstances.

REPEAT COURSE WORK

If a student chooses to retake a course for which they have already received a passing grade, financial aid may be affected. At the end of the add/drop period, any student not enrolled in full-time credits, will have their financial aid eligibility reviewed and adjusted as needed to reflect their enrollment level. This may result in a loss or reduction in aid. Full-time enrollment is defined as 12 credits or more for the fall and spring semesters. Those who have taken a course twice, cannot have Federal Pell Grant aid applied to the credits of any future attempts of the same course.

WITHDRAWAL OR LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Financial aid funds are awarded with the expectation that students will complete the entire period of enrollment. Students earn a percentage of funds with each day of class attended. If, for any reason, a student leaves school before the end of the semester or designated period of enrollment, federal regulations require University of Miami to calculate the percentage and amount of "unearned" financial aid funds that must be returned. Once a student has completed more than 60% of the enrollment period, federal aid is considered fully earned for that period. This calculation and the subsequent return of federal funds may result in a balance that is the responsibility of the student to pay. Some state aid funds must be returned to the program for any paid coursework not completed.

ENROLLMENT FREEZE/CENSUS DATE

Student's enrollment level is frozen at the end of the add/drop period for each semester. Any and all adjustments to a student's course schedule should be made before the end of the add/drop period to avoid any adjustments in aid due to insufficient enrollment or being under-enrolled. After enrollment is frozen on census date, the Federal Pell Grant will not be adjusted regardless of any changes to enrollment except in the case of a complete withdrawal. After census date, if a student adjusts their course load which results in additional tuition and fee charges, they may be eligible to receive additional loan funds. Full-time enrollment is defined as 12 credits or more.

Some federal financial aid programs require at least half-time enrollment (six credits per semester) such as the Federal Direct Loan programs. Most institutional and state financial aid requires full-time enrollment including need-based UM grants and merit scholarships. Adjustments to financial aid for enrollment changes after the census date will not be done except for Florida Bright Futures and in the case of a complete withdrawal from the University. There are no exceptions to this policy.

RECONSIDERATION OF FINANCIAL AID AWARDS

Students can appeal financial aid decisions in the case of a change in the family's financial situation. Families must first consult with a financial aid advisor prior to submitting an appeal. If it is determined that a student could potentially benefit from the submission of an appeal for the reconsideration of financial aid, a Request for Review (https://finaid.miami.edu/request-for-review/) with supporting documentation should be submitted to the Office of Student Financial Assistance and Employment. Only certain circumstances can be evaluated such as loss of income, unusual medical expenses (not premiums), separation/divorce of parents, death of a family member, or non-discretionary expenses incurred by the family.

SUMMER LEAVE TERM EXPECTATION

A portion of the family's contribution is the responsibility of the student. UM expects the student to contribute a minimum of $2,500 (from summer and leave term employment opportunities) and any other resources that may be available to the student. University of Miami follows this policy with the following exception: In an effort to encourage participation in summer internships, UM will provide need-based financial aid to replace the summer savings expectation for all students participating in an unpaid summer internship and who are unable to earn and save all or a portion of their student
contribution. In order to qualify for additional financial aid, students must meet posted deadlines for participation in a summer internship. NOTE: The additional financial aid may take the form of increased work-study employment, student loan and/or grant (if applicable) as determined in conjunction with the student’s financial aid eligibility and University of Miami’s awarding policies.

SUMMER ENROLLMENT AND DISBURSEMENT

Summer aid is processed once the student is enrolled for the summer term on at least a half-time basis for those that have eligibility. Only undergraduate students enrolled at least half-time (6 credits or more) will be eligible to receive federal student loans. Financial aid for summer will not disburse until the first day of the session in which the student meets the minimum required enrollment for the aid program. Students with Florida Bright Futures Scholarship eligibility will be awarded after they have commenced enrollment which meets the minimum enrollment required for eligibility. Students who are not enrolled for summer but wish to request Federal Work Study for the summer term must submit a Summer Financial Aid Request Form on the OSFAE website (http://finaid.miami.edu/resources/forms/).

Financial Payment Policies

Policy

All semester charges (tuition, room, meal plans, and fees) are due by the date on the billing notification e-mail, unless an established Monthly Payment Plan contract has been finalized with the Office of Student Account Services. Previously unbilled and new charges are due and payable when incurred. Payment is considered complete only when all charges are paid or when satisfactory arrangements to pay have been finalized with the Office of Student Account Services.

Consequences of Non-Payment

Students that are delinquent in paying their tuition and fees statement balance and/or Monthly Payment Plan may be subject to having their class schedule cancelled. Also, there will be a hold on transcripts and course registration for the current and subsequent semester. Cancellation may also lead to the forfeiture of any financial aid the student may have been awarded.

Registration Fees

Late Registration

Student who register late for classes will incur a late registration fee. Any undergraduate or graduate student who enrolls after the last day to add (as defined by the academic calendar) will be assessed a late registration fee of $150.00.

Reinstatement

Students who are reinstated into classes after being cancelled for non-payment will be assessed a $150.00 reinstatement fee.

Anticipated Payments

If financial aid funds are not available at the time the semester’s balance is due, then the student is expected to pay the balance with a different payment method. Financial aid awards will be considered “anticipated” under the following conditions:

- The Office of Student Financial Assistance and Employment (OSFAE) is provided with a source of aid (other than College Work Study or Miami Commitment) on the student’s award package.
- OSFAE awards the corresponding amount on the student’s award package. i.e., outside scholarship information must be provided to both the Offices of Financial Assistance and Student Account Services in order to consider the aid as “anticipated.”
- OSFAE allocates the guaranteed award during the semester that the disbursement should be expected. This means the student completed all the "To Do" check list items related to financial aid.
- Final guarantees have been processed by the appropriate alternative loan lender – preliminary approvals will not result in automatic disbursements of alternative loan funds.

Examples

Veterans Monthly Educational Benefit Checks: An amount not to exceed the total of the checks expected to be received during the semester (for fall and spring, this is typically three checks) may be credited. Arrangements for this type of tuition credit must be initiated with a representative of Veterans Affairs through the Office of the Registrar and the Office of Student Account Services. Students with VA benefits are required to sign a promissory note with the Office of Student Accounts in order to have their anticipated awards credited to their account.

International Students with Government Sponsorships: Payment of all or a portion of charges that can be billed directly to corresponding government agencies may be credited upon presentation of appropriate documentation from their government or embassy.

Florida Prepaid Program

The University of Miami will assist with a student’s education expenses by billing for any available Florida Prepaid College Program funding directly to the Florida Prepaid College Board. Florida Prepaid participants may authorize the University of Miami to request a payment disbursement option that
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best matches your needs and current savings in the plan. We encourage participants to authorize a payment that will facilitate your financial planning objectives for your student's enrollment at the University of Miami.

If you would like to add or change your Florida Prepaid billing with the University of Miami, please follow the steps below:

1. Authorize the University of Miami by filling out the ‘Transfer Form’ and designating the university with Florida Prepaid to allow the University of Miami to bill your Florida Prepaid account.

2. Fill out and submit the University of Miami’s ‘Authorization Form’ (https://www6.miami.edu/canesrequest/?flow-id=47c4b0bc-3691-4177-80bf-ae35470b0d72)

3. To check that your current Florida Prepaid is being applied to your student account, go to the ‘Account Activity’ page under Payments/Account Summary on your Student Center in CaneLink.

Florida Prepaid College Program:
http://www.myfloridaprepaid.com/
800-552-4723 Option #2
P.O. Box 6567
Tallahassee, Florida 32314-6567

Policy on Previous and Unpaid Balances

Non-Payment
The University of Miami may declare due and payable at once the sum of all past due balances. The University reserves the right to withhold transcripts, diplomas, readmission, and future registration for non-payment of outstanding balances. The University’s Collection Department may also disclose the student’s outstanding indebtedness, along with other relevant information, to credit information bureaus. A non-refundable $150 reinstatement fee will be charged to reinstate each unpaid and canceled semester.

Withdrawal & Tuition Drop Refunds

Official Withdrawals: An official withdrawal occurs when a student completes the withdrawal process as outlined in the University of Miami Academic Bulletin.

Withdrawal Date: The date that the student is officially withdrawn from the University. This date is determined during the withdrawal process.

Last Date of Attendance: The date the student notifies the University of their intent to withdraw.

Unofficial Withdrawals: An unofficial withdrawal (dropout) occurs when a student ceases attendance and does not complete the withdrawal process outlined in the student bulletin. Unofficial withdrawals are discovered through an audit of students with failing grades at the end of the semester.

Tuition Refunds
Withdrawing does not guarantee you a refund. Tuition will be credited to your student account on a prorated basis depending on the date noted as the “Withdrawal Date” for official withdrawals (refund schedule available online and subject to change). Tuition will not be refunded for unofficial withdrawals. Fees are nonrefundable after the first week of the semester.

Note: If you have financial aid, there may be adjustments to your aid after you withdraw. This may result in a lower overall refund, no refund, or a balance due to the University.

Return of Title IV Aid
In accordance with Federal Return of Titles IV Aid regulations.

The Return of Title IV Aid is prorated based on the number of days attended. The Return of Title IV Aid calculates the amounts of aid earned (student keeps aid) by the student and the amounts of aid that must be returned to each financial aid program. The aid will be returned within 45 days after the last date of attendance. The unearned aid will be charged to the student's account and returned to the applicable financial aid program.

The last date of attendance for unofficial withdrawals is the midpoint of the semester. The University must determine the last date of attendance within 30 days after the end of the payment period and return unearned Title IV Aid within 45 days from the date determined that the student withdrew.

Students who withdraw after 60% of the semester have earned 100% of the Title IV Aid.

Note: Return of Title IV Aid applies to complete withdrawals and do not apply to course load reductions.

Withdrawal Example
A student notifies the Registrar of withdrawal on the 50th day of the semester. If the total number of calendar days in a semester were 108*, the earned financial aid ratio would be 50 divided by 108 or 46.3 percent. The student would have earned 46.3 percent of the approved federal aid that the
student was originally scheduled to receive for the term. The 53.7 percent of the student’s scheduled or disbursed aid remains unearned and must be returned to the Federal Program. If a student remains in school until the percentage of earned financial aid is 60% or more, then federal regulations consider the student to have earned 100% of their federal aid. For further information please refer to the 'Cane Success Center withdrawal information page (https://success.miami.edu/student-withdrawal/).

**The return of Title IV Aid will be calculated at 53.7%.**

* Total number of calendar days may vary from semester to semester

**Title IV Aid Programs:**

- Unsubsidized Federal Stafford Loans
- Subsidized Federal Stafford Loans
- Federal Perkins Loan
- Direct Plus (Graduate Student)
- Direct Plus (Parent)
- Federal Pell Grant
- Federal Supplemental Education Opportunity Grant (SEOG)
- Academic Competitive Grant (ACG)
- National SMART Grant
- TEACH Grant
- Iraq and Afghanistan Service Grants (IASG)

**Return of Non-Title IV Aid**

**University Aid**
The return of University Aid is calculated using the tuition refund percentage. Unearned aid will be charged to the student’s account and returned to the applicable financial aid program.

**State Aid**
The Florida Bright Futures award is based on the actual number of credits the student is enrolled in. When a student withdraws the full amount of the award is returned.

The EASE award (formerly known as the FRAG award) is returned in full if the withdrawal date is within the first week of the semester. If the withdrawal date is after the first week of the semester the student earned the EASE.

**Other**
The University will not return private education loans as the agreement is directly between the student and the lender.

**Alumni Rate and Policy**

**Special Opportunity for UM Graduates**

UM graduates may take undergraduate credit hour courses in the College of Arts and Sciences on a space available basis, at a special alumni rate. All University of Miami graduates are eligible for this special program.

Students may take courses within the College of Arts and Sciences, School of Communication and the School of Education and Human Development. Participants may choose a course or collection of courses (limit rules apply) to meet professional or personal goals.

Interested students may call the Division of Continuing and International Education at 305-284-4000 to inquire about the benefit and/or the current tuition rate, request an application, or enroll in the courses. They will submit a simple, no-fee, one-page application, simply select an undergraduate course (open on a space available basis) and be on their way to continued learning at UM.

**Policies Governing Enrollment in University of Miami Alumni Status**
The University of Miami Alumni Status includes students who are not seeking a degree and meet the following requirements. Enrollment in a non-degree program and/or satisfactory completion of courses does not imply admission to a degree program.

1. University of Miami graduates (completed degree);
2. U.S. citizens or permanent U.S. residents.

**Conditions applying to University of Miami Alumni enrollment**

1. Students may enroll in a maximum of 12 undergraduate credit hours per semester.
2. Students are limited to two courses per academic department.¹
3. International students will not be issued I-20 forms.
4. International students in B-1 (business) or B-2 (pleasure) visa status may engage in study as long as the educational activity is secondary to the principal activity for which the visa was sought.
5. Enrollment may be completed on a space-available basis only. (Course availability determined two days prior to semester start.)
6. Courses taken for undergraduate credit hour (including 500 level courses) will not be considered for graduate credit hour at a later date.

Note: Not all courses and/or departments may be available.

Meal Plans

The Links below are where you can find the Meal Plan rates for the 2020 - 2021 academic year.

Residential Meal Plans (https://new.dineoncampus.com/miami/for-residents/)

Commuter & University Village Apartment Meal Plans (https://new.dineoncampus.com/miami/for-commuters/)

Parking and Transportation

http://pt.ref.miami.edu/

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*Parking subject to change

Parking on the University of Miami's Coral Gables campus is a privilege extended to those using the facilities of the University consistent with the terms of the University's Parking Policies and Procedures and other policies of the University as they are set or amended by the Provost. Parking privileges are extended only to those eligible members of the university community including trustees, faculty, administrators, staff, students, vendors and visitors who have paid for a valid UM parking permit. In consideration of being allowed to use the University's facilities for parking, the purchaser of a parking permit agrees to be bound by the rules set forth in the Parking Policies and Procedures, and agrees to pay to the University any fine or administrative charge assessed for non-compliance with this code.

Students, faculty, employees, and staff may not park in visitor parking spaces, and UM parking permits are not valid at parking meters.

First year resident students (students residing on the Coral Gables campus who are attending college on a full time basis for the first time) are restricted from purchasing a parking permit to park on the University of Miami's Coral Gables campus. This policy applies to first year students living in University of Miami student housing on the Coral Gables campus.

For more information on Parking, please visit our website (http://www.miami.edu/parking/). Annual permits are valid August 16, 2020 through August 15, 2021.

Payment Options

The University Cashier accepts cash, personal checks, traveler's checks, cashier's checks, certified checks, money orders, and checks drawn against lines of credit. Personal check and credit card payments are accepted online via CaneLink. Bank wire transfers are also accepted.

Checks and Money Orders

Payments must be in U.S. Dollars and drawn on a U.S. bank. Payments must be made payable to the University of Miami and include the student's identification number to ensure credit to the student's account. Post-dated checks are not accepted.

Returned Checks Policy

All returned checks are deposited twice, automatically, and without notice. A Returned Check Fine will be assessed to the student's account, as listed below, after the second attempt. Check cashing privileges will be canceled for those students who have three (3) or more returned checks.
A notification letter will be mailed to the maker of the check by the University's Collection Department detailing the amount and fine for the returned check. Check cashing privileges will be restricted until cash or certified funds (money order or cashier's check) are presented for payment. A personal check will not be accepted to replace a dishonored check.

Returned check fines processed through CaneLink will incur a $20 fee. Checks not processed through CaneLink will incur the following charges:

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**Wire Transfer of Funds**

Students may pay their tuition by wire transfer. The wire transfer instructions can be obtained through CaneLink.

**How to obtain wire transfer instructions:**

1. Log into CaneLink and go to Student Center, click on the Account Inquiry button under the Finances.
2. Click on Make a Payment to pay your tuition and select Wire Transfer Payment (USA & International).
3. Select the country from the “What country are you paying from” dropdown list. For domestic wire instructions, select the US wire transfer payment option.
4. Create a Flywire account, to track your wire payment, and enter basic identification information for the University to identify your payment.
5. The bank account wire instructions will be provided.
6. An email will be sent with a unique wire identification number.

Students should make sure their full name, student ID number, and unique wire ID number are included with the wire transfer to ensure the funds are applied correctly.

**Tuition Payment Plans**

The Office of Student Account Services offers an optional financial alternative, monthly payment plan to assist students and parents. The University’s payment option is designed to provide convenient alternative plans of budgeting and paying educational costs whether or not a financial assistance award is granted.

The Monthly Payment Plan (MPP) allows you to divide your educational expenses into convenient monthly payments per semester.

Enrollment in the plan does represent a contractual agreement with the University. Proxies will be able to establish a monthly payment plan on behalf of the student if they are a fully authorized designated proxy on CaneLink.


**MPP Rules:**

- Monthly Auto payment is deducted each month on the same day
- Monthly Auto Payment Reminder – 5 days prior
- ACH Insufficient Funds Return: $25 Servicer Fee (non-refundable)
- Missed Installment – Next Installment Doubled
- ACH Return Reattempts – 1
- No Reattempts for declined credit card payments
- The 2.3% credit card service fee is non-refundable
- Number of Missed Installments before termination – 2
- There is a 3% non-refundable Participation Fee to enroll in the payment plan

The Charges Due will reflect on the student’s account until the payment plan has been paid in full. If additional charges are incurred, they may be added to the payment plan, future installments will increase accordingly, and the 3% non-refundable Participation Fee will be assessed. If a credit is applied to the student’s account, the change will be reflected accordingly the day before the installment is due.

*Executive/Professional MBA students and UM employees are ineligible to participate in the Monthly Payment Plan.*
Room Rates

Room Rates - Undergraduates

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<td>Small Single</td>
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<td>Standard Single</td>
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1 Freshmen are typically assigned to Hecht and Stanford Residential Colleges but may be assigned to another residential college based on availability.
2 Small Singles are only available in Hecht and Stanford Residential Colleges and only to new freshmen.
3 Standard singles rooms are available in Eaton, Mahoney, and Pearson Colleges and only to returning upper-class students.
4 For upper-class students only (60+ academic credit hours completed)—no freshmen or sophomores; annual (12-month) agreement for all Village residents—billed by semester/term through the Office of Student Account Services.

SUMMER SESSION (all air-conditioned) Rates are per person

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<td>Standard Single Room</td>
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Graduate Housing

Housing in on-campus housing is not available for GRADUATE students in addition to married students, single parents with children, law students, and medical students. The Department of Housing and Residential Life does assist GRADUATE students with off-campus housing information and resources here (http://www.miami.edu/housing/).
Law Housing

Housing in on-campus housing is not available for LAW students in addition to married students, single parents with children, graduate students, and medical students. The Department of Housing and Residential Life does assist LAW students with off-campus housing information and resources that can be found here (http://www.miami.edu/housing/).

Tuition and Fees

Tuition

The basic undergraduate tuition rate covers the normal student load and is increased if the student carries an overload. Private instruction, e.g., music lessons, carries extra charges. Students who opt to participate in any of the University's intercession courses will be billed for the intercession course separately from the flat rate cost of full-time tuition and fees.

For tuition charges in special programs and sessions, see announcements that are published concerning these components of the University's academic program.

The following list of charges is effective for the academic year 2020-2021.

Undergraduates (All Colleges and Schools)

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<th>Number of Credit Hours</th>
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Undergraduate students carrying both undergraduate and graduate courses will be charged tuition at the rate in effect for undergraduate credit hours taken and appropriate fees. For example, tuition for a student carrying a total of 15 credit hours, of which 3 are graduate and 12 are undergraduate, would be charged at the $26,040.00 rate.

Undergraduate students taking graduate level coursework that is priced at a special level will be billed separately for these courses. Students should check with their advisors and/or the appropriate school's department for more details on their course pricing requirements.

Full-time fees will be assessed according to student classification as an undergraduate or graduate.

The University reserves the right to change without notice tuition, fees, room and all other charges at the beginning of any academic year, and the right to change activities and meal plan fees at the beginning of any semester.

Graduate Students

| Pre-Master’s, Post-Master’s, and Doctoral Students per credit hour | $2,170.00 |
| Research in Residence (720 or 750) or Continuous Registration-Master’s Study (725), per fall/spring semester | $2,170.00 |
| Research in Residence (720 or 750) or Continuous Registration-Master’s Study (725), per summer session (0 Research Credit Courses) | $2,170.00 |
| Audit Work (No degree credit) Tuition, per course, non-refundable. | $2,170.00 |

Certain programs are conducted by the University under contract with the State of Florida. Florida residents who have been accepted as students in those contract programs are required to pay current state tuition for each credit hour taken and the state provides the University with additional funds in accordance with the terms of the contracts. Students involved in state contract programs should contact the appropriate school/college to ascertain the state tuition charge per credit hour that they are expected to pay.
Fees
Some fees depend upon full-time status. This is usually determined by the sum total of semester credit hours carried by the student in all divisions or enrollment in certain special programs that are classified as full-time regardless of credit hour load. Intersession classes are included with regular fall and spring semester classes in determining the student's full- or part-time status. This determination will also result in the billing of required fees. Fees are subject to change.

Undergraduate students are classified full-time if they enroll in 12 or more credit hours in a regular semester or 12 or more credit hours in a summer session or if they are enrolled in a special program which is classified full-time regardless of credit hour load.

Graduate students are classified full-time if they enroll in nine (9) or more credit hours in a regular semester or six (6) or more credit hours in a summer session, or if they are enrolled in dissertation credit hours that are classified as full-time.

Mandatory Fees

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<th>FALL OR SPRING SEMESTER FEES (per semester)</th>
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1 Student Health & Counseling Centers Fee is mandatory for all full time and part-time students regardless of credit hour load. Part-time students will be charged the part-time rate.
2 Student Center Fee is mandatory for all full time and part-time students regardless of credit hour load. Part-time students will be charged the part-time rate.
3 Wellness Center Fee is automatically charged to all full-time Graduate, Rosenstiel Graduate, and Medical Graduate students. It is mandatory unless declined by opting out of the fee in CaneLink. The last day to decline the fee is the last day to drop a class without a "W" as defined in the University’s academic calendar.
4 Law Student Activity Fee mandatory regardless of credit hour load.

SUMMER SESSION FEES (per session)

<p>| Undergraduate (Full Time 12+ Credit Hours) | | | | |
|-------------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Student Activity Fee                      | $22.00             | Student Health and Counseling Centers Fee | $192.00         | Student Center Fee | $186.00         |
| Undergraduate (Part Time 1-11 Credit Hours) | | | | |
| Student Health and Counseling Centers Fee | $96.00             | Student Center Fee | $93.00          | Student Health and Counseling Centers Fee | $192.00         |</p>
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*Health Insurance 2019-2020 Rate: Undergraduate, Graduate, and International Students* $3,556.00

*Health Insurance 2020-2021 Rate: Undergraduate, Graduate, and International Students* $3,834.00

Please note you are not required to have the University sponsored health insurance plan in order to utilize the services of the Student Health Center.

Students who are not enrolled for the current semester but intend to enroll for the next semester and graduating seniors (who wish access for one additional week after graduation), may gain access to the services of the Student Health Service after paying the Health and Counseling Centers Fee.

### Optional Fees

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### Student Right to Know Act

The Student-Right-to-Know and Campus Security Act requires institutions to disclose information about graduation rates and crime statistics to current and prospective students. Students interested in obtaining this type of information should contact the Office of Admission, 305-284-4323 or go to this website (http://www.miami.edu/hear/).
Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) Buckley Amendment

The purpose of this policy is to assure that students have access to their educational records and to assure the privacy of students by restricting the disclosure of information from education records to those persons authorized under the Act.

The policy is provided to all students in the Student Life Handbook. Copies can also be printed from the website (https://ua.miami.edu/student-consumer-information/#FERPA).

Security of Student Records

The Office of the University Registrar is charged with the responsibility of maintaining the security and integrity of student records. Student records created before 1985 have been electronically scanned. Student records created after 1985 are housed on an electronic database.

In order to maintain confidentiality, access to the student record system is limited to university personnel who have a legitimate need for this information. Each user is required to fill out an access form. A user name is created, and each user must also create a password that must be changed every 180 days. Periodic audits of records as well as reviews of who has access to the system are regularly scheduled to ensure a secure environment.

Students are assigned a UM ID number that is unique to them and they are encouraged to use it instead of their social security number. Students are required to provide their student ID or a photo ID when requesting academic record information from this office.

FERPA Training

FERPA, the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act, provides established guidelines for universities to ensure that students have access to their educational records as well as to ensure the privacy of said records by restricting the disclosure of information from educational records to those persons authorized under the Act. FERPA guidelines must be followed when dealing with the disclosure of student information.

All staff who use the student records system are required to complete a FERPA tutorial. Periodic reviews are required.

Service Indicator (Hold) on Student Records

Schools and colleges, university administrative departments and other student related offices have the ability to put service indicators, also known as holds, on student records. These holds can be financial, academic or disciplinary in nature and may delay a student’s ability to register, to receive an official transcript or to receive a diploma. Holds on a student’s record normally require action on the part of the student, i.e., a payment, completion of paperwork, etc. Specific information on a hold and what is required to remove it can be found in the Student Services Center in CaneLink or can be obtained from the office/department that initiated the hold.

Policy for Determining Student Location for Professional Licensure Disclosures

The University of Miami is required by the federal government to determine a student’s physical location at the time of enrollment for the purpose of providing required professional licensure disclosures. The University determines a student’s physical location based on the permanent address the student provides on his/her application for admission. All University of Miami academic programs, regardless of the application software used, collect the applicant’s permanent address and import the data into the University’s student information system (CaneLink) during the application process. Once the application is submitted, the applicant can update his/her permanent address through the application software and it will update the information in CaneLink via the next import. Once the applicant enrolls and becomes a University of Miami student, the student can update his/her permanent address at any time directly through CaneLink. It is the responsibility of the student to inform the University of any change to his/her permanent address. Students are reminded to review and update their permanent address in CaneLink at the start of each academic semester during the add/drop period.

Professional Licensure Disclosure Notifications

The University of Miami is required to notify students in academic programs that prepare students for professions requiring licensure or certification whether the student’s program meets the educational requirements for licensure/certification in Florida and in the student’s home state at the time of enrollment. The University Registrar will notify via e-mail each applicant who applies to academic programs that prepare students for professions requiring licensure or certification at the time the application is submitted based on the state provided in the applicant’s current permanent address in CaneLink. The University Registrar will notify via e-mail each student actively enrolled in academic programs that prepare students for professions requiring licensure or certification after the add/drop deadline each academic semester based on the state provided in the student’s current permanent address in CaneLink.

A list of the University of Miami academic programs that prepare students for professions requiring licensure or certification and information on whether these programs meet the educational requirements for licensure/certification in Florida and in other states is published at this website (https://ua.miami.edu/professional-licensure/).

Links to Additional Disclosure Information:
- Student Consumer Information (https://ua.miami.edu/student-consumer-information/)
- Student Achievement (https://ua.miami.edu/student-achievement/)
• Program and Specialized Accreditation (https://ua.miami.edu/accreditation/program-and-specialized-accreditation/)
• Academic Program Inventory (https://ua.miami.edu/program-inventory/)

Student Services

'Canes Central

'Canes Central brings together the front-of-the-house operations for the Registrar, Financial Aid, and Student Accounts—as well as student Cane Card operations—into a single, centralized location. This student-centric department provides the University of Miami community with concentrated, service-oriented support across a broad range of issues in a forum that provides timely responses and comprehensive solutions.

The 'Canes Central team consists of highly-trained professionals who can answer questions across each of the four core areas of operation. 'Canes Central team members use a holistic approach to address student questions, and they use cutting-edge technology to connect with students in ways that align with their daily lives. These connections are accomplished through a multi-modal approach via in-person exchanges, phone calls, e-mails, virtual tickets, online self-help resources, and referrals, and in a convenient location situated on the first floor of the Student Services Building, located behind the Lowe Art Museum and across the canal from the Miami Herbert Business School.

'Canes Central strives to provide world-class service and student-centered care. Visit 'Canes Central any time!

5 Ways to Connect

1. Get Help With …
   • Access a robust knowledge base of online self-help articles and search for the answers to your questions 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, by clicking the "Get Help With ..." link at https://canescentral.miami.edu

2. Submit a Case
   • If you are unable to find the right answers through the "Get Help With ..." self-help tool, follow the steps on the "Submit a Case" page at https://canescentral.miami.edu to reach out to the 'Canes Central team at any time

3. Phone
   • Speak live with a 'Canes Central team member by calling (305) 284-IBIS between 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday

4. E-mail
   • You are welcome to e-mail 'Canes Central any time at canescentral@miami.edu; however, it is highly recommended you instead use the "Submit a Case" function mentioned above as it provides more detailed information to the 'Canes Central team and allows you to better track each of your 'Canes Central interactions

5. In person
   • Beginning on August 1, 2020, walk in to the 'Canes Central space between the times listed below:
     • Monday = 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
     • Tuesday = 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
     • Wednesday = 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
     • Thursday = 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
     • Friday = 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
     • Note: Saturday hours are available from 1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. the weekend before and the first weekend of each new semester

Camner Center for Academic Resources

http://www.camnercenter.miami.edu

The Camner Center for Academic Resources offers free academic assistance to all UM students. The Camner Center offers individual peer tutoring by appointment in most subjects, study skills instruction with a Learning Specialist, free academic workshops, and many other valuable services. Please visit our website (http://www.camnercenter.miami.edu) or call 305-284-2800 to learn more and/or schedule an appointment.

Peer Tutoring

At the Camner Center, all UM students can take advantage of free individual peer tutoring to develop a deeper understanding of course work through additional, special, or corrective content instruction. All tutoring is course specific and taught by nationally certified peer tutors. All UM students are eligible for two hours of tutoring per week for each course. Please send us an email (tutoring.arc@miami.edu) for more information or to ask any questions.

Supplemental Instruction

Small group sessions are available to help students succeed in the University's toughest courses. Group Peer Tutoring is done on a weekly basis where students sit down to discuss course content in a small group setting with the peer tutor serving as a facilitator.
Academic Workshops
This free workshop series instructs students on specific academic skills and strategies to enhance academic performance. Workshop topics include effective test-taking strategies, improving study strategies, utilizing technology, and organization and time management skills. Topics are updated every semester, and students may attend unlimited sessions. Please visit our website (http://www.camnercenter.miami.edu) for the current workshop schedule.

Learning Specialists
The Camner Center for Academic Resources provides the support of trained Learning Specialists to students experiencing difficulty with academic issues. Students may request a one-on-one meeting with a Learning Specialist to help develop the skills needed to achieve success in their academic careers. Skills covered during these appointments include time management, effective note-taking, college textbook reading, educational technologies, test taking, and other learning strategies. Students can request an appointment with a Learning Specialist through our website (http://www.camnercenter.miami.edu) for more information about the support services available to students.

Independent Learning Initiative
The Independent Learning Initiative is a fee-based academic support program that provides structure, support, instruction, and monitoring for students needing additional guidance during the college experience. During the semester, students will identify and understand their academic strengths and areas for growth, as well as learn strategies, skills, and technologies to enhance their academic and personal success in college. Participants learn to monitor their academic progress and critically evaluate their current skills and strategies to work towards becoming a successful independent student. For more information about the program or to apply, please visit our website (http://www.camnercenter.miami.edu).

Disability Services
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camnercenter.miami.edu/

Office of Disability Services (ODS)
The Office of Disability Services (ODS) is the primary university office responsible for the coordination of auxiliary aids and services for students with disabilities. Please visit our website (http://www.camnercenter.miami.edu) for more information.

The Office of Disability Services (ODS) provides academic accommodations and support to ensure that students with disabilities are able to access and participate in the opportunities available at the University of Miami. Individuals with disabilities must request academic accommodations through the Office of Disabilities Services. Accommodations are determined on a collaborative and case-by-case basis and are based on the documentation provided by the individual. ODS staff will work collaboratively with students to determine what academic adjustments and educational auxiliary aids are reasonable to ensure that students with disabilities are not subject to discrimination.

Information is available to prospective and enrolled students, their parents and/or sponsors. ODS staff can be reached at 305-284-2374 (Voice) or 305-284-1999 (Fax). Office hours are 8:30 am to 5:00 pm, Monday through Friday. Individuals may email the office staff (disabilityservices@miami.edu) for quick responses to questions.

The following deadline dates apply for all requests for academic accommodations through the Office of Disabilities Services:

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Grievance Procedure
The University of Miami, through the Office of Disability Services, has adopted a grievance procedure providing for prompt resolution of complaints by persons who believe they have been subjected to discrimination based upon their disability.

- All complaints must be directed to the University of Miami, Office of Disability Services, P.O. Box 249003, Coral Gables, Florida. 33124 and addressed to the Director of the Camner Center for Academic Resources.
- All complaints must be in writing and must contain the name and address of the complainant. In the grievance, the student or individual must set forth specific facts in support of his/her complaint. All grievances must be signed by the student or individual.
- All grievances must be filed within 90 days of the alleged discriminatory event. If the complaint involves the denial of a student’s request for auxiliary aids and services or other modifications, the grievance must be filed within ten (10) days after the student receives notification that their request for auxiliary aids and services or other modifications has been denied. All additional documentation regarding your appeal must be submitted at the time of the individual’s appeal request.
- The grievance will be reviewed and adjudicated by the Director of the Camner Center for Academic Resources, or her designee (the “Director”). In no event, will the designee be the same individual who made the initial determination as to the request for auxiliary aids, services, or other modifications or accommodations.
• An investigation, if deemed appropriate by the Director, will be conducted by the Director following receipt of the grievance. The Director may review information and documentation contained in a student’s file and/or any other information an individual may submit in support of his/her grievance.
• Within twenty (20) days of the receipt of the grievance, the grieving party will receive a written decision from the Director.
• The decision of the Director of the Camner Center for Academic Resources shall be considered the final decision on the matter.

Retaliation against a person who files a grievance, or opposes a policy he/she believes to be discriminatory is prohibited.

Persons may contact the Assistant Director of Disability Services, who is responsible for coordinating the University of Miami’s 504 compliance efforts at (305) 284-2374 (P.O. Box 249003, Coral Gables, Florida, 33124), with any questions or concerns.

Individuals, who believe that they were subjected to discrimination on the basis of disability by the University of Miami, are encouraged to use the grievance procedure to resolve their concerns. Individuals may file a complaint directly with the U.S. Department of Education, Office for Civil Rights, at 61 Forsyth St., Southwest, Suite 19T10 Atlanta, GA 30303. To file a complaint with the State of Florida, contact the Commission for Independent Education 325 W. Gaines Street, Suite 1414, Tallahassee, FL 32399-0400.

Cane Cards
http://pt.ref.miami.edu/other-services/cane-card/index.html

The Cane Card is an on-campus student identification card. Students, faculty, and staff must present a government issued photo ID such as a driver’s license or passport when acquiring their card. The Cane Card provides access to on-campus student residences, the Otto G. Richter Library, computer laboratories, the swimming pool, the Patti and Allan Herbert Wellness Center (for those who purchase a membership), and other facilities where access has been granted. The Cane Card is also used to control lending privileges at the library, access to athletic and other events (fee required), the purchase of discounted Metrorail tickets, U-Print services, and meal plan privileges. All University of Miami students, faculty and, staff are required to carry their Cane Cards for identification purposes while on campus.

• Lost or stolen Cane Cards should be reported to the Cane Card office at 305-284-3096 during the week or anytime by accessing your MyUM account, under the financial tab.
• Lost or stolen cards may also be reported to security 24 hours per day at 305-284-6666.
• After being reported stolen or lost, a card will be deactivated to prevent unauthorized use.
• Lost or stolen cards will be replaced for a $25 fee (Fee waived in certain circumstances. Please contact the Cane Card office for additional details).
• Damaged cards will be replaced for free upon exchange of the original damaged card.
• For all issues with Cane Express accounts, call Canes Central at 305-284-IBIS or visit them in the 1st floor of the Student Services Building.

Career Services
http://www.HireACane.com

Patricia and Harold Toppel Career Center
(305) 284-5451 | toppel@miami.edu

The Toppel Career Center provides innovative and dynamic career services to students and alumni of the University of Miami. Furnished with the latest technology, including video conferencing, 360-degree video recording, and lecture capture, the Center’s six interview suites, a technology lab, a conference room, and a multipurpose Loft offer a variety of spaces (http://hireacane.miami.edu/about/reserve-space/) for students to meet their career-related needs. The Center is often described by visitors as “like no other” and is a model for career services throughout the country. Over six times larger than the average career center, the 12,000 square-foot building on Ponce De Leon Boulevard houses career programs and workshops, networking events, professional individualized advising, practice interviews, industry panels, drop-in peer advising, company presentations, on-campus interviews, and more.

Career Education
Regardless of the path you take, a comprehensive career planning process begins as soon as you step on campus. Professional staff at the Center assist students with their career development utilizing a three-part model (http://hireacane.miami.edu/about/) that provides the tools necessary to Explore (strengths, interests, values, skills, and abilities), Prepare (career and industry research, practice interviews, and internships), and Connect (building meaningful relationships and growing a professional network).

Advising Services
You can stop by Toppel for an individual or small group advising session where highly trained and motivated peer advisors with industry-specific knowledge can provide you with guidance on potential career paths. You can drop by any time Monday through Friday, 8:30am - 5pm, no appointment
The Center even offers online career assessments (http://hireacane.miami.edu/explore/majors-careers/) that can help you narrow down career options by building self-awareness.

**Programs and Workshops**
A series of programs and workshops (http://hireacane.miami.edu/events/education/) is offered throughout the academic year both in-person and virtually. Each session provides information and skill-building activities in the areas of resume development, interviewing skills, social media for the job search, securing internships, and much more. In addition, programs designed to increase awareness of specific career paths and professional opportunities are offered. These are often conducted by outside speakers and panelists who are UM alumni and/or recognized specialists in their fields. If you’re looking for something more intensive, Toppel offers the Professional Development Academy (https://hireacane.miami.edu/gain-experience/career-readiness/academy/), a 9-week, 1-credit program designed to help you develop critical competencies that will get you career ready.

**Career Preparation & Networking**
Through the Center’s vision, Empowering and Connecting Canes to Achieve a Lifetime of Career Fulfillment, the staff encourages students to develop meaningful relationships with professionals in their area(s) of interest. The Toppel Career Center provides many opportunities for you to network with employers and alumni, including panel programs, employer meet-ups, job shadowing (UShadow (http://hireacane.miami.edu/explore/ushadow/)), on-campus recruiting, and career fairs.

**Career Fairs and On-Campus Recruiting**
Career Expo (http://hireacane.miami.edu/events/fairs/) is the largest career fair, typically bringing in over 100 employers and 1,000 students and alumni bi-annually in late September or early October and again in February. Toppel also organizes smaller industry-specific career fairs that focus on more specialized areas. Representatives from a variety of industries from around the world visit campus to meet, interview, and discuss career opportunities with students. In addition, the On-Campus Recruiting (http://hireacane.miami.edu/gain-experience/on-campus-recruiting/) program brings employers to campus for company information sessions and to interview students for jobs and internships in the interview suites. Last year, over 1,000 interviews were conducted in the Center’s interview suites. You can apply for these positions through Toppel’s free online career management system Handshake (https://miami.joinhandshake.com/). If you’re in need of some professional clothes to wear to these events, stop by Toppel to rent attire for free from Sebastian's Closet (https://hireacane.miami.edu/resources/dress-for-success/).

**Toppel Internship Program**
The Toppel Internship Program (TIP) (http://hireacane.miami.edu/gain-experience/tip/) is designed to provide valuable career-related work experience through internships with participating employers. TIP allows students to earn a 1-credit transcript notation from the Toppel Career Center for internships they have already secured.

**Handshake**
Students can search Handshake (https://miami.joinhandshake.com/) for thousands of job and internship opportunities available to them. Handshake is Toppel's free online career management system where hundreds of employers from across the country, including all Fortune 500 companies, post open positions. Simply login with your UM Single-Sign-On credentials to activate your account. Then complete your profile with your interests and experiences and make your profile public so that recruiters can potentially reach out to you! Handshake will recommend different job openings to you based on what you've entered, making the job search process much easier. You can apply for the position directly on Handshake. Before doing so, we recommend uploading your resume for an online critique and checking out the Events page to register for Toppel's programs/workshops.

**Connecting with the Toppel Career Center**
The Toppel Career Center's vision is to empower and connect all 'Canes to achieve a lifetime of career fulfillment. Evidence shows that students who visit the Career Center are more likely to earn internships and ultimately have better career outcomes at the time of graduation. For a look at some of these post-graduation outcomes, check-out our online interactive data dashboard at miami.edu/outcomes (https://hireacane.miami.edu/about/career-outcomes/). To make the most of all that Toppel has to offer, visit us in person at 5225 Ponce De Leon Blvd., online at HireACane.com (http://www.HireACane.com), or by logging into Handshake (https://miami.joinhandshake.com/) and activating your account as soon as you arrive on campus! You can also keep up with what we’re doing by reading our weekly e-newsletter and following any one of our social media platforms: Facebook (http://www.facebook.com/pages/Toppel-Career-Center-at-the-University-of-Miami/70221785028/?ref=ts), Twitter (http://www.twitter.com/toppel/), Instagram (http://instagram.com/hireacane/), WordPress (http://toppelpeers.wordpress.com), and Pinterest (http://pinterest.com/umtoppel/).

**Commuter Student Involvement**
orientation.studentaffairs.miami.edu

The Department of Orientation and Commuter Student Involvement (OCSI) is located on the second floor of the Shalala Student Center, suite 203. OCSI offers a variety of services and programs for students from Miami-Dade and Broward Counties who live at home and commute to the University of Miami. For more information, please visit the department’s website (http://miami.edu/csi/).
Great Start Pre-Orientation Program for Incoming Commuter Students

Great Start is an overnight, pre-orientation program designed to promote and emphasize college adjustment and campus involvement opportunities for incoming commuter students (first-year, transfer and spring admitted students). The program’s goal is to help students feel like a part of the University and give them a chance to meet other commuter students. Students who participated in Great Start have said the program greatly contributed to a positive transition from their previous institution, whether that be high school or a previous college to the University of Miami. Commuter student leaders serve as Program Coordinators, Steering Committee members, and Counselors. Registration for the program is available via Canelink for incoming commuter students with a Miami-Dade or Broward County home address. For more information, please visit the program’s page (https://orientation.studentaffairs.miami.edu/commuter-students/great-start/).

Commuter and Transfer Assistant Program

Commuter Assistants and Transfer Assistants specialize in helping off-campus students transition to collegiate academics and find a niche on campus, as well as creating a welcoming, inclusive environment. Through newsletters, social events and intentional one on one meetings, CAs and TAs, help pave the way to a successful transition for new ’Canes. All first-year commuter and first semester commuter transfer students are assigned to a CA or TA. Signature events hosted by the CAs and TAs in collaboration with various campus resources are Hey Commuters!, a monthly commuter appreciation program, the Newman Arsht Cultural Program, where students get to experience a free show at the Adrienne Arsht Center along with a faculty member once a semester, and SportsFest, a university-wide sports competition in February. For more information about the CA/TA Program, please visit the department’s website (https://orientation.studentaffairs.miami.edu/).

Association of Commuter Students

The Association of Commuter Students (ACS) is a second home for its members. ACS, a student organization, provides social support, service opportunities, school spirit involvement, and a physical space through which commuters bond with fellow students and to participate in all that the University has to offer. ACS provides its members with a working knowledge of UM that gives them the opportunity to become fully involved in campus life. Brought together by a simple fact of life, commuting to campus, ACS members have forged bonds that extend beyond this commonality. For more information on ACS, please visit the organization’s page (https://orientation.studentaffairs.miami.edu/commuter-students/association-of-commuter-students/).

Tau Sigma

Tau Sigma is an academic honor society designed specifically to “recognize and promote the academic excellence and involvement of transfer students.” By establishing chapters at four-year institutions across the country, Tau Sigma is able to recognize the academic achievement of the most outstanding transfers nationwide and, in the process, help universities better serve their transfer populations.

Counseling Center

counseling.studentaffairs.miami.edu

The Counseling Center is the primary provider of mental health services for UM students. The Counseling Center provides short-term individual, couples, and group therapy as well as psycho-educational outreach programming and consultation. Urgent care and limited career and psychological assessment are also available. Psychiatric services are available to those under the care of a Counseling Center therapist. The Counseling Center staff consists of experienced professionals from the fields of mental health counseling, psychology, social work, and psychiatry.

Hours of operation and the campus location of the center can be found on the center’s website. (https://counseling.studentaffairs.miami.edu/appointments/hours-of-operation/) For appointments, students can call the Counseling Center directly at 305-284-5511 or request an appointment in person. The Counseling Center offers walk-in triage service for students in crisis.

After normal business hours, students can talk to a licensed mental health professional by calling the main Counseling Center phone number at 305-284-5511. This number turns over into an after-hours hotline for students.

Sexual Assault Response Team (SART)

The Counseling Center also coordinates the Sexual Assault Response Team (SART). SART is a 24/7 telephone response line to assist University of Miami students victims of sexual assault. This service is available during the academic year and is for both men and women. The SART hotline number is 305-798-6666.

For more information, visit the SART website (https://miami.edu/SART/).

Graduate Student Training

The Counseling Center participates in the graduate training programs in the Department of Psychology and the programs of the Department of Educational and Psychological Studies. Doctoral students in psychology take part in the Center’s professional activities and have first-hand contact with clinical problems. In addition, pre-doctoral interns obtain professional training at the Counseling Center through the Dr. Jess Spirer Pre-doctoral Internship in Professional Psychology. The pre-doctoral internship at the Counseling Center is accredited by the American Psychological Association.
Dean of Students

www.doso.studentaffairs.miami.edu

The Dean of Students Office fosters student development and holistic growth through services, programs, and partnerships that cultivate responsible decision-making, personal accountability, and community engagement. The staff works directly with academic, athletic, student affairs, and other administrators in the coordination of institutional efforts to address specific concerns, and enhance the overall quality of the student experience.

Students who are expelled or suspended will have a conduct notation made on their official and unofficial academic transcripts. If the suspension or expulsion is the result of sexual misconduct or physical violence that detail will also be noted.

Each area within the Dean of Students Office provides students with opportunities for support, involvement, and leadership. For more information about each of these areas, click the links below.

- Alcohol and Other Drug Education (https://doso.studentaffairs.miami.edu/units/alcohol-and-other/)
- Case Management (https://doso.studentaffairs.miami.edu/student-support/case-management/)
- Greek Life (https://doso.studentaffairs.miami.edu/units/greek-life/)
- Student Conduct (https://doso.studentaffairs.miami.edu/student-conduct/)
  - Student Rights and Responsibilities Handbook (http://www.miami.edu/srr/)
- Sexual Misconduct Resources - It’s On Us (http://itsonus.miami.edu/)
- Undergraduate Honor Council (https://doso.studentaffairs.miami.edu/units/undergraduate-honor-council/)
- University Chaplains Association (https://doso.studentaffairs.miami.edu/chaplains-association/)
- Veteran Student Services (https://doso.studentaffairs.miami.edu/student-support/veteran-student-services/)

The Dean of Students Office coordinates efforts in response to various student crises and employs an Associate Dean who is a Licensed Clinical Social Worker (LCSW) as well as a Case Manager who is a Licensed Mental Health Counselor (LMHC). The staff is knowledgeable and prepared to assist all students in their adjustments to campus life. The administration and record keeping of all undergraduate student disciplinary infractions are also the responsibility of the Dean of Students Office.

To contact the Dean of Students Office call 305-284-5353 or visit the University Center, Suite 2250.

The Honor Council - Undergraduate

Honor Council protects the academic integrity of the University by encouraging consistent ethical behavior by students in their academic work. The Honor Council investigates and adjudicates alleged violations of the Undergraduate Student Honor Code (http://www.miami.edu/honor-code/). The Council is responsible for educating the University community on Honor Code related issues and promoting academic integrity through a variety of educational programs. The Council consists of representatives from the undergraduate schools and colleges.

Members of the University community who would like to request Honor Council programming or an investigation of alleged academic dishonesty are encouraged to call the Honor Council at 305-284-5354.

International Student and Scholar Services (ISSS)

www.miami.edu/isss

ISSS represents the needs and interests of the University of Miami international community and provides support services and programs for international students, scholars, and academic departments at UM. Every year, approximately 3,900 international students (undergraduate and graduate) and scholars (professors and researchers) from 120 countries representing every region of the world study, teach, and conduct research at the University of Miami.

International students and scholars face some unique challenges as well as opportunities while pursuing their academic goals at UM. The professional and dedicated ISSS staff provides expert advice, information, services, acclimation and culturally relevant activities aimed at supporting their educational endeavors, enriching their U.S. experience, and ensuring their success over the entire course of their stay. ISSS support services and programs encompass:

- Pre-Arrival Information
- Immigration Advising for Students and Scholars in F-1 and J-1 Status
- Employment Information and Authorization
- Online Tax Return Preparation System
- Liaison with Sponsoring Embassies, Government and Agencies
- The International Student Grant
- Short-Term, Small Emergency Loans
• Assistance with Personal and Adjustment Problems
• Assistance in Coping with Crises
• Advocacy
• International Student Orientation
• International Scholar Orientation
• Advise the Council of International Students and Organizations (COISO)

On the ISSS website you will find detailed information regarding each of these services and programs. Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions or require additional information. We look forward to assisting you.

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Libraries
http://library.miami.edu/

The University of Miami Libraries rank among the top fifty research libraries in North America, drawing scholars from around the world to use its important print collection of over 4 million volumes and 100,000 serial subscriptions. The libraries are located on the Coral Gables, Rosenstiel, and Medical campuses.

Access to Millions of Resources
Consult the library website (http://library.miami.edu) to get access to millions of articles, books, and other resources through our online catalog and databases.

Individual and Collaborative Study Space
Learn about the many libraries (https://welcome.miami.edu/academics/libraries/) and spaces (https://www.library.miami.edu/spaces/) that we offer, and the hours (http://library.miami.edu/hours/) we are open for you.

Learning Commons
Discover and explore the services (https://www.library.miami.edu/learningcommons/services.html) available to support you. Consult with peers and experts on writing, research, math, modern languages, creativity, GIS, data, and more. Academic Service providers (https://www.library.miami.edu/learningcommons/partners.html) from across the University are collaborating in the Commons to help you make progress on your academic journey.

Research Help Across the Disciplines
Librarians (http://sp.library.miami.edu/subjects/staff.php?letter=Librarians%20by%20Subject%20Specialty) and Peer Research Consultants (https://www.library.miami.edu/research/peer-research-consultants.html) are available to support students in all courses and majors. Consider us part of your network.

Online Research Guides for Courses and Majors
Online research guides (http://sp.library.miami.edu) can help you find the resources you need for course assignments, research projects and more.

Library Research Scholars and Adobe Scholars Program
Apply for a year-long fellowship (https://www.library.miami.edu/research/library-research-scholars.html) to develop your own individual research or creative project with mentorship by a librarian faculty member.

Jobs
We offer a variety of opportunities (https://www.library.miami.edu/about/student-jobs.html) for student employment.

Ombudsperson and University Troubleshooters
ombuds.studentaffairs.miami.edu

The Ombudspersons and University Troubleshooters provide open channels of communication between students and the university by listening to student concerns, investigating the facts and attempting to resolve situations in the best possible way. Ultimately, the goal is to resolve matters and assist students in their success at the University. The Ombudspersons and University Troubleshooters do not bypass or circumvent those individuals
who have responsibility for departments or classroom instruction. Nor will they eliminate certain structured grievance and appellate mechanisms already established by the University.

**Ombudsperson**

An Ombudsperson interprets University policy for students and makes recommendations to central administration when policy changes are needed. The University of Miami has two Ombudspersons for students. The Academic Ombudsperson works most closely with issues with faculty, coursework, grade appeals, etc. The Administrative Ombudsperson works most closely with administrative issues such as financial registration, access concerns, and university policies and procedures. Ombudspersons connect students to faculty and administrators who will listen, answer questions, interpret policies and procedures, and provide guidance on the appropriate steps to consider for a resolution. The Ombudspersons seek to resolve matters informally before they become matters in a formal grievance-appeal proceeding and works with students in establishing the next steps to assist in their success at the University. However, if a formal grievance-appeal is most appropriate, they can provide guidance on the process.

**University Troubleshooters**

University Troubleshooters are faculty members and administrators who serve as a resource for students seeking assistance. They represent a wide range of campus departments, who assist students with academic and administrative related matters. If a student has spoken to the appropriate University Troubleshooter and they have not brought resolution to a student's concern, students should contact the Ombudsperson. For a listing of University Troubleshooters, click on the following links: Academic Troubleshooters (https://ombuds.studentaffairs.miami.edu/who-can-help/academic-troubleshooters/) or Administrative Troubleshooters (https://ombuds.studentaffairs.miami.edu/who-can-help/administrative-troubleshooters/).

For more information, visit miami.edu/ombudsperson (http://www.miami.edu/ombudsperson/), call 305-284-4922, email ombudsperson@miami.edu, or visit Ashe Building 244.

**Student Health Service**

https://studenthealth.studentaffairs.miami.edu/

The Student Health Service provides primary care, specialty care and pharmacy services to eligible (http://www.miami.edu/sa/index.php/student_health_center/general_information/#Eligibility) University of Miami students. You are not required to have the Health Center sponsored insurance plan to utilize our services. Appointments can be scheduled at mystudenthealth.miami.edu (https://caneid.miami.edu/cas/login/?service=https://mystudenthealth.miami.edu/index.aspx) and services are also available on a “drop in” basis.

**Contact Information**

Telephone: 305-284-9100

Fax: 305-284-4098

**Hours of Operation**

Fall and Spring semesters:

- Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Fridays: 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
- Thursdays: 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
- Sundays: 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Winter break, Spring break, and Summer sessions:

- Monday through Friday: 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

The Health Service is closed on Saturdays and University holidays. After hours assistance is available by calling 305-284-9100.

For sudden, severe illness or serious accidents dial 911. For illnesses or injuries requiring immediate attention, students are urged to go to an Emergency Room. After hours assistance for urgent situations can be obtained by dialing 305-284-9100. Students with United Healthcare insurance may also contact the United Healthcare Nurseline by calling 800-436-7709 and selecting the Health Resources option. For less urgent conditions, you may visit one of the local Urgent Care Centers (https://studenthealth.studentaffairs.miami.edu/_assets/pdf/urgent-care-centers.pdf).

**Eligibility/Access**

The Health & Counseling Centers Fee is mandatory for students regardless of credit hour load and all students registered in an off-campus program who are enrolled in the University sponsored student insurance plan (https://studenthealth.studentaffairs.miami.edu/insurance-information/domestic-students/).
Employees may be charged the Health and Counseling Centers fee on their initial bill, however, the charge will be removed from their bill soon after the last day to drop or add a class, if they remain eligible for tuition remission benefits. Dependents of UM employees are treated the same as all other students.

# Health Insurance

Domestic students enrolled in six or more credit hours per semester (or considered full time) are required to obtain adequate health insurance (see exceptions [https://studenthealth.studentaffairs.miami.edu/]). The annual premium for the health insurance plan offered through the University is added to each student’s fees. Domestic students with adequate alternative coverage may request cancellation of the insurance fee via CaneLink. Insurance cancellation must be renewed each year via the United HealthCare (UHCSR) waiver portal [https://urldefense.proofpoint.com/v2/url?u=https:3A__studentcenter.uhcsr.com_&d=DwMGAQ&c=y2w- uVMhgwFwipJQN0DhA&fl=LxZr5vQ1AW1Jhe48NncoMkwDx3 MH1b2w2xh2mA8fo0YTWvT6KkgmgRH5Tv6J6p8&m=-Qre05vtZJWwqJt6OsB1EaXHbY87sQDdE_].

You or your designee will need your student ID (C#), date of birth, and insurance information in order to submit a waiver request. You will receive a waiver approval or denial (if we are unable to confirm insurance coverage) from waiverstatus@uhcsr.com within 5 business days of waiver submission.

Deadlines to waive the insurance are:

- July 15 for the Fall semester
- January 5 for the Spring semester
- April 25 for Summer I
- June 25 for Summer II

Domestic students can check the status of their insurance waiver/cancellation request via CaneLink. The insurance premium will be prorated for those students entering for the first time in the Spring or Summer semesters. No waiver and/or refund will be granted after the above dates.

Students who have previously waived the insurance charge can reinstate the insurance prior to the Spring semester or first Summer session by completing the reinstatement request form and checklist. Coverage can also be reinitiated at the start of the Fall semester by choosing not to re-waive the charge, or at other times during the academic year, if within 30 days of termination of other similar coverage, by completing the reinstatement request form and checklist [https://studenthealth.studentaffairs.miami.edu/insurance-information/domestic-students/]. Documentation of termination may be requested.

Deadline for reinstatement of insurance is March 25th for the Spring semester. Please do not consider your reinstatement complete until reinstatement has been verified via CaneLink, i.e. the charge has been posted to your student account and all charges on your account have been paid.

All international students are **required to enroll in the University sponsored health insurance program**. The annual premium for this coverage is added to each student’s fees.

Any additional questions regarding the health insurance requirement should be directed to the Student Health Service at 305-284-9100 or to studenthealth@miami.edu.

# Immunization

All students are required to provide proof of immunization against measles, mumps and rubella and tetanus, diphtheria and pertussis. All new students must also provide proof of immunization against hepatitis B [https://studenthealth.studentaffairs.miami.edu/immunization-information/required-immunization/] and meningococcal meningitis [https://studenthealth.studentaffairs.miami.edu/immunization-information/required-immunization/] or sign a waiver declining these immunizations. An immunization [https://studenthealth.studentaffairs.miami.edu/immunization-information/required-immunization/] form must be completed and returned to the Student Health Service prior to arrival on campus. For students less than 18 years old, meningitis/hepatitis vaccine waivers must be signed by a parent or legal guardian.

All international students must also be screened for tuberculosis by completing page two of the immunization form [https://studenthealth.studentaffairs.miami.edu/immunization-information/required-immunization/].

Deadlines for submission of immunization records are Fall - August 22nd, Spring - January 15th, and Summer - April 15th. Failure to comply with this requirement will interfere with registration. Immunization information must be entered at mystudenthealth.miami.edu [https://mystudenthealth.miami.edu] prior to faxing or mailing the form to the Student Health Service for verification. Immunization compliance can also be verified at mystudenthealth.miami.edu [https://mystudenthealth.miami.edu]. Instructions on the use of mystudenthealth.miami.edu are available at mystudenthealth.miami.edu [https://mystudenthealth.miami.edu].

Most students will be able to obtain the required immunization information from their prior medical providers or from their prior high school, college or university. Students who believe that they were previously immunized but are unable to provide proof of immunization may either obtain blood tests confirming immunity or obtain the necessary immunizations. Immunizations and blood tests documenting immunity are available at the Student Health Service. All charges are in addition to processing fees for late forms.
Immunization against varicella (chicken pox) is suggested and is available at the Student Health Service for a reasonable charge.

**Pharmacy**

Students with the Health Service sponsored insurance plan receive enhanced benefits if prescriptions are filled at the Walgreens pharmacy located on the first floor of the Lennar Medical Center.

Lennar Walgreens Pharmacy

Hours: Monday – Friday: 9:00 am – 6:00 pm

Phone: 305-351-0606

Fax: 305-351-0608

**Study Abroad**

http://www.studyabroad.miami.edu (http://www.studyabroad.miami.edu/)

Dept. Code: SAP

With over 60 unique opportunities overseas during the summer, fall, spring and intersession terms, students have options to study abroad on UM programs that align with their individual academic interests. Programs are open to sophomores, juniors, and seniors who meet posted eligibility requirements for admission such as minimum cumulative GPA. Students can live and learn abroad through short term and long term programs with UM faculty or at UM partner universities overseas. Programs with UM faculty are unique in their emphasis on experiential learning, pre-arranged group housing, excursions, and courses taught by UM professors and overseas academic experts. Examples of these programs include UM semester-on-locations in Prague, Shanghai, Paris, Latin America, Cape Town, India, the Galapagos, and Rome, as well as short term faculty-led programs during the summer, January intersession, and spring break in Europe, Asia, Africa, and South America. In some programs it is possible to earn graduate credit hours for study taken abroad.

**Academics**

The Schools and Colleges at UM encourage study abroad options for their students. Students are advised to plan as early as freshman year so studying abroad can be incorporated into their academic plan. With the assistance of the Study Abroad Office and the guidance of academic advisors, students can select a study abroad program to fit almost any major. Students can apply their courses abroad to their majors, minors, cognates, or elective credits with careful planning and academic department approval; the curriculum must be worked out by the student in conjunction with an advisor.

Students receive UM credit hours and grades while studying at any of UM’s partner universities overseas. These programs can be undertaken for a semester, year, and/or during the summer. Among a multitude of other options, students can study Aboriginal studies at University of Sydney, be immersed in Spanish culture in Seville, explore Iceland’s unspoiled nature while studying earth sciences at the University of Iceland, immerse themselves in Japanese culture and business practices at Sophia University in Tokyo, or become acquainted with the changing panorama of international relations at University of San Andres in Argentina. Many of these programs are delivered in English so foreign language proficiency is not required for UM study abroad opportunities.

Students enrolled in any study abroad program at a partner institution may not earn 25 percent or more of their credits toward any UM degree program (credit requirements may vary by major/level), including courses taught by UM faculty. A student who anticipates earning 25 percent or more of his/her degree credits while participating in a study abroad program must immediately inform his/her advisor or program chair, who will be responsible for notifying the appropriate parties so that advance approval can be obtained from the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges (SACSCOC).

**Finances**

Students who participate in UM Study Abroad programs will receive UM grades and credits and are able to use their existing financial aid and scholarships towards semester program costs.

The cost of studying abroad varies depending on the type, length, and location of the program. Students are often surprised at how affordable studying abroad can be. Participants are charged full tuition for the term abroad and the financial aid package will be adjusted based on the estimated expenses of the program. Students participating in UM study abroad programs will be able to use their financial aid and scholarships abroad.

As studying abroad is seen as such an important aspect of a college career, many national and institutional scholarships are available. Interested students should begin to research scholarship opportunities early. The most prestigious study abroad scholarships, which grant up to $10,000 per semester, have applications with deadlines up to 18 months before the study abroad program begins. Several other scholarships, with deadlines similar to program application deadlines, are also available and grant up to $5,000. Learn more about finances and scholarships by visiting the Study Abroad website, speaking with the advisors in the Study Abroad Office and the Office of Financial Assistance Services.
Non-UM Programs

Students who study through a non-UM program, domestic or study abroad, and would like to have those credit hours applied toward their UM degree, must apply for Non-UM Program status. For more specific information on the Non-UM program process please see the Non-UM Study Abroad Program Policy and Steps. (https://studyabroad.miami.edu/explore-our-programs/types-of-programs/non-um-programs/)

As of July 1, 2017, the non-UM fee is $350 per semester.

Undergraduate Housing and Residence Life

hrl.studentaffairs.miami.edu

Housing and Residential Life

The University of Miami offers undergraduate on-campus housing in four residential colleges, University Village, and Lakeside Village.

Each residential area has an Area Director/Assistant Area Director and student staff who all live in the residential college with the resident students to support and promote student well-being, safety, academic achievement, student learning, and development. Each residential college additional has residential faculty members. Numerous social, educational, cultural, and recreational programs are offered throughout the academic year.

General Highlights

• The University has both single and double occupancy rooms/bedrooms. Single occupancy spaces are limited and assigned based on seniority living on campus and, thus, entering students are typically assigned to double occupancy rooms.

• All non-local freshmen students are required to live in University housing for two academic semesters, as long as space is available.  This policy does not apply to freshmen students living with parents or legal guardians in Miami-Dade or Broward Counties. Local freshmen students must complete the Live-On Requirement exemption Request Form (https://hrl.studentaffairs.miami.edu/living-on-campus/what-to-expect/) located within the 2020-2021 housing application through the Housing Portal via CaneLink in order to be exempt from this requirement.

• University Village, an apartment-style residential community, is an available option to only juniors and seniors, who have completed 60 or more credit hours. The apartments are fully furnished and include in-apartment washers and dryers, full-size kitchen appliances (stove, refrigerator, microwave, & dishwasher), and reserved parking (extra fee).

• Lakeside Village, a mixed apartment-style and suite-style residential community, is an available option predominantly to sophomores, but also juniors and seniors. The apartments are fully furnished and include in-apartment washers and dryers in addition to full-size kitchen appliances (stove, refrigerator, microwave, and dishwasher). The suites are fully furnished and include a kitchenette (stovetop, full-size refrigerator, and microwave).

• All housing facilities are co-educational with men and women living on alternate floors or alternating separate suites or apartments. Gender inclusive housing is available upon request.

Applying for On-Campus Housing

• Admitted undergraduate students, following verification of acceptance to the University and payment of the enrollment deposit, can apply for housing via CaneLink (http://www.canelink.miami.edu/).

• Students are encouraged to apply for housing as soon as possible after paying the enrollment deposit. New freshmen housing applications should be submitted by May 1; applications received from new freshmen after May 15 will be accommodated on a space available basis.

• The $500 pre-payment is paid by credit card at the time of application.

• Assignments to buildings, rooms, and specific roommates are made according to the date of application, receipt of the housing prepayment, and overall availability.

• Whenever possible, requests for roommates are honored. However, if specific preferences are not available, the University reserves the right to assign students to other roommates.

The housing agreement is for the entire academic year (both fall and spring semesters) unless the applicant is:

1. applying only for spring semester housing
2. applying only for one of the offered summer housing sessions
3. graduating in December (must notify HRL directly by the announced deadline)
4. participating in a University of Miami sponsored study abroad experience spring semester (must notify HRL directly by the announced deadline)
5. not enrolling in the University spring semester (must notify HRL directly by announced deadline)

**Housing cancellations for the fall semester received through May 31 will result in a $500 cancellation penalty. Cancellations received after May 31 will result in:**

- the canceling student being responsible for the fall semester housing charges, unless or until the vacancy created by the cancellation can be filled by another qualifying University student applying for housing
- if filled, the canceling student will only be assessed the $500 cancellation penalty

**Housing cancellations for the spring semester received through December 1 will result in a $500 cancellation penalty. Cancellations for the spring semester received after December 1 will result in:**

- the canceling student being responsible for the spring semester housing charges, unless or until the vacancy created by the cancellation can be filled by another qualifying University student applying for housing
- if filled, the canceling student will only be assessed the $500 cancellation penalty for early termination

**Note:** Written notice of cancellations must be made to the Department of Housing and Residential Life office directly.

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**Dates of Housing Availability**

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**Off-Campus Housing Resources**

The Department of Housing and Residential Life also provides assistance to students, staff, and faculty with identifying off-campus housing options, including a web-based search engine of community listings.

For resources and more information about housing on-campus or assistance with off-campus housing, please visit our website (http://hrl.studentaffairs.miami.edu/), call 305-284-4505, or email (housing@miami.edu).

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**University Dining Services**

To read more about the University of Miami Dining Services program visit our website link below.

[University of Miami Dining Service](http://business-services.miami.edu/departments/auxiliary-services/dining-services/)

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**Veterans**

**Veterans' Benefits**

The University of Miami maintains a Veterans’ Affairs (V.A.) Office in the:

Office of the University Registrar  
1306 Stanford Drive  
Whitten University Center, Room 1230  
Coral Gables, FL 33146

Mailing Address:  
P.O. Box 248026  
Coral Gables, Florida 33124-6914

This office assists veterans and dependents of veterans who are entitled to V.A. educational benefits under Chapter 30, 31, 33, or Chapter 35 of Title 38, U.S. Code, or Chapter 1606. The University of Miami participates in the Yellow Ribbon Program for qualified Chapter 33 recipients. Anyone needing information on Veterans’ Benefits is advised to contact the Office of the University Registrar or visit their website (https://registrar.miami.edu/forms-and-services/veterans-affairs/).

V.A. students with previous post-secondary educational training/experience must request an official transcript(s) be sent to the university. If the transcript has not been received prior to the end of the student’s initial semester, or as specified in the guidelines under the program he/she is enrolled in, the Veterans’ Affairs Office will not re-certify the student for V.A. educational benefits. The Veterans’ Affairs Office may re-certify the student after the transcript has been received.
The V.A. student's previous training and/or experience will be evaluated by the university. Should credit(s) be accepted and/or awarded, the V.A. student’s tuition and training time may be reduced proportionally. The V.A. and the student will receive a written notice of the credit(s) allowed.

1 The University of Miami’s Yellow Ribbon Program is available to students in the Fall and Spring semesters only.

### Standards of Progress Policy for Veterans

Satisfactory progress is indicated by a Satisfactory Progress Average (SPA), which is a variation of the Quality Point Average (QPA). The SPA is computed by the following formula:

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- Note that “E’s”, “F’s”, “IE’s” and “IF’s” are included in the SPA.
- A grade of CR will be counted as CR=2.
- The SPA is determined by dividing the total quality points earned by the credits attempted.

When a course is dropped with a grade of ’W’, the V.A. requires a student to repay any benefits received for that course unless the V.A. determines there are mitigating circumstances involved.

Benefits will not be paid for courses in which a student receives an NG or NC or IPs that do not convert to a letter grade.

- An SPA of 2.0 or greater for undergraduate students, or 3.0 or greater for graduate students, is satisfactory progress.
- Less than 2.0 for undergraduate, and less than 3.0 for graduate students, is not satisfactory.
- Law and M.D. students will be considered to be making satisfactory progress as long as they meet the academic standards set by their schools for retention in their degree programs.
- The SPA is non-cumulative. It is computed each term on a one-term basis.
- Any term a student’s SPA is less than 2.0 for undergraduate or 3.0 for graduate, he/she will be notified that he/she is not making satisfactory progress. He/she will be certified, in a probationary status, for only one additional semester.
- If, at the end of this additional semester, his/her SPA for that semester is still below the satisfactory level, the V.A. will be notified of the unsatisfactory progress and his/her educational benefits will be terminated.
- A student whose V.A. educational benefits have been terminated for unsatisfactory progress may petition the Veterans’ Affairs Office to be re-certified after one semester has elapsed. Please address your request to:
  
  VA Certifying Official  
  c/o Office of the University Registrar  
  University of Miami  
  P.O. Box 248026  
  Coral Gables Florida 33124-6914  

- The Veterans’ Affairs Office may re-certify the student for V.A. educational benefits only if there is a reasonable likelihood that the student will be able to attain and maintain satisfactory progress for the remainder of the program.

### University of Miami VA Pending Payment Compliance

In accordance with Title 38 US Code 3679 subsection (e), this school adopts the following additional provisions for any students using U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) Post 9/11 G.I. Bill® (Ch. 33) or Vocational Rehabilitation & Employment (Ch. 31) benefits, while payment to the institution is pending from the VA. This school will not:

- Prevent the student’s enrollment
- Assess a late penalty fee to the student
- Require the student to secure alternative or additional funding
- Deny the student access to any resources (access to classes, libraries, or other institutional facilities) available to other students who have satisfied their tuition and fee bills to the institution.
However, to qualify for this provision, such students may be required to:

• Produce the VA Certificate of Eligibility (COE) by the first day of class
• Provide a written request to be certified
• Provide additional information needed to properly certify the enrollment as described in other institutional policies

For V.A. Payment of Benefits Purposes

All V.A. Students are required to notify the V.A. Certifying Official, every semester, in writing, their intent to use their benefits, and therefore to be certified for that semester.

• An “I” (incomplete) designation for a course must be converted to a credit grade counting toward graduation, or a failing grade, by the end of one calendar year unless permission for a delay is granted by the Academic Dean.
• An “NG” (no grade) designation for a course must be converted to a credit grade counting toward graduation, or a failing grade, by the end of one regular semester unless permission for a delay is granted by the Academic Dean.
• If permission is obtained, a memo signed by the Academic Dean must be given to the Veterans’ Affairs Office during the semester in which the “I” or “NG” was to be removed. This memo should also state the period of time for which the delay is approved.
• If a memo giving permission for a delay in the “I” or “NG” removal is not received by the end of the semester in which the “I” or “NG” was to be removed, the V.A. will be notified of the incomplete grade resulting in a loss of educational benefits for that course.

Please consult with our office regarding regulations for “IP’s” received in Thesis, Research, or Dissertation.

There is an official period after each registration in which a student may drop a course without a “W” appearing on his/her grade report. This period is not to be confused with the last date to drop a course with a “W” grade. Please check the academic calendar on the University (http://www.miami.edu/registrar/) Registrar’s website (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/) for dates.

Class Attendance and Absences

• Regular and punctual class attendance is vital for all students.
• It is the student’s responsibility to know the instructor’s policies regarding examinations, penalties for absences, and late or missed work.
• A copy of the student’s transcript will be placed in the student’s permanent file maintained by the Veterans’ Affairs Office.

Because of the far-reaching effects of these revisions in the V.A. educational benefits program, it is suggested that you exercise care and judgment in your program planning and in the selection of your courses. V.A. educational benefits will only pay for courses that are toward the program in which you are enrolled.

Veterans and children of deceased or totally disabled veterans receive training allowance in proportion to the schedule carried. The full load required to receive full training allowance is 12 credits in undergraduate school (9 credits in Graduate School).

Undergraduate Policies and Procedures

While the University makes every effort to provide academic counseling to its students, its basic policy places the responsibility for planning an academic program upon the student.

The University of Miami relies on electronic means, e.g. email, CaneLink (including its mobile application), for correspondence with students. Students are required to maintain a working email address and are expected to update their personal biographical information annually via their CaneLink account. Students who fail to maintain a working email account may not receive critical university information.

Students are expected to familiarize themselves with the requirements of:

• the University,
• the schools in which they are enrolled, and
• their major department.

Requirements refer to those stated in the Bulletin at the time of admission to degree status, unless a student has not been continuously enrolled. In such cases, the Bulletin in effect at the time of re-admission is the one to be used. Under special circumstances, a student may appeal the bulletin decision. In such cases, the determination of the Bulletin in effect is made by the readmitting School or College.

Academic core requirements will not be waived for students under any circumstances.

The work of each student is under the supervision of an academic Dean and of the appropriate Scholarship Committee. A student who fails to maintain an adequate academic record may be dismissed from the University.
Admission of a student to the University of Miami for any semester does not imply that such student will be re-enrolled in any succeeding academic semesters. If a student whose record is unsatisfactory is for some reason permitted to continue in attendance, the appropriate scholarship committee or Dean may specify the standard that must be attained, and any other conditions to be met.

A student who graduates and plans to enter a graduate school or professional school at the University of Miami must apply for admission to the appropriate school of the University in accordance with application deadlines of respective schools.

Not all the regulations and procedures described above pertain to the Graduate School, the Law School, and the School of Medicine. The specific regulations of these schools can be found in their school specific pages and/or website.

**Admission**

The University of Miami is a member of the National Association for College Admission Counseling (NACAC) and subscribes to its Code of Ethics and Professional Practices (CEPP).

The University of Miami strives to enroll undergraduate students from an array of backgrounds who have demonstrated the potential to thrive in a rigorous postsecondary school environment and have shown the capacity to contribute to a dynamic campus community. Admission to the University of Miami is competitive and selective.

The admission process is holistic; and criteria are both quantitative and qualitative. The University of Miami makes admission decisions in a need-blind manner for first-year applicants who are U.S. citizens and permanent residents. The University is need-aware for first-year applicants who are international citizens. Prospective and admitted students who want to enroll but do not have the financial resources to attend are encouraged to visit the Financial Aid website for more information.

Successful applicants will have pursued a rigorous college preparatory program within the context of their high school environments. As a result, the University of Miami advises prospective students to complete the most challenging college preparatory program available to them at their respective high schools. Prior to enrollment, the University of Miami requires applicants to earn a high school diploma or its equivalent, including the General Education Development (G.E.D.).

First-year and transfer applicants who have been denied admission must wait one full academic year before reapplying for admission.

**Advanced Placement/Credit**

The University allows students to receive college credit hour toward graduation from the following programs: Advanced Placement (AP), International Baccalaureate (IB), Dual Enrollment, and College Level Examination Program (CLEP). To have AP, IB, or CLEP credit hours evaluated, the student must submit an official test result report to the Office of Undergraduate Admission. The University of Miami does not give credit hour for CLEP Foreign Language and General Examinations. Students taking Dual Enrollment courses (college courses taken while still in high school) must submit an official college transcript for review of potential transfer credit hour. Please refer to the transfer student section for requirements on transferring college coursework.

A student must submit official AP, IB, Dual Enrollment transcripts, or CLEP results no later than the end of the first semester of enrollment for review. Documents submitted after this time period will not be reviewed and credit hour will not be awarded.

The University will accept no more than 60 credit hours from these programs to count toward the 120 credit hours required for graduation.

**Conditions of Admission**

Admission is pending the receipt and review of an official copy of all final transcripts and test scores, if applicable. In addition to the aforementioned supporting documents, admission for transfer students is pending the receipt and review of the College Report. It is fully expected that the remainder of coursework will be similar in caliber to the work upon which the offer of admission was based. All required copies of official documents, such as final transcripts and test scores, must be received by mid-July for fall enrollment and by late December for spring enrollment. If admitted students fail to meet these deadlines, the Office of Undergraduate Admission reserves the right to postpone enrollment to a future entry term. International students are required to submit all documents required to secure an I-20 around mid-July for fall enrollment and late December for spring enrollment. Failure to comply with this deadline will result in the postponement of enrollment to a future entry term.

In addition, the University of Miami reserves the right to withdraw an offer of admission if a student engages or has engaged in behavior that violates the standards of conduct to which all University students are held. If there is any update to one’s conduct, academic or behavioral, the student must notify the Office of Undergraduate Admission immediately at conductupdate@miami.edu.

If an admitted student chooses to confirm enrollment to the University of Miami, they must submit the required deposit by the deadlines mentioned in the Admission Plans section. Transfer students and first-year students admitted for the spring term must adhere to the deposit deadline stated on the admission letter.
A nonrefundable deposit will be credited toward the student’s account for billable charges.

By submitting a nonrefundable deposit, the student confirms enrollment to the University of Miami and acknowledges that they have not submitted an enrollment deposit at any other postsecondary institution. If a student who has confirmed enrollment to the University of Miami has been admitted off a waitlist to another college or university and intends to enroll elsewhere, the student must inform the University of Miami immediately. The University of Miami reserves the right to withdraw an offer of admission for any student who concurrently submits an enrollment deposit to any other postsecondary institution.

**Early Admission**

Early admission candidates are defined as those who will be under the age of 17 at the time they enroll at the University of Miami or those who graduate from high school after having completed only three years of study. Early admission candidates typically have very strong academic backgrounds and demonstrate a mature character.

Early admission candidates who wish to apply for admission must have the support of their parents and school counselor(s). These applicants must provide additional information to the Office of Undergraduate Admission to further demonstrate their potential to thrive in a rigorous postsecondary school environment and show the capacity to contribute to a dynamic campus community. In addition to the documents that are listed in the First-Year Admission Requirements section, early admission applicants are required to: Submit a narrative explaining the decision to enroll in college before turning 17 years old; Submit a parent letter of recommendation; and, Interview in person or via a remote location with a member of the Admission Committee.

Early Admission applicants will be notified of an admission decision by June 1 or after review of grades from the final high school year completed.

**First-Year Admission**

The University of Miami offers the following admission plans: Early Decision I; Early Decision II; Early Action; and, Regular Decision.

Early Decision admission plans are designed for qualified applicants who have decided that the University of Miami is their first-choice institution. Two Early Decision admission plans are available: Early Decision I has a deadline of November 1; and, Early Decision II has a deadline of January 1. Early Decision I candidates are notified by mid-December, whereas Early Decision II candidates are notified by late February. Decisions of admit, defer, and deny are rendered in Early Decision. Students admitted in Early Decision I and Early Decision II must submit the required nonrefundable deposit to confirm their enrollment to the University of Miami within three weeks of admission. The Office of Undergraduate Admission reserves the right to withdraw its offer of admission if a nonrefundable deposit is not submitted by this deadline. Deferred candidates will be reconsidered under the Regular Decision admission plan.

The application deadline for Early Action is November 1. Early Action candidates are notified by the end of January. Decisions of admit, defer, and deny are rendered in Early Action. Admitted students must submit a nonrefundable deposit by May 1 to confirm their enrollment to the University of Miami. Deferred candidates will be reconsidered under the Regular Decision admission plan.

The application deadline for Regular Decision is January 1. Regular Decision candidates are notified of their admission decision by April 1. Decisions of admit, spring admit, waitlist, and deny are rendered in Regular Decision. Admitted students must submit a nonrefundable deposit by May 1 to confirm their enrollment to the University of Miami.

First-year fall applicants admitted to the spring term must submit a nonrefundable deposit by May 1 to confirm their enrollment to the University of Miami.

Waitlisted candidates will be considered on a space available basis beginning approximately mid-April. Students who have been admitted from the waitlist will have at least five business days to submit their nonrefundable deposit to confirm their enrollment to the University of Miami.

The Office of Undergraduate Admission recommends that applicants complete 20 units of secondary school coursework in the following five academic areas: English, mathematics, science, social science, and foreign language. Competitive applicants for admission meet the recommended units of secondary school coursework and typically have taken four units in a combination of all five academic areas at the highest levels available in their school settings.

Applicants must have the secondary school send an official transcript, including completed coursework, courses in progress, and the school report form. Applicants who have taken postsecondary coursework must provide an official college transcript directly to the Office of Undergraduate Admission. Applicants must submit two letters of recommendation.

First-year applicants may self-report SAT or ACT scores for consideration. Admitted students who self-report SAT or ACT scores for consideration must submit official test scores no later than mid-July if they have confirmed their enrollment to the University of Miami.

First-year applicants to the Frost School of Music may apply under test optional admission. Even if applicants to the Frost School of Music self-report SAT or ACT scores on the application, they will not be required to submit official test scores unless they indicate on the application that they wish to have their self-reported scores considered in the review process. If a student’s self-reported scores are considered in the review process and that
student is admitted and subsequently confirms their enrollment to the University of Miami, they must submit official test scores no later than mid-July. Regardless of whether or not a first-year applicant to the Frost School of Music opts to submit test scores for admission consideration or not, all Music applicants complete an audition as part of the evaluation process.

First-year applicants to the School of Architecture may apply under test-optional admission. Even if applicants to the School of Architecture self-report SAT or ACT scores on the application, they will not be required to submit official test scores unless they indicate on the application that they wish to have their self-reported scores considered in the review process. If a student's self-reported scores are considered in the review process and that student is admitted and subsequently confirms their enrollment to the University of Miami, they must submit official test scores no later than mid-July. If a first-year applicant to the School of Architecture applies opts not to submit test scores for admission consideration, they must submit a portfolio as part of the evaluation process.

Students who are admitted to the schools of Music and Architecture under the test-optional policy may not transfer their admission to another undergraduate school or college until the conclusion of their first year of studies at the University of Miami.

With the exception of the schools of Music and Architecture, students who are admitted to the University of Miami may request to transfer their admission to another program. Requests must be sent to and reviewed by the Admission Committee by May 15 of each calendar year. Requests sent after this date will be forwarded to the students' respective school or college for their review and approval.

Admitted students who wish to alter their senior year courses in the five academic areas (i.e., English, mathematics, science, social science, and foreign language) must request approval from the Admission Committee before making any changes.

An audition, portfolio, or interview is required for the following tracks that lead to the Theatre Arts Bachelor of Fine Arts (BFA) degree: Acting; Design/Technical Production; Musical Theatre; Stage Management; and, Theatre Management.

International applicants are not required to submit SAT or ACT scores if they will graduate from a high school outside the United States; however, if an international student self-reports SAT or ACT scores on the application and they are admitted, the student must submit official test scores no later than mid-July if they have confirmed their enrollment to the University of Miami.

The Office of Undergraduate Admission super-scores the SAT and ACT. There is not a preference for either test. For those who submit both SAT and ACT scores, the Office of Undergraduate Admission will use whichever test is comparatively strongest.

Applications can be submitted via the Common Application. All forms are accessible online. The nonrefundable application fee must accompany the application for admission.

The University of Miami requires international applicants to submit the International Financial Certification Form. Several special programs may require additional materials to be considered for admission. More information can be found online.

See admission procedures for first-year students (http://www.miami.edu/admission/index.php/undergraduate_admission/apply/freshman/freshman_application_instructions/).

First-Year International Admission

The University of Miami encourages international students to apply as both first-year and transfer students.

First-year applicants must complete a rigorous college preparatory program that includes at minimum three or four years of coursework. Refer to our First-Year Admission Requirements for additional details.

Transfer applicants should refer to the Transfer Admission section for additional details.

To ensure that international students are prepared for the rigorous curriculum they will experience at the University of Miami, non-native English speakers are required to submit the TOEFL or IELTS. Non-native English speakers may have this requirement waived if they can demonstrate English proficiency in one of the following ways: Obtaining a score of 660 or higher on the redesigned SAT evidence-based reading and writing section (administered beginning in 2016); Obtaining a score of 27 or higher on the ACT English section; Obtaining a grade of A or B in an Advanced Placement (AP) or an International Baccalaureate (IB) English course; Graduating from or attending at least three years at a high school in the United States; Successful completion of Level 5 of the University's Intensive English Program (IEP); IB English A1 SL or HL examination with a predicted score of 4 or higher; IB English B HL examination with a predicted score of 5 or higher; Grade of C or better on the IGCSE/GCE “O” or “A” Level in English language; Graduation from a high school outside the United States, including the final three years, in which the medium of instruction is English; or, Earned 30 or more postsecondary credits (including 6 credits in English Composition with a grade of B or higher) at an accredited college or university in the United States.

For non-native English speakers submitting the TOEFL or IELTS, competitive applicants generally score above the following: 550 on the paper-based TOEFL; 80 on the online TOEFL; or, 6.5 on the IELTS.

Non-native English speakers who have submitted the TOEFL and/or IELTS and do not have competitive scores may be considered for conditional admission through the Intensive English Program.
Educational Documents
Diplomas, Certificates
Copies should be enclosed with the application. Students from countries following the British educational system must submit certified photocopies, or ask the examinations council to mail confidential results to the University of Miami. Reports of scores in school-leaving examinations (e.g., Baccalaureate) must also be submitted.

Transcripts, Statements of Marks
A transcript must contain the following information: subjects studied; marks (grades) awarded; length of class periods; number of periods per week for each subject; and grading scale with minimum passing mark. Year-by-year records of marks should be sent to the University of Miami directly from U.S. institutions. Certified records from foreign institutions may be submitted by applicants, but the University may sometimes insist that such transcripts be sent directly to the University of Miami from the issuing institutions. All secondary and tertiary transcripts must be submitted.

English Translations
Documents in a language other than English must be accompanied by certified English translations. Notarized translations will not be accepted. Translations supplement but do not replace original documents. Please remember to send both.

GED Scores
Submitting GED Scores
An applicant may apply to the University upon completion of the GED in lieu of completing high school. When applying with the GED, the applicant must submit official high school transcripts up to the time of withdrawal, as well as the official GED score report and diploma.

Applicants submitting the GED must achieve the following scores to be considered for admission. These scores should be considered a guideline and do not guarantee admission to the applicant.

For exams taken in English:
A score of 175 or higher should be obtained on all four subject tests.

For exams taken in any language other than English:
A score of 175 or higher should be obtained on all four subject tests.

It is strongly suggested that applicants submitting the GED in any language other than English also submit a TOEFL score.

Non-Degree Enrollment
Adult Student Access Program (A.S.A.P)
For information and policies regarding enrollment for classes in a Non-Degree seeking status, please visit this page: (p. 975)

For more information, please contact:

The Adult Student Access Program
Division of Continuing Studies
University of Miami
Coral Gables, FL 33124-1610
305-284-4000

Non-Traditional High School Settings
Students completing high school in non-traditional settings — including students who will have completed at least two years in a home-schooled environment or in online classes or programs by the time they graduate — are encouraged to apply to the University of Miami.

A high school diploma or its equivalent is required for admission. Because records from non-traditional environments vary, the Office of Undergraduate Admission may require additional documentation to further demonstrate their potential to thrive in a rigorous postsecondary school environment and show the capacity to contribute to a dynamic campus community.

Postponement and Deferment of Admission
Admitted first-year students who have submitted their nonrefundable enrollment deposit may submit a request to postpone their matriculation to the University of Miami for a period of up to one academic year. Admitted first-year students may only postpone their enrollment one time. Postponement
requests are reviewed on a case-by-case basis by the Admission Committee. If approved, students must submit an additional nonrefundable enrollment deposit.

Students who have been granted a postponement must adhere to the guidelines and restrictions set forth in the postponement and admission letters; otherwise, the University of Miami reserves the right to rescind the offer of admission.

Admitted transfer students are not eligible to postpone their enrollment to a future entry term.

Transfer Admission

Prospective students from other postsecondary institutions may apply for transfer admission. Academic achievement, personal conduct, and courses completed at an applicant’s current and prior institutions will be factors evaluated in the transfer admission process. The University of Miami will make admission decisions based exclusively on an applicant’s academic record at the college level for those candidates who have completed 30 or more transferable postsecondary credits at the time of application submission. The University of Miami will factor high school academic record and test scores, if applicable, for those applicants who have completed fewer than 30 transferable postsecondary credits at the time of application submission. Transfer credits must have been earned at an accredited postsecondary institution at the time the coursework was completed. Transfer candidates must possess a minimum grade point average (GPA) of 2.0 to be eligible for review. Competitive candidates will have well above this minimum GPA requirement.

A student transferring credit hours from a two-year community or junior college (this being the last school attended) must complete a minimum of 56 credit hours in residence at the University of Miami to earn an undergraduate degree. A student transferring credit hours from a 4-year college or university (this being the last school attended) must complete a minimum of 45 credit hours in residence at the University of Miami to earn an undergraduate degree. The priority deadline to submit a transfer application for fall enrollment is April 1; the spring enrollment application deadline is November 1. Candidates for both fall and spring enrollment are notified on a rolling basis. Transfer applicants must submit a(n): application and pay the nonrefundable application fee; official school transcript; official test scores, if applicable; college transcripts directly to the Office of Undergraduate Admission; College Report form; and, one letter of recommendation from a postsecondary official or recent employer submitted on their behalf.

Students must have left their prior institutions in good academic and social standing or have been honorably dismissed. Transferable credit for coursework completed at another accredited college or university will be subject to the following conditions: course must be a part of the University of Miami curriculum and at the level of courses taught at the University of Miami; grade received must be the equivalent of C (2.0) or better; and, decisions of credit transfer and application toward degree requirements are made by the Office of Undergraduate Admission in consultation with the Registrar’s Office and/or appropriate academic department.

Transfer applicants who have been denied admission more than twice will not be eligible to reapply.

Prospective students who have enrolled as degree-seeking students at other colleges or universities – regardless of the number of postsecondary credits earned – must apply as transfer students to the University of Miami. Prospective students who have completed 30 or more transferable postsecondary credits in non-degree seeking status must also apply as transfer students.

The University of Miami has executed an articulation agreement with Miami Dade College. The agreement may be found online.

Courses completed with passing grades of C or higher at other colleges and universities and acceptable for academic credit hours by the University of Miami, will be verified, and where appropriate, will be translated into University of Miami equivalents by the Office of Undergraduate Admission. However, the Dean of the College or School within the University from which the student plans to graduate determines which transferred courses may be counted toward meeting graduation requirements of that College or School.

Transfer of Credit Hours to UM

Work taken at other institutions will appear on the University of Miami transcript in separate entries as:

1. The total number of transferable credit hours attempted and quality points earned, regardless of grades, and
2. The total credit hours transferred, which shall be the total credit hours for which a grade of C or higher was earned.

Note: Only the transfer totals earned are added to the University of Miami totals. Total credit hours attempted and quality points earned elsewhere are not included in the University of Miami totals.

The University does not accept transfer credit hours for courses in which a grade of C- and below (or the equivalent grade) was earned. However, grades of C, D, and F are used to calculate the transfer admission grade point average.

Credit hours are not transferred from institutions not accredited by the appropriate regional accrediting association. Limited exceptions may be made with the approval of the Dean in the College or School of the student’s major. Credit hours transferred from institutions not in existence long enough to attain regional accreditation must be validated by the attainment of a C average or better in the first 12 credit hours of course work taken at the University of Miami.

The University does not have a coursework forgiveness policy. The grades of any repeated courses will be averaged.
A student may not repeat a course in which a grade of C or higher has been earned. This is considered an illegal repeat.

Upper division course requirements (300 level or above) at the University may not be satisfied with community college courses.

After being offered admission and enrolling, a student must submit any final college transcripts with grades, AP, IB, AICE or CLEP examination scores for review by the end of the first semester of enrollment. Any documents listed above which are submitted after this time period will not be reviewed and credit hours will not be awarded.

**Required Credit Hours in Residence at the University of Miami**

A student transferring credit hours from a 2-year community or junior college (this being the last school attended) must complete a minimum of 56

credit hours in residence

at the University of Miami to earn an undergraduate degree.

A student transferring credit hours from a 4-year college or university (this being the last school attended) must complete a minimum of 45 credit

hours in residence

at the University of Miami to earn an undergraduate degree.

At least half of the credit hours required for the chosen Major or Minor must be completed at the University of Miami.

See Admission procedures for transfer students (http://www.miami.edu/admission/index.php/undergraduate_admission/apply/transfer_applicants/transfer_application_instructions/).

**Articulation Agreement with Miami Dade College (Honors College)**

As part of the articulation agreement between Miami Dade College (Honors College) and the College of Arts & Sciences at the University of Miami, admitted students transferring from the MDC Honors College* will have the following benefits:

- No need to repeat courses/credits
- Guaranteed Junior (3rd-year) standing

*Limited to 300 spaces for fall semester, 150 for spring semester

**Veteran Admission**

The University of Miami welcomes applications from military/veterans and their dependents who are eligible for education benefits offered by the Department of Veterans Affairs, including the Post-9/11 GI Bill and the Yellow Ribbon Program.

If veterans have not earned any college credits after high school graduation, they should apply as a first-year student. Refer to the First-Year Admission Requirements section for additional details. If veterans have taken degree-seeking college credits after high school graduation — regardless of the number of credits earned — they should apply via the transfer process. Transfer applicants should refer to the Transfer Admission section for additional details.

Military/veteran dependents who are graduating from high school must apply as a first-year student.

The University of Miami will award up to six elective credits with the submission of the DD 214 form, which shows veterans were honorably discharged.

The Common Application fee is waived for active military/veterans and their dependents. The $500 nonrefundable enrollment deposit fee will also be waived for active military members and veterans.

Additional details may be found online.

**Foote Fellows Honors Program**

https://admissions.miami.edu/undergraduate/academics/honors-and-scholars-programs/foote-fellows/index.html

The Foote Fellows Honors Program recognizes the most educationally accomplished incoming students at the University of Miami. Foote Fellows have distinguished themselves both in and out of the classroom, are self-motivated, and think independently. Admission to the Foote Fellows Honors Program is by invitation.

Within the curricular framework of their school or college, Foote Fellows enjoy maximum freedom to explore a multitude of educational resources. Many Foote Fellows leverage this opportunity to take additional majors and/or minors and to study abroad.

At each of the nine undergraduate schools and colleges at the University of Miami, a dedicated advisor helps Foote Fellows chart their academic path and attain access to distinctive learning opportunities and educational guidance, such as special school-based seminars, faculty-mentored research, networking opportunities, and off-campus internships.
In addition, Foote Fellows have access to opportunities outside their school. Special Foote Fellow lectures are held throughout the academic year. "Books That Matter," a rigorous, multidisciplinary seminar in reading and analyzing significant works of nonfiction, is offered to Foote Fellows. Foote Fellows also benefit from focused advising regarding post-baccalaureate distinguished fellowships and awards, support and information about curricular opportunities from a dedicated program manager, and networking events with other Foote Fellows from all disciplines.

To graduate with the Foote Fellows Honors Program distinction, Foote Fellow students must achieve a minimum GPA of 3.5 by the completion of the final semester.

Eligibility for the Foote Fellows Honors Program transcript distinction for each student is determined by the lower of two GPAs:

1. UM cumulative graduation GPA
2. Combination GPA (UM cumulative graduation GPA + Transfer GPA)

The Foote Fellows Honors Program reflects the educational vision of former University of Miami President Edward T. Foote, who retired in 2000 after serving the University for twenty years.

**General Education Requirements**

**Philosophy**

The University of Miami’s General Education Requirements ensure that graduates have acquired essential intellectual skills and have engaged in a range of academic disciplines. The General Education Requirements provide students with the opportunity to study methods and achievements in all areas of human inquiry and creative endeavor and to cultivate abilities essential for the acquisition of knowledge. The General Education Requirements allow students to create an integrative map for their academic careers, providing a context for more focused studies.

As an institution of higher learning in an increasingly diverse and global community, our goals are to produce graduates who have been exposed to a broad spectrum of educational opportunities and to prepare them for successful participation in the world. The University’s General Education Requirements consist of coursework taken before, within, and in addition to students’ specialized study in their areas of concentration. The aims of the General Education Requirements are designed to ensure that graduates of the University will have acquired essential intellectual skills and exposure to a range of intellectual perspectives and academic disciplines. Whereas the requirements of majors specified by schools and colleges within the University emphasize depth of learning, the General Education Requirements stress breadth of knowledge and the cultivation of intellectual abilities essential for the acquisition of knowledge.

**Areas of Proficiency**

The Areas of Proficiency requirements ensure that students either already possess, or develop at the University, the ability to express themselves effectively, to use quantitative skills with facility, and to reason cogently.

**Written Communication Skills**

Effective writing skills advance ideas efficiently and persuasively, so the expectation is that students become adept at using writing as an effective communication tool. Students fulfill this requirement by satisfactorily completing ENG 105 together with ENG 106 or ENG 107, or the equivalent. Appropriate Advanced Placement (AP) or International Baccalaureate (IB) scores in English composition may be used to satisfy this requirement. An appropriate score on the SAT or ACT examination may earn a student exemption from, but not credit for, ENG 105.

Students will be able to:

- Demonstrate effective written communication skills in relation to specific rhetorical tasks.
- Construct original, well-reasoned arguments using a range of materials.
- Integrate and synthesize appropriate and relevant primary and secondary sources in their writing.

**Effective Fall 2017, new students without prior college credit in English Composition will be placed as follows:**

- ENG 103: ACT English score below 18 or SAT Evidence-Based Reading and Writing or Critical Reading score below 430, or TOEFL iBT Writing score below 18.
- ENG 105: ACT English score 18-31 or SAT Evidence-Based Reading and Writing or Critical Reading score 430-690, or TOEFL iBT Writing score 18 or above.
- ENG 106 or ENG 107: ACT English score 32 or above or SAT Evidence-Based Reading and Writing or Critical Reading score 700 or above

**Written Communication Skills General Education Requirements must be completed prior to attaining junior year classification.**

**Quantitative Skills**

In a world increasingly influenced by science and technology, it is important for students to acquire the capacity to understand and use essential quantitative skills. The Quantitative Skills requirement helps students learn to use quantitative skills and tools to solve problems, including the
interpretation, manipulation, and application of quantitative data. Students fulfill this requirement by completing either a Department of Mathematics course numbered MTH 108 or higher or a quantitative skills course approved by the student’s college/school and the University Curriculum Committee in consultation with appropriate academic units. ¹

Students may be able to fulfill this requirement through credit earned through the following tests: AP, IB, A-Level, and Cambridge Pre-U. Please click here (https://admissions.miami.edu/undergraduate/application-process/credit-information/) to see how credit/exemption may be earned through these tests. ²

Students will be able to:

- Select and use appropriate quantitative methods and tools to solve problems.
- Interpret, manipulate, and apply quantitative data to solve problems.


² Students in the Frost School of Music: An appropriate score on the SAT, ACT or proctored ALEKS examination may earn a student exemption from, but not credit for, the math requirement of the student’s degree program.

**Areas of Knowledge**

The Areas of Knowledge requirement is designed to help students understand and appreciate intellectual achievements in major areas of human inquiry and creative endeavor. Students satisfy this requirement through the Cognates Program, which aims to provide a broad array of intellectual and cultural exploration.

In the Cognates Program for the Areas of Knowledge requirement, students examine creative expression in the arts, literature, and philosophy; study human development and behavior; and explore the mathematical, scientific, and technological world. Students fulfill the requirement by completing three cognates, one from each of the three areas of the university curriculum: Arts & Humanities (A&H); People & Society (P&S); and Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics (STEM). A cognate is a group of at least three courses for at least nine credit hours with a shared theme or topic determined by the faculty. Each cognate has course options that allow students to complete the cognate in a manner that meets their interests, while staying within the focus of the cognate.

While students are required to take three cognates to fulfill the Areas of Knowledge requirement, there is no limit to the number of additional cognates students may complete. All cognates completed are listed on the students’ transcripts.

The university offers a large number and range of cognates. Additionally, each major and minor fulfills the cognate requirement in one Area of Knowledge. All approved cognates are visible in a cognate search engine (https://cognates.miami.edu/) that allows students to search for cognates based on cognate features, cognate courses, and keywords. Each cognate is administered by a department or program that is designated as the “Responsible Academic Unit” (RAU) for the cognate. Inquiries about a cognate should be directed to the cognate’s RAU.

The following rule applies to all cognates: A course may not be used to satisfy the requirements of more than one cognate. This rule applies whether the cognate requirement is being met by a major, a minor, or a designated cognate. The fact that a school requires students to take courses which the school construes as outside the major or minor, but must be taken to fulfill the requirements for that major or minor, does not allow the course to be counted for both purposes. On the other hand, the fact that a course is listed as one which must be taken to meet the requirements for a major or minor does not necessarily preclude a student from participating in a cognate which has that course as one of its options. In many cases, the student could take one of the other courses included in the cognate.

**Arts & Humanities**

Arts & Humanities cognates engage students in the study of the most enduring and influential works of art, imagination, and culture. Through study, creation, and performance, courses in this area enable students to understand the works of artists, musicians, novelists, philosophers, playwrights, poets, historians, and theologians. These courses cultivate the ability to interpret, critically evaluate, and experience the creative products of human culture and expression.

Students will be able to:

- Critically evaluate and interpret the creative products of humanistic and artistic expression, applying appropriate vocabulary and concepts for their description and analysis.
- Understand the creation and performance of art.

The following departments and programs offer courses that are used in Arts & Humanities cognates: Africana Studies; American Studies; Architecture; Art & Art History; Cinema & Interactive Media; Classics; Creative Advertising; Dance; English; Game Design; History; Judaic Studies; Latin American...
Studies; Modern Languages & Literature; Motion Pictures; Music Theory – Composition; Musicology; Philosophy; Religious Studies; and Theatre Arts. Others will be added as cognates are approved.

People & Society

People & Society cognates help students understand and analyze the organization of society and the patterns of social change in the past and in the contemporary world.

Students will be able to:

- Analyze the organization of society.
- Analyze patterns of social change.

The following departments and programs offer courses that are used in People & Society cognates: Accounting; Advertising; Aerospace Studies; Africana Studies; American Studies; Anthropology; Business Law; Classics; Climate Science Policy; Communication Studies; Criminology; Economics; Ecosystem Science & Policy; Educational & Psychological Studies; Electronic Media; Entrepreneurship; Geography; Health Communication; Health Sector Management; Hispanic Media; Human Resource Management; International Business; International Studies; Journalism & Media Management; Judaic Studies; Kinesiology & Sport Sciences; Latin American Studies; Legal Studies; Management; Marine Affairs; Marketing; Military Science; Modern Languages & Literature; Music Media & Industry; Nursing; Organizational Leadership; Philosophy; Political Science; Psychology; Public Health; Public Relations; Regional Studies; Religious Studies; Sociology; Strategic Communication; Sustainable Business; Teaching & Learning; Urban Studies; and Gender and Sexuality Studies. Others will be added as cognates are approved.

Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics (STEM)

Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics (STEM) cognates develop students’ abilities to think critically about mathematical, scientific, and technological issues, through an understanding of processes and methods of scientific inquiry involving experimentation, observation, and quantitative analysis. The cognates nurture literacies that enable students to make informed decisions in an increasingly complex world.

Students will be able to:

- Understand the use of quantitative tools, experimentation, and observation to analyze and solve mathematical, scientific, environmental, and technological problems.
- Interpret quantitative data and draw useful conclusions.

The following departments and programs offer courses that are used in Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics cognates: Aerospace Engineering; Anthropology; Architecture; Atmospheric Science; Audio Engineering; Biochemistry; Biology; Biomedical Engineering; Business Analytics; Law; Business Technology; Chemistry; Cinema & Interactive Media; Civil, Architectural & Environmental Engineering; Climate and Science Policy; Computer Science; Economics; Ecosystem Science & Policy; Educational and Psychological Studies; Electrical & Computer Engineering; Engineering Science; Finance; Geography; Geological Sciences; Healthcare Science; Industrial Engineering; Interactive Media; International Finance & Marketing; Journalism & Media Management; Kinesiology & Sport Sciences; Management Science; Marine Science; Mathematics; Mechanical Engineering; Microbiology & Immunology; Molecular Biology; Neuroscience; Nursing; Nutrition; Physics; and Psychology; Public Health; Real Estate; and Strategic Communication. Others will be added as cognates are approved.

NOTES

The three cognates taken to fulfill the Areas of Knowledge requirement (including cognates fulfilled by majors and minors) must have different RAUs. No more than two Areas of Knowledge may be fulfilled by cognates whose RAUs are in the same school or college, except for the College of Arts and Sciences. Majors and minors may cover more than one Area of Knowledge but may be used to fulfill the cognate requirement in only one of those areas. A course may count in only one cognate used to fulfill the Areas of Knowledge requirement (including cognates fulfilled by majors and minors). Students may petition for individual course substitutions in cognates by application to the cognate’s RAU. Transfer courses, Advanced Placement, International Baccalaureate, CLEP, dual enrollment, etc., that are transferred in with specific UM course equivalencies can be used in cognates. Courses that transfer in with non-specific UM course credit hours can be used in cognates only by application to the cognate’s Responsible Academic Unit (RAU).

Transfer students entering the university with 30 or more credits may take an individualized cognate as one of the three required cognates. Individualized cognates allow for flexible use of transfer credits to fulfill a cognate requirement, as approved by the dean/advising office in the student’s school/college.

Grades

Academic Standing, Probation, and Dismissal

At the end of each semester the University shall determine whether a student is in Good Academic Standing, on Academic Probation, or subject to Academic Dismissal. Some schools and colleges may have exceptions to the Good Academic Standing, Academic Warning, Academic Probation and Academic Dismissal policies listed below.
Good Academic Standing
To be in Good Academic Standing a student must not be on Academic Probation or subject to Academic Dismissal.

Academic Probation
Students other than first-semester freshmen (non-transfer student) whose UM cumulative grade-point average (CGPA) in University of Miami courses is below the following levels shall be placed on Academic Probation.

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First-semester freshmen who have a semester grade-point average below 1.3 shall be placed on Academic Probation. In addition, students who fail to make satisfactory progress toward meeting the degree requirements specified by their School or College may be put on Probation by the Academic Standards Committee of the School/College. Students on Academic Probation must meet with their academic advisor prior to the following semester and shall be restricted to a 13-credit hour load.

Academic Dismissal
A student who remains on probationary status after two consecutive semesters on Academic Probation shall be subject to Academic Dismissal. A student who has been on Academic Probation for one semester and has a CGPA below 1.0 shall also be subject to Academic Dismissal. The decision to dismiss shall be made by the Academic Standards Committee of the School or College in which the student is enrolled. If a decision is made not to dismiss, the student shall remain on Academic Probation.

Appeals and Readmission
Students who wish to appeal their Academic probation or dismissal for academic reasons, must do so in writing to the School or College Academic Standards Committee within thirty days of the notice of dismissal. Those who have been dismissed for academic reasons shall not be considered for readmission to any school or college at the University until at least two regular semesters have elapsed since their dismissal.

Faculty Senate Student Affairs Committee Standard Academic Appeals Process
The Faculty Senate Student Affairs Committee (FSSAC) has responsibility for undergraduate student academic appeals. The FSSAC includes faculty representatives from all undergraduate schools as well as three non-voting ex officio representatives: a graduate and undergraduate student representative and the University ombudsperson. The FSSAC reviews undergraduate student academic appeals that have not been resolved at the department, school, or college levels. As noted in section II below, the FSSAC hears cases only after they have gone through the departmental and college process. The processes are the same for grade and non-grade appeals except as noted below.

I. Time Constraints
Appeals must be filed within a year of the occurrence of the academic action resulting in the appeal and prior to the completion of all degree requirements or withdrawal from the University. Exceptions to this deadline may be permitted by the FSSAC for good cause.

Each level of appeal should aim to review the appeal and arrive at judgment within a two month period from the date the appeal reaches them. The entire process should be completed within one year.

II. Order of Appeal
A student appeal regarding a faculty or administrative academic action must be addressed to the following entities or persons in this order:

1. The faculty member or administrator responsible for the course, program, or activity.
2. The department/program chair/director or administrative superior of the faculty member or administrator.
3. The Dean or designee of the school or college offering the course, program or activity.
4. If the school, college or administrative unit has a committee constituted to hear student appeals, that committee must be consulted before proceeding to the next level.
5. The ombudsperson. The student is to provide the materials listed in Section III below to the ombudsperson who will review the merits of the appeal, and attempt to resolve the matter. The ombudsperson, as part of his/her review should give the student a preliminary assessment as to whether the matter, as presented by the student at that time, is reviewable by the FSSAC.
   If the matter is the appeal of a final grade, and only after all the other steps are taken, the ombudsperson may refer the matter to the Provost who will decide whether or not to refer the appeal to the FSSAC.
   For a non-grade-appeal, the student has the final authority to decide whether to take the appeal to FSSAC. If s/he chooses to do so, the ombudsperson shall forward the appeal and the accompanying documentation to the FSSAC via the Faculty Senate Office.
6. The Provost may request that the FSSAC review an appeal. If, but only if, s/he does so, the FSSAC shall have jurisdiction to review a grade-related appeal.
a. As part of the request, the Provost shall forward to the FSSAC, via the Faculty Senate office, the materials submitted by the student as indicated in Section III, below.

b. The FSSAC will review the student’s written appeal (see section III below), confer with the appropriate faculty, administrators, and others as it deems necessary in making its recommendation to the Provost. The FSSAC may request an interview with the student, additional information or access to records, interviews with relevant faculty or administrators, or additional information or access to records kept by faculty or administrators.

c. The FSSAC will communicate its findings and recommendations to the Provost. Copies shall be provided to the Faculty Senate.

7. The final decision with respect to the grade-related appeal will be made by the Provost and communicated to the student in writing. Copies shall be provided to the Faculty Senate Office and to the Chair of the FSSAC.

8. For non-grade-related academic appeals:
   a. The FSSAC shall act upon those appeals and report its findings and recommendation to the Provost. The Committee shall forward to the Chair of the Faculty Senate a copy of its recommendation to the Provost.
   b. The Provost shall communicate his/her decision on each recommendation to the student concerned, to the Chair of the Committee, and the Chair of the Faculty Senate.

III. Materials for an Appeal
When bringing an appeal, the student must state in writing issues s/he wishes to have considered. The appeal must include:

1. An appeal letter clearly stating the conditions as seen by the student, and offering reasons for granting the appeal.
2. The appeal letter must indicate if the student wishes to make a personal appearance and, if so, the reasons why the appearance is necessary.
3. Documents of support (e.g., examinations, term papers, syllabi, or medical documentation of illness) that the student wishes to have examined.
4. All written decisions made at earlier levels of the appeal by individual faculty/administrators, departments/programs/administrative units, college or school committees, and deans which are available to the student or in the student’s possession.

IV. Other Notes and Special Conditions
1. If the appeal is based on or related to a charge made by the student of discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin, religion, sex, sexual orientation, age, or handicap, a representative of the appropriate University office will be contacted and, as appropriate, consulted in the appeal process.
2. If the appeal is based on or related to a disability:
   a. The ADA Coordinating Committee shall serve in an advisory capacity.
   b. The student is to include in the materials provided, the appropriate forms from the Office of Disability Services documenting:
      i. An evaluation of the disability
      ii. Recommendations related to the disability
   c. The FSSAC does not consider appeals based upon the grant, denial or modification of an accommodation by the Office of Disability Services. Instead, any such appeal is as prescribed by the Office of Disability Services Grievance Procedure only.

The Grading System

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<td>C</td>
<td>Fair attainment</td>
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<td>D</td>
<td>Poor attainment (earns credit hour but may not fulfill requirement for a major)</td>
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<td>F</td>
<td>Failure (effective Fall 1995)</td>
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<td>W</td>
<td>Course dropped on or before the last day for withdrawing from classes as published in the official calendar of the University. Credit hour can be earned only by successful repetition of the course.</td>
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<td>WL</td>
<td>Late Withdrawal—Administrative; Only used for Complete Withdrawal (Effective Summer 2017)</td>
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<td>I</td>
<td>Incomplete work in passing status with the instructor’s permission to complete the course. An “I” will be assigned only if the instructor is satisfied that there are reasonable non-academic grounds for the student’s incomplete work. An “I” is not intended to be assigned in order to permit a student to repeat a course without registration or to permit a student to do additional work in order to improve upon grades earned during the semester. The student who receives an “I” must complete the course with a passing grade within the time frame specified by the professor of the course but not longer than the end of one calendar year, or prior to graduation, whichever occurs first. An Academic Dean may approve an extension initiated by the course instructor. An “I” not completed prior to the student’s graduation shall be changed to an “IE” or “IF” by action of the student’s Academic Dean.</td>
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<td>IP</td>
<td>Denotes in progress grade assigned upon satisfactory completion of the first semester of a two-semester sequence, with the final grade for both courses to be submitted at the end of the second semester of the sequence. Please note that all “IP”s must be converted to a letter grade or “IF” at graduation. “IP” will also be converted to “IF” upon any departure from the University for a period in excess of one year.</td>
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### Grades

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<td>NC</td>
<td>Grade signifying that no credit hour is awarded based on a course average below a grade of &quot;C&quot;.</td>
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<td>NG</td>
<td>Symbol assigned by the Office of the Registrar indicating that the instructor has not reported the student's grade. For a student to receive credit hour for the course, the instructor must report a passing grade prior to the student's graduation, or by the end of one regular academic semester, whichever comes first. An Academic Dean may approve an extension initiated by the course instructor. An &quot;NG&quot; not replaced by a passing grade, or by a &quot;W&quot;, prior to the student's graduation shall be changed to an &quot;F&quot; by action of the student's Academic Dean.</td>
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### Credit Only Option

The credit only option has been established to encourage students to explore academic areas outside their major and minor fields of concentration. Students may use this option with free electives and receive a CR (Credit Received) or NC (No Credit). These courses become part of a student's record, but they do not count in the grade point average as computed by the University of Miami.

### Grade Point Average

The grade point average is used to determine:

- class rank
- graduation and university honor eligibility
- good standing, probation, and dismissal status
- scholarship eligibility

Your official grade point average is based only on the work you have completed at the University of Miami. The only exception to this policy is for determining whether a student qualifies for university honors established by the minimum grade point requirement at the time of graduation. For graduation purposes, cumulative grade point average is defined as either the average of all grades earned at the University of Miami or the combined average of all graded work taken at the University of Miami and elsewhere whether or not the transfer work is accepted toward a degree at the University of Miami, whichever is lower.

Quality points per credit hour are awarded as follows:

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<td>F (Effective Fall 1995)</td>
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Courses marked with an "IE" or "IF" count as credit hour attempted but are not counted in credit hours earned and do not carry quality points.

Credit hours marked CR are counted as credit hours earned but are not counted in credit hours attempted and do not carry quality points. Courses marked with the symbols I, IP, W, NC, and NG do not carry credit hours attempted, credit hours earned, or quality points.

The grade point average is determined by dividing the total quality points earned by the total credit hours attempted.

Military service credit hour, some foreign university credit hour, correspondence course credit hour, credit by examination, etc., are not awarded quality points and do not enter the computation of the grade point average.
Grade Change Policy

**LETTER GRADES**

- Grade changes may only be submitted after final grades have been posted to the official student record by the University Registrar.
- Only the faculty member of record may initiate the grade change process, except for instances of student grade appeals.  
- Grade changes may be submitted up to one calendar year from the date on which the course grade was posted.
- A grade change may be proposed only to correct a clerical or calculation error in the determination of a final grade.
- Grade change proposals must be approved by the chair of the department offering the course and by the Dean (or Dean’s designee) of the School/College of the course department.
- The University Registrar will process the approved grade change and update the student record.

**INCOMPLETE GRADES**

To allow a student extra time to complete course work due to unusual circumstances, faculty may submit an Incomplete (I) grade on condition that the student:

1. Has attended class and completed at least 50% of the course work;
2. Has a passing grade or is in good standing in the course;
3. Has corresponded with the faculty member to determine the work that must be submitted;
4. Has agreed with the faculty member on a due date (no more than one year from the date the Incomplete grade is submitted).

**EXPIRATION OF INCOMPLETE**

An undergraduate Incomplete (I) grades will be converted to an “IF” if a grade change is not submitted by the due date. The “IF” is calculated into the student’s GPA as a failing grade.

1. Process for student initiated grade appeals can be found in the Undergraduate Academic Bulletin under the Grading system.

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**Honor Code**

The Honor Code, initiated at the request of the Undergraduate Student Body Government, ratified by student referendum, approved by the Faculty Senate, by the President of the University, and administered by students, protects the academic integrity of the University of Miami by encouraging consistent ethical behavior among its undergraduate students. The Code provides standards that prohibit all forms of scholastic dishonesty, including cheating, plagiarism, collusion, and falsification or misrepresentation of experimental data. The Code covers all written and oral examinations, term papers, creative works, assigned computer related work, and any other academic work done at the University by an undergraduate student.

All undergraduate students are responsible for reading, understanding, and upholding the Honor Code. Signed pledges are required for written work submitted for evaluation, but the absence of a signed pledge does not free a student from the ethical standards required by the Code. Procedures for dealing with infractions of the Code, including provisions for appeals, are printed in the text of the Honor Code. Copies may be obtained from the Office of the Dean of Students or from the office of the Undergraduate Student Body Government, or online (http://www.miami.edu/honor-council/).

In keeping with the traditional prerogatives of university faculties, nothing in the Code infringes on the faculty's assignment of grades undertaken in a class. Instructors are informed when students have been found guilty of infractions involving their classes. Courses in which students have been failed for academic dishonesty may neither be dropped nor repeated under the terms of the freshman repeat rule.

**Honor Rolls**

**The Dean’s List**

The Dean’s List is composed of those undergraduate students who are enrolled in a degree-seeking program and have attained high scholastic achievement for the semester. To attain the Dean’s List, a student must, for the semester:
1. have registered for and have completed 12 or more graded credit hours (excluding the credit hours earned in courses taken for credit only);
2. have attained a quality point average of 3.50 or higher for the semester;
3. have no courses with pending grades (I or NG).

The Dean’s List will be announced by each college and school at the end of the semester. The Office of the Registrar will post this achievement to the student’s permanent record.

**The Provost’s Honor Roll**

The Provost’s Honor Roll is composed of those undergraduate students who are enrolled in a degree-seeking program and have attained a high scholastic achievement for the semester. To attain the Provost’s Honor Roll, a student must, for the semester:

1. have registered for and have completed 12 or more graded credit hours (excluding the credit hours earned in courses taken for credit only);
2. have attained a quality point average of 3.75 or higher for the semester;
3. have no courses with pending grades (I or NG).

The Provost’s Honor Roll will be announced by the Provost’s Office. The Office of the Registrar will post the achievement to the student’s permanent record, and distribute the Provost’s Honor Roll Certificate.

**The President’s Honor Roll**

The President’s Honor Roll is composed of those undergraduate students who are enrolled in a degree-seeking program and have attained the highest possible scholastic achievement for the semester. To attain the President’s Honor Roll a student must, for the semester:

1. have registered for and completed 12 or more graded credit hours (excluding credit hours earned in courses taken for credit only);
2. have attained a quality point average of 4.0 for the semester;
3. have no courses with pending grades (I or NG).

The President’s Honor Roll will be announced by the Office of the Registrar who will post the achievement to the student’s permanent record, and distribute the President’s Honor Roll Certificate.

**Graduation Degrees**

It is the responsibility of the student to be sure he/she makes satisfactory progress toward, and fulfills requirements for, the degree he/she seeks. He/she may obtain help in the office of his/her Academic Dean.

To receive a Bachelor’s degree from the University, the student must earn at least 120 credit hours (more in some schools), with a C average (2.0) or better as well as a C average for all work done at the University of Miami.

Students must also meet all of the degree requirements of their respective schools and should not expect requirements in composition, mathematics, foreign languages, or other subject areas to be waived for any reason.

- A student transferring credit hours from a 2-year community or junior college (this being the last school attended) must complete a minimum of 56 credit hours in residence at the University of Miami to earn an undergraduate degree.
- A student transferring credit hours from a 4-year college or university (this being the last school attended) must complete a minimum of 45 credit hours in residence at the University of Miami to earn an undergraduate degree.
- In addition, each student must complete at least half of the credit hours specified for his or her major in residence at the University of Miami.
- Not more than 30 credit hours of correspondence work and extension work combined will be accepted toward a degree, and neither correspondence nor extension work may be credited as a part of the last 45/56 credit hours of the student’s program.
- Not more than 30 credit hours based on military experience will be awarded toward the degree.
- Credit hours earned in a manner other than by course registration, i.e. proficiency examination, CLEP placement tests, etc., may not be used to meet the final 45/56 credit hour residency requirement, however such credit by examination may be earned while the student is enrolled in the courses needed to meet the final 45/56 credit-hour residency requirement.
- The last date on which application may be made for each graduation period is published in the Academic Calendar. The academic deans are the only officers authorized to approve placing the student’s name on the candidate degree list.
- Once a degree has been awarded, no changes will be made to the academic record.

**Dual Degree**

- To obtain two different undergraduate degrees, a student must complete all the requirements for each degree.
- A second undergraduate degree on the same level requires a different major and a different minor.
• If the degrees are in two different schools, a student must meet the requirements with distinctly different majors and minors, wherever applicable, in each school.

• Students must obtain approval from the Office of the Senior Vice Provost and Dean of Undergraduate Education to pursue dual degrees in different schools.

As a general rule, college credit hours more than 12 years old are not recognized for degree purposes. Students in this category should consult their academic deans.

A student must apply for graduation on CaneLink during the semester in which they expect to graduate.

University Graduation Honors (Latin Honors)

University Graduation Honors (Latin Honors - Summa / Magna / Cum Laude) will be determined by a minimum GPA unique to the school or college from which the student is graduating.

• University Graduation Honors only applies to undergraduate students.

• The GPA required will change each academic year (beginning with the fall semester) and will be based on the cumulative GPAs of the previous year's graduating class. The GPAs are calculated every summer and the year specific-criteria can be found here (https://registrar.miami.edu/graduation-and-transcripts/graduation-and-diplomas/).

• The top 5% of the graduating class will receive Summa Cum Laude within each individual school or college; the next 10% will receive Magna Cum Laude and the next 10% Cum Laude.

• For the determination of University Graduation Honors, cumulative GPA is never rounded off and is the lower of:
  • the average of all grades earned at the University of Miami (UM cumulative graduation GPA), OR
  • the combined average of all graded work taken at the University of Miami or elsewhere (whether or not the transfer work is accepted toward a degree at the University of Miami).

• Students must meet the required GPAs by the completion of the final semester within his/her school or college to be eligible to graduate with the honor.

• The appropriate honor will automatically be placed on the student's final transcript and diploma.

Departmental Honors

Among the departments offering approved programs for honors study at the junior-senior level for both majors and elective students are American studies, art and art history, biochemistry and molecular biology, biology, business administration, chemistry, computer science, engineering, English, finance, French, German, history, international finance and marketing, international studies, Judaic Studies, marine science, mathematics, meteorology, microbiology and immunology, philosophy, political science, psychology, religious studies, sociology, Spanish, and women's and gender studies.

Admission into the program is by invitation, but any student who believes himself or herself qualified may apply to the Chairman or the Departmental Honors Advisor of the major department, preferably during the sophomore or early junior year. Upon successful completion of the required program and with approval by the faculty of the department, the notation Departmental Honors in ... is included in the candidate's diploma and transcript.

Departmental Honors are designed primarily to provide an opportunity for the student to intensify and deepen his or her knowledge of the major, to permit closer associations with professors in the student's area of concentration, and to prepare the student for research, thesis preparation, and other work at the graduate level in the major areas.

Departmental Honors requirements vary by departments; the prospective Departmental Honors student should confer with the Honors Advisor within the department about specific requirements for graduation with Departmental Honors.

Diplomas and Transcripts

No diplomas or official transcripts are released from the Office of the University Registrar without the approval of the Office of Student Account Services.

Diplomas are issued after the student's graduation has been awarded by the school/college and noted on the student's official transcript. The diploma must be issued in the name on the student's academic record. Addition or omission of a middle name is acceptable. The addition of a middle name will be acceptable only as it appears on the student's application for admission. If the middle name is not on the application or if the student wants another version, documented proof of a legal name change must be presented to Canes Central.

Official transcripts are issued only upon receipt of a secure electronic request through the university's online transcript system or a written and signed request from the student is received in the office. Payment for the transcripts is required before they will be sent.

Unofficial transcripts are available free of charge to students through CaneLink.

Student Status
Academic Bankruptcy

Students entering college sometimes perform at an unacceptable academic level. They either drop out or are dismissed. Some individuals with this experience re-evaluate their educational goals and desire to return to college. Their academic record, however, may present an insurmountable obstacle. Undergraduate students in this category who want the opportunity for a fresh start at the University without this handicap may apply for admission or readmission with the request that their prior academic record be disregarded.

In order to be considered for academic bankruptcy, a student's combined college grade point average must be below 2.00 as calculated by the Office of Admission.

Application for Initial Admission to the University with Academic Bankruptcy

The applicant must apply to the Office of Admission and:

1. Must have been admissible to the University as a senior in high school,
2. Must have attended an accredited institution for at least one year and must not have attended any college or university for the preceding six months, and,
3. Must not be admissible to the University based on his or her college-level work.

Application for Readmission to the University with Academic Bankruptcy

A University of Miami student who has dropped out or who has been dismissed may request Academic Bankruptcy on meeting these conditions:

1. The student must apply to the Office of the University Registrar.
2. At least six months must have elapsed since the end of the semester in which the student was last in attendance at the University of Miami.
3. Detailed written evidence must be provided with the readmission application, showing that the conditions or factors that caused the poor performance have changed sufficiently, so that there is a reasonable expectation of future satisfactory performance.

Conditions of Approval

1. If Academic Bankruptcy is approved, no course credit hours earned previously will be displayed on the transcript for credit hours attempted, credit hours earned, or quality points earned; however, all grades earned previously will remain on the transcript.
2. Readmission applicants with approval from the dean of the accepting school, may have Academic Bankruptcy apply only to those credit hours taken by the student when last in attendance at the University of Miami, so that credit hours earned at another institution subsequent to the date the student last attended the University are not affected.

All grades, good or bad, are invalidated during this process and will not be reinstated at any future time.

Academic Bankruptcy will be granted only once for any student.

Certification of Enrollment

Students who require certification of enrollment for insurance or education loan purposes may obtain an enrollment letter via their CaneLink account or by submitting a request to Canes Central. Enrollment verification via CaneLink is available after the last day to drop without a "W". Please refer to the University's academic calendar for specific dates.

Enrollment Verification letters will include only information maintained in the university's official academic record system. The University will not alter, amend or add anything to the standard letter. Notarization is available upon request.

Students will be certified as currently enrolled once they have met their financial obligations. If a student is delinquent in paying his/her tuition and fees statement balance and/or Monthly Payment Plan, the University will not process transcript and/or diploma requests. Course selection/modification will not be permitted for any previous, current or future semesters. The student is not considered enrolled during the term in question, which means that certification of enrollment cannot be provided for insurance, student loan deferment or repayment purposes. Non-payment also means the student is ineligible for financial assistance awarded for the term in question. A late payment fee may be assessed on delinquent accounts.

Students who require enrollment certification for scholarship purposes only, will be conditionally certified until financial obligations are met.

For students who do not have a Social Security number, verification letters are generated by the Office of the University Registrar. Letters are typically generated in seven (7) business days but may take longer during our registration period and the first two weeks of classes.

Classification of Students

Students are classified in three ways:
1. By course load (full- or part-time)
2. By objective (degree sought, non-degree, transient, audit, etc.)
3. By year

Course Load
A student is a full-time student if he/she carries not less than the minimum normal load, 12 credit hours per semester in most schools, nine credit hours in the Graduate School (please refer to the Graduate section for exceptions). The minimum credit hour loads in a summer session will vary for each category, according to the length of the sessions. (A typical full-time class schedule for fall and spring semesters not requiring override approval from an advisor consists of 15 credit hours. In some cases, students are recommended to enroll in fewer than 15 credit hours.) Please refer to the university's full-time/half-time policy (https://registrar.miami.edu/general-information/policies/full-time-half-time-policy/). For spring semester, Intersession courses can be included when evaluating full-time status. It is important to note that tuition charges for Intersession courses typically are separate from and in addition to charges for the spring semester. Full-time status may vary from one college or school to another. Students should consult with the dean of his/her college or school for details.

Objective
A degree student is one whose immediate educational objective consists wholly or principally of work normally credited to a University of Miami bachelor's or higher degree. To qualify for this status, a student must meet the standards for admission.

A non-degree student is one who is not pursuing a degree program. Such students are those who, although eligible for degree candidacy, have requested permission to take a limited or special selection of credit hour courses without regard to requirements for a degree. This classification includes high school graduates and students with previous college credit hour
1. who do not want degree status;
2. whose applications for degree status are incomplete;
3. who are taking work toward teacher certification;
4. who are workshop applicants;
5. who are visiting summer school students. (Students under 21 years of age who have not completed high school will not be admitted to this status.) Non-degree students are sub-classified as transient, special, etc.

An undergraduate non-degree student may petition the Director of Admissions to have his/her status changed to that of degree student. Up to 30 credit hours earned in non-degree status may be applied towards a degree, but only to the extent approved by the appropriate academic dean. It is therefore important that the degree student identify himself/herself as such, early in his/her program.

Transient Student
A transient student is one who is enrolled at the University of Miami with the sole intention of using credit hours earned toward graduation elsewhere.

Audit Student
An audit student is one who enrolls as an observer or listener only. Auditing is allowed only when there is space available in the class. Audit status may be restricted by the Dean in the case of laboratory, studio or performance courses where audit status is not appropriate. Audit students receive no credit hour, do not prepare written assignments or take examinations, are not eligible for residence in campus residence halls, and do not receive student privileges except for the use of the library. No entries are made on the permanent academic record for audited courses.

Students wishing to change from audit status to credit hour status must obtain all necessary approvals within two weeks following the last day of registration for Fall and Spring semesters and no later than the fifth class day following the last day of registration for Summer Sessions. No changes except withdrawals from the course are permitted after this time.

Note: Fee for auditing a course is non-refundable. Please refer to financial information section of the bulletin.

Year
• A freshman is a degree-seeking student who has earned 0 to 29 credit hours.
• A sophomore is a degree-seeking student who has earned 30 to 59 credit hours.
• A junior is a degree-seeking student who has earned 60 to 89 credit hours.
• A senior is a degree-seeking student who has earned 90 credit hours or more.

Undergraduates Taking Graduate Coursework
University of Miami undergraduates within 30 credit hours of meeting the requirements for the Baccalaureate Degree may be allowed to take up to twelve (12) graduate-level credits (no more than 6 credit hours may be taken in one semester) in non-degree graduate status while completing the requirements for the baccalaureate.

The Graduate School's Application for Undergraduates to Take a Graduate Course form is available on the Graduate School website (https://grad.miami.edu/).
1. Must have a minimum of 3.00 G.P.A.
2. The submission of an Application for Undergraduates to Take a Graduate Course form (available on the Graduate School website (https://grad.miami.edu/)) which will not require the application fee;
3. The written approval of the Chairman of the Department, the Dean of the Undergraduate School or College, and the Graduate School Representative prior to registration.

Approval to take graduate-level courses does not automatically admit the student, upon graduation, to status as an applicant for a graduate degree at the University of Miami.

The graduate credit hours earned may NOT be used to meet undergraduate graduation requirements or be used to meet the 120 credit hour requirements at the University of Miami.

No more than 6 credit hours may be taken in one semester, and no more than a total of 12 credit hours may be taken while in graduate status. Students may take no more than 15 credit hours of combined undergraduate and graduate courses per semester.¹

If the total combined undergraduate plus graduate credits exceeds 15 credits, the Graduate School will require the undergraduate advisor and undergraduate dean to provide approval. Please note that the application form requires the student and a financial aid representative to sign and date the form acknowledging that the student understands the financial implications of this registration.

Eligibility for University Extracurricular Activities

Full participation in University-sanctioned extracurricular activities and organizations is open to all full-time students who are not on academic probation and who have been assessed the Student Activity Fee. Extracurricular activities include, but are not limited to the following: academic, athletic, dramatic, or musical organizations or teams; student organizations registered with the Committee on Student Organizations (COSO); fraternities and sororities; student publications; program boards; and University committees.

Students on probation may participate in any activity required as partial fulfillment of their degree program; may attend meetings of organizations; and may play intramural sports. They may not otherwise compete, perform, or hold a leadership position. At the beginning of each fall semester, the activity's faculty or staff advisor or appropriate committee chairperson shall determine with the Office of the Provost the eligibility of each participating student. Some activities apply stricter standards, and may monitor academic progress and review eligibility during the academic year. Students should consult with the individual activity for specific requirements.

Readmission

Undergraduate students who have not attended the University for at least one semester should request readmission through Canes Central no later than two weeks before the beginning of classes, in the semester they wish to re-enroll. Readmission to the University is contingent upon approval of the Dean of the school/college the student is applying to and clearance from the Office of Student Account Services.

International students who seek readmission must receive clearance from International Admission and submit a bank letter to receive an I-20 from International Student and Scholar Services.

Specific details on the readmission process can be found here (https://registrar.miami.edu/general-information/policies/readmission/).

Students who have attended another college or university since they were last enrolled at the University of Miami, will be required to provide a transcript of their work. Failure to disclose all prior institutions attended may result in disciplinary action.

An undergraduate student who has applied to graduate for a given semester will not be eligible to register for any subsequent semester until the student applies for readmission or admission to a new program. A candidate for graduation may wish to continue his/her studies in one of the following situations:

1. If the student fails to graduate and further registration is needed, they must delete their application for graduation in CaneLink and within twenty-four hours, registration for subsequent semesters or sessions should be available. Students should contact Canes Central for assistance.
2. If the student graduates and wishes to pursue a second bachelor's degree, the student must apply for readmission, stating his/her new degree objective.
3. If the student graduates and wishes to take additional course work without a degree objective, the student must apply for unclassified status.

Proof of immunization must be provided to the Student Health Service before readmission to the University of Miami. Failure to do so may prevent you from registering for classes.

Inactive Status

Inactive status is available to continuing, undergraduate, degree-seeking students who intend, and qualify, to re-enroll at the University of Miami after leaving the university for a designated period of time. This status is used when students will not be taking classes at another institution. Students interested in this option may obtain further information here (https://registrar.miami.edu/general-information/policies/inactive-status/) or by visiting Canes Central.
Non-UM Programs

Students who study through a non-UM program, domestic or study abroad, and would like to have those credit hours applied toward their UM degree, should apply for Non-UM Program status. For more specific information on the Non-UM program please see the application (http://cdn.miami.edu/wda/registrar/Documents/non-um-program-application-2017.pdf).

Non-UM is only available in the Fall and Spring semesters.

As of July 1, 2017, the fee will be $350 per semester.

Student Identification Numbers

All students at the University of Miami will receive an identification number that is unique to them. This number supplements the social security number, which is also required by the university in order to provide information to the federal government and approved agencies. Access to social security numbers is limited to staff who have a legitimate need for that information.

Transfers Between Schools and Colleges

Undergraduate students who have compiled fewer than sixty (60) credit hours may transfer between schools and colleges provided that such students:

1. Demonstrate their academic admissibility to the new program (as defined by class rank and SAT scores) at the time of their original matriculation at the University;
2. Satisfy any special criteria required for admission by a particular program (e.g., auditions in the arts, portfolios in architecture, etc.); and
3. Obtain the approval of the Dean of the receiving school or college.

It is a general policy of the University that students admitted to degree seeking status may not transfer to an unclassified status.

Students who have compiled 60 or more credit hours with an average of 2.0 or higher and who have satisfied all of the above three conditions may be eligible to transfer between schools and colleges pending space availability and additional program requirements.

Graduate Policies and Procedures

grad.miami.edu

All graduate work (except for the Master's Degree in Law, J.D. in Law and M.D. degree) at the University of Miami is under the direction of the Dean of the Graduate School and the Graduate Council.

All graduate students at the University of Miami are subject to the general standards and requirements of the University and its various programs in regard to attendance, examinations, payment of fees, and conduct, as well as to the specific requirements of the Graduate School. The graduate student is expected to assume the initiative in completing all requirements in the time specified.

Admission requirements are described in the Bulletin of the Graduate School, and may be obtained from the individual department or program.

Applications are processed through the various Schools and Colleges. Visit the Graduate School website (http://grad.miami.edu) and click apply to review the application process.

Prospective students should note that "graduate study" means an integrated program of advanced, specialized study, based on an undergraduate major and/or adequate background, presupposing academic and personal maturity, and making much more than average demand upon the industry, initiative, and scholarship of the student. The term must be distinguished from "post-graduation study" which means merely that courses, not necessarily of graduate level, are taken after the student has received a bachelor's degree.

To preserve its ideals of scholarship, conduct, and character, the Graduate School reserves the right and the student by his/her registration concedes the right to require the withdrawal of any student for any reason deemed sufficient by the Graduate School at any time.

Academic Policies

Time to Completion

Time to completion starts when a student begins any program in the Graduate School, whether it be a master’s or doctoral program. All work must be completed within six years of the time of admission to graduate work, for those studying for the various master’s degrees; and within eight years for those studying for doctoral degrees. For those admitted directly into a Ph.D. program without a master’s degree in that field, work must be completed within eight years. Individual programs may set a shorter time period. Exceptions to the time to completion policy may be granted by the Dean of the Graduate School at the request of the Graduate Program Director.
Recency/Validation for Over-Aged Credit Hours
Graduate credit hours transferred from another university may not be applied toward a graduate degree at the University of Miami if their age at the time of acceptance into the University of Miami program exceeds six years. On an individual basis, students may be permitted to validate over-aged credit hours by examination, with program approval.

Continuous Enrollment
To maintain status as a graduate student, registration in each fall and spring semester is required. Otherwise, admission lapses and readmission must be granted. Doctoral students for whom course work is no longer appropriate should consult their program for registration guidance.

Registration
Graduate students can register on the first day of registration and through the registration period. For more information on registration, students should contact their respective School or College. See academic calendar for dates of registration periods here (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/).

Full-Time Study
The categories of full-time students include:

1. Graduate students taking 18 or more graduate credit hours during the calendar year (9 credit hours in a regular semester or 6 credit hours in a summer semester. In online programs, 6 credit hours in each regular semester and 6 credit hours during the summer.)
2. Graduate teaching and research assistants taking 16 or more graduate credit hours during the calendar year (8 credit hours in regular semester or 6 credit hours in a summer semester).
3. Graduate students enrolled in any course numbered 800 or above, i.e., any 800-level course required for the completion of the degree.
4. All MBA for Executive and Professional students are considered full-time.

In all cases, determination as to whether or not a student is in full-time study is the privilege of the Dean of the Graduate School.

The maximum number of credit hours allowed for full-time study is 12 for each semester and six for each summer semester. Exception to this policy can only be made by the Dean of the Graduate School or his/her designee and requires a signed recommendation from the Program Director.

For thesis and dissertation students, full-time registration is required during the semester or summer session in which a candidate defends the thesis or dissertation. Students who wish to have this requirement waived must have a written request provided to the Graduate School by the Dean of their respective College or School, or the Dean's designee.

No full-time faculty member may be a full-time student, whether or not working toward a degree. Nor may a full-time student be a full-time faculty member.

No full-time student will be a principal investigator in any grant or contract, whether in name or fact. And no principal investigator will be a full-time student.

Exceptions to these rules may be made in cases in which students are encouraged to apply individually for small research grants that are consistent with and contribute to their field of study and their dissertation work, and, in certain programs, in which students in a terminal degree status are obliged, as a part of their degree program, to teach as de facto faculty members. (Note: Faculty from the School of Nursing and Health Sciences and from the Physical Therapy program are permitted to pursue doctoral degrees in their home program/school.)

Withdrawals
Withdrawals, either from individual courses or from a graduate program, should be processed through the office of the Dean of the School or College of the student's program. Students who wish to officially withdraw from joint or dual degree programs should consult the office of the Dean of the School of College for both disciplines. The date of withdrawal is that on which the student notifies the office of the Dean or the date of receipt of a letter requesting withdrawal. No withdrawal from the University is official until the student has consulted with the Dean of his/her school or college and has completed the necessary forms.

Students wishing to officially withdraw from the University of Miami must provide the Office of the Registrar notification of their intent to withdraw. Initial notification may be made in person, in writing, by fax, or by telephone. This notification will be recorded and used for notification purposes for the Federal Government. Repayment of any federal funds will be based on the date of notification.

Students must also follow the required process as set forth by their school/college for withdrawing from courses. This process often requires that a signature from a Dean or the Dean's representative be obtained on a Change of Course form. In some cases, students can complete the Change of Course form (hard copy or through the CaneLink system) without an approving signature. Change of Course forms must be submitted to the Office of the Registrar for final processing/review.
To officially withdraw from the MBA Program or Master of Science in Professional Management program, students must inform the Office of Graduate Business Programs in writing prior to the beginning of a course/term. Tuition will be refunded on a prorated basis based on the number of class meetings attended. No tuition refund will be granted when class attendance has exceeded 50% of class meetings. For further information contact: Office of Graduate Business Programs, 305-284-2510, mba@miami.edu.

**Military Withdrawal**

Tuition refunds of 100% are granted to students who withdraw due to military service, provided they do not receive credit hour for the course (see below under “Credit Hour for Courses After the 12th Week of the Semester”).

If you receive federal financial aid and withdraw before you complete 60% of the semester, a pro rate calculation will determine the amount of financial aid you have earned. It is based on the amount of time you were enrolled. This calculation is independent of any charges incurred at the university.

**Credit Hour for Courses After the 12th Week of the Semester**

The following statement of policy was adopted by action of the Academic Deans' Council April 14, 1967:

1. On recommendation of the Dean of the school or college, students who withdraw after the 12th week of the semester because of official orders to active duty with the Armed Forces of the United States may be awarded credit hour in any course in which they have achieved a C or better up to the time of withdrawal. Instructors must certify that the student had achieved satisfactory accomplishment on the basis of previous work in the course by awarding an appropriate grade. Accomplishment of less than C should be entered on the permanent record as a withdrawal without prejudice (W).

2. Credit hour granted for a course under this policy should count toward graduation.

3. There should be no refund of tuition for courses for which credit hour has been granted. Refunds of courses not awarded credit hour should be on the same basis as complete withdrawals for military service.

4. The above recommendations are procedures for determining the awarding of credit hour and do not release the student from the usual withdrawal procedures.

Veterans and children of deceased or totally disabled veterans attending the University as students under the government’s educational benefits bills must also clear their withdrawal with the main campus Veterans Affairs Officials in the Office of the Registrar who can be contacted at:

Phone: 305-284-8682 or
Email: veterans@miami.edu

**Leave of Absence**

Leave may be obtained by petition of the Program Director followed by the approval of the Dean of the Graduate School. Leave of Absence officially stops the time to completion clock. The Petition for Leave of Absence form may be found on the Graduate School website (http://grad.miami.edu).

**Grades and Credit Hours**

The same letter grades are used for graduate and undergraduate students, but with somewhat different meaning.

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<td>C</td>
<td>Fair, but below that expected of graduate students (C- is the lowest passing grade. Some programs may require higher standards.).</td>
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<td>S</td>
<td>Symbol used for acceptable (U-unacceptable) thesis, dissertation, practicum, and internship credit hour. It may be used for regular courses under special circumstances with the prior approval of the instructor, department chairman, and the Dean of the Graduate School. The Graduate School considers a grade of “S” to indicate a minimum of a 3.0 GPA in a graduate course if a student has taken no prior coursework on the graduate level. A grade of “S” reflects that a student is in good academic standing.</td>
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<td>Course dropped prior to the last day for withdrawing from classes as published in the official calendar of the university. Courses dropped after last date must have approval of Dean of the Graduate School. Credit hour can be earned only by successful repetition of the course.</td>
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<td>Incomplete work in passing status with the instructor’s permission to complete the course. (Not to be used for thesis or dissertation credit hours). The “I” should be changed to a letter grade within one (1) calendar year after it is given, unless the Academic Dean of the student’s primary school or college and the Dean of the Graduate School approve the delay. If the “I” is not changed within one year, credit hour can be earned only by successful repetition of the course. (Note: Fellowships and financial aid may be withdrawn if there is an excess accumulation of “I”s on a student’s transcript).</td>
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NG Symbol assigned by Enrollment Services indicating that the instructor has not yet reported the student’s grade. For a student to receive credit hour for the course, the instructor must report a passing grade prior to the student’s graduation.¹

¹ Faculty Senate Legislation #85005(B)

An average of B (3.0) is required for a graduate degree, and no “D” credit hour may be counted toward the degree. All work leading to the graduate degree and taken as a graduate student will be counted in computing the quality point average, including courses graded “D”.

No transferred credit hours are calculated into the University of Miami G.P.A.

**Award of Academic Merit**

Students who obtain a 3.8 G.P.A. or better will receive an Award of Academic Merit from the Graduate School. The Award is posted on the transcript.

Quality points are awarded as follows:

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The quality point average is then determined by dividing the total of quality points earned by the total of credit hours attempted. The symbols “S”, “W”, and “I” are not counted as credit hour attempted.

**Graduate Repeat Rule**

A student may repeat a course in which a failing grade was earned, but the repetition of the course will not eliminate the previous grade from the record. A course may be repeated only once unless written authorization is provided by the Dean of the Graduate School. All grades are included in the computation of the quality point average. If a course in which an unsatisfactory grade (as determined by the program advisor) was earned is repeated and the repeat grade is a “C-” or higher, the number of credit hours required for graduation will be increased by the number of credit hours repeated.

**Graduate School of Business Repeat Rule**

Graduate students in the Miami Herbert Business School who fall below the 3.0 GPA may be placed on academic probation. Within one semester after their GPA falling below 3.0, Master’s students wishing to repeat a course may petition their program director to do so. If the petition is approved by the Graduate Program Director, the grade obtained in their second attempt will replace the original grade for purposes of calculating their GPA for clearance for graduation only. Authorization to repeat a course is limited to courses in which an unsatisfactory grade was earned (as determined by the Graduate Program Director). Additionally, a course may be repeated only once and students may not repeat more than two courses. The student’s transcripts will continue to show all attempts and the GPA computation will include all grades earned for purposes other than computing the GPA for clearance for graduation. If a course in which an unsatisfactory grade of lower than a B- was earned is repeated and the repeat grade is “C-” or higher, the number of credits required for graduation will be increased by the number of credits repeated. Registrations which involve repeating a course in which a grade of “A” or “B” has already been earned may not earn quality points or credit hours, nor count as credits attempted.

**Graduate Student Grade Appeal Process**

The Academic community is unanimous in its position that the grade an instructor assigns to a student is the instructor’s responsibility and privilege. Any effort to alter this would be a violation of academic freedom. It is the instructor’s responsibility to establish criteria for assigning grades. Grounds for appeal of how a grade was assigned are:

1. Award of a grade based on the student’s race, religion, color, sex, age, disability, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, veteran status, national origin or any other characteristic set forth in the University’s Non-Discrimination Policy;
2. Award of a grade based on conduct that violates the University’s anti-harassment or anti-retaliation policies; or
3. Failure to adhere to the grading criteria established for the course;
4. Violations of other policies/procedures for grading that are clearly defined in the Faculty Manual.
The Faculty Senate Student Affairs Committee (FSSAC) has responsibility for graduate student grade appeals, except for MD and JD programs. To facilitate grade appeals from graduate students, the FSSAC will have a non-voting ex officio faculty representative of the Graduate School. The FSSAC reviews graduate student grade appeals that have not been resolved at the department, school/college, or Graduate School levels. The FSSAC reserves the right to not hear appeals that require extensive knowledge of specialized or technical issues, including but not limited to, dissertations, theses, qualifying exams, recitals, and clinical/research assignments. The Graduate School has responsibility for all other graduate academic appeals.

I. Time Constraints
The appeal process must be initiated before the completion of the following semester (i.e., Fall or Spring) of the assignment of the grade resulting in appeal and prior to the completion of all degree requirements or withdrawal from the University. Each level of appeal should aim to review the appeal and deliver a judgement within a 20 academic day period from the date the appeal is submitted. The entire process should be completed within one calendar year. Exceptions to this deadline may be permitted by the FSSAC for good cause.

Timeline Goals:
1. Student Appeal to the Graduate School Level must follow completion of all internal (i.e., home School or College) grade resolution and/or appeals processes, and then has 20 academic days from the completion date of the internal process to contact the Academic Ombudsperson and/or directly to the Dean of the Graduate School regarding an appeal.
2. Academic Ombudsperson has 20 academic days to review, provide a preliminary assessment to the student about whether it is reviewable by FSSAC, after receiving information from the student. The student may appeal directly to the Dean of the Graduate School (step 3).
3. The Dean of the Graduate School has 20 academic days to review, decide whether to forward to FSSAC, after receiving all information from the student.
4. FSSAC has 20 academic days to review/hear appeal, and to submit recommendation to Dean of Graduate School.
5. Dean of the Graduate School has 20 academic days to review recommendation of the FSSAC, and to inform student of final decision.

II. Order of the Appeal
Attempts to resolve issues regarding a grade must be addressed to the following entities or persons in this order:
1. The faculty member of administrator responsible for the course, program or activity.
2. The department/program chair/director and/or administrative superior(s) of the faculty member or administrator.
3. The Dean or designee of the school or college offering the course, program, or activity. If the school, college or administrative unit has a committee constituted to hear graduate student appeals, that committee must be consulted before proceeding to the next level, i.e., for advice from the Ombudsperson or appeal to the Graduate School.
4. The student is to provide the materials listed in Section IV below to the Academic Ombudsperson who will review the merits of the potential appeal, and attempt to resolve the matter. The Academic Ombudsperson, as part of his/her review should give the student a preliminary assessment as to whether the matter, as presented by the student at that time, is reviewable by FSSAC. After, and only if, all other steps are taken, the Ombudsperson may refer the matter to the Dean of the Graduate School.
5. Appeal to the Graduate School Level. If the student has exhausted all levels of appeals in their School/College and has consulted with the Ombudsperson, then the student is to provide the materials listed in Section IV below to the Dean of the Graduate School, who will review the merits of the appeal and attempt to resolve the matter. As part of his/her review should give the student a preliminary assessment as to whether the matter, as presented by the student at that time, is reviewable by FSSAC.
6. After, and only if, all the other steps are taken the Dean of the Graduate School (or designee) will decide whether or not to refer the appeal to the FSSAC. If, and only if, the Dean of the Graduate School (or designee) does so, the FSSAC shall have jurisdiction to review a grade-related appeal. As part of the request, the Dean of the Graduate School shall forward to the FSSAC, via the Faculty Senate office, the materials submitted by the student as indicated in Section IV below.

III. Faculty Senate Student Affairs Committee (FSSAC) Appeals Process
The FSSAC will review the student’s written appeal (see Section IV below), confer with the appropriate faculty, administrators, and others as it deems necessary in making its recommendation to the Dean of the Graduate School. Students may present written materials to the FSSAC, or request an additional in-person meeting with the FSSAC. The FSSAC may request an interview with the student, additional information, or access to records, interviews with relevant faculty or administrators, or additional information or access to records kept by faculty or administrators.

The FSSAC will communicate its findings and recommendations to the Dean of the Graduate School. Copies shall be provided to the Faculty Senate. The final decision with respect to the grade-related appeal will be made by the Dean of the Graduate School and communicated to the student in writing. Copies shall be provided to the Faculty Senate Office and to the Chair of the FSSAC.

IV. Materials for an Appeal
When bringing an appeal, the student must state in writing issues they wish to have considered. The appeal must include:

1. An appeal letter clearly stating the circumstances of the grade as seen by the student, and offering reasons for granting the appeal.
2. The appeal letter must indicate if the student wishes to make a personal appearance and, if so, the reasons why the appearance is necessary.
3. Documents of support (e.g., examinations, term papers, syllabi, or medical documentation of illness) that the student wishes to have examined.

4. All written decisions made at earlier levels of the appeal by individual faculty/administrators, departments/program/administrative units, college or school committees, and/or deans which are available to the student or in the student’s possession.

V. Other Notes and Special Considerations

If the appeal is based on or related to a charge made by the student of discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin, religion, sex, sexual orientation, age or handicap, a representative of the appropriate University office will be contacted and, as appropriate, consulted in the appeal process.

If the appeal is based on or related to a disability:

- The ADA Coordinating Committee shall serve in an advisory capacity.
- The student is to include in the materials provided the appropriate forms from the Office of Disability Services documenting
  - An evaluation of the disability
  - Recommendations related to the disability

*The FSSAC does not consider appeals based upon the grant, denial or modification of an accommodation by the Office of Disability Services. Instead, any such appeal is as prescribed by the Office of Disability Services Grievance Procedure only.*

Levels of Graduate Study

Graduate study implies the need for a minimum of formal courses and a maximum of independent work under faculty supervision. Coursework, in itself, is not necessarily a determinant of graduate progress and achievement. The appropriate determinants are the ability of the qualified student to master the various qualifying and comprehensive examinations that a program requires of the student. All work taken by a graduate student in the major area or area of concentration shall be at the graduate level (600 or above). With the permission of the program of major concentration a student may take elective credit hours (not prerequisite to the major) at any level provided the following limits are observed:

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Approval for students enrolled in a graduate degree program to take undergraduate credit hours can be made only after a minimum of 12 credit hours are completed. Undergraduate credit may not count toward the graduate degree requirements. Undergraduate credit may not be awarded retroactively, nor are credit hours accepted from another institution.

RA, TA, GA Hourly Guidelines

To receive a stipend an RA, TA, GA must be a full-time student.

Graduate students with appointments as RAs, TAs or GAs will be expected to work 20 hours per week with the exception of efforts directly required for dissertation research.

International students may work on campus provided the student is maintaining F1 status and does not work more than a total of 20 hours per week (including any off campus work the student may have been authorized to perform) while school is in session. Questions regarding work for international students should be directed to International Student and Scholar Services (http://www.miami.edu/isss/).

Graduate students with Assistantships and Fellowships will be classified with the following designations. *(FE) Fellows, *(RA) Research Assistant, *(TA) Teaching Assistant, *(GA) Graduate Assistant, *(TR) Trainee. *Please contact the Graduate School for specific codes.*

Definitions

FE (Fellow)
Responsibilities do not include the provision of direct services to the University and require internal/external fellowship support.

RA (Research Assistant)
Responsibilities are mainly conducting research and/or assisting with research projects.

TA (Teaching Assistant)
Responsibilities are mainly teaching and/or assisting in the area of teaching.

GA (Graduate Assistant)
Responsibilities are mainly in professional support of University operations and programs. Graduate students should not be hired to perform clerical duties.
Participation in graduation for students in all graduate programs is contingent upon the following:

1. The student must have met the requirements for his or her program.
2. The student must have a minimum of 3.00 cumulative grade point average; all students receiving master's degrees must have completed a minimum of 30 credit hours; all Ph.D., D.M.A., and Ed.D. students must have completed a minimum of 60 credit hours.
3. The student (Ph.D., D.M.A., and Ed.D. candidates) must be admitted to candidacy one semester prior to graduation.
4. The student may not have any outstanding debt including, but not limited to, tuition, fines, and fees. Tuition for the last semester of study must be paid in full by the beginning of the final semester.
5. The student must complete an electronic thesis or dissertation (ETD) according to the Graduate School's requirements and submit the final three forms, online surveys and agreements (if required) in the semester the student wishes to graduate. All students are required to adhere to the following deadlines (and the requirements associated with these deadlines) posted on the ETD website.

Policy on Outside Employment for RA/TA/GA

A graduate student must have prior approval from the chair or advisor to work outside the department, since such activities might impede progress toward his/her degree. Any question or concern should be discussed with the Dean of the Graduate School.

1. A graduate student is allowed to supplement his/her stipend by tutoring undergraduate students in courses in which he/she has no direct responsibility at the time.
2. A graduate student who is teaching a class or lab of a multi-section course using a common syllabus and common exams may not tutor any student in any section of that course.
3. A graduate student, like any other member of the teaching faculty, may offer review sessions for his or her students to which he or she may invite students from other sections of the same course. The graduate student arranging such sessions may not under any circumstances take money from the students in attendance.
4. A graduate student may use his or her office for tutoring or may ask departmental permission to use a classroom or other appropriate university facility.
5. The graduate advisor or department chair may require a graduate student to limit his or her outside employment or tutoring activity if, in the view of the department, such activity is impeding the graduate student’s academic progress or keeping him or her from fulfilling responsibilities within the department.
6. International students should clear their work instructions with International Student and Scholar Services. Questions regarding work for international students should be directed to International Student and Scholar Services (http://www.miami.edu/isss/), Phone: 305-284-2928, E-mail: isss@miami.edu.

Requirements for Teaching Assistants

1. Graduate teaching assistants who are the instructors of record and responsible for assigning grades in a course must have a master's in the teaching discipline or 18 graduate credit hours in the discipline.
2. Graduate teaching assistants must be directly supervised by a faculty member in the teaching discipline, must attend regular in-service training provided by the Graduate School and/or provided by the specific graduate program, and must be reviewed by the supervising faculty member at least once a semester.
3. Graduate Teaching Assistants who have previous teaching experience and indication of competency may be exempted from Teaching Assistant training by the Graduate Program Director in the discipline. The Graduate Program Director must then notify the Graduate School of any exemptions that are granted.

Graduation

It is the responsibility of the student to apply for graduation through CaneLink during the student's final semester before the date indicated on the Academic Calendar (https://registrar.miami.edu/dates-and-deadlines/academic-calendars/) and the Schedule of Classes. These dates are published here (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/). Students who previously applied for graduation but did not receive the degree must repeat the application procedure. Deadlines for the commencement program are firm. Students may walk in the commencement ceremony, but the program will indicate “in progress” if information is missing. Students will be degree candidates until they have been cleared for degree conferral by the Graduate School.

Commencement ceremonies are held in May and December only. Those completing degree requirements during the fall, spring or summer sessions may, if they wish, participate in the commencement ceremonies of the previous or following May or December. Doctoral students participating in the hooding ceremony and master’s students marching in the commencement ceremony must have the approval of the graduate advisor, director, or appropriate person in the program to participate in the ceremonies.

Participation in graduation for students in all graduate programs is contingent upon the following:

1. The student must have met the requirements for his or her program.
2. The student must have a minimum of 3.00 cumulative grade point average; all students receiving master’s degrees must have completed a minimum of 30 credit hours; all Ph.D., D.M.A., and Ed.D. students must have completed a minimum of 60 credit hours.
3. The student (Ph.D., D.M.A., and Ed.D. candidates) must be admitted to candidacy one semester prior to graduation.
4. The student may not have any outstanding debt including, but not limited to, tuition, fines, and fees. Tuition for the last semester of study must be paid in full by the beginning of the final semester.
5. The student must complete an electronic thesis or dissertation (ETD) according to the Graduate School’s requirements and submit the final three forms, online surveys and agreements (if required) in the semester the student wishes to graduate. All students are required to adhere to the following deadlines (and the requirements associated with these deadlines) posted on the ETD website (https://grad.miami.edu/electronic-thesis-
Clearance for Degree Conferral

For the Graduate School to clear a student for graduation:

1. All original documents (official transcripts from previous degrees, GRE scores, etc.) must be on record in the Graduate School (except for MBA students).
2. The Admission to Candidacy form must have been completed by the program at least one semester before graduation. The Graduate School does not require application to candidacy for master's, D.P.T., nor D.N.P. degrees.
3. Student must defend the dissertation, doctoral essay, lecture recital essay, or thesis by the deadline specified in the Academic Calendar for the semester the student wishes to graduate.
4. Student must upload one Dissertation Editor-approved PDF of the dissertation, doctoral essay, lecture recital essay, or thesis conforming in style to the standards set by the Graduate School to the ETD database and submit the final three forms to the Graduate School in the semester the student wishes to graduate. All students are required to adhere to the following deadlines (and the requirements associated with these deadlines) posted on the ETD website: 1) Deadline to defend the thesis, dissertation, or doctoral/lecture recital essay; 2) Deadline to submit the full draft of the thesis, dissertation, or doctoral/lecture recital essay draft for formatting review by the Dissertation Editor; 3) Deadline to produce the final PDF; and 4) Deadline for completion.

Class Attendance and Absences

Regular and punctual class attendance is expected of all graduate students. It is the student's responsibility to know the instructor's policies regarding examinations, penalties for absences, and late or missed work.

V.A. students will be provided a grade report at the end of each semester period. A copy of the report will be placed in the student's permanent file maintained by the Veteran Affairs Office. Because of the far-reaching effects of these revisions in the V.A. educational benefits program, it is suggested that you exercise care and judgment in your program planning and in the selection of your courses.

Student Responsibility

Standards of study and conduct in the Graduate School are set and maintained, not by fiat of the Graduate School, but rather by the faculty who determine the standards. The Graduate School through its Council sets no course requirements for a degree. It does set certain general residence, grade and examination standards. Fundamentally the Graduate School devolves responsibility upon the student and the appointed committee. Within this broad responsibility the recommendation for the degree rests with the committee.

All graduate students at the University of Miami are subject to the general standards and requirements of the University and its various departments in regard to attendance, examinations, payment of fees, and conduct, as well as to the specific requirements of the Graduate School. The graduate student is expected to assume the initiative in completing all requirements at the time specified.

To preserve its ideals of scholarship, conduct, and character, the Graduate School reserves the right and the student by his/her registration concedes the right to require the withdrawal of any student for any reason deemed sufficient by the Graduate School at any time.

It is the responsibility of the student to be informed concerning all regulations and procedures required. In no case will a regulation be waived or an exception granted because a student pleads ignorance of the regulation or asserts that he/she was not informed of it by an advisor or other authority. The student should become familiar with the Bulletin, including

1. The section presenting the requirements for the degree to be undertaken;
2. The offerings and requirements of the major department;
3. The Graduate Student Honor Code.

After the applicant has been admitted to the Graduate School but before the first registration, the student should consult the School or College and program in which the major work will be done concerning course requirements, deficiencies, if any, the planning of a program or special regulations. Programs may have additional degree requirements that are not listed in this Bulletin. All registrations require the signature of the Dean of the School or College (or his/her representative) in which the degree is to be awarded.

Only a Graduate Program, with approval of the Dean of the Graduate School and/or the Graduate Council, may waive requirements stated in this Bulletin.
Graduate Student Code of Ethics

Graduate students agree to abide by the Graduate Student Honor Code.

The University of Miami expects all graduate students to adhere to the highest standards of ethics and academic integrity. All forms of academic fraud are strictly prohibited. These include, but are not limited to, plagiarism, cheating, collusion, falsification, violation of professional ethics or misrepresentation of research data. Students certify that all work (whether an examination, dissertation, thesis, research paper, research project, form of creative expression, experimental data, or any other academic undertaking) submitted for evaluation, presentation, or publication meets these standards. Additionally, graduate students are expected to respect and appreciate the diversity of the community and to respect the rights of others, be they property, privacy, opinion, or expression. Any student found to be in violation of these standards is subject to disciplinary actions by the student’s program and/or the Graduate School through the process described in the Graduate Student Honor Code. All graduate students are bound by the rules and regulations of the University of Miami that apply to them.

Graduate School Grievance Guidelines

Introduction

These University of Miami Graduate Grievance Procedures provide an opportunity for the resolution of disputes involving graduate students in a fair and collegial manner. These Graduate Student Grievance Procedures supersede all prior such procedures in effect or formerly utilized at the graduate level. They do not supplant UM Students Rights & Responsibilities or any other published policy or procedure relating to graduate students.

Purview of the Guidelines

The formal grievance process described herein is intended for cases not involving grades or matters covered by the Honor Code, which have not been resolved at the department or program level, and it is available only after a final determination within the relevant School or College has been reached. Students are encouraged to seek assistance from the University Ombudsperson for possible resolution before initiating the formal graduate grievance process. The procedures set forth here are applicable to any of the following types of grievances by graduate students who are enrolled in any graduate program at the University of Miami, except exclusively in the M.D. and J.D. programs:

1. grievances alleging improper dismissal or suspension from a graduate program;
2. grievances alleging the improper withholding or termination of financial support of any kind;
3. grievances alleging any other improper treatment, either substantive or procedural, of a graduate student by a faculty member, department or program, or university agency or administrator except:
   a. allegations of improper evaluation of the quality and/or quantity of academic work (see UM Student Rights & Responsibilities);
   b. allegations of unfair recommendation for employment or further graduate study;
   c. allegations of discriminatory treatment arising from the student complainant’s age, race, gender, sexual preference, handicap, national origin, or religion. (Such allegations ordinarily are handled by the Office of Equality Administration);
   d. grade appeals (certain appeals are reviewed by the Faculty Senate Student Affairs Committee, FSSAC; see UM FSSAC Standard Grade Appeals Process- Graduate Students).

Constitution of the Committee and Grievance Panel

The Graduate Council Grievance Committee (GCGC) is a standing committee comprised of the Schools’ and Colleges’ alternate representatives to the Graduate Council. Grievances as understood herein shall be heard by ad hoc appeals panels, constituted from time to time by the Dean of the Graduate School to review individual graduate grievances. The grievance review panel (GRP) shall consist of five disinterested members: four faculty members of the GCGC and one graduate student appointed by the executive board of the Graduate Student Association. Notice of the constitution of the GRP shall be given by the Office of the Dean of the Graduate School in writing to all parties to the grievance within ten (10) days after the grievance review request is properly filed.

Any party to the grievance may challenge the disinterestedness of a GRP member in writing to the Dean of the Graduate School within five (5) days after notification of the appointment. The challenge must specify reasons that would prevent the committee member or graduate student from making an unbiased recommendation with respect to the grievance. If such a challenge is determined to be valid by the Graduate Dean, a substitute appointment shall be made and the process will resume accordingly.

Procedure and Time Limits for Filing a Grievance

After a final determination has been made in the relevant School or College (or by the head of the relevant administrative office in the event of a grievance against a university agency), a student who believes he or she has grounds for appeal within the purview of these guidelines may file a written grievance review request with the Office of the Dean of the Graduate School. The request shall describe the student’s allegations in a clear and concise fashion and shall clearly identify the individual(s), program(s), department, School or College, and/or University agency or administrator against whom the grievance is brought. The student’s written grievance review request shall be filed within thirty (30) days of the final determination. No grievance review request nor any other appeal of any kind will be granted after this time limit has expired unless a written extension of time is granted by the Dean of the Graduate School based on a written request from the grievant stating good cause.
Definitions and Assumptions

Burden of Persuasion
The burden of persuasion is on the grievant.

Final Determination
This grievance process is available only after a final determination within the relevant School or College has been reached. This provision is intended to require the grievant to exhaust the remedies available within the relevant School or College before appealing to the Graduate Dean. In the case of a student in an interdisciplinary program who does not yet have a chair and/or committee assembled, the Dean of the Graduate School shall make a final determination in the student’s case subject thereafter to the appeal contemplated by this policy. An appeal of the decision of the Dean of the Graduate School follows this same procedure, except that the GRP shall be constituted by the Office of the Provost from the pool of GCGC members. Written notice of the constitution of the GRP in the case of a student in an interdisciplinary program without a chair or committee, shall be given by the Office of the Provost to all parties to the grievance within ten (10) days after the grievance review request is properly filed. All other deadlines, requirements, procedures, and the hearing format remain the same.

Originals
Wherever possible, the party in possession of an original document in support of or rebuttal to or at issue in the grievance shall provide it to the GRP within the time frames set out in the Hearing Materials and Preparation Deadlines.

Party
A party is the student grievant or the individual, program, department, School or College, or University agency or administrator against whom the student brings his or her grievance.

Time Limits
All time limits shall be calculated based on working days of the Fall and Spring Semesters, excluding reading and exam periods and University holidays. Grievances originally filed after the end of the Spring Semester will be heard at the beginning of the following Fall Semester. Any stated time limit herein may be extended with the written consent of the grievant and the Dean of the Graduate School.

Written
Any document to which these guidelines refer as written signifies electronic or paper (hard) copy. Email messages and digital or other electronic versions meet the requirement that a form or notice be provided in writing.

Deadlines for Hearing Materials, Preparation, and Witness Identification
All materials to be considered for review by the members of the GRP must be submitted in writing to the Office of the Dean of the Graduate School at least fourteen (14) days before the scheduled date of the hearing, at which time such materials will be distributed to all parties to the grievance and to the members of the GRP. Thereafter, to the extent that any of the parties wishes to have additional materials considered by the GRP such materials must be received by the Executive Assistant to the Dean of the Graduate School no later than seven (7) days before the scheduled date of the hearing, at which time all such additional written materials will be distributed to the parties as well as to the members of the GRP.

The name of any witness to be called by any party at the hearing shall be provided in writing to the Office of the Graduate Dean no less than five (5) days before the scheduled date of the hearing, at which time the names will be distributed to the parties and members of the GRP.

Hearing
The grievance review hearing is chaired by a designated member of the GRP. The hearing is staffed by the non-voting Associate Dean of the Graduate School and the non-voting Executive Assistant of the Dean of the Graduate School, who will audio-record the hearing to assist the panel and Dean in rendering their decision. The audio-recording will be kept at the Graduate School for one year following the conclusion of the grievance. The hearing will proceed as follows:

1. GRP chair’s introduction, summary of issues, and process overview.
2. Student’s presentation of issues (15 minutes maximum).
3. University representative’s presentation of issues (15 minutes maximum).
4. Optional: Presentation(s) by witnesses (limited to 3 per side and a maximum of 15 minutes total per side).
5. Questions by members of the GRP.
6. All presenters and witnesses are excused.
7. Deliberation by GRP.

Presentation of the issues should be concise and relevant. Undoubtedly the dispute is somewhat complex or it would not have reached this stage. Points of dispute or ambiguity may be summarized or illustrated by anecdote at the hearing. Experience suggests, however, that the best approach is to minimize formal presentations and allow the GRP members maximum time for questions.
**GRP Decision and Authority**

No additional substantive information may be submitted by any party following the hearing, unless requested by the GRP. The GRP may but need not seek additional information from other sources during its deliberations, which will be conducted in closed session. Following its deliberations, and within ten (10) days of the date of the grievance review hearing, the GRP will make its confidential advisory recommendation to the Dean of the Graduate School [Office of the Provost in the event of a student in an interdisciplinary program who does not yet have a chair or committee]. The subsequent decision by the Dean of the Graduate School [Office of the Provost], which shall be rendered within ten (10) days of the GRP’s recommendation, is final.

Note: The above guidelines pertain only to matters which do not involve representation by an attorney. If an attorney is involved in the grievance, the Office of Legal Counsel at the University should be contacted.

**Modifications**

These procedures may be modified or withdrawn with or without notice.

**Research Policies**

**University of Miami Policy on Inventions, Intellectual Property, and Technology Transfer**

**I. GENERAL**

**1.1 General**

Although the University does not undertake research or developmental work principally for the purposes of commercialization, patentable inventions and other works with commercial application may result from activities carried out by Applicable Personnel. The University has an obligation to appropriately develop innovations to both benefit the public and generate resources that further support the academic mission of the University. The purpose of this policy is to outline rights and responsibilities regarding inventions, intellectual property and technology transfer and to provide guidelines for the protection, management and commercial application of innovations.

**1.2 The policy is applicable to:**

1. All full- and part-time faculty, staff and employees, students, fellows and non-employees who use University funds, facilities or other resources, or participate in University-administered research, including visiting faculty and industrial personnel, regardless of obligations to other companies or institutions;
2. Innovations conceived, created, made or disclosed on or after the Effective Date of this policy, and to those prior Innovations disclosed to the Office of Technology Transfer (OTT) as agreed by Applicable Personnel.

**1.3 Responsible Official: The Provost is responsible for administration of this policy.**

**Policy Review:** The Technology Transfer Policy Committee (TTPC) is responsible for review of proposed changes to the Faculty Manual in relation to this policy.

**II. DEFINITIONS and ABBREVIATIONS**

For the purposes of this policy, the following definitions shall apply.

Applicable Personnel: all full- and part-time faculty, staff and employees, students, fellows and non-employees who use University funds, facilities or other resources, or participate in University-administered research, including visiting faculty and industrial personnel, regardless of obligations to other companies or institutions.

Commercialization Costs: costs incurred by the University for evaluating, protecting, defending, enforcing, marketing, negotiating, licensing, assigning, transferring and otherwise commercializing Innovations and/or University owned Intellectual Property.

Courseware: course syllabi, assignments, assessments, and/or other materials that are first created and made available to students as part of the educational curriculum at the University.

Creations: copyrightable works created in the course of Applicable Personnel’s scholarly and artistic pursuits, including literary works, textbooks, other scholarly books, journal articles, novels, poems, plays, musical compositions and other artistic works to disseminate for scholarly study or artistic expression; a student work created using student dedicated resources, as part of the educational curriculum at the University, including Capstone projects, papers, dissertations and articles.
Gross Revenue: the amount received by the University under a license or assignment of the University's rights in Innovations, including option or license fees, milestone payments, royalties and proceeds from sale of equity.

Incidental Use: use of none of the University's resources other than its library, limited secretarial or administrative resources, the University's computers and/or Applicable Personnel's office space. Use of University laboratories, clinics and equipment may also be construed as an incidental use in accordance with written policies jointly developed by a school or college and the TTPC.

Innovations: patentable or un-patentable inventions, discoveries, processes, compositions, research tools, data, ideas, databases, know-how, copyrightable works that are not scholarly or artistic Creations and tangible property, including biological organisms, engineering prototypes, drawings, and software created, conceived or made by Applicable Personnel within their normal duties (including clinical duties), course of studies, field of research or scholarly expertise or making more than Incidental Use of University's resources.

Intellectual Property (IP): patent applications and patents, copyright registrations and renewals, trade secrets and trademarks. IP may be categorized as Creations or Innovations as detailed in Section III.

Net Revenue: Gross Revenue, less all Commercialization Costs and a 15% deduction for administration of OTT.

CDA: Confidential Disclosure Agreement
IP: Intellectual Property
MTA: Material Transfer Agreement
OTT: Office of Technology Transfer
TTPC: Technology Transfer Policy Committee

III. OWNERSHIP

3.1 Consistent with long-standing academic tradition, Creations are owned by the author(s), unless otherwise agreed in a contract between the University and Applicable Personnel, including:

1. the University has expressly commissioned the Applicable Personnel in writing to produce, or participate in production of, the work with University's funds for a specific University purpose;
2. the University has expressly assigned the Applicable Personnel in writing to produce or participate in the production of the work; or
3. the work is otherwise subject to contractual obligations.

3.2 Creations meeting one of the above criteria (a-c) will be treated as Innovations and shall be owned by the University.

3.3 Innovations are owned by the University; revenues derived from commercialization of Innovations will be shared with the Applicable Personnel as detailed in Section VI.

1. Applicable Personnel are required to assign and hereby do assign to the University all Innovations. This assignment includes the right for the University to claim priority and recover for third party infringement or misappropriation.
2. This assignment and abiding by this policy are conditions of employment and continued employment, access to University's resources and/or receipt of funding by the University.
3. This policy governs in the event of any inconsistent obligation to which Applicable Personnel may agree, including in any consulting agreement.

3.4 Intellectual property made or developed with not more than Incidental Use of University resources and not within normal duties (including clinical duties), course of studies, field of research and scholarly expertise of Applicable Personnel will belong to the Applicable Personnel. If Applicable Personnel are uncertain about the disposition of rights, they should make full disclosure of the potential Innovation or Creation to the OTT for determination of rights, as further described in Section 5.2.

3.5 Criteria for ownership of Courseware developed by Applicable Personnel follow the guidelines for Creations and Innovations.

IV. ADMINISTRATION OF THE POLICY

4.1
The Provost is responsible for oversight and administration of this policy. The Director of the OTT reports to the Provost or Provost's designee.

4.2

The TTPC is a committee consisting of seven voting faculty members, including the Provost or Provost's designee, the Vice Provost for Research and 5 additional faculty members, chosen by the Provost in consultation with the Faculty Senate chair. The Director of OTT and a member of the Office of General Counsel will serve as advisors to the TTPC. The five faculty members will serve two-year terms, which may be renewed.

1. The TTPC is charged with review of proposed changes to the Faculty Manual in relation to this policy;
2. TTPC proposed changes must be approved by the Provost and subsequently undergo the standard procedure for changes to the Faculty Manual, with final approval by the President and the Board of Trustees; and
3. The TTPC will meet at least annually and otherwise as necessary and will be chaired by the Provost or Provost's designee.

4.3

The OTT:

1. Evaluates Disclosure Forms and determines the commercial potential and the most appropriate mechanism, if any, for protecting each Innovation;
2. Works with Applicable Personnel to identify and engage potential commercial partners for their Innovations;
3. Undertakes negotiation and execution of agreements pertaining to Innovations, including licenses, data transfers, assignments, Material Transfer Agreements (MTA) that cover transmission of Innovations (outbound MTA), as well as Confidential Disclosure Agreements (CDA);
4. Receives Gross Revenue and distributes Net Revenue received from commercialization of Innovations; and
5. Interacts with University's research, compliance and finance units, including the Office of the Vice Provost for Research, Office of General Counsel, Office of Research Administration, Business Services, University Advancement, University Compliance Services and other units to ensure appropriate conduct of business and protection of the University's interests and recommend contractual language related to all Innovations.

4.4

Appeal Process. Disagreements with decisions made pursuant to this policy should be addressed to the Provost for final resolution.

4.5

Failure by Applicable Personnel to comply with the requirements of this policy may constitute unprofessional conduct and may lead to penalties including:

1. The individual being deemed ineligible to hold principal investigator status on sponsored projects;
2. The individual being deemed ineligible to enter into technology transfer agreements; and
3. In the case of University Faculty, referral to the Senate's Committee on Professional Conduct for such other sanctions as it may recommend to the President and/or the Senate.

V. DISCLOSURE, REVIEW AND PROTECTION OF INNOVATIONS

5.1

Disclosure

1. Applicable Personnel are required to make timely and complete disclosure of Innovations to the OTT via submission of a Disclosure Form, available on the OTT website; early disclosure facilitates engagement of the OTT and allows for specific discussion and guidance toward determination of commercial potential.
2. In general, disclosure to the OTT should occur at least 45 days prior to public disclosure of the Innovations, including submitting an abstract, poster, article, grant application or talking about the Innovation outside the University; this allows time for the OTT to evaluate commercial potential and identify mechanisms for protection of the Innovation.
3. On the Disclosure Form, the Applicable Personnel will report:
   a. the percent contribution of each of the Applicable Personnel to the Innovation;
   b. primary department and school for each Applicable Personnel;
   c. any center, institute or other department that supported the work that led to the Innovation;
   d. any Intellectual Property or tangible materials of a third party, including those that were generated at a previous institution or place of employment that has relevance to the disclosure;
   e. any non-University inventors (i.e., inventors who are not Applicable Personnel as defined in this policy), including, individuals acting as independent contractors, or individuals at other universities, institutions, companies, foundations or other entities; and
   f. the source of funding for the work that led to the Innovation and details regarding specific technology transfer language (for example, ownership of allocations, sharing of revenue or licensing of Intellectual Property) in the funding agreements.
5.2 Review and Protection of Innovations

1. The OTT will evaluate each Innovation Disclosure Form to determine
   a. commercial potential;
   b. what Intellectual Property protection, if any, would be appropriate to facilitate the University’s ability to incentivize investment in the commercial development of the Innovation; and
   c. whether or not the Disclosure Form is premature or incomplete, in which case, the Applicable Personnel may be asked to resubmit the Disclosure Form when additional information is obtained.

2. Evaluation for such Innovation as described in Section 5.2(a) will be made to Applicable Personnel within 90 days of receipt of a complete Disclosure Form.

3. Applicable Personnel will cooperate with the OTT in its efforts to evaluate, protect and transfer Innovations, including executing documents and taking other actions as reasonably requested by OTT. The University encourages Applicable Personnel to participate through the OTT in the process of commercialization.

4. Applicable Personnel are required to consult with the OTT to ensure that appropriate agreements are in place prior to disclosing the University’s Innovations or sending materials embodying Innovations outside the University (for example, to another university, institution, company, foundation or other entity).

5. Lack of patentability need not eliminate commercial potential for an Innovation and will not alter the University’s ownership of the Innovation.

6. The OTT is responsible for directing the filing of University-owned Intellectual Property. The OTT may delegate this authority including by written agreement in connection with commercializing an Innovation. As an example, the University retains qualified law firms to draft, submit and prosecute patents.

7. The OTT decides when and whether to enter into agreements conveying Innovations and the terms and conditions in such agreements.

8. Applicable Personnel are required to record all research data and information accurately and clearly and to keep all such data in a permanent and retrievable form. In addition, with regard to a patentable Innovation, original laboratory data must be kept for the life of the patent. Tangible property, including biological materials, chemical compounds, etc., must be securely stored. All of the foregoing are the University’s property. Exceptions to these requirements may be adopted in writing by the TTPC.

9. It is the University’s policy to publish research results as soon as possible; however, if publication may reveal an Innovation, Applicable Personnel should seek advice from OTT as to how and when to publish the results in order that patent or other protection is not compromised.

10. Applicable Personnel are obligated to refrain from any act that would impair the University’s rights in any Innovations and must maintain the confidentiality of Innovations, along with custody of applicable data and tangible property, consistent with the University’s decisions regarding protection and commercialization. This is especially important when the Innovations have been supported by outside entities through a grant or contract.

11. If Applicable Personnel leaves the University, all the Innovations arising prior to their departure remain the property of the University, and cannot be practiced, including being commercialized, without the University’s written agreement;

5.3 Release of Technology

1. In rare cases, the OTT may recommend that the University return the rights to an Innovation to the Applicable Personnel. When this situation occurs, the University will generally transfer its rights, and if so by in a written agreement that will allow the University to practice and have practiced the Innovation for research, education and/or patient care, at no cost, and may include other provisions to protect the University’s interests;

2. Such a release will not be given until all pre-existing commitments to third parties, including sponsoring agencies, with regard to Innovations have been cleared;

3. Prior to conducting activities, including research and clinical trials, that could reasonably appear to influence the financial value of the released Innovation, the Applicable Personnel must disclose the potential conflict of interest.

4. Improvements, new developments and modifications to these returned rights, otherwise satisfying the definition of Innovations, remain subject to this policy;

5. Release may be conditioned upon reimbursement to the University for all Commercialization Costs and 10% of the Applicable Personnel’s net income from the released Innovation.

VI. DISTRIBUTION OF REVENUE DERIVED FROM COMMERCIALIZATION OF INNOVATIONS

6.1 Sharing of Revenue - Guidelines

1. Multiple units may contribute to the support of work that leads to an Innovation, including the departments and schools/colleges of Applicable Personnel, as well as centers or institutes of which the Applicable Personnel are members.
2. Distribution of Net Revenue will follow the percent allocation for Applicable Personnel as agreed upon on the Disclosure Form. Absent agreement on the percent allocation among Applicable Personnel, and subject to notice of a dispute being resolved pursuant to Section 6.1(i), the Applicable Personnel will share equally.

3. Distribution to departments will follow the percent allocation for Applicable Personnel. For those schools/colleges without departments, the department share will be distributed to the school/college.

4. The Applicable Personnel are responsible for disclosing whether a center or institute has provided financial or other support for the work that led to the Innovation, including laboratory space, supplies or significant administrative support. In such cases, upon disclosure of the Innovation, the involved department (or school/college in the absence of departments) will work with the center or institute to agree upon sharing of the department Net Revenue with the center or institute. As centers and institutes often include faculty from more than one school or college, the Provost or Provost's designee will mediate disputes related to the department's share.

5. In the event that departments, centers or institutes from different schools/colleges contribute to an Innovation, sharing of Net Revenue will follow the allocation as determined in 6.1(c) and (d).

6. University may make alternative arrangements for distribution of Gross Revenue or Net Revenue, whether due to co-ownership, grant, funding contract, gift or other agreement, only after review and approval of the Provost or Provost's designee.

7. The OTT is authorized to delay distribution where additional expenses are anticipated, including those associated with filing for patent protection in foreign countries.

8. The University has no fiduciary or other duty regarding whether or when to liquidate equity. Unless equity is liquidated, there is no Net Revenue to distribute.

9. Any dispute regarding the distribution of Net Revenue may be addressed as set forth in Section 4.4 of this policy.

6.2 Formula for Sharing of Revenue

1. Accrued as a result of Innovations licensed or assigned prior to the effective date of this policy, and in the absence of special funding/gift agreements:
   a. Commercialization Costs will be deducted from Gross Revenue; this does not include 15% for administration of OTT; and
   b. The first $1,000 of cumulative Net Revenue shall be paid to the Applicable Personnel

2. Cumulative Net Revenue will then be distributed 1/3 to the Applicable Personnel; 1/3 to the departments of the Applicable Personnel and 1/3 to the University.
   a. Accrued as a result of Innovations licensed or assigned on or after the effective date of this policy, and in the absence of special funding/gift agreements:
      b. Commercialization Costs will be deducted from Gross Revenue; however, the 15% for administration of OTT will not be deducted from Gross Revenue until initial cumulative Net Revenue equal to $25,000 has been distributed to the Applicable Personnel; after which
      c. Ongoing Commercialization Costs will be deducted from cumulative Gross Revenue, followed by deduction of 15% for administration of OTT;
      d. Cumulative Net Revenue greater than $25,000 and up to $2 million will be distributed 1/3 to the Applicable Personnel, 1/3 to the department(s), as well as institutes and centers, as described in Sections 6.1c - 6.1e and 1/3 to the University.
      e. Cumulative Net Revenue greater than $2 million will be distributed 1/3 to Applicable Personnel; 1/3 to the school/college, with the Dean of the Applicable Personnel school/college having the authority to determine sharing of Net Revenue between department(s)/center(s)/institute(s) within the school/college; 1/3 to the University.

6.3 Additional Information

1. In the absence of extenuating circumstances, distributions of Net Revenue will generally be made within three months of receipt but no less than semi-annually.

2. If Applicable Personnel should change departments within the University, the department share of revenue will generally not follow the Applicable Personnel, except under special circumstances and only as agreed upon by the Dean of the school/college in which the original department resides.

3. If an Applicable Personnel should leave the University, the portion allocated to the Applicable Personnel's department will remain with the department.

4. Payments made to Applicable Personnel must be made to the Applicable Personnel and cannot be assigned by the Applicable Personnel to other parties or entities, except upon the Applicable Personnel's death, in which case the personal representative of the Applicable Personnel's estate will notify the University Controller's Office, in order to ensure that the appropriate paperwork and permissions are received for distribution of the revenue to the Applicable Personnel's estate/heirs.
Admission

Eligibility for Admission

In addition to holding the baccalaureate degree from an institution accredited by SACS or another regional accrediting body (or equivalent credential for international applicants), the applicant for admission to the Graduate School should have the prerequisite coursework required by the program to which he/she is applying. In general, those applying for graduate admission should have achieved an overall average grade of “B” or better (3.0 G.P.A. on a 4.0 scale). International students will be required to give evidence of adequate knowledge of English through a TOEFL or IELTS test score. University of Miami faculty members above the rank of instructor are not eligible to apply for the doctorate at the University of Miami. (Note: Faculty from the School of Nursing and Health Sciences and from the Physical Therapy program are permitted to pursue doctoral degrees in their home program/school.)

For specific admission requirements see also statements of the various programs.

Admission of a student to the University of Miami for any semester does not imply that such student will be re-enrolled in any succeeding academic semesters.

All those wishing to take courses for graduate credit hour, whether or not they wish to become candidates for a degree, must make application for admission directly to the program of interest prior to registration.

Requirements for Admission Application

1. The completed application form
2. Official transcripts of all college work, both undergraduate and graduate. Domestic or international applicants that have academic credits from or attended an international institution must have their educational credentials earned outside the United States verified by an approved international credentialing evaluation service. Each of the university's 11 schools and colleges has specific procedures that must be followed by international applicants. Visit our International Applications page for more information (https://www.grad.miami.edu/apply/on-campus-graduate-programs/Application%20Instructions%20for%20International%20Students/international-students.html).
3. International applicants whose native language is not English must take and submit official score reports from the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) or the International English Language Testing System (IELTS) in addition to any other required entrance examinations (e.g. GRE/GMAT). The TOEFL and IELTS scores are valid for 2 years after the test date.
4. Letters of recommendation
5. Other requirements, such as standardized entrance exams (e.g. GRE or GMAT)*, may be required/requested by individual programs. Contact the specific program to which you are applying for their requirements,

* Please note that if a standardized entrance exam score is required, the scores submitted must be recent (within five years). GRE and GMAT scores are only valid for 5 years after the test date.

Materials submitted in support of an application cannot be released for other purposes nor returned to the applicant.

Categories of Admission

1. Regular admission with or without specified deficiencies. Under circumstances in which it is difficult to evaluate the academic background of intellectually qualified applicants, they may be admitted with specified deficiencies based on evaluative criteria established and maintained by the school or college. Such status is often appropriate for international students or students with extensive professional experience relevant to the desired discipline. The Graduate School allows only one semester in deficiency status. Graduate Council notification is required for programs requesting deficiency status beyond one semester. For all regular admissions with deficiencies, students must receive a list of documented requirements to remove the deficiency and specific milestones. Students who fail to qualify at the end of that time will be requested to withdraw from the Graduate School.
2. Post-Baccalaureate. This category provides an opportunity for graduate study for a. qualified applicants who, for good reason, do not wish to work toward an advanced degree. This would be appropriate for those students who have special objectives for professional study or scholarly work; b. students enrolled in a graduate program elsewhere but desiring to earn graduate credit hour at the University of Miami for the purpose of transferring it to the other institution; c. students already holding the master’s degree or doctorate but who desire additional coursework in their field. Those admitted to a post-baccalaureate status should realize that their future admission to regular status is improbable unless they achieve the qualifications originally appropriate to admission to those categories. This is to say that the mere accumulation of graduate course credit hours is not sufficient to permit entrance into another graduate category. No more than a total of 12 credit hours may be taken while in post-baccalaureate status.

Transient students described in (b) above should have sent to the Graduate School a letter from the Dean of the School or College of the student’s program from which they expect to earn a degree, stating that they are in good standing there and have permission to transfer credit hour. If possible,
this letter should indicate specific courses to be taken. The students described in (c) above should have a transcript showing their most recent
graduate work and graduate degree [to be sent directly by the issuing institution to the Graduate School].

3. Certification/Professional Goals. This category provides an opportunity for graduate study for qualified teachers or professionals who do not wish to
work toward an advanced degree but, who for professional reasons, need to continue to take graduate courses and have already taken 12 credit hours
in Post-Baccalaureate Status. No credit taken in this status can be applied toward a graduate degree at the University. A letter explaining the need for
the course work by the student’s employer must accompany the application.

Every applicant for admission can be assured that all credentials will be carefully studied in an effort to select appropriately qualified students. Each
application for admission is examined by the members of the faculty responsible for the graduate program. The program informs each applicant of the
results.

It is expected that most applicants for admission will be candidates for an advanced degree. Except under unusual circumstances those who already
hold an advanced degree are not admitted to candidacy for the same degree. Graduate programs vary as to whether students who do not hold the
master’s degree are required to initiate graduate studies at that level.

Applicants should note the following:

1. All correspondence, applications, and documents should be sent directly to the academic department;
2. No action is taken until a file is complete and all documents are available;
3. Application files should be complete at least one month before registration, much earlier for some applications, as specified elsewhere in this
   Bulletin;
4. Admission to graduate status does not imply admission to candidacy for a degree;
5. Some programs close admissions early because of limited capacity; and
6. Materials submitted in support of an application are not released for other purposes and cannot be returned to the applicant.

International Students Admissions
All international students who have been admitted to a program of full-time study at the University of Miami need to enter the U.S. on a student
visa. To apply for an F-1 visa, you must provide the U.S. Embassy or Consulate with a Form I-20 or DS-2019, passport, statement of funds, and other
documents as required by the U.S. Embassy or Consulate. Please visit the International Student and Scholar Services (http://www.miami.edu/issss/)
(ISSS) website for further information regarding visas, travel, pre-arrival information, etc. The Form I-20 or DS-2019 can only be issued after you have
been admitted and have submitted proof of adequate financial support for your studies and living expenses. For questions regarding issuance of the
Form I-20 or DS-2019, please contact your individual department.

Readmission
Students who have not been continuously enrolled must request readmission and adhere to the readmission deadlines outlined in the Academic
Calendar (https://registrar.miami.edu/dates-and-deadlines/academic-calendars/). Students returning from a Leave of Absence must request
readmission. Contact the appropriate program office well in advance of registration. If additional college work has been completed elsewhere since
the last enrollment at the University of Miami, an official transcript of this will be required. Recency of credit hour rules will apply. The application for
readmission to the Graduate School may be found on the Graduate School website (http://grad.miami.edu). If you are an applicant for readmission
and also an international student, please contact International Student and Scholar Services at isss@miami.edu and 305-284-2928.

Dual Degree and Accelerated Degree Programs
The University offers unique combined degree programs that culminate with students receiving both the undergraduate and graduate degrees
concurrently or an accelerated program of study in which they receive an undergraduate degree and then a graduate degree the following year.

These programs are intended for exceptional students to acquire both undergraduate and graduate degrees, in five years rather than the 4 plus 2 years
(approximately) that is traditionally expected.

Please note: Many financial aid programs, including those offered by the University and the federal and state governments are restricted to
coursework required to complete an undergraduate degree.

Requirements
Students must have undergraduate student status and a cumulative G.P.A. of at least 3.0 at the time of application. Students should discuss the
program and possibility of entering the program with an academic advisor. The program may require application at the time of matriculation to the
undergraduate degree or prior to the beginning of final exams in the junior year.

Undergraduate students must take the GRE Examination before the end of their classification as a senior and attain a combined score of more than
297 on the verbal and quantitative portions.

Once admitted into a dual degree or accelerated program:
In their senior year, students may take a maximum of 12 graduate credit hours, with a maximum of 6 credit hours per semester. While in senior status, to register, students must complete and submit the Graduate School's Application for Undergraduates to Take a Graduate Course form which is available on the Graduate School website (https://grad.miami.edu/). This form must accompany the Add/Drop and/or Course Request form to ensure that students are registered with the correct registration status. Add/Drop and/or Course Request forms without this approval form will not be processed. Undergraduate students must register for courses with graduate status in 'Canes Central. This process cannot be facilitated via online registration.

Financial Implications
Many financial aid programs, including those offered by the University and the federal and state governments are restricted to coursework required to complete an undergraduate degree.

Students are eligible for undergraduate aid only as long as they are undergraduates. Students enrolled in combined or accelerated degree programs are permitted undergraduate federal and University aid for a maximum of four academic years or to the point at which the number of graduate credit hours in a term exceeds the number of undergraduate credit hours, whichever comes first. During that time frame the student's undergraduate enrollment status will be determined using only undergraduate level courses in which the student enrolls. Graduate level courses in which the student enrolls during such semesters will not be used to determine the student's undergraduate enrollment status. Once a student is registered at the graduate level for financial assistance his/her status is considered graduate for all subsequent semesters.

Once registered as a graduate student, a student cannot revert to undergraduate status.

For further information, contact the Office of Financial Assistance at ofas@miami.edu, call 305-284-6000, or visit the office in the Whitten University Center.

Graduation Clearance Requirements
For dual degree programs, the student must apply for undergraduate and graduate graduation at the same time. Degrees from dual degree programs are conferred at the same time.

For accelerated degree programs, the student must apply for undergraduate graduation in one semester, and for graduate graduation in a subsequent semester.

The student must meet the requirements of the Graduate School specified in the Bulletin for the awarding of the graduate degree.

Students enrolled in a dual degree or accelerated program can take a maximum of 6 graduate credit hours per semester in their senior year for a maximum of 12 graduate credit hours without incurring additional costs if they are full-time undergraduate students during this period.

Students should register for courses towards their graduate degree as "G" credit hours and not as "U" credit hours. These registrations must be completed prior to taking courses. Retroactive add/drops will not be processed.

Summary of Guidelines for Dual Degree and Accelerated Programs
• Take at least 12 undergraduate credit hours per semester. This qualifies you for the opportunity to take up to 6 graduate credit hours per semester at no additional cost.
• Graduate credit hours can be taken only in the senior year in a dual degree or accelerated program (based on the number of credit hours earned towards the undergraduate degree).
• The maximum number of graduate credit hours allowed per semester is 6.
• The maximum number of graduate credit hours the undergraduate student can take at no additional cost is 12.
• The Application for Undergraduates to take a Graduate Course form should be completed and all signatures must be obtained before registering for graduate credit hours.
• The student can change his/her status to "graduate", or his/her status might be determined to be "graduate" for financial aid purposes during or at the completion of the senior year. This will make the student eligible for graduate financial aid (for US citizens or permanent residents).
• The student cannot be a full-time undergraduate (taking 12 or more undergraduate credit hours) and a full-time graduate (taking 9 or more graduate credit hours) student at the same time.
• Once a student’s status changes to graduate (or after they have taken a full load of graduate credit hours) his/her status cannot revert to undergraduate status.
• In a dual degree or accelerated program, an undergraduate student cannot take graduate credit hours in any other year except in the senior year.
• The student should avoid taking any undergraduate credit hours after the student’s status has changed to graduate.

For University of Miami Undergraduates
University of Miami undergraduates within 30 credit hours of meeting the requirements for the Baccalaureate Degree may be allowed to take up to twelve (12) graduate-level credits (no more than 6 credit hours may be taken in one semester) in non-degree graduate status while completing the requirements for the baccalaureate.
The Graduate School's Application for Undergraduates to Take a Graduate Course form is available on the Graduate School website (https://grad.miami.edu/).

1. Must have a minimum of 3.00 G.P.A.
2. The submission of an Application for Undergraduates to Take a Graduate Course form (available on the Graduate School website (https://grad.miami.edu/)) which will not require the application fee;
3. The written approval of the Chairman of the Department, the Dean of the Undergraduate School or College, and the Graduate School Representative prior to registration.

Approval to take graduate-level courses does not automatically admit the student, upon graduation, to status as an applicant for a graduate degree at the University of Miami.

The graduate credit hours earned may NOT be used to meet undergraduate graduation requirements or be used to meet the 120 credit hour requirements at the University of Miami.

No more than 6 credit hours may be taken in one semester, and no more than a total of 12 credit hours may be taken while in graduate status. Students may take no more than 15 credit hours of combined undergraduate and graduate courses per semester.\(^1\)

\(^1\) If the total combined undergraduate plus graduate credits exceeds 15 credits, the Graduate School will require the undergraduate advisor and undergraduate dean to provide approval. Please note that the application form requires the student and a financial aid representative to sign and date the form acknowledging that the student understands the financial implications of this registration.

Doctoral Degree

(For Ph.D., D.M.A., and Ed.D. candidates only)

General

The Graduate School does not specify course requirements for the Ph.D. However, the Graduate School will not, ordinarily, approve the taking of the qualifying examination until the student has had a minimum of one continuous academic year of graduate work in courses, seminars, and directed or tutorial study. 60 credit hours beyond the baccalaureate degree are the minimum requirement for the Ph.D., and not less than half of the total credit hours must be in work open only to graduate students. At least 24 credit hours must have been taken in residence at the University of Miami. A minimum of 12 dissertation credit hours must be taken. Graduate students studying for the Ph.D. who have received their master's degree in the same field must take at least 24 credit hours in residence at the University of Miami in doctoral status.

The specific course requirements for the Ph.D. are established by the major department or program which may require such additional graduate credit hour as it deems necessary. Such requirements will be found in that part of the Bulletin which lists course offerings.

Dissertation

A student must take a minimum of 12 credit hours of dissertation research except where otherwise stated. Not more than 12 credit hours of research may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than 6 in a summer session.

Ph.D., D.M.A., and Ed.D. degree students must defend their dissertation, doctoral essay, or lecture recital essay by the deadline specified in the Academic Calendar (https://registrar.miami.edu/dates-and-deadlines/academic-calendars/) and on the ETD website, upload one Dissertation Editor-approved PDF conforming in style to the standards set by the Graduate School to the ETD database, complete any online requirements, and submit the final three forms to the Graduate School in the semester the student wishes to graduate. Final forms include one Certificate of Defense Approval form, one ETD Final Content Approval form, and one ETD Availability Agreement form. All three forms are available on the Forms page of the Graduate School website (https://grad.miami.edu/policies-and-forms/forms/).

All students are required to adhere to the following deadlines (and the requirements associated with these deadlines) posted on the ETD website (https://grad.miami.edu/electronic-thesis-and-dissertation/): 1) Deadline to defend the thesis, dissertation, or doctoral/lecture recital essay; 2) Deadline to submit the full draft of the thesis, dissertation, or doctoral/lecture recital essay draft for formatting review by the Dissertation Editor; 3) Deadline to produce the final PDF; and 4) Deadline for completion.

The candidate is well advised to have a final, acceptable typescript of the dissertation in the hands of each member of his/her committee a minimum of two weeks prior to the defense. It is the duty of the student to acquire a copy of the guidelines for preparing theses and dissertations and to conform to the requirements therein. It is recommended that students begin the process early in the semester by discussing with their advisors a suitable timetable for meeting the ETD deadlines. All information pertaining to the formatting and electronic guidelines for electronic thesis and dissertation submission can be found on the ETD website (https://grad.miami.edu/electronic-thesis-and-dissertation/). It is the duty of the student to acquire a copy of the formatting guidelines for preparing theses and dissertations and to conform to the requirements therein. All dissertations are also published by ProQuest/University Microfilms, Inc. The Graduate School also encourages students to contact the Dissertation Editor early in the semester at grad.dissertation@miami.edu if they have questions regarding any aspect of the ETD process.
The dissertation may be written in a language other than English at the recommendation of the dissertation committee and with the approval of the program and the Graduate School. Graduate School approval will be determined on a case-by-case basis. The Dissertation Chair will submit a memorandum from the Department Chair to the Dissertation Editor together with the student’s application for admission to candidacy explaining why it is both relevant and appropriate for the dissertation research to be written in a language other than English. Acceptable “relevant and appropriate” reasons for writing the dissertation in a language other than English include, but are not limited to: relevancy to research where presentation in a non-English language expands knowledge of that language; relevancy where the loss or weakening of the research’s meaning and impact if primary data, e.g., interviews, are translated into English; or appropriateness where the majority of the bibliographic sources, references, and potential outlets for future publication are anticipated to be in that language other than English. Both the memorandum and the application for admission to candidacy form must be submitted to the Graduate School at the same time. In some cases upon review of the memorandum, the Graduate School may determine that the student will also be required to submit an English translation of the non-English dissertation. For all approved cases, an abstract in English should be included in the final dissertation.

Electronic Theses and Dissertation (ETD) Embargo Policy
Graduate students can elect to withhold their electronic thesis or dissertation for up to two years before the work is available for download from the University of Miami’s Scholarly Repository (http://scholarlyrepository.miami.edu/). The metadata for all theses and dissertations regardless of the availability option elected (i.e., open access, UM campus only, or embargo) will be immediately available for viewing in the university’s Scholarly Repository after the Dissertation Editor has approved and released the thesis or dissertation to the repository. If embargo is elected by the student, the existence of the student’s information page will appear in the Scholarly Repository right away displaying title, defense date, abstract, committee, keywords, etc., but the PDF of the electronic thesis or dissertation will not be downloadable until the term of embargo elected has expired. After the elected embargo period has expired the electronic thesis or dissertation will be released for open access in the Scholarly Repository. Students requesting embargo should carefully review the details of embargo election described in the ETD Availability Agreement form available on the Graduate School website (https://grad.miami.edu/) to ensure they fully understand the terms of access for their embargoed work.

Research in Residence
Once a student has completed all course and required research credit hours, he or she must enroll in Research in Residence status until the degree has been granted. Research in Residence status is considered full-time enrollment. Time restrictions on obtaining degrees will be strictly enforced and can be waived only by the Dean of the Graduate School. Research in Residence students, while not required, may purchase or receive any perquisites that are normally available to graduate students. (See Recency of Credit section.)

Residence
The student must spend at least two consecutive semesters beyond the first year’s graduate work, wherever taken, in full-time study at the University of Miami. With program approval,

1. one summer of full-time study in two sessions can be substituted for one semester of residence, or
2. full-time study for two successive summers can be substituted for two regular semesters.

Residence requirements may be altered only by the Dean of the Graduate School. (At least 24 credit hours must be taken in residence.)

The Supervisory and Dissertation Committees
A supervisory committee is usually appointed when a student is formally admitted to a doctoral program. For the dissertation/doctoral essay/lecture recital essay committee a student needs no less than four members. The committee chair must be Regular Faculty from the student’s program of concentration (this includes secondary appointments). In addition to the chair, two members must be Regular Faculty or have Graduate Faculty status in the student’s program of concentration. The fourth member must be an outside member. “Regular Faculty” are faculty having tenured or tenure-earning appointments of a program or department. A thesis or dissertation committee cannot be chaired by a person unless they hold a higher or equivalent degree as the candidate for the graduate degree. Exceptions to the committee composition may be approved by the Program Director (or Chair of the Department) and Dean of the Graduate School. A department, program, or school/college may require additional members.

This committee is nominated by the chairperson of the program concerned. It is appropriate for the chairperson to consult with the student regarding the membership of the committee. The supervisory committee is empowered to plan the course of study for the student; to determine deficiencies, if any; to set language and other requirements; to request applicable transfer of credit hour where appropriate and to make up and administer the qualifying examination.

When the student is admitted to candidacy, a dissertation committee is formed. This may be the supervisory committee, but it may also be a committee formed anew to undertake the duties of advising and passing upon the dissertation. The dissertation committee is nominated by the department or program concerned, and appointed by the Graduate Program Director and approved by the Department Chair. The dissertation committee is comprised of at least four members; this includes the committee chair (i.e. the primary research mentor/advisor), who may or may not be from the student’s program, department or school (this includes secondary appointments), and must be a permanent member of the Graduate Faculty (https://grad.miami.edu/). Of the remaining members, it is also required that two shall be members of the program or department of concentration, as well as permanent members of the Graduate Faculty (http://grad.miami.edu), and one from outside the program or department of concentration.
See Faculty Senate legislation 2017-13B (https://fs.miami.edu/_assets/pdf/facultysenate/Documents/2017-legislation/2017-13B-GradSchool-composition-of-dissertation-committee.pdf). A program may require additional members. The duties of the Dissertation Committee are:

1. To consult with and to advise students on their research;
2. To meet, at regular intervals, to review progress and expected results;
3. To read and comment upon the draft dissertation;
4. To meet, when the dissertation is completed, to conduct the final oral examination and to satisfy itself that the dissertation is a contribution to knowledge and that it is written in lucid and correct English and submitted in approved form.

No student gains the right to be recommended for the degree simply by fulfilling requirements. This right is reserved to the student's committee. Changes of committee members must be approved by the Graduate Program Director, and submitted to the Graduate School.

**Qualifying Examinations**

A written qualifying examination is to be taken by each doctoral degree candidate in all doctoral programs, with the exception of Physical Therapy, at the time that the student and the supervisory committee deem appropriate. The major program may specify that its students must take an oral examination as well. In those cases, normally, the student shall pass the written examination before the oral examination is conducted. Upon completion of the examination process, the supervisory committee shall notify the Graduate School and the instructional school or program that the student has passed or failed the examination. A student who fails the examination will be given one opportunity to retake it with the permission of the supervisory committee. After a qualifying exam is failed for a second time, the student is terminated from the program. Some programs do not administer qualifying examinations during the summer months. Check with the Graduate Program Director for specific program requirements.

**Admission to Candidacy**

When the student has met all requirements and passed the qualifying examinations, admission to candidacy for the degree is approved. No student may receive the degree in the same semester or summer session in which he or she is admitted to candidacy. The student must be admitted to candidacy before the defense of dissertation is scheduled.

**Final Examination**

A final public oral defense of the dissertation is required. Refer to the Academic Calendar (https://registrar.miami.edu/dates-and-deadlines/academic-calendars/) for the deadline regarding dissertation defense for each graduation. Graduate programs set the specific requirements and format of the defense. Please contact your Graduate Program Director for details.

**Transfer of Credit Hour**

Upon recommendation of the major program and the approval of the Graduate Program Director and Dean of the Graduate School, graduate credit hour from another accredited institution may be transferred in partial satisfaction of the doctoral degree. Any student wishing to transfer credit hour must first be admitted to a doctoral program at the University of Miami. The satisfaction of the requirements of another university does not relieve the student from the University of Miami's requirements. Credit hour transferred is subject to the same recency rules as all other credit hour counted toward the degree, and is also subject to examination by the program. An official transcript of work to be transferred must be on file in the Graduate School. Credit hours that pertain to or have counted toward another degree cannot be transferred. No transferred credit hours are calculated into the University of Miami G.P.A.

**Florida International University and University of Miami Agreement**

Effective as of Fall 2007, students may take up to 6 credit hours at the host institution as long as the following requirements are met:

1. Must be Ph.D. student or Master's student in Latin American Studies.
2. Approval from both home and host institution;
3. Approval of Graduate School Deans;
4. Space at the host institution is available.
5. Approval of the faculty member teaching the course.

Tuition and fees are to be paid at the home institution. Performance level is set at host institution. Contact the Graduate School for more information. The application form can be found here (http://grad.miami.edu).

**Master's Degree**

The minimum residence requirement is two semesters in full-time study or the equivalent in part-time work. In practice, most students need at least three semesters, or two semesters plus summer work, to complete degree requirements.
Foreign Language

The requirements in a foreign language or languages are established by the student’s program. In those cases where the program deems it necessary that the student have competency in a foreign language, the student will be required to demonstrate such competence by examination in one or more languages. The choice of language or languages required will be by the program.

Thesis

Decision as to the thesis subject must be approved by the program. The thesis committee will consist of not less than three members. The committee chair must be Regular Faculty from the student’s program or department of concentration (this includes secondary appointments). In addition to the chair, one of the remaining members must also be Regular Faculty or have Graduate Faculty status in the student’s program or department of concentration; the third member must be an outside member. “Regular Faculty” are faculty having tenured or tenure-earning appointments of a program or department. A thesis or dissertation committee cannot be chaired by a person unless they hold a higher or equivalent degree as the candidate for the graduate degree. Exceptions to the committee composition may be approved by the Chair of the Department and Dean of the Graduate School. A program may require additional members.

The committee is nominated by the Graduate Program Director of the program concerned. The duties of the thesis committee are similar to those of the dissertation committee. The student who presents a thesis must enroll for at least 6 credit hours of thesis. Ordinarily no more than 6 credit hours may be granted.

The Dissertation Editor will provide information on the guidelines and deadlines that will become critical in the final months of the degree process and this information is located on the Graduate School website (https://grad.miami.edu/). The Graduate School office telephone number is 305-284-4154 and the email address is grad.dissertation@miami.edu.

Master’s degree students who are required to write a thesis must defend their thesis by the deadline specified in the Academic Calendar (https://registrar.miami.edu/dates-and-deadlines/academic-calendars/) and on the ETD website (https://grad.miami.edu/electronic-thesis-and-dissertation/), upload one Dissertation Editor-approved PDF conforming in style to the formatting standards set by the Graduate School to the ETD database, and submit the final three forms to the Graduate School in the semester the student wishes to graduate. Final forms include one Certificate of Defense Approval form, one ETD Final Content Approval form, and one ETD Availability Agreement form. The forms are available on the Forms page of the Graduate School website. (https://grad.miami.edu/policies-and-forms/forms/)

All students are required to adhere to the following deadlines (and the requirements associated with these deadlines) posted on the ETD website (https://grad.miami.edu/electronic-thesis-and-dissertation/): 1) Deadline to defend the thesis, dissertation, or doctoral/lecture recital essay; 2) Deadline to submit the full draft of the thesis, dissertation, or doctoral/lecture recital essay draft for formatting review by the Dissertation Editor; 3) Deadline to produce the final PDF; and 4) Deadline for completion.

It is the duty of the student to acquire a copy of the guidelines for preparing theses and dissertations and to conform to the requirements therein. It is recommended that students begin the process early in the semester by discussing with their advisors a suitable timetable for meeting these deadlines. All information pertaining to the formatting and electronic guidelines for electronic thesis and dissertation submission can be found on the Graduate School website (https://grad.miami.edu/). The Graduate School also encourages students to contact the Dissertation Editor early in the semester at grad.dissertation@miami.edu if they have questions regarding any aspect of the ETD process.

Electronic Theses and Dissertation (ETD) Embargo Policy

Graduate students can elect to withhold their electronic thesis or dissertation for up to two years before the work is available for download from the University of Miami’s Scholarly Repository (http://scholarlyrepository.miami.edu/). The metadata for all theses and dissertations regardless of the availability option elected (i.e., open access, UM campus only, or embargo) will be immediately available for viewing in the university’s Scholarly Repository after the Dissertation Editor has approved and released the thesis or dissertation to the repository. If embargo is elected by the student, the existence of the student’s information page in the Scholarly Repository right away displaying title, defense date, abstract, committee, keywords, etc., but the PDF of the electronic thesis or dissertation will not be downloadable until the term of embargo elected has expired. After the elected embargo period has expired the electronic thesis or dissertation will be released for open access in the Scholarly Repository. Students requesting embargo should carefully review the details of embargo election described in the ETD Availability Agreement form posted on the Graduate School website (https://grad.miami.edu/) to ensure they fully understand the terms of access for their embargoed work.

Final Examination

A final public oral defense of the thesis is required. However, none but the members of the thesis committee may interrogate the candidate. In addition there may be required, if desired by the program, a final written integration examination to test the candidate’s ability to integrate the whole graduate program and the thesis in relation to it. These examinations must be held at least two weeks prior to commencement.

Research in Residence

Once a student has completed all course and required research credit hours, he or she must enroll in Research in Residence status until the degree has been granted. Research in Residence status is considered full-time enrollment. Time restrictions on obtaining degrees will be strictly enforced.
and can be waived only by the Dean of the Graduate School. (See Recency of Credit and Time to Completion sections of the Bulletin.) Research in Residence students, while not required, may purchase or receive any perquisites that are normally available to graduate students.

**Comprehensive Examination**

In most master’s programs (and some doctoral programs) a comprehensive examination, either written, oral, or both, is a requirement. When the thesis is not a part of the program, an examining board, at least one of whose members must be a regular member of the Graduate Faculty, will be appointed by the program.

A student failing the comprehensive examination may be allowed one opportunity to retake it if the student’s committee so advises. The re-examination may not be taken during the same semester or summer session, and must be taken within one calendar year.

**Transfer of Credit Hour**

Upon recommendation of the major program and the approval of the Graduate School, a maximum of 6 credit hours of graduate credit hour, with grades of B or above, may be transferred from another accredited graduate institution, in partial satisfaction of a master’s degree requiring less than 36 credit hours. 9 credit hours of graduate credit hour may be approved for transfer to a degree program requiring 36 credit hours or more. Work taken more than six years prior to transfer will not be accepted. All work transferred is subject to examination by the program. Any student wishing to transfer credit hour must first be admitted to a graduate program at the University of Miami. The satisfaction of the requirements of another university does not relieve the student from the University of Miami’s requirements. An official transcript of work to be transferred must be on file in the Graduate Office. Credit hours that pertain to or have been counted toward another degree cannot be transferred. Students enrolled in the Master of Business Administration program are not eligible for credit hour transfers.

Exceptions must be approved by the Dean of the Graduate School.

No transferred credit hours are calculated into the University of Miami G.P.A.

**A Second Master’s Degree**

A student enrolled in a University of Miami master’s degree program or holding a University of Miami master’s degree may earn a second master’s degree in a related area at the University by completing a minimum of 21 credit hours in residence toward the second degree, as long as all program and admission requirements for the degree are met and the total credit hours for both masters degrees is at least 60 credit hours. Each degree must have a separate thesis if two thesis options are elected. The second program decides if the areas are related enough to qualify for the reduced number of credit hours. The student must contact the second program during the application process for the second program to determine if the areas are related enough to qualify for the reduced number of credit hours.
UNDERGRADUATE ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

Architecture

http://www.arc.miami.edu

Introduction

The School of Architecture offers a five-year, professional program leading to a Bachelor of Architecture degree. The program is accredited by NAAB (National Council of Architectural Registration Boards) and is designated as a STEM program, allowing international graduates to extend their F-1 visas to work in the United States for up to three years.

The first three years constitutes a core curriculum that focuses on Design, Visual Representation, History, Materiality and Assemblies. This foundation provides the basis for specialized architectural study in the fourth and fifth years, where students select from a wide array of elective studio and course offerings.

The School of Architecture’s location in Coral Gables, within the Miami metropolitan area, provides an outstanding laboratory for research and advanced study; the challenges of conservation and development are intense in one of the nation’s fastest growing urban areas. These challenges result in an increasing demand for skilled professionals. Students have the opportunity to work with faculty in the exploration of theoretical issues and the resolution of practical problems. The School of Architecture values and sustains a creative, open and supportive environment, emphasizing personalized instruction in small classes and studio courses.

Mission

- Prepare students for professional leadership and lifelong learning in architecture, urbanism and related fields.
- To advance knowledge and technology through research, and creative practice.
- To deploy knowledge and technology through professional engagement, real-world applications, and community service.
- To promote the goals of environmental responsibility, social equity, and economic sustainability.

The Strategic Orientation of the School of Architecture is:

To become a hemispheric leader in problem-based learning and project-based research while contributing solutions to the challenges facing urban environments locally and globally.

Accreditation

The school is a member of the Association of Collegiate Schools of Architecture and the Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning, and is fully accredited by the National Architectural Accreditation Board, who asks each school to include the following paragraph on professional degrees in all literature:

In the United States, most registration boards require a degree from an accredited professional degree program as a prerequisite for licensure. The National Architectural Accrediting Board (NAAB), which is the sole agency authorized to accredit professional degree programs in architecture offered by institutions with U.S. regional accreditation, recognizes three types of degrees: the Bachelor of Architecture, the Master of Architecture, and the Doctor of Architecture. A program may be granted an eight-year, three-year, or two-year term of accreditation, depending on the extent of its conformance with established educational standards.

Doctor of Architecture and Master of Architecture degree programs may require a preprofessional undergraduate degree in architecture for admission. However, the preprofessional degree is not, by itself, recognized as an accredited degree.

The University of Miami School of Architecture offers the following NAAB-accredited degree programs:
B.Arch. (171 undergraduate credits)
M.Arch I (3-year Track – 105 graduate credits)
M.Arch II (2-year Track – 60 graduate credits)

The next accreditation visit for all programs will take place in 2023.

Admission

Applications for incoming freshmen are processed and reviewed by the Office of Admission. Enrollment in the School of Architecture is selective and highly competitive. Applications to the Bachelor of Architecture program are requested by January 1st. Early applications are encouraged.
First-Year Students

Admission decisions are based on the following factors: secondary school record, SAT/ACT score, counselor’s evaluation and the student essay. Portfolio submission is not required for entering first-year students, but is highly encouraged. Students that submit portfolios are evaluated for Talent Based scholarships and can opt-out of submitting SAT/ACT scores.

Transfer Students

The academic accomplishments of each transfer student will be evaluated on an individual basis. A 3.0 G.P.A. is required for transfer admission. A portfolio is required for advanced placement in the design sequence of the Bachelor of Architecture Program. Application deadline for the School of Architecture program is March 1st.

All transfer students requesting advanced placement in design must provide a portfolio of previous academic design and graphic work and three academic recommendations. Students accepted into third year design will be required to complete a design module during the summer prior to enrollment.

Student Responsibilities

Students in the School of Architecture are responsible for planning their own programs and for meeting degree requirements. It is the student’s responsibility to understand and fully comply with all the provisions set forth in this Bulletin and written changes to their program of study. Students are provided assistance by advisors and faculty members. Written requests for variation from program or school requirements are reviewed by a faculty committee.

Academic Progress and Probation

The School of Architecture will review each student’s record at the end of each semester. When a student’s semester or cumulative average is less than stated below, or progress toward degree completion is unsatisfactory, the student will be placed on academic probation or warning in accordance with School of Architecture policies and procedures. Students on probation are not permitted to enroll in more than 13 credit hours, shall meet on a monthly basis with their academic advisor, and may have a STOP placed upon their future enrollment until grades for work-in-progress are reviewed. First semester freshmen who have a semester grade-point average below 2.0 shall be placed on probation.

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Students must complete all Architecture Design studios with a grade of C- or higher. Students receiving two consecutive C- grades in architecture design studios will have to repeat the later course. Students receiving a grade of D+ or lower in an architecture design studio must repeat the studio and will be restricted to a 15 credit hour semester load. The student will meet with an academic advisor on a monthly basis and will be reviewed prior to continuation.

Academic Dismissal

A student in the School of Architecture whose CGPA or progress toward degree completion falls below the level of the minimum standards of the University of Miami may be dismissed. In the School of Architecture this includes a student who receives three grades of D+ or lower in design courses.

Class Attendance and Absences

Class attendance is mandatory for all architecture courses; three unexcused absences constitutes grounds for dismissal from the course and/or a failing grade. Students are required to be present for an entire design review, therefore, students arriving late or departing early from class will be considered absent. Excused absences require written notification and are granted by the instructor.

Failing Grades or Incompletes

A required architecture course in which a student receives a failing grade must be repeated during the first subsequent semester in which the course is offered. Incompletes can be given only for reasons of serious illness or exceptional hardship.

Student Work

The University may retain selected student work and may place it in the architecture archives for exhibition, publication, or other use as the University deems appropriate. Each student in architecture is encouraged to maintain a design portfolio of every project undertaken throughout the five-year program.
Permission to Take Courses at Another University

A form is available from the Office of Academic Services and should be completed and approved PRIOR to off-campus enrollment. Students are encouraged to provide complete documentation for each course request form. Each student requesting transfer credit hour must supply the University of Miami registrar with certified transcripts. Additionally, each student should review transfer evaluations to be certain that all courses are correctly evaluated for credit hour. The proper transmission and transfer of credit hours is the responsibility of the individual student. The last 45 credit hours towards the degree must be completed at the University of Miami.

Changes to Academic Requirements

The School reserves the right to change academic requirements.

Computer Requirement

Undergraduate students entering the program are required to purchase their own computers for use in the design studio. The School of Architecture computing resources are accessible via a wireless network with an approved device and subject to School and University policy. Suggested system requirements are published on the School of Architecture web site.

Requirements for Graduation

As part of the 171 credits required for the Bachelor of Architecture curriculum, architecture students must complete a cognate in People and Society and a cognate in either Arts & Humanities or STEM.

Resources

The school's resources, including a Design-Shop, state-of-the-art computer lab, digital fabrication laboratories and model shop are enhanced by the interdisciplinary opportunities offered by the other schools and colleges of the University of Miami. A distinguished faculty is joined each semester by internationally renowned visiting scholars and designers.

Other programs that offer academic opportunities for undergraduate architecture students include:

- Historic Preservation Certificate
- Classical Architecture Certificate

Certificates require 15 credits. One related studio (6 cr) and 3 related electives (9 cr).

Dual Degree Programs

A six year dual degree program leading to a Bachelor of Science in Architectural Engineering and a Master of Architecture is also available (BASE/MARCH). The program is open to exceptional students who are admitted to the graduate program at the end of their junior year. Upon completion of this program, graduates are eligible for professional registration as both an engineer and an architect.

General overview of Foote Fellows

The Foote Fellows Honors Program recognizes the most educationally accomplished incoming students at the University of Miami. Foote Fellows have distinguished themselves both in and out of the classroom, are self-motivated, and think independently. Admission to the Foote Fellows Honors Program is by invitation.

Within the curricular framework of their school or college, Foote Fellows enjoy unmatched freedom and flexibility to explore a multitude of educational resources. Many Foote Fellows leverage this opportunity to take additional majors and/or minors and to study abroad.

At each of the nine undergraduate schools at the University of Miami, a dedicated advisor helps Foote Fellows chart their academic path and attain access to distinctive learning opportunities at the University, such as special school-based seminars, faculty-mentored research, networking opportunities, and off-campus internships.

Foote Fellows also will be invited to join advanced, interdisciplinary Foote Fellow seminars taught by leading faculty members from across the University. An example is Books That Matter, a rigorous seminar in non-fiction reading that is offered in sessions for first-year and for upper-class students. Freshman Foote Fellows benefit from early move-in to the residential colleges. Further, Foote Fellows receive focused advising on post-baccalaureate distinguished fellowships and awards.

The Foote Fellows Honors Program reflects the educational vision of former University of Miami President Edward T. Foote, who retired in 2000 after serving the University for twenty years.

Foote Fellows at U_SoA

Foote Fellows at U_SoA benefit from priority advising, enrollment and design studio selection (including the Partnership Studio which places students in local firms as part of their academic experience). The English and Cognates general education requirements (24 credits) are replaced with
course topics of their choice so they may explore the educational resources of the University and create their own program of study. Academic and professional career advising is personalized for each Foote Fellow to ensure a trajectory is established as early as the Sophomore year.

**Henry Adams Medal**

Awarded in conjunction with the American Institute of Architects to the highest-ranking graduating student for scholarship and excellence in a professional architecture program.

**Henry Adams Certificate**

Awarded in conjunction with the American Institute of Architects to the second highest-ranking graduating student for scholarship and excellence in a professional architecture program.

Other honors, distinctions, and awards are presented annually for excellent student performance.

**ARC 101. Architecture Design I. 6 Credit Hours.**

Introduction to architectural design as an intellectual and aesthetic discipline directed at the analysis, interpretation, synthesis and transformation of the physical environment. Topics include concept, site, form, analysis, use of precedents, technique and the ability to communicate design ideas.

**Components:** STU.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall.

**ARC 102. Architecture Design II. 6 Credit Hours.**

Architectural response to shelter, space and setting requirements. Topics include design thinking skills, programming, site analysis, use of precedents and anthropometrics and human behavior.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Spring.

**ARC 109. Introduction to Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.**

(Includes Design & History) Introduction to architectural ideas and principles including composition, space, form, function, history and methods of exploring architectural and urban design problems. Students will learn the relationship between two dimensional and 3 dimensional spaces through analytical drawing and model making. Course pedagogy includes weekly lectures in history and theory to better inform the design process. This course will encourage intuitive action, rapid visual analysis and interpretation.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Summer.

**ARC 110. Visual Studies. 3 Credit Hours.**

Concurrent with the ARC 109 course, the visual studies course explores Architectural drawing as a means of discovery, exploration, analysis and representation. Coursework begins with freehand drawing, in which students explore and refine their observation and representational skills, followed by an introduction to digital drawing and 3-d fabrication used in the profession today. The students will develop a portfolio in book format that illustrates the body of work produced during the three- week program.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Summer.

**ARC 111. Visual Representation I. 3 Credit Hours.**

An introduction to architectural representation as exploration, selection coordination and acquisition of visual knowledge including analog and digital techniques. Topics include: orthographic and oblique projections, geometric constructions, sketching, shade and shadow, and basic knowledge of digital tools.

**Components:** STU.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall.

**ARC 112. Visual Representation II. 3 Credit Hours.**

An intermediate course that continues methods integration introduced in Visual Representation I with an increased focus on three dimensional projections.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Spring.
ARC 121. Architecture and Culture. 1 Credit Hour.
Architecture as an intellectual and aesthetic discipline. Focus on design theory, language, typology, image, form, context, and case studies. Corequisite: ARC 101, 111.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 122. Architecture and Behavior. 1 Credit Hour.
The course focuses on the study of human behavior and its relationship to the design process. Topics include: cultural diversity, social equity and the application of psychological factors in the design of buildings and their environment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 141. On-Site Survey of European Architecture and Urbanism. 3-6 Credit Hours.
On site introduction to architecture and the city with a historical review of European architecture and urban form from the classical to the contemporary. Students travel with faculty to survey selected European architectural and urbanistic precedents at specific locations. Elective course open to all majors; lecture and seminar format.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

ARC 203. Architecture Design III. 6 Credit Hours.
The course focuses on the design of urban form and its relationship to the natural environment. Topics include: site analysis and design, context, climate, access and circulation and landscape.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 204. Architecture Design IV. 6 Credit Hours.
The design course focuses on building materials, techniques and structure as active constituents of architecture design. Focus on orientation, enclosure, low-energy responses, selection and assembly of construction materials, short and intermediate span structural systems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 213. Visual Representation III. 3 Credit Hours.
An advanced representation course that builds on the tools and methods of visual Representation I & II while introducing students to more advanced techniques of three dimensional modeling that integrates analog and digital techniques. Topics covered include; composition, diagramming, research and analytical drawing, perspective, and the integration of digital tools.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 223. Architecture and the Environment. 1 Credit Hour.
Architectural response to natural environmental requirements. Focus on climate, control, natural energy use, ecosystems, energy flow, environmental intervention, case studies of vernacular building techniques.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 230. Building Technology I: Materials and Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
Material characteristics of enclosure and structural systems, case studies in traditional and modern building construction. Topics include properties of building materials: wood, masonry concrete, steel and glass construction techniques; on-site and off-site processes; exterior finishes; assemblies, detailing and basic building code concepts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 231. Building Technology: Structural Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Structural systems: the tectons, patterns and behavior of the elements of building structures. Topics: Equilibrium, stability, vertical and lateral building envelope and financial considerations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ARC 267. History of Architecture I: Ancient, Medieval and Renaissance. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies of the history of architecture and urban design. Focus on religious and secular monuments and their settings, domestic architecture and infrastructure, regional constructional and compositional traditions from prehistory to the end of the sixteenth century. Corequisite: ARC 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 268. History of Architecture II: Baroque through Contemporary. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies of the history of architecture and urban design. Focus on religious and secular monuments and their settings, domestic architecture and infrastructure, regional constructional and compositional traditions from the end of the sixteenth century through to the present. Corequisite: ARC 204.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 292. Introduction to Architecture Design I. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey of the architecture profession and introduction to architecture design for non-architecture majors. Role, opportunities, vocabulary, visual awareness, techniques and procedures of design.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 293. Introduction to Architecture Design II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ARC 292 and an introduction to the interactions between architecture and the engineering disciplines for non-architecture majors. Theories of building and site design, technology as an integral component of design, program, site, climate and methodology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 294. Introduction to the Development of Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to architecture for non-architecture majors. Vocabulary, themes, principles and processes of design, cultural, social, economic and technological influences demonstrated through historic examples.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 301. Architecture Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Comprehensive building and site design for students transferring into the architecture program at third year level. Topics include human, environmental, cultural and technological factors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 305. Architecture Design V. 6 Credit Hours.
The design course focuses on the analysis and design of housing typologies within the context of the city. Topics include: programming, research and the integrated evaluation and design making in the design process.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 306. Architecture Design VI. 6 Credit Hours.
The design course focuses on the ability to demonstrate skills associated with making integrated architectural design decisions across multiple systems. Students must display an ability to make design decisions within a complex architectural project while demonstrating broad integration and consideration of environmental stewardship, technical documentation, accessibility, site conditions, life safety, environmental systems, structural systems, and building envelope systems and assemblies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 323. On Site Study of Selected Architecture and Urbanism. 3-6 Credit Hours.
On site study of specific architectural and/or urbanistic precedents at selecte d locations. Focus on specific period(s) and/or architect(s). Elective course open to all majors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.
ARC 324. On Site Graphic Analysis of Selected Architecture and Urbanism. 3 Credit Hours.
On site analysis and illustration of specific architectural and/or urbanistic precedents at selected locations. Diagrams, sketches, and drawings recording, analyzing and evaluating buildings and places. Focus on specific period(s) and/or architect(s). Elective course open to all majors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

ARC 362. Environmental Building Systems I. 3 Credit Hours.
Environmental and Safety Systems. Topics include mechanical - HVAC and conveyors; building envelope and assemblies, plumbing - fixtures and pipes; safety systems - fire safety and emergency and signal systems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 363. Environmental Building Systems II. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles and applications of light and acoustics. Topics include natural and artificial light - planning for sunlight, problems and solutions for interior and exterior illumination; sound - properties, problems and solutions in new and existing spaces. Principles and applications of electrical equipment and wiring design.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 371. Ancient Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
History of architecture and human settlements. Western European prehistory, Egypt, Mesopotamia, Persia, Aegean and Mediterranean, Greece, Rome.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 373. Early Christian, Byzantine, and Medieval Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
History of architecture and human settlements. Early Christian and Byzantine architecture in Italy, the Near East, Greece, North Africa, Eastern Europe, Medieval architecture in Western Europe.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 382. Architecture and Culture in Italy. 3 Credit Hours.
A cultural and historical framework in preparation for participation in the Rome program. A range of topics, including architecture, art, history, cinema, literature and politics presented by University faculty from a variety of disciplines. Required for participation in the Rome Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 407. Architecture Design VII. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Elective design studio course: student and faculty select areas of in-depth study. Topics are broadly defined and vary from semester to semester. ARCHITECTURE MAJORS.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 408. Architecture Design VIII. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Elective component: student and faculty select areas of in-depth study. Topics are broadly defined and vary from semester to semester. ARCHITECTURE MAJORS.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 452. Management of Professional Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of the practice and the profession, legal and ethical concerns, business types and management practices, traditional and non-traditional practices and services, contracts and contractual relationships.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ARC 475. Colonial Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
History of architecture and human settlements. Colonial Architecture from the 16th through the 19th centuries in North and South America, the Caribbean, India and Africa.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 476. 19th and 20th Century Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
History of architecture and human settlements. America and Europe during the 19th and 20th centuries; cultural, technological and theoretical development.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 481. Special Problems. 3 Credit Hours.
Group or individual investigations of significant architectural issues, offered by special arrangement only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 482. Special Problems. 3 Credit Hours.
Group or individual investigations of significant architectural issues, offered by special arrangement only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 500. Architecture Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 501. Architecture Design and Theory I. 6 Credit Hours.
Cultural, human and environment component and architectural responses to these: Social and aesthetic concepts, architectural psychology, climatic principles, programming analysis and design.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 502. Architecture Design and Theory II. 6 Credit Hours.
Technology component; materials, structure, and environmental control systems as a framework for architectural design. Construction materials and methods, structural systems, mechanical systems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 503. Architectural Design and Theory III. 6 Credit Hours.
Legal and economic component; government and finances as active constituents of architecture design. Zoning regulations, building codes, principles of public health, safety and welfare, market and feasibility studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 504. Architecture Design and Theory I. 6 Credit Hours.
Cultural, human and environment component and architectural responses to these: Social and aesthetic concepts, architectural psychology, climatic principles, programming analysis and design.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ARC 507. Architecture Design. 6 Credit Hours.
Elective component: student and faculty select areas of in-depth study. Topics include building types, environment, energy, community design, etc.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 509. Architecture Design IX. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Elective component: student and faculty select areas of in-depth study. Topics include building types, environment, energy, community design, etc.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 510. Architecture Design X. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Elective component: student and faculty select areas of in-depth study. Topics include building types, environment, energy, community design, etc.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 511. Visual Representation I. 3 Credit Hours.
Issues covered in the course will deal with the illustration of ideas in architectural manner. Students are to use the skill of drawing and model-making, either by hand or on the computer, as their new language. Topics will include how to read, understand, and create design drawings, to draw from observations and analyze their subject matter, to be able to distinguish the relevance of a particular drawing and to structure how they present their information. Students will be instructed to properly craft their work in and outside of studio in an effort to see their work evolve and improve.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 512. Advanced Visual Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Drawing as a means of analyzing and recording visual experience. Composition, form, light, color and drawing as a primary device in the mental registration of visual experience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 513. Advanced Visual Representation. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will learn to carefully evaluate space, color, depth, hierarchy, balance and scale in all architectural visual representation. The assignments will explore different media as it is used in the profession including but not limited to: diagrams, renderings, plans, elevations, sections, and axonometric. Through lectures and workshops, the course will provide a combination of both theoretical and practical lessons encompassing the fundamentals of architectural visual representation. The course will also include parallel lectures on typography, architectural graphic design, and verbal presentation. The lectures will be given by highly regarded industry professionals who will address the way that students can be aware of and understand typography, verbal presentation, and graphic design fundamentals as it relates to architecture. The class will consist of three parts. Part I introduces students to the fundamentals of 3d modeling and drafting as part of a representation workflow. The exercise will include both urban and building scales. Part II concentrates on understanding and dissecting more complex geometries through advance use of digital parametric software such as Grasshopper. Part III focuses on visual representation based on a studio project with emphasis on graphic techniques for final presentations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 514. Michelangelo. 3 Credit Hours.
Drawing as a form of research across mediums to understand historical research and interpretation of Michelangelo's work.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 515. Computer Modeling. 3 Credit Hours.
Three-dimensional, computer modeling, and rendering. Lecture, problem solving exercises and laboratory.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ARC 516. Architectural Watercolor Renderings. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will use freehand drawing and watercolor painting as a vehicle to study and record the urban and architectural conditions of Coral Gables and other South Florida sites. Particular emphasis will be placed on the analytical potential of sketches (recording space, light, surfaces and color).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 517. Construction Documents. 3 Credit Hours.
Working drawings and specifications. Form, content and role of constituent parts of working drawings and specifications by using case studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 518. Documentation of Historic Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of preservation and restoration, research methods, measured drawings, surveying methods, and case studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ARC 519. Architecture and Color. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the theory and practice of color and its application to architectural design. Topics include color history from Newton through Alber, the relationship between color practice in science versus art, and the discipline of color in architecture from the Neoclassical movement through the Modern Movement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ARC 523. Urban Design Competition. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Intensive, collaborative urban design project, combining master planning and real estate development expertise, to be submitted to international peer reviewed competition. Project teams are comprised of students from several different degree programs, such as architecture, urban design, real estate development, business, and law.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 524. Selected Topics in Interior Architecture Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles and technical components of interior design. Topics include interior volumetrics, finishes, furnishings and lighting.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 525. Landscape Arch Design I. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis and design of landscape spaces. Studies in historical precedent, gardens, parks, plazas, squares, and response to urban and architectural context.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 526. Landscape Arch Design II. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis and design of landscape spaces. Topics include ecological principles, landforms and plant materials.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 527. Architecture Photography. 3 Credit Hours.
Photography with emphasis on architectural subjects. Introduction to visual principles, photographic equipment, materials, and techniques.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 528. Historic Preservation. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic design principles for the rehabilitation of historic buildings and districts. Evaluating character-defining details; significance analysis; context of setting issues within historic districts; applying the Secretary of the Interior’s Standards for rehabilitation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
ARC 529. Research in Design-Methods and Procedures. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of research methods and procedures to design issues. Historical, descriptive, analytic, experimental research methods; tools for data manipulation and communication.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 531. Building Technology II: Structural Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Structural systems: The tectonics, patterns and behavior of the elements of building structures. Topics: Equilibrium, stability, vertical and lateral loads, building envelope and financial considerations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 532. Building Structures I. 3 Credit Hours.
The structural behavior of simple frame structures. Topics include techniques to determine basic system layout and preliminary dimensioning of key subsystems and members.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ARC 533. Building Structures II. 3 Credit Hours.
The structural behavior of complex structures. Topics include prestressed systems, waffle and space trusses, curved structures and longspan buildings.
Prerequisite: ARC 532.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

ARC 534. The Palazzo in Italian Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of the development of the Renaissance and Baroque palazzo in Rome and other important centers of art and culture. Emphasis on the socio-political context.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 535. Historic Italian Urbanism. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of Italian cities and towns from medieval to contemporary times, including a comparative analysis of history and form.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 536. Italian Gardens. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of Italian garden design during the Renaissance, Baroque and Mannerist periods. Emphasis on historical and political context.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 537. Research in Rome. 3 Credit Hours.
An exploration of Roman history, architecture and urban form through lectures, on site study and drawing assignments. Emphasis on chronological and spatial sequence of development.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 538. Interior Architecture Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles and technical components of interior design. Topics include activity, analysis, finishes, furniture, fixture, lighting, and acoustics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ARC 539. Adaptation to Climate Change. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the phenomena and related discussion on the topic of climate change. Review of current scientific evidence, tactics for mitigation of emissions and other causal actions, followed by study of the adaptation required by changing conditions. Class assignments include creative proposals for adaptation action.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 540. Tropical Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
A discussion of tropical architecture and the theme of tropicalism. Research, analysis and documentation in drawing of selected case studies
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 541. Seminar on Town Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the lexicon of urbanism; analytical presentations of the concepts of: region, town, neighborhood, corridor, district, and building type; interdisciplinary presentations, review, and criticism of current town and urban design projects.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 542. Seminar on Housing. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to domestic building typology; exploration of the concepts of low, medium, and high density housing with attention to social, environmental, and economic issues; presentations of current case studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 543. Seminar on Retrofit of Suburbia. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the critical reconstitution of the city; theory and history of the concepts of revitalization and redevelopment; presentations, review, and criticism of current case studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 544. Architecture of Palladio. 3 Credit Hours.
On site study of the architecture and urbanism of Andrea Palladio. Emphasis on the artistic precedents of the Veneto Region.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ARC 545. Urban Composition. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey and analytical review of urban rooms as the vessel of human activity in urban culture. Study of proportional and compositional aspects of urban rooms together with economic, social, and cultural factors. Readings and discussion format.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 546. Studies of Havana. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of the physical structure of a major city and its environments including an exploration of its history and iconographic themes, mapping and building studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 547. Architecture and Urban Identity. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of the relationship between architecture and urbanism focusing on the ways by which architecture provides urban identity and image of place. Case studies relating monuments, fabric and urban plans to their culture, time and place. Lecture and seminar format.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 548. Seminar in Community Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of the contemporary context for the development of the physical environment. Examination of public, private and third sector implementation of building and community design. Format: guest speakers, readings, discussions, and seminar.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ARC 549. Construction and Project Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Management of construction projects including legal considerations and techniques of management science applied to construction. Includes engineering methods of cost and time estimating, and exercises in applications of engineering economics, flow charts, tracking progress, construction contracts, indemnity agreements, and network planning techniques including CPM and PERT.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 550. Professional Lecture Series. 3 Credit Hours.
Exposure to the various professional disciplines in South Florida that make contributions to the design process. Case study analysis and evaluation of current building project, from time of initial formulation through completion, including research, diagrammatic studies, site visits and lectures.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 551. Contemporary Theories of Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
Theoretical basis of modern architecture and different present currents and movements. Agrarianism, technism, orthodoxy, brutalism, scientism, revivalism, con sumerism, rationalism, classicism.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 553. Structural Design Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Relationship of structural systems to architectural design. Case studies in the ories of structure, form and construction.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 554. Architecture of South Florida. 3 Credit Hours.
History of architecture and human settlements. Studies of significant architectural landmarks and urban design of the South Florida Region, chronological grow th of Miami, Miami Beach, Coral Gables, Key West and Palm Beach.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 555. 18th and 19th Century American Architecture and Architects. 3 Credit Hours.
The course concentrates on the development of early American architecture, Architects and Urbanism, primarily but not exclusively to 17th, 18th and 19th centuries with particular emphasis on theoretical, technological and cultural developments in America.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 557. Design and Fabrication Techniques. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Design, construction and detailing of wood and other materials as applied to furnishings and interiors. Workshop includes research, exercises, documentation and a final project.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 558. Theories of Landscape Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
Leading theories of landscape architecture which have influenced current considerations of nature, landscape and design, including concerns such as urban heat island effect, climate change resilience, and health impacts of landscape.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 559. Sustainability and LEED Exam Prep. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Study of U.S. Green Building Council standards for environmental efficacy in building and neighborhood design. Emphasis on fundamental knowledge of green building concepts, including transportation, energy, water and air quality. Includes preparation for LEED Accreditation Exam and registration for exam that provides the credential signifying expertise in green building and a LEED rating.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ARC 560. Contemporary Latin American Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of Contemporary Latin American Architecture and Urbanism from the turn of the 20th Century to the present day. The work of some of the great figures on Latin American Modernism such as Niemeyer and Barragan, to contemporary figures such as Paulo Mendes da Rocha and Isay Weinfeld will be discussed. The influence of the Modern Movement in Europe and Le Corbusier will be reviewed. Large scale City Plans such as Lucio Costa’s Plan for Brasilia and Roberto Burle-Marx’s designs for Flamengo Park and Copacabana in Rio de Janeiro will be analyzed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 568. History of Architecture II: Baroque through Contemporary. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies of the history of architecture and urban design. Focus on religious and secular monuments and their settings, domestic architecture and infrastructure, regional constructional and compositional traditions from the end sixteenth century through to the present. Corequisite: ARC502.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 569. Directed Readings. 3 Credit Hours.
A structured program of readings and essays organized by the student and his/her graduate supervisor constituting a preparation for graduate research in the student’s chosen area of interest.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 570. Modern Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
History of architecture, landscape, and city design in the modern era.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 572. Selected Topics in World Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
History of architecture and human settlements. Islamic Near East, North Africa, Hindu and Buddhist India, Nepal, S. E. Asia, China, Japan, Pre-Columbian America.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 574. Renaissance Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
History of architecture and human settlements. Renaissance and Baroque architecture in Italy, France, Spain and Portugal, Great Britain, Austria, Germany, and neighboring countries.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 577. The Architecture of Alvar Aalto. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the architecture of Alvar Aalto through the analysis of selected buildings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 578. Italian Rationalist Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
History of Italian architecture and urban design between 1914 and 1950: cultural, technological, and theoretical developments; relationship between architecture, politics and propaganda; related survey of the period in other countries (France, German, Soviet Union).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ARC 579. An Introduction to Resilient Building and Community Design. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to the relationships between climate, resiliency, architecture and urbanism; building awareness of the growing challenges and opportunities ahead, and the intersections between these disciplines. What does resilience mean in this broader context, and how should escalating stressors and shocks be addressed? Students learn about climate sciences, then research, document, and analyze evolving resilient design strategies, at the scale of buildings, neighborhoods and cities, in the end, applying those lessons to a given case study site; developing a holistic set of resilient design recommendations. During the course, students interact with specialists in the fields of architecture and urban design, as well as related fields, such as engineering, social, marine and environmental sciences, and/or policymakers, to better comprehend first-hand the interwoven scientific, social, environmental, and governmental ramifications to resilient design. Lastly, students learn the mechanics of participatory design methods employed to engage communities in related efforts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 580. Professional Advancement, Internship + Research (PAIR). 3 Credit Hours.
Research Component of PAIR program. Student, host office and faculty collaboratively develop a focused, in-depth research project related to the tasks the student is completing as part of the Internship Component of the PAIR program. Application and PAIR committee acceptance required prior to enrollment.
Components: RSC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 581. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Group or individual investigations of significant architectural issues, offered by special arrangement only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 582. Special Problems. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Group or individual investigations of significant architectural issues, offered by special arrangement only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 583. Special Problems. 3 Credit Hours.
Group or individual investigations of significant architectural issues, offered by special arrangement only.
Components: LEC.
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Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 584. Special Problems. 3 Credit Hours.
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ARC 585. Special Problems. 3 Credit Hours.
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ARC 586. Special Problems. 3 Credit Hours.
Group or individual investigations of significant architectural issues, offered by special arrangement only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 590. History of Cities. 3 Credit Hours.
Historical overview of the origin and development of cities around the world. Emphasis on intentional form of settlements (the ideal) as well as response to economic and political imperatives such as trade and defense (the real).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ARÇ 592. Cinema and Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
The class studies the relationship between architecture and cinema. Lectures, film screenings, and readings, explore the origin and development of
filmic space with an emphasis on its relation to the real and poetic image of the city. The class analyzes selected films as they relate to, comment,
criticize, and anticipate the development of contemporary concepts of space, urban space, interior space, etc.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARÇ 593. Computer Animation. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores the use of computer animation and advanced visualization techniques in architecture with emphasis on texture and lighting, spatial
choreography and s tory-boarding.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARÇ 594. Geographic Information Systems in Urban Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of Geographic Information Systems (GIS) in urban design. Principles of GIS and their application to spatial analysis, data management and visualiz ation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARÇ 596. Interactive Multimedia in Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Integration of text, video, sound, and computer graphics to create an interactive electronic information medium.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARÇ 597. Designing for the Internet of Things. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines how current research and development in embedded computation bears on architecture, landscape, and urbanism. Students will
explore the implications and impact of ubiquitous computing in its potential to change the way we conceive, construct, inhabit and interact with our
buildings, landscapes, and cities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARÇ 598. Introduction to Programming for Architects. 3 Credit Hours.
As digital tools continue to play an increasing role in the Architect's toolkit, it is becoming increasingly important that Architects not only understand
how to use and navigate these tools but to customize and adapt them to their specific needs. Learning how to program allows Architects to start to
fully utilize the potential in digital tools by maximizing the possibilities in not only 3D modeling and digital fabrication but in responsive architecture,
embedded computation and animating spaces contributing to a more dynamic and potentially inter-connected built environment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

Bachelor of Architecture
Curriculum Requirements

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1. **Curriculum Notes**
   - The School reserves the right to retain all student projects done in for academic credit hour.
   - MTH 130 AND ENG 105 are entry-level courses.

2. **Electives**
   - The program requires four types of electives:
     - Architecture electives (7 courses): Investigations in areas of architectural interest beyond the core requirements
     - Professional practice elective (1 course) : Focused examination of a topic related to practice
     - Non-Architecture electives (5 courses): Explorations of general University offerings
     - Minor (4-5 courses) or 2 cognates (6 courses): Concentrated study in an area outside of architecture
   - A minor or its equivalent is required for all students who began the program prior to the Fall of 2013. All others shall complete the cognate requirements. Areas are selected in consultation with advisors.

3. **Policies and Procedures**
   - Specific procedures and policies are detailed in the student handbook available from the Office of Academic Services.
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Mission
To prepare students for professional leadership and lifelong learning in architecture, urbanism, and related fields.

To advance knowledge and technology through research, and creative practice.

To deploy knowledge and technology through professional engagement, real-world applications, and community service.

To promote the goals of environmental responsibility, social equity, and economic sustainability.

Goals
• To prepare students for professional leadership and lifelong learning in architecture, urbanism, and related fields.
• To preserve and develop knowledge for the profession through research and practice.
• To share knowledge locally and internationally through community service.
• To promote building and community design goals of environmental responsibility, social equity, and economic sustainability.

Student Learning Outcomes
• Students will demonstrate the ability to effectively use basic architectural and environmental principles in design.

• Students will demonstrate the ability to raise clear and precise questions, use abstract ideas to interpret information, consider diverse points of view, reach well-reasoned conclusions, and test alternative outcomes against relevant criteria and standards.

• Students will demonstrate the ability to read, write, speak and listen effectively.

• Students will demonstrate the ability to use appropriate representational media, such as traditional graphic and digital technology skills, to convey essential formal elements at each stage of the programming and design process.

Bachelor of Science in Architectural Engineering and Master of Architecture
A six-year dual-degree program leading to a Bachelor of Science in Architectural Engineering and a Master of Science in Architecture is available. The program is open to exceptional students who are admitted to the graduate program at the end of their junior year. Upon completion of this program, graduates are eligible for professional registration as both an engineer and an architect.

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$^1$ To be selected from approved lists of People and Society (PS)/Arts and Humanities (HA). Students take a minimum of 3 courses (9 credit hours) in HA cognate and 3 courses in PS Cognate (9 credit hours). Students are advised to select the HA Cognate that includes the following courses: ARC 230 or ARC 630, ARC 268 or ARC 476 and ARC 594.

$^2$ To be selected from approved list of Technical Electives

**Minor in Architecture**

**Overview**

A minor in architecture is available to non-architecture majors as an option in the undergraduate architecture program. The purpose of the minor is to provide a general understanding and appreciation of the discipline of architecture. The minor does not satisfy professional requirements in
architecture but does offer an introductory basis for further study at the undergraduate or graduate level. The program requires 12 credit hours in architecture courses.

**Curriculum Requirements**

Twelve architecture credits from the following list of courses may be taken to complete the requirements for the minor.

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**Arts and Sciences**

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**Introduction**

The College of Arts and Sciences at the University of Miami is a community of scholars and students that encourages the quest for a deeper understanding of the human experience and fosters a personal commitment to lifelong learning, intellectual growth, and the enduring values of the liberal arts.

The College is dedicated to helping students develop analytical and communication skills, creative abilities, and a sense of civic responsibility needed in an increasingly complex society. It strives to provide them with a rigorous grounding in their chosen field, an awareness of the interconnectedness of disciplines, and an exposure to the discovery of new knowledge.
The College seeks to create an intellectual environment that enhances individual growth and supports scholarly activities and creative endeavors that augment human knowledge and understanding.

**Degree Programs**

The College of Arts and Sciences offers courses leading to the degrees of:

- Bachelor of Arts
- Bachelor of Science
- Bachelor of Fine Arts
- Bachelor of Liberal Arts
- Bachelor of General Studies (offered in partnership with DCIE, for students who are at least 22 years old pursuing their first undergraduate degree)

Graduates with one of these degrees will have had a sound liberal arts introduction to the major fields of human knowledge. In addition to this background, each bachelor's candidate has the opportunity to select an area of academic or of occupational interest. Professional or pre-professional curricula leading to certification in teaching, or to dentistry, medicine, law, etc., can be built into the degree program.

**Academic Policies**

The College of Arts and Sciences follows the general university academic policies outlined in the General Academic Information section of this Bulletin.

**Requirements for Graduation**

Candidates for degrees in the College of Arts and Sciences must complete the credit hours of work and achieve the quality point average specified for students in the University at large. These requirements are indicated in the Academic Procedures and Information section of this Bulletin. Candidates must also complete the General Education requirements of the University, i.e., the Proficiencies: English Composition, Advanced Writing and Communication, and Quantitative Skills; completion of a cognate in each of the three areas: Arts & Humanities, People & Society, and Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics.

**I. Additional Proficiencies and Areas of Knowledge Requirements**

In addition to the university’s general education requirements, the college has the following requirements and provisos:

**Bachelor of Science**

- Second Language Proficiency: Degree candidates must earn at least 3 credit hours of a language other than English at the 200 level or higher.
- Advanced Writing and Communication Proficiency: Degree candidates must complete at least four writing courses, and at least one writing course must be in the student's major discipline.
- Mathematics Proficiency: Degree candidates must complete a calculus sequence: MTH 161-MTH 162, MTH 140-MTH 141-MTH 162, or MTH 171-MTH 172.
- Computing or Statistics Proficiency: Degree candidates must earn at least 3 credit hours in either
  1. a computing course approved by the major department; or
  2. a statistics course approved by the major department.
- Natural Science Area of Knowledge: Degree candidates must earn at least 3 credit hours in Natural Science, in one of the following departments: Biology, Chemistry, Geological Sciences or Physics. These credit hours must be earned in courses that count toward a major in that department.

**Bachelor of Arts**

- Second Language Proficiency: Degree candidates must earn at least 3 credit hours of a language other than English at the 200 level or higher.
- Advanced Writing and Communication Proficiency: Degree candidates must complete at least four writing courses, and at least one writing course must be in the student’s major discipline.
- Mathematics Proficiency: Degree candidates must earn at least 3 credit hours in a Mathematics course numbered MTH 108 or higher.
- Natural Science Area of Knowledge: Degree candidates must earn at least 3 credit hours in Natural Science: Anthropology (only APY 203), Biology, Chemistry, Ecosystem Science and Policy (only ECS 111, ECS 112, ECS 202), Geography (only GEG 120), Geological Sciences, Marine Sciences (except MSC 313, MSC 314), Physical Sciences, and Physics.

**Bachelor of Fine Arts**

- Advanced Writing and Communication Proficiency: Degree candidates must complete at least four writing courses, and at least one writing course must be in the student's major discipline.
- Mathematics Proficiency: Degree candidates must earn at least 3 credit hours in a Mathematics course numbered MTH 108 or higher.
Bachelor of Liberal Arts

- Advanced Writing and Communication Proficiency: Degree candidates must complete at least four writing courses, and at least one writing course must be in the student's major discipline.

BACHELOR OF GENERAL STUDIES

Requirements for the BGS degree can be found here (p. 976):

Details of the Second Language Proficiency

Second language requirements can be fulfilled through courses offered in the departments of Modern Languages and Literatures (Arabic, Chinese, French, German, Haitian Creole, Hebrew, Italian, Japanese, Portuguese, and Spanish, except for courses numbered 310-319), Classics (Latin and Greek), and Teaching and Learning in the School of Education (American Sign Language). The department of Modern Languages and Literatures has special courses required of heritage learners who wish to use that language to fulfill the language requirement by taking courses in their heritage language. These courses are designated as “open to heritage learners.” Courses taken in order to meet second language requirements, including necessary prerequisite courses, cannot be used in cognates taken to fulfill the Areas of Knowledge requirement.

Students who have completed at least two years of full-time secondary schooling beyond the age of 14 in which the primary language of instruction was a language other than English are eligible for exemption from the A&S second language requirement. Exemption will be granted by A&S Office of Student Advising. To be granted the exemption, the student must have on file a transcript from the secondary institution providing proof that the primary language of instruction was a language other than English.

Details of the Advanced Writing and Communication Proficiency

Degree candidates must complete at least four writing courses, and at least one writing course must be in one of the student’s major disciplines (not applicable to BLA students who do not select a major). Students should consult the bulletin section of their major to find out which writing-intensive courses are acceptable to the discipline.

Individual writing course offerings may make the writing component independent of the rest of the course. As such the the writing component might be optional, the writing component might not contribute to the overall grade, and writing credit might be awarded even if the overall grade is a fail.

Transfer students may use a maximum of two transfer courses towards the writing requirement.

II. Major and Minor Fields (B.A. and B.S degrees)

B.A. and B.S. degree candidates must choose a major offered in the college by one of the disciplines with an undergraduate academic program in the college, and at least one other minor or major from any of the disciplines in the university. B.S. degree candidates must choose a major from one of the STEM fields: Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, Biology, Chemistry, Computer Science, Ecosystem Science and Policy, Geological Sciences, Mathematics, Microbiology and Immunology, Neuroscience, Physics, Psychology. B.A. degree candidates must choose at least one major or minor from a field other than the STEM fields: Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, Biology, Chemistry, Computer Science, Geological Sciences, Mathematics, Microbiology and Immunology, Neuroscience, Physics, Business Technology, and Engineering. The majors and minors taken by a student must come from different fields of study. Multiple majors and minors may be taken from departments and programs that offer multiple fields of study. To find the requirements for majors and minors, consult this bulletin under the discipline concerned, and confer with the designated departmental representatives. Any student who does not make satisfactory progress towards a major may be required to change or relinquish candidacy for the degree.

Individual courses may be used to satisfy the requirements of multiple majors and minors. However, each major taken by a student must include at least 24 credits that are not counted towards any other major or minor, and each minor must include at least 9 credits that are not counted towards any other major or minor. If a major or minor is used to fulfil a cognate requirement, the 24/9 credits may also not be counted towards any other cognate.

III. Additional Bachelor of Fine Arts Requirements

B.F.A. degree candidates must satisfy the requirements of a major as determined by the Department of Art and Art History or the Department of Theatre Arts. B.F.A. studio majors must minor in Art History. Students must maintain at least a GPA of 3.0 in their major, and an overall GPA of 2.0 or above as specified in departmental and program sections of this bulletin.

IV. Additional Bachelor of Liberal Arts Requirements

B.L.A. degree candidates must complete 120 credit hours with an overall GPA of 2.0 or above. At least 60 of the 120 credit hours must be in 300, 400, or 500-level courses. Of these 60 credit hours, 30 credit hours must be completed in the College of Arts and Sciences. No more than 40 credit hours in 300-level or higher courses may be earned in any one department, and no more than 52 total credit hours may be earned in any one department. Up to 30 of the 120 credit hours may be courses from other schools and colleges of the university except for those courses expressly excluded from recognition by the college. Students may, but are not required to, elect a major in a department. If a student fulfills the departmental requirements for the major, it will be recorded on the official transcript. No minor may be elected.

V. Other Requirements

General Electives

Beyond the general education and major/minor courses, all students must complete sufficient general electives to reach a total of 120 credit hours. Students pursuing a dual degree, when one or more of the degrees are in the College of Arts and Sciences, must complete a minimum of 150 credit
hours. General electives may be chosen from any courses offered by the University. The student should consult an advisor before selecting elective courses.

**Credit Only**

Only general electives may be taken under this option. Courses that are used to satisfy the major, the minor, the distribution requirements of the College and the general education requirements of the University may not be taken for credit only.

**Exemption**

Exemption from a course or courses refers specifically to the following:

1. credit by examination through the Advanced Placement (AP) or International Baccalaureate (IB) programs;
2. advanced placement by proficiency examinations or test scores, with no credit earned;
3. advanced standing and/or placement, with credit earned.

**Transfer Credit Hours**

Credit hours transferred from other institutions may not count towards the completion of a major or minor without the written approval of the department or program.

**Independent Major**

The Independent Major allows students to pursue a BA or a BS degree in the College of Arts and Sciences, depending on the field of study and in consultation with the Guidance Committee. Students will fulfill all requirements for such degrees.

Students may begin to develop a proposal for the IM when they have reached sophomore standing. The proposal should explain why existing majors are inappropriate or inadequate to satisfy the student's interests. Students will be ineligible for declaring the IM upon reaching senior standing, that is, they must declare as a sophomore or a junior and spend at least two (2) full semesters in residence at UM in the IM. Students must have a cumulative UM GPA of 3.5 or higher to be eligible for the IM.

A student’s Guidance Committee typically will comprise two tenured or tenure-track faculty, typically from different departments, who represent the disciplinary breadth of the courses selected for the IM. A third Guidance Committee member might be appropriate when the proposed course of study encompasses expertise from three Departments or disciplines. The Guidance Committee Chair, who has primary oversight responsibility regarding satisfactory completion of the major, will serve as the primary advisor for the student’s senior research/creative project under most circumstances, and must be a tenure-track faculty. Exceptions to the Chair serving as the primary advisor might include situations where there are co-advisors.

The IM proposal must include at least thirty (30) credit hours of coursework beyond those needed to fulfill General Education requirements. Of those thirty (30), at least six (6) must be at the 300 level; additionally, six (6) credit hours will be satisfied by a Capstone project/thesis in the last two (2) semesters of the Bachelor’s degree. Because many courses have variable availability and conflicts are inevitable, strong proposals will identify more than 30 credit hours of coursework before being submitted to the Advisory Committee for approval. If a student wishes to pursue the IM as a double-major, the Advisory Committee should give particular attention to the appropriateness of the student’s plan of study; in keeping with the College's regulations, the Independent Major must consist of at least 24 graded credit hours that are not counted towards any other major or minor.

**Independent Minor**

The Independent Minor allows students at the University of Miami to complete a minor in a field that currently do not have a major in the College or elsewhere at the University of Miami. It consists of at least 15 graded credits and it requires one faculty member who will act as point of contact and advisor. Students may declare this minor starting with their second semester at UM and no later than the end of their junior year. A minimum GPA for 2.5 is required to declare this minor. An average of 2.5 is required to continue in the minor. Given that this minor requires students to work closely with a faculty member to select the appropriate courses at a level consistent with each field of study, students will not be able to apply more than two courses (6 credits) already taken to their minor. The 15 credits required, at a minimum, for the Independent Minor may not be counted towards any other major or minor.

**Academic Appeal Policy and Procedures**

The College’s Faculty Committee on Academic Appeals (FCAA) is responsible for reviewing and conducting hearings on appeals related to exceptions to academic policy under the authority of the College of Arts and Sciences. Appeals must be submitted directly by the student from their student UM email account. Appeals will not be accepted from parents/guardians, doctors, attorneys, or anyone else other than the student. Please read below for a list of acceptable and unacceptable appeal requests. All appeals related to course drops/enrollment adjustments MUST be submitted within one (1) calendar year from the semester end date noted on the academic calendar for the semester in question. Transcripts will not be altered once a student has graduated and has a conferred degree. Appeal decisions will be delivered to students’ UM email account within 2 to 3 business weeks upon receipt of the appeal. All appeal decisions are final and non-negotiable. The student maintains full responsibility for the impact of an appeal decision, especially as it relates to their account, financial aid, visa status, academic progress, and graduation timeline.
Steps to Submit an Acceptable Appeal:
1. Draft an email to the Assistant Dean of Academic Services – see website for contact information. as.miami.edu/advising.
2. The appeal email must briefly describe the situation, the reason/justification for the request, the specific request/action, the specific year/term/ course ID as applicable to the type of appeal, and the student’s name/ID.
3. Appeals must be accompanied by supporting documentation, if applicable to the type of appeal. Documentation must be submitted as an attachment to the appeal email. It is the responsibility of the student to determine what documentation best supports their appeal case. We will not pre-approve documentation before submission of the appeal. We will only accept documentation from the student submitting the appeal.

Appealable Actions for Committee Review:
1. Request for retroactive drop of one, or more, courses after the last date to drop without a W, and/or after the last day to drop a class for the semester in question. This type of appeal is only considered for cases of extreme, unforeseen circumstances or medical emergencies that can be documented. Retroactive drop action can NOT result in a complete withdrawal (all enrolled classes dropped).
2. Request for waiver of the 45 credit hour residency requirement
   a. Appeal must include the institution where credits will be/were taken, the year/term to be/were taken, and the exact number of credits to be considered for waiver.
   b. This process does not preapprove transfer equivalencies or guarantee transferability of courses. Students are responsible for adhering to all necessary policies and procedures related to transferring courses to UM.
3. Substitution for, or waiver from College of Arts and Sciences’ General Education Requirements (not University general education requirements – see below).

The following requested actions are not appealable through the College of Arts and Sciences FCAA:
1. Adjustment of academic record/transcript after graduation and a conferal of the degree: See University Bulletin
2. Retroactive withdrawals for Fall/Spring semesters
   a. The University has a formal withdrawal policy found here (https://success.miami.edu/student-withdrawal/).
3. Retroactive withdrawals for summer sessions that alters the effective date of the withdrawal
   a. See withdrawal policy linked above
4. Grade Appeals, including incomplete grades that are now IF grades
   a. See Faculty Senate Appeals process in Bulletin here (p. 85).
5. Waiver of University General Education Requirements as defined by the Bulletin: No appeals process available
6. Substitution for/waiver from any requirements related to a major or minor: Under respective department authority
7. Excused absences from a course(s): Absences are under the authority of individual instructors
8. Credit Only Option after deadline: No appeals process available

PreLaw Preparation

Although no specific curriculum is required in preparation for Law School, the Pre-Law Committee of the American Bar Association strongly recommends that students considering a career in Law should have a well-balanced education. This education should include courses requiring intensive writing, logical reasoning and critical thinking and reading skills.

Prelaw Advising provides a variety of services to all students interested in attending Law School. For more information, please contact the Office of Student Academic Services in Ashe 200. These services include:

1. Pre-Law Advising: confidential advising in preparation for law school (i.e. application process, general information, discussion of your concerns).
3. Pre-Law Newsletter: information about programs and events.
4. LSAT and LSDAS registration booklets (for juniors and seniors).
5. Campus-wide programs for pre-law students such as Law Day.
6. Programs and seminars in coordination with other University of Miami departments such as: School of Law Career Planning Center, School of Law Center for Ethics and Public Service, Toppel Career Planning and Placement, the Counseling Center, and the Reading and Study Skills Center.

In order to take advantage of the services listed above a student should complete a Pre-Law registration card at the beginning of the academic year.

Max and Peggy Kriloff Fund

The Max and Peggy Kriloff Fund is a fund that provides travel support for students earning degrees from the College of Arts and Sciences. The fund provides support for students to present papers, or posters at professional conferences worldwide. Students will need to fill out an application form available at this link (http://www.as.miami.edu/academics/undergraduate-studies/scholarships/); and submit it, along with the necessary supporting documentation to the Office of Graduate and Administrative Services in the College of Arts and Sciences.

Foote Fellows pursuing degrees in the College of Arts and Sciences are exempt from all University-wide and College-specific general education requirements. They are eligible for priority admission into the daVinci program, first-year seminars, and internships in the Dean’s office. Opportunities
to learn by doing, through research or tutorials, as well as seed money for students interested in developing a business plan or a prototype are also available to A&S Foote Fellows. Questions? Read more (http://www.as.miami.edu/academics/undergraduate-studies/foote-fellows/) or go to Ashe 200 for answers!

The da Vinci Program encourages high-achieving, intellectually curious students to rethink the map of human knowledge. It emphasizes connections between humanistic and scientific inquiry and their modes of understanding: objectivity, critical analysis, self-reflexivity, the nature of proof, authority, and the logic and rhetoric of written expression. It also helps define the distinctive elements that humanities classes can offer to STEM-minded students: a chance to reflect on questions of human values, ethics, and aesthetics. At the same time, it introduces humanities students to conceptually new means of investigating the traditional fields.

Students are invited in the program before their first year and they take a seminar per semester in each of the first four semesters of study. Students in the da Vinci program are exempt from College - specific requirements. A capstone experience marks the conclusion of their undergraduate career. Read more (http://www.as.miami.edu/davinci/) about the Davinci Program.

The Advanced Program in Integrated Science and Math (PRISM) brings together top first-year students interested in the natural sciences. The program is designed for those who plan on pursuing postgraduate education and a career in science or medicine (Ph.D./M.D. track). Our outstanding faculty, lab directors, graduate assistants, and caring advisors are here to encourage integrated learning in STEM disciplines. PRISM students are exposed to new developments in science and are encouraged to become actively engaged in research during their undergraduate experience. PRISM classes are advanced versions of the typical track done by a first-year natural science student, so there are no additional classes to complete. Read more (http://www.as.miami.edu/prismrsvp/) about the PRISM program.

**Dual Degree Honors Programs**

**Fellows in Latin American Studies (FILAS)**

This innovative, dual B.A./M.A. honors degree in Latin American Studies allows outstanding incoming freshmen the opportunity to complete a master’s degree in five years, following a rigorous, efficient, accelerated curriculum of 150 credits. This highly selective group of students will enjoy close faculty mentoring and the opportunity to engage in specialized research projects with faculty. Students will gain advanced competence in at least one major language of Latin America, intern for one semester in public or private organizations dealing with Latin America and/or the Caribbean, and take advanced seminars with UM’s major Latin American scholars and visiting scholars. In addition, students will receive first-hand experience in their regions of focus by studying abroad. Most study abroad opportunities are for one semester (six months). FILAS students may arrange their own study abroad in consultation with the academic director or they may participate in the university’s study abroad options. Applicants must be high school seniors in the top 10% of their class and must have a minimum SAT I score of 1360 or (ACT 31). In addition to the regular Application for Admission to the University, the applicant must complete a separate application form for the Fellows in Latin American Studies (FILAS). The FILAS application form and supporting materials must be submitted no later than November 1st of the applicant’s senior year. A review of completed applications will begin by the end of November. Admitted first-semester freshmen interested in admittance to the FILAS program should contact the Academic Director of the Latin American Studies Programs for application information before October 1st.

For further information and application forms please visit this website (http://www.miami.edu/dualdegree/).

**Dual-Degree Program in Law for Undergraduates**

To be considered as a High School Student, applicants must:

- have a minimum SAT I score of 1350 (combined Math and Critical Reading scores) or a 30 on the ACT;
- have three (3) letters of Recommendations from high school teachers;
- complete a Dual-Degree Program Supplemental Application (https://admissions.miami.edu/_assets/pdf/honors-program-supplemental-101918.pdf) for Law by November 1st

To be considered as an Undergraduate Student, applicants must:

- have a minimum SAT I score of 1350 (combined Math and Critical Reading scores) or a 30 on the ACT;
- have an overall cumulative grade point average of 3.5 in all college-level courses;
- have Two (2) letters of recommendations from college-level professors;
- complete a Dual-Degree Program Supplemental Application (https://admissions.miami.edu/_assets/pdf/honors-program-supplemental-101918.pdf) for Law.

Students admitted into the program must successfully complete 90 credits earned toward their undergraduate degree, including requirements for their majors and any minors they may be undertaking. Students must complete 90 credits in college course work at the University of Miami, including advanced standing credits, before matriculating into the University of Miami School of Law. The University of Miami requires that the last 45 credits be taken in residence. Students will graduate from the College of Arts and Sciences (http://www.as.miami.edu/) upon completion of 120 credits including AP/IB credit. Please visit http://www.law.miami.edu/admissions/dual-degree-program-in-law-for-undergraduates/ (http://www.law.miami.edu/admissions/dual-degree-program-in-law-for-undergraduates/).
Aerospace Studies
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Air Force Reserve Officer Training Corps (AFROTC)
AFROTC is a nationwide program that allows students to pursue commissions (become officers) in the United States Air Force (USAF) while simultaneously attending college. AFROTC classes are held on college campuses throughout the United States and Puerto Rico; students can register through normal course registration processes. AFROTC consists of four years of Aerospace Studies classes (Foundations of the USAF, Evolution of USAF and Space Power, Air Force Leadership Studies, and National Security Affairs/Preparation for Active Duty), and a corresponding Leadership Laboratory for each year (where students apply leadership skills, demonstrate command and effective communication, develop physical fitness, and practice military customs and courtesies). College students enrolled in the AFROTC program (known as "cadets") who successfully complete both AFROTC training and college degree requirements will graduate and simultaneously commission as Second Lieutenants in the Active Duty Air Force.

For more information on AFROTC course descriptions, please review this webpage (p. 137). For more information on the AFROTC program, please review this webpage (http://www.as.miami.edu/afrotc/).

Enrollment
There is no military obligation to enroll in AFROTC. To enroll students must meet the following criteria:

- Prior to enrolling in Aerospace classes, students must speak with a professor/cadre member at (305) 284-2870.
- Be a U.S. citizen or resident alien, or be able to become a U.S. citizen prior to attending Field Training the summer following sophomore year
- Be full-time college students, enrolled in 12 credit hours per semester
- Be able to participate in a demanding physical fitness program
- Be able to pass a Department of Defense Medical Examination
- Have solid moral character
- Maintain AFROTC minimum required grade point average

Scholarships
More than 60% of Air Force ROTC scholarships are awarded to undergraduate students in engineering or other scientific and technical disciplines. However, students in every degree program enjoy scholarship opportunities, as the Air Force seeks to engage students who excel both academically and militarily. Scholarships are awarded in increments of two, three, and four years. Air Force ROTC offers several types of scholarships. Type 1 covers full tuition and most required fees. Type 2 covers tuition and fees, but is capped at $18,000 annually. Type 7 scholarships are designated for in-state tuition-level institutions. All types of awards provide an allowance for books and a monthly non-taxable stipend. All scholarship cadets are required to meet academic, military, and physical fitness standards to earn and maintain scholarship benefits.

Additionally, University of Miami undergraduates enrolled in the Air Force ROTC program are assured a combined University grant and/or scholarship award during the fall and spring semesters equal to 25% of the University's tuition charge for a maximum of four years. The subsidy is not available during the summer term. Students must maintain continuous enrollment in the AFROTC program, must maintain satisfactory academic progress to continue receiving the subsidy, and full time enrollment in one of the University's undergraduate degree programs is required. No application is required. Awards are made automatically based on information provided by the University's AFROTC detachment.

Benefits
All AFROTC cadets receive uniforms, books and equipment for ROTC classes at no cost. Upon being commissioned a Second Lieutenant in the Air Force, you will receive a starting salary and allowances worth more than $58,000 annually\(^1\). Free medical and dental care, 30 days paid annual vacation and educational benefits are also part of the compensation package.

\(^1\) Based on 2013 Pay Chart and Miami FL Housing Allowance for an O-1
AIS 101. Heritage and Values 1. 1 Credit Hour.
This course provides an introduction to the Air Force, hopefully encouraging students to pursue an AF career or at least seek additional information to be better informed about the role of the USAF. The course allows students to examine general aspects of the Department of the Air Force, AF Leadership, Air Force benefits, and opportunities for AF officers. The course also lays the foundation for becoming an Airman by outlining our heritage and values. As a foundational course, this course also provides a historical perspective such as lessons on war and US military, AF operations, principles of war, and airpower (see the complete lesson list below). As a whole, this course provides students with a knowledge-level understanding for the employment of air and space power, from an institutional, doctrinal, and historical perspective. The students will be introduced to the Air Force way of life and gain knowledge on what it means to be an Airman. A succinct perspective of the course objective is to sell the AF as a career and lay a strong foundation built on AF Core Values.
Corequisite: AIS 150.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

AIS 102. Heritage and Values 2. 1 Credit Hour.
A continued introduction to the Air Force, hopefully encouraging students to pursue an AF career or at least seek additional information to be better informed about the role of the USAF. The course allows students to examine general aspects of the Department of the Air Force, AF Leadership, Air Force benefits, and opportunities for AF officers. The course also lays the foundation for becoming an Airman by outlining our heritage and values. As a foundational course, this course also provides a historical perspective such as lessons on war and US military, AF operations, principles of war, and airpower (see the complete lesson list below). As a whole, this course provides students with a knowledge-level understanding for the employment of air and space power, from an institutional, doctrinal, and historical perspective. The students will be introduced to the Air Force way of life and gain knowledge on what it means to be an Airman. A succinct perspective of the course objective is to sell the AF as a career and lay a strong foundation built on AF Core Values.
Corequisite: AIS 150.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

AIS 150. Leadership Laboratory. 0 Credit Hours.
Leadership Laboratory (LLAB) is a dynamic and integrated grouping of leadership developmental activities designed to meet the needs and expectations of prospective Air Force second lieutenants and complement the AFROTC academic program. It is a student planned, organized, and executed practicum conducted under the supervision of the Detachment 155 Commander and Operations Flight Commander.
Components: LAB.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

AIS 201. Team and Leadership Fundamentals I. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is designed to provide a fundamental understanding of both leadership and team building. It is imperative that cadets are taught from the beginning that there are many layers to leadership, including aspects that don't always jump to mind. Such things include listening, understanding themselves, being a good follower and problem solving efficiently. The students will apply these leadership perspectives when completing team building activities and discussing things like conflict management. Students should demonstrate basic verbal and written communication skills. Cadets will apply these lessons at Field Training.
Corequisite: AIS 150.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

AIS 202. Team and Leadership Fundamentals 2. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is designed to provide a fundamental understanding of both leadership and team building. It is imperative that cadets are taught from the beginning that there are many layers to leadership, including aspects that don't always jump to mind. Such things include listening, understanding themselves, being a good follower and problem solving efficiently. The students will apply these leadership perspectives when completing team building activities and discussing things like conflict management. Students should demonstrate basic verbal and written communication skills. Cadets will apply these lessons at Field Training.
Corequisite: AIS 150.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
AIS 301. Leading People and Effective Communication I. 3 Credit Hours.
A continued course designed to build on the leadership fundamentals taught in previous level courses. The cadets will have the opportunity to utilize their skills as they begin more of a leadership role in the detachment. The goal is for cadets to have a more in-depth understanding of how to effectively lead people, and provide them with the tools to use throughout their detachment leadership roles. Secondly, cadets will hone their writing and briefing skills. Many of the cadets will be uncomfortable with public speaking, and this semester is designed to get them used to briefing. The course continues into advanced skills and ethics training that will prepare them for becoming an officer and a supervisor.
Corequisite: AIS 150.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

AIS 302. Leading People and Effective Communication 2. 3 Credit Hours.
A continued course designed to build on the leadership fundamentals taught in previous level courses. The cadets will have the opportunity to utilize their skills as they begin more of a leadership role in the detachment. The goal is for cadets to have a more in-depth understanding of how to effectively lead people, and provide them with the tools to use throughout their detachment leadership roles. Secondly, cadets will hone their writing and briefing skills. Many of the cadets will be uncomfortable with public speaking, and this semester is designed to get them used to briefing. The course continues into advanced skills and ethics training that will prepare them for becoming an officer and a supervisor.
Corequisite: AIS 150.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

AIS 401. National Security, Leadership Responsibilities and Commissioning Preparation 1. 3 Credit Hours.
Cadets enrolled in this course should comprehend the basic elements of national security policy and process. The student should comprehend the air and space power operations as well as understand selected roles of the military in society and current domestic and international issues affecting the military profession. Cadets should comprehend the responsibility, authority, and functions of an Air Force commander and selected provisions of the military justice system. The final semester of this course is designed to prepare cadets for life as a second lieutenant. This is a great time for instructors to include any information they feel would help their cadets as they transition from military life to civilian life.
Corequisite: AIS 150.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

AIS 402. National Security, Leadership Responsibilities and Commissioning Preparation 2. 3 Credit Hours.
Cadets in this course should comprehend the basic elements of national security policy and process. The student should comprehend the air and space power operations as well as understand selected roles of the military in society and current domestic and international issues affecting the military profession. Cadets should comprehend the responsibility, authority, and functions of an Air Force commander and selected provisions of the military justice system. The final semester of this course is designed to prepare cadets for life as a second lieutenant. This is a great time for instructors to include any information they feel would help their cadets as they transition from military life to civilian life.
Corequisite: AIS 150.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

Minor in Aerospace Studies Curriculum Requirements

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Total Credit Hours 16
A grade of C- or higher, with an overall GPA of 2.0, is required in each course taken for the minor.

Africana Studies
Africana.as.miami.edu
Dept. Code: AAS

Introduction
Africana Studies offers students the opportunity to confront and critically analyze distinctive Black intellectual and social-cultural traditions, and political-economic and historical structures. Situated in Miami, Florida, we are uniquely positioned in and between the US South and the Global South. Therefore, our translocal perspective finds blackness and Black people everywhere in the world. As the university's center for Africana Studies, the Program reaches beyond undergraduate study-- inviting a wide variety of local and international graduate students, artists, scholars, and community advocates into our intellectual community.

Africana Studies' interdisciplinary structure offers students an opportunity to satisfy the increasingly rigorous expectations of graduate and professional school admissions committees and prospective employers, offering a broad liberal arts perspective that complements specialized knowledge of a field. Our curriculum and programmatic efforts uniquely help to prepare students to understand and effectively work toward social justice. We encourage all students, regardless of major, to enroll in Africana classes. Africana Studies can be taken either as a primary major, as one of two majors, or a minor.

Educational Objectives
1. To help students research, acquire, and disseminate information about the historical and social experiences of Africans and people of African descent on all sides of the Atlantic basin, but with special emphasis on the United States.
2. To facilitate students’ understanding of the multi-cultural, multi-ethnic, globalized society of our time.
3. To help students think critically about the global black experience.
4. To prepare students for graduate work and professional careers.

Departmental Honors
Carter G. Woodson Award - Best all-round student who combines intellectual excellence and community service.

Advanced Writing Requirement
To satisfy the College of Arts & Sciences writing requirement in the discipline, students majoring in Africana Studies should take at least one English course or one History course related to Africana Studies and is listed as an advanced writing course, and any Africana Studies course with the Writing Credit designation.

AAS 150. Introduction to Africana Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Experiences of African American and other African-descended peoples with emphases on social, cultural, political, etc.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

AAS 260. History of Slavery in the Atlantic. 3 Credit Hours.
The emergence and eventual abolition of the Trans-Atlantic slave trade and its effects on both old and new world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

AAS 290. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

AAS 350. Black Leadership in the U.S.. 3 Credit Hours.
Black leaders and leadership organizations. Emphasis on their role in overcoming oppression and barriers to advancement.
Prerequisite: 3 Credits in AAS.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
AAS 390. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

AAS 490. Senior Seminar in Africana Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

B.A. in Africana Studies

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* A grade of C- or better with an overall GPA of 2.0 is required in each course taken for the major.

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Mission

Goals

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Students will demonstrate interdisciplinary knowledge, including intellectual and social history, language and literatures, and social and global interconnectedness.

- Students will demonstrate the ability to identify and evaluate methodological approaches and schools of thought in Africana Studies, through written argumentation.

- Students will demonstrate marked improvement in (1) level of intellectual sophistication, (2) writing effectiveness, and (3) the ability to analyze and effectively present primary and secondary research data.

**Minor in Africana Studies**

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* A minor in Africana Studies consists of 15 credit hours.

** American Studies

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Dept. Codes: AMS

**Introduction**

The Program in American Studies at the University of Miami fosters the interdisciplinary study of American culture and society, and explores the place of the United States in an increasingly interconnected world. Our faculty come from a wide range of fields, including history, literature, political science, religion, art, philosophy, law, music, ethnic studies, anthropology, architecture, sociology, communications, and education. What unites them is the commitment to examining the U.S. from multiple perspectives, highlighting the diversity of people, cultures, and experiences that have shaped the past and present United States. The Program places analysis of globalization at its center, and encourages a hemispheric perspective that allows students and faculty to explore interests in the United States, the Caribbean, Latin America, the Pacific Rim, and other border crossings.

**Educational Objectives**

The undergraduate curriculum in American Studies encourages students to bridge the divide between disciplines by examining specific themes and topics in an engaging, dynamic, interdisciplinary manner. By exposing students to courses that place questions of cultural diversity, regional difference, ethnic and racial identity, gender and sexuality, class dynamics, and popular culture at the forefront of intellectual investigation, the Program in American Studies enables them to situate their own experiences in a wider context. It also exposes them to a multiplicity of perspectives that inform our understanding of the United States and its place in a global society. The Program encourages its majors to study abroad, and faculty members help students plan their curriculum to make that option feasible.

**Departmental Honors**

American Studies majors with a cumulative GPA of at least 3.5 in AMS courses and an overall GPA of at least 3.0 may earn departmental honors by completing AMS 505. Candidates for departmental honors are responsible for finding a faculty member to serve as thesis advisor. Students then must complete a thesis proposal of approximately 500 words that must be approved by the thesis advisor and the program director. The format and length
of the thesis will vary according to the nature of the project. Students would take AMS 501 in the fall semester of the senior year and AMS 505 in the spring to complete the honors thesis.

**Advanced Writing and Communication Requirement**

To satisfy the College of Arts & Sciences writing requirement in the discipline, students majoring in American Studies should take at least one English course or one History course related to the American Studies discipline listed as an advanced writing course.

**AMS 101. Introduction to American Studies. 3 Credit Hours.**
An interdisciplinary approach to American Studies with attention to a particular theme or period.
*Components*: LEC.
*Grading*: GRD.
*TYPICALLY OFFERED*: Fall & Spring.

**AMS 301. Topics in American Studies. 0-3 Credit Hours.**
Content varies by semester.
*Components*: LEC.
*Grading*: GRD.
*TYPICALLY OFFERED*: Spring.

**AMS 310. The United States in the World. 3 Credit Hours.**
The culture and history of the United States in a global framework.
*Components*: LEC.
*Grading*: GRD.
*TYPICALLY OFFERED*: Spring.

**AMS 321. Topics in American Studies: History. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course explores the field of history (including the study of experiences, texts, and theoretical aspects of individual and cultural pasts) within and in relation to the U.S. context. Specific focus and content vary by semester.
*Components*: LEC.
*Grading*: GRD.
*TYPICALLY OFFERED*: Offered by Announcement Only.

**AMS 322. Topics in American Studies: Literature. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course explores the field of literature (including the study of experiences, texts, and theoretical aspects of literary expression) within and in relation to the U.S. context. Specific focus and content vary by semester.
*Components*: LEC.
*Grading*: GRD.
*TYPICALLY OFFERED*: Offered by Announcement Only.

**AMS 323. Topics in American Studies: Politics. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course explores the field of politics (including the study of experiences, texts, and theoretical aspects of polity or institutional governance) within and in relation to the U.S. context. Specific focus and content vary by semester.
*Components*: LEC.
*Grading*: GRD.
*TYPICALLY OFFERED*: Offered by Announcement Only.

**AMS 324. Topics in American Studies: Religion. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course explores the field of religion (including the study of experiences, texts, and theoretical aspects of religious beliefs and institutions) within and in relation to the U.S. context. Specific focus and content vary by semester.
*Components*: LEC.
*Grading*: GRD.
*TYPICALLY OFFERED*: Offered by Announcement Only.

**AMS 325. Topics in American Studies: Law. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course explores the field of law (including the study of experiences, texts, and theoretical aspects of jurisprudence and legal culture) within and in relation to the U.S. context. Specific focus and content vary by semester.
*Components*: LEC.
*Grading*: GRD.
*TYPICALLY OFFERED*: Offered by Announcement Only.

**AMS 326. Topics in American Studies: Education. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course explores the field of education (including the study of experiences, texts, and theoretical aspects of literacies and the education of individuals and communities) within and in relation to the U.S. context. Specific focus and content vary by semester.
*Components*: LEC.
*Grading*: GRD.
*TYPICALLY OFFERED*: Offered by Announcement Only.
AMS 327. Topics in American Studies: Film. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the field of film (including the study of experiences, texts, and theoretical aspects of cinematic expression) within and in relation to the U.S. context. Specific focus and content vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

AMS 328. Topics in American Studies: Music. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the field of music (including the study of experiences, texts, and theoretical aspects of musical composition and expression) within and in relation to the U.S. context. Specific focus and content vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

AMS 329. Topics in American Studies: Art. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the field of art (including the study of experiences, texts, and theoretical aspects of aesthetics and creative expression) within and in relation to the U.S. context. Specific focus and content vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

AMS 330. Topics in American Studies: Sociology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the field of sociology (including the study of experiences, texts, and theoretical aspects of human engagements in society) within and in relation to the U.S. context. Specific focus and content vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

AMS 331. Topics in American Studies: Geography. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the field of geography (including the study of experiences, texts, and theoretical aspects of spatial and regional studies) within and in relation to the U.S. context. Specific focus and content vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

AMS 332. Topics in American Studies: Anthropology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the field of anthropology (including the study of experiences, texts, and theoretical aspects of human cultural development) within and in relation to the U.S. context. Specific focus and content vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

AMS 333. Topics in American Studies: Environmental Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the field of environmental studies (including the study of experiences, texts, and theoretical aspects of environmentalism and sustainability) within and in relation to the U.S. context. Specific focus and content vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

AMS 334. Topics in American Studies: Ethnic Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the field of ethnic studies (including the study of experiences, texts, and theoretical aspects of racialized ethnic groups) within and in relation to the U.S. context. Specific focus and content vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

AMS 335. Topics in American Studies: Women's and Gender Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the field of gender studies (including the study of experiences, texts, and theoretical aspects of gender) within and in relation to the U.S. context. Specific focus and content vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
AMS 336. Topics in American Studies: LGBTQ Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the field of LGBTQ studies (including the study of experiences, texts, and theoretical aspects of LGBTQ individuals and groups) within and in relation to the U.S. context. Specific focus and content vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

AMS 337. Topics in American Studies: Cultural Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the field of cultural studies (including the study of experiences, texts, and theoretical aspects of culture/cultural groups) within and in relation to the U.S. context. Specific focus and content vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

AMS 338. Topics in American Studies: International Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the field of international studies (including the study of experiences, texts, and theoretical elements emerging from international or global arenas) in relation to a U.S. context. Specific focus and content vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

AMS 339. Topics in American Studies: Urban Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the field of urban studies (including the study of experiences, texts, and theoretical aspects of urban or city life) within and in relation to the U.S. context. Specific focus and content vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

AMS 350. History and Culture of South Florida. 3 Credit Hours.
The history and culture of South Florida from a multidisciplinary perspective.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

AMS 399. Independent Study. 1-3 Credit Hours.
By arrangement with instructor; content varies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

AMS 401. Seminar in American Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

AMS 499. Independent Study. 3 Credit Hours.
By arrangement with instructor; content varies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

AMS 501. Senior Project. 3 Credit Hours.
All majors must complete either an individual research project or an internship at a local cultural or civic institution. Either option must be approved by the program director.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

AMS 505. Honors Thesis. 3 Credit Hours.
American Studies majors with a cumulative GPA of at least 3.5 in AMS courses and an overall GPA of at least 3.0 may earn departmental honors by completing AMS 505: honors thesis. Candidates for departmental honors are responsible for finding a faculty member to serve as the thesis advisor. Students would take AMS 501 in the fall semester or the senior year and AMS 505 in the spring to complete the honors thesis.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
B.A. in American Studies

Curriculum Requirements

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1 AMS 501 can take the form of an individual research project or an internship at a local cultural or civic institution. For the research option, students will identify an appropriate faculty member to supervise and grade the project, and then obtain approval from the program director before proceeding with the project. The student must produce a substantial written report or research paper, the format of which will be determined by the faculty member and student in consultation with the program director. For the internship option, students will partner with any number of local institutions and produce a creative and/or scholarly project for evaluation. The internship will be arranged through the program director in consultation with the Butler Center. The final product will be evaluated by the program director.

American Studies majors with a cumulative GPA of at least 3.5 in AMS courses and an overall GPA of at least 3.0 may earn departmental honors by completing AMS 505. Candidates for departmental honors are responsible for finding a faculty member to serve as thesis advisor. Students then must complete a thesis proposal of approximately 500 words that must be approved by the thesis advisor and the program director. The format and length of the thesis will vary according to the nature of the project. Students would take AMS 501 in the fall semester of the senior year and AMS 505 in the spring to complete the honors thesis.

2 Students must take three courses, chosen in consultation with an American Studies advisor, in a specialized area of American Studies (200 level or higher). Students may work in areas including, but not limited to, Ethnic Studies, Caribbean Studies, Latino/a Studies, Environmental Studies, Communication Studies, Women’s Literature, Urban Studies, Africana Studies, Religious Studies, or Material Culture Studies. At least one of these courses must be either comparative or non-U.S.-based.

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**Mission**
Goals

Student Learning Outcomes

• Students will demonstrate thorough knowledge of a variety of disciplinary research methodologies that shape the study of the culture, politics, and society of the United States, and the ability to analyze both primary and secondary sources, by using a wide variety of sources in their study of the U.S. in support of interdisciplinary learning.

• Students will demonstrate a thorough knowledge in history, culture, and politics of the U.S. in the context of larger-scale global changes and by making comparisons with other cultures and societies in history.

• Students will demonstrate the ability to directly relate themes, analyses, and methodologies they learned in their courses to their own research projects.

Minor in American Studies

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1 A total of 9 credits at the 300 level are required. Either the American History or American Literature course must be at the 300 level to meet this requirement.

* A grade of C- or better in each course is required, with a cumulative GPA of at least 2.0 in AMS courses

Anthropology

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Dept. Code: APY

Introduction

Anthropology is the scientific study of humankind, from its beginnings to the present. Of the many sciences that study aspects of humans and their behavior, only anthropology attempts to understand and integrate the entire panorama of human culture and biology in all times and places.

The Anthropology Department offers a wide range of courses for students in pursuit of the Bachelor of Arts degree, from the basic four fields of cultural anthropology, linguistics, biological anthropology, and archaeology, to advanced study of topics such as Maya archaeology, non-Western medical practices, primatology, gender and sexuality, and the evolution of language, among many others.

Anthropological training concentrates on broadly transferable skill areas such as understanding human diversity, building research skills for collecting and making sense of information, and communicating effectively. The skills developed through completing a degree in anthropology are useful for living and working in today’s globalized world, which increasingly means interacting with people from many different cultural backgrounds and nations.

The field is especially suited to a multi-ethnic, multi-lingual, and multi-cultural urban center such as Miami, and the research programs of the department faculty reflect the compositions and concerns of our larger community.

Anthropological knowledge has taken an increasing role in the solution of practical problems in public health, cultural resource and heritage management, international business, legal and human rights issues, and many other areas. The anthropological view challenges ethnocentric perspectives and encourages the rigorous exploration of the world’s cultural diversity.

Educational Objectives

Students who graduate from our program in anthropology will have achieved:

1. Basic familiarity with each of the four subfields of our discipline: archaeology, cultural anthropology, linguistic anthropology, and physical or biological anthropology.
2. Extended familiarity with one or more of these subfields in terms of knowledge of content related to, for example, gender, food, primate behavior, art, ritual, museums and collections, the interaction of language and thought, material culture, the sounds of languages; and methodological skills involving field research in one or more of the subfields.

3. The ability to articulate the anthropological view of the human condition in terms of an operational definition of culture and a holistic perspective on how humans behave.

4. Sufficient skill in research to be able to produce a research paper based on original anthropological investigation.

**Advanced Writing and Communication**

To satisfy the College of Arts and Sciences writing requirement in the discipline, students majoring in anthropology should take at least two courses designated as W (writing intensive) offered in the department. Writing courses are regularly offered by the department; however, it is the student’s responsibility to plan accordingly and to incorporate writing-designated courses into their graduation plans.

**Degree Programs**

The Department of Anthropology offers a major and a minor in the University’s array of Bachelor of Arts Degrees.

**Departmental Honors**

A student with junior or senior standing and a cumulative grade point average of 3.5 or higher may earn honors in anthropology by completion of a qualifying senior thesis encompassing an original research agenda under the direction of a member of the faculty in the Department of Anthropology. The scope of work will be set in a thesis proposal approved by at least two faculty (one may be from outside the Department) which will result in a submitted (although not necessarily accepted) manuscript/conference paper. Students who wish to complete a senior thesis shall enroll in senior thesis/independent study classes for at least two semesters (with three being ideal, or two plus summer), such that one semester could be devoted to a directed reading, one to data collections/analysis, and the final semester to writing.

Extraordinary Anthropology majors are also recognized via an invitation to join Lambda Alpha, the international honors society for anthropology. Lambda Alpha was founded with the purpose of encouraging and recognizing outstanding scholarship and research in anthropology. Each year the Department recognizes a graduating senior with the highest academic achievement both in and outside of the classroom with the Zora Neale Hurston Award in Anthropology.

**APY 100. Introduction to Forensic Investigation (EXP). 3 Credit Hours.**
Students will go into the field to gain an introductory understanding about skeletal identification and crime lab processes.
Requisite: Plan of Summer Scholar Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

**APY 101. Introduction to Anthropology. 3 Credit Hours.**
A broad overview of archaeology, cultural anthropology, biological anthropology, and linguistics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**APY 105. HIV: Sex, Science, and Society. 3 Credit Hours.**
The important role that science plays and has played in ameliorating suffering for mankind. We will include an analysis of the scientific, human, and policy-related issues associated with HIV/AIDS.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

**APY 109. Anthropology of Religion. 3 Credit Hours.**
Through themes such as myth, word and text, symbol, gender, pilgrimage, embodiment, and ritual, students learn about lived religion through anthropological research and field methods. The course also exposes introductory-level students to diverse world religious traditions: Korean folk religion, Indonesian Islam, Hinduism in diaspora, Judaism across cultures, Japanese temple Shinto traditions, and more.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

**APY 200. Introduction to Forensic Anthropology (EXP). 3 Credit Hours.**
Students will learn the basics of the human bone structure and how it relates to anthropology and forensic studies.
Requisite: Plan of Summer Scholar Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
APY 201. Principles of Archaeology. 3 Credit Hours.
History, methods, and theory of archaeology with an outline of the main characteristics of the prehistoric record throughout the world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

APY 202. Principles of Cultural Anthropology. 3 Credit Hours.
Cultural anthropology, including such topics as economics, politics, kinship and families, health systems, religion, and personality.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

APY 203. Principles of Physical Anthropology. 3 Credit Hours.
The origin and biological development of the human species; human evolution explored by means of the fossil record of prehistoric population; differentiation and adaptation of contemporary populations in various world environments; the comparison of humans and other primates with respect to biological and behavioral variability.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

APY 204. Principles of Linguistic Anthropology. 3 Credit Hours.
Human linguistic principles of phonology, morphology, and grammar to construct a framework for understanding the operation of language in cultural context. The functions of human language in structuring ideological, economic, and political realms.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

APY 205. Medicine and Health Care in Society. 3 Credit Hours.
A sociohistorical analysis of the intersection between medicine, health care and society, using examples throughout the world. It will reflect on 'taking-for-granted' concepts such as the 'body, risk, illness and healing' and their relationships to culture, power, and society, as well as the plurality of narratives and discourses on health and healing practices.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

APY 208. Short-Changed in the City. 3 Credit Hours.
Marginalization plagues sub-populations in almost every large city. An anthropological view of this problem and its origins, presented through readings, discussions, lectures and field trips.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

APY 230. The Sounds of the World's Languages. 3 Credit Hours.
The range of sounds produced by the speakers of the world's languages. An introduction to phonetics, with a focus on acoustically-oriented methods used in contemporary phonetics.
Prerequisite: APY 204.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

APY 301. World Prehistory. 3 Credit Hours.
The global prehistoric record, with emphasis on the development of social complexity and ancient states.
Prerequisite: APY 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

APY 302. Ethnographies of Black Life. 3 Credit Hours.
Themes that have shaped Anthropology's engagement with Black Life. Critique between Black Studies and the social Sciences with particular focus on the discipline of anthropology, interrogation of the methods and theoretical frameworks employed to empirically distill the social conditions and political formations of black diasporic peoples.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
APY 306. Human Evolution. 3 Credit Hours.
The macroevolution of humans using the fossil record of vertebrates, including the development of uniquely human behavioral and anatomical adaptations, and of diversity in living populations.
Prerequisite: APY 201 or APY 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

APY 307. Human Adaptation. 3 Credit Hours.
Human biological adaptation to different environments and stress is examined anthropologically within an evolutionary framework. Mechanisms of adaptation to temperature extremes and other climatic variables, high altitude, disease, nutritional stress, urbanization, extraterrestrial conditions, and other environmental challenges are described in relation to biological and behavioral variations among human populations. The limits of human performance and human adaptive potential in the present and future are explored.
Prerequisite: APY 201 and APY 202 and APY 203 and BIL 101 and BIL 109.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

APY 309. Evolution of Human Behavior. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

APY 310. Primate Behavior and Adaptation. 3 Credit Hours.
The taxonomy, distribution, anatomy, social behavior and adaptations to habitats of human and non-human primates as seen from an evolutionary perspective.
Prerequisite: APY 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

APY 312. Primate Cognition. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of the cognitive capacities of non-human primates and the implications of current research for understanding the evolution of human cognition. Example topics include knowledge of categories, space and quantities; curiosity and innovation; causality and mechanical reasoning; memory and planning; theory of mind; imitation and culture; and communication and language.
Prerequisite: APY 203 or APY 310 or PHI 246 or PSY 250.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

APY 315. Folk and Alternative Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
Historical and cultural backgrounds of health therapies, including theoretical bases of traditional ethnomedical, nonwestern, and complementary medical systems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

APY 320. The Evolution of Language. 3 Credit Hours.
Popular contemporary hypotheses on the origins and development of language.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

APY 340. Marine Archaeology. 3 Credit Hours.
Location, excavation, and study of submerged sites.
Prerequisite: APY 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
APY 345. Blood and Chocolate: Ancient Civilizations of Mesoamerica. 3 Credit Hours.
An archaeological approach to understanding the major pre-Columbian cultures of Mesoamerica, from Olmec to Aztec periods, with emphasis on the ancient Maya. The particular accomplishments of this area such as the domestication of chocolate and corn, hieroglyphic writing, and elaborate sacrificial rituals will be explored.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

APY 356. Florida Archaeology. 3 Credit Hours.
Archaeological remains of ancient cultures in the Florida peninsula, from initial occupation to the Colonial Period.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

APY 360. Anthropology of Food. 3 Credit Hours.
Evolution of human diet, basic nutrition, food taboos, effects of domestication, effects of diet on skeletal remains, analysis of your own food habits, and the impact of certain foods on the biocultural evolution of our species.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

APY 361. Gender and Language. 3 Credit Hours.
The ways in which language is used in the constitution of gender from a cross-cultural perspective. Course is co-listed with WGS 361.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

APY 362. The Languages of the World. 3 Credit Hours.
The world’s languages. The primary focus is on major differences and similarities among the structural properties of languages from diverse regions and linguistic families. In short, an introduction to linguistic typology.
Prerequisite: APY 204.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

APY 376. Economic Anthropology. 3 Credit Hours.
The structure and operation of the small-scale economy in the social system is examined. The interrelationship between social and economic systems, and the formation of non-market economies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

APY 377. Anthropology of Political Systems and Discourse. 3 Credit Hours.
Political systems and processes in tribal societies, with special emphasis on dispute settlement, the organization of political control, and the use of oratory. Case studies from Latin American and African examples.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

APY 384. Caribbean Archaeology. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of human lifeways in the Antillean archipelago from first settlement through the development of complex socio-political structures in the Late Ceramic Age and ultimately the arrival of European and African migrants.
Prerequisite: APY 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

APY 385. Caribbean Cultures. 3 Credit Hours.
Caribbean societies, including ethnic diversity, production and exchange, domestic organization, and belief systems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
APY 390. Dead Bodies & Bioethics. 3 Credit Hours.
The ethical dilemmas faced by those who work or interact with dead bodies. We will explore dead bodies in multiple forms—decomposing, skeletonized, mummified, plastinated, etc. to address such topics as commercialization, public display, heritage and dark tourism, politicization, exhumation, consent, ownership, violence, and descendant communities. Our approach will be an anthropological one, though we will also draw from the fields of medicine, philosophy, law, history, and the humanities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

APY 391. Gender in Ancient Cultures. 3 Credit Hours.
A cross-cultural examination of the role gender played in ancient complex culture areas, such as Mesoamerica, Mesopotamia, and the Mediterranean, with emphasis on using the archaeological record to reconstruct social roles.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

APY 392. Sex and Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
A cross-cultural examination of sex roles and sexuality; gender identity, division of labor, functions of marriage, sexual practices, reproductive control, and political relationships between the sexes.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

APY 393. Drugs and Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
Cross cultural review of human drug use with special attention to the use of drugs in cultural context.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

APY 394. Comparative Religion. 3 Credit Hours.
A cross-cultural investigation of differing levels of religious belief systems examined from both etic and emic points of view.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

APY 395. Gender, Race, and Class. 3 Credit Hours.
To explore human differences, we will interrogate common sense as: thinking about gender, race, and class. Certain queries will be addressed. What roles do scientific practice, political systems, and popular media play in shaping our thinking about differences? Where do we draw the line between biological fact and social construction? How do these facets of identity intersect and inform individuals’ everyday experiences? How might knowledge allow us to speak truth to power when institutional oppression occurs? An anthropological perspective will provide the central frame, though feminism, history, medicine, biology, psychology, and law will inform our considerations.
Prerequisite: APY 202 or GSS 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

APY 396. Youth Culture, Identity, and Globalization. 3 Credit Hours.
Youth cultural practices and experiences in various urban contexts in the world. Particular emphasis is placed on marginalization, identity and commodification of violent practices as embedded in the globalization processes.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

APY 397. Violence and Ritual. 3 Credit Hours.
Various theories of ritual and violence with reference to ethnographically-based topics. It will explore the role of symbols, rituals and ideologies in shaping and contesting power within nations and other political communities.
Prerequisite: APY 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
APY 398. Coastal Cultures. 3 Credit Hours.
Fishermen and their special relations to the environment, from Thailand and Sri Lanka to Alaska and the West Indies. Decision-making processes among fishermen, business concepts, responses to technology and myths of the sea.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

APY 399. The Anthropology of Kinship and Family in America. 3 Credit Hours.
Theories of kinship and the family. It will examine emergence of new patterns of kinship networks and construction of individuals. Ethnographic materials will be drawn from the Americas and the Caribbean, particularly Brazil, Cuba, Haiti, Jamaica and the United States.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

APY 405. Readings in Anthropology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings on special topics in Anthropology.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

APY 406. Readings in Anthropology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings on special topics in Anthropology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

APY 413. Medical Anthropology. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

APY 414. Human Osteology. 3 Credit Hours.
Identification and interpretation of the human skeleton, including age, sex, hard tissue pathology and traumas.
Prerequisite: APY 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

APY 415. Forensic Anthropology II: Fieldwork. 3 Credit Hours.
The investigation, analyses, and legal aspects of human remains recovered from crime scenes and mass disasters.
Prerequisite: APY 203 or APY 414.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

APY 416. Bioarchaeology-Peopling the past. 3 Credit Hours.
Contextualization of bodies in space, cultural milieu and time are the primary focus of this course. Students will explore bioarchaeology's history, development and major topical concerns.
Prerequisite: APY 201 or APY 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

APY 417. Archaeometry: The Science of Material Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
The archaeological application of a physical science (physics, chemistry, geology, etc.) techniques to answer pertinent anthropological questions about past societies.
Prerequisite: APY 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
APY 418. Seminar in Anthropology. 3 Credit Hours.
Consideration of special topics in physical anthropology, linguistics, archaeology and ethnology and their interrelationships.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

APY 419. Politics of the Past. 3 Credit Hours.
The intersection of archaeology, politics, capitalism, and discrimination to consider the presentation, misconstrual, revision, and reclamation of the past. Lecturing will be kept to a minimum, as the bulk of the class will be devoted to discussion and debate.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

APY 420. Archaeology, Architecture, and the City. 3 Credit Hours.
Ancient architectural remains in the global anthropological perspective, emphasizing the role of architecture in shaping the evolution of social and political interactions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

APY 421. Interpreting Bodies. 3 Credit Hours.
Perceptions, representations, and regulation of the physical body as a gendered and sexual site, as a source of pleasure, as a means of social validation, and as an object of coercion. Writing Credit. Lecturing will be kept to a minimum, as the bulk of the class will be devoted to discussion and debate.
Prerequisite: APY 202 and GSS 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

APY 422. Pseudoscience in Archaeology. 3 Credit Hours.
Reconstructions of how people lived in the past that claim scientific validity, use the terminology of science, but are unsupported by evidence, can be called pseudoscientific. This course critically evaluates the field of pseudoscientific archaeology by applying the scientific method, logic, and common sense.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

APY 423. Paleopathology: Health and disease in ancient peoples. 3 Credit Hours.
Paleopathology aims to familiarize students with the range of health conditions that present in preserved human remains and to explain the linkages between disease prevalence and culture, economics, and politics.
Prerequisite: APY 414 and APY 416.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

APY 435. Anthropology of Nature and Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an introduction to the anthropological investigation of nature, biology, and environment. Taking examples from cultural anthropology and the subfields of environmental anthropology, political ecology, and the anthropology of science, the course builds an understanding of the various ways in which ideas about nature and human nature and nature making practices shape our contemporary world: its places, spaces, life forms, and forms of life.
Prerequisite: APY 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

APY 480. Undergrad Internship Anthropology. 3-9 Credit Hours.
The purpose of the undergraduate internship is practical application of coursework to hands-on learning with field and laboratory research conducted in partnership with an academic, governmental, non-profit and/or private sector business entity. The goal is to acquire and practice skill sets required for advancement in professional careers. Students may elect to participate in more than one internship because of the four-field approach of the discipline of Anthropology.
Prerequisite: APY 201 or APY 202 or APY 203 or APY 204.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.
APY 484. Anthropological Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Theoretical frameworks directing data collection and research methodology in anthropology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

APY 485. Archeological Theory and Technique. 3 Credit Hours.
Theoretical traditions that shape modern archaeological research design and interpretation.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

APY 486. Advanced Colloquy in Black Feminist Theory and Praxis: Major Works of 7 Black Feminist Thinkers. 3 Credit Hours.
Black feminist theory, produced primarily by Black women scholars, artist and activists, throughout the diaspora, constitutes a distinctive and influential body of politics and thought. Black feminist’s uninvited interventions in Black politics, arts and letters—produced at the interstices of violence, silence, invisibility, or forgetting—exposes and makes available a wider horizon of possibilities than had been proposed before its emergence. The central theoretical innovation of this praxis (later claimed by theorists of various stripes), is the multiple—‘interlocking’, ‘intersectional’, ‘compounded’—constitution of “identity,” oppression, aesthetic sensibilities, for example, and therefore of roads toward freedom. This distinctive body of work is not only interdisciplinary, multilingual; but also constitutive to specific geographies, politics, experiences, and particular intellectual and political streams.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

APY 501. Methods of Anthropological Research. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Concentration on research methods for Cultural, Archaeological, Linguistic, and/or Biological Anthropology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

APY 502. Field Studies in Anthropology. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Field research in advanced topics in Cultural, Archaeological, Linguistic and/or Biological Anthropology. Preparation of data for professional presentation and publication is stressed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

APY 505. Museum Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
Field work and on-site experience in museum studies conducted in conjunction with the major museums in Miami. Training and research in methods and techniques in museology.
Prerequisite: APY 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

APY 506. Workshop in Anthropology. 3-6 Credit Hours.
This course is designed for upper level and graduate students to participate in special topics in Anthropology and related fields.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

APY 511. Artlab At Lowe. 3 Credit Hours.
Organizing an art exhibition at the Lowe Art Museum. Taught by a different faculty member each year.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

APY 512. Advanced Medical Anthropology. 3 Credit Hours.
Applications of theories and methods of medical anthropology to problems in human health and disease.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
APY 518. Advanced Seminar in Anthropology. 3 Credit Hours.
Specialized topics in Anthropology to involve students into current research specializations.
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B.A. in Anthropology
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** Majors are strongly encouraged to enroll in one of our many fieldwork opportunities or to obtain training in field methods specific to their interests. The remainder of the program will be developed with the student’s departmental adviser. To satisfy the College of Arts and Sciences writing requirement in the discipline, students majoring in anthropology should take at least two courses designated as W (writing intensive) offered by the department.

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**Mission**

To teach students to identify the principles of human behavior and action, understand their cultural production and significance, and compare our own behaviors with those of people from other times and places around the world. The latter demands evolutionary, cross-cultural studies of human behavior.

**Goals**

Students who major or minor in anthropology at the University of Miami will:

- Successfully complete all courses required of Anthropology majors
- Demonstrate understanding of key methods and concepts of the discipline’s four sub-fields—biological anthropology, socio-cultural anthropology, linguistic anthropology, and archaeology
- Describe in depth the developments in research in at least one of the four subfields
• Receive a foundation in critical thinking and key disciplinary ideas so that they may continue their studies in doctoral, medical, or professional programs (i.e., law school, business school) or find employment in pertinent fields after graduation.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

• Students will demonstrate in-depth knowledge of concepts that unify the sub-fields, or what anthropologists study and why they do so.

• Students will demonstrate knowledge of research developments in at least one of the four subfields—biological anthropology, socio-cultural anthropology, linguistic anthropology, and archaeology. To this end, they will understand how contemporary anthropologists gain information and what they learn from data collected.

• Students will receive a foundation in critical thinking skills.

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**Minor in Anthropology**

**Curriculum Requirements**

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* A minor in Anthropology consists of 15 or more credit hours

** A grade of C- or higher is required with an overall GPA of 2.0 including any two 200-level anthropology courses.

*** Appropriate courses offered in other departments may also be counted toward the minor with approval of the Director of Undergraduate Studies.

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**Art and Art History**

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Dept. Codes: ART, ARH

**Educational Objectives**

The Department of Art and Art History provides facilities and instruction to serve the needs of the general student. The program fosters participation and appreciation in the visual arts for students with specialized interests and abilities preparing for careers in the production and interpretation of art and art history.

**Degree Programs**

The Department of Art and Art History offers two undergraduate degrees:

• The Bachelor of Arts, with tracks in:
  • Art (General Study)
  • Art History
  • Studio Art

• The Bachelor of Fine Arts in Studio Art, which allows for primary and secondary concentrations in:
  • Painting
  • Sculpture
  • Printmaking
  • Photography/Digital Imaging
  • Graphic Design/Multimedia
  • Ceramics

The B.A. requires a minimum of 36 credit hours in the department with a grade of C or higher. The B. A. major is also required to have a minor outside the department. Minor requirements are specified by each department and are listed in the Bulletin. The B.F.A. requires a minimum of 72 credit hours
in the department, a grade of C or higher in each course, a group exhibition and at least a 3.0 average in departmental courses. The B.F.A. major is not required to have a minor outside the department.

Writing within the Discipline
To satisfy the College of Arts and Sciences writing requirement in the discipline, students whose first major is art or art history must take at least one of the following courses for a writing credit: ARH 343: Modern Art, and/or ARH 344: Contemporary Art.

Departmental Honors
In order to be eligible for Departmental Honors, candidates must have completed at least nine credit hours at the 300 level or above, and must have a GPA of 3.5 in all their major courses and a 3.5 overall average GPA. Both GPAs must be maintained in order to graduate with Departmental Honors.

During their junior year, candidates for Honors must request admission to Departmental Honors from the Department Chair, and identify an exhibition/thesis faculty supervisor.

In addition to fulfilling the regular major requirements, students must register in their senior for six credits of Independent Study at the 500 level. Art majors will be expected to work on an exhibition project. Art history majors will be expected to research and write an Honors Thesis.

The Department Chair and the faculty supervisor will determine whether the completed exhibition project or thesis merits Departmental Honors.

Audit
Due to the nature of studio courses, it is not possible for a student to audit courses offered in the studio areas.

Art
ART 101. Introduction to Drawing I. 3 Credit Hours.
Contour, cross-contour, perspective, proportion, chiaroscuro, and gesture in pictorial composition.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ART 102. Introduction to Drawing II. 3 Credit Hours.
Experimentation, chance, exaggeration, movement, texture, and color in pictorial composition.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 103. Two-Dimensional Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Line, rhythm, shape, pattern, value, and color in pictorial composition.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ART 104. Intro to 3D Design. 3 Credit Hours.
A background in the elements of three-dimensional aesthetics that will broaden students’ understanding and creativity in making sculptural objects. This course is the foundation for further study in sculpture, glass, and ceramics courses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 105. Figure Drawing. 3 Credit Hours.
Drawing the human figure: proportion, anatomy, perspective, gesture, and expressive line. Prerequisite: ART 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 107. Introduction to Drawing III. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 101 with emphasis on Renaissance perspective and alternative systems of spatial representation. Survey of materials and methods. Introduction of color. Prerequisite: ART 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ART 109. Introduction to Electronic Media. 3 Credit Hours.
Computer skills for desktop publishing and digital imaging.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 180. Studies in Studio Art. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Studio studies taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ART 202. Introduction to Painting. 3 Credit Hours.
Materials and techniques of easel painting.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 206. Special Topics in Studio Art for Undergraduate Students. 3 Credit Hours.
Course devoted to exploring new topics in studio art practice and theory, including media specific and/or inter-disciplinary approaches. Course content to be determined by Instructor.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 210. Introduction to Digital Photography. 3 Credit Hours.
DSLR Camera and Lens Techniques and Adobe LightRoom Processing In Digital Photography.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ART 217. Introduction to Sculpture. 3 Credit Hours.
Integrated approach to concept development, craftsmanship and appropriate use of materials.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 251. Introduction to Printmaking. 3 Credit Hours.
Drypoint, engraving, etching, aquatint, and softground; relief and intaglio printed collographs; relief printing from linoleum.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 252. Introduction to Lithography. 3 Credit Hours.
To learn how to image, process and print lithographic plates and stones. Hand drawn, photographic and computer generated images will be covered on positive working lithography plates; traditional graining, drawing and processing of lithographic stones will also be covered as an optional method for students to pursue. Most printing will be a single color run but adding a second plate and monotyping will also be demonstrated. Print quality is the primary criteria for judging prints: lithography is known for its ability to create continuous tone prints, so utilizing that range of tone in your images is important. You may develop and choose your own subject matter and content or work experimentally and non-objectively.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ART 253. Silkscreen I. 3 Credit Hours.
Beginning silkscreen: monotyping with screens, reduction printing, multiple run silkscreen printing and beginning photo silkscreen.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ART 254. Computer Applications for Printmaking. 3 Credit Hours.
Software programs used as printmaking manipulation tools to aid in the planning of prints.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ART 260. Special topics in Ceramics. 3 Credit Hours.
Rotating topics course with a focus on developing modeling skills with clay through various forming methods.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 261. Hand-Built Ceramics I. 3 Credit Hours.
Beginning hand-building techniques: pinching, coiling, slab construction; introduction to glazing and firing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 262. Wheel Thrown Ceramics I. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to wheel throwing, glazing and firing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 263. Introduction to Glass Blowing. 3 Credit Hours.
Forming shapes and vessels from molten glass by the use of a blow pipe and glass tools.
Prerequisite: ART 104.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 268. Figure in Clay I. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to modeling the human figure in clay with emphasis on form, volume, proportion, basic anatomy, and gesture.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 291. Graphic Design I. 3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive approach to understanding design fundamentals and the practice of graphic communications.
Prerequisite: ART 109.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 292. Multimedia I/ Web Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to web design using several current time-based media.
Prerequisite: ART 109.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 293. Typography. 3 Credit Hours.
Type and image compositions, history, arrangement, style, aesthetics of printed communications, type software and calligraphy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 294. Multimedia II/ Animation. 3 Credit Hours.
Animation using time-based media.
Prerequisite: ART 109.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 301. Intermediate Painting I. 3 Credit Hours.
Painting in oil and acrylic. Emphasis on experimentation and creative expression.
Prerequisite: ART 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ART 302. Intermediate Painting II. 3 Credit Hours.
Painting in oil and acrylic; emphasis on experimentation and creative expression.
Prerequisite: ART 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 305. Intermediate Figure Drawing. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 105.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 306. Special Topics in Studio Art for Undergraduate Students. 3 Credit Hours.
Course devoted to exploring new topics in studio art practice and theory, including media specific and/or inter-disciplinary approaches. Course content to be determined by Instructor.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 310. Intermediate Digital Photography. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: ART 210.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 311. Color Digital Photography. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: ART 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 312. Alternative Processes Photography. 3 Credit Hours.
Nineteenth Century Photographic Processes. From the Cyanotype to the Collodion Print, all in the service of creative expression.
Prerequisite: ART 311.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 315. Socially Engaged Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Contemporary art practices and the role of visual arts in creating social change, through lectures, group discussions, Individual art projects and a collaborative, hands-on community-based art project. Note: This is a new course implemented as part of the Engaged Faculty Fellows program to provide students with the opportunity for civic engagement within the context of art-making.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ART 317. Intermediate Sculpture I. 3 Credit Hours.
Incorporation of symbol and metaphor to achieve meaning, use of additional materials and technical processes.
Prerequisite: ART 217.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 318. Intermediate Sculpture II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 317.
Prerequisite: ART 317.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ART 351. Intaglio/Relief II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 251. Additional processes such as mezzotint, relief printing from woodblocks, multiple block printing, photographic xerox transfers and photo etching.
Prerequisite: ART 251.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 352. Lithography II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 252. Color printing from stones, aluminum plates and photo litho plates. Combination of lithography with other print media.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 353. Silkscreen II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 253, including silkscreening on canvas, larger format work, and advanced photo silkscreen techniques.
Prerequisite: ART 253.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 354. Computer Assisted Printmaking: Lithography and Silkscreen. 3 Credit Hours.
The use of inkjet and laser printers to make positives for black and white and process color work in photo lithography; custom color separations for multiple screen printing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 355. History of Philosophy of Art. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the history of philosophical work on the arts (including literature, visual art, and music) from ancient times through the mid twentieth century.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 361. Hand-Built Ceramics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 261.
Prerequisite: ART 261.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 362. Wheel Thrown Ceramics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 262.
Prerequisite: ART 262.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 363. Cast Glass Processes. 3 Credit Hours.
The art of cast glass including sand casting and lost wax techniques.
Prerequisite: ART 263 or ART 104.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 364. Intermediate Glass Blowing. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of glass working techniques.
Prerequisite: ART 263.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ART 368. Figure in Clay II. 3 Credit Hours.
As continuation of ART 268, this intermediate course will focus on modeling The human figure in clay with emphasis on form, volume, proportion, anatomy, and gesture.
Prerequisite: ART 268.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 391. Graphic Design II. 3 Credit Hours.
Development of form and conceptual design. Contemporary visual rhetorical strategies such as metaphors, puns, irony and methonymy.
Prerequisite: ART 291.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 392. Multimedia III. 3 Credit Hours.
Video art, multimedia, installation art and interactive animation.
Prerequisite: ART 109.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 401. Advanced Painting I. 3 Credit Hours.
Development of a personal style in painting.
Prerequisite: ART 301 and ART 302.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 402. Advanced Painting II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 401.
Prerequisite: ART 401.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 405. Advanced Figure Drawing. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 305.
Prerequisite: ART 305.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 406. Special Topics in Studio Art for Undergraduate Students. 3 Credit Hours.
Course devoted to exploring new topics in studio art practice and theory, including media specific and/or inter-disciplinary approaches. Course content to be determined by Instructor.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 407. Special Topics: Renaissance and Baroque Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminar on changing topics in Renaissance and Baroque Art.
Prerequisite: ARH 132.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 410. Advanced Digital Photography I. 3 Credit Hours.
Development of a personal style in digital imaging. Course is designed for students to pursue a semester long thematic project.
Prerequisite: ART 311.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ART 411. Experimental Photography. 3 Credit Hours.
Course content determined by faculty member teaching it from studio lighting class to the Artist Book Project. May be repeated for credit.
Prerequisite: ART 311.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 417. Advanced Sculpture I. 3 Credit Hours.
Individual and collaborative installation and site-specific art.
Prerequisite: ART 317.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 418. Advanced Sculpture II. 3 Credit Hours.
Development of a personal visual vocabulary.
Prerequisite: ART 417.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 451. Intaglio/Relief III. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 351.
Prerequisite: ART 351.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 452. Lithography III. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 352.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 453. Silkscreen III. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 353.
Prerequisite: ART 353.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 454. Computer Assisted Printmaking: Intaglio and Relief. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 354, photo etching and relief processes.
Prerequisite: ART 354.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 462. Advanced Ceramics. 3 Credit Hours.
Development of expressive skills in either handbuilding or wheel throwing techniques.
Prerequisite: ART 361 or ART 362.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 468. Figure in Clay III. 3 Credit Hours.
As continuation of ART 368, this advanced course will focus on modeling The human figure in clay with emphasis on form, volume, proportion, anatomy, gesture and expressive handling of clay.
Prerequisite: ART 368.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ART 491. Graphic Design III. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced page layout coupled with extensive use of typography with applications in page design for advertising and collateral projects.
Prerequisite: ART 391.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 493. Illustration. 3 Credit Hours.
Contemporary illustration for print, new media, portfolio and exhibition.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 499. Honors Thesis. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Formal thesis and project including an exhibition supervised by member of the department faculty.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 501. Advanced Painting III. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Course content decided between student and professor.
Prerequisite: ART 402.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 502. Advanced Painting IV. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 501.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 503. Advanced Painting V. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Course content decided between student and professor. An independent study course may be repeated.
Prerequisite: ART 502.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 504. Advanced Painting VI. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Course content decided between student and professor. An Independent Study course may be repeated.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 505. Advanced Painting VII. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Current readings and/or technical concerns not covered in the regular curriculum. Course content will vary each semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 506. Special Topics in Studio Art for Undergraduate Students. 3 Credit Hours.
Course devoted to exploring new topics in studio art practice and theory, including media specific and/or inter-disciplinary approaches. Course content to be determined by Instructor.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 509. Independent Study in Other Media. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Course content decided between student and professor. Independent study course may be repeated.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ART 510. Advanced Digital Photography 2. 3 Credit Hours.
Course content decided between student and professor. May NOT be repeated for credit.
Prerequisite: ART 410.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 511. Advanced Digital Photography 3. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 510. May NOT be repeated for credit.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 512. Independent Study in Photography. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Course content decided between student and professor. An independent study course may be repeated.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 517. Advanced Sculpture III. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of ongoing work in relationship to historical and contemporary interpretations issues.
Prerequisite: ART 418.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 518. Advanced Sculpture IV. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 517.
Prerequisite: ART 517.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 551. Intaglio/Relief IV. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced work in intaglio/relief processes: course requirements decided between student and professor.
Prerequisite: ART 451.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 552. Lithography IV. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced work in lithography: course requirements decided between student and professor.
Prerequisite: ART 452.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 553. Silkscreen IV. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced work in silkscreen.
Prerequisite: ART 453.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 554. Computer Assisted Printmaking. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced work in computer assisted printmaking; course requirements decided between student and professor.
Prerequisite: ART 454.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 555. Topics in Printmaking. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Current readings and/or technical concerns not covered in the regular curriculum. Course content will vary each semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ART 562. Contemporary Ceramic Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Development of artistic style and technical abilities in relation to contemporary trends in ceramic art.
Prerequisite: ART 462.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 563. Independent Study in Ceramics/Glass. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Course content decided between student and professor. An independent study course may be repeated.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 564. Directed Research and Projects in Ceramics/Glass. 3 Credit Hours.
Historical to contemporary approach to ceramics; furthering of the technical ability, and development of artistic style.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 591. Portfolio/Business of Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Individually supervised graphic design portfolio. Professional practices in design.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 592. Special Projects/Multimedia/Portfolio. 3 Credit Hours.
Video Art, print design, illustration or multimedia portfolio preparation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 593. Seminar in Professional Practices. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Advanced course with a required placement in a professional design or multimedia setting. Classroom sessions on professional topics and issues. Portfolio required.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 599. Exhibition Preparation. 3 Credit Hours.
A seminar class devoted to the preparatory work needed to plan and promote a solo exhibition, including installation/lighting concerns. Preliminary written assignments will also be given in preparation for ART 710 Thesis.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

Art History

ARH 131. Survey of Western Art I. 3 Credit Hours.
The art of western cultures from pre-history through the Middle Ages.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARH 132. Survey of Western Art II. 3 Credit Hours.
The art of western cultures from the Renaissance through the 20th century.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARH 207. History of Photography. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of photography as a visual medium of expression and communication: a chronological examination of its origins, styles and uses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ARH 220. Student Docent Practicum at the Lowe Art Museum. 1 Credit Hour.
Students gain hands-on training and practical experience on becoming a museum docent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARH 225. Introduction to Museum Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
An introductory study of the practices and methodologies that shape and guide curatorial studies within the context of museums and similar institutions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 250. Special Topics in Non-European Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in Non-European art.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 260. Islamic Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Islamic art from the 7th to the 17th century including architecture, manuscript illumination, textiles, ceramics, and small-scale luxury objects. Study of Islam as a religious and political entity showing how the Islamic world defined itself in cultural creation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARH 270. Spanish Art. 3 Credit Hours.
A chronological study from prehistory to the present, addressing significant periods in Spanish art history, and establishing the unique characteristics of this art. How the effects of historical conditions (Islamic presence on the peninsula, American colonies, Franco) have defined Spain as distinct from its European neighbors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 320. Aesthetics and Meaning in African Art and Cultures. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to historically, materially, artistically, and politically engage the diversity of artistic production and cultural life on the African continent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARH 321. Andean Art. 3 Credit Hours.
South American art from formative times through the Incan empire and the Spanish conquest (A.D. 1521).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 325. Museum Studies Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
The Museum Studies internship is an independent study course in which the student works on educational projects or programs in a museum.
Components: FLD.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARH 326. Art of Japan. 3 Credit Hours.
The Arts of South Asia with selections from India and Thailand.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARH 327. Art of China. 3 Credit Hours.
The Art of East Asia with selections from China, Korea, and Japan.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ARH 332. Greek Art. 3 Credit Hours.
The art of ancient Greek civilization.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 333. Roman Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Roman art from the 1st century B.C. through the 4th century A.D.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 335. Early Christian and Byzantine Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Christian art from the second through the fifteenth centuries in Rome and the Byzantine Empire.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 336. Medieval Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Western European art from the 4th through the 12th century.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 337. Italian Renaissance Art. 3 Credit Hours.
The painting, sculpture, and architecture of Florence in the 15th century.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 338. Sixteenth Century Italian Art. 3 Credit Hours.
The painting, sculpture, and architecture of Italy in the 16th century.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 339. Northern Renaissance Art. 3 Credit Hours.
The painting of France and the Netherlands in the 14th and 15th centuries.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 340. Baroque Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Art and architecture of the seventeenth century, focusing on major cultural centers in Europe and the Americas.
Pre requisite: ARH 132.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 341. Eighteenth-Century European Art. 3 Credit Hours.
European art from 1700-1820, including Rococo and Neoclassicism, ending with Goya in Spain.
Pre requisite: ARH 132.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 342. Nineteenth-Century European Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Neo-Classicism, Romanticism, Realism, Impressionism, 1760-1900.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARH 343. Modern Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Cezanne to Surrealism. Primarily European Art c. 1880-1940 in the context of the development of Modernism and its aesthetic theories.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ARH 344. Contemporary Art. 3 Credit Hours.
American and European Art from the Second World War to the present in its social, political, and theoretical contexts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARH 345. Contemporary Art in American Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
A critical survey of visual art practices from the 1950s to the present within the United States. By analyzing the multiple legacies of the early avant-garde, the role of nationalism, and the development of the global art market, this course will consider the social, political, and philosophical questions raised by postmodernism and its formative influence on American art after WWII.
Prerequisite: ARH 131 or ARH 132.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARH 346. History of Graphic Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Evolution of Graphic Design from the invention of writing through the twentieth century concentrating on contemporary themes and technical innovations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARH 347. Special Topics in Art History. 3 Credit Hours.
Changing topics in Western and non-Western art that focus on a specific movement, style, or artist.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 349. Special Topics in Art and the Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Changing topics on the relationship between art and law, with a particular focus on policy and the art world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 357. Critical Issues in the History Photography. 3 Credit Hours.
The history and theory of photography in visual culture and an exploration of debates regarding how this medium of mass communication has transformed our perceptions and conceptions of art, society, and culture over the past two centuries.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 360. Art and Cinema. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of the relationship between art, art history, and cinema.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 365. Latin American Modernism. 3 Credit Hours.
The art and theories of Latin American Modernism.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 385. Studies in Art History. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Art History studies taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ARH 405. Special Topics in Medieval Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Changing topics in Medieval Art.
Prerequisite: ARH 131.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ARH 408. Special Topics in Modern Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminar on changing topics in Modern Art.
Prerequisite: ARH 132.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 409. Special Topics in Contemporary Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminar on changing topics in contemporary art.
Prerequisite: ARH 132.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 411. Special Topics: Museum Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminar on changing topics in Museum studies.
Prerequisite: ARH 225. Requisite: Two additional art history courses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 420. Cuban Art, Art History, and the Creation of the Modern Cuban Subject. 3 Credit Hours.
This seminar focuses on the fine art, visual culture, and performance history of Cuba during the 19th and 20th centuries.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARH 421. Reimagining Modernity: Haitian Art and Art History. 3 Credit Hours.
Haiti is a revolutionary society born out of the violence of slavery and revolution during the age of Enlightenment. It can be argued that it is a site of a double artistic modernity; post 1804 with the establishment of the Republic of Haiti and later the first art school in the Americas, and post 1943 following the founding of the Centre d'Art. However, Haiti is rarely considered as a site of modernity. Instead historically afflicted by in calculable crises and unspeakable violence at the hands of man and nature, the nation has been sidelined in art historical narratives in the Americas before and arguably since the 1943 renaissance. This class re-centers Haiti in the discipline of art history as a space that offers fascinating challenges to and possibilities for decentered global art histories. Drawing on seminal scholarship, unique archival resources and art collections at the University of Miami, the city of Miami and beyond, this seminar traces artistic practices and philosophies in and from Haiti that were trans-Atlantic in their formation and always global in their relations.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

ARH 450. Seminar in Methodology and Theory in the History of Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic methodologies that inform the discipline of art history and an introduction to the key authors and ideas that have shaped and continue to shape how critics and art historians write about art.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 505. Problems in Art History. 3 Credit Hours.
A means by which the student of advanced standing may investigate areas of a specialized nature, or those which are not offered as a regular part of the curriculum. Course content will be decided in joint conference between student and instructor.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARH 506. Problems in Art History. 3 Credit Hours.
A means by which the student of advanced standing may investigate areas of a specialized nature, or those which are not offered as a regular part of the curriculum. Course content will be decided in joint conference between student and instructor.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARH 507. Museum Studies Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
The museum as an institution and as a site for the construction of knowledge. Students will also explore the relationship between museums and academia.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ARH 508. Museum Exhibition. 3 Credit Hours.
Organizing an art museum exhibition, and participating in the installation. Writing and composing the catalogue.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 509. Museum Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
UM sponsored internship with Miami-area museum.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARH 510. Arts Administration Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
UM sponsored internship with Miami-area arts institution.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARH 511. Artlab @ the Lowe. 3 Credit Hours.
Organizing an art exhibition at the Lowe Art Museum. Taught by a different faculty member each year.
Prerequisite: ARH 131 and ARH 132.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARH 530. Seminar in Art History. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in western and nonwestern art. Semester’s topic will be announced.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 540. History of Museums and Collecting. 3 Credit Hours.
History of museums and collecting practices in western Europe and the United States from the sixteenth to the twentieth century.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 560. Seminar in Nineteenth and Twentieth Century Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics including museum practices and theory, women's art and contemporary issues.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 570. Seminar in Non-European Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Special Topics in Non-European Art.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 598. Seminar in Contemporary American Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Issues in Art since 1960: Aesthetic theories and ideological issues generated in contemporary art as expressed in the writing of artists and art critics.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

B.A. in Art (General Study)
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**General Study Courses**

Select any six courses from the following areas:  18

- Art History
- Drawing
- Painting
- Sculpture
- Printmaking
- Graphic Design/Multimedia
- Photography/Digital Imaging
- Ceramics/Glass

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Foreign Language Requirement  9

Minor - Non Art  15

Electives and/or Writing Courses  33

Total Credit Hours  120

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Mission

The Art History program provides students with a broad exposure to the history of art, with the opportunity to gain an in-depth knowledge in specified subfields (e.g., European modernism; modern art in the Americas; contemporary world art; history of photography; Islamic art; Caribbean art; and Asian art).

Goals

Students gain knowledge of major monuments, artists, styles, and art historical theories, and methodologies. Coursework promotes critical thinking, written and oral communication skills, visual analysis, curatorial studies, and independent research.

Student Learning Outcomes

- Students who major in art history will have a working knowledge of artists, art historical terminology, methodologies, and different interpretive frameworks of art.
- Students who major in art history will gain effective oral communication skills in relation to artworks and the study of art history.
- Students who major in art history will gain effective written communication skills in relation to artworks and the study of art history, and will be able to locate and analyze primary and secondary sources relevant to research in art history.

B.A. in Studio Art

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### Studio Art Courses

Select six Studio courses from the following areas:

- Drawing
- Painting
- Sculpture
- Printmaking
- Graphic Design/Multimedia
- Photography/Digital Imaging
- Ceramics/Glass

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**Total Credit Hours** 120

**Mission**

The Art Department is dedicated to promoting excellence in the visual arts by encouraging originality, discovery, creativity, and critical inquiry. Students will be exposed to a variety of technical and aesthetic approaches for the making of fine art as well as be educated in the history of western art. The BA program, as opposed to the BFA program, has a strong liberal arts component and the number of credits in the major are such that students can choose to also pursue a second academic major; it’s a great degree for students with more than one interest. The BA studio emphasis is to try a variety of media, whereas in the BFA students are tasked with specializing in a primary and secondary studio major.
Goals

Student Learning Outcomes

• Students will demonstrate knowledge on the relationship between materials and concepts, apply this knowledge in a variety art media and processes, and be able to problem solve in visual arts.

• Students will demonstrate proficient written and communication skills.

• Students will demonstrate knowledge of traditional and contemporary aesthetic positions, and working knowledge of the history of art from the pre-historic period to the present. BA students are required to take the two halves of the Survey plus one elective (usually either Contemporary or Modern Art).

B.F.A. in Art

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Art Electives

Select 12 credit hours to be taken in the Department outside of area of specialization. 12

Areas of Concentration

Primary concentrations

Select six courses from the sequence: 18

- Painting
- Printmaking
- Graphic Design/Multimedia
- Photography/Digital Imaging
- Ceramics
- Sculpture

Secondary concentrations

Select six courses from the sequence: 18

- Painting
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Portfolio Review *

BFA Exhibition **

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* **BFA Exhibition**
  Unless otherwise instructed, each BFA candidate will take part in an exhibition of work screened and approved by a faculty member from their area of specialization, accomplished as an art major at the University of Miami, in the Fall or Spring semester of the senior year. The BFA exhibitions are held in the College Gallery.
  
At the time the candidates BFA exhibition is hung, a formal critique will be arranged between the student and the art faculty.

**BFA Minor in Art History**
All BFA studio majors automatically minor in art history. A minor outside the department is not required.

### Maximum Credits in Studio Areas
A BFA student is limited to a maximum of 21 credit hours in any one studio area – Painting, Printmaking, Graphic Design/Multimedia, Photo/Digital, Ceramics, and Sculpture.

### Minimum Major GPA
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### Year Three

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- **ART - Studio Secondary** 3
- **ART - Studio Elective** 3
- **ARH Elective** 3
- **People and Society Cognate Course** 3

#### Spring
- **ART - Studio Primary** 3
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| Credit Hours | 15 |

### Year Four

#### Fall
- **ART - Studio Primary** 3
- **ART - Studio Secondary** 3
- **ARH Elective** 3
- **People and Society Cognate Course** 3
- **Elective or Writing Course** 3

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- **ART - Studio Primary** 3
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| Credit Hours | 15 |

| Total Credit Hours | 120 |

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### Mission
The Art Department is dedicated to the promotion of excellence in the visual arts by encouraging originality, discovery, creativity, and critical inquiry. The department provides an educationally diverse environment where students can acquire the critical perspectives, historical knowledge, and technical skills that will prepare them for a variety of professional careers in the arts. The BFA program, as opposed to the BA-Studio program, requires twice as many credits in the major and fewer general education requirements, allowing the students to focus more on their study of fine arts; the emphasis in the BFA is to work in-depth on a primary and secondary studio major, with some electives, whereas the BA stresses trying a variety of media. BFA students usually either continue with their studies or find arts-related employment after graduation.

### Goals

#### Student Learning Outcomes
- Students will demonstrate knowledge on the relationship between materials and concepts, apply this knowledge in a variety art media and processes, and be able to problem solve in visual arts. They will acquire skills in a primary and secondary studio major which will constitute their portfolio, to be exhibited at the end of their final semester.
- Students will demonstrate proficient written and communication skills.
- Students will demonstrate knowledge of traditional and contemporary aesthetic positions, and working knowledge of the history of art from the pre-historic period to the present. BFA students minor in Art History, as opposed to BA students who only take the two beginning surveys plus an elective, so the expectation for BFA students is higher; should they go on to graduate work, a thorough knowledge of Art History will be necessary.
Minor in Art and Art History

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3. Students must maintain at least a 3.0 average in their major.
4. A minor in Art and Art History consists of 15 credit hours (9 of which must be from the University of Miami).
5. All courses must be passed with a C or higher.

Astronomy

For courses in Astronomy see PHYSICS (p. 553), in particular PHY 110 and PHY 545.

Biochemistry and Molecular Biology

http://bm.med.miami.edu/

Dept. Code: BMB

(Code for the major is either Track 1: BCHM or Track 2: BCHN)

Introduction

Biochemistry is the chemistry of life. It includes or has large areas of overlap with molecular biology, biophysics, structural biology, cell biology, metabolism, neuroscience, nutrition, genetics, etc. It tries to explain what happens in living organisms and how biological processes are regulated. It is a relatively young science. Our understanding is still developing and students can learn something new every day. An Undergraduate Major in one of our two tracks, Track 1: Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (BCHM) or Track 2: Biochemistry and Nutrition (BCHN), provides an excellent preparation for:

1. Medical School
2. Graduate Studies in all basic medical sciences: Biochemistry, Molecular Biology, Cell Biology, Genetics, Neurobiology, Microbiology, Immunology, Pharmacology, Biophysics, Physiology, Bio-informatics, Biology, Nutrition, Environmental Science, and others.
3. Industry: Biotechnology, Pharmaceutical, Food Production, Food processing, and others.
4. Allied Health Professions: Nutrition, Dentistry, Forensics, Veterinary Medicine, Toxicology, Clinical Chemistry, Environmental Science, and others.

Educational Objectives

The undergraduate program in Biochemistry & Molecular Biology strives to provide

1. superior training in nutrition, biochemistry and molecular biology and
2. encouragement for self-study and research to students seeking a BS degree.

As part of a research-oriented university, the department, through its students, creates new knowledge. As a result of our teaching efforts, the new BS's created will be able to matriculate into professional and graduate schools or to find positions in teaching professions and/or industry. In addition, the department serves the community by providing expertise in matters related to nutritional and medical biochemistry. For example, it teaches biochemistry to pre-medical and other pre-health students across a wide variety of life science related majors including biology, microbiology, neuroscience, and biomedical engineering.

Degree Programs

As a member of the College of Arts & Sciences, the Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology offers an undergraduate BS degree. As a member of the Miller School of Medicine, it offers the following graduate degrees: PhD, Executive PhD, dual BS-PhD, and dual MD-PhD. Also, it offers a Molecular Medicine Pathway for MD students.

Departmental Honors

Departmental honors can be earned by biochemistry majors who have:
1. Successfully completed at least 6 credit hours of BMB 545. This research must be described in a brief thesis that needs to be approved by three BMB faculty members.
2. A 3.5 or higher grade point average in all BMB courses.
3. A 3.3 or higher grade point average in all courses taken at the University of Miami.

**Dual Degree Honors Program**

The Dual Degree BS-PhD Program in Biochemistry & Molecular Biology is offered to mature high school seniors with strong academic ability and achievement who seek careers in biological or biomedical science. Students can earn both a Bachelor of Science (BS) and a Doctor of Philosophy Degree (PhD) in approximately 6 years. For information see our website (http://www.miami.edu/admission/index.php/undergraduate_admission/academics/dual_degree_honors/).

**BMB 145. Introduction to BMB Research. 2 Credit Hours.**

Students will collaborate on a research project and learn valuable laboratory skills. The goal for this course is to make students "research-ready" through an active, inquiry-based, platform for developing core competencies in biology, genetics, BMB (biochemistry & molecular biology), bioinformatics, scientific discourse and ethics.

**Components:** LAB.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**BMB 245. Foundations in BMB Research. 2 Credit Hours.**

Students shadow a research assistant in the lab of a BMB faculty member and learn about the research projects and techniques used by the group. Students will assist in preparing reagents, conducting experiments, analyzing data and generating brief reports. Attendance in lab group meetings is expected. Students maintain a weekly online journal and will write a paper describing the research in the lab and proposing a research problem and approach to solve in BMB545.

**Components:** LAB.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**BMB 401. Biochemistry for the Biomedical Sciences. 4 Credit Hours.**

The biochemical composition, structure, and cellular metabolism of proteins, carbohydrates, lipids, and nucleic acids are rigorously described, emphasizing problem solving strategies required of biomedical field applications.

**Prerequisite:** CHM 201 or CHM 222. And with a grade of C- or higher.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**BMB 402. Principles of Experimental BMB. 2 Credit Hours.**

An active, inquiry-based, platform for developing core competencies in biochemistry & molecular biology, making students "research ready".

**Corequisite or Prerequisite:** BMB 401.

**Components:** LAB.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**BMB 411. Readings in BMB. 1 Credit Hour.**

Students read and discuss one BMB primary research article each week and answer a set of questions meant to provoke critical evaluation of the work. The course introduces students to critical reading of the primary literature in BMB and is open to students at any level. Peer-mentoring and informal student-led instruction is central to the course.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**BMB 417. Metabolic Regulation. 3 Credit Hours.**

Students will learn to formulate mechanisms of enzyme catalysis and inhibition. Next, students will learn how to plot and analyze enzyme kinetic and binding data. Data analysis will be extended to more complicated, but realistic scenarios, to more rigorously examine metabolic flux control points.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.
BMB 501. Senior Seminars. 1 Credit Hour.
Students attend seminars of their own choice, presented by either visiting/residing faculty or graduate/postdoctoral students on recent research topics in BMB or any other discipline in the basic biomedical sciences. Students write short reports on these seminars and critically evaluate the presentations. This course can be taken more than once.
Prerequisite: BMB 401.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BMB 506. Biomedical Case Studies. 1 Credit Hour.
Students explore topics in BMB in the context of solving problems presented in a clinical/biomedical framework. Students work in small groups and independently to acquire, critically evaluate, synthesize and present information.
Corequisite or Prerequisite: BMB 401.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BMB 507. Protein Structure, Function and Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
The physical characteristics and behavior of proteins are described, including structure, folding, dynamics, modifications, and interactions. In addition, experimental approaches to protein structure and function are addressed. Readings include both textbook assignments and current research articles, and a term paper is written and submitted for writing credit.
Prerequisite: BMB 401.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BMB 509. Molecular Biology of the Gene. 3 Credit Hours.
Biochemical processes involved in the flow of genetic information in both prokaryotes and eukaryotes are described, including DNA replication, repair, genetic recombination, RNA transcription and processing, protein synthesis, control of gene expression, cell differentiation, and recombinant DNA technology. Extensive classroom discussion is mandatory. Reading includes BMB primary research papers, course notes and a textbook.
Prerequisite: BMB 401.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BMB 511. Topics in BMB. 3 Credit Hours.
Students independently explore the literature in BMB with guidance by a BMB Faculty mentor. BMB primary research literature in an area of mutual interest to the student and the Faculty mentor (usually a content expert in that area) is discussed. Students prepare a paper or other appropriate product (e.g. computer software, a structural model, a dynamic simulation) for evaluation. Writing credit is available for papers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BMB 514. Genetics and Genomics: Principles, Mechanisms, and Use. 3 Credit Hours.
The quantitative and analytical problem solving, as well as spatial reasoning in genetics. The course will propose genetic hypotheses, identify genetic predictions, create genetic systems for challenging these predictions, and analyze genetic data to solve practical problems.
Prerequisite: BMB 401.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BMB 518. Nanomedicine. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will learn how various nanomaterials are synthesized, characterized, and utilized in various medical applications, including imaging, drug delivery, gene therapy, and tissue engineering. Student abilities to read and comprehend advanced research topics and applications in nanotechnology and applications to medicine will be considerably enhanced.
Prerequisite: BMB 401.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
BMB 519. Epigenetics and Nutrition. 3 Credit Hours.
How epigenetic mechanisms control gene expression and (ii) how epigenetic modifications are propagated. Then, students explore how such epigenetic control and inheritance can be modulated through diet and nutrition. Class participation and attendance are required, since in class discussion will be largely based on emerging and late-breaking topics from recent literature.
Prerequisite: BMB 401.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BMB 545. Research Problems in BMB. 3-12 Credit Hours.
Participation in the research laboratory of a faculty mentor to work on an independent research project. Students develop abilities to formulate good questions and sound hypotheses, design practical experiments, collect and analyze useful data, and make justifiable conclusions. Students maintain a weekly online journal, write a paper, and present their research in the lab. Two semesters of BMB 545 are required to write a thesis (pre-requisite for graduating with honors in BMB).
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BMB 555. Cellular Structure, Function, and Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
Students learn composition and function of cellular organelles, and closely examine their biogenic and degradative pathways. Next, students learn cell signaling pathways and mechanisms controlling mitosis, meiosis, and cytokinesis that account for inherited traits. Studies of the molecular basis of cell-cell and cell-matrix interactions provide students with better understanding of tissue stability and function. Modern perspectives regarding stem and cancer cell biology are explored, along with new cell-based therapeutic strategies.
Prerequisite: BMB 401.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

B.S. in Biochemistry and Molecular Biology

Major
The Bachelor of Science (B.S.) degree in either BCHM or BCHN requires 23 total credits of BMB courses: 17 credits of required BMB courses plus six credits of elective BMB courses. At least two elective BMB credits must come from a BMB lab course, either BMB 145, BMB 245, BMB 402, or BMB 545. To satisfy the College of Arts and Sciences writing requirement in the discipline, BMB majors must complete for writing credit (W) either BMB 507, BMB 511, or BMB 545. For all students, a grade of C or better must be earned in each BMB course. For current UM students to declare either major or minor in BMB, a UM cumulative grade point average of 2.9 is required. For transfer students to declare either major or minor in BMB, a grade point average of 3.5 is required. The Department will make its own independent determination on a case-by-case basis concerning the equivalency of courses taken at other universities. The two possible academic tracks, BCHM and BCHN, differ by two required upper level BMB lecture courses.

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**Language Requirement**

- 3 credits

**Arts and Humanities Cognate**

- 9 credits

**People and Society Cognate**

- 9 credits

**Electives**

- 23 credits

**Total Credit Hours**

- 120 credits

1. Writing credit (W) may be obtained in this course.
2. These courses may be taken more than once for additional credits.
3. To enroll in CHM 121/CHM 113, students must have completed or be co-enrolled in either MTH 140, MTH 141, MTH 161, MTH 171. If math placement is below MTH 140, then students must complete CHM 110. Completion of CHM 110 will qualify students for CHM 121.
4. PRISM students take PHY 211/PHY 106 and PHY 212/PHY 108. Students who struggle with calculus are recommended to take PHY 101/PHY 106 and PHY 102/PHY 108. A more advanced physics course series can be substituted (e.g., PHY 221, PHY 222/PHY 224, and PHY 223/PHY 225).
5. PRISM students take MTH 171 and MTH 172. Students may also complete the series MTH 140/MTH 141/MTH162.
6. PRISM students take CSC 210.
7. Students must complete at least one (1) 200-level course in a foreign language, e.g., SPA 201 (Intermediate I). Typically, students with appropriate high school training in a foreign language can safely begin with SPA 102 (Beginner II), totaling 6 language credits. If no background, then students will complete SPA 101 (Beginner I), SPA 102, and SPA 201, totaling 9 credits. These course numbers pertain to all foreign language courses at UM, e.g., Spanish (SPA), French (FRE), Italian (ITA), German (GER), Chinese (CHI), etc.
8. Elective credits (3-6) may include Beginner I and/or II language courses.

### Biochemistry and Molecular Biology - Track 1 (BCHM)

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1. P&S (People & Society) and A&H (Arts and Humanities) Cognate Electives.
2. BMB 507, BMB 511, and BMB 545 come with writing credit (W). BMB 545 may be taken for 3-12 credit hours. Variations of the above program are feasible for students entering with advanced standing on the basis of placement tests or transfer credit hours with permission of the biochemistry advisor.

## Biochemistry and Nutrition - Track 2 (BCHN)

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1 P&S (People & Society) and A&H (Arts and Humanities) Cognate Electives.

2 BMB 511 and BMB 545 come with writing credit (W). BMB 545 may be taken for 3-12 credit hours. Variations of the above program are feasible for students entering with advanced standing on the basis of placement tests or transfer credit hours with permission of the biochemistry advisor.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- BMB majors, in both BCHM and BCHN tracks, will demonstrate effective writing skills, especially related to the ability to compose a thorough scientific review article.
BMB majors, in both BCHM and BCHN tracks, will demonstrate effective critical thinking skills, notably related to the ability to readily analyze, synthesize, and draw valid conclusions from published reports in the field of biochemistry.

BMB majors, in both BCHM and BCHN tracks, will demonstrate essential skills required to conduct supervised research in the field of biochemistry.

### Minor in Biochemistry and Molecular Biology

#### Curriculum Requirements

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### Biology

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**Dept. Code:** BIL

#### Introduction

The Department of Biology offers undergraduate programs for students interested in a natural science education that will prepare them for careers in medicine and other health-related fields, biological research, teaching, conservation and environmental management, and other fields that require a broad base of biological knowledge.

#### Educational Objectives

The Department of Biology trains students to understand and use the scientific method, and to engage in critical thinking and experimental design. We strongly encourage original laboratory and/or field research under the mentorship of biology faculty. The Bachelor of Science in Biology prepares the student for further training in natural science, such as biology graduate school, as well as medical, veterinary, dental or other health-care professions. The Bachelor of Arts degree prepares the student for a career in humanities-related fields such as teaching or environmental law.

#### Degree Programs

Two undergraduate degrees are available in Biology: the **Bachelor of Science** and the **Bachelor of Arts**.

Both require a major in Biology consisting of 34 credit hours in BIL with a minimum grade of C- in each course and an overall GPA of 2.0.

Additional course requirements for each degree are listed under **Bachelor of Science** and the **Bachelor of Arts** elsewhere in this Bulletin.

#### Advanced Writing and Communication Requirement

Degree candidates in the College of Arts and Sciences must complete at least four writing courses, and at least one such course must be in the student’s major discipline. Candidates for the B.S. or B.A. degree in Biology should consult the listings at [http://www.as.miami.edu/academics/undergraduate-studies/writing-courses/](http://www.as.miami.edu/academics/undergraduate-studies/writing-courses/) to find writing-intensive courses in BIL. Transfer students may use a maximum of two transfer courses towards the writing requirement.
Honors in Biology

The Biology Department recognizes students who have achieved excellence in original research and coursework by awarding Honors in Biology. Biology Honors students work closely with faculty members first to design a research project and then conduct it for a minimum of two semesters. The centerpiece of the program is a written thesis that is submitted to the Biology Department, and presentation of the thesis research in a public forum.

Students seeking research experience are welcome to contact individual faculty in Biology, or contact the Office of Undergraduate Research for help in finding research mentors. Applications for the Honors in Biology program are due no later than the first week of senior year (or, the first week of the semester preceding the semester of graduation). Contact the Director of the Biology Honors Program for more information on the application and program.

Curriculum requirements for Honors in Biology:

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1. Projects in Biology involve a research project carried out under the supervision of a member of the Department of Biology faculty or alternative faculty approved by the Office of Undergraduate Research.

2. Senior Thesis (BIL 498) and Research Colloquium (BIL 499) are taken in the spring semester of the last year of study.

An overall GPA of at least 3.3 and a biology GPA of at least 3.5.

Variations within the above program may be permitted by the Department in special cases.

BIL 101. Introductory Biological Science. 3 Credit Hours.

An introduction to life sciences for the non-major. Students with credit in BIL 150 may NOT take this course to fulfill the natural science requirement. Not for credit in the biology major or minor.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BIL 102. Humans and Biotechnology. 3 Credit Hours.

Major aspects of the biotechnology field for non-science majors. Students will learn about genetically modified organisms, biofuels from algae, detergents with enzymes, bacteria that eat oil, pigs that appear green, and much more. Not for credit in the biology major or minor.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 103. Introduction to Ecology. 3 Credit Hours.

Overview of ecological and evolutionary principles; relationships of organisms to living and non-living aspects of the environment; human impact on ecosystems. Not for credit in the biology major or minor.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 104. Genetics and Society. 3 Credit Hours.

Genetics for non-science majors. The basics of DNA, genes, gene function, genomes and inheritance. Application of genetics to real-world issues, both personal and societal, from the history of life to challenges and opportunities we face in the modern times at the molecular level.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
BIL 105. Biology of Plants. 3 Credit Hours.
Evolution and diversity of the plant kingdom; economic and cultural importance of plants to humans. Not for credit in the biology major or minor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 106. Biology of Animals. 3 Credit Hours.
Evolution and diversity of the animal kingdom and the relationship between humans and other animals. Not for credit in the biology major or minor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 107. Introduction to Evolution. 3 Credit Hours.
Processes and mechanisms of evolution. A scientific approach to the study of evolution by natural selection, concepts of fitness and adaptation, genetic and developmental bases of evolutionary change, how new species arise, major trends in evolution, extinction and human evolution. Not for credit in the biology major or minor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 108. Molecular Journey to Being Human. 3 Credit Hours.
With a focus on the human species, students will explore the nature of DNA and proteins, the origin of life, RNA World hypothesis, the origins of human ancestors and modern humans, the recently-completed Human Genome Project, the genetic basis human diversity, and the ethics of using genetic knowledge to improve the quality of human life.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 109. Human Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
Structure and function of the human body, and the relationship of our species to its environment and other species. Not for credit in the biology major or minor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BIL 110. Human Hereditary Disease. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of genetics, emphasizing human traits and disorders and their effects on individuals, families, and society. Discover the beauty of human nature, and our knowledge of it, as you develop an understanding of human genetics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 113. General Biology Honors Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
Special topics in biology correlated with BIL 150.
Corequisite: BIL 150.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 114. General Biology Honors Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
Special topics in biology correlated with BIL 160.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BIL 116. Introduction to Cancer Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic concepts in cancer biology, including tumor cell proliferation, prevention and therapy (chemotherapy, radiation and immunotherapy). Discussions on lab diagnostic techniques such as DNA cell cycle, proliferation analysis, hormone and tumor marker receptor expression. Impact of research findings on the management and treatment of cancer. Not for credit in the biology major or minor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BIL 117. Introduction to Animal Behavior. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the scientific study of how and why animals interact with each other and with their environment. Ecological, physiological, and evolutionary approaches to understanding the diversity of behaviors including neurobiology, learning, mating systems, cooperation, communication, habitat selection, and personalities. Not for credit in the biology major or minor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 118. Introduction to Human Ecology. 3 Credit Hours.
An exploration of the interface between human biology and the science of ecology. Ecology is the branch of biology that studies the interactions of organisms with their environments, and our human species may have the most complex interactions of any species on Earth. Human Ecology will explore the evolutionary past, the economic present, and our imagined future, focusing on the life-support services that humans obtain from ecosystems and our increasingly powerful effects on those ecosystems. Not for credit in the biology major or minor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 120. Tree of Life: Introduction to Biodiversity. 3 Credit Hours.
An exploration of the diversity and evolution of life on Earth, including case studies drawn from throughout the Tree of Life that represent the thrilling and surprising ways in which species have evolved to survive, reproduce, and interact. Not for credit in the biology major or minor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 149. First Year Information. 0-1 Credit Hours.
First year seminar for incoming Biology majors. Facilitation and encouragement of development of critical thinking skills, proficiency in oral and written expression, and an ability to solve problems by integrating knowledge from different disciplines in Biology.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 150. General Biology. 4 Credit Hours.
Principles of biology at the cellular, genetic, and organismal levels of organization. Cell structure and function, energy transduction, biological information transfer, genetics, physiology.
Pre/Corequisite: ENG 105 Or ENG 106 Or ENG 107 Or AP ENG COMP =>5 Or SAT Verbal 700 or higher Evidence Base Read and Write Or 32 or higher ACT ENG And ALEKS MTH=>55 Or AP Cal AB score =>3 Or AP Cal BC score=>3 Or SAT MTH Sect Score =>600 Or ACT MTH=>25.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BIL 151. General Biology Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
A laboratory approach to applying the scientific method. Experimental design and hypothesis testing at the cellular and molecular level.
Corequisite: BIL 150.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

BIL 152. HHMI General Biology Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory exercises to accompany BIL 150. Students teams engage in two inquiry-based laboratory research projects, each lasting six weeks, per semester.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 153. Introductory Biology/Chemistry Laboratory I. 1 Credit Hour.
Integrated biology and chemistry laboratory exercises for first year students.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
**BIL 160. Evolution and Biodiversity. 4 Credit Hours.**
Evolution and ecology of life on Earth. Systematics, biodiversity, evolutionary theory and mechanisms, with emphasis on the morphological, ecological, and behavioral adaptations of the diversity of life.
Prerequisite: BIL 150.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**BIL 161. Evolution and Biodiversity Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.**
A laboratory approach to applying the scientific method. Experimental design and hypothesis testing at the organismal and ecological level.
Corequisite: BIL 160.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

**BIL 162. HHMI Evolution and Biodiversity Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.**
Laboratory exercises to accompany BIL 160. Student teams engage in two inquiry-based laboratory research projects, each lasting six weeks, per semester.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

**BIL 163. Introductory Biology/Chemistry Laboratory II. 1 Credit Hour.**
Integrated biology and chemistry laboratory exercises for first year students.
Corequisite: BIL 160 and CHM 112 or CHM 221.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

**BIL 190. Studies in Biology. 1-5 Credit Hours.**
Special topics taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

**BIL 194. Studies in Biology. 1-5 Credit Hours.**
Special topics taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

**BIL 195. Studies in Biology. 1-5 Credit Hours.**
Special topics taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

**BIL 213. HIV and Emerging Diseases: Sex, Science, and Society. 3 Credit Hours.**
The importance and value of science in ameliorating human suffering. Students will hear from virologists, immunologists, cell biologistst behavioral scientists, primary care physicians, health care providers, drug discoverers) policy makers, vaccinologists, and HIV-infected individuals aiming to inspire and encourage students to be enthusiastic about science and scientific research on emerging diseases.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 151 or BIL 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

**BIL 220. Evolution and Disease. 3 Credit Hours.**
Evolutionary perspectives on genetic disorders, cancer, virulence, drug resistance and diet. The role of biodiversity in understanding pathogens and parasites, emerging disease, natural products and drug discovery. How diseases have shaped human evolution.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 160.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
BIL 222. Plant Diversity. 3 Credit Hours.
The diversity and evolution of seed plants, the most important plants on land that shape our physical environment, affect climate, and provide humans with food, medicines, and materials important in all aspects of our lives. Survey of major lineages of Gymnosperms and Angiosperms, their evolutionary history, adaptations to life on land, reproductive biology, ecology, and economic benefits. Techniques for the collection of plant specimens from the field, and their preparation and identification for museum collections.
Prerequisite: BIL150 and BIL160 Or Consent of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 223. Plants and People. 3 Credit Hours.
A multi-disciplinary survey of ethnobotany and economic botany, emphasizing the ecosystem services that plants provide to humans.
Prerequisite: BIL150 and BIL160 Or Consent of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 226. General Botany. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey of the plant kingdom, including evolution, plant diversity, reproduction, structure, function and ecology.
Prerequisite: BIL150 and BIL160 Or Consent of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

BIL 227. General Botany Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory exercises to accompany BIL 226.
Pre/Corequisite: BIL 223 or BIL 226 Or Consent of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 228. Medical Botany. 3 Credit Hours.
History of medical botany, approaches to health by different cultures, separation and identification of secondary compounds and mechanisms of action. Molecular and physiological action of different secondary compounds in the treatment of common western ailments. In vivo identification of local medicinal plants.
Prerequisite: BIL150 and BIL151 AND BIL160 and BIL161 for Biology Majors or Minors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 230. Introduction to Marine Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 231. Introduction to Marine Biology Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Experimental laboratory exploring ecology, physiology and behavior of marine organisms in southern Florida marine habitats. Exercises cover laboratory techniques in behavior, functional morphology, productivity, fisheries research, osmoregulation and community ecology.
Pre/Corequisite: BIL 230.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 244. Hormones and Behavior. 3 Credit Hours.
A comparative approach to the relationship between hormonal mechanisms and behavior in both animal model systems and humans. An introduction to the endocrine system, sex differences in behavior, parental behavior, hormones and social behavior, learning and memory, stress and affective disorders, interactions between brain, hormones and behavior from a historical perspective viewing the emergence of key theories.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BIL 250. Genetics. 3 Credit Hours.
The nature, organization, replication, expression, and evolution of the genetic materials.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 160. BIL 151 or BIL 152 or BIL 153. BIL 161 or BIL 162 or BIL 163.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BIL 251. Genetics Laboratory. 2 Credit Hours.
Laboratory exercises in genetics.
Pre/Corequisite: BIL 250.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 255. Cellular and Molecular Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
Structure, molecules, and functions of cells.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 160. BIL 151 or BIL 152 or BIL 153. BIL 161 or BIL 162 or BIL 163.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BIL 256. Cellular and Molecular Biology Laboratory. 2 Credit Hours.
Laboratory exercises in cellular and molecular biology involving current research techniques and applications.
Pre/Corequisite: BIL 255 Or BIL 559.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BIL 258. Core Laboratory Techniques. 2 Credit Hours.
Conceptual and applied "methods" course in modern analytical techniques. It will expose students to the Department of Biology's three best-developed core laboratory facilities for imaging, molecular biology, and element analysis.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 261. High Altitude Biology and Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
Mechanisms of hypoxia resistance influencing the requirement to match oxygen supply and demand throughout the oxygen cascade. Topics drawn from genomics, integrated physiology, population genetics, biochemistry, gene expression, evolution, and alpine medicine. Taxonomic examples from the literature will include humans, other mammals, birds, reptiles, amphibians, and fish.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 267. Science Documentary: Autism. 3 Credit Hours.
This course brings together students in both science and communication to collaborate on content intended to reach audiences on multiple platforms. Students will be exposed to both history and cutting edge research surrounding Autism Spectrum Disorders. Students will connect with people in the local community, and collaborate on short documentary films as well as audio exercises.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 268. Neurobiology. 3 Credit Hours.
Neurons, organization of the nervous system, electrical properties of neurons, neurotransmitters, receptors, synaptic transmission, sensory and motor system, and complex brain functions.
Prerequisite: BIL 150.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 280. Writing in Biology. 0 Credit Hours.
Writing instruction by faculty using biological topics in BIL courses offered at the 200 level.
Components: IND.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
BIL 281. Undergraduate Learning Internship in Biology. 1 Credit Hour.
Undergraduate Learning Intern in Biology Students serve as peer mentors in a laboratory setting, assisting a graduate laboratory instructor in teaching basic biological concepts to first year undergraduates in BIL 151 and BIL 161.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 284. Special Laboratory Topics in Biology. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Topics relevant to the biological sciences, listed as subtitle. May be combined/co-listed with other departments or programs.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 151 and BIL 160.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 285. Special Topics in Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics relevant to the biological sciences, co-listed with other departments or programs.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 286. Clinical Medicine I. 3 Credit Hours.
Bi-weekly clinical rotations with physicians at Miller School of Medicine and simulation labs at the Gordon Center.
BIL 150 and BIL 160 AND CHM 111 or 121 AND CHM 113 and CHM 112 or CHM 221 AND CHM 114.
Components: PRA.
Grading: SUS.

BIL 287. Clinical Medicine II. 3 Credit Hours.
A continuation of Clinical Medicine I; bi-weekly clinical rotations with physicians at Miller School of Medicine and simulation labs at the Gordon Center.
Prerequisite: BIL 286.
Components: PRA.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BIL 299. Seminar in Research Problems. 1 Credit Hour.
Discussion of current research of the Biology Faculty.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 151 or BIL 152 or BIL 153 and BIL 160 and BIL 161 or BIL 162 or BIL 163.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 315. Marine Biota and Biogeochemical Cycles. 3 Credit Hours.
The diverse sources, transformations, and sinks of chemical constituents in the sea; distribution of dissolved and particulate materials in the sea. Role of marine organisms in marine biogeochemical cycling and the marine carbon cycle and its interaction with the terrestrial biosphere and atmosphere.
Prerequisite: MSC 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BIL 316. Global Primary Production. 3 Credit Hours.
Photosynthesis supports the vast majority of life on planet earth. Although terrestrial and aquatic photoautotrophs share the same basic photosynthetic mechanisms, the physical environment and the fate of primary product on differ on land versus in the sea. This course reviews the magnitude and processes that shape primary production in terrestrial, oceanic, and freshwater habitats. It includes the fate of primary production in the earth's biomes, and the role of terrestrial and aquatic productivity in regulating, and responding to, variable climate.
Prerequisite: BIL 160.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 320. Evolutionary Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
Microevolution, including mutation, genetic variation, natural selection, genetic drift, gene flow, and nonrandom mating. Evolutionary insights into behavior, including kin selection, sexual selection, and evolutionary game theory. Theories on the origins of life on Earth, its diversification and history. Human evolution, creationism, and the current extinction crisis.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 160.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BIL 321. Invertebrate Zoology. 4 Credit Hours.
Biology of invertebrates, with emphasis on tropical and subtropical marine forms. Field work and combined lecture-laboratory sessions. 
Prerequisite: BIL 250 or BIL 255.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 324. The Biology of Fishes. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics on the ecology and physiology of fishes. Lectures on reproduction, respiration, osmoregulation, sense systems, hormonal control. 
Prerequisite: BIL 255 and BIL 360.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 328. Biology of Birds. 4 Credit Hours.
General biology of birds. Lectures emphasizing avian behavior, evolution, ecology, and conservation. Field trips and laboratory emphasizing identification and systematics of South Florida birds. Lecture 3 hours, Laboratory one hour. Six weekend field trips, 6 hours each. 
Prerequisite: At least one BIL course at the 200 - level.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BIL 329. Marine Vertebrate Zoology. 3 Credit Hours.
The form and function of the vertebrate lineage of marine animals from early chordates to the evolution of cartilaginous and bony fish and the emergence of tetrapods, those that evolved from marine ancestors and have since returned to the seas. A comparative point of view will be used to assess the anatomy and physiology of each taxonomic group as well as behavioral and ecological adaptations related to their life history. Topics will include the emergence of the vertebrate body plan and the evolution of fish from agnathans through modern teleosts, as well as the tetrapod lineage of marine reptiles, marine birds, and marine mammals. Discussion of critical points in vertebrate evolution where genome-wide duplication events occurred as well as instances of convergent evolution in various lineages. 
Prerequisite: MSC 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BIL 330. Ecology. 3 Credit Hours.
The interactions of living organisms with each other and with their abiotic environment. 
Prerequisite: BIL 250. or BIL 255. Calculus strongly recommended.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 331. Ecology Laboratory. 2 Credit Hours.
Lab and field exercises in ecology. Some Saturday field trips required. 
Pre/Corequisite: BIL 330.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 332. Tropical Ecology. 3 Credit Hours.
Tropical ecosystem including world distribution of tropical climate biogeographical regions, deserts and environmental factors, grassland and primary production, savannah population dynamics, energy flow, biogeochemical cycling, succession, and biodiversity of tropical ecosystem. 
Prerequisite: BIL 250 or BIL 255.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 333. Conservation Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
The challenges facing conservation practitioners and the toolkit that has been developed to face these threats. Examination of important conservation cases and how endangered species and ecosystems are distributed across the globe; common threats to biodiversity and methods that have been developed to face these threats at both species and landscape scales; government implementation of conservation strategies. Students will read papers from the primary literature on a weekly basis that provide examples of how conservation tools are developed and implemented. Biology 330 (Ecology) is recommended. 
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 151 and BIL 160 and BIL 161. BIL 330 recommended.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
BIL 334. Biogeography and Conservation. 3 Credit Hours.
The modern science of biogeography and its implications for the design of spatial strategies to conserve biodiversity and ecosystem services. Examination of the history of biogeography and its geographical and ecological foundations. Study of the fundamental biogeographic processes and uses them to investigate the evolution of biotas and explain the current biogeographic patterns. Exploration of the emerging field of conservation biogeography and its applications.
Pre/Corequisite: BIL 330.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 335. Tropical Field Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
Intensive field study in the Costa Rican rainforest conducted during semester recesses with additional pre-trip lectures. Requires payment of trip costs.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 336. Hurricanes and Ecology. 2 Credit Hours.
The ecology of disturbance by looking at hurricane impacts on coastal communities of South Florida. The course includes reading journal articles, and understanding the ecological theory behind succession and fragmentation of communities after storms. Weekend trips are required.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 160.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 337. Coastal Ecology. 3 Credit Hours.
Unprecedented pressure from population growth, tourism, and resource exploitation of coastal ecosystems provides a theme for an overview of current coastal ecology, especially within a conservation and management framework. Hands-on learning in ecohydrology, coastal oceanography, integration of biological communities, and coastal wetland classification for tropical Florida and the insular Caribbean. Students will review and actively participate in water quality and environmental monitoring.
Pre/Corequisite: BIL 330.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 340. Herpetology. 4 Credit Hours.
Biology of reptiles and amphibians. Their evolutionary history, a description of their current diversity, and how this diversity is distributed geographically. Physiology, including thermoregulation, reproduction, locomotion, and feeding. Spatial ecology, communication, sexual selection, predation, and community assembly.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 343. Animal Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
How communication evolves and functions across species, from invertebrates to humans, through a range of acoustic, visual, and chemical signals. How physical constraints shape animal signals, how animals convey information through signaling, and how honesty is maintained in communication systems. Signaling in a variety of contexts, including mate attraction, competition, and predation.
Prerequisite: At Least 3 Credits of BIL 200 Level or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 348. Climate Change and Public Health. 3 Credit Hours.
The mechanisms by which climate change adversely affects human health, and the policy options for mitigating our exposure.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 350. Survey of Marine Mammals. 3 Credit Hours.
The evolution and ecology of the cetaceans, pinnipeds, manatees, and allies: Natural history, zoo geography, physiology, husbandry, and biomedical aspects.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and MSC 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BIL 351. Molecular Genetics Laboratory. 2 Credit Hours.
Classical and molecular genetics experimental techniques. Content will include dominant and recessive mutations, regulation of gene expression, transgenes and transposons, DNA and RNA sequencing, and other essential molecular genetic methods and principles demonstrated through original experiments in model organisms.
Prerequisite: BIL 250.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 352. Techniques in Scanning Electron Microscopy. 3 Credit Hours.
Tissue preparation, use of the scanning electron microscope, photography, and analysis and manipulation of digital images. Lecture 1 hour; laboratory 5 hours.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 353. Projects in Scanning Electron Microscopy. 2 Credit Hours.
Individual research projects in scanning electron microscopy. Six hours of laboratory.
Prerequisite: BIL 352.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 354. Biology of Viruses. 3 Credit Hours.
The molecular biology, ecology, and clinical relevance of prokaryotic and eukaryotic viruses, the most abundant and diverse biological entities on the planet. Current and emerging topics in virus research, including the role of viruses in modulating carbon and nutrient cycles in the biosphere, viral therapy as a tool against emerging multi-drug resistant bacteria, and viral spillover, using the 2020 coronavirus outbreak as a case study.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 160.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 360. Comparative Physiology. 3 Credit Hours.
How animals work and the physiological processes that allow for animal life. Fundamental aspects of physiology, such as homeostasis, metabolism, function of the nervous system, endocrine function, movement, gas and water transport. The relationship between structure and function through comparisons across diverse animal taxa. Emphasis on critical thinking and application of the scientific method.
Prerequisite: BIL 255.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 365. Endocrinology. 3 Credit Hours.
The endocrine glands and the chemistry, mechanisms of action, and physiological effects of hormones. Emphasis on vertebrate hormones, including clinical aspects of human endocrinology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 367. Biology of Cancer. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: BIL 250 or BIL 255.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 369. Fundamentals of the Biology of Aging. 3 Credit Hours.
How and why we age. The biology of aging at the molecular, cellular, and organismal levels in a comparative and evolutionary context.
Prerequisite: BIL 250 or BIL 255.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BIL 371. Readings in Biology. 1 Credit Hour.
Independent readings on selected topics in biology under the supervision of individual faculty.

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**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

BIL 372. Readings in Biology. 1 Credit Hour.
Independent readings on selected topics in biology under the supervision of individual faculty.

**Components:** IND.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

BIL 374. Seminar in Biology. 1 Credit Hour.
Seminar in selected topics in biology.
Prerequisite: BIL150 and BIL160 and BIL151 or BIL152, or BIL153 and BIL161 or BIL162 or BIL163.

**Components:** SEM.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

BIL 375. Seminar in Biology. 1 Credit Hour.
Seminar on selected topics in biology.
Prerequisite: BIL150 and BIL160 and BIL151 or BIL152, or BIL153 and BIL161 or BIL162 or BIL163.

**Components:** SEM.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

BIL 376. Complementary and Integrative Medicine. 2 Credit Hours.
Almost 40% of Americans use health care approaches outside of mainstream Western medicine. These non-traditional approaches include acupuncture, meditation, massage therapy, reiki, yoga, hypnotherapy, chiropractic manipulation, and herbal medicine. Some of these approaches seem to hold promise in the healing process, while others have had little research to date. In this course, we will examine scientific evidence for the efficacy of these different approaches.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 380. Writing in Biology. 0 Credit Hours.
Writing instruction by faculty using biological topics in BIL courses offered at the 300 level.

**Components:** IND.

**Grading:** SUS.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

BIL 381. Workshop Leaders in Biology I. 0-1 Credit Hours.
Peer-led Team Teaching of workshops for groups of BIL 150 students. May be taken once only for credit in the BIL major, but may be taken additional times for a general education credit. Students may serve as workshop leaders for a second time for a stipend if they (1) have taken the course once before and (2) are graduating seniors.

**Components:** DIS.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

BIL 382. Workshop Leaders in Biology II. 0-1 Credit Hours.
Peer-led Team Teaching of workshops for groups of BIL 160 students. May be taken once only for credit in the biology major, but may be taken additional times for general education credit. Students may serve as workshop leaders for a second time for a stipend if they (1) have taken the course once before and (2) are graduating seniors.

**Components:** DIS.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

BIL 384. Special Laboratory/Field Topics in Biology. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Topics relevant to the biological sciences, listed as subtitle. Maybe combined/co-listed with other departments or programs.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 151 and BIL 160 and BIL 161.

**Components:** LAB.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.
BIL 385. Special Topics in Biology. 2-6 Credit Hours.
Topics relevant to the biological sciences, listed as subtitle. May be co-listed with other departments or programs.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 386. Science Made Sensible Teaching Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
A teaching internship in which students spend at least 60 hours in Miami Dade County Public Schools assisting teachers with science education. Contributions to bimonthly workshops and group meetings, creation of lesson plans following Sunshine State Guidelines. One BIL course at the 200 level or higher.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 389. Nonacademic Career in Biology. 2 Credit Hours.
Speakers recruited from local biotech companies, conservation organizations, science museums, the National Park Service, and Customs as well as invasive species specialists, medical dosimetrists, principals of schools seeking biology teachers, and others will give weekly seminars about their practice of science in their occupations. Following each seminar, students will meet with speakers in an informal setting to discuss the particulars and or prospects of the career in question. The express purpose of this course is to provide students with an idea of the utility of their biology degree in the workplace. Papers or writings that pertain to a particular career will be assigned prior to the seminar so that students will be ready with questions for the speaker.
Prerequisite: 1 Course in BIL 200 or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 390. Studies in Biology. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Special topics taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

BIL 395. Studies in Biology. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Special topics taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

BIL 399. DNA and the Changing World. 3 Credit Hours.
This is an online course, not intended for biology majors. It covers in-depth knowledge of DNA, gene, gene function, genome and inheritance with the focus on applying the knowledge to real-world issues; both personal and societal, from the history of life to challenges and opportunities in the modern times at the molecular level. Does not count towards a Biology major or minor.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 402. Seminar in Biology. 1 Credit Hour.
Seminar on selected topics in Biology.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 403. Neuroscience Laboratory. 4 Credit Hours.
Research methods and laboratory experiments in contemporary neuroscience from individual cells to behavior. Scientific writing and computer applications in experimental design and analysis. Combined lecture and laboratory.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BIL 415. Coral Reef Science and Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Coral reefs as biophysical and socioeconomic systems. Coral reef typology, geomorphology, biotic and abiotic components of coral reef ecosystems. Prerequisite: BIL 250 or BIL 255.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BIL 426. Native and Introduced Plants of the Galapagos. 3 Credit Hours.
The unique vegetation and introduced flora of the Galapagos Islands in Ecuador. Current conservation measures used to control the threats affecting
native flora, and future prospects for conserving indigenous plants and for ensuring their rational utilization. Taught in the Galapagos as part of the
UGalapagos semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 432. Ecology in the Galapagos. 3 Credit Hours.
Organisms in relation to their environment, with focus on interactive, hands-on learning that connects empirical nature with abstract thinking.
Lectures, discussion and fieldwork on ecosystem ecology, plant dispersal and colonization; organisms' responses to spatial and temporal variability
in their environments, plant/animal interactions. Origins and effects of invasive species and actions of bio-control agents. Taught in the Galapagos as
part of the UGalapagos semester.
Prerequisite: BIL 332.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 433. Conservation in Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
Intersection between economic development, science and conservation in one of the world's most pristine and fragile ecosystems, the Galapagos
Islands. Exploration of how tourism offers an alternative to unsustainable fisheries that once drove the local economy, yet has created a new set of
pressures on the people and the environment. Mitigation efforts, science, and international conservation mesh with an understanding of local politics,
customs and cultures. Taught in the Galapagos as part of the UGalapagos semester.
Prerequisite: BIL 432.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 434. Behavioral Ecology of the Galapagos. 3 Credit Hours.
Functional aspects of animal behavior, including topics such as animal communication, optimal foraging, mating systems, sexual selection, and the
evolution of cooperation. Studies of the behavior of Galapagos organisms are emphasized.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 151 or BIL 152 or BIL 160 and BIL 161 or BIL 161 or BIL 162 or BIL 163.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 435. Origins, Ecology and Conservation of Insular Diversity. 3 Credit Hours.
Three-week field course in island systems. Ecological and evolutionary processes that maintain and create biological diversity in tropical islands.
Natural selection, island biogeography, phylogenetics, colonization and community assembly of island species. On-site field surveys and experiments.
Combined lecture and laboratory/field course.
Components: FLD.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 436. Stable Isotope Ecology. 3 Credit Hours.
Stable isotopes of essential elements (Oxygen, Carbon, Nitrogen, Hydrogen and Sulfur) as natural tracers of ecological processes. Principles of
Chemistry, Physics and Biology will be integrated to allow interpretation, via these tracers, of how fundamental elements are cycled through the
biosphere.
Prerequisite: BIL 330.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 441. Animal Behavior. 3 Credit Hours.
Mechanistic and evolutionary aspects of animal behavior. A survey of systems that illustrate the control, development and function of behavior in a
variety of animals.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 160.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BIL 442. Animal Behavior Laboratory. 2 Credit Hours.
An exploration of the amazing behaviors of animals from an explicitly evolutionary perspective. The study of the diversity of behavior in nature as shaped by natural and sexual selection. Topics will include: resource acquisition and defense, predator avoidance, mate choice and competition for mates, and cooperative behavior. Labs are inquiry based, with students designing, conducting and analyzing experiments to test hypotheses. Students will develop their scientific communication skills throughout the semester by gaining experience in oral presentations and writing manuscripts. Note that this course will involve two required field trips off campus.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 160.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 450. The Biology of Symbiosis. 3 Credit Hours.
Symbiosis, interactions between species that live in close physical association, in particular those between microbes and multicellular eukaryotic hosts is fundamental to almost all aspects of biology. Building discipline specific knowledge about symbiosis. The course includes engagement with the scientific literature as a professional researcher, and development of foundational skills for presentation and synthesis of scientific information in visual, oral and written form.
Prerequisite: BIL 250 Or BIL 330.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 452. Evolution and Conservation Genetics. 3 Credit Hours.
Integration of evolutionary theory and genetics to address conservation problems and their solutions. Theory and empirical information pertaining to evolution on islands and the impact of humans on endemic species. Natural selection, sexual selection, population genetics, niches, diversity, and conservation in the context of the Galapagos Islands.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 151 or BIL 152 or BIL 153 and BIL 160 and BIL 161 or BIL 161 or BIL 162 or BIL 163.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 454. Biological Core Concepts Through Medical Case Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
A capstone course in which students will complete a series of medically-oriented case studies. Knowledge of biology, chemistry, math, and physics will be applied to real-world issues. Critical thinking will be used to solve basic medical problems, and facilitate understanding of the interdisciplinary nature of medicine.
Requisite: BIL 150 And BIL 151 And BIL 160 And BIL 161 Or equivalent And one BIL 200 level or higher course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 455. Developmental Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the process by which a fertilized egg gives rise to a multicellular organism with organs, tissues and cell types that are structurally and functionally distinct and are arranged in a characteristic three-dimensional body plan. This course will take a comparative approach using invertebrate and vertebrate models to cover the current understanding of the cellular, molecular and genetic mechanisms that regulate the development of animals. Evolutionary mechanisms and the biomedical relevance of developmental biology will be emphasized.
Prerequisite: BIL 250 or BIL 255.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 456. Developmental Biology Laboratory. 2 Credit Hours.
Experimental analysis of animal development using a variety of techniques including experimental embryology, microscopy, molecular biology, genetics and immunochemistry. Following a short series of introductory labs and lectures, students will develop an independent research proposal and will spend the remaining weeks of the semester working on their projects under the guidance of the instructors. This class is restricted to students who have taken cell and molecular biology, developmental biology OR genetics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BIL 468. Developmental Neuroscience. 3 Credit Hours.
Molecular, cellular, and physiological mechanisms controlling the proper development and function of neurons and neural circuits. Signaling mechanisms that regulate cell determination, proliferation, and differentiation. Neural migration and outgrowth, synaptic connectivity and plasticity, and neural basis of animal behavior.
Prerequisite: BIL 255.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 480. Writing in Biology. 0 Credit Hours.
Writing instruction by faculty using biological topics in BIL courses offered at the 400 level.
Components: IND.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 481. Undergraduate Teaching Assistant Training in Biology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Training and teaching assistance for undergraduate workshops or laboratories, under the direct supervision of faculty. Specific topic is indicated by course subtitle. This course may be taken no more than twice for credit in the Biology major or minor, and if taken twice, teaching assistance must be for two different BIL courses. May be taken multiple times for general elective credit only.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 482. PRISM Teaching Fellow. 2 Credit Hours.
Undergraduate mentors to PRISM students, and teaching fellows to PRISM course instructors in biology.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 484. Special Laboratory Topics in Biology. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Topics relevant to the biological sciences, listed as subtitle. May be combined/co-listed with other departments or programs.
Prerequisite: BIL 200 or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 485. Special Topics in Biology. 2-6 Credit Hours.
Topics relevant to the biological sciences, co-listed with other departments or programs.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 486. Advanced Science Made Sensible Teaching Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
A teaching internship in which students spend at least 60 hours in Miami Dade County Public Schools assisting teachers with science education. Contributions to bimonthly workshops and group meetings, development of problem-based lesson plans to promote critical thinking.
Prerequisite: BIL 386.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 491. Departmental Seminar in Biology. 1 Credit Hour.
Research seminars by distinguished biologists.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 492. Departmental Seminar in Biology. 1 Credit Hour.
Research seminars by distinguished biologists.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BIL 495. Projects in Biology. 2 Credit Hours.
Individual, original laboratory or field research supervised by a member of the department faculty and concluded by a formal written report.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
BIL 496. Projects in Biology. 2 Credit Hours.
Individual, original laboratory or field research supervised by a member of the department faculty and concluded by a formal written report.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 497. Projects in Biology. 2 Credit Hours.
Individual, original laboratory or field research supervised by a member of the department faculty and concluded by a formal written report.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 498. Senior Thesis. 2 Credit Hours.
Formal thesis preparation supervised by a member of the departmental faculty including a public oral defense and submission of the written document to the department.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 499. Research Colloquium. 1 Credit Hour.
Discussion of current research done by undergraduate students.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 508. Research in Progress Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
Students will explore current research by Biology Department graduate students, postdoctoral fellows, and faculty through weekly research seminar presentations.
Components: SEM.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 511. Advanced Biostatistics. 4 Credit Hours.
Statistical analyses needed to understand, present, and publish biological research. Examples will primarily be drawn from the biomedical and ecological fields. The course will begin with a review of descriptive statistics, probability theory, and univariate distributions, followed by an overview of experimental design and analysis of categorical data using contingency tables. This will be followed by a unit on parametric analysis of univariate data including both simple and multiple linear regression, model selection, and analysis of variance. The final unit will cover non-parametric versions of these analyses and more advanced multivariate statistical methods. Lectures will be accompanied by a computer lab in which students learn hands-on statistical analysis in SAS JMP.
Prerequisite: At least one BIL course at the 300 level.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 515. Object-Oriented Programming and Agent-Based Modelling. 3 Credit Hours.
Hands-on training in object-oriented programming using Java, including Java statistical packages, and in the development of agent-based and individual-based simulation models for ecological, physiological, social, economic and physical sciences. Introductions to cellular automata and models based on social and behavioral networks. No prior programming experience required.
Prerequisite: At least one BIL course at the 200 level.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

BIL 520. Evolution. 3 Credit Hours.
Evidence for evolution; microevolution including natural selection, kin selection, genetic drift, gene flow, mutation, and evolutionary game theory; macroevolution including speciation, adaptation, phylogenetics, origin of life, and extinction.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
**BIL 521. Phylogenetics. 3 Credit Hours.**
Concepts and methods in phylogenetic systematics. The importance of phylogenetic trees in biology. Use of phylogeny in taxonomy, trait evolution (including homology, adaptations and key innovations), biogeography, speciation, diversification rates, molecular evolution, molecular clocks, and gene duplication.
Prerequisite: BIL 250.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

**BIL 523. Advanced Biology of Marine Invertebrates. 4 Credit Hours.**
Detailed study of major phyla of marine invertebrates. Special emphasis on taxa found in waters off southern Florida. Field course. Lectures, laboratory, special projects, and seminars.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

**BIL 531. Advanced Field Ecology. 5 Credit Hours.**
Principles of and practical experience in quantitative sampling of community structure, plant and animal populations, and animal activities. Emphasis on individual projects. Lecture, 3 hours; laboratory/field, 10 hours on alternate Saturdays, plus research projects.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

**BIL 535. Molecular Ecology. 3 Credit Hours.**
Molecular markers and analyses, and their applications to different problems in biology. Appropriate sampling, methods for assessing genetic diversity and differentiation. Approaches to studying gene flow, tools for behavioral ecology, remote sampling, tracking individuals, and paternity analysis, hybridization and speciation, DNA bar codes, and gene expression from a population biological perspective.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

**BIL 536. Molecular Ecology Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.**
Laboratory techniques, molecular tools, applications, and analysis methods commonly used by researchers in the areas of molecular ecology and population genetics.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

**BIL 537. Ecosystem Ecology. 3 Credit Hours.**
Concepts and models of energy and nutrient flow, food webs, successional processes, human influences and effects of spatial heterogeneity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

**BIL 539. Conservation and Protected Areas. 3 Credit Hours.**
The science and policy of park planning and management will be explored through four case studies. The case studies will explore key concepts in ecology and population biology relating to loss of habitat, habitat fragmentation, invasive species, pollution and declines in population size.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

**BIL 551. Population Genetics and Genomics. 3 Credit Hours.**
Introduction to population genetics, which examines the evolutionary processes that affect the genetic composition of natural populations: mutation, genetic drift, natural selection, and gene flow. Theoretical and empirical aspects will be examined via mathematical models, methods of measuring genetic variation, and readings of published case studies. Taxonomic focus will be broad and will include both model organisms (e.g., Drosophila), and non-model organisms.
Prerequisite: BIL 250.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BIL 552. Bioinformatics Tools. 3 Credit Hours.
Databases and tools of bioinformatics as relevant to research in genomics and molecular biology. Bioinformatics applications. Information retrieval, analytical tools, BLAST searches, promoter analysis, protein structure-function analysis and various applications.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 553. Biomedical Data Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Computational skills for analysis of genomic data sets. Basics of using a command line interface (text editor, Unix/Linux/iOSX), and logging into and getting started on Pegasus2. Python will be used to write scripts for downloading, manipulating, and analyzing data. File sharing and version control using github will be introduced at this stage, which will include RCR training. Analysis, interpretation, and presentation of Next Generation Sequencing data set (RNAseq, exome, or whole genome; public or their own. Interpreting and presenting results, to enable students to extract information from the data rather than just statistically analyze it.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 554. Electron Microscopy. 4 Credit Hours.
Techniques in transmission electron microscopy (TEM) including tissue preparation, use of the electron microscope, photography, and interpretation of micrographs. Lecture, 1 hour; laboratory, 6 hours.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 555. Projects in Electron Microscopy. 2 Credit Hours.
Individual research projects in transmission electron microscopy, 6 hours.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 556. Ecological and Evolutionary Genomics. 3 Credit Hours.
The evolution of genomes, and the ecological interactions that drive their evolution.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 559. Life in the Cell. 3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive, advanced overview of the molecular biology of the cell, cells, and genomes.
Prerequisite: BIL 255.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 565. Evolution and Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of the relationship between common descent and biological diversity, principally changes in organismal development through time. Prerequisite: BIL 250 or BIL 255.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 568. Evolution and Development of Nervous Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Mechanisms/pathways/modules underlying formation of the nervous system during embryo development. How some properties of nervous systems have resisted change while others have diverged dramatically during evolution.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 575. Advanced Special Studies in Biology. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Content of course will vary by semester. Content in any semester will be indicated via subtitle in the class schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BIL 580. Writing in Biology. 0 Credit Hours.
Writing instruction by faculty using biological topics in BIL courses offered at the 500 level.
Components: IND.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 591. Studies in Biology. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Special topics taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

BIL 592. Studies in Biology. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Special topics taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

B.A. in Biology

The B.A. degree is recommended for students involved in interdisciplinary programs and for entrance to those professional schools and specific biological careers not requiring a B.S. degree with a major in Biology.

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At least three BIL elective credits must be at the 400-level or higher
At least one elective course must be a CAPSTONE. (Locate capstone courses in Canelink Class Search under "Additional Search Criteria", subheading "Course Attributes".)
Up to eight credit hours for the major may be selected from courses with a biological topic and numbered 300 or higher in MBE, MES, or MSC.

Chemistry
Select one of the following options: 8-15

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Option 2: Choose Chemistry for the BioSciences Three-semester Sequence.

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Minor
A minor in a department other than natural science.

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**Suggested Plan of Study**

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- **Spring**
  - BIL 160 Evolution and Biodiversity 4
  - BIL 161 or 163 Evolution and Biodiversity Laboratory or Introductory Biology/Chemistry Laboratory II 1
  - ENG 106 or 107 English Composition II or English Composition II: Science and Technology 3
  - Choose one of the following: 3
    - MTH 108 Precalculus Mathematics II
    - MTH 113 Finite Mathematics
    - MTH 130 Introductory Calculus
  - Language 102 3

**Total Credit Hours: 14**

**Year Two**

**Fall**

- BIL Elective (BIL 250 or BIL 255 recommended) 3
- CHM 103 Chemistry for the Health Sciences I 3
- CHM 105 or 113 Chemistry for the Health Sciences I (Laboratory) or Chemistry Laboratory I 1
- Language 2XX 3
- Arts and Humanities Cognate Course 3
- People and Society Cognate Course 3

- **Credit Hours: 16**

**Spring**

- BIL Elective (BIL 330 or BIL 320 recommended) 3
- Course in Minor 3
- CHM 104 Chemistry for the Health Sciences II 3
- CHM 106 or 205 Chemistry for the Health Sciences II (Laboratory) or Chemical Dynamics Laboratory 1
- Arts and Humanities Cognate Course 3
- People and Society Cognate Course 3

- **Credit Hours: 16**

**Year Three**

**Fall**

- BIL Elective 3

- **Credit Hours: 3**

- Arts and Humanities Cognate Course (WRI) 3
Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will, through a required core of courses including laboratories, demonstrate a broad knowledge base in Biology.
- Students will, through exposure to biological concepts, inquiry-based learning and biological research, develop the ability to think critically and to formulate and test hypotheses.
- Students will, through courses intensive in research presentations, develop presentation skills sufficient to communicate scientific information to professional and public audiences.
- Students will, through exposure to biological concepts, inquiry-based learning and biological research, develop the ability to think critically and understand proper application of the scientific method.

B.S. in Biology

Overview

The B.S. degree is recommended as preparation for medical school, veterinary school, dental school, masters and Ph.D. programs in biology, careers in biological research, conservation and environmental management, and teaching at the high school and college level. Three options are available for students to specialize within Biology.

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Select one of the following three Options for upper level required biology core courses:

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**Option Two:** This option is recommended for students interested in ecology, evolution, biodiversity and conservation.

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**Additional BIL electives**

- At least three credit hours of additional BIL electives must be at the 400-level or higher
- At least one BIL elective must be a CAPSTONE course. (Locate capstone courses in Class Search under "Additional Search Criteria", subheading "Class Attributes").
- Two biology laboratory or field courses beyond <BIL 151 or BIL 153> and <BIL 161 or BIL 163> are required as part of the additional BIL electives. Approved laboratory/field courses at the 300 level or higher in departments other than Biology (e.g., BMB, MIC, MSC, NEU) can be counted towards this lab requirement. Check with the Department of Biology to confirm that a specific course is allowed to fulfill this requirement.

Up to eight credit hours toward the major may be selected from courses with a biological topic and numbered 300 or higher in MBE, MES, MSC, or OCE.

**Chemistry**

Three semesters (16 credits) of chemistry are required for the biology major.

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**Statistics or Computer Language/Programming**

Select one statistics or one computer language/programming course from the following: 2

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**Physics**

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**Minor in a Natural Science** 1-16

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**Mission**

**Goals**

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Students will, through a required core of courses including laboratories, demonstrate a broad knowledge base in Biology.
- Students will, through exposure to biological concepts, inquiry-based learning and biological research, develop the ability to think critically and to formulate and test hypotheses.
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B.S./M.S. in Biology

Overview
The 5-year BS/MS degree in the Department of Biology is designed for students who are engaged in research and considering a career in biological sciences. Over the course of their senior year, plus one additional year of graduate study, students in the program will take graduate level courses, conduct independent research, and write a Masters of Science thesis.

The first step in this process is for the student and a faculty member to agree on a suitable research project. Students should consider talking with several faculty members to discuss possible projects before settling on a research topic. The Director of the Biology BS/MS program can assist the student in finding a participating faculty mentor in Biology. For at least two semesters of their undergraduate studies, the student must have enough time in their schedule to devote to research <BIL 495, BIL 496, BIL 497>. This is the equivalent of a 2-credit laboratory (6 hours per week), but if the student is enthusiastic about his/her project, he/she will want to spend more time on it than that. Applications to the program are evaluated at the end of the Junior year, so the student should begin research in his/her Sophomore year.

In addition to the requirements for the Bachelor of Science, a student must complete specific courses/seminars, as listed under Curriculum Requirements in preparation for their year of graduate study.

Timeline:

Freshman/Sophomore/Junior year: Find a research mentor, register with the Office of Undergraduate Research and begin your research project. Enroll in Projects in Biology <BIL 495, BIL 496, BIL 497>. Notify the Program Director of your intent.

Junior year: Apply to the program in the fall semester. Continue your research project.

Senior year: Complete the requirements for the B.S. and take one 3 credit Masters-level course each semester. Attend the Biology Departmental Seminar. Present your research findings at the Research, Creativity and Innovation Forum in the spring semester.

Masters year: Take 12-15 credits of Masters coursework each semester. Finish your lab research, write and defend your thesis.

Curriculum Requirements

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Two semesters of introductory biology plus labs are required, usually taken in the first year:

- BIL 150 General Biology
- BIL 151 General Biology Laboratory
  or BIL 153 Introductory Biology/Chemistry Laboratory I
- BIL 160 Evolution and Biodiversity
- BIL 161 Evolution and Biodiversity Laboratory
  or BIL 163 Introductory Biology/Chemistry Laboratory II

Select one of the following three Options for upper level required biology core courses:

Option One: This option is recommended for students interested in medical school, other health sciences, cell, molecular and developmental biology.

- BIL 250 Genetics
- BIL 255 Cellular and Molecular Biology
- BIL 360 Comparative Physiology
- BIL 330 Ecology
  or BIL 320 Evolutionary Biology

Option Two: This option is recommended for students interested in ecology, evolution, biodiversity and conservation.

- BIL 250 Genetics
- BIL 320 Evolutionary Biology
- BIL 330 Ecology
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Option Three:

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#### Additional BIL electives

- At least one BIL elective must be a CAPSTONE course. (Locate capstone courses in Class Search under "Additional Search Criteria", subheading "Class Attributes").

- At least four credit hours of the following must be taken for the B.S./M.S. in Biology program. A maximum of six credit hours may be applied as electives towards the B.S. in Biology.

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Two biology laboratory or field courses beyond <BIL 151 or BIL 153> and <BIL 161 or BIL 163> are required as part of the additional BIL electives. An approved laboratory/field course at the 300 level or higher in departments other than Biology (e.g., BMB, MIC, MSC, NEU) can be counted as one of the two required lab courses. Projects in Biology <BIL 495, BIL 496 or BIL 497> may be counted as one of the two required lab courses. Check with the Department of Biology to confirm that a specific course is allowed to fulfill this requirement.

- At least six credit hours of graduate courses in Biology (BIL 600-level) must be taken in the Senior year.

- Up to eight credit hours toward the major may be selected from courses with a biological topic and numbered 300 or higher in MBE, MES, MSC, or OCE.

- A maximum of two credit hours of the following may be applied towards the major.

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A maximum of three total credit hours from the following courses may be applied towards the major. Any course in this list may be taken only once to count towards the major. However, these courses may be taken additional times for general elective credit only.

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#### Chemistry

Three semesters (16 credits) of chemistry are required for the biology major.

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**Masters Year Curriculum Requirements**

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Required graduate courses for the B.S./M.S. in Biology program. Some of these may be taken during the Senior year of the B.S.

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Minor in Biology

Overview
The Minor in Biology is recommended to complement degrees in other natural sciences, for students interested in careers in health sciences, scientific research, and science education.

Curriculum Requirements

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*The following courses CANNOT be used to satisfy the Biology Minor requirement: BIL 281, BIL 381, BIL 382, BIL 481, BIL 482

All credit hours for the Biology Minor must be taken in residence at University of Miami

1. Courses from other natural sciences approved as electives in the Biology Major may not be counted towards the Biology Minor. (All courses must be in BIL.)
2. Overall GPA in the BIL minor courses must be a minimum of 2.0.
3. The nine credits required for the Biology Minor do not include the introductory biology series (BIL 150, BIL 160, BIL 151 or 153, BIL 161 or BIL 163) that may be pre-requisites for upper level courses

Chemistry

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Dept. Code: CHM

Introduction
Each undergraduate chemistry degree program requires:

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One year of Calculus
At least two semesters of Physics Plus Lab

Total Credit Hours 19

The requirements for a major are flexible and should conform to the objectives of the student. A grade of C- or higher must be earned in all courses taken for major or minor credit hour, and the Chemistry GPA must be 2.00 or higher. Credit hours earned in CHM 381 and CHM 382 do not count toward the major or minor.

Educational Objectives
The mission of the Bachelor's degree program in the Chemistry Department is to promote an understanding and appreciation of the role of chemistry in modern society, especially as it relates to and integrates with other biological and physical sciences and societal issues facing humanity today such as the environment, health issues and technological advances.

Degree Programs
Three programs lead to degrees with a chemistry major:

1. The B.A. degree
2. The B.S. degree
3. The B.S. degree with certification by the American Chemical Society Committee for Professional Training of Chemists.
Departmental Honors
Honors in Chemistry may be earned by students who complete the B.S. degree in chemistry, plus at least five credit hours of CHM 488 and one credit hour of CHM 490, all with an average grade of at least 3.30. A written Honors Thesis and oral defense on the subject of the Honors Research must be presented by the student and approved by a Department Honors Committee.

Writing Requirement
To satisfy the College of Arts and Sciences writing requirement in the discipline, students majoring in Chemistry should take CHM 320 or ENG 233.

Credit for Courses at the 100- and 200-Level
Credit hour may be earned in only one of the courses CHM 103, CHM 121 or CHM 151. Credit hour may not be earned in both CHM 104 and CHM 221.

Dual Degrees
• B.S./M.S. in Chemistry Five-Year (p. 238)

CHM 101. Chemistry and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
The basic principles of chemistry for the non-science major with an emphasis on understanding the chemistry of the world around us, especially as it pertains to the choices we make as consumers and as a society. Integrated themes include energy, the environment, food and nutrition, health and personal care, and other contemporary societal issues.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CHM 103. Chemistry for the Health Sciences I. 3 Credit Hours.
Essentials of chemistry as they apply to biological systems
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CHM 104. Chemistry for the Health Sciences II. 3 Credit Hours.
A continuation of CHM 103, with emphasis on organic and biological chemistry, including biochemical processes and metabolism. Lecture, 3 hours. Prerequisite: CHM 103 with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CHM 105. Chemistry for the Health Sciences I (Laboratory). 1 Credit Hour.
Designed for those students in CHM 103 requiring a laboratory course. Laboratory, 3 hours. Pre/Corequisite: CHM 103 with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CHM 106. Chemistry for the Health Sciences II (Laboratory). 1 Credit Hour.
Designed for those students in CHM 104 requiring a laboratory course. Laboratory, 3 hours. Pre/Corequisite: CHM 104 with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CHM 110. Chemical Problem Solving. 3 Credit Hours.
Chemical problem solving strategies to prepare students for more advanced studies in the sciences. Focusing on basic concepts in chemistry, chemical problem solving, and mathematical preparation for future studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHM 111. Principles of Chemistry I. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamental principles of chemical science.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
CHM 112. Principles of Chemistry II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of CHM 111. Lecture, 3 hours.
Prerequisite: CHM 111 with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHM 113. Chemistry Laboratory I. 1 Credit Hour.
Basic laboratory techniques in chemistry.
Corequisite: CHM 121 with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHM 114. Chemistry Laboratory II. 1 Credit Hour.
Continuation of CHM 113. Intermediate laboratory techniques and quantitative analysis. To accompany CHM 112. Laboratory, 3 hours.
Corequisite: CHM 112 Or CHM 221 And with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHM 121. Principles of Chemistry. 4 Credit Hours.
Fundamental principles of chemical science for studies in the discipline.
Pre or Corequisite: MTH 140 or higher Or Prerequisite: CHM 110 with a grade of C- or higher Or Prerequisite: SAT Math Score >/= 730 Or ACT Math Score >/= 31 Or AP Calc AB score = 4 Or AP Calc BC score = 3 Or ALEKS score >/= 76.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHM 151. Chemistry for Engineers. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamental principles of chemistry for engineering students. Not recommended for students that plan to enter Medical School. Lecture, 3 hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CHM 153. Chemistry Laboratory for Engineers. 1 Credit Hour.
An introductory laboratory course to accompany CHM 151. The techniques of chemistry for engineering students.
Pre/Corequisite: CHM 151 with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CHM 201. Organic Chemistry I (Lecture). 3-4 Credit Hours.
The chemistry of carbon compounds. Required of chemistry majors, and premedical students; recommended for majors in life sciences. Lecture, 3 hours.
Prerequisite: CHM 112 Or CHM 221 And with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHM 202. Organic Chemistry II (Lecture). 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of CHM 201. Lecture, 3 hours.
Prerequisite: CHM 201 with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHM 205. Chemical Dynamics Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Introduction to techniques of chemistry.
Corequisite: CHM 221 with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
CHM 206. **Organic Reactions and Synthesis Laboratory. 1-2 Credit Hours.**
Continuation of CHM 205
Prerequisite: CHM 205. And Corequisite: CHM 202 or CHM 222. And with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHM 207. **Chemical Dynamics and Organic Synthesis Laboratory. 2 Credit Hours.**
Introduction to techniques in Chemistry. For students in the HHMI program only.
Prerequisite: CHM 205 And Corequisite: CHM 222.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CHM 214. **Quantitative Analytical Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.**
An introduction to quantitative chemical analysis. Topics will include statistical analysis of analytical data, a review of stoichiometry, analytical separation processes, chemical and acid-base equilibria, and an introduction to potentiometric, titrimetric, gravimetric, and spectrophotometric methods of analysis.
Prerequisite: CHM 202 with a grade of C- or higher. And MTH 162. or MTH 172.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CHM 221. **Introduction to Structure and Dynamics. 4 Credit Hours.**
The chemistry of carbon compounds.
Prerequisite: CHM 112 or CHM 121 with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHM 222. **Organic Reactions and Synthesis. 4 Credit Hours.**
Continuation of CHM 221.
Prerequisite: CHM 201 or 221 with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHM 304. **Structural Identification of Organic Compounds. 3 Credit Hours.**
The fundamental principles of ultraviolet/visible, infrared, nuclear magnetic resonance and mass spectrometry. How the combination of these sophisticated analytical techniques can be used to elucidate the structures of organic compounds.
Prerequisite: CHM 202 and CHM 206.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CHM 316. **Instrumental Analytical Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.**
Modern methods of quantitative analysis. Lecture, 3 hours.
Prerequisite: CHM 360 and CHM 214 Or CHM 360 and CHM 304. And with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CHM 317. **The Chemistry of Food and Taste. 3 Credit Hours.**
The chemical compositions of the raw materials and end products, and a survey of the changes that these undergo when exposed to human manipulations.
Prerequisite: CHM 202 or CHM 222.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
CHM 320. Instrumental Methods in Chemistry and Biochemistry. 2 Credit Hours.
Instrumental methods in modern chemistry and biochemistry, including spectrometric, electrochemical, and chromatographic (separation) Laboratory, 8 hours. Satisfies writing requirement.
Prerequisite: CHM 214 or CHM 304 And Corequisite: CHM 316. And with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CHM 331. Physical Chemistry for Premedical Students. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of thermodynamics as applied to gases, liquids and solutions; chemical kinetics and other selected topics. Lecture, 3 hours.
Prerequisite: CHM 112 with a grade of C- or higher And MTH 161 And PHY 102.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHM 360. Physical Chemistry I (Lecture). 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to physical chemistry including thermodynamics, gaseous and liquid states, solutions, homogeneous and heterogeneous equilibrium. Lecture, 3 hours.
Prerequisite: CHM 112 with a grade of C- or higher And MTH 162 or MTH 172. Requisite: One Semester of Physics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CHM 364. Physical Chemistry (Laboratory I). 1 Credit Hour.
Representative experiments in physical chemistry. Laboratory, 4 hours.
Pre/Corequisite: CHM 360 or CHM 331 And with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CHM 365. Physical Chemistry II (Lecture). 3 Credit Hours.
Chemical kinetics, introductory quantum chemistry, molecular spectroscopy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CHM 381. Workshop Leaders in Chemistry I. 1 Credit Hour.
Students engaged in Peer-Led Team Teaching of workshops for groups of CHM 111 and/or CHM 112 students may enroll for this course. May be repeated.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CHM 382. Workshop Leaders in Chemistry II. 1 Credit Hour.
Students engaged in Peer-Led Team Teaching of workshops for groups of CHM 111 and/or CHM 112 students may enroll for this course. May be repeated.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CHM 391. Chemistry Internship for Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Provides chemistry majors with an opportunity to apply skills learned in coursework within settings outside the university. For example students can work in local schools, assisting instructors and mentoring students. They can also work in companies or government agencies for a defined period of time with clearly delineated goals to expand their expertise and practical knowledge of chemistry. Each enrolled student will be closely mentored by a faculty member.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHM 401. Environmental Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Major environmental features of the earth; Role of natural and synthetic chemicals in the environment; Atmospheric and aquatic pollution; Application of acid- base theory and oxidation reduction to environmental problems.
Prerequisite: CHM 201 or CHM 222. And with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
CHM 441. Inorganic Chemistry (Lecture). 3 Credit Hours.
The relation of atomic and molecular structure to chemical and physical properties; introduction to nonaqueous solvents, coordination compounds, solid state chemistry and nuclear reactions. Lecture, 3 hours. Prerequisite: CHM 365. Prerequisite: CHM 365 with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CHM 442. Inorganic Chemistry (Laboratory). 1 Credit Hour.
Synthesis of inorganic compounds and determination of their physical and chemical properties. CHM 541 is a co-requisite for ACS chemistry majors. Laboratory, 3 hours. Prerequisite: CHM 365 and CHM 541 And with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CHM 464. Physical Chemistry (Laboratory II). 1 Credit Hour.
Continuation of CHM 364. Laboratory, 4 hours. Prerequisite: CHM 365 with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CHM 488. Undergraduate Research. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Laboratory research under the direction of a member of the chemistry faculty. Thesis optional. Course may be repeated for credit.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHM 490. Honors Research. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Laboratory research under the direction of a member of the Chemistry faculty. Thesis required. Course may be repeated for credit.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHM 515. Makings of a Scientist. 3 Credit Hours.
By analyzing achievements and advise of few successful scientists, chemists in particular will highlight what qualities are needed to be a successful scientist. Importance of motivation, perseverance, communication skills, adhering to ethical guidelines and ability to deal with colleagues and co-workers will be brought out. Career options available for a trained chemist and how different each one is will be pointed out. Overall this is a course in multi-mentoring of graduate students who are aiming for a career in science and hope to be successful researchers in science, particularly in chemistry.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CHM 520. Physical Organic Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Aspects of chemical bonding, acids and bases, steeoochemistry, aromaticity, pericyclic reactions, linear free energy relationships, transition state theory, excited state chemistry, reactive intermediaries, mechanisms of uni- and bi-molecular reactions. Prerequisite: CHM 202 and CHM 360 And with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CHM 522. Synthetic Organic Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Functional group transformations, Synthon approach. Retro-synthetic analyses, multistep syntheses. Prerequisite: CHM 202 with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
CHM 524. Supramolecular Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Complexation, recognition, and catalysis as applied to bio-organic chemistry. Steric, polar, and lipophilic interactions as well as proximity effects in the design of synthetic enzyme mimics, cationic transport species, etc.
Prerequisite: CHM 365 and CHM 520 And with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CHM 525. Structural Organic Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CHM 202 with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CHM 526. CHM523 Medicinal Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Medicinal chemistry is primarily concerned with the development of drug molecules, and the interpretation of their mode of action at the molecular level, with an emphasis on chemical synthesis.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CHM 530. Fluorescence Spectroscopy and Microscopy. 3 Credit Hours.
The photophysical properties of organic compounds that illustrates the fundamental principles of fluorescence. It also explains how fluorescence spectra and images can be recorded and how these powerful analytical techniques can be used to address significant problems in biology and medicine.
Prerequisite: CHM 304 and CHM 360 And with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CHM 535. Molecular and Supramolecular Photochemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Generation of a model that will help rationalize/predict excited state reactions. A brief background on physical aspects of photochemistry will be given. Exploring and understanding of reactions that are triggered by light. Importance of light in life will be highlighted.
Prerequisite: CHM 201 and CHM 202 And with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CHM 541. Principles of Bonding and Reactivity in Inorganic Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Bonding principles necessary to understand the structure, stability, and fundamental reactivity of main group and transition metal inorganic compounds.
Prerequisite: CHM 365 with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CHM 553. Modern Quantum Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Many-electron wave functions and operators. Hartee-Fock approximation, density functional theory, configuration interaction, and many-body perturbation theory.
Prerequisite: CHM 365 with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CHM 555. Principles of Spectroscopic Techniques. 3 Credit Hours.
Spectroscopic techniques: nuclear magnetic resonance (NMR), mass spectra (MS), ultraviolet (UV), visible infrared (IR), fluorescence, and other specialized spectroscopic techniques.
Prerequisite: CHM 365 with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
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Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
CHM 575. Principles of Nuclear Magnetic Resonance and Multidimensional Spectroscopy. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory of nuclear magnetic resonance; Bloch equations; relaxation theory; time-domain versus frequency domain spectroscopies, and principles of multidimensional spectroscopy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CHM 581. Advanced Analytical Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Provides a strong foundation in the most important concepts in advanced analytical chemistry, including electrochemistry, chemical separations, and bioanalytical chemistry, and in the different classes of instrumental analytical techniques available to current chemists.
Prerequisite: CHM 214 and CHM 316 And with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CHM 591. Topics in Chemistry. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Subject matter offerings based upon student demand and availability of faculty. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule following the title, “Topics in Chemistry”.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CHM 592. Topics in Chemistry. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Subject matter offerings based upon student demand and availability of faculty. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule following the title, “Topics in Chemistry”.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CHM 593. Readings in Chemistry. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings on special topics. Offered by special arrangement. May be repeated for credit.
Components: THI.
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Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CHM 594. Readings in Chemistry. 1-3 Credit Hours.
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Components: LEC.
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Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

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**Mission**

**Goals**

**Student Learning Outcomes**

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- Graduates will be adept in a broad variety of chemical instrumentation and analytical techniques.
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### B.S. / M.S. in Chemistry Five-Year

**Overview**

The BS/MS program is a five-year program emphasizing research in the senior year and in the Master's year. Before they enter the program, students will be prepared for their research experience through existing laboratory courses and by mentored research with a Chemistry graduate faculty member. Whereas students may begin mentored research as early as their freshman year, it is expected that they should have at least one semester of research prior to the start of their senior year. Students will have access to capstone and interdisciplinary 500 level courses as seniors and to 600 level courses as Master's students.

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## Certified B.S. in Chemistry

[http://www.as.miami.edu/chemistry/](http://www.as.miami.edu/chemistry/)

## Overview

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**Suggested Plan of Study**

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Mission

Goals

Student Learning Outcomes

• Graduates will be able to demonstrate a broad understanding of fundamental chemical principles in all areas of the field.
• Graduates will be adept in a broad variety of chemical instrumentation and analytical techniques.
• Graduates will display effective and strong written communication skills pertaining to chemical research.

Minor in Chemistry

http://www.as.miami.edu/chemistry/

Overview

The minor in chemistry requires 19 credit hours in the discipline.

Curriculum Requirements

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1 These courses do not count toward the CHM 200 level or higher requirement: CHM 317, CHM 381, CHM 382, CHM 488, and CHM 490.

Classics

classics.as.miami.edu

Introduction

All culture and civilizations have their classics: those works of art that are seen as the best of their kind, have withstood the test of time, and embody the symbolic values of their society. In the Western tradition, the study of ‘Classics’ has focused upon the languages, thoughts, literatures, and cultures of ancient Greece and Rome, and their impact on the whole subsequent history of the Western world.

The study of Classics has been conceived in unusually broad terms; it is intended to encompass everything that can be known about the ancient Mediterranean world. There is room in Classics for the study of fields as disparate as literature, science, sculpture, history, architecture, religion, philosophy, theater, economics, music – in short, the entire panorama of human endeavor. It is no wonder that the study of Classics has always tended to attract some of the liveliest and most brilliant intellects; and it is equally unsurprising that students majoring in Classics find themselves extremely well-prepared for undertaking practically any type of career, whether that be in politics, law, medicine, teaching, publishing, research of all kinds, journalism, banking, or the corporate world. A degree in Classics marks the UM graduate as a person of superior analytical and critical skills, one who has proved able to cope with a rigorous academic curriculum, and who is exceptionally educated in the most fundamental aspects of what it means to be human. Thus, Classics is at the core of the humanities.

Educational Objectives

The educational objectives of the Department of Classics may be stated in a variety of ways, and on a number of levels. In terms of linguistic competency, students majoring (or minoring) in Classics are required to reach an appropriate level of fluency in reading ancient Greek or Latin, or both. In terms of cultural literacy, students of the Classics are educated within a rigorous curriculum exposing them to the great literary works and material cultures of ancient Greece and Rome. In terms of critical thinking, students of the Classics are trained to hone the skills of memory, analysis, and synthesis, skills that they will be able to apply for the rest of their lives in any realm of thought or action whatsoever.

The goal of an education in Classics is to foster and inculcate an ever-burgeoning awareness of what Cicero referred to as humanitas – in short, everything it is to be human. It is the mission of Classics to expose its students to the greatest thoughts and endeavors of the human race, and to
encourage them to think about what that greatness consists in, and how to enlarge upon it. The profoundest educational objective of the Department of Classics is to preserve and study all that is important about the past, in order best to prepare for the future.

Degree Programs
The Department of Classics offers the Major and the Minor in Classics.

Major in Classics
The undergraduate Major in Classics at UM has four possible tracks. Greek, Latin, Greek and Latin, and Classical Civilization. To satisfy the College of Arts and Sciences writing requirement in the discipline, students majoring in Classics should take three courses marked W from the list of GRE, LAT, and CLA courses offered in the catalog.

Departmental Honors
A student may earn Honors in Classics by completing a ‘capstone’ project with a grade of B or higher. This project can be the senior thesis (CLA 495 and CLA 496) or an Independent Study course (LAT 491, GRE 491, or CLA 491) that includes a substantial research paper. Either project must be supervised by a faculty member in the Classics Department. In order to qualify for a ‘capstone’ project, the student must have by the end of the junior year a minimum GPA of 3.5 in the Classics major and 3.3 overall.

In addition, Classics Majors, Classics Minors, and other students who meet certain academic criteria are eligible for membership in Eta Sigma Phi, the National Honors Society for Classics.

CLA 101. Greek and Roman Mythology. 3 Credit Hours.
The major political, cultural, and social themes that appear in Greek and Roman mythology, examining literary and material evidence. 
Requisite: Not Allow Enrollment in CLA 220 if already Enrolled/Took CLA 219.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CLA 102. Writing on Greek and Roman Mythology. 3 Credit Hours.
A companion writing course for students enrolled in CLA 220, Greek and Roman Mythology. 
Requisite: Not Allow Enrollment in CLA 219 if already Enrolled/Took CLA 220.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CLA 105. Greek Civilization. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces key concepts, events, and personalities of Greek culture.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CLA 106. Roman Civilization. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduces key concepts, events, and personalities of ancient Roman culture.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CLA 210. The Greek and Latin Roots of English. 3 Credit Hours.
Equips students with the tools needed to analyze and understand the meanings of English words with Ancient Greek and Latin roots. Special attention will be paid to legal and medical terminology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CLA 211. Medical Terminology. 3 Credit Hours.
Medical Terminology is an introduction to the international vocabulary of medical science derived from Ancient Greek and Latin. We will approach this topic linguistically, beginning with the roots of ancient words and examining the rules and techniques by which Greek and Latin elements (prefixes, suffixes, and stems) are constructed into medical and scientific vocabularies. We will also look at some of the intellectual contributions of Graeco-Roman civilization to modern science and medicine.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
CLA 221. Sports and Society in the Ancient World. 3 Credit Hours.
The role of sports in ancient Greek and Roman culture. Topics covered include: Mycenean bull-Jumping; athletic events in Homer; the Olympic games; chariot racing and gladiatorial combat at Rome; and the connection between public athletics and religion. Students learn to interpret literary and iconographic evidence, and study architectural remains such as the stadium at Olympia, the Circus Maximus, and the Colosseum.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CLA 222. Sexuality and Gender in the Ancient World. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic questions of sexuality and gender in ancient Greece and Rome: What does it mean to be male or female? What can we discover about ourselves from the way(s) we have sex? How are all these things related to life, love, power?
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CLA 224. The Heroic Journey. 3 Credit Hours.
The figure of the Hero On a Journey has long captivated the minds of story-tellers and audiences. This motif, known as "The Monomyth," speaks the profoundest hopes and fears of humankind. This course will examine the Monomyth as it occurs particularly in the classical tradition from Gilgamesh to Tolkien.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CLA 225. Magic and the Occult in Antiquity. 3 Credit Hours.
A broad sweep of evidence for magic and the occult in the ancient Mediterranean world. The focus is Graeco-Roman Egypt, renowned in antiquity for occult arts such as divination, daemonology, astrology, and alchemy. The primary sources analyzed are diverse, and include magical formulae, manuals, recipes, curses, philosophical writings, and literary accounts, in particular those by Lucian and Apuleius, purporting to provide true tales of magic.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CLA 226. Greek and Roman Art. 3 Credit Hours.
The course is an introduction to ancient Greek and Roman art within its socio-political and religious context. It includes a survey of stylistic movements, elements of architecture, and a brief historical background for each period outlined in the syllabus.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CLA 231. Sciences in Ancient Greece and Rome. 3 Credit Hours.
The beginnings of scientific investigation in ancient Greece and its development and codification under the Roman Empire.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CLA 232. Ancient Greek and Roman Law. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines selected trials from ancient Greece and Rome both as a way to understand these legal systems in themselves and as a way to explore the cultures, values, and biases that shaped them.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CLA 233. Ancient Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
Provides a historical survey of evidence, practices, and ideas from the world of ancient medicine.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CLA 243. The Art of Government in Greece and Rome. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduces key concepts and models of Greek and Roman Statecraft, including the polis democracy, the Republic and the Empire.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
CLA 246. Ancient Rhetorical Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
The historical development of, and key topics in, theories of persuasive communication developed by the ancient Greeks and Romans.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CLA 271. Ancient Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
What is knowledge, and how can it be known? Why be moral? What is justice? What is the good life? If we really have free will, can there be such a thing as destiny? In what does friendship consist? What exactly is love? What is the meaning of death? These and other questions were addressed powerfully by the ancient Greeks and Romans. This course will explore such crucial philosophical themes, along with the actual method(s) of inquiry that the ancients devised for examining them. Major figures such as Plato and Aristotle will be featured, along with fragments of the Presocratics and selections from other ancient philosophers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CLA 301. Ancient Greece. 3 Credit Hours.
Greek civilization from the Late Bronze Age to the end of Greek independence at the battle of Chaeronea in 338 B.C.E.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CLA 302. The Hellenistic Age. 3 Credit Hours.
Conquests of Alexander the Great and the spread of Greek culture in the Near East under Alexander's successors until the death of Cleopatra in 31 B.C.E.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CLA 303. The Roman Republic. 3 Credit Hours.
Roman civilization from the establishment of the Republic until the Battle of Actium in 31 B.C.E.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CLA 304. The Roman Empire. 3 Credit Hours.
Roman civilization from the reign of Augustus in 37 B.C.E. to the Fall of Rome in 476 C.E.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CLA 305. What is a Classic?. 3 Credit Hours.
An explanation of what it means to designate a work of art as 'a classic', in our own culture as well as in other times and places. In order to arrive at a more sophisticated understanding of the category, readings will be chosen from a variety of texts, selected from the world's treasury of acknowledged 'classics,' beginning from the canon of ancient Greek and Roman literature that for many centuries has been the touchstone of Western civilization.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CLA 310. Survey of Ancient Greek Literature and Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
Classical Greek culture, paying special attention to Greek literature from Homer to Aristotle. It is intended to lay a foundation for understanding how Hellenic thought and art influenced the development of all subsequent Western culture. All texts will be read in English translation.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CLA 311. Survey of Classical Latin Literature and Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
A broad introduction (in English translation) to the literature of the Roman Republic and Empire. The Greek heritage behind Latin literature will be highlighted. Readings will be chosen from authors such as Catullus, Cicero, Vergil, Horace, Ovid, Petronius, Juvenal, Tacitus, and Suetonius, and from genres such as epic and lyric poetry, oratory, history and satire.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
CLA 315. The Classical Epic Tradition. 3 Credit Hours.
The course treats the rise and development of the Western epic tradition from Homer, Lucretius, and Virgil in the classical world, through Dante in the Middle Ages, Milton in the Renaissance, and Wordsworth and Eliot in modernity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CLA 322. Monsters and Fantastical Creatures in Western Antiquity and Other Cultures. 3 Credit Hours.
An explanation of the notion of the "monster" and the "fantastic creature" in a range of literary and visual representations from classical antiquity (the Greek and Roman World) and other cultures from various time periods. Starting with Hesiod's "Catalogue of Monsters" we examine the following questions: Whose mental projection is embodied in a given monster? Are there different categories of monsters? What does the monster represent? What fears does the monster crystallize?
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CLA 323. The Ancient World on Screen. 3 Credit Hours.
How do we represent the ancient Greeks and Romans in modern media? What happens to the books the ancients wrote when these are turned into modern films, TV shows or video games?
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CLA 324. Classical Myth and Contemporary Art. 3 Credit Hours.
The use, adaptation, transformation, and re-figuring of Classical myth in contemporary art. The artwork will range from photographs to installations and videos. We will use theories drawn from both art criticism and literary criticism. Female artists and post-feminist theory will figure prominently as a way to bring a broader perspective to a scrutiny of the marked gender imbalance in Classical myth.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CLA 325. The Vampire in Folklore, Fiction, and Film. 3 Credit Hours.
By pondering the role of vampires and other such monsters, in folklore, fiction, and film, this course attempts to ponder such fundamental questions as "What does it mean to be human?" and "What are the implications of death?" The tradition will be traced from its earliest antecedents in the ancient world to its latest manifestations in current fiction and screen media.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CLA 326. What Does it Mean to be Human. 3 Credit Hours.
Questions of Artificial Intelligence, the Singularity, Superintelligence, and Robotics capture our imaginations (and sometimes stir profound anxiety and fear). But are these technological developments merely phenomena of the 20th and 21st centuries? Or are the key issues entailed already adumbrated in the literatures and cultures of the ancient Greeks and Romans? This course explores the parameters of that most-fundamental question of the Humanities: What does it mean to be human? Is 'human' a discrete category with well-defined boundaries, or have fuzzy logic and the dizzying pace of technological percentage a human body must be organically/naturally produced (as opposed to mechanically/technologically engineered) in order to be considered human. The course will entail reading assignments from the Greek and Roman classics (in English translation); weekly screenings of movies (including television programs); and in-class discussion.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

CLA 327. Heroes Ancient and Modern. 3 Credit Hours.
'What is a hero?' Throughout time and across a variety of cultures, beginning with the ancient Greeks various types or categories of 'hero' are considered from these cultures, including the classical model of the aristocratic hêrôs; the Monomyth Hero (most famously formulated by Joseph Campbell); Public & Private Heroes; the Tragic Hero; the Comic Hero; the Antihero; the so-called 'Dark Hero'; and the modern 'Superhero.' Key elements will include the relations between [a] the heroic and the divine, and [b] the notion of the hero and the concepts of social and civic leadership in the 21st century.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CLA 340. Greek Tragedy. 3 Credit Hours.
Readings in English of the tragedies of Aeschylus, Sophocles, and Euripides.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
CLA 341. Comedy in Ancient Athens and Rome. 3 Credit Hours.
The comic plays of the ancient Greeks and Romans in English translation. The focus is close reading and analysis of plays by Aristophanes, Menander, Plautus, and Terence, with a view to their socio-political, cultural, and historical milieu. The final weeks are devoted to reception of these works by Shakespeare and Molière.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CLA 360. Women in Greek and Roman Antiquity. 3 Credit Hours.
The lives of women in ancient Greece and Rome. The historical panorama extends from the Mycenaean period ca. 1200 BC to the end of the Roman Empire in the West, 476 AD. The role and influence of Women as mothers and wives in control of the household will be examined in detail. Other themes such as love, death, marriage, divorce, legal and social status, foreign women, spinsters, wise women such as Diotima and Aspasia, Women in the arts and women of power, these will be considered through a close study of historical and literary texts as well as material culture.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CLA 370. Self and Other in the Ancient World. 3 Credit Hours.
The course examines Greek and Roman depictions of outsiders in a wide range of ancient texts and material sources.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CLA 372. Greek Religion. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines the religious thought and practice of the ancient Greek-speaking world from the Bronze Age to the first century CE. Major topics include ritual, sacrifice, prayer, chthonic and sky deities, oracles, and mystery-cults. Students will learn to interpret primary source material, such as the epic poems of the archaic period, the so-called Homeric Hymns, and objects of material culture.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CLA 373. Religions of Rome. 3 Credit Hours.
The religious practices of ancient Romans. Major topics include the machinery or state cult, the importation of foreign divinities to Rome, the deification of emperors, and Roman attitudes towards the Christians. Students will learn to interpret primary source material, such as the writings of Varro, Cicero, the historians, and St. Augustine, and archeological evidence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CLA 401. Special Topics in Classics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address a specific author, topic or text (appearing as a subtitle). Required readings will be in English. Analogous to REL 404-409 courses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CLA 402. Special Topics in Classics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address a specific author, topic or text (appearing as a subtitle). Required readings will be in English. Analogous to REL 404-409 courses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CLA 403. Special Topics in Classics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address a specific author, topic or text (appearing as a subtitle). Required readings will be in English. Analogous to REL 404-409 courses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CLA 404. Special Projects in Classics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address a specific project in Classics (appearing as a subtitle). Analogous to REL 407-409.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
CLA 405. Special Projects in Classics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address a specific project in Classics (appearing as a subtitle). Analogous to REL 407-409.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CLA 406. Special Projects in Classics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address a specific project in Classics (appearing as a subtitle). Analogous to REL 407-409.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CLA 422. Aristophanes. 3 Credit Hours.
Readings from Aristophanes' plays in the original Ancient Greek.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CLA 491. Directed Reading in Classics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content to be determined by faculty member and registering student(s).
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CLA 492. Directed Reading in Classics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address a specific author, topic or text (appearing as a subtitle). Analogous to REL 401-403 courses and to (existing) CLA 491.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CLA 493. Directed Reading in Classics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address a specific author, topic or text (appearing as a subtitle). Analogous to REL 401-403 courses and to (existing) CLA 491.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CLA 495. Senior Thesis I. 3 Credit Hours.
Part I of the project or thesis normally completed in the senior year.
Components: THE.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CLA 496. Senior Thesis II. 3 Credit Hours.
Part II of the project or thesis normally completed in the senior year.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CLA 505. Seminar in Ancient Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics in Greek and Roman studies.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GRE 101. Elementary Ancient Greek I. 3 Credit Hours.
Alphabet, pronunciation, accentuation, vocabulary, grammar, reading exercises, and written exercises.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GRE 102. Elementary Ancient Greek II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of GRE 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
GRE 103. Intensive Greek for the New Testament. 3 Credit Hours.
An intensive introduction to the Koine dialect of the New Testament and Septuagint. The course is intended for students with little to no background in Ancient Greek, and covers material similar to that found in the GRE 101 and GRE 102 sequence for Attic Greek. Students leave GRE 103 prepared for GRE 201 and capable of reading extended passages from the New Testament.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GRE 201. Intermediate Ancient Greek I. 3 Credit Hours.
Reading from classical and Hellenistic authors. Building on their knowledge of elementary Greek grammar, students move toward real fluency in reading ancient Greek, and the pleasure of encountering these great authors in their original language.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GRE 202. Intermediate Ancient Greek II. 3 Credit Hours.
Reading Ancient Greek poetry. Students will read selections from Homer’s Odyssey and Iliad, with emphasis on the Homeric dialect, meter, and the oral tradition of these epics. Greek 202 prepares students for 300- and 400-level Ancient Greek poetry courses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GRE 311. Plato. 3 Credit Hours.
Reading of Plato’s dialogues and letters with a view to syntax, the acquisition of vocabulary, and Plato’s prose style and philosophical thought.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GRE 321. Euripides. 3 Credit Hours.
Readings in the plays of Euripides, with an emphasis on syntax, vocabulary, dramaturgy, and the social role of tragedy in ancient Athenian culture.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GRE 401. Special Topics in Greek Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address a specific author, topic, or text (appearing as a subtitle) Analogous to REL 404-409 courses. [This will vary each time the course is offered]
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GRE 402. Special Topics in Greek Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address a specific author, topic, or text (appearing as a subtitle) Analogous to REL 404-409 courses. [this will vary each time the course is offered]
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GRE 403. Special Topics in Greek Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address a specific author, topic, or text (appearing as a subtitle) Analogous to REL 404-409 courses. [this will vary each time the course is offered]
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GRE 404. Special Projects in Ancient Greek Literature and Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address a specific project in Classics (appearing as a subtitle) Analogous to REL 407-409 [this will vary each time the course is offered]
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GRE 405. Special Projects in Ancient Greek Literature and Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address a specific project in Classics (appearing as a subtitle). Analogous to REL 407-409.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
**GRE 406. Special Projects in Ancient Greek Literature and Culture. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course will address a specific project in Classics (appearing as a subtitle). Analogous to REL 407-409.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**GRE 408. Supervised Reading in Classical Greek. 3 Credit Hours.**
Variable subject matter determined by instructor and student. Analogous to REL 401-403.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**GRE 409. Supervised Reading in Classical Greek. 3 Credit Hours.**
Variable subject matter determined by instructor and student. Analogous to REL 401-403.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**GRE 411. Homer. 3 Credit Hours.**
Readings from the Iliad and/or Odyssey.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Spring.

**GRE 421. Greek Orators. 3 Credit Hours.**
Readings from Lysias and Demosthenes.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall.

**GRE 422. Aristophanes. 3 Credit Hours.**
Readings from Aristophanes' plays in the original Ancient Greek.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**GRE 431. Herodotus. 3 Credit Hours.**
Readings in ancient Greek from Herodotus, the "father of history."

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall.

**GRE 491. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.**
Content to be determined by faculty member and registering student(s).

**Components:** THI.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**LAT 101. Elementary Latin I. 3 Credit Hours.**
Elementary vocabulary, grammar and reading.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**LAT 102. Elementary Latin II. 3 Credit Hours.**
Continuation of LAT 101.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**LAT 103. Intensive Elementary Latin. 3 Credit Hours.**
The equivalent of LAT 101, LAT 102, and half of LAT 201 in one semester; students are prepared to enter LAT 201 or 300-/400-level courses depending on their performance in the class. Combined with LAT 625. In addition to the three class hours per week, there is one additional hour (TBA) for drills and tests.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.
LAT 201. Intermediate Latin I. 3 Credit Hours.
Translation and grammatical analysis of selected texts from Latin authors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAT 202. Intermediate Latin II. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to reading Latin poetry. Students will read selections from the Aeneid, with emphasis on Virgil’s language and meter, as well as the ancient epic tradition. Latin 202 prepares students for 300- and 400-level Latin poetry courses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAT 203. Ovid’s Metamorphoses. 3 Credit Hours.
Readings in Latin from Ovid’s Metamorphoses, including Apollo and Daphne, Echo and Narcissus, Midas and more.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAT 301. Catullus. 3 Credit Hours.
An advanced Latin course on the works of the Roman poet Catullus. Students will read almost all of the poems in the Catullan corpus, and be introduced to the related secondary literature, covering topics such as ancient sexuality, invective and obscenity, the figure of the mistress in Latin love poetry, the arrangement of poems within a poetic book, meter, and the textual tradition.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAT 302. Petronius. 3 Credit Hours.
An advance Latin prose reading course on Petronius’ Satyricon, a mysterious and fragmented novel dating from the time of the decadent emperor Nero. Trimalchio’s Dinner-Party, the central section of the work, forms the focus of the course. It is an account if a dinner hosted by a wealthy ex-slave, and can be read as a critique of the excesses of the Neronian age.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAT 311. Cicero: Orations. 3 Credit Hours.
Readings from the speeches of Cicero, with an emphasis on syntax, vocabulary, rhetorical theory and practice, and the historical situation of the speeches.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAT 321. Virgil. 3 Credit Hours.
An advanced reading course in the poems of Virgil.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAT 322. Martial Epigrams. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines selected works of the first-century CE poet Martial, the acknowledged master of the verse epigram, considering his writing both as poetry (within the Greek and Roman traditions) and as social and political commentary.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAT 323. Seneca. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines in Latin select writings of the Roman philosopher and statesman Lucius Annaeus Seneca.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
LAT 401. Special Topics in Latin Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
The course is designed for the study of individual authors or topics in Roman thought, literature, and culture at an advanced level, not normally covered elsewhere in the course directory.
Prerequisite: LAT 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

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Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

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Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

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Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
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Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

LAT 407. Supervised Reading in Classical Latin. 3 Credit Hours.
Variable subject matter determined by instructor and student. Analogous to REL 401-403.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

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Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

LAT 411. Horace. 3 Credit Hours.
Readings in the odes, epodes, satires and epistles of Horace.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAT 421. Roman Epic. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies from Roman epic poetry of Lucretius and Virgil to Lucan and Statius.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
LAT 422. Lucretius. 3 Credit Hours.
Detailed treatment of the Latin philosophical poet Lucretius and his lone surviving poem, De rerum natura.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAT 431. Livy. 3 Credit Hours.
Readings from the Roman historian Livy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAT 432. Suetonius. 3 Credit Hours.
Readings in Latin from Suetonius' "Lives of the Twelve Caesars," a set of gossipy, sometimes racy, always dramatic biographies of Julius Caesar and the first eleven emperors of ancient Rome.
Prerequisite: LAT 201.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

LAT 491. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content to be determined by faculty member and registering student(s).
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

B.A. in Classics

Overview
The undergraduate Major in Classics at UM has four possible tracks. Greek, Latin, Greek and Latin, and Classical Studies. To satisfy the College of Arts and Sciences writing requirement in the discipline, students majoring in Classics should take three courses marked W from the list of GRE, LAT, and CLA courses offered in the catalog.

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Goals
The objectives of the program and of the Bachelor of Arts in Classics have remain the following:

• to train students in the Ancient Greek and/or Latin languages;
• to educate them about the literature, history, archaeology, and philosophy of the ancient Greco-Roman world;
• to hone their skills in written English; and
• to allow them to develop a broad knowledge of the arts of language and the logic and rhetoric of expression.

Like majors in English, History, and Philosophy, majors in Classics go on to a wide variety of graduate and professional programs: medical school, nursing school, other health professions, business school, the arts, museums, and library sciences. Majors in Classics receive superb preparation for law school, become bankers and entrepreneurs, and work for both government and non-government organizations such as charitable institutions and foundations. Our program trains students to enter these fields with strong intellectual values and well-honed skills in expository and analytical language.

Student Learning Outcomes

• Language Competence: To complete the degree in Classics the student must gain the ability to read Classical Latin and/or Greek texts, in the original language(s), at either an intermediate (Track IV) or an advanced (Tracks I-III) level of fluency.
• Cultural and Disciplinary Literacy. To complete the degree in Classics the student shall receive extensive exposure to Classical texts, both in the original language(s) and in English translation. In the process, s/he should also gain a solid grounding in the basics of the field, and a substantial basic awareness of several areas of the academic discipline: archaeology, philosophy, ancient history, and literature.
• Written and Analytical Expression: To complete the degree in Classics the student must demonstrate the ability to read intelligently, to think analytically, and to write critically about Classical literatures and cultures. S/he should also have developed an awareness of how such knowledge pertains to any individual’s metaphysics, epistemology, and ethics—in other words, how Classics pertains to living richly and as a productive member of society. (It should be noted that the Department of Classics has been collecting data for this learning outcome, now required under the new Advanced Writing and Communication Requirement of the College of Arts and Sciences, since Fall 2011).

Minor in Classics

Curriculum Requirements

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* Courses that qualify for the minor in Classics are taught each semester.

** A grade of C-minus or better is required in each course taken for the minor, as well as an overall GPA of 2.0 or higher.
Computer Science

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Dept Code: CSC

Introduction
The Department of Computer Science offers undergraduate and graduate education in Computer Science, and performs research in various areas of Computer Science. Faculty research interests include algorithm engineering, applied cryptography & cybersecurity, automated reasoning, bioinformatics, computational complexity, computational geometry & computer graphics, computational neuroscience, data mining & data science, machine learning & neural networks, music information retrieval, robotics, scientific computing, semantic web, and sensors & wireless systems.

Educational Objectives
The Department of Computer Science educates students in the science of software development: the analysis of domain problems, the development of algorithms and programs, the use of specialist computing techniques, the system-software and hardware platforms, and the production and deployment of efficient and robust computer software. Instruction ranges from introductory programming classes and laboratories, through to faculty research areas.

Degree Programs
The Department of Computer Science offers
- a Bachelor of Science (BS) major (p. 274)
- a Bachelor of Arts (BA) major (p. 270)
- a 5-year Bachelor of Science + Master of Science (BS+MS) (p. 1690)
- a minor (p. 283)

Computer Science as a Second Major
An additional major in Computer Science is available to all students. An additional major in Computer Science requires completion of the requirements of a Computer Science major, either the Additional Major in Computer Science, Fundamentals (p. 270) or the Additional Major in Computer Science, with Tracks (p. 274).

Writing within the Discipline
To satisfy the College of Arts and Sciences writing requirement in the discipline, students whose first major is Computer Science must take at least one of the following courses for a writing credit: CSC 405, CSC 410, CSC 431, ENG 233.

Departmental Honors
In addition to the University’s requirements for Departmental Honors, Departmental Honors in Computer Science requires completing a major and 6 additional approved credit hours (all CSC 4XX and CSC 5XX courses are approved). The major or additional credit hours must include at least 3 credit hours from CSC 410 and/or CSC 411.

Notes
- A grade of C- or better in all CSC courses is required in a major or minor.
- An overall GPA of 2.5 or better in all CSC courses is required in a major or minor. This GPA is computed using only courses from this department. If a course is repeated only the highest grade for the course is used.
- For a Computer Science major, at least 15 credit hours of CSC courses must be completed at the University of Miami.
- For a Computer Science minor, at least 9 credit hours of CSC courses must be completed at the University of Miami.

CSC 100. Data Science for the World. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the concepts of data science. Basic data analysis skills. The programming language R
Prerequisite: MTH 108.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 110. Social and Ethical Issues in Computing. 3 Credit Hours.
History, social context and methods and tools of analysis. Professional and ethical responsibilities. Intellectual property. Privacy and civil liberties.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
CSC 115. Introduction to Python for Arts & Humanities. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MTH 108 or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 116. Cybersecurity: An Introduction to Security in Cyberspace. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

CSC 118. Information Technology and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
A variety of topics on information technology and society through various course activities including research papers, experiments, and by reading articles. The topics covered include but are not limited to: history of computing, hardware mechanisms, algorithms design, software development principles, software tools, security, and artificial intelligence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

CSC 119. Computers and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CSC 120. Computer Programming I. 4 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CSC 198. Freshman Topics in Computer Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 210. Computing for Scientists. 3 Credit Hours.
Computing applications in science. Tools and algorithms for applications. Implementation of algorithms. Storage, retrieval analysis and visualization of data in science. Prerequisite: MTH 141 or MTH 151 or MTH 161 or MTH 171.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CSC 220. Computer Programming II. 4 Credit Hours.
Common APIs including list, priority queue, set, and map, and their efficient implementations in an object-oriented language using fundamental data structures. Sorting and other applications of recursion. Combining asymptotic analysis and experiments to extrapolate running times. Using APIs in a software project. Prerequisites: CSC 120 or BTE 324 or ECE 218 and MTH 108 or MTH 140 or MTH 141 or MTH 161 or MTH 162 or MTH 171 or MTH 172 or MAS 110.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CSC 298. Sophomore Topics in Computer Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Sophomore Topics in Computer Science - Content varies by semester. Requisite: At Least 6 credits of CSC courses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
CSC 314. Computer Organization and Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
Digital logic and digital systems. Machine level representation of data. Assembly level machine organization. Memory system organization and architecture. Interfacing and communication. Functional organization. Multiprocessing and alternative architectures
Prerequisite: CSC 220. or BTE 324. or ECE 218. and Corequisite: MTH 309.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CSC 315. Introduction to Python for Scientists. 3 Credit Hours.
Python programming. Python packages for scientific applications. Data science and machine learning applications. Designed for students from the sciences.
Prerequisite: MTH 161 and MTH 224.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 317. Data Structures and Algorithm Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 220 or ECE 318 and MTH 309.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CSC 322. System Programming. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 220 or ECE 318.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CSC 329. Introduction to Game Programming. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamental programming issues in game design: Software design; Version control; Basic graphics; GUI programming. Large-scale game project: Team development of a functional game; Graphics and GUI component; Networking component; Core game engine.
Prerequisite: CSC 220 or ECE 318.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CSC 330. Android Programming. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 220.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 398. Junior Topics in Computer Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Junior Topics in Computer Science - Content varies by semester. Requisite: At Least 9 credits of CSC courses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 401. Computer Science Practicum I. 1 Credit Hour.
Implementation of techniques, algorithms, and data structures being taught in a co-requisite computer science course.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 402. Computer Science Practicum II. 1 Credit Hour.
Implementation of techniques, algorithms, and data structures being taught in a co-requisite computer science course.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
CSC 403. Computer Science Practicum III. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Implementation of techniques, algorithms, and data structures being taught in a co-requisite computer science course.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 405. Computer Science Seminars. 1 Credit Hour.
A range of topics in Computer Science, as embodied in the seminars hosted by the Department.
Requisite: At least 12 credits of CSC courses.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 410. Computer Science Project Planning. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Planning for the implementation of a Computer Science project, including: Problem analysis, System architecture design, Algorithm and data structure selection, User interface design, Verification and validation plan, and Prototyping.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 411. Computer Science Project Implementation. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Implementation of a Computer Science project, including: Hardware preparation, Component implementation, System integration, Verification and validation, and Documentation.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 412. Computer Science Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
A commercial computing environment. Normally 50 internship hours are required per credit earned (the host company must supply documentary evidence of hours worked).
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 419. Programming Languages. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 317 or CSC 517.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 421. Principles of Computer Operating Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 314 and CSC 322.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CSC 423. Database Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 322 or ECE 322.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 424. Computer Networks. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 314 and CSC 322.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
CSC 427. Theory of Computing. 3 Credit Hours.
Sets, relations, and languages. Automata theory. Basic computability theory. Turing machines. The complexity classes P and NP.
Prerequisite: CSC 220 or ECE 318 and MTH 309.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CSC 431. Introduction to Software Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 317 or CSC 322 or CSC 517.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CSC 481. Teaching Assistant Training in Computer Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Training and teaching assistant for a specific course, in computer laboratories. May be taken multiple times, assisting maximally twice for a given course.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CSC 498. Senior Topics in Computer Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Senior Topics in Computer Science - content varies by semester.
Requisite: At least 12 credits of CSC courses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 506. Logic. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MTH 230 or PHI 210 or PHI 510.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 507. Data Security and Cryptography. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 317 or CSC 427.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CSC 516. Cybersecurity. 3 Credit Hours.
Firewalls. Intrusion detection and prevention systems. Security for cloud computing and the Internet of Things. Design and implementation of secure software systems.
Prerequisite: CSC 317 And MTH 224 And MTH 309.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 518. Interpreters and Compiler Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 419.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
CSC 528. Introduction to Parallel Computing. 3 Credit Hours.
Parallel computing systems: shared-memory parallel programming, with open MP; distributed-memory parallel programming, software with open MPI software package. Applications: vector and matrix operations, sorting, image processing.
Prerequisite: CSC 317.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 529. Introduction to Computer Graphics. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 220 or ECE 318 and MTH 210.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 540. Algorithm Design and Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Design techniques include divide-and-conquer, greedy method, dynamic programming, backtracking. Time and space complexity. Sorting, searching, combinatorial and graph algorithms.
Prerequisite: CSC 317.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 545. Introduction to Artificial Intelligence. 3 Credit Hours.
Game theory. AI programming.
Prerequisite: CSC 317 or ECE 318 and MTH 224 or ECE 310 or IEN 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 546. Introduction to Machine Learning with Applications. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MTH 210 and MTH 224.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

CSC 547. Computational Geometry. 3 Credit Hours.
Algorithms for solving geometric problems arising from application domains including graphics, robotics, and GIS.
Prerequisite: CSC 317.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 548. Bioinformatics Algorithms. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 120 or CSC 210 and BIL 150 or BIL 104 or BIL 352 or BIL 552 or CSC 552.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CSC 549. Biomedical Data Science. 3 Credit Hours.
The computational skills needed for analysis of genomic and biomedical data sets, including: The basics of a command line interface; programming in (bio-)python; running programs on Pegasus2; writing scripts for downloading, manipulating, and analyzing data; file sharing and version control using github; analyzing a Next Generation Sequencing data set, and interpreting the results; and responsible conduct of Research.
Prerequisite: CSC 120 and BIL 150.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
CSC 550. Computational Neuroscience. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MTH 162 and MTH 224.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 552. Bioinformatics Tools. 3 Credit Hours.
Databases and tools of bioinformatics, as relevant to research in genomics and molecular biology. Bioinformatics applications. Information retrieval, analytical tools, BLAST searches, promoter analysis, and protein structure-function analysis, and various applications.
Prerequisite: BIL 250 or BIL 150.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CSC 555. Multimedia Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 317.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 595. Topics in Computer Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics in Computer Science - content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 596. Topics in Computer Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics in Computer Science - content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 597. Topics in Computer Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics in Computer Science - content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
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Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 598. Topics in Computer Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics in Computer Science - content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 599. Topics in Computer Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics in Computer Science - content varies by semester.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

B.A. in Computer Science
Overview
The major in Computer Science for BA students consists of a core of 17 credits of Computer Science courses, 7 credits of Mathematics courses, and 9 credits of elective Computer Science courses or approved courses from another department.
## Curriculum Requirements for B.A. in Computer Science
and for Additional Major in Computer Science Fundamentals

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**Additional Requirements for the B.A.**  
ENG 105  English Composition I  
ENG 106  English Composition II  
Language Requirement  
Natural Sciences Course  
Arts and Humanities Cognate  
People and Society Cognate  
Minor Requirement (must be non-STEM)  
Electives  
Total Credit Hours  

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1. CSC40X - Computer Science Practicum courses must be taken at the same time as their host courses.  
2. Maximally 6 credits from CSC481 - Undergraduate Teaching Assistant in Computer Science.  
3. CSC 115, BTE 120, BTE 320, or ECE 118 must be taken before CSC 120 in order to count towards the major.  
4. ECE 481 and 482 may also be used to replace any requirement for CSC410 or CSC411.  
5. For the Additional Major in Computer Science, Fundamentals, B.S. students in the College of Arts and Science should use the requirements of the B.S. in place of the additional requirements listed here.  Students not in the College of Arts and Sciences should use the requirements of their school or college's degree.

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## Mission
The Department’s mission is to educate and perform scholarly activities in the discipline of Computer Science, in order to meet national and international demand for trained computer scientists who are capable of building the robust computation structures upon which society is becoming increasingly dependent.

## Goals
Students will acquire understanding and capability for the structure and developmental processes of software systems, from the translation of domain problems to forms amenable to software solution, through the production of efficient and robust computer programs, to the supporting systems and hardware components.

Students will acquire these abilities through a combination of classroom instruction, laboratory work, independent project work, and group project work.
Graduates will be prepared to work in industries that are directly involved in the development of fundamental computing resources (e.g., Microsoft, Apple, IBM, Intel, etc.), and in industries that rely on computation in support of their core businesses (e.g., banking, transport, manufacturing, medical, etc.).

Faculty and students will engage in activities that support and achieve the development of new techniques and software that can contribute to the science, and where appropriate contribute to the teaching objectives. Examples of such activities include academic research, development of novel techniques and software products, consulting and internship activities in local industries, and maintaining awareness of cutting edge approaches to Computer Science.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Students must be able to translate domain problems to forms amenable to software solution.
- Students must be able to produce efficient and robust computer programs.
- Students must be able to build and deploy a completed, integrated, and documented (Advanced Writing and Communication Skills) software solution to a domain problem.
- Students must have understanding and competence in the mathematical foundations of Computer Science.

**B.S. in Computer Science**

**Overview**

The major in Computer Science for BS students consists of a core of 23 credits of Computer Science courses, 17 credits of Mathematics courses (which may apply towards a mathematics minor), 17 credits from a chosen track, and 12-14 credits of required science and ethics courses.

Curriculum Requirements for B.S. in Computer Science and for Additional Major in Computer Science with Tracks

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1. These mathematics courses can also fulfill the requirements for a Minor in Mathematics (see here for details).
2. Available to all students.
3. The Comprehensive Track provides coverage of the topics in Computer Science prescribed by the Association of Computing Machinery curriculum and the ABET Computing Accreditation Commission.
4. Requires permission of the Director of Undergraduate Studies.
5. In addition to the generally approved electives, CIM 423, CIM 433, MMI 504, and MMI 505 are approved for the Graphics and Games track.
6. This course may also be applied towards the Science requirement.
7. In addition to the generally approved electives, JMM 429 is approved for the Data Science track.
8. CSC 40X - Computer Science Practicum must be taken at the same time as host course.
9. Maximally 6 credit hours from CSC 481 - Computer Science Teaching Assistant.
10. ECE 481 and ECE 482 may be used to replace any requirement for CSC 410 and CSC411.
11. For the Additional Major in Computer Science, with Tracks, students not in the College of Arts and Sciences should use the requirements of their school or college's degree in place of the additional requirements listed here.
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**Mission**

The Department’s mission is to educate and perform scholarly activities in the discipline of Computer Science, in order to meet national and international demand for trained computer scientists who are capable of building the robust computation structures upon which society is becoming increasingly dependent.

**Goals**

Students will acquire understanding and capability for the structure and developmental processes of software systems, from the translation of domain problems to forms amenable to software solution, through the production of efficient and robust computer programs, to the supporting systems and hardware components.
Students will acquire these abilities through a combination of classroom instruction, laboratory work, independent project work, and group project work.

Graduates will be prepared to work in industries that are directly involved in the development of fundamental computing resources (e.g., Microsoft, Apple, IBM, Intel, etc.), and in industries that rely on computation in support of their core businesses (e.g., banking, transport, manufacturing, medical, etc.).

Faculty and students will engage in activities that support and achieve the development of new techniques and software that can contribute to the science, and where appropriate contribute to the teaching objectives. Examples of such activities include academic research, development of novel techniques and software products, consulting and internship activities in local industries, and maintaining awareness of cutting edge approaches to Computer Science.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Students must be able to translate domain problems to forms amenable to software solution.
- Students must be able to produce efficient and robust computer programs.
- Students must be able to build and deploy a completed, integrated, and documented (Advanced Writing and Communication Skills) software solution to a domain problem.
- Students must have understanding and competence in the mathematical foundations of Computer Science.

**B.S. + M.S. in Computer Science - Five Year**

The 5-year Bachelor of Science + Master of Science program in Computer Science provides research training for students who wish to work in a computing research lab, or possibly continue to PhD studies.

Students enter the "MS-phase" of the program when they have met the following requirements:

- They have achieved senior status, i.e., earned 89 credit hours towards their Bachelor of Science in Computer Science.
- Within the requirements for a Bachelor of Science in Computer Science, they have completed the prerequisites for entry into the regular Master of Science program, i.e.:
  
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- They have completed 3 credit hours of CSC 410 and/or CSC 411 in a research-oriented project.
- They have an overall GPA of at least 3.0.
- They have a GPA of at least 3.3 in the CSC courses taken towards their BS in Computer Science.
- They have advised the Director of Graduate Studies of their eligibility for the MS-phase.

Students in the MS-phase must complete 3 further credit hours of CSC 410 and/or CSC 411 in a research-oriented project, as part of their Bachelor of Science in Computer Science (this project will normally be the starting point for the Master of Science research). Students in the MS-phase may take up to 12 credits of courses, including 600 level courses, that count towards completing the requirements for the Master of Science in Computer Science. When students have completed the requirements for a Bachelor of Science in Computer Science they will be awarded that degree, and when they have completed the requirements for the Master of Science in Computer Science they will be awarded that degree.

Incoming students can be admitted to the program if their mathematics placement is MTH 108 or higher. Existing Bachelor of Science in Computer Science students can switch into the program when they have met the requirements for entering the MS-phase of the program. Students can be removed from the program if they have not met the prerequisites for admission to the MS-phase by the time they have achieved senior status. If a student is removed or decides to withdraw from the program, any 600 level courses taken may be used to fulfill the requirements for a Bachelor of Science in Computer Science.
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¹ MTH 161 and MTH 162 are required.
² Tracks listed in this section are minimum requirements.
³ Courses from tracks other than the comprehensive track and/or the computational science track must be selected to total 17 credit hours.
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### Science & Ethics Requirement
An approved two semester sequence of courses with laboratory in Biology, Chemistry, Physics, or Geological Sciences

### Approved Electives
Any CSC 2XX, CSC 3XX, CSC 4XX, CSC 5XX

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### Total Credit Hours

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1. These mathematics courses can also fulfill the requirements for a Minor in Mathematics (see here ([http://bulletin.miami.edu/undergraduate-academic-programs/arts-sciences/mathematics/mathematics-minor/](http://bulletin.miami.edu/undergraduate-academic-programs/arts-sciences/mathematics/mathematics-minor/)) for details).
2. Available to all students.
3. The Comprehensive Track provides coverage of the topics in Computer Science prescribed by the Association of Computing Machinery curriculum and the ABET Computing Accreditation Commission.
4. Requires permission of the Director of Undergraduate Studies.
5. In addition to the generally approved electives, CIM 423, CIM 433, MMI 504, and MMI 505 are approved for the Graphics and Games track.
6. This course may also be applied towards the Science requirement.
7. CSC 40X - Computer Science Practicum must be taken at the same time as host course.
8. Maximally 6 credit hours from CSC 481 - Computer Science Teaching Assistant.
9. ECE 481 and ECE 482 may be used to replace any requirement for CSC 410 and CSC 411.
10. For the Additional Major in Computer Science, with Tracks, students not in the College of Arts and Sciences should use the requirements of their school or college’s degree in place of the additional requirements listed here.
M.S. Curriculum Requirements

Students must complete the Graduate School requirements, and the Departmental requirements described here.

Select either the Thesis Option or the Coursework Option ¹

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¹ For both options, at least 18 credit hours must be from CSC 6XX and CSC 7XX courses, and may not include more than 6 credit hours from CSC 670.

Each program must include both theoretical and experimental topics. By graduation students will have knowledge in the areas of Programming Languages, Algorithm Design and Analysis, Theory of Computing, Operating Systems, Computer Networks, and Software Engineering. Each program is approved by the CSGC and the Department Chairman or designate. Programs may be individually tailored to meet varied backgrounds and objectives. It is recognized that there are individuals with undergraduate degrees in other fields wishing to pursue graduate work in Computer Science, and individuals with work experience in the field wishing to advance their formal training in Computer Science.

All Computer Science graduate TAs and RAs must complete Responsible Conduct of Research (RCR) training during their first semester in the department. All other Computer Science graduate students must complete RCR training before starting research work. Information about RCR training can be found from UM ethics programs: http://www.miami.edu/index.php/ethics/projects/rcr/ (https://ethics.miami.edu/disciplines/research-ethics/responsible-conduct-of-research/).

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Minor in Computer Science

Overview

The minor in Computer Science requires 8 credits of core Computer Science courses, one 3 credit Computer Science elective at the 300 level, and 6 credits of elective Computer Science course at the 200 level or above or approved courses from other departments.

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Criminology

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Overview
The major in Criminology provides a comprehensive understanding of crime and the criminal justice system. The major prepares students to assume roles of leadership in this critical area of modern society. Courses are designed to review theory, research, and applications of knowledge regarding delinquency and crime, as well as to understand the manner in which offenders are processed. Students learn about the nature and extent of crime, different types of crime and theories to explain crime. In addition, detailed analyses are made of the functions of the law, police, courts, and correctional systems and the ways in which these are linked to broader aspects of society. Students may also minor in Criminology. The Criminology major and minor are administered through the Department of Sociology.

Educational Objectives
The undergraduate program in Criminology has as its main objectives are to provide students with:

1. A strong component of a social science education, training in analytical and statistical skills that are highly valued by potential employers.
2. A valuable undergraduate preparation for pursuing careers in such fields as law in society, in the local and state criminal justice systems (e.g., juvenile probation officer, pretrial services officer, crime analyst for criminal justice agencies), or in federal agencies (e.g., DEA).
3. An excellent and comprehensive training program for students wishing to pursue graduate study in criminology, law school, criminal justice, sociology, or other social and behavioral sciences.

Degree Programs
Students may earn a Bachelor of Arts degree in Criminology. The Department of Sociology also offers graduate programs leading to a PhD. degree in the areas of:

- Criminology
- Medical Sociology
- Race, Ethnic Relations, and Immigration

Departmental Honors
Graduation with Departmental Honors is available to eligible students who fulfill the following:

1. Students desiring Departmental Honors in Criminology must maintain an overall GPA of 3.3 and a GPA of 3.5 in Criminology. They must also achieve a minimum of B in all Criminology courses. For transfer students, the Department uses the cumulative, combined GPA calculated by the Office of the Registrar.

2. A student seeking Departmental Honors is required to write an independent research paper which is submitted to the Undergraduate Committee in the Department of Sociology. The nature of the independent research project is determined by the faculty member(s) with whom the student works. This project is done in SOC 498 & SOC 499. The student should have the same professor for all six credit hours.
3. Eligible students meeting requirements will need to complete the honors thesis agreement with their supervising faculty member and submit it to the Director of Undergraduate Studies in time for spring registration of their junior year.

Advanced Writing and Communication Requirements

To satisfy the College of Arts and Sciences Advanced Writing and Communication requirement, all Criminology majors must take 4 writing-designated courses, including 1 writing-designated course in the SOC area. Writing courses are regularly offered by the department; however, it is the student’s responsibility to plan accordingly to incorporate a designated SOC writing-designated course into their graduation plans.

Alpha Phi Sigma

Majors, minors, and other students who meet certain academic criteria are eligible for membership in Alpha Phi Sigma, the National Criminal Justice Honor Society. Alpha Phi Sigma sponsors events that enhance the academic and social life of the department.

Note: SOC 101 is a prerequisite for all Sociology courses and for all Sociology & Criminology majors and minors.

SOC 101. Introduction to Sociology. 3 Credit Hours.
The scientific study of society and several sociological concepts, including, but not limited to: social theory, social research, social economy, social interaction, social class, social construction, gender stratification, race and ethnicity, family, and deviance. This course will help students to examine the social world around them using the sociological imagination. Students will learn how to connect research to concepts, deepening their understanding of the social world and social phenomena and develop critical thinking skills.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SOC 103. Social Problems. 3 Credit Hours.
Sociological theories and methods will be used to interpret data, evaluate social policies, and analyze the manner in which ideologies perceive and frame problems. This course will develop critical thinking skills necessary to assess social problems, as well as the ability to recognize, exercise, and develop one’s agency to address these issues.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 210. Introduction to Social Research. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides students with an overview of the social science research process and introduces them to the various methodological strategies used by social scientists. The various steps by which research is conducted will be examined such as study design and implementation, data collection and interpretation of findings. Students will also be able to critique the strengths and limitations of difference research methodologies.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SOC 211. Quantitative Methods for Sociologists. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to introduce students to descriptive and inferential statistics used in sociology, criminology, and other social sciences. We will cover measures of central tendency and variation, probability distributions, hypothesis testing, and bivariate techniques such as correlation and an introduction to regression.
Prerequisite: SOC 101, 210. Corequisite: 212.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SOC 212. Quantitative Methods Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
Statistical lab associated with SOC 211 introduces the use of computer statistical packages for analyzing quantitative data.
Prerequisite: SOC 101 and SOC 210 And Corequisite: SOC 211 or PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
SOC 270. Deviant Behavior. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the study of deviant behaviors. We will examine the ways in which deviance is constructed and defined. Major sociological perspectives and theories will be applied in order to understand how they aid in the formation and development of social deviance. In addition, various forms of deviant behaviors will be discussed, including: drug use, sexual deviance, violence, suicide, LGBT issues, inequality and crime. The role of social control will also be examined in terms of how it impacts the way in which deviance is understood in society.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 271. Criminal Justice. 3 Credit Hours.
Provide students with both an introduction to the basics of the criminal justice system and a critical approach to contemporary issues in the field. We will focus on the nature of crime and how it is measured; issues in policing and law enforcement; the judicial system and legal process; sentencing; corrections; and prison life. Throughout the course we will focus on current controversies and debates, including such issues as the war on drugs, racism in the criminal justice system, violent crime rates, and incarceration rates.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 291. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Content will vary by semester.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

SOC 292. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to address a specific topic which will vary by semester.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 293. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to address a specific topic which will vary by semester.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 301. Social Organization. 3 Credit Hours.
The focus of this course is formal organizations, with an emphasis on the workplace. The topics that are discussed include theories of work, organizational paradigms, bureaucracy, impact of technology, unionization, and the new workplace. The fundamental theme is how organizational style influences productivity.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 302. Social Psychology: Sociological Perspective. 3 Credit Hours.
The influence of human groups, social processes, and social structures on behavior and self, with some attention devoted to the effect of social interaction on groups, processes, and structures. Topics of study include the development of the self, the process of social interaction, the significance of language, and the social construction of reality.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 303. Social Inequalities. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of the sociological approach to the analysis of structured socioeconomic inequality (a.k.a. "social stratification") in contemporary American society. In this regard, emphases are placed on identifying trends, causes, and consequences of the distribution of a wide range of material (e.g. income, wealth) and symbolic (status, prestige) rewards in American society.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
SOC 304. Dynamics of Poverty in the United States. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines trends in the incidence and causes of major types of poverty among the urban underclass, the homeless, migrant laborers, the working poor. Also explores policy-related solutions.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 305. Globalization and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
Concepts and theories that are currently in use to understand globalization both as a process and as a structure: social aspects and narratives of globalization, and theoretical sociological models as scaffolding for understanding many of the disparate characteristics of globalization. Globalization as it spans disciplinary division and its understanding: the emergence of novel economic forms and practices as a pivotal driving force for globalization. Human migrations and their consequences on cultural identity and diffusion, and the role of the technology in the creation and consolidation the global world. New and complex structures of socioeconomic inequality at national and at transnational levels, the disproportionately important roles that women play in these new structures of inequality, and the social forces and movements that have emerged to resist globalization or to alter it in important ways.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

SOC 306. Wealth and Poverty in Contemporary America. 3 Credit Hours.
The causes and consequences of rapidly changing patterns of concentration of socioeconomic resources, such as wealth and income in America. This changing concentration is associated with the proliferation of impoverishment and privilege in America. Analyzes macro-economic changes, demographic shifts, technological advances, and evolving ideological postures as sources of these trends.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

SOC 320. Social Epidemiology. Illness and Death in Society. 3 Credit Hours.
Social epidemiology and the sociological study of health and longevity. Specifically, this course examines the ways in which key sociological variables structure, shape, or patterns the health and longevity of the US population. This course covers several variables of sociological interest, including socioeconomic status, race/ethnicity, sex/gender, age, family status, and religion.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

SOC 321. Applied Health Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
The role of public and private institutions in health promotion, health care delivery, and health insurance. We will explore the theoretical and practical reasons for intervention in health-related decisions and health care markets, the related empirical evidence, and the effects of these interventions on health outcomes and social welfare. Students will understand how and why government and society in general attempts to influence health-related behaviors and health insurance markets, and the resulting effects on individuals’ choices, expenditures, health outcomes, and overall quality of life.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

SOC 332. Collective Behavior. 3 Credit Hours.
Classical theories, issues, and research on fads, fashions, riots, crowd behavior, social movements and other forms of collective behavior.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 335. LGBTQ Communities. 3 Credit Hours.
Gender, race, age and class differences in the experiences of gays and lesbians. A life-span perspective guides the course after the presentation of some background of biological, psychological, and sociological theories pertaining to homosexuality.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
SOC 340. Sociology of Religion. 3 Credit Hours.
Social foundations of religion, growth and change within religious institutions and relationships of religion to other institutions.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 341. Social and Cultural Change. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey of major theories of change; analysis of the processes and mechanisms of change. Contemporary transitions in the underdeveloped regions of the world.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 342. Contemporary Latin American Societies. 3 Credit Hours.
Social characteristics of Latin American societies and their comparison with North American society.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 345. Population and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
Demographic analysis of fertility, mortality, sex-age structure, migration, urbanization and population control.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 349. Sociology of the Family. 3 Credit Hours.
A critical investigation of the family while applying sociological theories, perspectives, and concepts, based on current research in the field. As the family is an important institution in social life, and one in which we all have experienced in some way, we will see that there is not "one" particular way of experiencing this institution. The various definitions and versions of the family will be addressed historically, with an emphasis on how they are shaped by public perception. In addition, more recent trends in family life will be addressed, including cohabitation, marriage, divorce, parenthood, family policy, family structure, and marginalized family types.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 350. Business and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
The influence of business objectives, values, and ethics on American culture, moral standards, and societal institutions. A careful analysis of the choices made by individuals, companies, and governments will demonstrate that sensible "choice architecture" can successfully nudge people toward better decisions without restricting their freedom of choice. Specific topics include: corporate social responsibility; ethical issues in business; business and government in a global society; business and public policy; the corporation and the natural environment; business and technological change; and business relationships with consumers and employees.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 352. Sport and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
The status position and role of sport in society. Our primary focus will be upon delineating and analyzing sport as a major social institution in American society. Thus our perspective will be that of the sociologist (i.e., critical more in analysis than in judgement) rather than that of a sports journalist or a sports fan. We shall examine both amateur and professional sports in terms of their interlocking relationships with each other and with other major social institutions (e.g., education, economics, and politics) as well as their significance for promoting and maintaining cultural values such as competition, fair play, teamwork, gender roles, and the like. The objective is to provide students with critical assessment and analytical skills for examining and understanding the impact of sports on both individuals and society.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
SOC 359. The Sociology of Human Sexuality. 3 Credit Hours.
A socio-historical survey of sexual ideologies, attitudes and behavior in human societies, with emphasis on social and biological factors.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 365. Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
Exposure to and insight into the operations of community non-profit or government based social service agencies. The course involves prearranged study and supervised work in a variety of organizations and institutions, affording students the opportunity to use their sociological imagination while providing a "hands-on" sociological experience in the local community.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SOC 368. Violence in America. 3 Credit Hours.
Issues relevant to the study of violence in the United States will be covered. While the emphasis throughout will be on street violence (i.e., homicide, robbery, rape, and aggravated assault), other forms (e.g., corporate violence, intimate partner violence) will also be covered. In particular, we will: Examine violence in historical, international, and situational contexts, examine the major explanations of violence, and examine the factors associated with violent crime. We will also consider how we seek to control violence in the U.S.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 369. Crime and Public Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
The dimensions and causes of the crime problem in America, and the uses and limits of the criminal justice system in dealing with it. We will examine the enormous expansion of the American prison system in recent years, and ask how much it has affected the crime rate. Additionally, we will consider a variety of possible strategies for preventing or controlling so-called "street" crime, both within the criminal justice system and beyond it-including prevention and rehabilitation programs as well as expanding social and economic opportunities. Along the way, we will pay particular attention to several controversial issues, including the death penalty, drugs, and gun control.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Spring.

SOC 370. Juvenile Delinquency. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of sociological perspectives and concepts to examine juvenile delinquency and the juvenile justice system. The course takes into account the various social factors that shape juvenile delinquency and its control, such as race, ethnicity, socioeconomic status, gender, and sexuality. In addition, students will take a critical view of the policies developed to control such behavior.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SOC 371. Criminology. 3 Credit Hours.
The concepts of crime and criminal law, reviews several theoretical approaches to studying crime and criminal behavior, and focuses on several types of crime. In particular, it includes such topics as definitions of crime, sources of crime statistics, correlates and causes of crime, terrorism, genocide, corporate crime, and cybercrime.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SOC 372. Criminology: Police and Community. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of policing in U.S. society. Interaction with groups and institutions. The overall objective of this course is to provide students with an understanding of the role of the police in American society. The source will focus on the sociological study of policing, not professional training to become a police officer. Students will gain a better understanding of the history of the police, their role in American society and in the American system of criminal justice. In addition, students will discuss and critique important issues and trends in modern policing.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.
SOC 373. Criminology: Courts and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
The importance of the criminal courts and the impact that the criminal courts have on society. You will gain a realistic sense of what it is like to work in and be a part of the criminal justice system. The roles and responsibilities of the major courthouse players will be discussed. You will discover the challenging situations that judges must navigate as well as the difficulties that confront prosecutors and defense attorneys as they deal with victims, defendants and crushing caseloads.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 374. Criminology: Corrections. 3 Credit Hours.
Corrections in the U.S. society; philosophies of rehabilitation, punishment, and incapacitation.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 375. Sociology of Mental Health and Illness. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to sociological theories and research regarding the definition, experience, and treatment of mental illness.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 377. Sociology of Drug Abuse. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of sociological perspectives and concepts to examine drug use and abuse. The course examines the historical and theoretical understanding of the social causes and consequences of drug use, as well as the correlates of use and abuse. The course also takes a critical perspective of the policies developed to reduce the harms associated with drug use and abuse.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 378. Criminology: Law and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
How law, crime, and justice systems in the United States relate to social structure. The course covers two major themes: lawmaking (and how it relates to lawbreaking) and the justice system.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 380. Sociology of Gender. 3 Credit Hours.
The phenomenon of gender in society using sociological theory and research. Topics of focus include the social construction of gender, gender identity, and gender discrimination within various social institutions such as the family, the educational system, the media, the world of employment, and more.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 381. Aging in Society. 3 Credit Hours.
The aging processes, the aged and social institutions; special issues.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 382. The U.S. Jewish Community. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of minority group analysis to the U.S. Jewish community.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
SOC 383. Sociology of Education. 3 Credit Hours.
The examination and analysis of education as a major social institution. As such, this course assesses the structure, processes, and interaction patterns within the educational system. All levels (elementary, secondary, and postsecondary), and types (public and private) of education are considered. The course also examines the impact of education on social stratification, social mobility, and socioeconomic inequality, especially along race, gender, and class lines.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 384. Medical Sociology. 3 Credit Hours.
A brief early history, methods, theory and concepts of social science research on health and health care mainly from the last half of the previous century to the present. We will explore gender, race, class, age, social and cultural differences in the experiences of individuals as they deal with health and illness across the life course. The course will provide students with a sociological analysis of a broad array of health/illness issues and the health services industry.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 385. U.S. Latinos. 3 Credit Hours.
Sociological perspectives are employed in the examination of the historical, social, economic, and cultural experiences of Latino/as in the United States.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 386. U.S. Immigration. 3 Credit Hours.
The major sociological debates in the field of immigration with an emphasis on recent immigrants to the U.S.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 387. Race and Ethnic Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
The nature and dynamics of race and ethnic relations with particular emphasis on racial and ethnic groups in the United States. We examine basic concepts and major theories in the analysis of race and ethnic relations, racial and ethnic inequality, past and recent immigration experiences, and the historical and current status of specific racial and ethnic groups. Students will also be engaged in a variety of exercises designed to develop critical assessment and analytical skills for examining and understanding issues related to race and ethnicity.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SOC 388. The Black Ghetto in Urban Society. 3 Credit Hours.
The origin and development of the concept of “ghetto” and application of this concept to both past and contemporary views of black life in America. Students are introduced to the historical and social significance of the black ghetto in the context of the larger body of literature on the ghetto phenomenon. Emphasis is placed on gaining an understanding and developing critical insight into issues and prospects for the resolution of issues related to black ghettoization.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

SOC 389. The Black Athlete in White America. 3 Credit Hours.
The impact of racism on sport in the United States with a specific focus on the Black athlete. Drawing upon the literature on race and sport in America, the course takes a historical view of the social context in which black athletes have competed and excelled in their craft against tremendous odds both inside and outside of sport competition.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
SOC 390. Directed Studies. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individually supervised readings or research on special topics offered by arrangement with instructor.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 391. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Content will vary by semester.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SOC 401. Sociological Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
The work of theorists such as Comte, Durkheim, Marx, Weber, Parsons, and symbolic interactionists. The epistemology, methodology, and social ontology is each theory is discussed, along with the social context and chief concerns of each theorist.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SOC 410. Social Research Practicum. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Each student will work directly with a designated faculty mentor to obtain general research training, data analysis techniques, and technical writing skills. AB part of the research practicum, students will work in collaboration with their faculty mentor to prepare a journal-length research manuscript and assemble related research materials to gain practical knowledge of the scientific research process. This one-on-one experience will also enhance students' training in sociology and provide them with useful analysis and writing skills when they enter the job market.
Prerequisites: SOC 101 and SOC 210 and SOC 211 and SOC 212.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SOC 470. Theories of Deviant Behavior. 3 Credit Hours.
Various theories of causes of deviance/crime. It begins with an overview of the early classical and positivist foundations of criminological thought and then moves on to discussing more recent extensions of social disorganization, strain, control, social learning, and other contemporary theories of crime. It also covers the role of theory in scientific research, familiarizes with the foundations of current theoretical debates in criminology, and introduces the empirical research on the reviewed theories.
Prerequisite: SOC 101 and SOC 371.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SOC 480. Health Disparities in the U.S.. 3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive examination of U.S. health disparities based on a variety of social variables, including race and ethnicity, gender, socioeconomic status, sexual orientation, and the environment. In doing so, this course will draw on theoretical perspectives from multiple disciplines to examine the relationship between social factors and health outcomes. The most pressing U.S. health disparities will be discussed and put into a historical and global context in order to identify priorities for the elimination of health disparities. After exploding the known and suspected causes of disparities in health outcomes, attention will turn to an overview of the common multi-level strategies used to reduce health disparities. Students will go away with a broad-based understanding of current health disparities issues and the ability to critically examine these issues.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

SOC 487. Race, Ethnicity, and Criminal Justice. 3 Credit Hours.
An in-depth examination of the relationships involving race, ethnicity, immigration, crime, and the criminal justice system. We will consider why these are important issues to study, how and what we know about these relationships, and how we might explain them. We will direct attention to research on defining race and ethnicity, racial and ethnic variations in criminal victimization and offending, population distributions, policing, the court system and sentencing, corrections, and the death penalty. Our approach will primarily be sociological, although where appropriate we will draw from other disciplines (e.g., political science, history, etc.) as well. Prerequisite: Six credits in Sociology.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
SOC 488. Gender and Crime. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of gender, power, and crime, including feminist theories and the criminal justice system.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 490. Directed Studies in Sociology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised independent study on special topics. Arrangement with individual faculty.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SOC 491. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
This upper level course is designed to address a specific topic which will vary by semester.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 492. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
This upper level course is designed to address a specific topic which will vary by semester.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 493. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
This upper level course is designed to address a specific topic which will vary by semester.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 498. Senior Honors Thesis in Sociology or Criminology I. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Independent research project.
Prerequisites: SOC 101 and SOC 210 and SOC 211 and SOC 212.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SOC 499. Senior Honors Thesis in Sociology or Criminology II. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Independent research project.
Prerequisites: SOC 101 and SOC 210 and SOC 211 and SOC 212.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

B.A. in Criminology

Overview
The major in Criminology provides a comprehensive understanding of crime and the criminal justice system. The major prepares students to assume roles of leadership in this critical area of modern society. Courses are designed to review theory, research, and applications of knowledge regarding delinquency and crime, as well as to understand the manner in which offenders are processed. Students learn about the nature and extent of crime, different types of crime and theories to explain crime. In addition, detailed analyses are made of the functions of the law, police, courts, and correctional systems and the ways in which these are linked to broader aspects of society.

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1  GEG 306 can be substituted for SOC 210 and EPS 452 can be substituted for SOC 210 only by students who are also enrolled in the School of Education.
2  PSY 291 or PSY 292 can be substituted for SOC 211 only by students who are Psychology majors or minors and also majoring in Sociology or Criminology.
*  A minimum final grade of C- in all courses offered by the Department
**  A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0 in all courses offered by the Department
***  A minimum of 16 credit hours must be earned in residency in the Department; thus, only a maximum of 15 credit hours can be transferred from other institutions as eligible for the CRIMINOLOGY major

## Suggested Plan of Study

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<td>• A valuable undergraduate preparation for pursuing careers in such fields as law in society, in the local and state criminal justice systems (e.g., juvenile probation officer, pretrial services officer, crime analyst for criminal justice agencies), or in federal agencies (e.g., DEA).</td>
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<td>• An excellent and comprehensive training program for students wishing to pursue graduate study in criminology, law school, criminal justice, sociology, or other social and behavioral sciences.</td>
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Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will demonstrate a thorough understanding of Criminology, and the basic criminological theoretical concepts and knowledge base.
- Students will develop and demonstrate critical thinking skills through the comprehension, analysis and critique of criminological theories.
- Students will demonstrate an ability to understand and critique criminological research methodology. Students will have the ability to design and critique valid research studies and to identify reliable findings from such studies.

Minor in Criminology

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* A minimum final grade of C- in all courses offered by the Department.
** A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0 in all courses offered by the Department.
*** A minimum of 9 credit hours must be earned in residency in the Department; thus, only a maximum of 6 credit hours may be transferred from other institutions as eligible credit hours for the Criminology major.

Economics

Introduction and Educational Objectives

Economics uses the idea of optimizing behavior to provide a unified framework for studying human action. The economics curriculum is designed to give students an understanding of economic theory and its application to a wide range of problems. The program provides excellent preparation for careers in business, government, and international agencies. It is particularly recommended for students planning graduate study or professional training in fields such as law, business, international studies, public administration, and economics.

A student pursuing the Economics major or minor will select one of two possible options: Political Economy (People and Society) or Quantitative Economics (Science, Technology, Mathematics, and Engineering). There is also a minor in Sustainable Business, which is available to all students.

Members of the Department are prepared to counsel students in the selection of courses and in other matters relating to the preparation for careers. Students interested in pursuing the Doctor of Philosophy in Economics (p. 1935) may seek additional information through the Department of Economics.

ECO 211. Principles of Microeconomics. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamental course devoted to the development and application of basic analytical tools and principles required for an understanding of major economic problems and policy alternatives available for their solution. A particular emphasis is devoted to microeconomic analysis. Topics include the study of markets under varying conditions of competition, including market deficiencies such as pollution, prices, and resource allocation distribution of income, including poverty problems, the economics of the firm and the government, and international economic relations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECO 212. Principles of Macroeconomics. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamental course devoted to macroeconomic analysis. Topics include national income and employment analysis, money and banking, economic growth, and comparison of different economic systems, including the problems of developing the less developed world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECO 213. Principles of Economics. 4 Credit Hours.
This course introduces the study of the economic behavior of individuals, firms, and markets; as well as the analysis of the economy as a whole, both in terms of short-run fluctuations (the business cycle) and long-run determinants of economic growth.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ECO 300. Microeconomic Theory and Applications. 3 Credit Hours.
Intermediate level analysis of the role of price in resource allocation in markets of varying degrees of competition. It focuses on the process of
decision-making by individuals and firms, and the welfare consequences. Special attention is devoted to economic applications.
Prerequisite: ECO 211 or ECO 213 and MAS 110, or MTH 130 or MTH 141 or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECO 301. Macroeconomic Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Intermediate level analysis of the measurement, determination, and control of aggregate economic activity.
Prerequisite: ECO 212, MAS 110, or MTH 130 or MTH 141 or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECO 302. Microeconomic Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Intermediate level analysis of the role of price in resource allocation in markets of varying degrees of competition, as well as in the determination of
wages, rent, interest, profits, and public policy.
Prerequisite: ECO 211 or ECO 213 and MTH 141 or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECO 303. Macroeconomic Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Intermediate level analysis of the measurement, determination, and control of aggregate economic activity.
Prerequisite: ECO 212 or ECO 213 and MAS 110 or MTH 130 or MTH 141 or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECO 307. Public Economics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course studies the role of governments in the economy by surveying several topics in public finance and public policy; it is designed to be a link
between the theory and several policy-relevant applications. Students will acquire the microeconomic tools and techniques to identify, analyze, and
solve public policy and political economy problems. Students will also learn to apply the theory to current events such as the policy debates over
social security, health care, education, and tax reform. Selected topics: budget analysis and scoring; correction of externalities and provision of public
goods; public choice theory and government failure; fiscal federalism and redistribution; role of government in education, social security, and health
care; income distribution and welfare programs; optimal taxation and tax inefficiencies; taxes on labor supply, savings, capital gains, and business
income; fundamental tax reform and consumption taxation. This is an elective class addressed to economics majors, minors, and any student with an
interest in the topics.
Prerequisite: ECO 213 or ECO 211 and ECO 212.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECO 311. Labor Economics (I). 3 Credit Hours.
Course surveys the structure and functioning of labor markets. Topics include determinants of labor supply and labor demand, economics of wage
differentials, economic impact of labor unions, discrimination in labor markets, and the labor market effects of various government policies such as
payroll and income taxes, educational subsidies, and minimum wage laws. The central goal of the course is to provide the student with a framework
for analyzing diverse issues related to the labor sector of the economy.
Prerequisite: ECO 300. Or ECO 302.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECO 333. Industrial Economics and Public Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course surveys several topics in industrial economics, regulation, and antitrust; it is designed to be a link between the theory and several
applications. Students will acquire the microeconomic tools and techniques to identify, analyze, and solve industrial economics and government
competition policy problems, and will learn to apply the theory to many real-world markets and current economic events. Selected topics: price
discrimination; product differentiation; advertising; network effects; consumer search and digital markets; auctions; bargaining; vertical restraints and
mergers; collusion and cartels; innovation and intellectual property; natural monopolies and regulation; and antitrust policies. This is an elective class
addressed to economics majors, minors, and any student with an interest in the topics.
Requisite: ECO 300 OR ECO 302.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ECO 345. Environmental Economics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course determines the appropriate way to regulate economic activity so as to achieve an optimal balance between competing environmental and economic goals. Economic reasoning is used to evaluate causes and consequences of environmental problems. The course rigorously evaluates various types of environmental regulation, including "cap-and-trade," command and control mandates, and pollution taxes. Other specific topics include public goods, externalities, cost benefit analysis, non-market valuation, and international trade and development and the environment.
Prerequisite: ECO 211 or ECO 213.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 351. Economics of Development. 3 Credit Hours.
This course studies factors underlying economic development, measures of and goals for development, principles applicable to problems of development, the role of markets and planning in development, social, cultural, and political factors affecting economic development, and comparative rates of progress in different countries.
Prerequisite: ECO 213 or ECO 211 and ECO 212.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECO 371. Latin America and the Global Economy. 3 Credit Hours.
An analysis of the historical growth of major Latin American countries, with emphasis on the post World War II period. Topics include industrialization, foreign investment, international trade and regional integration, agrarian reform, inflation, and development strategies and planning within the context of Latin America.
Prerequisite: ECO 213 or ECO 211 and ECO 212.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECO 379. The Political Economy of Growth. 3 Credit Hours.
This course studies the causes of economic growth such as geography, culture, institutions, human and physical capital, as well as technology. It examines the role they play in the development process, casting light in their order of importance for growth and into which growth determinants are amenable to policy change.
Prerequisite: ECO 213 or ECO 211 and ECO 212.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECO 386. Health Economics. 3 Credit Hours.
The course applies the tools of microeconomic analysis to the health care sector. It examines how models of demand and supply apply to the health care sector in general, and in particular to the health insurance, the hospital, the physicians, and the pharmaceutical sectors. By examining the actors and issues in this market, students are able to discuss policy issues from an economic perspective.
Prerequisite: ECO 300. Or ECO 302.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 403. Monetary Economics. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of the role of money in economic affairs. Topics include the determinants of the money supply and interest rates, money and prices, money and stability, and growth. Emphasis is placed on current problems and policies.
Prerequisite: ECO 301 or ECO 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECO 420. Economic Growth. 3 Credit Hours.
Course covers selected topics in economic growth. Topics include stylized facts associated with economic growth, the theoretical study of economic growth, and empirical tests of those theories. Course work is supplemented by case studies of individual countries, particularly developing countries.
Prerequisite: ECO 301 or ECO 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
ECO 430. Applied Econometrics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces basic econometric techniques for analyzing economic data. The goal is to make students sophisticated consumers and skilled producers of empirical analysis, which will be attained by extensive work on a variety of real-world data like students' test scores, CEO wages, mortgage applications, cigarette demand, stock market capitalization, inflation, GDP and interest rates. Learning how to use econometric analysis software is an integral part of the course.
Prerequisite: ECO 211 or ECO 213 and MAS 110, or MTH 130 or MTH 141 or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECO 441. International Trade Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of the principles of comparative advantage and the gains from international trade. Analysis of tariffs, quotas, and protectionism is included.
Prerequisite: ECO 300. Or ECO 302.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECO 442. International Monetary Economics. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of models of the exchange rate, the balance of payments, and monetary policy in an open economy.
Prerequisite: ECO 301 or ECO 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECO 443. Economic Analysis of Energy and Commodity Markets. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the principles of energy economics, commodity markets and advanced macroeconomics. It discusses the main trends in energy production and consumption, the methods of analysis in energy and commodity markets, and the main challenges in the energy sector. The analysis of oil prices and the economics of oil exporting countries is emphasized.
Prerequisite: ECO 213 or ECO 211 and ECO 212.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 444. Game Theory in Economic Applications.. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an introduction to the techniques and questions of modern microeconomics. The course will expose you to the techniques of game theory, the workhorse of modern microeconomics, and will apply those techniques to the analysis of a variety of economics situations and institutions.
Prerequisite: MAS110 or MTH 130 or MTH 141 or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECO 445. Global Economics: Trade and Currencies. 3 Credit Hours.
In this course, students are exposed to two fundamental topics which are primordial to the understanding of any economic, political and/or social circumstance in any given country at any given time: (1) The evolution and meaning of the business cycle and capitalism, and (2) The effect of international trade and currencies. These two themes have sparked debates for centuries as they have great implications in the development of countries. Also, this course challenges students' critical thinking and analytical skills with a wide range of controversial readings on these two topics. This course is divided into four sections. The first one introduces students to the idea of the business cycle. The second section aims at explaining how capitalism was born and how it has evolved in the 19th and 20th centuries. Then, the course centers on explaining capitalism today and presents criticisms. And finally, students analyze how the business cycle and capitalism has unfolded and affected certain countries in Latin America.
Prerequisite: ECO 301 or ECO 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECO 460. Industrial Organization. 3 Credit Hours.
This course shows how microeconomic theory can be used to understand the diverse practices encountered in real-world markets between the extreme cases of perfect competition and monopoly. Topics to be covered include strategic pricing behavior, collusion, advertising and information, vertical integration, vertical restraints, regulation and a review of empirical literature.
Prerequisite: ECO 302.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
ECO 496. Directed Studies in Economics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project, or independent investigation of selected non-STEM related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.

Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECO 497. Directed Studies in Economics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project or independent investigation of selected STEM-related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.

Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECO 498. Special Topics in Economics. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected non-STEM areas of Economics.
Prerequisite: ECO 300. Or ECO 302.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECO 499. Special Topics in Economics. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected STEM areas of Economics.
Prerequisite: ECO 302.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECO 510. Mathematical Economics and Applications. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will focus on specific applications of microeconomic theory, which may vary each semester. Topics may include choice under uncertainty, game-theoretic models of insurance markets, principal-agents problems, and basic auction theory. The discussion of each application will be preceded by a discussion of the mathematical tools required. The mathematics topics covered may include basic theory of sets and functions, concave / convex functions and their role in optimization, expectations, conditional probability, Bayes rule, and order statistics.
Prerequisite: ECO 211 or ECO 213 and MAS 110, or MTH 130 or MTH 141 or higher.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 511. Empirical Labor Economics. 3 Credit Hours.
A theoretical and empirical analysis of how labor markets operate. A survey of the literature, problems, and methodology of modern labor economics. Human capital analysis, the wage structure, job search and job-matching models, time-allocation models, the economic impact of labor unions, labor market discrimination, the determinants of labor demand and supply, and the factors affecting government policy relating to the labor sector is also included.
ECO 430.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECO 512. Topics in Mathematical Economics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course shows how modern economic techniques can be used to identify optimal managerial decisions and industrial developments. Diverse real-world economic applications are examined.
Prerequisite: ECO 211 or ECO 213 and MAS 110, or MTH 130 or MTH 141 or higher.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECO 520. Econometrics. 3 Credit Hours.
Statistical methods of estimating and testing mathematical model of economic relationships.
Prerequisite: ECO 211 or ECO 213 and MAS 110, or MTH 130 or MTH 141 or higher.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ECO 521. Advanced Macroeconomic Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
The primary objective of this course is to introduce the student to the mathematical presentation of the major Classical, Neo-classical, Keynesian, and Neo-Keynesian macroeconomic models.
Prerequisite: ECO 301 or ECO 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECO 532. History of Economic Thought. 3 Credit Hours.
Historical development of economic doctrines and theory. Topics and individuals discussed include mercantilism, physiocracy, Adam Smith, Thomas Malthus, David Ricardo, J. S. Mill, Karl Marx, marginal analysis, Alfred Marshall, and J. M. Keynes. Special emphasis is placed on the effect of historical insights upon the contemporary core of economic theory.
Prerequisite: ECO 213 or ECO 211 and ECO 212.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECO 533. Advanced Microeconomic Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the mathematical approach to microeconomic theory. Topics include consumer/household behavior, the theory of the firm, resource allocation, welfare economics, and uncertainty theory.
Prerequisite: ECO 302.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 555. Economics Departmental Honors Research Project. 3 Credit Hours.
Research project to fulfill requirements for Departmental Honors in Economics.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

B.A. in Economics

Overview
Major Area of Specialization in Economics (People & Society or STEM)
The economics major brings students an understanding of economic theory and its application to a wide range of problems. The program provides excellent preparation for careers in business, government, and international agencies.

Curriculum Requirements
A student pursuing the major in Economics through the College of Arts and Sciences will select one of two possible tracks: Political Economy (People and Society) or Quantitative Economics (Science, Technology, Mathematics, and Engineering) and complete the curriculum requirements as follows:

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Major Choice Courses (P&S) - Select five courses (15 credit hours) from the following:

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Students who have completed ECO 302 may select a maximum of two STEM-designated courses (6 credit hours) as their major choice courses. Students who have completed ECO 300 may select a maximum of three STEM-designated courses (9 credit hours) as major choice courses.

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Major Choice Courses (STEM): Select five courses (15 credit hours). Only one course of the five major choice courses may be a People & Society ECO major choice course. Students must select four to five STEM-designated major choice courses (12-15 credit hours) from the following.

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Natural Science Course 6 3
Electives 7 35
Advanced Writing and Communication - see note regarding ECO writing course 8

Total Credit Hours 120

1. All specific coursework for either major option in Economics must be completed with a grade of "C-" or higher. A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 is required for all specific coursework taken in the major. All courses must be taken within the current pre-requisite structure. No ECO course may double count in any other major, minor, or cognate.

2. Course pre-requisites vary by course.

3. This track requires both MTH 161 or an equivalent calculus course and ECO 302.

4. This requirement is satisfied by MAS 110 or MTH 130 or MTH 141 or MTH 151 or MTH 161 or MTH 171 or an equivalent calculus course or higher. Please note: If the student wishes to take ECO 302 or the Quantitative Economics track, then MTH 161 or equivalent must be taken. Also note that if the student wishes to apply to transfer to the Miami Business School, he/she must take MTH 161 or an equivalent and earn a minimum "B" grade in the course, as well as have a minimum UM grade point average of 3.0.

5. Please see the College of Arts and Sciences Bulletin Overview page (p. 130) regarding the "Details of the Second Language Proficiency" requirement.

6. This requirement is waived if the student's STEM cognate includes a Natural Science course from the approved list. See the College of Arts and Sciences Bulletin Overview (p. 130) page for more information.

7. A minimum of 120 credits is required for graduation. Sufficient credits must be earned in electives to enable the student to complete this minimum of 120 credits. The exact number of elective credits required will vary depending on the number of credits needed to complete all other graduation requirements.

8. Advanced Writing and Communication Proficiency. Degree candidates must complete at least four writing courses, and at least one writing course must be in the student's major discipline. Either ECO 301 or ECO 445 will satisfy the College of Arts & Sciences writing requirement in the discipline.

Sample Plan of Study

This Sample Plan of Study represents one possible version of a new freshman student's 8-semester plan. The individual student's plan may vary depending upon the initial placement into English Composition, mathematics, and modern language. Moreover, numerous plan variations are possible if a student enters the University with advanced college credits, wishes to participate in study abroad, chooses a special program option, or selects additional majors or minors.

Note that each major/minor satisfies a particular "Area of Knowledge" within the general education requirements of the University, so that a separate cognate in that same Area of Knowledge is not required. For example, if a student chooses the Political Economy track for the Economics major, then the People and Society Area of Knowledge will be fulfilled by the major. The STEM and Arts and Humanities Areas of Knowledge may likewise be fulfilled by an additional major, or through the minor or a cognate.

Students construct their individualized plans in collaboration with their assigned academic advisor.

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1 A calculus course is required for the Economics major. If a student wishes to take ECO 302 or selects the Quantitative Economics Major option, then MTH 161 or an equivalent must be taken. If a student has taken an "applied" calculus course such as MAS 110 or MTH 130, then he/she will take ECO 300 instead of ECO 302 and must follow the Political Economy (P&S) Major option for Economics.
Mission
Economics uses the principle of utility maximizing behavior to provide a unified framework for studying how people make choices. The economics curriculum is designed to give students an understanding of economic theory and its application to a wide range of human behavior. The program provides excellent preparation for careers in business, government, research organizations, and international agencies. It is particularly recommended for students planning graduate study or professional training in fields such as economics, law, business, international studies, public administration, and public health.

Goals
- To teach students foundational material to ensure they have a deep understanding of economic theories and quantitative methods.
- To prepare students with the skills essential for professional careers and admission to business school, law school, economics Ph.D. programs, or multidisciplinary programs.
- To ensure students demonstrate analytical thinking and problem-solving skills.
- To prepare students for using quantitative tools, analytical models, and conceptual frameworks to analyze economic data.
- To ensure students are able to demonstrate technical writing skills.
- To prepare students to effectively collaborate in group settings and to effectively communicate in both written and oral formats.

Student Learning Outcomes
- Students will demonstrate proficiency in the fundamentals of economic theories and quantitative methods.
- Students will be able to think analytically and demonstrate problem-solving skills.
- Students will be able to interpret quantitative data appropriately, and select and use appropriate models, conceptual frameworks, and quantitative tools to analyze economic data.

Ecosystem Science and Policy
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Dept. Code: ECS

Introduction
The undergraduate program in Ecosystem Science and Policy (ECS) is offered by the Leonard and Jayne Abess Center for Ecosystem Science and Policy. The goal of the program is to educate the next generation of environmental leaders. The ECS program provides students with a broad background in environmental issues from a variety of perspectives, along with in-depth education in an area of specialization.

Educational Objectives
The ECS major offers a series of problem-based learning courses, culminating in a capstone course in the senior year. Courses emphasize integration of science and policy approaches to real-world environmental issues. This preparation gives students both the theoretical background and technical skills to pursue environmental careers in, teaching and research, as well as for careers in government and private industries concerned with the environment.

Advanced Writing and Communication Requirement
To satisfy the Advanced Writing and Communication requirement, students majoring in ECS take three ECS writing intensive courses (ECS 113, 302, 403). They also receive instruction in scientific communication, including how to make charts, graphs, maps, meeting posters, and other representations of data, in ECS 112 and 301. Many ECS courses co-listed with other departments /programs are writing intensive or include instruction in visual communication.

Degree Programs
The Ecosystem Science and Policy program offers two undergraduate degree major programs: a Bachelor of Science (B.S.) and a Bachelor of Arts (B.A.). The minor consists of 15 credit hours. Majors are required to complete either an environmentally related internship or a research project with the Center for Ecosystem Science and Policy or with other UM faculty.

Only those courses passed with a grade of “C-” or better in the ECS core may be applied to the major or minor. All ECS majors are required to maintain an overall cumulative grade point average of 2.5 or better.

Certificate in Ecosystem Science and Policy
- Sustainability (p. 325)
ECS 111. Introduction to the Earth's Ecosystem. 3 Credit Hours.
Earth's ecosystems and the interactions of humans with them. Concepts in ecology, environmental science and policy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECS 112. Field Problems in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 2 Credit Hours.
Problem solving in ecology and environmental management. Class projects and case studies providing experience in identifying problems, quantifying scientific issues and considering management options and outcomes. Extensive field experience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECS 113. Introduction to Environmental Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Theories and case studies from various fields, including anthropology, economics, ethics, geography, political science and psychology, will be used to explore the multiple perspectives that influence group and individual perceptions of environmental issues.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECS 195. Studies in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions but having no direct equivalents here.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ECS 196. Studies in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions but having no direct equivalents here.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ECS 197. Studies in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions but having no direct equivalents here.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ECS 198. Studies in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions but having no direct equivalents here.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ECS 199. Studies in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions but having no direct equivalents here.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ECS 201. Seminar Series in Contemporary Environmental Issues I. 1 Credit Hour.
Current environmental topics involving interaction of science and policy.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECS 202. Seminar Series in Contemporary Environmental Issues II. 1 Credit Hour.
Current environmental topics involving interaction of science and policy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECS 204. Environmental Statistics. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of parametric and nonparametric statistics with an emphasis on applications in the analysis of environmental data.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ECS 215. Introduction to Private Urban and Suburban Green Spaces. 1 Credit Hour.
Faculty supervised research & application projects in indoor, urban, and suburban green spaces. Topics of focus include green walls, roof gardening, edible gardening, permaculture, sustainable gardening, composting & vermiculture, gardening for wildlife, and backyard ecology. No previous ecology or gardening experience required.
**Components:** FLD.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

ECS 232. Ecological Principles and Environmental Applications. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of the science of ecology and its basic principles. Covers aspects of organismal ecology (including population genetics, structure, growth and regulation; adaptations and responses to the physical environment and biological communities); community ecology; and ecosystems (including energy flow, biogeochemical cycles, and biomes). Students will learn to apply ecological principles to understand and solve environmental problems.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

ECS 272. Special Topics in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in class schedule.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

ECS 295. Studies in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-5 Credit Hours.
For courses taken at other institutions that have no equivalents here.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.

ECS 296. Studies in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-5 Credit Hours.
For courses taken at other institutions that have no equivalents here.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.

ECS 297. Studies in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-5 Credit Hours.
For courses taken at other institutions that have no equivalents here.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.

ECS 298. Studies in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-5 Credit Hours.
For courses taken at other institutions that have no equivalents here.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.

ECS 299. Studies in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-5 Credit Hours.
For courses taken at other institutions that have no equivalents here.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.

ECS 301. Tools for Environmental Decision-Making: The Quantitative Perspective. 3 Credit Hours.
Quantitative decision-making techniques and methodologies.
Prerequisite: ECS 111 and ECS 112. or Requisite: Plan of ECS.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

ECS 302. Perspectives on Environmental Decision Making. 3 Credit Hours.
Techniques for assessing human impacts on the environment. Covers approaches from law, ethics, anthropology and includes cases involving local, regional and global environmental management issues.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.
ECS 309. Microbes and the Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide students in geology, biology and environmental science a fundamental understanding of the role microbes play in shaping the Earth and its environments as well as the basic principles and approaches to studying these interactions in both modern and ancient settings. The metabolic diversity displayed by microbial communities makes them an integral component of global elemental cycles. In this regard, microorganisms have shaped our planet over the past 4 billion years and continue to do so in a very prominent way. The goal of this course is to learn about microbial diversity and metabolism, and the ability of microbes to shape and influence the environment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECS 310. Sustainable Living. 3 Credit Hours.
Sustainable Living explores ways of living that can be sustained for thousands of years, without further damage to earth, ocean and atmosphere. Topics covered include renewable energy, agricultural practices, water issues, green building, low carbon transportation and healthy living/eating. Students advocate for sustainable practices of their choice in writing and in oral/visual presentations. Frequent field trips.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECS 312. Environment Assessment. 3 Credit Hours.
Execution of environmental due diligence in the context of property transactions and land and water pollution in a technical, regulatory, and legal framework, including how client advocacy and regulatory detail influence project design.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECS 323. Population, Sustainability, and the Media. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores opposing views of population growth and environmental sustainability through the media and cinema: contrasts "Doomsters" who believe population growth and resource consumption threaten human survival and pro-growth "Boomsters" who believe human ingenuity and technology will continue to allow humankind to prosper.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECS 324. You & Your Microbiome. 3 Credit Hours.
Recent advances in immunology, genetic manipulation and the microbiome; consequences on emerging notions of personalized health and medications; the creation of tailored therapies against cancer; implications for cost of healthcare and politics of medicine.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECS 325. Hazards and Disasters: The Nature-Society Interface. 3 Credit Hours.
Borrows from themes in Geography, Urban Planning, Anthropology and Policy Studies to explore how human-environmental interactions determine the distribution, causes and consequences of natural hazards and disasters.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECS 332. Ecology and Land Use in the Galapagos. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamental principles of ecology manifested on Isla Isabela will be employed to evaluate land usages including subsistence and production agriculture, animal husbandry, fuel wood and timber, and conservation with ecotourism. Habitats, flora, and fauna from the vicinity of Puerto Villamil to the rim of Volcán Sierra Negra; analysis of agricultural practices and problems of the mist zone on this volcano’s southeastern flank.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECS 335. Biodiversity in Peru. 3 Credit Hours.
The focus is on developing skills to analyze and value the components of biodiversity, identifying its potentials and the tools to make sustainable use and conservation possible.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
ECS 337. Latin America and the Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
Theoretical dimensions of current environmental challenges in Latin America and examines their ecological, social, economic, and political dimensions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECS 342. Decision-Making and the Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
Provides a comprehensive overview of the art and science of decision modeling in natural resources policy management. Students learn to understand and develop basic decision models, interpret the results and communicate them to non-analytical decision makers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECS 345. Economics of Natural Resources and the Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive overview of the economics of national, international, and global environmental problems. A unifying theme throughout is sustainable development defined as "maximizing the net benefits of economic development while maintaining the services and quality of natural resources over time". We will use economic reasoning to examine causes and consequences of environmental and resource problems, and measures for dealing with them.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECS 352. Environmental Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
Theoretical and practical issues in the field of environmental ethics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECS 357. Global Food: A Hands-On Approach. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of principles of permaculture via designing and creating a small "global farm" on campus to grow perennial food crops which are unique to the South Florida environment. We learn by doing, cultivating plants that hold the solution to world hunger problems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECS 360. Readings in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings on special topics. Offered by special arrangement with a faculty member. May be repeated for credit.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECS 361. Readings in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings on special topics. Offered by special arrangement with a faculty member. May be repeated for credit.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECS 362. Readings in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings on special topics. Offered by special arrangement with a faculty member. May be repeated for credit.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECS 363. Readings in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings on special topics. Offered by special arrangement with a faculty member. May be repeated for credit.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECS 371. Readings in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings on special topics. Offered by special arrangement with a faculty member. May be repeated for credit.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ECS 372. Special Topics in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in class schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECS 373. Topics in Ecosystem Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in class schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECS 374. Topics in Environmental Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in class schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECS 375. Topics in Environment and the Humanities. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in class schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECS 376. Topics in Environmental Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in class schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECS 377. Topics in Environmental Economics and Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in class schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECS 379. Special Topics in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in class schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECS 380. Field Studies in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Field course to various U.S. and international regions, focusing on current and historic interactions of humans with the local environment. Includes water, land, and mineral resources as well as impacts on local ecosystems. Emphasis on current management efforts and potential impacts of climate change.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECS 381. Field Studies in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Field course to various U.S. and international regions, focusing on current and historic interactions of humans with the local environment. Includes water, land, and mineral resources as well as impacts on local ecosystems. Emphasis on current management efforts and potential impacts of climate change.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECS 385. Civic Engagement in the Galapagos. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is part of the UGalapagos semester held in the Galapagos and is open only to students who have been accepted by the Department of Biology. This field course offers you a rare chance to examine human interactions in a highly politicized landscape of conservation. You will learn historical development and contemporary issues of Latin America from an interdisciplinary perspective, through the cultural, political and social lens of the Galapagos
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
ECS 391. Studies in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-4 Credit Hours.
(Not offered: transfer credit only) Courses taken at other institutions but having no direct equivalents here.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ECS 392. Studies in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-4 Credit Hours.
(Not offered: transfer credit only) Courses taken at other institutions but having no direct equivalents here.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ECS 393. Studies in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-4 Credit Hours.
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Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ECS 394. Studies in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-4 Credit Hours.
(Not offered: transfer credit only) Courses taken at other institutions but having no direct equivalents here.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ECS 395. Studies in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-4 Credit Hours.
(Not offered: transfer credit only) Courses taken at other institutions but having no direct equivalents here.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ECS 401. Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
Students selecting the internship will be required to spend a minimum of 120 contact hours working in an outside firm or agency whose mission is to address environmental issues where science and policy intersect.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECS 402. Thesis. 3 Credit Hours.
Individual, original research of independent study supervised by a UM faculty member and concluded by formal thesis preparation, public oral defense and submission of the thesis.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECS 403. Interdisciplinary Approaches. 3 Credit Hours.
Students with diverse disciplinary backgrounds will design an interdisciplinary study focused on an environmental problem with a major science component and significant societal implications. Students will apply quantitative methods, formulate usable policy, and communicate their results.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECS 405. Applied Research in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Faculty-mentored applied research in environmental topics. Projects in natural ecosystems, sustainable design and business, and communication of environmental issues.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECS 415. Research in Private Urban and Suburban Green Spaces. 1 Credit Hour.
Faculty supervised research & application projects in indoor, urban, and suburban green spaces. Topics of focus include green walls, roof gardening, edible gardening, permaculture, sustainable gardening, composting & vermiculture, gardening for wildlife, and backyard ecology.
Requisite: ECS Major or ECS Minor or Prerequisite: ECS 215.
Components: FLD.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ECS 432. Ecology in the Galapagos. 3 Credit Hours.
Organisms in relation to their environment, with a focus on interactive hands-on learning experiences that connect empirical nature with abstract thinking. Lectures, discussion and field work will help students begin to understand ecosystem ecology, plant dispersal and colonization, organisms’ responses to spatial and temporal variability in their environments, plant/animal interactions. Origins and effects of invasive species and actions of bio-control agents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECS 433. Conservation in Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
Intersection between economic development, science and conservation in one of the world’s most pristine and fragile ecosystems. Exploration of how tourism offers an alternative to unsustainable fisheries that once drove the local economy, yet has created a new set of pressures on the people and the environment. Mitigation efforts, science, and international conservation mesh with an understanding of local politics, customs, and cultures.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECS 485. Political Ecology of the Galapagos. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is part of the UGalapagos semester held in the Galapagos and is open only to students who have been accepted by the Department of Biology. Throughout the term, you will engage in civic activities identified in consultation with the people, government and public health facilities of the small, rural village of Villamil, the sole habitation on Isla Isabella. A major aim is to nurture the mutual respect and understanding across the cultural divide that is necessary to make a difference in the civic life of a community.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECS 501. Interdisciplinary Environmental Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Theoretical approaches in environmental and social science fields, including conservation biology, ecology, geography, economics, sociology, anthropology, philosophy, and interdisciplinary approaches. Themes include human ecology, historical ecology, landscape ecology, environmental law and ethics, perception of risk and uncertainty, vulnerability and adaptation, and environmental valuation. Requisite: Plan of Ecosystem Science and Policy.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECS 503. Interdisciplinary Environmental Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
Environmental methods related to core programmatic themes of Urban Ecology, Global Public Health, Climate and Society, Environment and the Media, Integrated Marine and Terrestrial Management, and Regulatory Regimes. The course focuses on the application of Interdisciplinary approaches and methods for addressing complex environmental problems. Students will learn to design and employ interdisciplinary approaches, using qualitative and quantitative methods and analysis, through lectures, reading assignments, discussion sessions, and assignments. Requisite: Plan of Ecosystem Science and Policy.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECS 507. Interdisciplinary Environmental Decision Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Approaches to studying and interpreting human behavior related to a range of decision making at the level of individual, group, and firm. Multidisciplinary theories and methods informing work in the decision sciences will be covered from fields of psychology, business, economics, political science, and anthropology. Requisite: Plan of Ecosystem Science and Policy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECS 515. Private Green Space Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Students plan and manage ongoing and proposed green space projects. Student managers work with supervising faculty; also organize and educate student volunteers and students concurrently enrolled in ECS 215 and 415. Prerequisite: ECS 415.
Components: FLD.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ECS 572. Special Topics in ECS. 0-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in class schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECS 580. Field Studies. 1-4 Credit Hours.
This course will provide participants with the opportunity for intensive field research geared toward an interdisciplinary understanding of environmental issues and conservation concerns.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

B.A. in Ecosystem Science and Policy

The B.A. degree in Ecosystem Science and Policy is recommended in preparation for careers in law, government and business, including professional schools and careers in government and private industries concerned with the environment. Students pursuing the B.A. may choose to have the major fulfill either the STEM or People & Society cognate; they will need to complete the other cognate plus the Arts & Humanities cognate. Students with a second major in another school or college should consult their advisors regarding requirements for that major. Any course used to fulfill one ECS requirement cannot be used to fulfill another; however, courses other than the ECS core can be used to fulfill requirements for a cognate, minor, or second major. Students whose primary college is Arts & Sciences are required to complete four courses designated as "Writing Intensive" (also known as "W") courses. Those seeking a B.A. degree in ECS must complete at least two, but as many as four, ECS courses designated as "W". These include ECS 113, ECS 301, ECS 302, ECS 402, and ECS 403. Up to two "W" courses may be selected from other departments. Students whose primary degree is in another school or college should follow its writing requirements.

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Select one of the following Statistics courses: 3

- ECS 204: Environmental Statistics
- MSC 204: Environmental Statistics
- MTH 224: Introduction to Probability and Statistics
- PSY 292: Introduction to Biobehavioral Statistics for Non-Majors

**Social Science Core Courses**

- GEG 310: Geographic Information Systems I 3

Select one of the following: 3

- ECO 211: Principles of Microeconomics
- ECO 212: Principles of Macroeconomics
- INS 102: Global Economics

Select one of the following: 3

- POL 201: Introduction to American National Government
- POL 202: Introduction to Comparative Politics
- POL 203: Introduction to International Relations

Select one of the following: 3

- APY 201: Principles of Archaeology
- APY 202: Principles of Cultural Anthropology
- APY 203: Principles of Physical Anthropology
- APY 204: Principles of Linguistic Anthropology

Select three credit hours of environmentally-related People & Society electives: 2 3

Select three credit hours of environmentally-related People & Society electives at 300 level or higher: 2 3

- APY 418: Seminar in Anthropology
- APY 435: Anthropology of Nature and Environment
- ARC 594: Geographic Information Systems in Urban Design
- ECO 345: Environmental Economics
- ECO 351: Economics of Development
- GEG 345: Drinking Water: Past, Present, and Future
- GEG 341: Population, Health, and Environment
- GEG 334: Biogeography and Conservation
- GEG 410: Geographic Information Systems II
- GEG 321: Remote Sensing of the Environment
- GEG 421: GIS and Environmental Modeling
- HIS 368: Nature and the Environment in American History
- INS 322: Economics of Development and the Environment
- INS 421: Poverty and the Environment
- LAS 302: Interdisciplinary Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Studies-Travel Course
- POL 314: Legislative Processes
- SOC 210: Introduction to Social Research

**Additional Required Courses**

- ENG 105: English Composition I 3
- ENG 106: English Composition II 3

**Arts and Humanities Cognate**

Select three credit hours of the following: 9

- Language Courses

**Minor and Electives**

Select three credit hours of the following: 30

**Total Credit Hours** 120-121

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1. Additional courses may be approved by the ECS program.
2. APY, ARC, ECO, ECS, GEG, HIS, INS, LAS, MAF, POL, SOC
## Suggested Plan of Study - with Minor

In this plan, we are showing the case in which study abroad simply counts toward the total required for graduation, 120 credits. However, study abroad courses generally can be used as courses for ECS, for a minor, or for cognates, in which case there would be additional electives opened up in subsequent semesters.

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### Suggested Plan of Study - with Second Major

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\[1\] This course needs to be at the 300 level or higher.
### Mission

The mission of the Ecosystem Science and Policy (ECS) program is to educate the next generation of environmental leaders. Future leaders need to find ways to meet human demands, while protecting and restoring the natural environment that sustains us. As science increasingly demonstrates the complex interconnectedness of all the elements of natural systems, environmental decisions must take into account potential ecosystem-wide effects to be truly effective. Environmental scientists and non-scientist policy-makers, managers, and planners must communicate with each other in new and better ways as development and environmental policy decisions are made. The program offers two degrees, a Bachelor of Science and a Bachelor of Arts.

### Goals

The Bachelor of Arts degree prepares students with knowledge in a broad background of environmental issues from a variety of perspectives, along with in-depth education in a related area of specialization. Students earning a Bachelor of Arts degree in ECS carry out intensive study in social science approaches to environmental issues.

### Student Learning Outcomes

- **Scientific Knowledge**: Students will demonstrate a comprehensive understanding of ecosystem science.
- **Policy Knowledge**: Students will demonstrate an ability to evaluate the role of science and technology in society and demonstrate understanding of factors involved in the formulation and implementation of environmental policy.

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### Year Three

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- Second Major Course 3
- EVN Related STEM Course 3
- Arts and Humanities Cognate 3
- ECS Elective 300 level or higher 3

#### Spring
- ECS 301 Tools for Environmental Decision-Making: The Quantitative Perspective 3
- Second Major Course 3
- ENV Related People and Society Course 3
- ECS Elective 300 level or higher 3
- Arts and Humanities Cognate 3

#### Total Credit Hours 15

### Year Four

#### Fall
- ECS 401 Internship 3
- Second Major Course 3
- ENV Related People and Society Course 3
- Arts and Humanities Cognate 3

#### Spring
- ECS 403 Interdisciplinary Approaches 3
- Second Major Course 3
- ECS Elective 300 level or higher 3
- Elective 3

#### Total Credit Hours 12

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1 This course needs to be at the 300 level or higher.
• Communication Skills: Students will demonstrate communication skills to convey information, orally and in writing, to both scientific and lay audiences.

## B.S. in Ecosystem Science and Policy

The B.S. degree in Ecosystem Science and Policy is recommended for students intending to attend graduate or professional schools in pursuit of research or academic careers (including secondary or higher education). It is also suitable for those preparing for technical careers in government and private industries concerned with the environment. Students pursuing the B.S. may choose to have the major fulfill either the STEM or People & Society cognate; they will need to complete the other cognate plus the Arts & Humanities cognate. Students with a second major in another school or college should consult their advisors regarding requirements for that major and school or college. Any course used to fulfill one ECS requirement cannot be used to fulfill another; however, courses other than the ECS core can be used to fulfill requirements for a cognate, minor, or second major. Students whose primary college is Arts & Sciences are required to complete four courses designated as "Writing Intensive" (also known as "W") courses. Those seeking a B.S. degree in ECS must complete at least two, but as many as four, ECS courses designated as "W". These include ECS 113, ECS 301, ECS 302, ECS 402, and ECS 403. Up to two "W" courses may be selected from other departments. Students whose primary degree is in another school or college should follow its writing requirements.

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In addition, students must take the following courses, which may fulfill cognate or second major requirements:
Select one of the following Statistics courses: 3

- ECS 204: Environmental Statistics
- MSC 204: Environmental Statistics
- MTH 224: Introduction to Probability and Statistics
- PSY 292: Introduction to Biobehavioral Statistics for Non-Majors

**Social Science Core Courses**

Select one of the following Economics/Political Science courses for BS: 3

- ECS 377: Topics in Environmental Economics and Development
- ECO 211: Principles of Microeconomics
- ECO 212: Principles of Macroeconomics
- INS 102: Global Economics
- INS 421: Poverty and the Environment
- MSC 345: Economics of Natural Resources and the Environment
- POL 201: Introduction to American National Government
- POL 202: Introduction to Comparative Politics
- POL 203: Introduction to International Relations

Select one of the following ECS social science skills courses for BS: 3

- BSL 212: Introduction to Business Law
- STC 114: Principles of Advertising
- JMM 106: Visual Design
- JMM 341: Web Design
- ECS 376: Topics in Environmental Communication
- ECS 377: Topics in Environmental Economics and Development
- EPS 321: Understanding Human Service Organizations
- FIN 300: Fundamentals of Finance for Non-Finance Majors
- FIN 302: Fundamentals of Finance
- GEG 120: Physical Geography
- INS 503: International Relations Topics (e.g., Role of Foreign Aid in International Development)
- LAS 502: Research Design in Latin American Studies
- MGT 253: Introduction to Entrepreneurship
- MGT 303: Operations Management
- MKT 201: Foundations of Marketing
- PHI 110: Critical Thinking
- PHI 215: Logic and Law
- POL 314: Legislative Processes
- POL 342: State Government and Politics
- POL 353: Interest Groups and Lobbying
- POL 524: Non-Profit Organizations: Law, Policy, and Management
- SOC 210: Introduction to Social Research
- GEG 310: Geographic Information Systems I

**Additional Required Courses**

- ENG 105: English Composition I 3
- ENG 106: English Composition II 3

**Arts and Humanities Cognate**

9

**Language Courses**

9

**Electives/Additional minor**

2

**Total Credit Hours**

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1. Note: ECS B.S. majors without a second major must take a GIS course, e.g. GEG310.
2. Note: For tracks having a higher credit count, the number of electives available is reduced.
3. Note: CHM121/113 must be taken before the Environmental Chemistry track. Fulfillment of the Environmental Chemistry track earns a Chemistry minor.
6. Note: Calculus II must be taken before the Mathematics track. Fulfillment of the Mathematics track earns a Mathematics minor.
Note: The 12-credit CHM121/221/222 sequence of the Environmental Health track replaces the normal 8 credit ECS B.S. CHM111/112/113/114 series, making the effective credit count for the Environmental Chemistry track 19-21. This track as described does not earn a minor; additional courses to finish a minor (or a separate minor) must be undertaken.

Note: MSC346 (co-listed with ECS403) taken to satisfy the Climate Science & Policy track cannot also satisfy the ECS403 core course requirement; a separate ECS403 section must be taken. Fulfillment of the track earns a minor in Climate Science & Policy.

Note: BIL539 (Co-listed with ECS403) taken to satisfy the Conservation Biology track cannot also satisfy the ECS403 core course requirement; a separate ECS403 section must be taken. Fulfillment of the Conservation Biology track earns a Biology minor.

* Students following the ECS Bachelor of Science must complete either a track (listed separately above) or a second major in a STEM field.

### Suggested Plan of Study - with Track

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Mission

The mission of the Ecosystem Science and Policy (ECS) program is to educate the next generation of environmental leaders. Future leaders need to find ways to meet human demands, while protecting and restoring the natural environment that sustains us. As science increasingly demonstrates the complex interconnectedness of all the elements of natural systems, environmental decisions must take into account potential ecosystem-wide effects to be truly effective. Environmental scientists and nonscientist policy-makers, managers, and planners must communicate with each other in new and better ways as development and environmental policy decisions are made. The program offers two degrees, a Bachelor of Science and a Bachelor of Arts.

Goals

The Bachelor of Science degree prepares students with knowledge in a broad background of environmental issues from a variety of perspectives, along with in-depth education in an additional field. Students earning a Bachelor of Science degree in ECS carry out intensive study in a particular science track. Joint programs with engineering are also available.

Student Learning Outcomes

- **Scientific Knowledge**: Students will demonstrate a comprehensive understanding of ecosystem science.
- **Policy Knowledge**: Students will demonstrate an ability to evaluate the role of science and technology in society and demonstrate understanding of factors involved in the formulation and implementation of environmental policy.
- **Communication Skills**: Students will demonstrate communication skills to convey information, orally and in writing, to both scientific and lay audiences.
Certificate in Sustainability

Overview

The certificate program is intended to equip students with knowledge and skills for implementing positive change through environmentally responsible practices in various fields; to serve as a curricular adjunct to sustainable initiatives at UM; to foster a culture of conservation at the University; to enhance students’ preparation for a variety of careers, including engineering, architecture, business, marketing, government, and more; and to affirm UM’s commitment to sustainability and complement its efforts to enhance environmental education.

To obtain the sustainability certificate, students will complete 18 credits from the courses below.

Students may take courses to align with their major or minor, or individual interests (e.g., energy, green buildings, natural resource management). Note that some courses on the list may require one or more prerequisites. It is the responsibility of students to obtain any permissions for waivers of prerequisites from the appropriate parties in a given School or College. Courses not on the list below may be substituted; students should obtain permission for substitutions in advance from the director or assistant director of ECS.

Students must be enrolled full time and all courses for the Certificate must be passed with no lower than a “C” grade. Students who successfully complete the program will receive a notation on their transcripts that they have received the Sustainability Certificate.

Prerequisite Courses

- POL 322 has a prerequisite of POL 201 or POL 202; it is only offered in Summer
- MSC 340 has a prerequisite of MSC 111
- ARC 223 has a prerequisite of ARC 102 and ARC 122
- INS 322 has a prerequisite of INS 102 or ECO 211 and ECO 212, or permission of instructor
- INS 421 has a prerequisite of INS 102 or permission of instructor
- ECO 345 has a prerequisite of ECO 211 and ECO 302
- MSC 345 has a prerequisite of ECO 211
- GEG 341 has a prerequisite of any 100 level GEG course.

*This program is not eligible for federal or state financial aid. Contact the Office of Student Financial Assistance and Employment (https://finaid.miami.edu/) for further assistance.

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Goals
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Student Learning Outcomes
• Students will demonstrate an understanding of human impacts on the environment.
• Students will demonstrate an understanding of methods of reducing human impacts on the environment.
• Students will demonstrate an ability to communicate effectively about sustainability.

Minor in Ecosystem Science and Policy
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Education

Degree in Teacher Education for Elementary and Secondary Schools
The School of Education and Human Development has suspended admission into the accredited Secondary Education program for the 2019-2020 academic year. Though admission to the major is currently suspended, the school offers a Professional Training Option (PTO) minor that provides eligibility for a temporary teaching certificate in the State of Florida for students who are majoring in English, Mathematics, Biology, Economics, Geography, History, International Studies, Political Science, Art, Drama, or Music.

1 For specific information regarding required coursework, field experiences, and State requirements, please see an academic advisor in the School of Education and Human Development.

Florida State Department of Education
All education programs are approved by the State of Florida Department of Education. For specific information regarding required coursework, please see an advisor in the School of Education and Human Development.
Certificate in Education

- Professional Training Option (p. 338)

TAL 103. Psychological Foundations of Education. 3 Credit Hours.
The first half of this course addresses the following topics related to the psychological foundations of education: the teaching-learning process in the classroom, human development, learning theories, and motivation. The second half of the course will address the following topics related to the social foundations of education: critical perspectives of education and schooling in the USA, issues such as accessibility, language hegemony, and race and racism through the lens of history, philosophy, anthropology, sociology and cultural studies.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 107. American Sign Language I. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to allow participants to learn about Deaf Culture and be able to sign with sufficient fluency to discuss work, social, and family topics using two to four sentence responses.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

TAL 191. Developmental Reading for College Students. 3 Credit Hours.
Instruction in college level reading strategies based on individual student needs. Emphasis on vocabulary, comprehension and techniques of test preparation.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 203. Children's Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
History, trends, and genres of children's literature with emphasis on children's literature as a curriculum resource.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 204. Building Positive Relationships in Diverse Inclusive Secondary Schools. 3 Credit Hours.
Course is designed to assist general education teachers in meeting the needs of diverse secondary school students. Emphasis is placed on language and culture in the classroom, as well as students with disabilities.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 205. Contemporary Issues in Disability Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
This course allows students to explore contemporary issues individuals with disabilities face with an emphasis on the more personal aspects of living with a disability and issues that influence their daily lives.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

TAL 207. American Sign Language II. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to allow participants to learn about Deaf Culture and be able to sign with sufficient fluency to discuss work, social, and family topics using four to six sentence responses. Students will be able to independently participate in a signed conversation without the use of voicing.
Prerequisite: TAL 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

TAL 305. Classroom and Behavior Management. 3 Credit Hours.
The principles of behavior analysis and classroom management strategies, both preventative and problem solving. Special emphasis includes effective communication with students, parents and other stakeholders; meeting the needs of all learners based on individual differences, cultural and linguistic diversity; knowledge of research-based strategies that support intellectual, personal and social well-being and development of all students; planning and conducting lessons in a safe, efficient and supportive learning environment. Field experience required.
Corequisite: TAL 306.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
TAL 306. Teacher Preparation Seminar I. 0 Credit Hours.
This hybrid zero credit course has been designed to provide additional support for students in our teacher preparation programs. Students will enroll in this course while they participate in a series of field experiences where they gain practical experience integrating theory and practice while working with students in K-12 settings. Major topics include: the Florida Educator Accomplished Practices, Live Text, and guidelines and procedures. Co-requisite TAL 305
Corequisite: TAL 305.
Components: SEM.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 307. American Sign Language 3. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to allow participants to learn more about Deaf Culture and be able to sign with sufficient fluency to discuss work, social, and family topics at a conversational level.
Pre-requisite: TAL 107 And TAL 207.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 308. Language Development for Linguistically and Culturally Diverse Children. 3 Credit Hours.
Course provides an introduction to theories of linguistics as well as first and second language acquisition. Readings and lectures serve to highlight the development of language and language challenges faced by students for whom Standard English is a second language and/or a second dialect. Theories of linguistics are used to identify, explain and assess literacy challenges. Field experience required. This course counts as one of two required stand-alone ESOL courses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 322. Mathematics Instruction in the Elementary School. 4 Credit Hours.
Principles and practices in the teaching of elementary school mathematics. Attention is paid to infusion of technology, linguistic and cultural diversity, students with exceptionalities, and the origins of gender bias. Field experience required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 323. Interdisciplinary Methods in the Content Areas. 3 Credit Hours.
This course aims to discuss the goals and objectives for interdisciplinary learning in the content areas, and help practice, design, and enact interdisciplinary learning activities appropriate for elementary school. During the semester, the class will create an engaging environment to help you: Understand what is the nature of interdisciplinary understanding and practices; Examine elementary curricula and state/national standards that speak to interdisciplinary learning; Develop and enact authentic lessons/units for interdisciplinary learning; Create supportive learning environments that engage diverse students; Assess student interdisciplinary learning using multiple methods; and Learn to use a variety of innovative educational technologies that facilitate interdisciplinary learning. Field Experience required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 324. Education and the Arts. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of the fine and performing arts and their relation to Pre-K to 12 education. Emphasis is placed on experiential learning and methods of incorporating the arts in school curricula. The course also includes a focus on the value of the arts to the individual and society.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 330. Introduction to the Education of Exceptional Individuals. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey course providing a general orientation to Exceptional Individual Education as an integral part of the general education structure. Includes an introduction to appropriate educational programs for exceptional individuals.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
TAL 332. Assessment of Exceptional Students. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of assessment instruments used to classify, assess and evaluate exceptional students in inclusive and special education settings. Advanced written, digital, and oral communication proficiencies, to include research and report-writing as well as oral presentation skills, are emphasized in this course.
Prerequisite: ENG 105 And ENG 106 prerequisite of enrollment is required for this course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 360. The Teacher in American Society. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the historical development of teaching in the US, contemporary educational reform and social change, issues involving teacher work, the impact of technology on schooling, ethical and legal issues in teaching, topics involving Race, Gender Social Class and Equity. Popular Culture sources are emphasized in the course's content.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 370. Pop Culture and Education. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines how popular culture influences and is influenced by the work and culture of schools. In examining artifacts and trends in popular culture today and the past, the forms of popular culture we will analyze will include: motion pictures, television programs, mainstream news, music, books, magazines, zines, fashion, web-based content, graffiti, tattoos, street art, mobile communication, video games, social networking, and more.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 371. Race and Racism in the Making of US Public Education. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will examine the roles of race and racism in the social construction of education and schooling in United States, with an emphasis on how said constructions have impacted the lived experiences of marginalized racial and ethnic minorities, with a particular emphasis on Black Americans. The central themes of the course will be how and why schools in the United States of America were constructed and continue to act as sites of State-sponsored racism, paying attention not only to whom this process marginalizes but also whom it benefits. While the focus of the course will be on race, it is impossible to study race alone, in a vacuum. Therefore, a great deal of attention will be paid to issues of intersectionality, with particular emphases paid to the intersections of race and ethnicity, class, gender, sexual identity, geography, historical specificity, and disability. The semester will begin with a historical overview of the roles education and schooling have played in the lives of African Americans. Our starting point will be roughly 1850. It is important to note that the distinction is made between school and education. The course will examine the roles schools (Saturday Schools, public schools, religious schools, and Historically Black Colleges and Universities to name a few) have played, but it is also crucial to examine the roles of education outside of the context of formalized schooling. The course will examine crucial educational sites such as religious institutions and traditions (outside of religious schools), family life, community education, and oral traditions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

TAL 390. Topics in Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of emerging policy, practice, empirical research and scholarly writing on important educational issues for which formal course title and syllabus have not been developed and formalized in the UM Bulletin. Allows for experimental instructional formats. Course number indicates appropriate student audience. See Course Notes for specific topic.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

TAL 404. Content Area Literacy in the Secondary Classroom. 3 Credit Hours.
Essentials of literacy instruction in various subject areas for middle, junior and senior high schools; instructional methods and materials for development of reading, writing and study strategies. Emphasis is also placed on selecting appropriate materials, motivating students, and helping students with exceptional needs and students who are English Language Learners.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 407. American Sign Language 4. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to allow participants to learn more about Deaf Culture and be able to understand signed conversations in a small group and sign with sufficient fluency to discuss work, social, and family topics at a conversational level.
Prerequisite: TAL107, TAL 207, TAL 307.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
TAL 420. Introduction to Literacy, Assessment, and Instruction in Elementary School. 3 Credit Hours.
Multidisciplinary survey of reading and writing acquisition in the elementary school. Assessment and instruction in the major components of reading: phonological awareness, word identification and phonics, fluency, vocabulary, and comprehension. Field Experience required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 421. Language Arts and Social Studies in the Elementary School. 3 Credit Hours.
Addresses Language Arts competencies in reading, writing, listening, speaking, viewing and visual literacy, following state/national standards. Research based strategies and approaches for teaching content areas, with a focus on Social Studies competencies, are modeled and integrated through Social Studies content and literature. Field experience required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

TAL 422. Mathematics Instruction in the Elementary School. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles and practices in the teaching of elementary-school mathematics. Attention is paid to infusion of technology, linguistic and cultural diversity, students with exceptionalities, and the origins of gender bias. Field experience required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 425. Inclusive Classrooms in the Elementary School. 3 Credit Hours.
The course prepares elementary school teachers to meet the individual needs of students with exceptionalities who have been integrated into the general education classroom. Field experience required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 426. Practicum in Reading. 3 Credit Hours.
Supervised practicum in reading and writing. Emphasis is on assessment and interventions for elementary students with a range of academic, linguistic and cultural challenges in becoming proficient readers. This course is a designated Upper Level Communications Requirement; advanced written digital and/or oral communication proficiencies will be emphasized in this course.
Prerequisite: ENG 105 And ENG 106 prerequisite of enrollment is required for this course.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 428. ESOL Curriculum and Methods and Assessments. 3 Credit Hours.
The course addresses the application of TESOL theories, principles, and current research to the use of curriculum, methods, and assessment. In doing so, the course focuses on an understanding of the differences between curriculum, methods, and assessment designed for children who are native speakers of Standard English and those designed for ESOL. Specific TESOL modifications appropriate for content areas are also addressed. Field experience required. This course counts as the second of two required ESOL specific courses. Advanced written, digital, and oral communication proficiencies, to include research and report-writing as well as oral presentation skills, are emphasized in this course.
Prerequisite: TAL 308 and Co-requisite: TAL 429.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 429. Teacher Preparation Seminar II. 0 Credit Hours.
This hybrid zero credit course has been designed to provide additional support for students in our teacher preparation programs. Students will enroll in this course while they participate in a series of field experiences where they gain practical experience integrating theory and practice while working with students in K-12 settings. Major topics include: the Florida Educator Accomplished Practices, Live Text, and guidelines and procedures. Co-requisite: TAL 428 for students in programs that lead to the ESOL Endorsement; TAL 506 for students in MED and SEC except Secondary English majors.
Corequisite: TAL 428 or TAL 506.
Components: SEM.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
TAL 432. Inclusive Models of Teaching. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on models of inclusion and the educational roles to support student success in inclusive settings. Topics addressed include: differentiated staffing patterns; working as a member of a team; successful collaborative practices; effective communication; understanding of varied cultural backgrounds; strategies for facilitating successful inclusion including differentiation of instruction and application of principles of Universal Design for Learning (UDL); co-teaching; strategies for working effectively with students, families, parents, guardians, administrators, general education teachers, paraprofessionals and other professionals, including students, families, and team members; and creating school partnerships. Field Experience required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

TAL 434. Specialized Instructional Strategies/Transition. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on evidence-based interventions and models of support for students with disabilities in K – 12 settings and strategies for preparing students for transition from school. Topics addressed include: strategies for using Assistive Technology effectively; strategies for enhancing self-advocacy and self-determination for students with disabilities; strategies for enhancing family involvement in career development and post school employment; transition services and models; preparing students with disabilities for employment and post-secondary education; residential alternatives; recreation and leisure for students with disabilities. Field Experience required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

TAL 444. Instruction in Secondary Science. 2-3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of methods, materials, and content appropriate for teaching science in the secondary school.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

TAL 461. Pidgins, Creoles and African-American English in Education. 3 Credit Hours.
The course examines some of the most commonly spoken languages in the African diaspora in North and South America as well as in the Caribbean, namely, pigrins, creoles and African-American English. The course also explores the linguistic contributions that West African and European languages have made to the development of Atlantic Pidgins, Creoles and African-American English. Analyses of their lexicons, morphological and grammatical features are addressed along with the ways in which these linguistic structures are used to index different identities in the African-American and Creole cultures. Additionally, the course renews the call for a responsive agenda that recognizes the obstacles faced in formal education by child speakers of Creoles and African-American English and the need for public awareness of the extensively researched merits of accommodating these vernaculars in the classroom.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

TAL 470. Student Teaching in the Elementary School. 9 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive semester-long program in observation and supervised teaching in the elementary school. The student spends full time in an elementary school participating in all activities of the teacher under the guidance of school and university personnel.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 471. Student Teaching in the Elementary Schools for K-12 Areas. 3-6 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive program in observation and supervised teaching in the elementary school. The student spends full-time for one half a semester in an elementary school, participating in all activities of the teacher under the guidance of school and university personnel.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 473. Associate Teaching in the Secondary School for K-12 Areas. 3-6 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive program in observation and supervised teaching in the secondary school. The student spends full time for one half a semester in a secondary school, participating in all activities of the teacher under the guidance of school and university personnel.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
TAL 480. Seminar On Teaching. 3 Credit Hours.
The seminar is designed to support teacher candidates during the associate teaching experience. Students receive support and assistance in completing Florida Educator Accomplished Practices (FEAP) electronic portfolios. Students share, reflect, and discuss their daily experiences in class during culminating experience in the field.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 491. Applied Research in Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to basic research methods, ethics in education research, and the implications of research on the practice of teaching. Assist a TAL faculty member with a research project.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 493. Online Teaching and Leadership. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to teaching-learning process in online learning environments, including asynchronous modalities, assessment and evaluation, technology and digital copyright usage.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 495. Individual Study. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual work on a special project under faculty guidance. Application for Admission to Advanced Individual Study will be required.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 496. Undergraduate Research Honors. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual work on a special project under faculty guidance. Application for Admission to Advanced Individual Study will be required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 501. Classroom Based Assessment. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Principles and classroom applications of educational measurement and assessment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 502. Classroom Based Research. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of research principles to evaluation and improvement of teacher effectiveness. Use of scientific methods in problem solving and decision making in the classroom. Student experiences in the planning, conduct, analysis and reporting of classroom research are included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 503. Technology Applications in Education. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to help you better understand why and how to use modern technologies in educational settings. Throughout the course, you will identify and share accessible technological resources, participate in hands-on activities, conduct mini-teaching, and create technology-enhanced instructional materials. You will examine the affordances and constraints of a variety of technologies including mobile learning, computer-based visualizations, web-based curriculum platforms, augmented and mixed reality, and online collaboration tools. You will discuss with the instructor and peers critical issues and policy relevant to the effective use of technologies in K-12 classrooms or informal learning environments.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 504. Building Positive Relationships in Inclusive Secondary Schools. 3 Credit Hours.
Designed to assist general education teachers in meeting the needs of diverse secondary school students. Focus on students with disabilities, language and culture in the classroom, and developing culturally competent classroom management methods.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
TAL 506. Issues and Strategies for ESOL. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides a comprehensive foundation in ESOL (English for Speakers of Other Languages) competencies based on Florida’s mandates and TESOL standards. Theory and practice will be emphasized in the areas of applied linguistics, cross cultural communication and understanding, methods of teaching, assessment, and curriculum and material development.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

TAL 508. Language Development for Linguistically and Culturally Diverse Students. 3 Credit Hours.
Course will provide an introduction to theories of linguistics, first and second language acquisition, as well as foundations of English learner education. Readings and lectures will serve to highlight the development of language and literacy, including challenges faced by students for whom Standard English is a second language and/or a second dialect. This course will be the first in a two-course ESOL sequence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 517. Curriculum, Assessment, Teaching and Learning for Physical Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of content knowledge, pedagogy, and materials appropriate for teaching physical science in the elementary school. The course content focuses on instructional practice with an emphasis on developing teacher content knowledge in physical science, pedagogy, and student literacy in physical science.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 518. Curriculum, Assessment, Teaching and Learning for Number, Operations, and Algebra. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines topics that address the mathematical ideas underlying number, operations and algebra. Related curriculum, instructional and assessment issues will be also discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 522. Curriculum, Assessment, Teaching and Learning in the Earth Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of content knowledge, pedagogy, and materials appropriate for teaching Earth science in the elementary school. The course content focuses on instructional practice with an emphasis on developing teacher content knowledge in Earth science, pedagogy, and student literacy in life science.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 523. Curriculum, Assessment, Teaching and Learning for Data Analysis and Probability. 3 Credit Hours.
Data in the elementary school: how to gather (biased and unbiased samples), store, manage, represent, analyze. Probabilistic inferences in elementary school: chance, odds, counting, related topics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 524. Education and the Arts. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of the fine and performing arts and their relation to PreK-12 education. Emphasis is placed on experiential learning and methods of incorporating the arts in school curricula. The course also includes a focus on the value of the arts to the individual and society.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 526. Practicum in Reading. 3 Credit Hours.
Supervised practicum in reading and writing. Emphasis is on assessment and interventions for elementary students with a range of academic, linguistic and cultural challenges in becoming proficient readers.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 527. Language and Assessment in ESOL. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of language systems with a focus on understanding and applying linguistic terms. Course prepares teachers to conduct informal and formal assessment procedures with English language learners. Field experience with English language learners is required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
TAL 528. ESOL Curriculum, Methods, and Assessment. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on applying TESOL theories, principles, and current research to the development and use of instructional materials, curriculum, and methods. The course will enhance participant's knowledge of the regular English language arts curriculum in comparison with the ESOL curriculum.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 531. Educating Exceptional Students. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey course in special education emphasizing characteristics and problems associated with various categories of exceptional learners. Policy, issues, and trends in special education will be discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 540. Instruction and Assessment in the Secondary School. 3 Credit Hours.
Research-based instructional processes in the secondary school.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 541. Instruction and Assessment in Secondary English Language Arts. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of methods, materials, and content appropriate for teaching language arts in the secondary school.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 542. Instruction and Assessment in Secondary Mathematics. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of methods, materials, and content appropriate for teaching mathematics in the secondary school.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 543. Instruction and Assessment in Secondary Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of methods, content and assessments appropriate for teaching science in the secondary school.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 544. Instruction and Assessment in Secondary Social Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of methods, materials, and content appropriate for teaching the social sciences in the secondary school.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 545. Methods of Teaching in the Elementary School. 3 Credit Hours.
Theories and research-based practices for reading/language arts, science, social studies, and math instruction for all learners, including diverse populations in elementary classrooms.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 550. Language and Early Reading Instruction. 3 Credit Hours.
Factors related to emergent literacy with an emphasis on diverse aspects of language that influence literacy and learning; development of emergent literacy and word perception; emergent literacy curriculum development; appropriate assessment and instructional techniques. Understanding of reading as a process of student engagement in fluent decoding and construction of meaning. Writing intensive.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

TAL 552. Reading Comprehension. 3 Credit Hours.
Development of comprehension, rate, and study skills; reading in the content areas; evaluation of materials, organization of programs; issues, problems, and exceptional readers. Emphasis is placed on understanding reading as a process of student engagement in fluent decoding of words and construction of meaning.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
TAL 553. Mentoring and Internship in Classroom Teaching. 3-6 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive program of supervised teaching in elementary or secondary class rooms.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 554. Literacy and Learning Strategies in the Content Area. 3 Credit Hours.
Literacy instruction in content areas for grades 6 through 12; instructional methods and materials for development of language arts, reading, and study skills. Emphasis on appropriate materials, motivation, and support for students with exceptional needs and English language learners.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 557. Exceptional Student Education and Classroom Management. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Introduction to theories and methods of effective classroom management and learning environments, perceptions of disabilities, addressing disruptive behaviors in classrooms and behavioral assessment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 558. ESOL Strategies and Classroom Management. 1-5 Credit Hours.
This course provides a general overview of foundation in ESOL (English for Speakers of Other Languages) competencies based on Florida’s mandates and ESOL Standards. Theory and practice will be emphasized in the areas of applied linguistics, cross cultural communication and understanding, methods of teaching, assessment, and curriculum and material development. A Classroom Management Plan will be developed based on current issues and effective classroom strategies for diverse populations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 568. Education Reform, Policy, and the Social Organization of Schooling. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to introduce students to the politics and policy debates in American education, including how the U.S. K-12 public education is organized as a socially-constructed system. We will examine the politics of a variety of recent reforms at the local, federal and state levels and their impact on institutions, students and the public.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 569. Teaching and Management for Diverse Classrooms. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will emphasize building a classroom culture and community that meets the needs of all students, including learners with disabilities and learners with culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds. A history of major legal requirements for diverse populations is examined, including the meaning of learning differences, definitions and causes of disabilities, language acquisition processes, and methods for teaching diverse populations. An introduction to theories and methods of effective classroom management for building learning communities is integrated throughout the course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 570. Student Teaching in the Elementary School. 9 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive semester-long program in observation and supervised teaching in the elementary school. The student spends full-time in an elementary school participating in all activities of the teacher under the guidance of school and university personnel.
Corequisite: TAL 580.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 572. Student Teaching in the Secondary School. 6-9 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive program in observation and supervised teaching in the secondary school. The student spends full-time in a secondary school participating in all activities of the teacher under the guidance of school and university personnel.
Corequisite: TAL 580.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
TAL 577. Human Development, Learning and Schooling. 3 Credit Hours.
Major theories of child development and learning will be discussed with a focus on how they apply to teaching and learning in K-12 schools.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 580. Seminar on Teaching. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topical seminar to accompany associate teaching
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 584. Topics in the Professional Development and Supervision of Teachers. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics include the preparation of clinical teachers to induct, guide, and supervise the field experiences of students and associate teachers; techniques in the observation and supervision of in-service teachers; creation and implementation of professional development plans; reading in the research on teacher development across the career.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 590. Topics in Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of emerging policy, practice, empirical research and scholarly writing on important educational issues for which formal course title and syllabus have not been developed and formalized in the UM Bulletin. Allows for experimental instructional formats. Course number indicates appropriate student audience. See Course Notes for specific topic.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 591. Workshop in Education. 1-6 Credit Hours.
A critical study of practical problems of teachers. Significant problems are defined, literature and research are reviewed, and individual or small group projects are required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 593. Online Teaching and Leadership. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to teaching-learning process in online learning environments, including asynchronous modalities, assessment and evaluation, technology and digital copyright usage.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 595. Research Honors Project. 2 Credit Hours.
Faculty mentored research project. This course is restricted to students in the SEHD who have been accepted into the Research Honors Program and are working with a Faculty mentor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 596. Research Honors Project. 2 Credit Hours.
Faculty mentored research project. This course is restricted to students in the SEHD who have been accepted into the Research Honors Program and are working with a Faculty mentor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 597. Research Honors Project - Thesis Writing. 2 Credit Hours.
Faculty mentored research project. This course is restricted to students in the SEHD who have been accepted into the Research Honors Program and are working with a Faculty mentor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
TAL 598. Research Honors Project - Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
Faculty mentored research project. This course is restricted to students in the SEHD who have been accepted into the Research Honors Program and are working with a Faculty mentor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 599. Workshop in Education. 1-6 Credit Hours.
A critical study of practical problems of teachers. Significant problems are defined, literature and research are reviewed, and individual or small group projects are required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

Minor in Traditional Education

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** A minimum of six credit hours must be numbered 300 or higher. This minor does not lead to teaching credentials.

*** American Sign Language courses do not count toward the Education minor (TAL 107, 207, 307, and 407). TAL 191 does not count toward the Education minor.

Professional Training Option Minor

The Professional Training Option (PTO) is a Florida Department of Education approved pathway for non-education majors to complete the professional component, one of the requirements to become a certified teacher in the State of Florida.

The PTO minor is 18 credit hours. Students must successfully pass the required portions of the Florida Teacher Certification Exam (FTCE) prior to degree conferral. UM transcripts will indicate that the student has completed a Florida State approved PTO program. Program completers will be eligible to apply for a Temporary Teaching Certificate in the State of Florida. Please see an academic advisor in the School of Education and Human Development for exam requirements and course advising.

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Engineering
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Minor in Engineering
The College of Engineering offers the student in the College of Arts and Sciences a variety of 15/18 credit hour minors designed to give the student a basic understanding of the technologies that support and shape our civilization. Minors may be elected in Architectural, Civil, Computer, Electrical, Environmental, Industrial, or Mechanical Engineering. The student is given considerable freedom in choosing courses in accordance with the student’s interests.

Faculty in the College is prepared to assist students seeking Engineering minors in the preparation of programs of study.

More detailed descriptions of these minors will be found in the College of Engineering (p. 1044) section of this Bulletin.

English
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Dept. Code: ENG

Introduction
The English Department offers programs for students interested in a liberal arts education. While many English majors direct their studies toward careers in law, creative writing, secondary education, or university teaching and scholarship, a major in English is just as valuable to students considering careers in business, journalism, or any of the health professions. Students who would like to learn more about any of these programs are encouraged to consult the Director of Undergraduate Studies in the Department of English, Ashe Bldg. 321.

Educational Objectives
English as a discipline offers an opportunity for a general humanistic education, and it develops skills in communication and analysis essential in most careers. An education in English teaches students to write, to think critically, to weigh values, and to communicate ideas. At the same time, it develops their creativity and aesthetic understanding, and affords them a knowledge of our literary heritage in all of its historical and cultural dimensions.

Degree Programs
The major in English leads to the degree of Bachelor of Arts.

Advanced Writing and Communication Proficiency
All English courses (other than ENG 103, ENG 105, ENG 106, and ENG 107) are designated writing courses (WRIT credit). A student majoring in English will complete the advanced writing and communication requirement of the College of Arts and Sciences (which requires four writing classes, including at least one in one of the student’s major disciplines).

Major in English
Students majoring in English must earn 30 credit hours in English courses (36 credit hours for Departmental Honors) and fulfill the requirements of the track of their choice.

Credit hours earned for courses in freshman composition (ENG 105, ENG 106, ENG 107, and ENG 208) may not be applied toward the total number of credit hours required for the major. In each English course, the English major must earn a grade of C- or better, with an overall GPA in the major of 2.0 or better.

Students pursuing both a major and a minor (or two majors) offered by the Department of English may double-count a maximum of two English courses toward the fulfillment of their degree requirements. They must also have an additional major or minor in a department other than English.

Since all ENG courses, other than freshman composition, are designated as writing (WRIT) courses, all English majors satisfy the College of Arts & Sciences Advanced Writing and Communication requirement by completing their major.

Minor
The Department of English offers two minors:

• The Minor in English (p. 367) and
• The English Minor in Creative Writing (p. 367).
Students pursuing both a major and a minor (or two majors) offered by the Department of English may double-count a maximum of two English courses toward the fulfillment of their degree requirements. They must also have an additional major or minor in a department other than English.

**Departmental Honors in English**

Students interested in seeking Departmental Honors in English should consult the Director of Undergraduate Studies in English, normally before the end of the junior year.

To enter the program a student must have achieved by the end of the junior year at least a 3.5 average in English courses and a 3.3 average overall. In addition to fulfilling the requirements for the Major in English (with a concentration in Literature), the candidate for Departmental Honors must:

1. Take at least three literature courses numbered 400 or above in fulfilling requirement #2 of the English Literature Major.
2. Complete a six-credit-hour Senior Thesis. This thesis is a documented essay of about 10,000 words on a literary subject. The student undertaking a Senior Thesis normally registers in ENG 497 for the first semester of the project, and in ENG 498 for the second semester. The student must receive a grade of B or higher in both courses in order to qualify for honors. (6 credit hours)
3. While taking ENG 497 and ENG 498, participate in any workshops offered by the English Department for students engaged in independent research projects.
4. Receive for the thesis a recommendation for honors by the director of the Senior Thesis and by one other faculty reader from the Department of English.
5. Achieve an average in the major of at least 3.5, and an overall average of at least 3.3.

Total: 36 credit hours

**Departmental Honors in Creative Writing**

Students interested in seeking Departmental Honors in Creative Writing should consult the Director of Creative Writing, normally before the end of the junior year.

To enter the program a student must have achieved by the end of the junior year at least a 3.5 average in English courses (including courses in creative writing) and a 3.3 average overall. In addition to meeting the requirements for the Creative Writing Concentration, the candidate for Departmental Honors must:

1. Take at least three literature courses numbered 400 or above in fulfilling requirement #3 of the Creative Writing Concentration.
2. Complete a six-credit-hour Senior Creative Writing Project. The student undertaking this project normally registers in ENG 497 for the first semester of the project, and in ENG 498 for the second semester. The student must receive a grade of B or higher in both courses in order to qualify for honors. (6 credit hours)
3. Receive for the project a recommendation for honors by the director of the Senior Creative Writing Project and by one other faculty reader designated by the Director of Creative Writing.
4. Achieve an average in the major of at least 3.5, and an overall average of at least 3.3.

Total: 36 credit hours

**Departmental Honors in Women's Literature**

Students interested in seeking Departmental Honors in Women's Literature should consult the Director of Undergraduate Studies in English, normally before the end of the junior year.

To enter the program a student must have achieved by the end of the junior year at least a 3.5 average in English courses and a 3.3 average overall. In addition to fulfilling the requirements for the Women's Literature Concentration, the candidate for Departmental Honors must:

1. Take at least three literature courses numbered 400 or above in fulfilling requirements #2 and #3 of the Women's Literature Concentration.
2. Complete a six-credit-hour Senior Thesis. This thesis is a documented essay of about 10,000 words on a literary subject. The student undertaking a Senior Thesis normally registers in ENG 497 for the first semester of the project, and in ENG 498 for the second semester. The student must receive a grade of B or higher in both courses in order to qualify for honors. (6 credit hours)
3. While taking ENG 497 and ENG 498, participate in any workshops offered by the English Department for students engaged in independent research projects.
4. Receive for the thesis a recommendation for honors by the director of the Senior Thesis and by one other faculty reader from the Department of English.
5. Achieve an average in the major of at least 3.5, and an overall average of at least 3.3.

Total: 36 credit hours
ENG 101. Writing Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
ENG 101 will provide students with consistent and sustained support for their reading and writing needs in ENG 105. Students will schedule one-hour per week standing appointments with Writing Center tutors. These standing appointments will be used exclusively to support the work of the ENG 105 course and must be kept throughout the entire semester.
Corequisite: ENG 105. and Requisite: (ACT English >=18 and <=31) or (SAT Evidence-Based Reading and Writing >=430 and <=690) or (SAT Critical Reading >=430 and <=690) or (TOEFL iBT Writing >=18).
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ENG 103. Basic Academic Writing. 3 Credit Hours.
Intensive approach to the basics of academic writing with emphasis on building written fluency, using conventions of standard written English, and editing for precision and correctness. Intended for students who need extra preparation before entering ENG 105. Not for credit toward graduation. Requisite: ACT English score below 18; or SAT Evidence-Based Reading and Writing or Critical Reading score below 430; or TOEFL iBT Writing score below 18.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ENG 105. English Composition I. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to written academic argument and inquiry. Not for major or minor. Cannot be taken on credit-only option. Requisite: ACT English score 18-31; or SAT Evidence-Based Reading and Writing or Critical Reading score 430-690; or TOEFL iBT Writing score 18 or above.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ENG 106. English Composition II. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced approaches to written academic argument, with emphasis on textual analysis and incorporation of secondary sources. Not for major or minor. Cannot be taken on credit-only option. Requisite: ENG 105 OR ACT English score 32 or above; or SAT Evidence-Based Reading and Writing or Critical Reading score 700 or above or Foote Fellow designation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ENG 107. English Composition II: Science and Technology. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced approaches to written academic argument, with emphasis on textual analysis and incorporating source material using readings and approaches connected to science and technology. Alternative to ENG 106. Not for major or minor. Cannot be taken on credit-only option. Prerequisite: ENG 105 or Requisite: ACT English score 32 or above; or SAT Evidence-Based Reading and Writing or Critical Reading score 700 or above.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ENG 201. World Literary Masterpieces I. 3 Credit Hours.
Comparative study of literary masterpieces from ancient times through the Renaissance. Satisfies writing requirement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ENG 202. World Literary Masterpieces II. 3 Credit Hours.
Comparative study of literary masterpieces from the Renaissance to the present. Satisfies writing requirement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ENG 205. Jewish Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Selections from the Bible, the Talmud, the Kabbalah, medieval poetry and prose, Yiddish and Sephardic literature, and contemporary American and Israeli writers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ENG 208. Advanced Academic Writing for Transfer Students. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of research techniques and revision strategies. Completes the university composition requirement for those students who transfer into UM with credit for one composition course from another institution. Open only to transfer students who have received transfer credit for either English 105 or English 106. Not open to students who have taken either English 105 and/or 106 at UM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ENG 209. Creative Writing. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis and writing of Short stories and poems. Cannot be taken for credit only.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ENG 210. Literary Themes and Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Literary analysis and practice in critical writing through the study of selected works; themes and topics vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 211. English Literature I. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected readings from the middle ages to the late 18th century. Satisfies writing requirement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ENG 212. English Literature II. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected readings from the late 18th century to the present. Satisfies writing requirement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ENG 213. American Literature I. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected American authors prior to the Civil War. Satisfies writing requirement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ENG 214. American Literature II. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected American authors from the Civil War to the present. Satisfies writing requirement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ENG 215. English and American Literature by Women. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of women writers from the Middle Ages to the present; explores the female literary tradition and women's relationship to culture and society.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 219. CW Beginning Mixed Genre Workshop. 3 Credit Hours.
A multi-genre workshop that will focus on developing practical issues of craft and technique presented in ENG 209 with an emphasis on form and narrative. Classes feature writing exercises and discussions of both student work and readings from contemporary fiction, poetry and a third genre (e.g., playwriting, nonfiction or screenplay).
ENG 209 may not be taken in the same term with another creative writing course (i.e., ENG 209, ENG 290, ENG 292, ENG 390, ENG 391, ENG 392, ENG 404, ENG 406 Or ENG 408.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ENG 220. Introduction to Poetry. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the forms of poetry through the analysis of representative poems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ENG 221. Introduction to Fiction. 3 Credit Hours.
Forms of prose fiction and the analysis of representative short stories and novels.
Pre/Corequisite: ENG 106.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 230. Advanced Professional Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
Professional writing with critical attention to complex rhetorical situations. Practice in formal and informal written communication styles.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ENG 231. Advanced Writing for Arts and Humanities. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced instruction in writing for specialist and non-specialist audiences on topics in the Arts and Humanities disciplines, with an emphasis on essay and multimodal forms of communication.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107 or ENG 208.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 232. Advanced Writing for People and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced instruction in writing for specialist and non-specialist audiences on topics in the People and Society disciplines, with an emphasis on essay and multimodal forms of communication.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107 or ENG 208.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 233. Advanced Writing for STEM. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced instruction in writing for specialist and non-specialist audiences on topics in the STEM disciplines, with an emphasis on essay and multimodal forms of communication.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107 or ENG 208.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 240. Literature and Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
Patients, doctors, and disease itself offer writers avenues to explore ultimate questions. In this course we will examine medicine—and these ultimate questions—as represented in fiction, drama, poetry, and non-fiction. We will consider the works in terms of both the implications for medicine and the literary uses to which medicine can be put.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 241. Art of the Con: Con Artists, Tricksters, and Card Sharks in U.S. Literature and Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will read novels, examine archival materials, review graphic novels, and watch films and TV shows about con artists and tricksters in American culture. In addition to writing essays, this course will provide students with the opportunity to learn how to annotate films in multimedia formats. Students will also learn about actual confidence games and frauds that rely upon narrative structures.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 242. Literature and Law. 3 Credit Hours.
In this course we will study literary works, from a number of different historical periods, that focus on law and legal systems as a major theme. We will examine the ways in which authors represent the nature of law, the actual workings of law, and the relationship between law and ideals of justice. We will also consider other intersections between literature and law, such as legal efforts to censor literary works on political or moral grounds, and the connection between legal and literary interpretation. Authors to be studied will include writers such as Sophocles, Plato, Shakespeare, Balzac, Melville, Kafka, and Ginsberg.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ENG 243. Contemporary American Migrations. 3 Credit Hours.
What does it mean to say “America is a nation of immigrants?” As a literary form, the American immigrant narrative describes the process of migration, Americanization and (un)settlement. How do authors portray immigrant experiences? Which stories are privileged and which silenced? Centering Miami and the state of Florida, we will read and watch narratives of American immigration, attending to how race, gender, class and sexuality as well as the changing character and policies of place have shaped immigrant experiences. In addition, we will explore the following questions: Is ethnicity in opposition to Americanness? How is identity transformed by migration? How and why is home remembered? Finally, what are the constitutive tropes of American immigrant fiction, and what narrative strategies are deployed to tell these stories?
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ENG 244. Contemporary Disaster Fiction. 3 Credit Hours.
It seems we are confronted almost daily with some new disaster. From natural disasters spurred on by climate change to global pandemics, from war and genocide to never-ending recessions, poverty, and racism – living in the twenty-first century means living with the effects of daily catastrophe. While the outlines of these disasters as they are reported in the media and represented by Hollywood are predictable, the explorations of disaster in literature are less familiar. This course will explore how contemporary literature imagines catastrophe, focusing on the social, political, and historical contexts of disaster fiction. How does contemporary literature question, rewrite, or challenge what a disaster means? How does it encourage us to think about disaster differently, and, most importantly, to change our responses to it?
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ENG 245. The Circle of Knowledge: Science and the Humanities. 3 Credit Hours.
Major works in the debate over the arts and sciences from the classical Greeks and the humanistic Renaissance to the Scientific Revolution, the impact of Darwin, the cognitive revolution in science, and postmodern interdisciplinarity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ENG 246. The Harlem Renaissance and Its Afterparties. 3 Credit Hours.
In order to fully appreciate the interdisciplinary nature of the Harlem Renaissance, we will grapple with music and visual culture as well as literary texts. In other words, this is a multimedia course! Students will be asked to consider the ways in which film, music, dance, and literature conceptualize race in America. Together, we will use these various modes of artistic production to question the distinctions between spontaneity and performance, between music and literature, and between the Black arts of the present and the Black arts of the past. Students will be responsible for two 4-6 page close readings, reading quizzes, and a final project entitled Afterparties of the Harlem Renaissance in which they will connect the work of a Harlem Renaissance artist with the work of a contemporary artist.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ENG 247. Afrofuturism. 3 Credit Hours.
The massive success of the film Black Panther and Janelle Monae's album Dirty Computer suggests that African American artists are providing broadly resonant solutions to our most urgent political concerns, constructing alternative models of liberation and self-governance through art. These works are often described as Afrofuturist, an outlook that blends science fiction tropes like space exploration, post-apocalyptic landscapes, and technological advancement with Afrocentric themes and aesthetics. In this course, we will turn a critical eye on contemporary works by Afrofuturist thinkers like Sun Ra, Nnedi Okorafor, and Octavia Butler. Through a variety of different mediums (political theory, literature, film, music, and visual culture), we will seek to answer why so many Black thinkers have turned to speculative and science fiction to imagine social and political change. This is a reading and writing intensive class. In some weeks, students are expected to read entire novels, so make sure to get a head start on reading-heavy weeks. By studying films and music released within the past several years alongside works of literature, it is my hope that students will turn the same critical lens that they use on literature to the media they consume every day.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ENG 248. Curiosity: Vice and Virtue in Science and Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
 Though we now recognize curiosity as a mostly positive character trait, most western Europeans from antiquity through the middle ages considered curiosity a dangerous vice. This perspective has lived on in sayings like curiosity killed the cat, in stories about both mad scientists and nosy children, and in our society's frequent anxieties about the unknown effects of new technologies, like cloning. What happened to bring about such a dramatic change in how curiosity was valued? What might make this desire to know either good or evil, hopeful or dangerous? To explore this question, this seminar will direct our own curiosity to a range of examples from both science and literature about characters who display exceptional curiosity, along with the consequences brought about by their desire to know. We will explore the lives of historical scientists alongside literature's myriad stories of men and women who knew too much, from Adam and Eve to Alice in Wonderland, from Doctor Faustus to Doctor Frankenstein and Sherlock Holmes. We will examine theological arguments that depicted curiosity as a vice; the biblical account of the Fall; stories of mad scientists; fairy tales; and depictions of detectives and spies on television and film. Together, we will think carefully about what might have seemed dangerous about knowledge in the past, and what might remain dangerous about it (and our own pursuits in the classroom) today.
 Components: LEC.
 Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Fall.

ENG 250. Studies in English. 1-5 Credit Hours.
 Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
 Components: LEC.
 Grading: GRD.

ENG 251. Studies in English. 1-5 Credit Hours.
 Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
 Components: LEC.
 Grading: GRD.

ENG 253. Studies in English. 1-5 Credit Hours.
 Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
 Components: LEC.
 Grading: GRD.

ENG 254. Studies in English. 1-5 Credit Hours.
 Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
 Components: LEC.
 Grading: GRD.

ENG 255. Studies in English. 1-5 Credit Hours.
 Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
 Components: LEC.
 Grading: GRD.

ENG 257. Studies in English. 1-5 Credit Hours.
 Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
 Components: LEC.
 Grading: GRD.

ENG 258. Studies in English. 1-5 Credit Hours.
 Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
 Components: LEC.
 Grading: GRD.

ENG 259. Studies in English. 1-5 Credit Hours.
 Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
 Components: LEC.
 Grading: GRD.

ENG 260. African-American Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
 Selected readings of the eighteenth century to the present.
 Components: LEC.
 Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 261. Literature of the Americas. 3 Credit Hours.
 Selected readings from North, Central, and South American, and Caribbean literature from their origins to the present.
 Components: LEC.
 Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ENG 290. Beginning Fiction Workshop. 3 Credit Hours.
Frequent exercises in workshop environment, with readings in contemporary fiction. Attention to tense and points of view; reviews of grammar and punctuation. 30-40 pages of creative writing, including development and revision of one full-length short story (12-20 pages).
Prerequisite: ENG 209 or Requisite: Creative Writing Majors.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ENG 292. Beginning Poetry Workshop. 3 Credit Hours.
Emphasis of creation and critique of new student poetry in workshop setting; continued reading in genre. Variety of styles and techniques presented, including line, image and metaphor. 12-15 new poems, plus revisions, required.
Prerequisite: ENG 209. or Requisite: Creative Writing Majors.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ENG 301. The Study of Language. 3 Credit Hours.
Language itself as an object of study; broad linguistic issues of language types, processes of language change, and language variation. Emphasis on language in "real world" applications such as law, folk culture, poetry, education, and computers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 306. Advanced Composition. 3 Credit Hours.
Composition and analysis of English prose. Topics vary. May be repeated if topics are different.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 310. Literature and Culture in Classical Greece and Rome, I. 3 Credit Hours.
Major pre-classical and classical Greek writers, including Homer, Sappho, Pindar, Aeschylus, Herodotus, and Sophocles, treated by close analysis, and attention to connecting themes; Greek art and archeology in reference to specific texts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 311. Literature and Culture in Classical Greece and Rome, II. 3 Credit Hours.
Thucydides on the Peloponnesian War; the drama of Euripides and Aristophanes; the dialogues of Plato on Socrates' trial and death; Aristotle's Poetics. Early Roman tradition; Rome and its relation to Greek culture; Livy on Roman history; Cicero, Virgil's Aeneid, Marcus Aurelius.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 312. The European Middle Ages. 3 Credit Hours.
British and continental literature and thought from the 5th through the 15th centuries.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 313. The European Renaissance. 3 Credit Hours.
Major writers of the European Renaissance, such as Petrarch, Machiavelli, Castiglione, Erasmus, More, Rabelais, Montaigne, Marguerite de Navarre.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 314. The European Enlightenment. 3 Credit Hours.
Major writers of the European Enlightenment, such as Locke, Montesquieu, Vico, Hume, Voltaire, Rousseau, Diderot, Lessing, Smith, and Kant.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ENG 315. The Classical Epic Tradition. 3 Credit Hours.
The rise and development of the Western epic tradition from Homer, Lucretius, and Virgil in the classical world, through Dante in the Middle Ages, Milton in the Renaissance, and Wordsworth and Eliot in modernity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 316. Early Celtic Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Study in translation of literary, hagiographic, and historiographic sources, principally from Irish, Welsh, and Latin, dating from 800 to 1800, with an introduction to source languages and to Celtic cultures beginning in the prehistoric era.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 319. Shakespeare. 3 Credit Hours.
Representative comedies, histories, tragedies and romances. Not for students who have taken ENG 430 or 431; may not be taken concurrently with ENG 430 or 431.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 321. Major American Novelists. 3 Credit Hours.
Works by selected American novelists.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 323. Major British Novelists. 3 Credit Hours.
Works by selected British novelists.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 325. Major European Novelists. 3 Credit Hours.
Works by selected European novelists.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 331. Legal Writing. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the composition of legal arguments in court opinions, legal briefs, oral arguments before the Supreme Court, and social-legal documents. Emphasis on analysis of issues, structure and style of legal writing, and the function of logic in persuasion.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 332. Writing for Civic Engagement. 3 Credit Hours.
This class will deeply and critically engage with a variety of texts while focusing on the value of our first-amendment rights, giving particular attention to the freedom of expression and freedom of the press including analysis of prison-writing exchange facilitated by the prison-education nonprofit Exchange for Change.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ENG 333. Writing the Research Paper. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced techniques in conducting research and writing the research paper. Use of traditional library resources, on-line searches, the Internet, and other research methods. Strategies for effective presentation of research findings. Students not in the Bachelor of General Studies program need permission of instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ENG 334. Legal Rhetoric. 3 Credit Hours.
Legal texts and the rhetoric of legal discourse.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 340. Forms of the Novel. 3 Credit Hours.
Techniques and esthetics of the novel form; emphasis on major tendencies in the evolution of long prose fiction rather than on chronological
development.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 341. Modern British and American Poetry. 3 Credit Hours.
Representative poets and critics of poetry since 1900; attention to the basic principles of poetics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 342. Lyric Voices and Traditions. 3 Credit Hours.
Major figures and trends in the history of lyric poetry.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 344. Data and Contemporary Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
Data is often considered the domain of scientists and statisticians. But the proliferation of data and databases across nearly all aspects of daily life
– powering everything from the targeted advertisements you see when you go online to the fake news circulating on Facebook to the next financial
recession – has made the study and understanding of the concept of data a vital everyday concern. This course provides an introduction to the
meaning, uses, and politics of data today. Readings are drawn from literary and cultural studies, media studies, science and technology studies,
sociology, information science, and the digital humanities. No prior technical experience is required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ENG 345. Edgar Allan Poe and the U.S. Gothic. 3 Credit Hours.
In this course, we will read most of Edgar Allan Poe’s short stories, his only novel, and many of his poems. We will also watch TV shows and films
inspired by his gothic vision.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 348. Modern African Literature and Film. 3 Credit Hours.
This class will give students an introduction to the amazing range of African literature and film from the era of independence from colonialism in
the late 1950s, through the postcolonial Cold War era, into the post-apartheid, post-Arab Spring present. African writers and film-makers have been
unusually politically engaged, but they are also often aesthetically experimental, and their works tell stories that often challenge preconceived notions
about the continent. We will look at some of the most historically important writers and film-makers, and examine a few of the big debates in African
literary studies, such as the question of why and how writers use the languages of the former colonizers; but the class will also emphasize questions
of gender and sexuality in African cultural production, and highlight the vibrant work of female and queer writers and film-makers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ENG 350. Studies in English. 3 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ENG 351. Studies in English. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
ENG 352. Studies in English. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ENG 353. Studies in English. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ENG 354. Studies in English. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ENG 355. Studies in English. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ENG 356. Studies in English. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ENG 357. Studies in English. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ENG 358. Studies in English. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ENG 360. Comparative Literature of the Black World. 3 Credit Hours.
Oral and written Black literature in Africa, the United States, the Caribbean, and South America.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 361. Caribbean Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to twentieth-century literature with special emphasis on the regional preoccupation with a distinctly Caribbean aesthetic.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 363. Jewish American Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Twentieth-century Jewish writers in the United States such as Singer, Bellow, Roth, Ozick, and Malamud.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ENG 364. Sephardic Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Judeo-Spanish culture and literature from medieval times to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 365. Literature of the Holocaust. 3 Credit Hours.
Literature relating to the Nazi genocide and its aftermath.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ENG 366. Asian American Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Literature by Asian immigrants and exiles in the United States.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 368. Representations of Arabs and Jews in Israeli and Palestinian Literature and Film. 3 Credit Hours.
Literary narratives and films, by both Arabs and Jews, discussing the relationship between the portrayal of Arabs and Jews within Israeli and Palestinian society. The core question we will address concerns the writer's emphatic response to the identity and history of the other. Other Issues to be examined include the influence of the literary imagination on empathy and the role of dissent and protest in society.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 372. Women Writing: Theory and Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
Women writers, emphasizing the role of gender in literary creation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 373. Literary Representations of Women. 3 Credit Hours.
The portrayal of women in literature from ancient times to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 374. Women Writers. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of women's writings and feminist criticism from 1930 to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 375. Modern Drama. 3 Credit Hours.
The major dramatists of the modern world: Ibsen, Chekhov, Strindberg, Shaw, Pirandello, and O'Neill.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 376. Contemporary Drama. 3 Credit Hours.
The dramatists of our time: Albee, Miller, Williams, Becket, Sartre, Genet, Pinter, Osborne, Stoppard, Durenmatt, and others.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 378. Animals and Humans in Literature, Art, and Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
Investigates the representation of animals and humans from ancient to contemporary times in literature, philosophy, and art, primarily in the West. Topics may include: the human treatment of animals (as subjects of experimentation, as companions, as food, as entertainment); evidence of animal subjectivity and morality; and continuities between humans and other animals.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 379. Modern Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Western literature of the modern era, emphasizing roots, traditions, practices.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 380. Contemporary Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Fiction, drama, and poetry from World War II to the present.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ENG 382. Studies in Medievalism: Tolkien, Martin, and Sources of Modern Fantasy. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of select works demonstrating how the Middle Ages are reimagined in post medieval fiction and film. Sources include works by the Inklings, J. R. R. Tolkien, George R. R. Martin, J. K. Rowling, Monty Python, and others, along with selections from medieval literary and documentary sources, and critical readings in medievalism.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ENG 383. The Literature of Science Fiction. 3 Credit Hours.
A general survey of the literature of science fiction, with emphasis on writings of the twentieth century.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 384. The Bible as Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected readings from the Bible.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 385. Myth and Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of myth and ritual and their relation to literary works, from the early epic to contemporary literature.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 386. King Arthur in Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
King Arthur in literature from the fifteenth to the twentieth century in England and America.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 387. Literature and Imperialism. 3 Credit Hours.
Relationships between empire and literary expression. Works by authors such as Shakespeare, Behn, Defoe, Bronte, Conrad, Kipling, Melville, Yeats, Twain, and Forster.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 388. Literature and Popular Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
Literary forms of popular expression, considered in relation to politics, ideology, gender, or race; comparison to other forms of popular culture in print, music, or the visual media.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 389. The Sixties: Literature, History, and Culture of the 1960s. 3 Credit Hours.
1960s culture in the United States through literature, film, and oral accounts of experience of the period.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 390. Intermediate Fiction Workshop. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of craft issues presented in 290, with emphasis on development of structure and contemporary use of point of view.
Prerequisite: ENG 219 or ENG 290.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ENG 391. CW Intermediate Mixed-Genre Workshop. 3 Credit Hours.
A multi-genre workshop that will focus on developing practical issues of craft and technique presented in ENG 219 with an emphasis on exploring point of view in fiction, poetry and nonfiction. 12-30 pages of original work will be submitted and revised in workshop. In addition, the student will submit a final craft essay (10-12 pages) on a topic relevant to student’s writing interests and challenges.
Prerequisite: ENG 219.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ENG 392. Intermediate Poetry Workshop. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of craft issues presented in 292, integrating formal strategies with research topics. ENG 219 Or ENG 292.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ENG 395. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 396. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 397. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 398. Directed Readings/Directed Research. 3 Credit Hours.
By arrangement with instructor. Content varies.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 401. Senior Seminar in Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
An intensive study of a literary topic or figure.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ENG 402. Independent Study. 3 Credit Hours.
An intensive study of a literary topic or figure.
Components: IND.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 404. Creative Writing (Prose Fiction). 3 Credit Hours.
Work toward professional standards primarily in prose fiction. Student fiction is considered in workshop sessions with comment by members of the class and instructors.
ENG 390.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 406. Creative Writing (Poetry). 3 Credit Hours.
Work toward professional standards in poetry. Student poetry is considered in workshop sessions with comment by members of the class and by instructor.
ENG 392.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ENG 407. Creative Writing Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced skills and processes essential to producing compelling fiction, poetry, or nonfiction in designated genre and form. A portfolio of writing in specified genre and form to result from broad readings and research.
Prerequisite: ENG 105 or 106.
Components: WKS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 408. Writing Autobiography. 3 Credit Hours.
Literary style and method using student autobiography as a resource.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 410. Old English Language and Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
The grammar, syntax, and phonology of Old English language; readings in Old English poetry and prose.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 411. Old English Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Translation and Close analysis of Beowulf or other major poetic texts of Old English literature.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 420. Chaucer. 3 Credit Hours.
Chaucer's major works.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 430. Shakespeare: The Early Plays. 3 Credit Hours.
Shakespeare's plays from the period 1583-1600. May not be taken concurrently with ENG 319.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 431. Shakespeare: The Later Plays. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the second half of Shakespeare's canon, read in chronological sequence. The plays will be selected from those composed in the period 1600-1611. May not be taken concurrently with ENG 319.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 432. English Renaissance Poetry and Prose. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of such figures as Wyatt, Sidney, Spenser, Nashe, Marlowe, Shakespeare, Jonson, Donne, Bacon, Milton.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 433. English Renaissance Drama. 3 Credit Hours.
English drama during the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 434. Seventeenth-Century Poetry and Prose. 3 Credit Hours.
Seventeenth-century writers and forms, including work by major and minor writers such as James I, Jonson, Donne, Bacon, Lovelace, Carew, Herrick, Andrewes, Herbert, Milton, Marvell, Clarendon, Dryden, Rochester, Behn, and Bunyan.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ENG 435. Milton. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected readings in the poetry and prose of John Milton.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 440. Restoration and Eighteenth-Century Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
English poetry and prose, exclusive of the novel, from Dryden to Burns.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 441. 18th-Century British Novel. 3 Credit Hours.
The British novel through the late eighteenth century.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 442. Politics and Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Relations between political theories and forms of literary expression.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 445. Victorian Poetry and Prose. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected English poetry and prose of the period, exclusive of the novel.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 450. The Early Romantic Period. 3 Credit Hours.
The rise of Romanticism in England and the first generation of writers, Blake, Wordsworth, Coleridge, and their contemporaries.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 451. The Late Romantic Period. 3 Credit Hours.
The second generation of English Romantic writers: Byron, Shelley, Keats, and their contemporaries.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 452. Jane Austen and Literary Criticism. 3 Credit Hours.
Jane Austen is both an influential, critically celebrated novelist and a cult figure. In this discussion course we will read five of Austen's six novels, employing some of the most illuminating criticism and responses to develop our understanding of Austen's work, her place in literature, and her place in popular culture. We will also consider the assumptions and purposes of the criticism and theory we read.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 455. Victorian Poetry and Prose. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected English poetry and prose of the period, exclusive of the novel.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 456. Nineteenth-Century English Novel. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies in the development of the English novel from Scott to Conrad.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 460. Modern British Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies in Edwardian and Modern literature. Modernist theory and techniques will be illustrated by reference to the work of selected major figures since 1900.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 461. Contemporary British Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
British literature from World War II to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ENG 465. Irish Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Twentieth-century Irish writers such as Yeats, Synge, Joyce, Stephens, O'Casey, Beckett, and Lavin. Consideration of Irish history, mythology, politics, and culture.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 466. Joyce. 3 Credit Hours.
The major works of James Joyce.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 470. Contemporary British and American Poetry. 3 Credit Hours.
The poetry of the contemporary period, 1945 to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 472. Literature and Psychoanalytic Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the ways in which Literature, Literary Criticism, and Psychoanalytic Theory interact.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 473. Twentieth-Century Literary Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the major theories of the past century (e.g., psychoanalytic, formalist, materialist, feminist, new historicist).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 479. Storied Pasts: Nineteenth-Century U.S. History and Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
This interdisciplinary course explores 19th-century American intellectual and cultural history through the lens of literature. Analyzing key works of fiction, poetry, and philosophy as both literary texts and historical sources, we will seek to discover how the changing themes and forms of nineteenth-century literature shaped and/or reflected larger intellectual, political, and social currents. Students will read novels by authors such as Hawthorne, Melville, Twain, Jewett, Gilman, James, Wharton, and Crane alongside historical material.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 480. Early American Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
American writing before 1800. Topics such as colonialism, ethnicity, nationalism, and the ideology of individualism.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 482. American Literature: 1800-1865. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics such as individualism, slavery, class and gender relations. Works by Emerson, Poe, Hawthorne, Melville, Douglass, Stowe, and others.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 483. American Literature: 1865-1915. 3 Credit Hours.
The works of such writers as Twain, Howells, James, Dickinson, Robinson, Crane, Norris, London, and Dreiser.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 484. American Literature: 1915 to 1945. 3 Credit Hours.
The works of such writers as Pound, Eliot, H.D., Stein, Frost, Stevens, e.e. cummings, Ransom, Tate, Fitzgerald, Hemingway, Djuna Barnes, Faulkner, O'Neill.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ENG 485. American Literature: 1945 to the Present. 3 Credit Hours.
An intensive inquiry into the works of such writers as Albee, Bellow, Ferlinghetti, Ginsberg, Kerouac, Mailer, Miller, O'Connor, Plath, Welty.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 486. Early African-American Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
African-American literature from the beginnings to the Harlem Renaissance of the nineteen twenties.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 487. Modern African-American Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
African-American literature from the Harlem Renaissance to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 488. Race, Ethnicity, and Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Topic varies by semester. The Construction of racial and ethnic difference in literature, focusing on the politics of group affiliation and identity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 489. Queer Sexualities: Literature and Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
This class will examine a wide variety of texts in order to think about how sexuality has been represented in different historical periods, from different cultural locations, and through different literary genres and forms. We will start with the contemporary coming-out narrative of modern Western lesbian and gay identity, and then look at a series of texts that challenge us to think about desire, gender, bodies, family, and language in new ways.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 490. Studies in Women and Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester. Topics such as women in classical antiquity, women in the middle ages, women in the Renaissance, women in the Restoration and eighteenth century, women in the Romantic and Victorian period.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 491. Russian and Soviet Classics in English. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey of Russian literature in translation from the late 19th century to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 492. Postcolonial Literature and Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
The legacy of colonialism as expressed in the works of Gordimer, Rushdie, Achebe, Walcott, Cesaire, Naipaul, Mukherjee, Crow Dog, Menchu, and others. Readings will address theoretical issues such as national formation, cultural hybridity, and globalization.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 493. History of Literary Criticism. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 494. Feminist Literary Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of women's contributions to literary theory.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ENG 495. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated parenthetically following the title in the class schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 496. Independent Study. 3 Credit Hours.
By arrangement with instructor. Content varies by semester. May be used for single semester thesis.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 497. Senior Thesis I. 3 Credit Hours.
Partial requirement for Departmental Honors in English Literature or Creative Writing. Research and preparation for writing senior thesis or creative project. To complete thesis, student must register for ENG 498 in following semester. Student will participate in a series of 3-4 pre-arranged workshops over the course of the two semesters.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 498. Senior Thesis II. 3 Credit Hours.
Partial requirement for Departmental Honors in English Literature or Creative Writing. Writing of either a documented essay on a literary subject or project in prose fiction or poetry, to be written under the direction of a member of the faculty. Student will participate in a series of 3-4 pre-arranged workshops over the course of the two semesters.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 499. Senior Creative Writing Project. 3 Credit Hours.
Partial requirement for Departmental Honors in Creative Writing. Project, in prose fiction or poetry, to be written under the direction of a member of the creative writing faculty.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 504. Form in Poetry. 3 Credit Hours.
Poetic works as literary objects, with attention to poetic trends and the creative process.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 505. Form in Fiction. 3 Credit Hours.
Fictional works as literary objects with attention to individual styles, Fictional Trends and the creative process.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 595. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

B.A. in English
Curriculum Requirements - English Major
Requirements for the Major in English (with a concentration in Literature) are as follows:

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### B.A. in English

#### 2. Select Five Literature Courses numbered 300 or above. At least Two must be numbered 400 or above. The courses must be distributed as follows:

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1. Select two courses numbered 300 or above in literature before 1700
2. Select two courses numbered 300 or above in literature between 1700 and 1900
3. Select one course numbered 300 or above in literature since 1900

#### 3. Select Four additional English courses other than freshman composition

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#### Curriculum Requirements - Concentration in British Literary History

1. Complete the two-semester survey of British literature:

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2. Select Eight English courses numbered 300 or above, at least Four of which must be numbered 400 or above. These courses must be distributed as follows:

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Select one course numbered 300 or above on Shakespeare
Select one course numbered 300 or above on literary theory or the history of criticism
Select two additional courses numbered 300 or above in British literature (or a combination of British and other literatures) before 1800
Select two additional courses numbered 300 or above in British literature (or a combination of British and other literatures) after 1800
Select two ENG electives numbered 300 or above
3. Recommended Courses:
Select ancillary courses in Art History, Music, History, and Philosophy, in consultation with a departmental advisor.

**Total credits required for the major:** 30

4. Additional Graduation Requirements:

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Language Requirement (3-9 credits, depending on the student's initial placement in the language chosen)

**Minor**

People & Society Cognate 1

STEM Cognate 2

Natural Science course 3

Advanced Writing & Communication 4

Electives 5

**Total Credit Hours**

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**Curriculum Requirements - Concentration in Creative Writing**

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3. Select FOUR LITERATURE courses numbered 300 or above, at least TWO of which must cover literature earlier than 1900. At least TWO of the four courses must be numbered 400 or above. 12

4. Select one additional LITERATURE course numbered 200 or higher 3

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**Select TWO courses in literature before 1700**

**Select two courses in literature between 1700 and 1900**

**Select FIVE additional English courses other than freshman composition** 15

**Select 3 of the following courses:** 6

- ENG 372 Women Writing: Theory and Practice
- ENG 373 Literary Representations of Women
- ENG 374 Women Writers
- ENG 490 Studies in Women and Literature
- ENG 494 Feminist Literary Theory

Any 200 level course except ENG 215

**Recommended Courses:**

Select ancillary courses in Women's and Gender Studies, in consultation with a departmental advisor

**Total credits required for the major:** 30 (36 credits required for Departmental Honors)

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Suggested Plan of Study - Concentration in Women's Literature

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**Mission**

The mission of the English Department undergraduate program is to lead student learning in literary form and history; Standard English expression; critical thinking, writing, and research skills; and ethical reflection via the study of literature and other cultural productions. Students who complete an undergraduate degree in English will be prepared for graduate study in areas such as English and law, or for employment in any position requiring skills in critical thinking and in writing.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Student demonstrates broad and select knowledge of literary form, of works written in or translated into English, and of literary history.
- Student achieves critical and expressive fluencies relevant to GERs in writing-intensive courses, including control of Standard English, and demonstrates ability to integrate quotations and ability to edit his/her own work.
- Student demonstrates ability to analyze literature, ability to formulate and sustain an argument with appropriate evidence and documentation, and appropriate knowledge of relevant scholarship and criticism.
Minor in Creative Writing
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After taking ENG 209, complete ONE of the following three tracks: 6

- ENG 290 & ENG 292
  - Beginning Fiction Workshop and Beginning Poetry Workshop (taken in either order)
- ENG 290 & ENG 390
  - Beginning Fiction Workshop and Intermediate Fiction Workshop
- ENG 292 & ENG 392
  - Beginning Poetry Workshop and Intermediate Poetry Workshop

Select one LITERATURE course at the 200-level 3
Select one LITERATURE course at the 300-level or above 3
Total Credit Hours 15

* Students may declare an English Minor in Creative Writing through their school or college. Submitting materials to the Creative Writing Program is not required for the minor.

** The student completes at least 15 credit hours at the 200-level or above beyond the credits earned for freshman composition.

*** A minimum grade of C- or better is required in each course and along with an overall GPA in the minor of 2.0 or better.

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Minor in English
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Gender and Sexuality Studies
https://gss.as.miami.edu/

Dept. code: GSS

Introduction
The Gender and Sexuality Studies Program at the University of Miami seeks to encourage the rigorous investigation of gender as a significant issue in all areas of human experience. It reaches across disciplines to draw on a range of methods, theories, and perspectives that help us to understand how ideas and structures based on gender shape our lives. The program's core objective is to foster the examination, open discussion, and lively debate of gender issues among faculty and students from all fields of study, enriching the undergraduate curriculum and the university's academic mission through greater communication across disciplines and colleges. Its aim is to broaden, deepen, and transform the learning community at UM and beyond.
Educational Objectives

The undergraduate curriculum in Gender and Sexuality Studies explores the ways in which ideas about gender and sexuality shape social roles and identities, as well as the ways in which race, ethnicity, class, and nationhood influence the perception and experience of gender and sexuality within particular cultures. The curriculum is informed by recent scholarship that recognizes gender and sexuality as crucial components of human experience in social, cultural, economic, political, religious, and legal contexts. It includes courses that introduce students to feminist theory and scholarship, engaging ethical and political issues of equality and justice. The program encourages students to question their assumptions about the possible meanings of female and male through the comparative study of how different societies and historical periods have viewed manhood, womanhood, and relations between women and men. Courses in Gender and Sexuality Studies enable students to acquire critical and analytical skills that they can then apply in other aspects of their educational experience at UM and beyond the university in their careers and personal development.

The LGBTQ Studies minor is designed to allow students to explore sexuality and sexual minorities from a variety of perspectives. The course will provide students with an introduction to a broad array of LGBTQ issues including visual and performing arts, literature, languages, history, social science, various theories, public policy and the law, families and other types of intimate relationships, crime, popular culture, and LGBTQ identities and communities. This widely interdisciplinary field addresses work in a broad range of scholarly disciplines including biological and cultural studies, in literature and anthropology, in the health sciences, history, and the visual arts. It ranges from archival research to the elaboration of queer theory, from the analysis of constitutional law to questions of public health, from the study of popular culture to investigations into the development and social construction of sexual identity.

Advanced Writing and Communication Requirement

To satisfy the College of Arts and Sciences writing requirement in the discipline, students majoring in GSS should take at least one GSS core course that is writing intensive (i.e., GSS 301).

Departmental Honors

Gender and Sexuality Studies majors with a cumulative GPA of at least 3.5 in GSS courses and an overall GPA of at least 3.0 may earn departmental honors by completing GSS 505 instead of the senior research project. Candidates for departmental honors are responsible for finding a faculty member who is willing to serve as thesis adviser and then complete a thesis proposal of approximately 400 words which must be approved by the thesis adviser and then the program director. The format and length of the thesis will vary according to the nature of the project. Most students writing an honors thesis as part of their GSS major will take GSS 505 twice (for a total of 6 credit hours).

GSS 201. Introduction to Gender and Sexuality Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Conceptions of masculinity and femininity; gender relations; gender inequalities; the intersections of gender with other categories of identity such as class, race, sexuality, and stages in the life cycle; and the broad impact of gender on society.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GSS 202. Introduction to LGBTQ Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender and Queer Studies minor. The LGBTQ Studies program is designed to allow students to explore sexuality and sexual minorities from a variety of perspectives. The course will provide students with an introduction to a broad array of LGBTQ issues including visual and performing arts, literature, languages, history, social science, various theories, public policy and the law, families and other types of intimate relationships, crime, popular culture, and LGBTQ identities and communities. It will be a core to the LGBTQ minor. The history of LGBTQ Studies extends to the beginnings of the LGBTQ movements of the last third of the previous century. Today, the field addresses work in a broad range of scholarly disciplines including biological and cultural studies, in literature and anthropology, in the health sciences, history, and the visual arts. It ranges from archival research to the elaboration of queer theory, from the analysis of constitutional law to questions of public health, from the study of popular culture to investigations into the development and social construction of sexual identity. Students are usually only exposed to these studies at the upper division levels of the curriculum in disparate departments. An introductory course will make these upper division courses more accessible and meaningful, as well as serve as the basic core to the minor in LGBTQ studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GSS 210. Popular representations of Queer sexualities. 3 Credit Hours.
Critical analysis of queer subjects in popular culture.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GSS 220. European Sexualities. 3 Credit Hours.
The history of European sexuality from the Greeks to present day.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
GSS 301. Feminist Inquiries. 3 Credit Hours.
A history of feminist thought, central issues in contemporary feminist theory, the emergence of feminist methodologies across a range of disciplines, and the ways in which feminist inquiry transforms our understanding of key issues across the curriculum. Writing Credit.
Prerequisite: GSS 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GSS 305. Queer Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender, transexual, and queer identities; alternative family structures; queer theory; and current debates over the meaning and validity of sexuality as a way of understanding human sexual desire, emotions and behavior.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

GSS 315. Gender, Race, and Class. 3 Credit Hours.
Conceptions and intersections of gender, race, and class in historical and contemporary cultures; the impact of these experiences on individuals and society as a whole.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GSS 320. Comparative Perspectives on Gender and Sexuality. 3 Credit Hours.
A comparative study of gender identities, gender relations, and sexualities in different cultures and societies. Writing Credit.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GSS 335. LGBTQ Communities. 3 Credit Hours.
Sociology of Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual Transgendered and Queer communities and identities. The history, methods, theory and concepts of social science research on these topics over the last half century and examines contemporary issues.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GSS 344. Gender and Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
Compares the roles played by men and women in political systems worldwide; examines public policy outcomes with significant gender-based effects, including policies on sexuality & reproductive health, gender-based violence, work & the family, and access to education.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GSS 345. Religion and Gender. 3 Credit Hours.
Religious constructions of gender identity within Christianity, with some attention to Judaism and Islam. The second Genesis creation account, which focuses on the figures of Adam and Eve, will be the focal point of our studies. An emphasis will be placed on the manner in which sexism functions within historical and present-day religious thought and practice, as well as alternative understandings of male and female identity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GSS 347. Issues in Reproductive Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
Social, economic, political, legal, religious, philosophical, and psychological aspects of the global reproductive medicine industry and related genetic technologies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GSS 348. Mental Illness, Gender, and Psychiatry. 3 Credit Hours.
An investigation of often unquestioned ideas surrounding mental illness, including the definition of mental illness itself, in the context of the burgeoning field of disability studies. The course focusses on giving a voice to those who suffer from mental illness while critiquing the mainstream discourse of mental illness as articulated and managed by mental health professionals. Particular attention is placed on the role of gender in the discourse of mental illness.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
GSS 350. Special Topics in Gender and Sexuality Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GSS 360. Special Topics in Gender and Sexuality Studies: Arts and Humanities. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics approaching gender and sexuality from the disciplinary perspectives of the arts and humanities.
Prerequisite: GSS 201 or GSS 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GSS 361. Gender and Language. 3 Credit Hours.
The ways in which language is used in the constitution of gender, from a cross-linguistic and cross-cultural perspective.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GSS 370. Special Topics in Gender and Sexuality Studies: People and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GSS 405. Gender and Sexuality in Cultural Context. 3 Credit Hours.
How cultural values shape our understanding and experience of gender and sexuality, how those values are produced and policed; and the impact of codes of conduct for gender relations on individuals and society as a whole within a specific cultural milieu. Writing Credit.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GSS 410. Gender, Sex, and the Law. 3 Credit Hours.
The impact of legal institutions and laws in shaping and regulating gender relations and sexual practices; the evolving relationship between legal codes and social values for women and men. Writing Credit.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GSS 420. Interpreting Bodies. 3 Credit Hours.
Perceptions, representations, and regulation of the physical body as a gendered and sexual site, as a source of pleasure, as a means of social validation, and as an object of coercion. Writing Credit.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GSS 450. Special Topics in Gender and Sexuality Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GSS 469. LGBTI Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
The empirical variation in public policies towards issues of concern to lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, and intersex citizens. Examines the social scientific literature on social movements to identify the factors which have helped or hindered LGBTI rights activists' efforts to improve the legal status of LGBTI citizens.
Prerequisite: POL 201 or POL 202 Or GSS 202 or GSS 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
GSS 471. Sex Babies and the State. 3 Credit Hours.
In one of the most profound revolutions of the past century, gender roles have irreversibly changed and equal rights for women and men has become a stated goal in western societies, even if not the reality. This course examines policies on reproduction, work and the family in advanced industrialized countries including Latin American Countries.
Prerequisite: POL 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GSS 499. Independent Study. 1-3 Credit Hours.
By arrangement with instructor; content varies.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GSS 501. Senior Research Project. 3 Credit Hours.
A student initiated research project with a faculty member of the student's choice and approved by the Program director. Writing Credit.
Requisite: Plan of Gender and Sexuality Studies.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GSS 505. Senior Thesis. 3 Credit Hours.
Gender and Sexuality Studies majors with a cumulative GPA of at least 3.5 in GSS courses and an overall GPA of at least 3.0 may earn departmental honors by completing an honors thesis instead of the senior research project. Candidates for departmental honors are responsible for finding a faculty member who is willing to serve as thesis adviser and then must complete a thesis proposal of approximately 400 words which must be approved by the thesis adviser and then the program director. Most students will take this course twice, for a total of six credits. Writing Credit.
Requisite: Plan of Gender and Sexuality Studies.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GSS 590. Gender and Sexuality Studies Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Internship in a community organization focusing on issues of gender or sexuality. Students arrange the Internship and propose an exhibit, project, term paper, or other materials that will be presented for academic credit at the end of the internship to the Director of the Gender and Sexuality Studies Program and a faculty sponsor for approval prior to beginning the internship. Open only to GSS majors or minors or LGBTQ Studies minors with junior or senior standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

B.A. in Gender and Sexuality Studies
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Mission
The Program in Gender and Sexuality Studies seeks to encourage the rigorous investigation of gender as a significant issue in all areas of human experience. It reaches across disciplines to draw on a range of methods, theories, and perspectives that help us to understand how ideas and structures based on gender shape our lives.

Goals
The program’s core objective is to foster the examination, open discussion, and lively debate of gender issues among faculty and students from all fields of study, enriching the undergraduate curriculum and the university’s academic mission through greater communication across disciplines and colleges. Its aim is to broaden, deepen, and transform the learning community at UM and beyond.

Student Learning Outcomes
- Students will demonstrate understanding of gender and/or sexuality as categories of analysis and as components of human experience and investigate and challenge normative models and viewpoints.
- Students will build critical and analytical thinking skills.
- Students will build their verbal and written communications skills.

Minor in Gender and Sexuality Studies

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Minor in LGBTQ Studies

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### Geography

**Dept. Code:** GEG

**Introduction**

Geography is the science of place and space. Geographers ask where things are located on the surface of the earth, why they are located where they are, how places differ from one another, and how people interact with the environment. There are two main branches of geography: human geography and physical geography. Human geography is concerned with the spatial aspects of human existence. Physical geographers study patterns of climates, landforms, vegetation, soils, and water. Thus, Geography links the social sciences and natural sciences.

Geographers use many tools and techniques in their work, and geographic technologies are increasingly among the most important emerging fields for understanding our complex world. They include Geographic Information Systems (GIS), Remote Sensing, Global Positioning Systems (GPS), online mapping platforms such as Google Earth, statistics, survey research, and others.

Geographers work in many different areas, such as environmental management, education, disaster response, city and county planning, community development, and more. Geography is an interdisciplinary field that offers diverse career opportunities.

The relevance and prestige of Geography as a discipline was helped enormously during the past 20 years by four key developments:

1. the emergence of “globalization” as a phenomenon requiring analysis and explanation;
2. the increasing recognition of space and place in cognate social and physical sciences;
3. deepening concern for nature-society interactions and issues of environmental sustainability, development, and climate change;
4. the development of geographic information systems (GIS and GIScience) and remote sensing technologies and their widespread adoption by organizations in both the public and private sectors.

Knowledge of GIS and Geospatial Technology can be important in the field of geography and cognate disciplines. The US Bureau of Labor Statistics has identified GIS as a top emerging field, with more than 41,000 GIS-related job postings in 2016, according to Education Advisory Board research.

**Educational Objectives**

Geography offers specializations in areas such as

- Geographic Information Systems and Remote Sensing
- Medical Geography and Global Health
- Urban Geography and International urbanization
- Environmental Studies

Geography offers courses that provide training in indispensable skills for everyone entering the present-day labor market:

- Research Methodology
- Statistics
- Computer Cartography
- Geographic Information Systems (GIS)
- Remote Sensing of the Environment
- Survey Research

**Study Abroad**

Majors are strongly encouraged to study abroad. Study abroad at carefully selected institutions will complement the student’s curriculum and area of specialization, will enhance fluency in a foreign language, and will result in heightened affinity for a foreign culture. The study abroad experience need not result in credit overloads or extended time spent in the program.

**Writing within the Discipline**
To satisfy the College of Arts and Sciences writing requirement in the discipline, students whose first major is Geography must take at least one of the following courses for a writing credit: GEG 306, GEG 346, GEG 402.

Degree Programs

The major in Geography leads to a Bachelor of Arts Degree, or a Bachelor of Science Degree.

Departmental Honors in Geography

The Department of Geography encourages its majors and minors to intensify and deepen their knowledge of Geography through its Departmental Honors Program. The program is designed to give our students the opportunity to explore various topics and problems in Geography that are of particular interest to them, to work more closely with faculty in the department, to develop skills in research and thesis preparation, and in some cases to prepare for graduate work in Geography or other disciplines.

Minimum requirements for the program are as follows:

1. a cumulative grade point average of at least 3.30;
2. a cumulative grade point average in Geography of at least 3.50; and
3. a thesis that is approved by departmental faculty.

Students have 3 options for writing the thesis.

1. Students may take 6 credit hours of independent study (GEG 598) with one or more departmental faculty.
2. Students may take a 3 credit hour course offered at the 300-level or above and 3 credit hours of independent study (GEG 598).
3. In exceptional circumstances, a student’s thesis may be written as part of the requirements for earning 6 credit hours in Geography at the 300-level or above.

In all three cases, the thesis must be a single, coherent work of scholarship through which the student earns 6 credit hours in Geography over the course of two semesters.

A Geography faculty member must serve as the Honors thesis advisor, and a second reader, who may be from another department, must be selected in consultation with the thesis advisor. The thesis must be at least 30 pages in length (double spaced, 12 point font), not including tables and figures. Once the topic and committee are secured, students should turn in their signed Departmental Honors Thesis Form to the main office of the Geography Department. This form must be signed by the Director of Undergraduate Studies and submitted by October 15 for fall graduation and February 15 for Spring graduation.

In addition to completing the written thesis, students must orally present the results of their work to faculty and students at a special honors colloquium to be held at the end of the semester.

**GEG 101. Digital Earth. 3 Credit Hours.**
Explores various geospatial technologies and the societal implications of our digital world with particular emphasis locational services, mapping, imagery, and other capabilities.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**GEG 105. World Regional Geography. 3 Credit Hours.**
An introduction to geography’s basic concepts within the framework of a comprehensive survey of the world’s major regions.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**GEG 110. Introduction to Human Geography. 3 Credit Hours.**
An introduction to the sub-fields of human geography by an examination of patterns and process in the international system.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**GEG 120. Physical Geography. 3 Credit Hours.**
The Earth system (atmosphere; hydrosphere; biosphere; lithosphere) emphasizing the interrelationships among its constituent subsystems; human-environmental interactions and geographic dimensions of these four subsystems.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
GEG 198. Geographic Information System for Engineers. 1 Credit Hour.
The fundamentals of Geographic Information Systems (GIS). A GIS is a set of hardware and software tools that allow people to work with data that are tied to a particular location. In this course students will learn how to import, analyze and display answers to spatial research questions using GIS software. By the end of the semester students should have a solid understanding of the various applications of Geographic Information Systems in numerous spheres of everyday life. No prior experience with GIS software is required for this course. This course is for College of Engineering students only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GEG 199. Geographic Information Systems for Engineers. 1 Credit Hour.
The fundamentals of Geographic Information Systems (GIS). A GIS is a set of hardware and software tools that allow people to work with data that are tied to a particular location. In this course students will learn how to import, analyze and display answers to spatial research questions using GIS software. By the end of the semester students should have a solid understanding of the various applications of Geographic Information Systems in numerous spheres of everyday life. No prior experience with GIS software is required for this course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GEG 201. Topics in Geography. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Select topics in Geography. Contents varies by semester and is indicated in parenthesis following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GEG 231. Environmental Geography. 3 Credit Hours.
Designed to encourage students to think deeply, critically, and coherently about the interaction between human societies and nature from a geographical perspective. Explores the societal dependence on natural ecosystems. Assess the magnitude and impacts of the environmental changes caused by human activities in the biosphere and evaluates the hypothesis that the earth has moved into in a new geologic epoch. Explores the concept of sustainable development and how countries are implementing it.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 235. Wine, Environment & Society. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores regional differences in wine production, consumption, economics, culture, politics, and globalization, while cultivating basic wine literacy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 241. Health and Medical Geography. 3 Credit Hours.
Integrates public health and medicine with human and environmental geography using three approaches: ecological (the interaction of disease and our natural/built environments), social (the behavioral effects of culture, poverty, and politics), and spatial (using geospatial technology to better understand and improve health services and outcomes).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GEG 266. Metropolitan Miami. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides interdisciplinary perspectives on the urbanization of South Florida and on Miami's urban milieu. The course uses the case of Metropolitan Miami to introduce and illustrate a range of basic concepts in urban studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GEG 281. Economic Geography. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores processes driving spatial patterns of economic activity at the global, national, regional, and local scales. Topic areas include economic globalization, spatial distribution of industrial sectors, multinational corporations, international trade, regional economic development, and illegal economic activities. Examines the development of the global marketplace in both the developed and the developing world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
GEG 305. Spatial Data Analysis I. 3 Credit Hours.
The use of basic methods or quantitative analysis for spatial data, including basic descriptive and inferential statistics and special techniques for spatial data.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GEG 306. Geographic Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
The fundamentals of social science research, such as research design, hypothesis formulation, and field data collection, with particular emphasis on quantitative and qualitative geographic analytical methods.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GEG 310. Geographic Information Systems I. 3 Credit Hours.
The fundamentals of Geographic Information Systems (GIS). GIS is a set of hardware and software tools that allow people to work with data that are tied to a particular location. In this course students will learn how to import, analyze and display answers to spatial research questions using GIS software. By the end of the semester students should have a solid understanding of the various applications of Geographic Information Systems in numerous spheres of everyday life. No prior experience with GIS software is required for this course. CIVIC designation: This section of the course is taught with the principles of civic engagement and service learning in mind. To satisfy these principles, students will be paired with a community organization in need of mapping, and will complete their final project in partnership with the community organization. For more information on civic engagement and academic service earning please visit http://civic.miami.edu/.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GEG 315. Digital Cartography. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to cartographic methods, interpretation and history. Students learn basic principles of visual representation, how to map qualitative and quantitative data, and how to prepare maps for publication and the web.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GEG 321. Remote Sensing of the Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory and techniques of environmental remote sensing and imagery interpretation for earth resources monitoring and management.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GEG 331. Sustainable Development. 3 Credit Hours.
The concepts of sustainable development, its origins, and the global conventions associated with it. We use indicators of human well-being, governance, environmental conservation, social inclusion, and economic prosperity to evaluate how countries are making their development trajectories more sustainable. Although most of our discussion adopts a global perspective, the research conducted by students is focused on the challenges for implementing sustainable development policies in tropical and sub-tropical countries.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GEG 332. Climatology and Extreme Weather. 3 Credit Hours.
Covers introductory information about Earth’s atmosphere, weather development, and extreme weather events. Introduces basic concepts of the science of weather and climate, and current scientific developments in areas such as extreme weather forecasting and global climate change.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 334. Biogeography and Conservation. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores the modern science of biogeography and its implications for the design of spatial strategies to conserve biodiversity and ecosystem services. Examines the history of biogeography and its geographical and ecological foundations. Discusses the fundamental biogeographical processes and uses them to investigate the evolution of biotas and explain the current biogeographic patterns. Explores the emerging field of conservation biogeography and its applications.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
GEG 335. Sustainable Food Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
A sustainable food system sustains environmental health and local economies, and is socially just. We will explore the intricacies of global geographies of major food systems and how these systems have come to be. We will identify where major food types are produced, why and where the major demand centers are. Further, we will seek answers to fundamental food-related questions, including: in an age of plenty, why do people still starve, and what can be done about it? How do we explain malnutrition in some parts of the world and obesity in others? Can there really be such a thing as a "sustainable global food systems?" Finally, we will examine what the future implication for food is through exploratio1 and evaluation of a range of visions for a safe, sustainable food system.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GEG 336. Hazards and Disasters: The Nature-Society Interface. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores how human-environment interactions determine the distribution, causes and consequences of natural hazards and disasters.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GEG 341. Population, Health, and Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
Global human population dynamics and implications for environmental sustainability; topics include population growth and structure, mortality and fertility patterns, migration, urbanization, aging, and household composition.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GEG 343. Population, Sustainability, and the Media. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores opposing views of population growth and environmental sustainability through the media and cinema: contrasts "Doomsters" who believe population growth and resource consumption threaten human survival and pro-growth "Boomsters" who believe human ingenuity and technology will continue to allow humankind to prosper.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GEG 345. Drinking Water: Past, Present, and Future. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores the physical, social, economic, and political dimensions of global water insecurity and the management of global drinking water supplies through an interdisciplinary social science lens.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GEG 346. Immigrant and Refugee Health. 3 Credit Hours.
A theoretical background essential for understanding the complex interaction of migration and health. Students will gain a basic understanding of the theories surrounding the movement of people within and across political boundaries. Emphasis will be placed on the health issues experienced by displaced populations including refugees, migrants, and internally displaced persons. We will explore some of the difficulties that receiving communities face in addressing the health needs of migrants, the roles of actors involved in working with displaced populations and how emigration of a large segment of the population, either abruptly or over time, affects sending communities as well. Much of the class will consist of guest speakers and case studies presented by different healthcare professionals working with migrant communities, with examples of the problems faced and solutions achieved in addressing issues of immigrant and refugee health drawn for both national and international experience.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GEG 348. Climate Change and Public Health. 3 Credit Hours.
The mechanisms by which climate change adversely affects human health, and the policy options for mitigating our exposure.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 351. Geopolitics and Peacebuilding. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores the political and legal responses, both national and international, to violations of Human Rights associated with conflicts and totalitarian regimes around the world, with emphasis on the peace building process in diverse geographical locations.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
GEG 352. Crime and the City. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores why there is so much violent crime in certain cities of the Americas and why there are such marked spatial differences between, and within, these cities. Contrasts and discusses specific issues (and myths) of crime, punishment, and policing in the Americas using a variety of academic and institutional research on violent crime.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 353. United States National Security. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines a broad spectrum of such challenges to US national security, simulating the role of policy makers and strategists for the Office of the President.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GEG 354. Global Human Rights. 3 Credit Hours.
Equips students with a broad perspective to think critically about the global issues surrounding the foundations of Human Rights together with questions about its universality, reach, and enforceability.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GEG 355. Global Political Economy. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores the relationship between the global economy and politics, as governments seek both to shape it and to respond effectively to the constraints and opportunities it provides.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GEG 356. Latin American Political Economy. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines Latin America's economic development, analyzing different developmental strategies, resource endowment, institutional framework, and other related variables.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GEG 361. Urban Sustainability in Asia. 3 Credit Hours.
The emerging field of urban sustainability from an interdisciplinary perspective by providing major theories, methodologies, and practices in sustainable urbanism. Specific attention is paid to urban resilience, economic inequality, urban ecology, and environmental injustice in Asian cities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GEG 362. World Urban Geography. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the principles and methods that apply to the geographic study of cities and urbanization.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 366. Cities in Time and Space. 3 Credit Hours.
Interdisciplinary perspectives on the city, urbanity, and urbanization through a series of wide-ranging historical-geographical contexts. Field excursions are incorporated into the course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GEG 381. Geography and Development in Africa. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of the geography of Africa south of the Sahara, with particular emphasis on development and the role of African states in the international system.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
GEG 382. Political Geography of the Middle East. 3 Credit Hours.
Geography of the Middle East with emphasis on current political topics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GEG 383. Geography and Development in South America. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the geography of South America. Explores the interface between societies and nature in this diverse and complex world region. Covers the major challenges that the countries of the continent are facing to improve their socio-economic indicators as well as protect their unique natural ecosystems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 384. Geography of South Florida. 3 Credit Hours.
Human and physical geography of South Florida.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 385. Jewish Geography. 3 Credit Hours.
Facts of Jewish history, geography, and demography both in the world and the United States. Basic geographic concepts that help us to understand the Jewish world and provide a basis for understanding the various ways that Jewish communities have adapted to different geographic circumstances.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 386. China in the 21st Century. 3 Credit Hours.
The specifics of the newly-emerging economic and political giant of Asia-China, with an explicit emphasis on the patterns and characteristics of economic transition and reform, as well as how reform has reshaped China’s geo-economic landscape, natural environment, and the international political and economic order.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GEG 390. Topics in Geography. 3 Credit Hours.
Content and prerequisites announced when offered. Course may be repeated for credit if content varies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 398. Independent Research. 0-6 Credit Hours.
Independent research conducted one on one with a faculty member.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GEG 399. Independent Study. 0-6 Credit Hours.
Independent study.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GEG 402. Geographic Thought and Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the history of geographic thought and geographic analysis, and to some important sub-disciplines of Geography. At the end of the semester, students will have a better understanding of the history of Geography, of its place in the academy, and important theoretical and methodological debates and themes within the discipline. Our purpose in this seminar is to create a dynamic and focused intellectual environment in which learning is a collective process. To achieve that we will analyze, critique, question and debate the weekly readings. There will be little formal lecturing on my part. Instead, class time will be spent in open discussion and hands-on projects completed individually or in teams. Throughout the semester, we will also host guest speakers, who will give you insights into their scholarship and give you further exposure to the discipline of Geography. Be ready to read and write a lot, and come to class prepared to discuss!
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
GEG 405. Spatial Data Analysis II. 3 Credit Hours.
Social and environmental science applications of spatial statistical analysis illustrated with data and numerical (simulation experiments) examples employing interactive software. This course's focus is on spatial autocorrelation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 406. Survey Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
The use of survey research including the choice of a survey mechanism, sampling, questionnaire design, survey logistics, survey analysis, and reporting of results.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GEG 410. Geographic Information Systems II. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to spatial analysis, which consists of techniques for analyzing patterns of and interrelationships between spatial data. Topics include vector polygon editing and topology, integration of raster and vector data, surface analysis and 3D analysis, suitability mapping, spatial modeling, and multi-criteria evaluations.
Prerequisite: GEG 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GEG 412. GIS for Health and Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides practical experience in using spatial technologies to address issues of health and environment. This course will provide an introductory level approach to using the ArcGIS software, so even if you have never used it, you can learn what you need. Lectures, discussions, readings and guest speakers will provide content and background. A final project will allow you to explore your own interests.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 414. Crime Mapping and Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Provides a basic understanding of the spatial analysis of issues related to criminal justice and crime mapping using state-of-the-art GIS software.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 415. Web GIS. 3 Credit Hours.
Map serving technologies and internet map design, focusing on the programming concepts needed to construct and implement high-quality web mapping applications. Lab exercises will make use of both the commonly used open source GIS and related programming tools for customizing web-based mapping applications, as well as the leading proprietary web mapping capabilities provided in ESRI's ArcGIS Server. Students build their own online interactive, customizable maps and will learn the basics of client/server architecture and processing, JavaScript programming, and XML/HTML basics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 421. GIS and Environmental Modeling. 3 Credit Hours.
Space-time modeling in a GIS environment with emphasis on raster-based models of land cover change, urban expansion, species distribution, wildfire propagation, and other environmental issues.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 422. Climate Change and Security. 3 Credit Hours.
There is an emerging global consensus that climate change will stress the economic, social, and political systems that underpin each nation state. Where institutions and governments are unable to manage the stress or absorb the shocks of a changing climate, the risks to the stability of states and societies will increase.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
GEG 490. Topics in Geography. 0-3 Credit Hours.
Select topics in Geography. Contents varies by semester and is indicated in parenthesis following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 501. Capstone Research Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
Project-based fundamentals of social science research; emphasizes research conceptualization and design, application of methods, data management, scientific writing, multi-modal presentation of findings, and professional development skills.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GEG 505. Seminar in Methods of Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
The use of advanced quantitative, qualitative, and mixed methods in the solution of geographic research problems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 507. Seminar in Field Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
With a focus on geospatial applications, this methods course introduces students to field research addressing complex socio-environmental issues. The course includes exercises with GPS data collection; geo-tagged photography; ground truthing; spatial survey design; and distributed GIS. Various research areas and cognate field methods including environmental demography, community surveying, cultural mapping, and multi-sited ethnography.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 519. Immigration to the United States. 3 Credit Hours.
A description and analysis of current immigration patterns in the United States.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GEG 520. Sustainable Cities. 3 Credit Hours.
The emerging field of urban sustainability from an interdisciplinary perspective, by providing major theories and methodologies in sustainable urbanism, especially in terms of urban resilience, economic inequality, urban ecology, and environmental justice.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GEG 530. Conservation and Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Explore the synergies and trade-offs between biodiversity conservation and human development. Uses the concept of green infrastructure to demonstrate as biodiversity conservation is an essential component of human development. Discusses the global conventions that seek to protect biodiversity conservation and how they have been implemented worldwide. Evaluate the roles played by governments, NGOs, local communities, corporations, and multilateral agencies to protect biodiversity. Map current global efforts to protect global ecosystems and identify the major bottlenecks. This is a research-based course in which students learn how to collect and analyze conservation and development data as well as improve their presentation and writing skills.
Components: RSC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GEG 532. Conservation Biogeography. 3 Credit Hours.
Explore the emerging discipline of Conservation Biogeography, that is the application of biogeographical principles, theories, and analyses to problems concerning the conservation of biodiversity. Discusses major global biogeographical patterns and processes; biodiversity patterns in terrestrial, freshwater and marine ecosystems; social values and conservation; protected area policy and financing; systematic conservation planning; and protected area design and management. This is a very intense research-based course in which students learn how to collect and analyze biogeographical data as well as improve their presentation and writing skills.
Components: RSC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 561. Seminar in International Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics in the study of development. Content and prerequisites vary.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
GEG 562. Seminar in Urban Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Select topics in urban management. Contents varies by semester and is indicated in parenthesis following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 563. Seminar in Urban Geography. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics in the study of urban geography. Content and prerequisites vary.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 580. Introductory Quantitative Methods for Geographical Analysis.. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic quantitative methods for geographic analysis.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GEG 590. Advanced Topics in Geography. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Content and prerequisites vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 597. Internship in Geography. 0-6 Credit Hours.
Students are assigned to work for a local public or private agency.
Components: FLD.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GEG 598. Advanced Independent Research. 0-6 Credit Hours.
Independent research conducted one on one with a faculty member.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GEG 599. Advanced Independent Study. 0-6 Credit Hours.
Independent study.
Components: SEM.
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3. The overall GPA in courses counted toward the major must be 2.00 or higher.

4. The major requires 18 credits of of electives at least 9 of which must be at the 300 level or above, exclusive of GEG 501.

### Suggested Plan of Study

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Total Credit Hours 120

Mission
The Department of Geography (GEG) seeks to encourage the rigorous investigation of human-environment interactions, and the analysis of spatial patterns related to societal processes. It reaches across disciplines to draw on a range of methods, theories, and perspectives that help us understand how ideas and structures result from the interaction of space, place and time. The department’s core objective is to foster the examination, open discussion, and lively debate of geographic issues among faculty and students from all fields of study, enriching the undergraduate curriculum and the university’s academic mission through greater communication across disciplines and colleges. Its aim is to broaden, deepen, and transform the learning community at UM and beyond.

Goals
Our undergraduate programs (BA and BS) aim to prepare students for positions in teaching, government, private business, urban and regional planning, geographic information systems (GIS), remote sensing (RS), resource management, and environmental analysis. We offer optional tracks in urban, environmental, and medical geography, as well as courses in geospatial technology which provide students with marketable skills for today’s job market: geographic information systems (GIS), digital cartography, satellite remote sensing, land use and land cover analysis, and spatial statistics. During their studies, our students develop global citizenship, which prepares them to examine global problems with a different lens, as well as develop skills to work effectively in multi-cultural environments and collaborative settings.

Student Learning Outcomes
- Students will demonstrate knowledge of concepts and theories in both human and physical geography including spatial patterns and processes, the interrelationships between people and places, and the interactions between people and nature.
- Students will integrate and apply concepts and theories to develop sound and original geographical questions as well as apply critical thinking to find explanations to geographical questions.
- Students will demonstrate effective written, cartographic, and oral communication.
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**Mission**

The Department of Geography (GEG) seeks to encourage the rigorous investigation of human-environment interactions, and the analysis of spatial patterns related to societal processes. It reaches across disciplines to draw on a range of methods, theories, and perspectives that help us understand
how ideas and structures result from the interaction of space, place and time. The department’s core objective is to foster the examination, open discussion, and lively debate of geographic issues among faculty and students from all fields of study, enriching the undergraduate curriculum and the university’s academic mission through greater communication across disciplines and colleges. Its aim is to broaden, deepen, and transform the learning community at UM and beyond.

Goals

Our undergraduate programs (BA and BS) aim to prepare students for positions in teaching, government, private business, urban and regional planning, geographic information systems (GIS), remote sensing (RS), resource management, and environmental analysis. We offer optional tracks in urban, environmental, and medical geography, as well as courses in geospatial technology which provide students with marketable skills for today’s job market: geographic information systems (GIS), digital cartography, satellite remote sensing, land use and land cover analysis, and spatial statistics. During their studies, our students develop global citizenship, which prepares them to examine global problems with a different lens, as well as develop skills to work effectively in multi-cultural environments and collaborative settings.

Student Learning Outcomes

• Students will demonstrate knowledge of concepts and theories in both human and physical geography including spatial patterns and processes, the interrelationships between people and places, and the interactions between people and nature.
• Students will integrate and apply concepts and theories to develop sound and original geographical questions as well as apply critical thinking to find explanations to geographical questions.
• Students will demonstrate effective written, cartographic, and oral communication.

Minor in Geography

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Minor in Geospatial Technology

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Global Health Studies

Overview

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The GHS major offers three tracks:

• B.A. in Global Health Studies (Humanities)
• B.A. in Global Health Studies (Social Sciences)
• B.S. in Global Health Studies (Pre-Med)

The Global Health Studies major combines social science and humanist perspectives across the disciplines of anthropology, religious studies, geography, regional studies, classics, history, literature, and sociology. For students pursuing the Pre-Med track, these perspectives interact with the STEM requirements of the Pre-Health program as outlined by the Office of Pre-Health Advising and Mentoring (https://prehealth.miami.edu/)

Majors in Global Health Studies

• B.A. in Global Health Studies (p. 389) (Humanities Track) (p. 389)
• B.A. in Global Health Studies (Social Sciences Track) (p. 389)
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B.A. in Global Health Studies

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The GHS major offers two tracks: Global Health in the Humanities (30 credits), Global Health in the Social Sciences (30 credits). The Humanities track will fulfill the Arts & Humanities area of knowledge requirement. The Social Sciences track will fulfill the People & Society area of knowledge requirement.

Whereas medicine as a field addresses disease diagnosis and care, the field of global health is much broader, and still being defined. Global health in the social sciences encompasses disease prevention, education, health policy, access, and resiliency. Global health in the humanities examines the history and cultural significance of medicine and health from ancient times to today. This major provides students with the opportunity to explore the cultural and social aspects of health and underlying causes that affect the well-being and provide an important interdisciplinary platform for the empirical and theoretical interaction of humanists and social scientists.
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**Social Sciences Track Required Courses**: 6-9

GEG 241: Health and Medical Geography
APY 413: Medical Anthropology
SOC 384: Medical Sociology

**Social Sciences Track Electives (Choose 9-12 credits)**: 9-12

APY 105: HIV, Sex, Science, and Society
APY 205: Medicine and Health Care in Society
APY 315: Folk and Alternative Medicine
APY 307: Human Adaptation
APY 393: Drugs and Culture
APY 416: Bioarchaeology-Peopling the past
APY 423: Paleopathology: Health and disease in ancient peoples
APY 512: Advanced Medical Anthropology
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**Mission**

The mission of the Global Health Studies program is to provide students with a multidisciplinary program that combines social science and humanist perspectives across disciplines that include anthropology, religious studies, geography, regional studies, classics, history, literature and sociology. Global health in the social sciences encompasses disease prevention, education, health policy, access and resiliency. In the humanities it examines the history and cultural significance of medicine and health from ancient times to today. Students in this program stand to benefit from the University's advantageous geographic location that connects people and institutions from everywhere in the world. Miami, and the University, presents students with opportunities to examine the complex world of global health from multiple perspectives, participate in state of the art research, engage with a vibrant local and international community, and collaborate in developing sustainable solutions for global health issues.
Goals
The program aims for students to:
• Understand the complexities of global health issues from the social science and humanist perspectives
• Understand how issues surrounding global health relate to the greater impacts on society, culture and the environment
• Understand the cultural competencies, ethical challenges and sustainable solutions in addressing global health issues
• Understand health policy and governance at the local and global levels
• Acquire leadership and advocacy skills
• Gain quantitative and qualitative research skills to integrate stakeholders and researchers in the design, implementation, and interpretation of community-based participatory studies
• Prepare students to assist private, government, non-profit, and for-profit organizations formulate new global and community health strategies

Student Learning Outcomes
• Students will demonstrate knowledge of cultural competencies, ethical challenges and sustainable solutions related to global health issues.
• Students will demonstrate knowledge of quantitative and qualitative methods within global health research.
• Students will be able to critically analyze global health issues from multidisciplinary perspectives, including social, economic, political and environmental factors that shape individual, community, and population health.

B.S. in Global Health Studies (Pre-Med)
Overview
The Bachelor of Science in Global Health Studies (Pre-Med) provides students with an interdisciplinary perspective to understanding how issues surrounding global health relate to the greater impacts on society, culture, and the environment. This major combines social science and humanist perspectives and cross the disciplines of anthropology, religious studies, geography, regional studies, classics, history, literature, and sociology.

The GHS (Pre-Med) major (24 credits plus pre-med requirements) will fulfill the STEM area of knowledge requirement.

Whereas medicine as a field addresses disease diagnosis and care, the field of global health is much broader, and still being defined. Global health in the social sciences encompasses disease prevention, education, health policy, access, and resiliency. Global health in the humanities examines the history and cultural significance of medicine and health from ancient times to today. This major provides students with the opportunity to explore the cultural and social aspects of health and underlying causes that affect the well-being and provide an important interdisciplinary platform for the empirical and theoretical interaction of humanists and social scientists.

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GHS Capstone Experience 1

The capstone experience must focus on issues/experiences related to global or planetary health. Students will be able to choose between the following capstone experiences.

- Independent Study
- Senior Research Project
- Senior Thesis
- Global Health Internship

Pre-Med Requirements

Students must satisfy the requirements of the Office of Pre-Health Advising and Mentoring

(Sample Plan of Study, May Vary with Advising)

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* All Pre-health students must select a major as specified in the undergraduate bulletin. There are two distinct areas of academic preparation for the pre-health student. First, students must fulfill degree requirements and second, they must complete the requirements for admission to health professional school. Students do not need to major in a biological or physical science in order to declare a pre-health track.

** If students choose a major outside the natural sciences it is important to take additional science courses beyond the required pre-health courses to prepare for the professional school entrance exam.

*** Pre-health students are expected to maintain a full-credit load of at least 15 credits.

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### Mission

The mission of the Global Health Studies program is to provide students with a multidisciplinary program that combines social science and humanist perspectives across disciplines that include anthropology, religious studies, geography, regional studies, classics, history, literature and sociology. Global health in the social sciences encompasses disease prevention, education, health policy, access and resiliency. In the humanities it examines the history and cultural significance of medicine and health from ancient times to today. Students in this program stand to benefit from the University’s advantageous geographic location that connects people and institutions from everywhere in the world. Miami, and the University, presents students with opportunities to examine the complex world of global health from multiple perspectives, participate in state of the art research, engage with a vibrant local and international community, and collaborate in developing sustainable solutions for global health issues.

### Goals

The program aims for students to:

- Understand the complexities of global health issues from the social science and humanist perspectives
- Understand how issues surrounding global health relate to the greater impacts on society, culture and the environment
- Understand the cultural competencies, ethical challenges and sustainable solutions in addressing global health issues
- Understand health policy and governance at the local and global levels
- Acquire leadership and advocacy skills
- Gain quantitative and qualitative research skills to integrate stakeholders and researchers in the design, implementation, and interpretation of community-based participatory studies
- Prepare students to assist private, government, non-profit, and for-profit organizations formulate new global and community health strategies

### Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will demonstrate knowledge of cultural competencies, ethical challenges and sustainable solutions related to global health issues.
- Students will demonstrate knowledge of quantitative and qualitative methods within global health research.
- Students will be able to critically analyze global health issues from multidisciplinary perspectives, including social, economic, political and environmental factors that shape individual, community, and population health.

### Minor in Medical Humanities

Curriculum Requirements
## Minor in Social Science and Medicine

### Curriculum Requirements

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INS 571  Global Health and International Development
INS 572  Global Health Policy and Ethics
INS 573  Disasters, Terrorism and Global Public Health
POL 536  U.S. Health Care Crisis: Politics and Policies
SOC 320  Social Epidemiology: Illness and Death in Society
SOC 321  Applied Health Policy
SOC 368  Violence in America
SOC 345  Population and Society
SOC 375  Sociology of Mental Health and Illness
SOC 377  Sociology of Drug Abuse
SOC 381  Aging in Society
SOC 480  Health Disparities in the U.S.
PSY 411  Relationships and Health
PSY 426  Health Psychology
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BPH 309  Health and Environment
BPH 310  Global Health
BPH 317  Theories in Growth and Development
BPH 321  Health Promotion and Disease Prevention
BPH 322  Introduction to Health Policy
HMP 270  Introduction to Health Sector Management and Policy
HMP 310  Population Health
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Total Credit Hours 15

1. Courses offered as Special Topics or Independent Research may be applied toward the minor with approval by the program advisor.
2. No more than 6 credit hours may be applied to the minor from a single department.
3. At least 6 credit hours must be taken at the 300 level or higher.

* Students must earn a grade of C- or better in each course and maintain a cumulative GPA of at least 2.0 in all courses counting toward the minor.

History

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Dept. Code: HIS

Introduction

History is the systematic study of the past. The study of history includes training in how to gather information, how to research issues and problems, how to analyze data and construct arguments, and how to communicate ideas in writing. These are essential skills, tools that are prized in the world
beyond the university. A major in history is an excellent beginning and solid stepping stone to professional school and the business world. For goals ranging from law to journalism, and from medicine to the MBA, history serves as a versatile undergraduate major. Multinational businesses demand that their executives understand the peoples and cultures around them, and be able to communicate that understanding effectively. If an occupation demands critical thinking and analysis, a background in history is invaluable.

**Educational Objectives**

All history courses expose students to historical interpretation and critical analysis.

- Courses at the 100 and 200 levels are intended as introductions to broad fields of history and are open to students with no previous college-level history experience.
- All 300 level history courses are writing intensive, are graded principally through essay examinations and short papers, and count toward the fulfillment of the University of Miami writing across the curriculum requirement.
- Courses at the 500 level require a 300 level history course as prerequisite. All 500 level courses deal extensively with the historiography of their particular subjects, and all require a written research project as a major component of the work of the course.
- Since all History courses at the 300-level and higher are officially designated as "Writing" courses, History majors will automatically fulfill the College of Arts & Sciences's Advanced Writing and Communication requirement by completing the major.

**Degree Programs**

The major in History leads to the degree of Bachelor of Arts.

**Departmental Honors**

History majors with a cumulative GPA of at least 3.6 in history courses may earn departmental honors by completing a two-semester-long, 500-level Honors seminar course HIS 597 and HIS 598, held in the Spring and Fall respectively. Admittance to the History Honors program is by application in the Fall semester during course registration week. Also, students must have completed at least 6 courses in History worth 18 credit hours at the University of Miami.

**HIS 101. History of the United States, I (to 1877). 3 Credit Hours.**
Political, social, and economic development of the United States through Reconstruction.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**HIS 102. History of the United States, II (since 1877). 3 Credit Hours.**
Political, social, and economic development of the United States since Reconstruction.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**HIS 121. Emperors, Shoguns, and Concubines: East Asia, Origins-1800. 3 Credit Hours.**
Examines the history of East Asia to 1800.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

**HIS 122. The Dragon and the Rising Sun: East Asia, 1800-Present. 3 Credit Hours.**
Examines the history of East Asia since 1800.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

**HIS 131. Europe from Antiquity to 1600: An Expanding World. 3 Credit Hours.**
A survey of European history from antiquity to the early modern period, focusing on key political, social, economic, and cultural developments, as well as European interactions with the wider world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
HIS 132. The Birth of Modernity: Europe 1648 to the Present. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of the development of the West from the formation of modern European nation states in the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries to the present, emphasizing the rivalry of European powers, the impact of European expansion, the effect of industrialism and revolution upon Western society, and the role of the New World.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 161. History of Latin America, I (to 1824). 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of Spanish and Portuguese America from the pre-Columbian era through the end of the colonial period.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HIS 162. History of Modern Latin America (1800-present). 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of the national period in Latin American history, emphasizing the political and social issues in the transition from colonialism to nationhood.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HIS 192. Studies in History. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

HIS 193. Studies in History. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

HIS 194. Studies in History. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

HIS 201. History of Africa I (to 1800). 3 Credit Hours.
History of Africa before the Colonial period, emphasizing sources for the study of African history, African political and social institutions, the slave trade, and "legitimate" trade and markets.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 202. History of Africa, II (since 1800). 3 Credit Hours.
The emergence of modern Africa from about 1800 to the present, emphasizing the European conquest of Africa, African responses to colonialism, independence and the post-independence period.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HIS 203. The African Diaspora in South Florida. 3 Credit Hours.
The African Diaspora in South Florida through a close analyses of three junctures in the history of the Black experience: The slave trade, abolition and emancipation; the migration of various African-descended peoples from the Caribbean and Latin America to South Florida; and the more recent arrival of people from the Africa.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HIS 209. African-American History to 1877. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HIS 210. African-American History, 1877-PRESENT. 3 Credit Hours.
History of people of African descent in the United States from 1877 to present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
HIS 211. Epics, Gods, Kings: Pre-Mofern India 2500 B.C.E. to 1600 A.D.. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will explore the history, culture and political economy of India tracing it thematically from 2500 B.C.E. to 1600 A.D.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HIS 212. The Mughals and the British (1526-1947). 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of historical India, covering the modern states of India, Pakistan, and Bangladesh, that highlights social and religious identities, modernization, nationalism, the "women question," partition, and independence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 220. History of European Sexuality. 3 Credit Hours.
The history of European sexuality from the Greeks to the present day.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 223. Medicine and Society: From the Ancient World to the 21st Century. 3 Credit Hours.
Medicine and society presents a historical survey of the development of western medicine and public health from the earliest times to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 225. History of the Modern Business Enterprise. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the history of big business in the nineteenth and twentieth centuries. Drawing often on individual firm histories, its focus will be a comparative study of the big business experience in America, Europe, Asia, and the imperial world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 227. Nationalism: Love thy Brother, Hate thy Neighbor?. 3 Credit Hours.
This lower-division lecture course will offer an introductory thematic overview to the ideas and politics of nationalism throughout the globe.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 228. Holy War and Toleration in Western Religious Traditions. 3 Credit Hours.
An exploration of concepts of Holy War and Just War and of traditions of tolerance and intolerance in Judaism, Christianity, and Islam, from ancient times to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HIS 229. Consumer Society: A Global History. 3 Credit Hours.
In the United States we are surrounded today with a seemingly limitless variety of consumer goods, and we are offered constant reminders of the increasingly globalized nature of modern life. Too often, however, such commentary reflects a shocking lack of perspective about the origins and evolution of these trends. This course encourages a deeper understanding by exploring the history of how consumer societies emerged across the world. Spanning an arc from the eighteenth century to the present, the course looks at the social and cultural impact of global consumables (ranging from food to automobiles) in the Americas, Europe, Asia, and other regions. The readings and lectures consider the social, ethical, and environmental problems associated with the rise of global consumption.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HIS 246. Origins and History of the Russian Revolution. 3 Credit Hours.
The background and events of the Russian Revolution.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 253. History of Mexico: Guns and Tortillas, or, How Mexico Became Mexican. 3 Credit Hours.
Culture and ideology of the Mexican Revolution.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
HIS 254. History of the Cold War in the Americas. 3 Credit Hours.
Focusing on the late 1940s to late 1980s, this course examines the origins, evolution, and enduring consequences of the Cold War in the Americas. It explores key issues such as the emergence of new nationalist currents, the impact of U.S. intervention, competing visions of revolution and counter-revolution, and shifting definitions of democracy.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HIS 255. Atlantic Crossings: Slavery in Latin America. 3 Credit Hours.
The history of African slavery in Latin America from the fifteenth century to the final abolition of slavery in Brazil in 1888.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HIS 261. Women's America I (Nineteenth Century). 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the major currents in American women's history during the Nineteenth Century.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HIS 262. Women's America II (Twentieth Century). 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the major currents in American women's history during the Twentieth Century.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HIS 266. The Founders: Fact and Fiction. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores the history of the American founders.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 267. Making History. 3 Credit Hours.
Focus is on a series of topics that allow students to deepen their understanding of the worlds we have often lost or about which we know little by approaching them in innovative historical ways. Topics will include Material Culture in Early America, Oral History and the Making of the Modern World, Caribbean Rituals, Law and Society in the Americas, as well as Early Modern Religious Cultures, among others. Recommended for potential History majors and minors, as students will benefit from limited class sizes, receive one-on-one attention from professors, and much emphasis is placed on learning researching and writing skills.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 269. Homoeroticism: A Global History from Socrates to Harvey Milk and Beyond. 3 Credit Hours.
A global overview of male same-sex desire, love, sex, and culture. From ancient Greeks to Latin America to the modern gay rights movements, this class examines both behavior and ideology as they concern male homo- and bisexuality. Topics include: Socrates, ideal male love, ancient Romans, medieval and Renaissance Europe, Latin America, machismo, male love without sex, queer esthetics, gay rights movements, urban queer culture, film, literature, HN / AIDS, samesex marriage, and the 21st century moment. Authors and filmmakers examined may include Plato, St. Augustine, Michel Foucault, David Halperin, Jamie O'Neill, Oscar Wilde, Jean Genet, Luis Zapata, Andre Gide, Jack Kerouac, Andrew Holleran, Gore Vidal, Tennessee Williams, Rainer Fassbinder, Kenneth Anger, James Baldwin.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HIS 271. American Political History Since 1960: Policy, Public History, and Modern Media. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores selective elements of modern American politics, policy studies, media, and public history, predominantly since 1960.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
HIS 272. Hawai'i and the Pacific World: Or, How Surfing Colonized California and the World. 3 Credit Hours.
On the surface this is a class about surfing. But to understand surfing is to study the history of Hawai'i. This course examines the history of Hawai'i and of the sport which Hawai'ians developed and created, surfing. This course traces the early history of ancient Hawai'i, when navigating migrants traveled between Polynesia and Hawai'i until they ceased contact. Traditional Hawai'i was governed by complex social and ritual systems, bound by the concept of kapu, or taboo. The class analyzes the process by which Hawai'i went from being a united kingdom to missionary outpost and target of pineapple plantations; to a U.S. territory which specifically disenfranchised native Hawai'ians; to the near suppression of surfing. The resulting Hawaiian Renaissance reshaped images of Hawai'i and surfing and surfing found willing converts in California. Other topics include the history of surfing styles and competition; comparative surf breaks and shore cultures; California dreamin', the feeling you get when you hear the Eagles; beach bums; professional surf competitions and O'ahu North Shore culture; spam and plate lunch; the broader Pacific world; castaways; fur traders; tuna and canning industry; fishermen.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 282. The History of Zionism. 3 Credit Hours.
The religious, cultural, historical, political and social underpinnings of the development of Zionism that fed to the creation of the State of Israel. Through readings, analysis of speeches and essays, exploration of films and the internet, the class will move through time from the origins of the Zionist idea to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 284. The Second World War. 3 Credit Hours.
The Second World War: Analysis of its origins, the military and political course of events, and its consequences, such as the cold war.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 285. The origins and history of the Third Reich. 3 Credit Hours.
This lecture course offers a comprehensive survey of the history of Nazi Germany from early pre-fascist movements before World War I to the final ignominious collapse of the Nazi regime in 1945.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 290. The Beach: The Beach as Place, Space, and Event in World Historical Context. 3 Credit Hours.
History of the beach as a particular geographic place and space in human history in comparative world context. Themes and issues include tourism, socio-economic factors in beach access, beach-related industries, immigration, cultural contact, exploration, "beach life," surfing, ethnicity, segregation, and politics of real estate.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HIS 291. The Sea in History. 3 Credit Hours.
Human relations with the sea from prehistoric times to the present and across the globe. It will look at the spread of peoples, ideas, religions, and goods across the seas, and the role of networks, empires, and navies in this history.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HIS 292. Transfer Credits. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses for which there is no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

HIS 293. Transfer Credits. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses for which there is no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

HIS 294. Transfer Credits. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses for which there is no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
HIS 296. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated parenthetically following course title in class schedules.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

HIS 297. History Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
Provides history students with the opportunity to obtain credit for an internship with the approval and under the close supervision of a faculty member.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 301. Miami Engagement: History, Media, and Social Change. 3 Credit Hours.
This seminar-style course will examine the history, theory, and practice of civic engagement, community history, and social change in the United States. We will look at four overlapping areas of interest: the meanings of civic engagement in American history; the roles of history and memory in shaping place and community; the role of the media in structuring stories about history and community; and grass-roots activism and its role in reinvigorating and reshaping public spheres in America. We will pay particular attention to the factors that have promoted inclusion and engagement, as well as those that have led to disenfranchisement and alienation. We will look at efforts by local, national, and even global activists to connect to communities large and small. And we will ask how the issues of memory, place, community, civil society, and global citizenship form a matrix around which to understand and shape broad-based collaboration among students, faculty, community residents, and civic organizations.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HIS 302. History on Trial: Law and American Society. 3 Credit Hours.
The relationship between social history, the law, and politics in American society. More than legal history, this is a problem-based, interdisciplinary course that bridges history, political science, legal studies, and sociology to understand the historical context that informs major lawsuits that shaped American Jurisprudence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HIS 304. Slavery and Cinema: Commodifying History in Hollywood. 3 Credit Hours.
Spanning a century of films, slavery is a topic that attracts filmmakers and audiences alike, creating some of the most acclaimed blockbusters and the most disparaged films in the industry. Within this broad sweep, the course will engage two animating questions: 1) in what ways, and why, have depictions of slavery changed over a century and 2) what is at stake when mass culture commodities history?
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HIS 306. The Modern Near East. 3 Credit Hours.
The Near East since 1453, emphasizing the Ottoman Empire, Arab nationalism and Zionism, the Mandate System, and the Arab-Israeli conflict.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 308. West Africa since 1000 A.D.. 3 Credit Hours.
The Sudanic empires, the spread of Islam, the slave and legitimate trades, the establishment of European colonies, and the struggle for independence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 309. History of Southern Africa. 3 Credit Hours.
The establishment of the Dutch settlements and the apartheid system, African responses to European domination, and the collapse of apartheid and the emergence of a multi-racial South Africa.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 310. Africa in Cuba/Cuba in Africa: Slave Trade to Cuban Internationalist Missions in Africa. 3 Credit Hours.
The relationship between Cuba and Africa from the period of the slave trade to the late 1990s.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
HIS 311. Gandhi and the making of Modern India. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will study Gandhi's practice of civil disobedience and non-violent movement against the British Empire, as well as his theories and praxis regarding moral discipline, critique of modernity and alternative vision of civil society and policy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HIS 312. Femininity, Masculinity, and Sexual Politics in Indian History. 3 Credit Hours.
A thematic study of gender and sex in ancient, medieval, and modern India, focusing on social constructions of identity, sexual politics, social and religious gender roles, and contested histories of womanhood.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 313. Bollywood and Beyond: Religion, Gender and Politics in South Asian Film. 3 Credit Hours.
Themes in Indian society through the lens of Indian cinema - both Bollywood and the regional film industry. The important themes covered are: the complex narratives of caste, myth, politics, gender, sexuality, and the challenges of modernity in India.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 315. Imperial China. 3 Credit Hours.
History of China from the origins of Chinese civilization to 1798.
Prerequisite: One HIS Course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 316. Modern China. 3 Credit Hours.
Rise of a Superpower.
Prerequisite: One HIS Course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 317. History of the Caribbean, I. 3 Credit Hours.
Caribbean history major topics, debates, and themes from the fifteenth to early nineteenth centuries; the centrality of the Caribbean to larger world histories of conquest, colonialism, slavery and emancipation, capitalism, migration, religious transformation, republicanism, and nation-state formation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 318. Modern Caribbean History. 3 Credit Hours.
Major topics, debates, and themes in Caribbean history from the late eighteenth century to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 325. The Early Middle Ages: Europe, 450-1095. 3 Credit Hours.
Western historical development from the collapse of the classical ancient world to Europe's emergence as a distinct and viable civilization.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 326. The High and Late Middle Ages: Europe 1095-1500. 3 Credit Hours.
The mature medieval civilization and its transformation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 327. The Renaissance in Italy. 3 Credit Hours.
Cultural, social, economic, religious and political life in Renaissance Italy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
HIS 328. **Reformation Europe. 3 Credit Hours.**
The history of the 16th-century religious revolution known as the Reformation. Course focuses on its causes, development, and especially its political, social, and cultural consequences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 330. **The Scientific Revolution. 3 Credit Hours.**
Transition between medieval science and Newtonian physics, focusing on sixteenth- and seventeenth-century developments in medicine, cosmology, physics, and scientific method.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 331. **England to the Accession of the Tudor Dynasty (to 1485). 3 Credit Hours.**
The Creation of England and its development during the medieval period.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 332. **England, 1485–1688. 3 Credit Hours.**
England under the Tudors and Stuarts. Topics include: the monarchs and the monarchy; relations between England, Ireland, and Scotland; Henry VIII and the English Reformation; puritanism and society; popular culture; the city of London; the English Civil War; the “Glorious Revolution” of 1688.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 333. **England and the Empire in the Age of Queen Victoria (1815-1901). 3 Credit Hours.**
Victorian Britain, emphasizing the manners, politics, and empire building, and the exploitation and humanitarianism of the century of Pax Britannica.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 334. **Britain and the Commonwealth in the Twentieth Century. 3 Credit Hours.**
The challenges and changes in Britain and its overseas dominions in the century of total war.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 335. **The French Revolution and Napoleon (1789–1815). 3 Credit Hours.**
An analysis of French history from the Revolution to the collapse of the Napoleonic Empire, stressing the passing of feudalism in France.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 336. **Modern French History. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course covers the political, social, cultural, economic, and military history of France since 1870. Major themes include power and decline, the weight of historical memories, issues of French identity, and the central role of the French state.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 337. **Modern European Jewish History. 3 Credit Hours.**
Jewish history in Europe since 1789, emphasizing the effects of the Enlightenment, nationalism and Nazism, Jewish life in Western Europe and in the communist bloc, and the impact of Israel.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 338. **The Holocaust in Historical Perspective. 3 Credit Hours.**
The evolution and implementation of the theory of racialism in imperial Germany and the Third Reich.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
HIS 339. From Luther to Napoleon: Germany, 1500-1800. 3 Credit Hours.
German history from the Reformation through the reorganization of the German states after the Napoleonic Wars (1815) with emphasis on the federal character of early modern Germany, religion, and topics of social and economic change.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 340. History of Modern Germany since 1815. 3 Credit Hours.
German history since 1815 concentrating on the political and social history of the German Empire, Germany's role in World War I, the Weimar Republic and the rise of Hitler, Nazi Germany, and developments since 1945.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 341. History of the Third Reich. 3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive survey of the history of Nazi Germany from the pre-fascist movements before World War I to the final collapse of the Nazi regime in 1945.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 343. Ages of Gold and Silver: An Economic and Social History of Europe, 1450-1750. 3 Credit Hours.
Economic and social history of Europe in the early modern period. Writing intensive course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 346. Imperial Russia. 3 Credit Hours.
Domestic political, social, economic and cultural developments, and foreign affairs in Russia from the beginning of the 19th century to the Russian Revolution of 1917.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 347. Soviet Union and Post-Soviet Russia. 3 Credit Hours.
The Soviet Union from the Russian Revolution (1917) to the disintegration of the USSR (1991), and the post-Soviet period to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 348. Europe in the Age of Hitler and Stalin. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers European history between 1914 and 1945. Principal topics include the experience of two world wars, the rise of fascism and communism, the challenge of democracy, and the failure to secure a lasting peace.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 349. The Rise and Fall of the European Great Power between Napoleon and the Cold War. 3 Credit Hours.
European Diplomatic History from the Revolutions of 1848 to the Cold War period.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HIS 350. Europe and the World in Modern Times. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines European relations with the wider world over the past several centuries. It combines the perspectives of the history of European exploration and expansion, imperialism and decolonization, global transport and trade, world wars, and globalization.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 351. Science and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
The relationships between science and society, historically and in contemporary life.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
HIS 352. The Inquisition. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 353. History of Cuba. 3 Credit Hours.
The development of the Cuban nation, emphasizing the nineteenth and twentieth centuries and the Castro revolution. This course will concentrate on studying "Cuba After Castro". We will analyze various scenarios for "change" and what implications these will have for the next administration in Washington DC as well as in other parts of the world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 354. Latin America's Urban Explosion: 1900-2010. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines major facets of Latin America's urban transformation, 1900-2010. Studies urbanization from the perspectives of multiple disciplines including architecture, photography, art history, music, cultural studies and political science. Major themes include: architectural modernization and cultural change; industrialization and the emergence of professional sports; rural-urban migration and the proliferation of shanty towns; the emergence of mass politics; the expansion of the informal sectors; and the growth of social violence, drugs and crime.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HIS 355. Modern Brazil. 3 Credit Hours.
The history and culture of modern Brazil.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 356. History of Argentina's Civilization, Barbarism, and Power. 3 Credit Hours.
How did a country that was supposedly so prosperous and advanced become a land of perennial crisis? Countless observers have posed variations on this question in seeking to make sense of the "Argentine riddle". This class will provide students with an introduction to the fascinating history of Argentina. We will reject pat explanations of the "riddle" to examine instead the array of cultural, political, and economic forces that have shaped Argentine society.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 357. Social History of Latin America. 3 Credit Hours.
Demographic changes, race and ethnic relations, immigration, and urbanization.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 359. Caribbean Intellectual History. 3 Credit Hours.
Nineteenth and twentieth-century Caribbean political and social thought. Connects the history of ideas to the history of social movements in the region. Links international, intellectual, political and artistic currents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HIS 360. Modern Latin America Through Film. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of films with regard to their historical value and their impact on forming historical perceptions about modern Latin America.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 361. American Colonial History (1607-1763). 3 Credit Hours.
History of the British mainland colonies from the establishment of Jamestown to the end of the French and Indian War.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
HIS 362. The American Revolution (1763-1783). 3 Credit Hours.
The political, social, and constitutional issues that culminated in the Declaration of Independence, and the achievement of American nationhood.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 363. The Early Republic (1783-1850). 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the constitutional, political, territorial, economic, and social development of the United States from the end of the American Revolution to
the Compromise of 1850.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 364. Civil War and Reconstruction (1850-1877). 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the origins of the American Civil War, emphasizing the economic, political and social, as well as military aspects of the conflict, and the
course and consequence of the Reconstruction period.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 365. Emergence of Modern America (1877-1917). 3 Credit Hours.
United States from the end of Reconstruction to the First World War.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 366. America in Crisis (1917-1945). 3 Credit Hours.
The United States from World War I through World War II.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 367. Contemporary America. 3 Credit Hours.
The United States since World War II.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 368. Nature and the Environment in American History. 3 Credit Hours.
Shifting attitudes toward nature and the environment in American history; the rise of environmentalism and changes in public policy related to
environmental conservation and preservation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 369. Introduction to Urban America. 3 Credit Hours.
The changing role of the city in American history. The built environment. The interaction of the built environment and the lives of residents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 370. Storied Pasts: 19th Century U.S. History and Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
19th-century American intellectual and cultural history through the lens of literature. Analyzing key works of fiction, poetry and philosophy as both
literary texts and historical sources, we will seek to discover how the changing themes and forms of nineteenth-century literature shaped and/or
reflected larger intellectual, political and social currents. Students will read novels by authors such as Hawthorne, Melville, Twain, Jewett, Gilman,
James, Wharton, and Crane, alongside historical material.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

HIS 371. Immigration, Race and Ethnicity in American History. 3 Credit Hours.
Migration and immigration in 19th- and 20th-century in the United States. How Americans have understood themselves as part of a multicultural
society, and how ethnic and racial identities have been defined throughout American history.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
HIS 372. The Sixties. 3 Credit Hours.
The culture and history of the 1960s in the United States through writings, film, music, and the experience of faculty members who participated in important events during this era of major conflict and change.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 373. The Civil Rights Movement. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the modern Civil Rights Movement, one of the most profound occurrences in the history of the United States of America, and examines how it reshaped the nation, from politics and the economy to social relations and cultural values.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 374. History of Feminism. 3 Credit Hours.
History of feminism with a focus on the United States.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 376. American Legal and Constitutional History. 3 Credit Hours.
The development of legal thought and practice in the context of American politics, economy and ideology during the twentieth century. Special consideration will be given to social movements and their treatment under the rule of law.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 377. Sport in American History. 3 Credit Hours.
The role of sport in American culture. Sports relation to urban growth, professionalism, ethnic identity and assimilation, nationalism, and consumption.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 379. History of the Old South (1607-1861). 3 Credit Hours.
The American South from Jamestown to secession, emphasizing the development of plantation society, the rise of internal and external conflict, and the shaping of the idea of the "Old" South.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 380. The New South (since 1877). 3 Credit Hours.
History of the U.S. South from "Redemption" to the present, emphasizing Populism, Progressivism, the idea of a "New" South, and the civil rights movement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 381. History of Florida. 3 Credit Hours.
Florida from its discovery, exploration, and colonization to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 382. Ideas and Culture in Early American History. 0-3 Credit Hours.
Intellectual and cultural history in America from the colonial period to the Civil War, focusing on developments in religion, philosophy, political and social theory, and the arts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HIS 383. Ideas and Culture in Modern United States History. 3 Credit Hours.
American Social Movements.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
HIS 385. White Man's Burden: Building the US Empire Before 1914. 3 Credit Hours.
American statesmen long asserted they bore a "white man's burden" to "uplift and civilize" the globe. This course explores the ideology of U.S. Empire to understand how the nation went from thirteen colonies to a continental and global power.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HIS 388. The Vietnam War. 3 Credit Hours.
U.S. involvement in Vietnam from 1945 to 1973, emphasizing the diplomatic and military components.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 389. Nineteenth-Century Europe: Barricades, Borders, and Bourgeoisie. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey of 19th-century Europe from the French Revolution to World War I, focusing on political and cultural history.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HIS 390. Europe after Hitler. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey of European History from the end of World War II, focusing on political and cultural developments.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 391. The History of Everyday Life. 3 Credit Hours.
The History of everyday life in early modern Europe (ca. 1500-1700). We will study how Europeans experienced and made sense of their environment, their communities, relationships, time, the self, the stages of life, food, drugs, work, and recreation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

HIS 392. Transfer Credits. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

HIS 393. Transfer Credits. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

HIS 394. Transfer Credits. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

HIS 395. World War I. 3 Credit Hours.
The military and political history of the First World War (1914-1918), beginning with a survey of military and naval developments in the early 20th Century and the diplomatic background of the war.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 396. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated parenthetically following course title in class schedules.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

HIS 397. History Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
Provides history students with the opportunity to obtain credit for an internship with the approval and under the close supervision of a faculty member.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
HIS 401. Directed Readings in African History. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 411. Directed Readings in Asian History. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 412. Mahatma Gandhi and Martin Luther King Jr. A Call to Civic Engagement. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected works of M.K. Gandhi and Martin Luther King Jr. and their legacies and impact on the field of community service and civic engagement. The class will be organized into three modules - 1) academic learning inside the classroom, 2) work on similar themes in the community, 3) reflections of civic engagement before, during, and after conclusion of modules. Through a detailed study of Gandhi and King's writings, speeches, archival and visual materials we will explore their theories and praxis of engaged citizenry, political, social and economic justice. Students will be paired with City Year Miami based in Miami-Dade County that works in areas of education access and closing the gap in marginalized communities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HIS 421. Directed Readings in European History. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 447. Global History of Communism. 3 Credit Hours.
The evolution of both Marxian theory and communist societies. How are Marxism-Leninism, Stalinism, Maoism, and other schools of thought different from one another and from the writings of Karl Marx and Friedrich Engels? What is the history of the global communist movement in the 20th century, and during the Cold War in particular? We will discuss the Soviet Union, as well as other case studies from around the world to explore the diversity of the socialist world and its cultural, intellectual, economic, and political networks. Students will develop skills in analytical thought, vocal and written expression, and GIS tools that they will use in a StoryMap final assignment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HIS 451. Directed Readings in Latin-American History. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 461. Directed Readings in United States History. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 491. Directed Readings in Comparative History. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 501. Studies in African History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in African history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
HIS 511. Studies in Asian History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in Asian history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 515. Studies in Chinese History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in Chinese history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 531. Studies in European History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in European history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 534. Studies in Ancient History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in Ancient history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 535. The History of Rivers. 3 Credit Hours.
This undergraduate seminar examines how human history has entwined with rivers and river valleys and how, consequently the history of rivers has been written as human history along rivers. The format will combine seminar discussions with a term paper on a single river's history.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HIS 536. Studies in Medieval History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in Medieval history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 538. Studies in Early Modern European History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in European history before the French Revolution. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

HIS 544. Studies in Modern European History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in European history after the French Revolution. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 551. Studies in Latin American History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in Latin-American history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
HIS 553. Studies in Colonial Latin American History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in the colonial period of Latin-American history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 554. Studies in Modern Latin American History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in Latin-American history before and after Independence. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 561. Studies in United States History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in United States history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

HIS 564. Studies in American Intellectual and Cultural History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in American intellectual and cultural history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 565. Studies in American Political and Diplomatic History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in American political and diplomatic history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 569. Studies in African-American History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in African-American history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 570. Studies in Public History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in public history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 591. Studies in Comparative History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in Comparative History. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 592. Transfer Credits. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 593. Transfer Credits. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
HIS 594. Transfer Credits. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

HIS 595. Studies in Visual History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in the use of photographs and other visual evidence for historical purposes. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 597. Semester 1 of 2-semester senior honors thesis program. 3 Credit Hours.
A demanding and intellectually exciting two-semester honors track. It affords an opportunity for students to pursue their particular research interest and to engage with a lively cohort of other honors students in an organized seminar format.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HIS 598. Second semester in a 2-semester senior honors thesis program. 3 Credit Hours.
The second semester of a demanding and intellectually exciting two-semester honors track. In this the second semester students will focus on interpreting their original research, presenting initial findings in the seminar format, writing a rough draft of the thesis essay, and revising that draft in order to complete and present their final honors thesis essay at the end of the semester.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HIS 599. Independent Research. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

B.A. in History

A major in history consists of at least 30 credit hours in history with a grade of C- or better in each course, and with a cumulative GPA of at least 2.0 in history courses. These credit hours may include history courses taken for general distribution requirements, and must include at least 18 credit hours at the 300 level or above, of which at least 6 credit hours must be taken in the form of 500-level seminars. (HIS 599 does not count). All courses for majors will be selected by students in consultation with advisors designated by the department.

Credit hours from other institutions may be counted toward the major or minor, and to general distribution requirements as appropriate, but departmental approval is required in each case. Students who complete the Advanced Placement course in either United States or European history and pass the examination with a grade of 4 or 5 may receive credit in the appropriate history courses. Students who complete the International Baccalaureate program and pass the higher level history examination with a grade of 6 or higher will receive 3 credit hours in the appropriate entry-level history course. (However, in some cases students will only receive elective credit hours). At least 18 credit hours of the major and at least 9 credit hours of the minor must be completed at the University of Miami.

The department offers a variety of study abroad options with credit toward the major or minor.

Curriculum Requirements

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### Mission

The three principle objectives of coursework in history are to provide students with the (a) context in which issues and events, people and places, laws and society, progress and prosperity, problems and solutions are given root and foundation; give them the (b) critical reasoning skills for effective comprehension; and (c) supplement their cognitive knowledge base which is essential for career placement in the information-driven twenty-first century world of ideas, be that in education, business, technology, public or private sector employment or community service. Thus history with its study of how people function in complex social and cultural environments that change over time is an ideal discipline for honing the skills necessary to think clearly and critically whether that be applied as a practicing historian or a lawyer, physician, politician, governmental employee, private entrepreneur or simply a thoughtful, cultured, engaged member of society.

### Goals

The program objectives are:

- to prepare students for employment in careers related to education or in careers which value critical reasoning; and
- to prepare them for admission to graduate or professional schools.

### Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will demonstrate they think critically and analytically and construct persuasive arguments differentiating fact from conjecture.
- Students will demonstrate a breadth of understanding of historical information and narratives.
- Students must demonstrate an understanding of historical scholarship.

### Five-Year Bachelor of Arts/Master of Arts in History

#### Overview

The BA/MA program is a five-year program that combines an undergraduate degree in History with a Masters degree in History. The accelerated nature of the program enables students to take graduate-level courses in their final undergraduate year (once they have completed 90 undergraduate credit hours, per UM regulations) and then complete the Master’s degree in one year of full-time study, rather than the usual two years of full-time graduate study, and at a reduced cost.

#### Admission Requirements

Applications will be reviewed by the Department of History’s graduate committee. To qualify for admission to the Five-year BA/MA Degree in History, applicants must:

- have earned 15 credit hours in History courses, including 3 credit hours at the 500-level
- have earned a 3.5 GPA in History courses

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• receive an endorsement from one full-time faculty member in the Department of History who agrees to serve as the student’s MA advisor
• submit their application to the program no later than January 5th of their Junior year To remain in the program, students must:
  • complete all requirements for the History BA
  • complete all of the requirements for the History MA
• enroll in a minimum of 12 undergraduate credit hours per semester until the BA is awarded
• earn a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.3 in all History graduate coursework

The Department of History’s graduate committee, in conjunction with each student’s MA Advisor, will assess the student’s progress after each semester.

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4 A grade of C- or better and a cumulative GPA of at least 2.0 are required for all history courses.

2* All courses for majors will be selected by students in consultation with advisors designated by the department.

2 This course is normally given in the fall semester. All students are required to take the Historiography course in their first year. This course counts for 3 of the 30 credits.

3 Typically, students take HIS 701 and HIS 702 in their 2nd and 3rd semesters in the program. The credit hours from these courses are included in the total required.

4 The comprehensive examination for the M.A. degree in history is an oral examination in two fields that will normally not exceed two hours. Although the exam is in two fields, all members of the advisory committee will participate. Students selecting the thesis examination should expect questioning on the thesis as well as their fields during the examination. For such students the comprehensive exam also will act as a thesis defense. For a list of fields, see below.

5 Students may, if they wish, write an M.A. thesis. Students who elect this option should consult with their advisor. Any student writing a thesis should register for 6 credit hours of HIS 810, which count toward the 30 required credit hours. Students must apply for graduation in their penultimate semester (i.e. fall semester for spring semester graduation).

### Committee

Upon admission to the master’s program in history, the student is assigned a provisional major advisor. An advisory committee of three, including the major advisor and a faculty member representing the student’s secondary field, must be formed no later than the student’s second semester in the program. There are then two options for completing the masters. One requires 30 credit hours of coursework and an exam. The other requires 24 credit hours of coursework, a master’s thesis (6 thesis credit hours), and an exam. In the case of both options, one member of the committee may be from a cognate discipline, but this is not required. It is the responsibility of the student and the advisor to form the committee and to notify the DGS
of its composition. The major advisor chairs the advisory committee and oversees the student's course of study and progress in the program. The advisory committee also administers the oral comprehensive exam that is given in the case of either option. In the case of the second (thesis) option, the advisory committee and the thesis committee are usually, but not necessarily, composed of the same faculty members.

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* A grade of C- or above in each course and a cumulative GPA of at least 2.0 are required in all history courses.

### International Studies

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Dept. Code: INS
Introduction
The International Studies major provides a focused educational experience aimed at familiarizing students with the key structural features and dynamics of the international system and preparing them to enter the growing international job market. Processes of globalization, in part driven by global capital flows, expanding trade and the unrelenting development of communication and information technologies, have affected virtually everyone in every country, often in ways we are just beginning to understand. These developments often pose serious problems for government and other societal institutions, while also creating a demand for individuals who understand international processes. Jobs in virtually all sectors have acquired a decidedly international dimension, whether in trade, tourism, finance, public policy, government, or education. INS Graduates have moved on to the corporate world, the public sector, started their own businesses, or have continued their studies at the graduate level (i.e. Law, Business, and International Studies).

Educational Objectives
International Studies seeks to provide students with the ability to understand:

- International politics within the context of interstate relations and foreign policy.
- International economics and its sub-discipline international political economy, including such issues as trade and production, money and finance, and development.
- Social science research methods including qualitative, quantitative, comparative case study and formal modeling.

Students are encouraged to explore interdisciplinary options that further their understanding of international studies. This type of coursework can be taken in other disciplines offered at the university or taken outside the institution, either through exchange programs or other inter-institutional options provided by UM. Students will demonstrate the ability to synthesize the various thematic areas of the discipline through required participation in advanced seminars. Seminars will stress analytical participation, oral presentations and the ability to interpret and critique core theoretical readings.

Degree Programs
International Studies provides both a major and minor option for students. The flexibility of the program often allows students to double major without the need to extend their university studies. Students are encouraged to speak with the International Studies advisor to explore such possibilities. The major in International Studies leads to the degree of Bachelor of Arts.

Advanced Writing & Communication Requirements
Details of the Advanced Writing and Communication Proficiency:

Degree candidates must complete at least four writing courses, and at least one writing course must be in one of the student's major disciplines (not applicable to BLA students who do not select a major). Students should consult the bulletin section of their major to find out which writing-intensive courses are acceptable to the discipline.

Individual writing course offerings may make the writing component independent of the rest of the course. As such the writing component might be optional, the writing component might not contribute to the overall grade, and writing credit might be awarded even if the overall grade is a fail.

Transfer students may use a maximum of two courses towards the writing requirement.

Departmental Honors
The Department of International Studies encourages its majors to intensify and deepen their knowledge of the field through its departmental honors program. The program is designed to give students the opportunity to explore various topics and problems in international studies that are of particular interest to them, to work more closely with departmental faculty, to develop skills in research and thesis preparation, and in some cases to prepare for graduate work in international studies and related fields.

Minimal requirements for the program are as follows:

1. a cumulative grade point average of at least 3.30;
2. a cumulative grade point average in international studies of at least 3.50; and
3. a thesis that is approved, with a grade of at least B+, by a member of the departmental faculty.

After reaching agreement with a member of the faculty who will serve as the honors thesis advisor, students writing a senior honors thesis will enroll in INS 418 and INS 419, Honors Thesis, for a total of six credit hours [the credit hours may be spread over two semesters or taken in a single semester]. The thesis itself is expected to be an extended, coherent work of scholarship on an issue of relevance in the field of international studies.
INS 101. Global Perspectives. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduces students to the study of international relations focusing on the continuing threat of national and ethnic conflict; terrorism; environmental and health concerns; globalization; economic interdependence, and poverty. Students are provided an overview of the evolution of international affairs in the modern era and are introduced to the various scholarly approaches for an understanding of international affairs.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 102. Global Economics. 3 Credit Hours.
The international economy. This course develops the analytical tools underlying "the economic way of thinking" and applies them to two main topics: the environment and international trade.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 103. World in Crisis. 3 Credit Hours.
A global overview of critical issues of the world in the 21st century is the primary objective of this course. In an interdisciplinary framework experts from the University's faculty will lecture and participate in panels discussing issues such as globalization, military conflict, proliferation of weapons of mass destruction, transnational terrorism, ethnic conflict, global climate change, global financial issues, global wealth disparities and global poverty, immigration and refugee crises, epidemic diseases. Students will learn about conflict in the Middle East, China, its rising economic and military strength, renewed Russian worldwide assertiveness, failed states, and generally, problems of global governance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

INS 104. Global Perspectives Discussion Section. 0 Credit Hours.
Discussion topic varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 105. Global Perspectives Discussion Section 2. 0 Credit Hours.
Discussion topic varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 201. Globalization and Change in World Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
The academic and public policy debates regarding the multiple impacts of the globalization of the world economy on the politics of nation-states and on the dynamics of the international system itself.
Prerequisite: INS 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 202. INS Methodology. 3 Credit Hours.
The approaches, methods and techniques used for designing and conducting international studies research.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

INS 210. INS Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 310. Advanced Topics in INS. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Prerequisite: INS 101 or POL 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
INS 311. Advanced Topics in INS II. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Prerequisite: POL 202 or POL 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 319. Empire: Global Legacies. 3 Credit Hours.
A review of the key features of the Roman, Chinese, Russian, Ottoman, Spanish, and British empires and their global legacies. Different perspectives and conceptualizations on empires. Major characteristics of the empires studied and their enduring resonances in specific regions and globally.
Prerequisite: INS 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 320. Global Economics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Macroeconomics and its application to the study of the international economy. Measurement of income and level of development; determinants of economic growth; inflation and unemployment; open economy macroeconomics.
Prerequisite: INS 102 or ECO 211 or ECO 212.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 321. International Development. 3 Credit Hours.
A synthesis of major theories of international development, institutional architecture, and practice of international development. Focuses on key international development policies such as trade, macroeconomic finance, and equity. Considers narrow conceptions of modernity, growth, progress, wellbeing, and culture toward broader conceptions of freedom and/or sustainable development in both the Global North and Global South.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 322. Economics of Development and the Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
Structural changes that accompany economic growth that impact the environment and sustainable development.
Prerequisite: INS 102 or ECO 211 or ECO 212.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

INS 324. The History of Zionism. 3 Credit Hours.
The religious, cultural, historical, political and social underpinnings of the development of Zionism that fed to the creation of the State of Israel. Through readings, analysis of speeches and essays, exploration of films and the internet, the class will move through time from the origins of the Zionist idea to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 325. Israel: The Making of a State. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the creation of the State of Israel in its historical context, emphasizing the period of 1935-55: the struggle for Israel’s establishment, the making of the state and the early challenges Israel faced. The class will use documents, texts, testimony, poetry, music and film.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 330. Introduction of Comparative Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduces students to the comparative method and to the theories and concepts required to analyze political transformation of states, societies, economies and culture in a globalization world.
Prerequisite: INS 101 or POL 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
INS 335. Democratization. 3 Credit Hours.
A comparative overview of the problems of introducing democratic and market economic institutions into areas where they have not flourished and how to maintain them in established democracies.
Prerequisite: INS 101 or POL 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 341. Nationalism, Ethnicity and Conflict. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines theories of ethnic and national conflict focusing on contemporary issues throughout the world.
Prerequisite: INS 101 or POL 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 344. Gender and Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
Compares the roles played by men and women in political systems worldwide; examines public policy outcomes with significant gender-based effects, including policies on sexuality and reproductive health, gender-based violence, work and the family, and access to education.
Prerequisite: INS 101 or POL 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 352. Panoramic View of the Middle East. 3 Credit Hours.
The Middle East and a basic understanding of the factors, forces and processes shaping developments in the modern and contemporary history of this important world region.
Prerequisite: INS 101 or POL 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 357. Global Food: A Hands-On Approach. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of principles of permaculture via designing and creating a small "global farm" on campus to grow perennial food crops which are unique to the South Florida environment. We learn by doing, cultivating plants that hold the solution to world hunger problems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

INS 358. Food Policy: Hands-On Approach. 3 Credit Hours.
In this course, students will begin to immediately plant in the early spring, while harvesting the earlier fall semester's produce. The course will introduce students to planting and maintaining edible perennials in the South Florida environment. Students will study the role of urban farming as a potential contribution to the local food supply, changing urban landscapes into garden cities, and enhancing the role of tropical agricultural in reversing global warming.
Components: WKS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

INS 359. Culture, Civilizations and Religion in International Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
International Relations (IR) theories have traditionally neglected ideational factors such as identity, religion, and culture: unlike states, they were "non-territorial"
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 367. Foreign Policy Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in Foreign Policy. Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Prerequisite: INS 101 or POL 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
INS 380. Democracy and Globalization in Latin America. 3 Credit Hours.
The global dimensions of Latin American politics, emphasizing democratization and its discontents; human rights; the emergence of transnational
civil society; and the impacts of market reforms on development, equity and social inclusion.
Prerequisite: INS 101 or POL 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 385. Latin American Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the course number and title.
Prerequisite: INS 101 or POL 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 391. The European Union. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will combine 6 objectives: 1)to investigate the historical development of Europe as a civilization and as an idea through review of some
main historical and political factors and ideologies from 1815-present; 2)to survey the main organizations and experiments in European integration
before/after World War II; 3)to analyze the historical development of the European communities; 4)to examine major institutions of the European
Union; 5)to analyze the main European Union policies and current issues; 6)to reflect upon the future of the nation-state and the idea of a united
Europe, the role of transformed ideologies, and the rebirth of nationalism while pondering about future scenarios for European integration.
Prerequisite: INS 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 394. European Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the course number and title.
Prerequisite: POL 202 or POL 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 410. INS Advanced Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminar topic varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Prerequisite: INS 102 or INS 201 or POL 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 411. Advanced Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminar topic varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Prerequisite: INS 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 415. Independent Study. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Individualized research done under the guidance of selected faculty member. Depending upon the requirements established by the instructor, the
student will be responsible for a research paper corresponding to the number of credits taken.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 418. Honors Thesis. 3 Credit Hours.
Honors thesis research. This course is required for students seeking magna or summa cum laude and those seeking departmental honors. A thesis
committee comprised of three members, two from International Studies and one from the university faculty must be established. The thesis advisor
must also be from International Studies.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
INS 419. Honors Thesis II. 3 Credit Hours.
Honors thesis writing.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 420. Global Trade. 3 Credit Hours.
Economic principles in global issues such as comparative advantage; specialization and trade; macroeconomics in the open economy; commercial policy; globalization; inequalities, within and among nations; and governance.
Prerequisite: INS 102.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

INS 421. Poverty and the Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
The processes by which a growing economy creates wealth in the form of goods and services while simultaneously increasing poverty and pollution.
Prerequisite: INS 102.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

INS 430. Comparative Studies Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminar topic varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Prerequisite: INS 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 450. History of Economic Thought. 3 Credit Hours.
A review of the contributions made by some of the most influential authors and schools of thought to the fields of political economy and economics. Examination of the links of ideas, theories, and policy approaches on economic phenomena with moral philosophy and other realms of knowledge. Emphasis is placed on the contributions made by the classics of political economy and their continuities and discontinuities with respect to pre-classical and post-classical ones.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 460. United Nations Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
The organization and functions of the UN, including its structure, network of agencies, and issues in which it is involved. Emphasis is given to reforms, the Millennium Development Goals, and problematic relationships among the UN member states.
Prerequisite: INS 201.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 495. Capstone in International Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Students integrate and apply thematic knowledge (topics vary by semester e.g., international security, international development, international studies & film, international economy & environment, a major regional challenge (EU, Latin America and/or Africa), and/or IR theory). Course provides opportunities to build upon what students have learned in major while demonstrating intellectual creativity in solving problems and communicating effectively; demonstrate knowledge in the field and avail of a shared experience in preparing to utilize the INS major.
Prerequisite: INS 102 and INS 201 and INS 202 And Requisite: Junior Standing.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 501. Capstone in International Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Students integrate and apply thematic knowledge (topics vary by semester e.g., international security, international development, international studies & film, international economy & environment, a major regional challenge (EU, Latin America and/or Africa), and/or IR theory). Course provides opportunities to build upon what students have learned in major while demonstrating intellectual creativity in solving problems and communicating effectively; demonstrate knowledge in the field and avail of a shared experience in preparing to utilize the INS major.
Prerequisite: INS 101 or INS 102 or INS 201 or INS 202 and at least Junior Standing.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
INS 503. International Relations Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in International Relations Theory. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 504. Int Rel Topics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in International Relations Theory. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 509. International Migration and the Health Care System. 3 Credit Hours.
An exposure to one of the most critical aspects of development globally: the migration-development nexus. The centrality of this issue has in current debates on development. Research and policy-making approaches to different aspects of this nexus. Several countries and regions are covered throughout the semester. Development of research skills through systematic participation in specific projects.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 510. Issues in Ins. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of current issues of international importance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 515. Independent Study. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Advanced level research done under the guidance of a selected faculty member. This course can be used as one of the two 500-level requirements for International Studies majors.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 518. Global Migration and Development. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the nexus between migration and the health care system. Immigrants as professionals in the medical field; immigrants as people in need to health care services. Many countries have relied on immigration to cover critical shortages of professionals while others suffer from the exodus of professionals. The impact of immigration on these systems through an increase in the demand for medical services and other mechanisms. An examination of research and policy approaches to these issues.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 519. Internship: Knowledge Partnership Civic Engagement. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The Knowledge Partnership Internship and Civic Engagement course offers students the opportunity to apply their academic/theoretical training to a practical internship experience. In addition to the internship component, there is a civic engagement component, and a total of three arranged class sessions held over the course of a semester.
Components: FLD.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 520. Microeconomics for INS. 3 Credit Hours.
Microeconomics for students of international studies. Topics will include rationality, market failure and comparative advantage.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 521. International Economic System Topics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in International Economics. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
INS 522. Latin American Political Economy. 3 Credit Hours.
Latin American political economy including analysis of market reform and integration of the region into the world economy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 524. Int'l Econ Topics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 530. Comparative Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced overview of the comparative method. Required for students specializing in Comparative Studies at the graduate level.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 532. Globalization and Human Rights. 3 Credit Hours.
The integration of markets has many concerned for the political and economic rights of the common citizen. This course examines The effect of globalization on the human rights standards throughout the world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 533. Transnational Social Movements. 3 Credit Hours.
Focuses on global civic activism and contentious politics, with particular attention to transnational non-state actors - NGOs, social movements, environmental protection, and the emergence of a global civil society.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 534. Military, State and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
The role of the military in state formation; questions of military rule, civilian control, and social structures in contemporary world politics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 536. Comparative Political Regimes. 3 Credit Hours.
Literature concerned with the transition from authoritarianism to democracy in various parts of the world.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 537. Comparative Political Economy. 3 Credit Hours.
Compares how domestic politics and macroeconomic policies interact with globalization. Case studies include welfare states in the U.S. and Europe, East Asian development, post communist transitions and market restructuring in Latin America and Africa.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

INS 540. National Security. 3 Credit Hours.
The central issues concerning European security since World War II, with emphasis on the period since the end of the cold war.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 542. Drug-Trafficking in the Americas. 3 Credit Hours.
The political economy of the U.S.-Latin American drug trade in the 20th Century along with the dynamics of the U.S.-led war on drugs through the first years of the Twenty First Century.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
INS 543. National Security and Foreign Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores alternative conceptualizations of "security" and the new challenges to U.S. national security that have emerged in the Post-Cold War era.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

INS 551. Regional Topics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in International Business. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 560. U.S. Foreign Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
The leading approaches to the analysis of American foreign policy. Particular emphasis will be placed on the post-Cold War period and the new challenges to U.S. foreign policy of the 21st century.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

INS 561. Negotiation and Bargaining. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines the nature of diplomatic negotiation through readings and discussion of international negotiation and through the case method, selecting several cases of high-level policy issues in which the United States has been a principal actor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

INS 562. International Peace and Conflict Resolution. 3 Credit Hours.
The major sources of conflict, and what resources are available for making and keeping the peace? This class introduces students to the most fundamental concerns of the field of International Relations (IR), and especially of its sub-field IPCR.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 563. International Organizations. 3 Credit Hours.
The role, function, and impact on states of international governmental and non-governmental organizations in critical areas like peace and security, human rights, economic development, and environmental degradation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 564. International Law. 3 Credit Hours.
How international law affects the conduct of states. Issues include jurisdiction, diplomatic immunity, the use of armed force, peaceful dispute settlement among states, human rights, and the International Criminal Court.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

INS 565. The World Before European Domination. 3 Credit Hours.
The historical roots of the contemporary international system. Its objective is to question the standard Eurocentric perspective on the rise of the West to a dominant position in the global system.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

INS 566. U.S.-Latin American Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
Political, economic and strategic aspects of U.S.-Latin American relations; the historical experience and contemporary issues, including the influence of extra-regional parties such as Europe and China.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
INS 569. Global Issues and Film Making: A Trans-disciplinary Approach. 3 Credit Hours.
Global issues and filmmaking studied via a transdisciplinary approach. Topical focus varies among health, foreign aid, human security, international development, and global urbanization.
Components: RSC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 570. Globalization and Health. 3 Credit Hours.
Globalization and its benefits and threats to public health; the relationship between global economic, political, social, cultural, environmental and technological changes and their impact on human health.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

INS 571. Global Health and International Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Health and development links; macroeconomic polices and their impact on social equity; poverty and structural inequities; and other key issues that influence human development.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 572. Global Health Policy and Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
National, regional and global health policies with special consideration to ethical and human rights issues; policies and the moral considerations that shape public health policy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 573. Disasters, Terrorism and Global Public Health. 3 Credit Hours.
The historical processes and present trends of disasters, terrorism, humanitarian emergencies and their impact on human health, safety and security.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

INS 580. Latin American Comparative Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
The major intellectual debates shaping the field of comparative politics including: (1) development, (2) military politics, (3) democratization and (4) the emergence of new social movements.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

INS 581. Politics and Ideology in Latin America. 3 Credit Hours.
The roles played by both "class" and the "new social movements" in the emergence of new modes of political representation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 584. Latin American Thought. 3 Credit Hours.
The evolution of Latin American thought through political and intellectual history; the classical writings of the main "pensadores", and a comparative analysis of contemporary ideological trends.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

INS 586. Brazil in Transition. 3 Credit Hours.
The social, economic, cultural transformations shaping Brazilian politics. In addition to visiting Rio de Janeiro and Salvador, there will be seminars with Brazilian academics and social and political activists.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
INS 590. European-Latin American Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
This course deals primarily with five main themes: shared history between Europe and Latin America; mutual transfer of ideas (ideologies and political thought), perceptions (images and stereotypes), people (voluntary and slavery), and goods (trade and investment); foreign policies of main European states and the European Community toward Latin America; an analysis of some specific country cases (Spain, especially) and issues (regional integration, among them); and how the above have affected inter-American relations and the hegemonic role of the United States.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 591. The European Union. 3 Credit Hours.
The European Union’s history, institutions, policies and contemporary issues.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 592. European Union and the World. 3 Credit Hours.
The European Union's development, its main institutions and policies followed by an analysis of the main features of the European Union's external relations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

INS 593. European Security. 3 Credit Hours.
Regional security in Europe, focusing on NATO expansion, EU expansion, Russian foreign policy, and related issues.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

INS 594. European Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the course number and title.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 595. European Social Movements. 3 Credit Hours.
The major social movements active today throughout Europe including those concerned with the environment, agriculture, poverty, racism, defending social democracy, the rights of workers, minorities, and women.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 596. Post-Soviet Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the course number and title.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

INS 599. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

B.A. in International Studies
Overview
The International Studies major provides a focused educational experience aimed at familiarizing students with the key structural features and dynamics of the international system and preparing them to enter the growing international job market. Processes of globalization, in part driven by global capital flows, expanding trade and the unrelenting development of communication and information technologies, have affected virtually everyone in every country, often in ways we are just beginning to understand. These developments often pose serious problems for government and other societal institutions, while also creating a demand for individuals who understand international processes. Jobs in virtually all sectors have acquired a decidedly international dimension, whether in trade, tourism, finance, public policy, government, or education. INS Graduates have moved on to the corporate world, the public sector, started their own businesses, or have continued their studies at the graduate level (i.e. Law, Business, and International Studies).
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General Electives

Total Credit Hours

1. These courses must be completed before taking the Thematic Core courses. Students may take either INS 101 or INS 103.
2. Additional classes will be counted toward the elective portion of the INS major, if taken. Other courses, including classes in other disciplines, may be taken with the approval of the INS Advisor.
3. With the approval of the INS Advisor, students may take courses from other departments outside of INS such as Geography and Regional Studies, History, Anthropology, Sociology, Political Science, Economics, Religion, Art History, Foreign Languages, Environmental Science, etcetera. Appropriate study abroad courses, an approved internship (INS 519), or an honors thesis (INS 418 & INS 419) may also be used to fulfill elective credit hour requirements.

Important Advising Notes for all International Studies Majors

1. **Double Counting:** Of the combined courses in the INS Electives, no more than 6 credit hours may count double towards a second major. Any course used to fulfill the requirements of a minor may not be used to fulfill the requirements of the INS major.
2. **Study Abroad:** Students are strongly encouraged to study abroad for a summer, a semester, or an entire year, depending on the program. Study abroad at carefully selected institutions will complement the student's curriculum and area of specialization, will enhance fluency in the foreign language, and will result in heightened affinity for a foreign culture. The study abroad experience need not result in credit hour overloads or extended time spent in the program.
3. **Internship Credit Hour:** Students are encouraged to find a suitable internship during their undergraduate career. Upon approval by an advisor in the International Studies Undergraduate Program Office, 3 credit hours may be earned with an internship (INS 519), either toward the major or as elective credit hours (depending on the relevance of the particular internship to the INS major). The University’s Toppel Career Planning and Placement Center regularly advertises internships.
4. **Academic Standing:** Only courses in which a grade of C- or better is attained, may be counted towards the International Studies major and students must maintain a GPA of 2.75 or better in all major requirements (30 credit hours).

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| INS 519 Internship: Knowledge Partnership Civic Engagement | 3  
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**Mission**

The INS Program promotes, through its interdisciplinary reach, the exploration of various theoretical and analytical approaches and methodological techniques intended to offer students a broad program of study focused on the interaction between the local and the global, from the historical to the contemporary, while tracking possible alternative future scenarios and developments in the international system.

**Goals**

- International Studies seeks to provide students with the ability to understand international politics within the context of interstate relations and foreign policy.
- International Studies seeks to provide students with the ability to understand international economics and its sub-discipline international political economy, including such issues as trade and production, money and finance, and development.
- International Studies seeks to provide students with the ability to understand social science research methods including qualitative, quantitative, comparative case study and formal modeling.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Students will demonstrate a comprehensive understanding of international studies within the context of interstate relations and foreign policy.
- Students will be encouraged to explore interdisciplinary options that further their understanding of international studies and will produce a paper project that demonstrates competencies in presenting interdisciplinary approaches to international studies. (This type of coursework can be taken
in other disciplines offered at the university or taken outside the institution, either through exchange programs or other inter-institutional options provided by UM).

- Students will demonstrate a comprehensive understanding of international economics and its sub-discipline international political economy. Specific issues such as trade and production, money and finance, and development are categories for students to demonstrate their level of knowledge.
- Students will demonstrate the ability to design and conduct social science research after an introduction to qualitative, quantitative, and comparative case study, and formal modeling methods.
- Students will demonstrate the ability to write critical essays (average 25 pages) in all classes except those emphasizing economics and methodology.

**Minor in International Studies**

**Curriculum Requirements**

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\(^1\) Advanced level courses from other departments may be taken if approved by the INS advisor. Only courses in which a grade of C- or better is attained may be counted towards the minor in International Studies, and students must maintain a GPA of 2.75 or better in all minor requirements (15 credit hours).

**Judaic Studies**

[judaicstudies.as.miami.edu](http://judaicstudies.as.miami.edu)

Dept. Code: JUS

**Introduction**

The George Feldenkreis Program in Judaic Studies is a broad, flexible, interdisciplinary program designed for undergraduates to gain an understanding of Jewish civilization and its diverse cultural experiences. The program, which is non-theological in orientation, is an academic exploration of the multi-faceted, socio-historical, 4,000-year record of the Jewish people. Courses taught by, and combined with the program highlight the variety of cultural, political, social, and religious experiences of Jews in different times and places.

**Educational Objectives**

The program is structured to provide an in-depth liberal arts education that will constitute a foundation for advanced academic study, professional careers in a variety of fields, and a more complex and rich understanding of the Jewish world. There are a total of 5 Judaic Studies Cognates. Judaic Studies cognates meet the requirements for People & Society and Arts & Humanities Cognates in the College of Arts and Sciences.

**Advanced Writing and Communication Requirement**

Students majoring in Judaic Studies satisfy the college of Arts and Sciences "Writing requirement in the discipline" when they take any course in Jewish or Israeli literature offered by the Department of English and any Judaic Studies course with the Writing Credit designation.

**JUS 205. Holocaust Survivor Service Internship. 3 Credit Hours.**

Interns will gain meaningful experiences that will offer them an opportunity to become involved in service-oriented activities. This will give them a deep insight and unique understanding of the historical significance of the Holocaust while providing valuable services to the survivors of Nazi atrocities.

Components: DIS.

Grading: CNC.

Typically Offered: Fall.
JUS 231. Jewish Civilization: Society, Culture and Religion. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to Jewish civilization from Abraham to present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JUS 234. Jerusalem in the Time of Jesus. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of the archaeological evidence related to Herodian Jerusalem during the time of Jesus. Emphasis on the architectural remains, material culture and inscriptions of the period that illuminate Jewish society and religious liturgy in Jerusalem. The places associated with the Gospels and the last days of Jesus will be a focus.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JUS 250. The Holocaust Through Film, Memoir and Testimony. 3 Credit Hours.
The purpose of the course is to introduce students to the history of the Holocaust through classroom dialogue, film, and literature analysis. Involving students in major ethical and moral issues raised in the study of the Holocaust by encouraging students to think critically, explore choices, and make decisions based on a code of conduct that reflects a commitment to humanity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JUS 301. Studies in Judaica. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics offering at the 300-level for students pursuing a major/minor in Judaic Studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JUS 314. The Rise of Judaism. 3 Credit Hours.
The history and literature of early Judaism, covering the period from the fall of Jerusalem in 587/586 BCE to the beginnings of rabbinic Judaism and the formation of the Mishnah (ca.200 CE).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JUS 324. The History of Zionism. 3 Credit Hours.
The religious, cultural, historical, political and social underpinnings of the development of Zionism that fed to the creation of the State of Israel. Through readings, analysis of speeches and essays, exploration of films and the internet, the class will move through time from the origins of the Zionist idea lo the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JUS 325. Israel: The Making of a State. 3 Credit Hours.
The creation of the state of Israel in its historical context, emphasizing the period of 1945-55: The struggle for Israel's establishment, the making of the state and the early challenges Israel faced. The class will use documents, text, testimony, poetry, music and film.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JUS 338. History of the Holocaust. 3 Credit Hours.
Focus on the roots, events and results of the Nazis nearly successful annihilation of Jewish men, women, and children living under the Swastika. We will study Hitler's political aims, his Aryan superiority mythology, his domestic and foreign policies, and his conquests. We will also investigate how Germans, admired for their culture, became instruments of mass murder. Also included in this survey are the heroism of Jewish resisters and gentile rescuers who stood in direct opposition to the silence of the Christian churches and inactivity of the nearly all nations in the face of the Jewish disaster.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
JUS 340. History of Modern Germany Since 1815. 3 Credit Hours.
German history from the Congress of Vienna in 1815 to the end of the Second World War. The course concentrates on the social, political, and cultural history of Germany between Bismarck and Hitler. The main topics of discussion include: The German states before and during the revolutions of 1848, German unification and Prussian policy during the 1850s and 1860s, Bismarck’s foreign policy and the political history of the Empire from 1871 to 1914, the origins and the course of the First World War, the Versailles Treaty and the history of the Weimar Republic, Hitler’s rise to power and the politics of Nazi Germany between 1933 and 1939, Germany during the Second World War and the Holocaust. To bring the past to life, lectures will occasionally be supplemented by documentary films.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

JUS 352. Panoramic View of the Middle East. 3 Credit Hours.
The course is designed to provide a comprehensive introduction to the Middle East and a basic understanding of factors, forces, and processes shaping developments in the modern and contemporary history of this important world region.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JUS 360. Hollywood and Popular Culture: The American Jewish Experience. 3 Credit Hours.
The image of the Jew and the Jewish experience in American Cinema.
Prerequisite: JUS 231 or HIS 102.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JUS 365. Literature of the Holocaust. 3 Credit Hours.
The destruction of European Jewry has generated a substantial body of literature, including survivor accounts, novels, poetry, and theological and philosophical inquiries. Firstly this course will review the history of the Holocaust; then a range of works will be read and discussed in terms of questions associated with the memorialization of victims. Non-literary responses to the Holocaust will also be examined: excerpts will be shown from the films The Last of the Unjust, Shoah, and The Quarrel, and we will listen to Steve Reich’s musical composition Different Trails.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JUS 375. Religion and Democracy in Israel. 3 Credit Hours.
Israel's evolution as a nation and a society by focusing on how religion impacts ethnicity, culture, and democracy.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JUS 380. Archaeology of Palestine. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey of the major archaeological excavations and surveys of Palestine, how this is used to interpret biblical narrative and give context to the emergence of Judaism and Christianity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JUS 401. Studies in Judaica. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Designed to enable students interested in some phase of Judaic Studies to study extensively in that field of interest.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JUS 410. Special Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JUS 411. Special Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
JUS 421. Internship in Judaic Studies. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Prescribed study and supervised work with practitioners in Judaic services.
Components: DIS.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JUS 498. Senior Thesis. 3 Credit Hours.
Partial requirement for Departmental Honors in Judaic Studies. Thesis to be a documented essay in any area of Judaic Studies written under the direction of a member of the faculty.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JUS 499. Senior Thesis. 3 Credit Hours.
Partial requirement for Departmental Honors in Judaic Studies. Thesis to be a documented essay in any area of Judaic Studies written under the direction of a member of the faculty.
Components: LEC.
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B.A. in the George Feldenkreis Program in Judaic Studies
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2 Can be used simultaneously to fulfill the College of Arts and Sciences Language requirement.
3 9 credit hours of which must be completed at the 300-level or higher. Students who complete HEB 201 need only complete 6 credit hours at the 300-level or higher.
4 A major or minor in Judaic Studies Fulfills the Cognate requirement for Arts and Humanities or People and Society.
* Honors in Judaic Studies consist of the above plus an Honors Thesis and one additional elective at the 300 level or higher.
** A grade of “C-” or better must be attained in each course taken for the JUS major with an overall GPA of 2.0.
# Suggested Plan of Study

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Mission
The Judaic Studies Program is a broad, flexible, Interdisciplinary Program designed for undergraduates to gain an understanding of Jewish civilization and its historical and diverse cultural experiences.

Goals
Student Learning Outcomes
• Graduates of the George Feldenkreis Program in Judaic Studies will demonstrate knowledge of key topics in ancient and modern Judaic Studies, they will be able to relate specific subject matter to the broader context of Jewish civilization, and will be able communicate in Hebrew; they must be able to speak basic conversational Hebrew as well as read and compose simple texts.
• Graduates of the George Feldenkreis Program in Judaic Studies will be able to relate specific subject matter to the broader context of Jewish civilization.
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Minor in the George Feldenkreis Program in Judaic Studies
Curriculum Requirements

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<td>Up to four courses in ancient/modern Jewish History, Society, Culture and Religion (to be designated as “ancient” or “modern” and published by the JUS Program Director each semester). Students are strongly encouraged to take at least one course in the “ancient,” and at least one course in the “modern” categories.</td>
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HEB 202  Intermediate Hebrew II
Any additional JUS course(s), or course(s) combined with JUS, that are needed to complete a total of 15 JUS credits. 6
Native Hebrew speakers require the advance approval of the JUS Undergraduate Advisor before they enroll in this concentration.
Completing the JUS Minor with Hebrew Language Concentration, including HEB 201 and/or 202 will be counted as fulfilling the requirement of a foreign language.

Total Credit Hours 15

1  To be designated as such and published by the JUS program director each semester. Students are strongly encouraged to take at least 1 course in Ancient Jewish History and Society and at least one course in Modern Jewish History and Society.

*  A grade of “C-” or better must be attained in each course taken for the Minor, with an overall GPA of 2.0.

*  Both JUS Minor concentrations will be listed in the student’s transcript as a “Minor in Judaic Studies.”

*  Each of the JUS Minor concentrations are eligible to qualify as a cognate in either “Arts and Humanities” or “People and Society.” Students are encouraged to contact the JUS Undergraduate Advisor, who will make the determination based on whether at least three courses of the JUS Minor count toward either “Arts and Humanities” or “People and Society.”

Latin American Studies
las.as.miami.edu
Dept. Code: LAS

Introduction
The Latin American Studies Program at the University of Miami takes an interdisciplinary approach to the study of the politics, economics, cultures, and societies of Latin America and the Caribbean. Courses in the program are offered in departments from every school and college at the University of Miami, and the program’s faculty research topics ranging from development economics to immigrant health care, from indigenous music to Caribbean colonial literature, from the archaeology of the region’s earliest peoples to present-day questions of resource conservation and management. Our students become true experts who can speak to a wide range of issues confronting Latin America and the Caribbean; experts who can contribute proactively to development and cooperation, business, political analysis, arts, and culture in ways that their peers with a more traditional disciplinary focus simply cannot.

Educational Objectives
The goal of an undergraduate education in Latin American Studies is to acquire, advance, and disseminate knowledge of the history, literature, culture, politics, economics, and natural and social sciences of the regions within an interdisciplinary framework. This program also places special emphasis on the languages and cultures of Hispanophone, Francophone and Lusophone Americas, including the transnational study of Latin Americans, Caribbeans and their descendants in the United States.

Students should leave the program with the following:

• the analytical and methodological tools needed to conduct interdisciplinary research;
• the ability to read, write and think critically about primary and secondary sources;
• a general knowledge of the different regions that comprise Latin America, the Caribbean, and their diaspora(s), as well as a critical understanding that the geographic, political, and cultural boundaries that have traditionally defined the “area” as an object of study are not isomorphic and are connected to the interests of European and North American powers;
• a critical understanding of the competing ways in which Latin American and Caribbean peoples have represented themselves paying particular attention to race/ethnicity, class, gender and sexuality, language, religion, migration, transculturation, and other historical, social, economic, and political factors;
• a language competency in either French, Spanish, Portuguese, or Haitian Creole at an intermediate level and a beginning competency in a second language spoken in the region (either French, Spanish, Portuguese, Haitian Creole, or an indigenous language of Latin America or the Caribbean);
• a “Beyond the Books” experience that will bridge the gap between the university and the surrounding communities, and will help solidify a long-term interest in and commitment to the regions.

Requests for Information
Dr. William J. Pestle
Academic Director, Latin American Studies Program
Merrick Hall 102-E
University of Miami
Coral Gables, FL 33124-2005
LAS 101. Introduction to Latin American and Caribbean Studies. 3 Credit Hours.  
Course will focus on culture, economy, geography, history, politics, and society of Latin America and the Caribbean, as well as on the ways in which scholars have studied the region. LAS101 replaces LAS201.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAS 110. Students in Latin America and the Caribbean. 1-3 Credit Hours.  
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  

LAS 111. Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean. 1-3 Credit Hours.  
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  

LAS 112. Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean. 1-3 Credit Hours.  
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  

LAS 113. Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean. 1-3 Credit Hours.  
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  

LAS 114. Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean. 1-3 Credit Hours.  
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  

LAS 115. Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean. 1-3 Credit Hours.  
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  

LAS 211. Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean. 1-3 Credit Hours.  
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  

LAS 212. Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean. 1-3 Credit Hours.  
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  

LAS 213. Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean. 1-3 Credit Hours.  
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  

LAS 214. Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean. 1-3 Credit Hours.  
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  

LAS 215. Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean. 1-3 Credit Hours.  
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.
LAS 301. **Interdisciplinary Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Studies.** 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary, Interdisciplinary focus may be thematic (e.g.: revolutions, new social movements, women's rights, Latin Americanism, testimonio, culture industries,etc.) or regional/national (e.g.: Andean Studies, Southern Cone Studies, Caribbean Studies, Mexican Studies, etc.)
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

LAS 302. **Interdisciplinary Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Studies-Travel Course.** 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary, Interdisciplinary focus is thematic and regional (i.e. tourism in Yucatan; civil society in Chile, civil society in Haiti, cultural policy in the Caribbean, environmental policy in Panama.). Course involves travel during Spring Break and it has a program fee.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

LAS 311. **Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean.** 1-3 Credit Hours.
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAS 312. **Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean.** 1-3 Credit Hours.
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAS 313. **Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean.** 1-3 Credit Hours.
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAS 314. **Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean.** 1-3 Credit Hours.
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAS 315. **Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean.** 1-3 Credit Hours.
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAS 320. **Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Environment.** 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary. Interdisciplinary focus on policies and impact on globalization on the environment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

LAS 321. **Latin American Environmental Issues.** 3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive course on Latin American and Caribbean environmental issues in their political, economic, and social dimensions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

LAS 330. **Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Religions.** 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary. Interdisciplinary focus may be thematic or regional (eg: Liberation Theology, Latin American and Latino Religions, Caribbean Religions.)
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

LAS 340. **Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Economics.** 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary. Focus may be thematic or regional, but will address issues in Latin American and Caribbean Economics and Economic Development.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

LAS 350. **Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Art and Culture.** 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary. Focus may be thematic or regional, but will address issues in Latin American and Caribbean Art and Culture.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.
LAS 360. Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary. Interdisciplinary focus may be thematic or regional (e.g., democracy, new social movements, globalization, politics and society.)
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

LAS 362. Drug Trafficking in Latin America and the Caribbean. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to the study of drug trafficking in Latin America and the Caribbean and its relationship with organized crime, understanding both as important aspects in the dynamics of globalization, international relations, and domestic politics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

LAS 370. Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Media and Communications. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary. Focus may be thematic or regional, but will address issues in Latin American and Caribbean Media and Communication.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

LAS 410. Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAS 411. Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean. 1-3 Credit Hours.
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Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

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Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAS 414. Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean. 1-3 Credit Hours.
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Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAS 415. Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAS 491. Debates on Current Issues in Latin American and Caribbean Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Content may vary from semester to semester. This is an upper level course to allow debate and discussion on current issues and events affecting Latin America, the Caribbean, and Latino communities in the United States.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

LAS 494. Independent Study in Latin American and Caribbean Studies. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Independent study leading to a thesis, original piece of research, or creative project on a Latin American or Caribbean subject.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
LAS 495. Senior Honors Thesis I. 3 Credit Hours.
This course pairs students with a faculty mentor to set and guide a research agenda in preparation for writing the senior honors thesis. Students will study advanced topics in Latin American and Caribbean Studies, according to faculty interests.
Prerequisite: LAS 101.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

LAS 496. Senior Honors Thesis II. 3 Credit Hours.
This course pairs students with a faculty mentor to guide the writing process for the senior honors thesis. Students will study advanced topics in Latin American and Caribbean Studies, according to faculty interests.
Prerequisite: LAS 101.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

LAS 501. Interdisciplinary in Latin American and Caribbean. 3 Credit Hours.
Interdisciplinary methods and politics of Latin American and Caribbean area studies.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

LAS 502. Research Design in Latin American Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Interdisciplinary research methods and skills in Latin American and Caribbean studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

LAS 503. Program Seminar in Latin American Studies and Caribbean Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Content of course will vary by semester.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAS 504. Interdisciplinary Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Studies - Travel Course.. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary. Interdisciplinary focus is thematic and regional (e.g.: tourism in Yucatan; civil society in Chile, Haiti-Dominican Republic relations, cultural policy in the Caribbean, environmental policy in Panama.) Course involves travel during Spring Break and it has a program fee.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

LAS 505. Internship in Latin American and Caribbean Studies. 1-3 Credit Hours.
On-site experience in business, governmental organization, or non-profit organization dealing with Latin America and/or the Caribbean.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

LAS 506. Civic Engagement in Latin America. 1-3 Credit Hours.
On site experience in a civic engagement project in Latin America or the Caribbean.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

LAS 520. Interdisciplinary Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Environments. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary. Interdisciplinary focus on policies and impact of globalization on the environment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAS 521. Latin American Environmental Issues. 3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive course on Latin American and Caribbean environmental issues in their full political, economic, and social dimensions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
LAS 530. Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Religions. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary. Interdisciplinary focus may be thematic or regional (e.g., Liberation Theology, Latin American and Latino Religions, Caribbean Religions), but will address Latin American and Caribbean religion.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAS 540. Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Media and Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary. Interdisciplinary focus may be thematic or regional (e.g., global media, Spanish- or Portuguese-language television or radio, social media) but will address Latin American and Caribbean media and communication.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAS 550. Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Art and Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary. Interdisciplinary focus may be thematic or regional, but will address Latin American and Caribbean Art & Culture.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAS 560. Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary. Interdisciplinary focus may be thematic or regional (e.g., democracy, new social movements, globalization, politics and society), but will address Latin American and Caribbean politics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAS 580. Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean History. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary. Interdisciplinary focus may be thematic or regional, but will address the history of political, social and economic development in Latin America and the Caribbean.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAS 591. Debates on Current Issues in Latin American and Caribbean Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Content may vary from semester to semester. This is a graduate course to allow debate and discussion on current issues and events affecting Latin America, the Caribbean, and Latino communities in the United States.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

B.A. in Latin American Studies
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<td>HAI 102</td>
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A Latin American, Caribbean, or Indigenous language course in the DILS program

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Select six LAS, LAS cross-listed, or LAS Director approved classes 1 18
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| Electives to 120 credits                        42
| Total Credit Hours                               120

* A C- or better for all major courses, with a GPA of 2.0 are required for successful completion of the LAS Major.

1 12 credit hours (4 classes) of which must be completed at the 300-level or higher. Courses that are not combined with LAS but do have a significant focus on Latin America may be taken with the approval of the academic director. A freshman seminar with a significant focus (25% or more) on Latin America or the Caribbean may be counted towards this requirement. SPA 203 and FRE 203 may be counted towards this requirement if not used to satisfy the aforementioned language requirements.

Disclaimer: This is a model plan of study only. It is not guaranteed that every course will be available in the year/semester noted below.

**Suggested Plan of Study**

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**Mission**

The mission of the B.A. in Latin American Studies is to prepare students as they acquire knowledge of the history, literature, culture, politics, economics, and natural sciences of the regions of Latin America and the Caribbean. This knowledge acquisition should occur within an interdisciplinary framework that emphasizes the languages of the Hispanophone, Francophone, and Lusophone Americas, and which includes the transnational study of Latin American and Caribbean diasporic communities in the United States.

**Goals**

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Students should graduate from the program with a deep understanding of Latin America, the Caribbean, as well as of the individual countries within the region, as acquired through internships, travel and study abroad.
- Students will demonstrate proficiency in Latin American regional learning, a critical analysis of and an engagement with complex, interdependent regional systems and legacies (such as natural, physical, social, cultural, economic, and political) and the lives and sustainable development of the region.
• Students will demonstrate proficiency in inquiry and analysis. Inquiry is a systematic process of exploring issues/objects/works through the collection and analysis of evidence that result in informed conclusions/judgments. Analysis is the process of breaking complex topics or issues into parts to gain a better understanding of them.

**B.A./M.A in Latin American Studies (Fellows in Latin American Studies) FILAS (Fellows in Latin American Studies)**

In this highly selective Honors Program, students follow a rigorous, accelerated curriculum to complete two degrees (B.A./M.A.) in Latin American and Caribbean Studies in five years, less time than would be required to obtain the degrees separately. The program provides exciting collaborative research, travel, and work opportunities. While students typically apply to the FILAS program upon their initial application to UM, we also welcome applicants in their first year of study at the University.

Working with UM’s world-class faculty in various academic disciplines, FILAS participants design individualized curricula. In addition to the regular general education course requirements of the College of Arts and Sciences, FILAS students choose one focus track for their most advanced courses: Social Sciences, Law and Policy, Literature & Culture, Communication, Environmental Studies, Public Health, or History. For broad-based, multi-disciplinary preparation, students choose courses that focus on Latin America and the Caribbean. At least ten of these courses must be taken at the graduate level.

**FILAS Admission Requirements**

• SAT1 composite score of 1360 or ACT 31.
• Top 10% of high school graduating class.
• Regular Application for Admission to the University of Miami. We recommend students submit their applications by November 15.
• Recommendations from three high school teachers.
• Statement of interest in FILAS, emphasizing prior language or area study
• To continue through the graduate level (MA Phase), students must maintain at least a 3.4 GPA.

**Curriculum Requirements**

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Select one course as Internship in Latin America
Select five courses above the 300-level (third-year) in a range of disciplines
Select ten courses in one focus track

MA Phase Requirements
GRE Exam in Semester 7 or 8
LAS 601 Interdisciplinary in Latin American and Caribbean 3
LAS 602 Research Design in Latin American Studies 3
Select two Regional Fundamentals courses 6
Select four electives from approved LAS or combined courses 12
LAS 810 Pre-candidacy thesis credits (students must enroll in two semesters of this 3-credit course to fulfill this requirement.) 3
LAS 810 Pre-candidacy thesis credits 3
Total Credit Hours 150

1. Certain AP/IB scores may be used to fulfill the Composition requirement as credit. If Transfer students transfer one of the two above, but not both, they may take ENG 208 to complete the requirement. ENG 105 must be taken unless exempted by SAT/V or ACT/V scores (does not include credits).

2. MTH 108 or higher. Unless exempted by AP/IB, or UM placement test. UM placement test does not include credits. Prerequisites must be met before enrolling in MTH courses.

3. Students must take at least three credits in a language other than English at the 200-level or higher. Prerequisites may be required. Courses taken in order to meet this requirement, including necessary prerequisite courses to the 200 level courses, cannot be used in cognates seen below. FILAS students already fulfill this requirement when completing the language requirements cited below.

4. Degree candidates must complete at least four writing courses, and at least one such course must be in the student's major discipline.

5. Typically, students must complete a minimum of three cognates, one from each of the three areas of the University curriculum: Arts & Humanities; People & Society; and Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics. A cognate is a minimum of 9 credit hours, however it can be more. Each major/minor fulfills the cognate requirement in one Area of Knowledge. However, FILAS students must complete only the STEM Cognate as the FILAS program fulfills the Arts & Humanities and People & Society cognates. To avoid additional course credits, please select a STEM Cognate that includes a Natural Science course to concurrently fulfill this CAS general education requirement. According to the College of Arts & Sciences, "three credits must be earned from one of the following departments: Biology, Chemistry, Ecosystem Science & Policy (only ECS 111, ECS 112, or ECS 202), Geological Sciences, Marine Science (except MSC 313 and MSC 314), Physical Science, or Physics. APY 203 and GEG 120 may also count. These credits may double count with any other requirement, e.g., courses in the STEM cognate."

6. FILAS students also write a Master's Thesis based on an original research project. In addition, they must defend the thesis and present their findings at the LAS Annual Student Symposium.

Disclaimer: This is a model plan of study only. It is not guaranteed that every course will be available in the year/semester noted below.

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Fifth Year (Graduate)

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- **LAS 601**  Interdisciplinary in Latin American and Caribbean  3
- **LAS 810**  Pre-candidacy thesis credits  3
- **Regional Fundamentals Course**  3
- **LAS Approved Elective**  3
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**Spring**
- **LAS 602**  Research Design in Latin American Studies  3
- **LAS 810**  Pre-candidacy thesis credits  3
- **Regional Fundamentals Course**  3
- **LAS Approved Elective**  3
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| Credit Hours | 15 |

**Total Credit Hours**  150

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**Minor in Latin American Studies**

**Overview**

The minor in Latin American Studies is designed for students who have an interest in Latin America and the Caribbean, but may not have the flexibility to pursue a major. The minor may be obtained by completing 5 (five) courses (15 credits) as detailed in the Curriculum tab. In addition, UM offers students the opportunity to complete classes which may be counted towards the Latin American Studies minor through the U-Latin America study abroad program.

**U-Latin America**

Students participating in this program will have the opportunity to spend a life-changing semester in three of the most vibrant, cosmopolitan, and liveliest cities in the world: Buenos Aires, Rio de Janeiro, and Santiago. This program offers students a series of course designed to help them explore the dynamics of Latin American nations and their various cultures. With no language requirement, the U-Latin America program is the perfect way to begin to learn Spanish or Portuguese and to participate in an internship opportunity abroad. This UM designed program offers students the opportunity to complete classes which may be counted towards the Latin American Studies minor while studying in some of the greatest cities of Latin America. Students wanting to apply these classes towards an LAS minor or major should consult with the academic director of Latin American Studies for further guidance.

Further information is available from UM Study Abroad at [https://goabroad.miami.edu/index.cfm?FuseAction=Programs.ViewProgram&Program_ID=10336](https://goabroad.miami.edu/?FuseAction=Programs.ViewProgram&Program_ID=10336)

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**Mathematics**

http://www.math.miami.edu

Dept. Code: MTH

**Educational Objectives**

The aim of our mathematics degree programs is to provide students with a core knowledge of mathematics essential to the understanding of science and other disciplines. Students should gain substantial problem solving and critical reasoning skills and should develop an understanding of the conceptual underpinnings of mathematics. The knowledge gained through these programs should provide the necessary background in mathematics.
for those students planning to go on to graduate study in mathematics and related fields. This knowledge should also prepare those students who will be immediately entering careers in science, business, education or other fields which are increasingly making use of mathematics.

**Degree Programs**

- **Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science**

**Major**

The requirements for a major in mathematics (p. 462) vary according to the objectives of the student. There are **seven courses** required of all mathematics majors.

An **additional four courses** are required, selected from one of the following track options:

- Core Mathematics
- Applied Analysis
- Computational Mathematics
- Probability and Statistics
- Secondary School Teaching
- Mathematical Economics

**Writing Requirement**

In order to satisfy the College of Arts and Sciences writing requirement, students majoring in mathematics must obtain writing credit in one of the following courses: MTH 433, MTH 461, MTH 502, MTH 504, MTH 520, MTH 533, MTH 561, and in three more writing courses from other departments.

**Minor**

A student seeking a minor in mathematics (p. 469) must have credit for a **calculus sequence**: MTH 161-MTH 162 or MTH 171-MTH 172.

In addition, a minor in mathematics requires three courses from a list of approved courses for the minor. (p. 469) All three courses must be taken in the Department of Mathematics, University of Miami. A grade of C- or better is required for each of the three courses applied toward the minor and the quality point average for the three courses must be 2.5 or above.

**Departmental Honors**

Requirements for Departmental Honors in Mathematics (p. 462):

The student must complete **three sequences** from a list of approved two-course sequences. The student must attain at least a B in each course used to fulfill this requirement. In addition, the student must attain at least a 3.5 average over all courses counted toward the mathematics major and an overall (university-wide) average of at least 3.3.

For requirements leading to the Master of Arts, Master of Science, or Doctor of Philosophy degrees, with a major in mathematics, see the Bulletin of the Graduate School (p. 1786).

**Dual BS/MS Degree**

- **Five-Year BS Math/MS Math Finance** (p. 467)

**MTH 099. Intermediate Algebra. 3 Credit Hours.**

Real number operations, polynomials, factoring, rational numbers and rational expressions. Cannot be used to fulfill the 120 credits required for graduation.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**MTH 101. Algebra for College Students. 3 Credit Hours.**

Algebraic operations and properties of the real numbers; linear and quadratic equations and inequalities; polynomials and factoring; rational expressions; radical expressions; graphs of lines; systems of linear equations.

Requisite: SAT Math Section Score >= 550 or Math ACT Score >= 22 or ALEKS score >= 40 or passing grade in MTH 099.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MTH 105. Algebra and Trigonometry. 5 Credit Hours.
An intensive course in algebra and trigonometry as covered in MTH 107-108, but without analytic geometry.
Requisite: SAT Math Section Score >= 600 OR Math ACT Score >= 25 OR ALEKS score >= 55 OR passing grade in MTH 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTH 107. Precalculus Mathematics I. 3 Credit Hours.
Algebraic operations; equations and inequalities; complex numbers; functions and their graphs; polynomial, rational, exponential, and logarithmic functions; inverse functions; systems of non-linear equations.
Requisite: SAT Math Section Score >= 600 OR Math ACT Score >= 25 OR ALEKS score >= 55 OR passing grade in MTH 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTH 108. Precalculus Mathematics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Trigonometric functions, identities and equations, applications involving vectors, systems of nonlinear equations and inequalities and analytic geometry.
Requisite: SAT Math Section Score >= 650 OR Math ACT Score >= 28 OR ALEKS score >= 65 OR a passing grade in MTH 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTH 113. Finite Mathematics. 3 Credit Hours.
Sets, logic, counting techniques, elementary probability and statistics, mathematics in finance, linear programming, algebraic structures, symmetry. The selection of topics may vary by instructor. Intended for BA students.
Prerequisite: MTH 101 or MTH 107. Or Requisite: ALEKS score >= 60 or SAT MATH score >= 630 or SAT MATH Section score >= 620 or ACT score >= 28.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTH 130. Introductory Calculus. 3 Credit Hours.
A one-semester survey of the fundamental principles of calculus, functions, limits, derivatives, definite integrals, applications. Not for students planning further study of calculus beyond this course.
Requisite: ALEKS score >= 65 or SAT MATH score >= 630 or SAT MATH Section score >= 650 or ACT score >= 28 or AP Calculus AB score of 3 or passing grade in MTH 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTH 133. Games and Strategies. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MTH 113 or MTH 130.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 140. Calculus Concepts with Foundations A. 4 Credit Hours.
Tools from algebra and trigonometry for calculus. Functions and graphs, limits and continuity, the derivative and applications.
Requisite: ALEKS score >=65 OR SAT MATH >= 630 OR SAT MATH SECTION >= 650 OR ACT >=28 OR AP Calculus score of 3.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 141. Calculus Concepts with Foundations B. 4 Credit Hours.
Tools from algebra, trigonometry, and analytic geometry for calculus. Further aspects of differentiation. Antiderivatives, definite integrals, and their applications.
Prerequisite: MTH 140. Min Grade C-.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MTH 151. Calculus I for Engineers. 5 Credit Hours.
Analytic geometry, limits and continuity, derivatives, the definite integral, and applications relevant to engineering. Intended for students taking PHY 205 concurrently.
Requisite: SAT Math Section Score >= 730 OR Math ACT Score >= 31 OR ALEKS score >= 76 OR C- or higher in MTH 105 or MTH 108.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTH 161. Calculus I. 4 Credit Hours.
Limits and continuity, derivatives and applications, the definite integral and applications.
Requisite: ALEKS score >= 76 or SAT MATH score >= 700 or SAT MATH SECTION >= 730 or ACT score >= 31 or score of 4 AP Calculus (AB) or score of 3 in AP Calculus (BC) or a C- or higher in MTH 108.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTH 162. Calculus II. 4 Credit Hours.
Transcendental functions, methods of integration, improper integrals, infinite series, polar coordinates, and introduction to differential equations.
Prerequisite: MTH 141 or MTH 151 or MTH 161 or MTH 171.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTH 171. Calculus I. 4 Credit Hours.
The theory of limits, the derivative and the definite integral, techniques and applications. The sequence MTH 171-172 is more conceptually-oriented than MTH 161-162.
Requisite: Prism Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 172. Calculus II. 4 Credit Hours.
Continuation of MTH 171. Additional topics on the derivative and definite integral, improper integrals, infinite series, and introduction to differential equations.
Prerequisite: MTH 171.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTH 210. Introduction to Linear Algebra. 3 Credit Hours.
Pre/Corequisite: MTH 162 or MTH 172.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTH 211. Calculus III. 3 Credit Hours.
Vectors in space, partial differentiation, multiple integration.
Prerequisite: MTH 162 or MTH 172. Requisite: Not open to students with credit in MTH 310 or MTH 433 or MTH 533.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTH 224. Introduction to Probability and Statistics. 3 Credit Hours.
Probability distributions, random variables, expectation and variance, point estimation, interval estimation, testing of hypotheses, analysis of variance.
Pre/Corequisite: MTH 162 or MTH 172.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MTH 230. Introduction to Abstract Mathematics. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of set theory, logic and methods of mathematical proof.
Pre/Corequisite: MTH 162 or MTH 172.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTH 309. Discrete Mathematics I. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MTH 141 or MTH 151 or MTH 161 or MTH 171.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTH 310. Multivariable Calculus. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MTH 210 and MTH 162 or MTH 172. Requisite: Not open to students with credit in MTH 433 OR MTH 533.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTH 311. Introduction to Ordinary Differential Equations. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory and applications of first-order differential equations. Theory and applications of higher order linear equations and first order linear systems, including matrix methods.
Prerequisite: MTH 162 or MTH 172.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTH 320. Introduction to Numerical Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Interpolation, quadrature, numerical solution of algebraic and transcendental equations, and optimization.
Prerequisite: MTH 210 and MTH 211 or MTH 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 359. Mathematical Models in Biology and Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of the dynamical systems approach to modeling temporal change in biological systems. An introduction to the analysis of mathematical models in biology and medicine with detailed, concrete examples drawn from ecology, cell biology, neuro-science, and physiology.
Prerequisite: MTH 162 or MTH 172.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 433. Advanced Calculus. 3 Credit Hours.
A rigorous and comprehensive treatment of the theoretical concepts of calculus. The real number system; sequences; series; continuity, differentiation, and integration of functions of one variable.
Prerequisite: MTH 230 and MTH 310 or MTH 211. Not open for Students with Credit in MTH 533.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 461. Survey of Modern Algebra. 3 Credit Hours.
Algebraic systems, equivalence classes, groups, rings, fields, unique factorization domains.
Prerequisite: MTH 210 and MTH 230. Requisite: Not open to students with credit in MTH 561.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTH 471. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics selected from algebra, geometry, analysis, topology.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MTH 472. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics selected from algebra, geometry, analysis, topology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 502. History of Mathematics. 3 Credit Hours.
The development of mathematics from its earliest beginnings through the first half of the twentieth century. Numerical systems, geometry, algebra, analysis and set theory.
Prerequisite: 2 Courses in MTH 200 or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 504. Foundations of Geometry. 3 Credit Hours.
Axiom systems and models of Euclidean and Non-Euclidean geometry.
Prerequisite: MTH 230 or MTH 309.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 505. Theory of Numbers. 3 Credit Hours.
Divisibility, primes; congruences, quadratic residues and reciprocity; Diophantine equations. Applications to cryptography.
Prerequisite: MTH 210 or MTH 504.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 506. Mathematical Logic. 3 Credit Hours.
Logics, truth, proof, logical consequence, model theory, formalization, and computation. Meta-theory of first-order logic, computability theory, and Godel's incompleteness theorems. Related results by Church, Turing, and Tarski. Discussion of their philosophical significance.
Prerequisite: MTH 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 510. Linear Algebra. 3 Credit Hours.
Abstract vector spaces, bases and dimensions, linear maps, eigenvalues and eigenvectors, inner product spaces, operators, spectral theorems, canonical forms.
Prerequisite: MTH 210 and MTH 230 or MTH 309.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 512. Elementary Complex Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Complex variables; conformal mapping, contour integration.
Prerequisite: MTH 310 or MTH 211.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 513. Partial Differential Equations I. 3 Credit Hours.
Derivation, well posedness, and qualitative properties of initial value and boundary value problems for the heat, wave and Laplace equations. Energy methods, causality, maximum principles, heat kernels, Fourier series, and potential theory.
Prerequisite: MTH 210 and MTH 311 and MTH 211 or MTH 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 514. Partial Differential Equations II. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MTH 513.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MTH 515. Ordinary Differential Equations. 3 Credit Hours.
Linear systems, equilibrium and periodic solutions, stability analysis, bifurcation, phase plane analysis, boundary value problems, applications to engineering and physics.
Prerequisite: MTH 311 and MTH 211 or MTH 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 516. Dynamics and Bifurcations. 3 Credit Hours.
Bifurcation of equilibrium and periodic solutions, global theory of planar systems, planar maps, nonlinear vibrations, forced oscillations, chaotic solutions, Hamiltonian systems, applications to engineering and physics.
Prerequisite: MTH 515.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 520. Numerical Linear Algebra. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics from numerical linear algebra including solving systems of equations, LU, QR, and SVD factorizations, eigenvalues and eigenvectors, interactive methods, and applications.
Prerequisite: MTH 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 521. Numerical Methods in Differential Equations. 3 Credit Hours.
Numerical solution of ordinary and partial differential equations.
Prerequisite: MTH 320 or MTH 520.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 524. Introduction to Probability. 3 Credit Hours.
Probability spaces, random variables, expectation, limit theorems.
Prerequisite: MTH 224 and MTH 211 or MTH 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 525. Introduction to Mathematical Statistics. 3 Credit Hours.
Probability distributions, theory of sampling and hypothesis testing.
Prerequisite: MTH 524.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 527. Theory of Computing. 3 Credit Hours.
Sets, relations, and languages. Automata theory. Basic computability theory. Turing machines. The complexity classes P and NP.
Prerequisite: MTH 309 or MTH 461.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 531. Topology I. 3 Credit Hours.
Set theory, topological spaces, compactness, connectedness, separation properties, quotient spaces, Tychonoff Theorem, compactification, Urysohn Lemma and Tietze Extension Theorem, function spaces.
Prerequisite: MTH 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MTH 532. Topology II. 3 Credit Hours.
Differential and topological manifolds, classical groups and associated manifolds, tangent and tensor bundles, vector fields, differential forms, transversality, Sard's theorem, Stokes' Theorem.
Prerequisite: MTH 210 and MTH 531.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 533. Introduction to Real Analysis I. 3 Credit Hours.
Sequences and series in Euclidean space; sequences and series of functions; Fourier series; continuity, differentiation, and integration of functions between Euclidean spaces; implicit and inverse function theorems.
Prerequisite: MTH 230 And MTH 211 Or MTH 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 534. Introduction to Real Analysis II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of MTH 533.
Prerequisite: MTH 533.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 542. Statistical Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Statistical inference about one or two populations from interval, ordinal and categorical data; analysis of variance; simple and multiple linear regression; designing research studies.
Prerequisite: MTH 210 and MTH 224.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 547. Introduction to Mathematical Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MTH 224 and MTH 211 or MTH 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 551. Introduction to Differential Geometry. 3 Credit Hours.
Geometry of curves and surfaces in Euclidean space. Local space curve theory, intrinsic and extrinsic curvature of surfaces, geodesics, parallelism, and differential forms.
Prerequisite: MTH 210 And MTH 211 Or MTH 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 561. Abstract Algebra I. 3 Credit Hours.
Groups; rings; linear algebra; modules.
Prerequisite: MTH 210 and MTH 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 562. Abstract Algebra II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of MTH 561.
Prerequisite: MTH 561.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 571. Directed Readings in Mathematics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Readings in special topics.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MTH 591. Topics in Mathematics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics will vary by semester and will be announced in the schedule of course offerings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 592. Topics in Mathematics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics will vary by semester and will be announced in the schedule of course offerings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 593. Topics in Mathematics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics will vary by semester and will be announced in the schedule of course offerings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

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Major

The requirements for a major in mathematics vary according to the objectives of the student. There are seven courses required of all mathematics majors.

An additional four courses are required, selected from one of the following track options:

- Core Mathematics
- Applied Analysis
- Computational Mathematics
- Probability and Statistics
- Secondary School Teaching
- Mathematical Economics

Writing Requirement

In order to satisfy the College of Arts and Sciences writing requirement, students majoring in mathematics must obtain writing credit in one of the following courses: MTH 433, MTH 461, MTH 502, MTH 504, MTH 520, MTH 533, MTH 561, and in three more writing courses from other departments.

Curriculum Requirements

The requirements of a major in mathematics vary according to the objectives of the student. There are seven courses required of all mathematics majors. An additional four courses are required selected from one of six track options:

Core Courses and Track Options

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Track Options

Select four courses from one of the following Tracks: 12
**Core Mathematics Track:**

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Select one of the following sequences:

- MTH 513 & MTH 514: Partial Differential Equations I and Partial Differential Equations II
- MTH 515 & MTH 516: Ordinary Differential Equations and Dynamics and Bifurcations

**Computational Mathematics Track:**

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Select two of the following:

- MTH 502: History of Mathematics
- MTH 504: Foundations of Geometry
- MTH 505: Theory of Numbers

**Mathematical Economics Track:**

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Select one of the following:

- ECO 512: Topics in Mathematical Economics
- ECO 520: Econometrics
- ECO 521: Advanced Macroeconomic Theory

**Other Requirements**

- University and School/College Specific General Education Requirements and Electives: 85 Credit Hours
- Total Credit Hours: 120

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1. Course work in physics is desirable.
2. This option is only for those obtaining a teaching credential.
3. Students should satisfy the General Education Requirements stipulated by the University as well as their specific School/College. These requirements typically include proficiency requirements in language, along with requirements for advanced writing and communication skills.
4. All students must satisfy University cognate requirements. A mathematics major satisfies the STEM Cognate requirement.
5. Elective courses selected must include courses that satisfy the requirements of an additional major or a minor outside of mathematics.
Notes

- It would be useful for students planning to do graduate study in mathematics to complete the following courses: MTH 531, MTH 532, MTH 533, MTH 534, MTH 561, MTH 562.
- Students interested in actuarial science should choose the Probability and Statistics option; for these students a finance minor is recommended.
- Transfer students will be permitted to apply up to 14 transfer credit hours towards the major; however, the courses MTH 461 (or MTH 561) and MTH 433 (or MTH 533) must be completed at the University of Miami.
- A grade of C- or better is required for each course applied toward the major; the overall quality point average for University of Miami courses applied toward the major must be 2.5 or above.

Requirements for Departmental Honors in Mathematics:

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* The student must attain at least a B in each course used to fulfill this requirement. In addition, the student must attain at least a 3.5 average over all courses counted toward the mathematics major and an overall (university-wide) average of at least 3.3.

Possible Plan of Study

The B.A. and B.S. degrees in Mathematics differ only in the College of Arts and Sciences general education requirements. Here is a possible plan of study.

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### Mission

The objective of the Bachelor's degree in mathematics is to provide students with a core knowledge of mathematics essential to the understanding of science and other disciplines.

### Goals

Students should gain substantial problem solving and critical reasoning skills, and they should develop an understanding of the conceptual underpinnings of mathematics. The knowledge gained through this program should provide the necessary background in mathematics for those students planning to go on to graduate study in mathematics and related fields. This knowledge should also prepare those students who will be immediately entering careers in science, business, education or other fields which are increasingly making use of mathematics.

### Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will demonstrate an understanding of elementary real analysis and advanced calculus. They will understand the nature of analytic reasoning and logical analytic proofs. They will develop the ability to communicate ideas in analysis, and, in particular, the ability to formulate and present abstract arguments in analysis.

- Students will demonstrate an understanding of modern abstract algebra. They will understand the nature of algebraic reasoning and logical algebraic proofs. They will develop the ability to communicate algebraic ideas, and, in particular, the ability to formulate and present abstract algebraic arguments.

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• Students will acquire a solid understanding of advanced material within a mathematics “specialty path” which synthesizes and extends their lower-division work. The path is selected by the individual student depending on his/her particular interests.

Five-Year BS Math/MS Math Finance

http://www.math.miami.edu/

Overview

https://www.msmf.miami.edu/academics/bs-msmf-program-5-year/index.html

The BS/MSMF program is a five-year program combining the Probability/Statistics track of the Mathematics undergraduate major with the graduate coursework required for the MS in Mathematical Finance degree. For undergraduates seeking careers in the fields of economics, finance and data science, the BS/MSMF degree offers the appropriate training sought by companies worldwide. Students can achieve the required academic credentials in five years due to the integrated and focused nature of the BS/MSMF degree.

Admission Requirements

You must be an undergraduate student in the College of Arts and Sciences majoring in Mathematics (Probability and Statistics Track), and should have a cumulative GPA of at least 3.0 at the time of application. Students should discuss the program and the possibility of entering with their assigned academic advisor. Applications must be submitted during your junior year. You must be admitted to the program prior to academic advising for your senior year.

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* A student seeking a minor in mathematics must have credit in a calculus sequence: MTH 161-MTH 162 or MTH 171-MTH 172.

** All three courses must be taken in the Department of Mathematics, University of Miami.

*** It is possible to select certain 500 level mathematics courses among the three, with prior approval of the Mathematics Department.

**** A grade of C- or better is required for each of these three courses and the quality point average for the three courses must be 2.5 or above; and in case the quality point average is below 2.5, an additional mathematics course must be taken.

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## Microbiology and Immunology

**Dept. Code: MIC**

### Introduction

The University of Miami is one of four institutions in the United States that offers an undergraduate program in Microbiology and Immunology. What does this mean? It means that you are being trained in an undergraduate major that focuses on two aspects of healthcare, various diseases and our bodies' defenses against them. Throughout your four years with us, you will learn about bacteria that cause the plague or that naturally inhabit our bodies, viruses such as Influenza, HIV, Zika or even Ebola and parasites such as Malaria. You will also learn how each of these can be controlled by our immune systems and how vaccinations can prevent some of these infections. Finally, you will understand how sometimes the immune system
itself can inflict undesired damage and how it can be exploited to achieve cancer remissions. Students that have finished our program have gone on to careers in research, medicine, dentistry, pharmacy, optometry, physician assistant, law and many more.

**Educational Objectives**

1. To expose students to the various disciplines within the field of Microbiology and Immunology, including virology, parasitology, microbial genetics, immunology and medical bacteriology.
2. To introduce students to special projects and/or research opportunities in laboratories at the School of Medicine.
3. To provide laboratory experience for the development of skills required for the conduct of research.
4. To make students aware of current cutting edge research in the field of Microbiology and Immunology by attending seminars of speakers from within and outside the University.

**Degree Programs**

- A Bachelor’s of Science degree is awarded to all microbiology and immunology majors upon completion of the requirements. A chemistry minor is automatically received however, a student’s choice of minor may be science or non-science.

**Advanced Writing and Communication**

To satisfy the College of Arts and Sciences writing requirement in the discipline, students majoring in Microbiology and Immunology should take at least one course from the following: MIC 280, MIC 304, MIC 441.

**Departmental Honors**

Students that wish to gain a deeper understanding of Microbiology and Immunology can choose to write a thesis. The following program constitutes receiving Departmental Honors in Microbiology and Immunology.

1. Overall GPA 3.0 or higher
2. Six credit hours of Special Projects (MIC 451, MIC 452, MIC 453, MIC 454, MIC 455 or MIC 456) carried out under supervision of a member of the Microbiology and Immunology faculty, culminating in a senior thesis that includes 15 references. Once the mentor and student have revised and finalized the document a hard copy must be turned in to the Program Director.

**MIC 100. Microbiology as it Relates to Humans (EXP). 3 Credit Hours.**

An introductory microbiology course for the summer scholars program. Microorganisms are in every facet of our lives and make up a microscopic world. Right now, your body is inhabited by over 40 trillion bacteria. Due to the evolution of our immune systems, we have been able to coexist with this world. It is when our immune systems weaken or when our otherwise healthy immune system encounters a particularly nasty pathogen that we become vulnerable. This course will cover the topics of how our immune system works, how microbial pathogens cause disease, how beneficial microbes protect us from disease, and some of the other activities perform that impact our world. The laboratory will provide you with invaluable experience in growing, staining, viewing and identifying microorganisms through the use of practical techniques and procedures. An in lab presentation of your “unknown organism” will culminate what you have learned.

**Components:** LAB.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Summer.

**MIC 201. Modern Plagues and Society. 3 Credit Hours.**

An examination of four infectious diseases (AIDS, tuberculosis, malaria, and COVID-19) that currently impact a significant fraction of the human population. This course will examine the infectious microbes themselves, efforts of researchers to contain these diseases, and how politics, infrastructure, and geographical factors determine individual and public health outcomes. A special emphasis is placed on the unique role the University of Miami physicians and scientists played during the early phases of the AIDS epidemic.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall.

**MIC 280. UMiami Scientifica Magazine - Writer. 0 Credit Hours.**

UMiami Scientifica is a premier scientific publication at the University of Miami. The magazine, focuses on the STEM fields and publishes quarterly. Students who write for the magazine will learn to write clearly, concisely and in a manner that can be understood by the layperson. Successfully completing an article does not mean that an article will be published.

**Components:** THI.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MIC 301. Introduction to Microbes and the Immune System. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic principles of microbiology and immunology; the microbiology component will include basic properties of bacteria, viruses, and parasites and how microbes interact with multicellular organisms in both disease and non-disease settings. The immunology component presents the players and basic concepts of immune responses as they apply to combat infectious pathogens, autoimmunity, allergy and transplantation. Course is required for microbiology and immunology majors; recommended for biology, chemistry and biochemistry majors and those considering the health sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MIC 304. Introduction to Microbes and the Immune System (Lab). 2 Credit Hours.
Basic laboratory principles of microbiology and immunology. Students are instructed on how to handle, culture, and identify microorganisms. Microscope care/use, various staining techniques, ELISA, blood typing, bacterial transformation, and more. This laboratory is required of all microbiology and immunology majors.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIC 319. Innate Immunity. 3 Credit Hours.
The innate immune system provides the first line of defense against infectious microorganisms and is a very important disease-preventing mechanism. In this course the students will learn the molecular and cellular processes mediating innate immune responses to microbial pathogens, including intra- and extra- cellular bacteria and viruses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIC 320. Introduction to Microbes and the Immune System for Nurses. 3 Credit Hours.
Course covers the basic principles of microbiology and immunology. Course cannot be used for MIC major or minor credit. Requisite: School of Nursing Health Studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MIC 321. Immunobiology. 3 Credit Hours.
Mechanisms underlying the cooperation between T-cells, B-cells, and antigens leading to humoral and cell mediated responses. The significance of immune cells and their products pertaining to autoimmunity, transplantation, and the surveillance of neoplastic cells is covered. Prerequisite: MIC 301 or MIC 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MIC 322. Medical Parasitology. 3 Credit Hours.
Course discusses the biochemistry, physiology, pathogenicity, immunology, and mechanism of drug action and resistance of medically important parasitic protozoa, trematodes, nematodes, and cestodes. Prerequisite: MIC 301 or MIC 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MIC 323. Microbial Pathogenesis and Physiology. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamental properties of microbes as well as host-microbe relationships at the molecular and cellular levels. Prerequisite: MIC 301. Or MIC 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIC 436. Fundamental and Medical Virology. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of viruses as biological entities and etiological agents of disease. Virus-cell and virus-host interactions are also discussed. Prerequisite: MIC 301 or MIC 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MIC 441. Microbiology and Immunology Colloquium. 1 Credit Hour.
External and internal faculty presentations as well as graduate presentations of recent advances in research. Course meets on hour per week.
Prerequisite: MIC 301. Or MIC 303.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIC 451. Special Projects in Immunobiology. 2-6 Credit Hours.
Wet bench laboratory research with faculty in the Microbiology and Immunology (M&I) Department at the Miller School of Medicine. Students will be actively participating in all aspects of hypothesis-driven scientific research ranging from familiarity with the literature to conducting and analyzing experiments.
Requisite: at least 17 credits in MIC and MIN GPA 3.0.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIC 452. Special Projects in Parasitology. 2-6 Credit Hours.
Wet bench laboratory research with faculty in the Microbiology and Immunology (M&I) Department at the Miller School of Medicine. Students will be actively participating in all aspects of hypothesis-driven scientific research ranging from familiarity with the literature to conducting and analyzing experiments.
Requisite: at least 17 credits in MIC and MIN GPA 3.0.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIC 453. Special Projects in Pathogenic Bacteriology. 2-6 Credit Hours.
Wet bench laboratory research with faculty in the Microbiology and Immunology (M&I) Department at the Miller School of Medicine. Students will be actively participating in all aspects of hypothesis-driven scientific research ranging from familiarity with the literature to conducting and analyzing experiments.
Requisite: at least 17 credits in MIC and MIN GPA 3.0.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIC 454. Special Projects in Microbial Genetics. 2-6 Credit Hours.
Wet bench laboratory research with faculty in the Microbiology and Immunology (M&I) Department at the Miller School of Medicine. Students will be actively participating in all aspects of hypothesis-driven scientific research ranging from familiarity with the literature to conducting and analyzing experiments.
Requisite: at least 17 credits in MIC and MIN GPA 3.0.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIC 455. Special Projects in Immunogenetics. 2-6 Credit Hours.
Wet bench laboratory research with faculty in the Microbiology and Immunology (M&I) Department at the Miller School of Medicine. Students will be actively participating in all aspects of hypothesis-driven scientific research ranging from familiarity with the literature to conducting and analyzing experiments.
Requisite: at least 17 credits in MIC and MIN GPA 3.0.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIC 456. Special Projects in Virology. 2-6 Credit Hours.
Wet bench laboratory research with faculty in the Microbiology and Immunology (M&I) Department at the Miller School of Medicine. Students will be actively participating in all aspects of hypothesis-driven scientific research ranging from familiarity with the literature to conducting and analyzing experiments.
Requisite: at least 17 credits in MIC and MIN GPA 3.0.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIC 460. Advanced Topics in Microbiology and Immunology. 3 Credit Hours.
An extensive and detailed examination of a number of topics covered in the core courses of the major. The goal is for upper-division undergraduate students to take the knowledge base they acquired in their major core courses into ‘cutting edge’ research areas. Each topic (of a total of 6 to 8) will be presented by a Faculty member with expertise in the area. Topics may include reproductive immunology, microbes and beer, HIV vaccine development, cancer immunotherapy, SARS-CoV-2 and the immune system, autoimmunity in the CNS, immune-based metabolic diseases, and Yersinia pestis and the Black Death.
Prerequisite: MIC 301 and MIC 304 and MIC 319 and MIC 321.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

B.S. in Microbiology and Immunology
http://www.as.miami.edu/mic/

Overview
The University of Miami is one of four institutions in the United States that offers an undergraduate program in Microbiology and Immunology. What does this mean? It means that you are being trained in an undergraduate major that focuses on two aspects of healthcare, various diseases and our bodies’ defenses against them. Throughout your four years with us, you will learn about bacteria that cause the plague or that naturally inhabit our bodies, viruses such as Influenza, HIV, Zika or even Ebola and parasites such as Malaria. You will also learn how each of these can be controlled by our immune systems and how vaccinations can prevent some of these infections. Finally, you will understand how sometimes the immune system itself can inflict undesired damage and how it can be exploited to achieve cancer remissions. Students that have finished our program have gone on to careers in research, medicine, dentistry, pharmacy, optometry, physician assistant, law and many more.

Curriculum Requirements

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Research in MIC for Credit
(only 6 credit hours may be applied to count toward the 16 MIC Elective hours, any credits over 6 count as elective credits toward the 120 credits required for graduation or 150 credits for dual degree seeking students)

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**Total MIC Credits for Major = 11 cr. Required MIC courses + 16 cr. Elective MIC courses = 27**

**Required Natural Science Courses**

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Total Credit Hours: 120

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**Sample Plan of Study**

This is a 4 year sample plan of study that assumes courses are taken during the fall and spring.

This is a guide and is not meant to take the place of the advice of your major advisor, you should consult with them before making any changes.

### Freshman Year

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Mission

Our primary goal is to emphasize basic as well as medical-focused science and instill in our students the desire for lifelong learning. We are a unique program in that we have a dual presence at the Miller School of Medicine as well as the Coral Gables Campuses. Research opportunities and laboratory engagement help create knowledge in our students while preparing them to become active members of the scientific and public communities.

Goals

Major program objectives are:

- To expose students to the various disciplines within the field of Microbiology and Immunology, including virology, parasitology, microbial genetics, immunology and medical bacteriology.
- To introduce students to special projects and/or research opportunities in laboratories at the School of Medicine.
- To provide laboratory experience for the development of skills required for the conduct of research.
- To make students aware of current cutting edge research in the field of Microbiology and Immunology by attending seminars of speakers from within and outside the University.

Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will learn to write scientifically using the appropriate style, terminology and methodology pertaining to their major area of study.
- Students will demonstrate practical knowledge in microbiology and immunology.
- Students will be able to apply their knowledge in scientific manner to deduce outcomes.

Minor in Microbiology and Immunology

Curriculum Requirements

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Total Credit Hours: 12

**1** Required of all Microbiology and Immunology Minors

**2** MIC 201, MIC 319, MIC 323 Fall Semester Only or by announcement

**3** MIC 301, MIC 321, MIC 322, MIC 436, MIC 460 Spring Semester Only or by announcement

**4** Fall and Spring Semesters

* Variations in the above programs may, in special cases, be approved by the Microbiology and Immunology undergraduate advisor and Director.

** All courses in Microbiology and Immunology to be credited toward a Microbiology and Immunology major or minor must be completed with a grade of C- or better with an overall GPA of 2.0.

### Military Science

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Dept. Code: MSL

**Introduction**

The Army Reserve Officer Training Corps (ROTC) is one of the nation's top leadership programs and is a college elective curriculum you take along with your required college classes. The military science department's Reserve Officers Training Corps (ROTC) program of instruction provides a base for normal progression in the commissioned officers' educational program. Students who complete all ROTC requirements are commissioned as second lieutenants and serve in the Army, Army National Guard or Army Reserve. It prepares you with the tools, training and experiences that will help you succeed in any competitive environment. Army ROTC is a one-of-a-kind experience, along with great leadership training, it will give you valuable real-world tools and leadership skills that will benefit not only your professional career but your personal life as well. Army ROTC can also assist in paying for your college tuition as well as many other benefits. You will have a normal college student experience like everyone else on campus, but when you graduate, you will be an Officer in the Army. ([http://www.goarmy.com/careers-and-jobs/become-an-officer.html](http://www.goarmy.com/careers-and-jobs/become-an-officer.html))

Being an Officer in the U.S. Army means you’re a leader, a counselor, a strategist and a motivator. It’s similar to being a vital manager in a corporation. As an Officer in the military, you will lead other Soldiers in all situations and adjust in environments that are always changing. You’ll be driven to achieve success with your team on every mission.

Leadership and management objectives are included in academic periods of instruction. Practical leadership experience is gained in a field training environment by attendance at a 31-day summer camp, normally between the junior and senior years. Nursing students may attend a nursing internship at Army hospitals following the normal summer camp. A leadership laboratory also provides experience in a range of leadership positions during the school year. The department offers both a four-year and a two-year program, each with its own special advantages. Students are invited to visit or contact the Department of Military Science to obtain additional information at 305-284-3329 or 305-348-1619 or email armyrotc@miami.edu to discuss their eligibility status.

**Core Program**

The program requires four years of military science courses which consist of a two-year basic course and a two-year advanced course. Students can begin the four-year program as a freshman or sophomore.

There is also a two-year ROTC program for those students with only two years of college remaining. The two-year course is designed for junior college and other non-ROTC college transfer students, but may be utilized by students who did not enroll in the basic course outlined below.
Graduate students may also qualify for enrollment in the two-year course. Additional information regarding eligibility requirements for the two-year program may be obtained by contacting the Department of Military Science.

**Basic Course**

The Basic Course takes place during your first two years in college as elective courses. It normally involves one elective class and lab each semester along with the requisite physical training and field training exercises. The purpose of this instruction is to qualify students for entry into the advanced course by familiarizing them with the organization of the Army, military skills, and military tradition. You will learn basic military functions, the fundamentals of leadership and start the groundwork toward becoming an Army leader. You can take Army ROTC Basic Courses without a military commitment. Enrollment in ROTC requires proof of a doctor’s physical screening.

**Advanced Course**

The Advanced Course takes place during your last two years in college as elective courses. It normally includes one elective class and lab each semester in addition to the requisite physical training and field training exercises, plus a summer leadership camp. Instruction in the advanced course includes leadership and management, the exercise of command, military teaching methods, tactics, logistics, administration, history, and military justice. Leadership experience and command experience are provided by assigning advanced course students as cadet officers and noncommissioned officers. You will learn advanced military tactics and gain experience in team organization, planning and decision-making. To benefit from the leadership training in the Advanced Course, all Cadets must have completed either the Basic Course or have attended the Basic Leader’s Training Course. Entering the Advanced Course requires a commitment to serve as an Officer in the U.S. Army after you graduate.

**Army Nurse Corps Option**

Students enrolled in the School of Nursing curriculum leading to the degree of Bachelor of Science in Nursing may simultaneously qualify for commissions as Second Lieutenants in the Army Nurse Corps. Nursing students qualify for entry into the Officer Development Course through satisfactory completion of the General Military Course, the Basic Camp option or equivalent training. Nursing students participate in a summer Advanced Camp training program and an Army nurse training program. They provide practical and leadership experience in the clinical setting. The focus is to provide nursing cadets an experience which integrates clinical, interpersonal and leadership knowledge and skills. Emphasis is placed on practical experience under the direct supervision of an Army Nurse Corps Officer who acts as the cadet’s preceptor throughout the camp period.

**Professional Military Education**

In addition to basic and advanced ROTC courses, cadets must complete professional military education requirements consisting of one course in each of the following areas: written and oral communication skills, U.S. military history, and computer literacy. Students should consult with the professor of military science to determine those University courses suitable for fulfilling these requirements.

**Monetary Allowances**

Cadets selected for admission into the advanced course qualify for a nontaxable monetary allowance of $420.00 per month as a contracted cadet during the semester. Cadets may also qualify for the simultaneous membership program with the United States Army Reserve or National Guard, which can provide approximately $4500.00 per fiscal year during the last two years of school. Both the United States Army Reserve and the National Guard offer additional monetary incentives for cadets who join their organizations (drill pay).

**Army ROTC College Scholarship Program**

Financial assistance is available in the form of two- or three-year ROTC academic scholarships for selected students. Under the Army ROTC Scholarship Program, the students/cadets receive FULL Tuition and Fees. Additionally, Army scholarship recipients receive a flat-rate allowance of $1200 per year for textbooks and other expenses and $420.00 per month during the semester. During the 32-day advanced course summer training between the junior and senior years, Army ROTC also pays attending cadets $37 per day plus room and board. There are also numerous national and organizational scholarships that students may compete for as a member of Army ROTC.

Additionally, University of Miami undergraduates enrolled in the Army ROTC program are assured a combined University grant and/or scholarship award during the fall and spring semesters equal to 25% of the University's tuition charge for a maximum of four years. The subsidy is not available during the summer term. Students must maintain continuous enrollment in the Army ROTC program, must maintain satisfactory academic progress to continue receiving the subsidy, and full time enrollment in one of the University’s undergraduate degree programs is required. No application is required. Awards are made automatically based on information provided by the University's Army ROTC detachment.

**Basic Camp**

Basic Camp is four weeks of intense classroom and field training held in the summer at Fort Knox, KY. This leader development course is an accelerated version of the two years of leadership development training Cadets receive in the Basic Course. By transforming yourself through this rigorous training, you will qualify for enrollment in the Army ROTC Advanced Course on campus-provided you have two years of college remaining (undergraduate or graduate). You will also receive a stipend, transportation to and from Fort Knox, housing and meals.
Advanced Camp
Every Army ROTC Cadet who enters into the Advanced Course attends the Cadet Leadership Course. It’s a five-week summer program to evaluate and train all Army ROTC Cadets. This course normally takes place between your junior and senior years of college, and is conducted at Fort Knox, Kentucky.

Uniforms and Textbooks
All uniforms, equipment and items of insignia incident to membership in the Army ROTC Program are furnished by the Department of Military Science. Textbooks are provided at no cost to students/cadets enrolled in the basic and advanced courses.

Special Activities
Cadets have the opportunity to join and participate in a number of military affiliated organizations and activities, both on a voluntary and a selective basis. The Color Guard is a voluntary organization that functions as a military unit participating in military ceremonies and presenting the national colors at civic events. Cadets have the opportunity to qualify for and compete with cadets from other universities and colleges in a series of military events termed Ranger Challenge.

Cadets that qualify can also attend Army specialty schools such as Airborne School, Air Assault School, Mountain Warfare, Scuba School, Sapper School, Cadet Tactical Leader Training (CTLT).

Awards and Decorations
Awards and decorations made available by national organizations, the University of Miami Army ROTC Alumni Association, and local and national military organizations, are presented to both basic and advanced officer course cadets each year. These plaques, trophies, medals, and ribbons symbolize superior achievement in Army ROTC and other University academic courses, and in outstanding campus and cadet corps leadership.

Prerequisite for Admission to the Professional Officer Course
1. Acceptance by the University of Miami.
2. Be at least 17 years of age at time of acceptance.
3. Pass a physical health assessment.
4. Be able to complete the professional officer course and graduate from the University of Miami prior to reaching the age of thirty one (31) at the time of commissioning.

Those students enrolled in the four-year Army ROTC program must complete the basic course or its equivalent, or have acceptable prior military service. Veterans and students with previous ROTC training are invited to contact the Department of Military Science 305-284-3329 or 305-348-1619 or email armyrotc@miami.edu to discuss their eligibility status.

Students desiring entry into the two-year Army ROTC program should contact the Department of Military Science one semester prior to the semester in which they wish to enroll in the professional officer course. This lead time is required to complete the application and a physical examination prior to enrollment in the professional officer course.

Leadership Laboratory
Leadership laboratory is required for students who are members of the Reserve Officer Training Corps or who are eligible to pursue a commission as determined by the professor of military science. Leadership laboratory is the formalized phase of leadership training conducted by the cadre and Cadets. It is scheduled for once a week for both the basic and advanced officer courses (non-contracted and contracted). All uniforms and equipment required for cadet activities are furnished.

Educational Objectives
To provide a base of knowledge in the areas of ethics, leadership, Communication skills, Military Leadership, U.S Military History, Tactics and Team building to include future Officer development.

Degree Programs
Students can receive a minor in Military Science once requirements are met along from the university by being in the Army ROTC program.

MSL 101. Basic Military Science. 1 Credit Hour.
Introduction to Army organizations, military customs and courtesies, basic stationary and marching drills, basic map reading, land navigation, drown-proofing, rappelling, river crossing techniques, physical fitness training, and practical exercises in field discipline. Requires outdoor leadership laboratory and at least one weekend field training exercise.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MSL 102. Basic Military Science. 1 Credit Hour.
Introduction to basic leadership principles and traits, army command and staff officer duties, awards, decorations, individual military tactics, field discipline, patrolling techniques, radio telephone procedures, rappelling and river crossing. Requires outdoor leadership laboratory and at least one weekend field training exercise.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSL 201. Basic Military Science. 2 Credit Hours.
Instruction to squad and platoon marching drills, development of physical fitness training programs, conduct on military training and inspections, leadership techniques, advanced map reading, rappelling and river crossing techniques. Requires outdoor leadership laboratory and at least one weekend field training exercise.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSL 202. Basic Military Science. 2 Credit Hours.
Continued instruction in drill and ceremonies, radio/telephone procedures, nuclear, biological, and chemical warfare, practical land navigation, orienteering, and introduction to combat troop leading procedures. Requires outdoor leadership laboratory and at least one weekend field training exercise.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSL 301. Basic Military Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Classroom and field experience in leading squads and platoons in both garrison and combat environments. Practical exercises in combat troop leading procedures. Advanced physical fitness training to include endurance runs and tactical road marches. Requires outdoor leadership laboratory and at least one weekend field training exercise.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSL 302. Advanced Military Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Classroom instruction and field experience in combat troop leading procedures for offensive, defensive and patrolling missions. Advanced written and practical land navigation exercises. Company level drill and ceremonies to include manual of arms. Classroom and practical exercises on requests for artillery and mortar fires. Practical experience with training underclassmen in first aid and individual tactics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSL 401. Advanced Military Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Instruction instills an uncompromising commitment to the Army Ethic, enhances thought processes and decision-making skills, and relates officer behavior to cadet leadership roles. Students are primarily responsible for the command and control of the cadet battalion for training purposes. Student's role is principally one of officer leader at the platoon (30 or more underclassmen) and higher levels and cadet instructor/evaluator. Rifle qualification. Company level drill and ceremonies to include manual of arms.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSL 402. Advanced Military Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Capstone course in the preparation for a commission as a second lieutenant. The training is intended to solidify the commitment to officership, reinforce individual competencies, and afford maximum practical officer leader experiences through responsible leadership positions within the cadet battalion command and staff.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSL 440. Studies in Military History. 3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings and independent study in military history.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
The following are our Students who wish to study Spanish (as a second language, native language, or heritage language) can get more tailored placement advice through day of class for the semester. Therefore, it is extremely important that students attend their language class on the first diagnostic evaluation of students' abilities. The instructor will then inform students whether that course is indeed the level or track that will benefit these are only guidelines and individual cases may differ. For this reason, on the first day of class of each course section, the instructor conducts a (i.e., the strength of the program in which the student previously studied the language, how long it has been since the student has used the language, extent of the student's exposure to the language at home/in social settings, the student's knowledge of other languages, etc.) make it such that. Consequently, global literacy involves awareness about oral and written texts, their conventions and genres, and their social, historical, political, and artistic uses. It entails linguistic proficiency in a language other than your own. You cannot be global if you only live in one language. Global Literacy includes written and oral communication, critical thinking and social responsibility, and appreciation of cultural artifacts, artistic products, and new technologies in more than one language. Global Literacy and multilingualism foster success in business, economics, education, law, medicine, natural sciences, politics, social sciences, arts, and humanities. Language study most effectively enriches academic as well as personal experiences when students choose a language based on its relevance to possible careers, to research in particular fields, to personal heritage, or to the understanding of unfamiliar cultures. Students combine advanced modern language study with majors in other fields, such as International Studies, Communications, History, Political Science (and other pre-law fields), Biology (and other pre-med fields), Nursing, English, Finance, Latin American Studies, Anthropology, Psychology, Computer Science, Sociology, and Philosophy. The Department has Undergraduate Advisors for each language (http://www.as.miami.edu/mll/undergraduate/advising/). You are encouraged to consult with them for placement, and must consult with them if you plan to major, minor, or study abroad (contact the Department office for names and office hours). If you plan to double major, you must have an advisor from each of your fields.

Students may qualify for a wide range of departmental awards (http://www.as.miami.edu/mll/undergraduate/student-awards/) for excellence in linguistic and literary achievement. The Modern Languages and Literatures Awards Reception takes place annually during graduation week. Some awards are conferred through nomination by professors; others require an application. Students may obtain information on specific awards in the Department office. The annual deadline for applications is usually in early March.

Placement Guidelines for MLL Courses

Most students studying a second language can determine their appropriate level by adhering to the following guidelines. However, various factors (i.e., the strength of the program in which the student previously studied the language, how long it has been since the student has used the language, the extent of the student's exposure to the language at home/in social settings, the student's knowledge of other languages, etc.) make it such that these are only guidelines and individual cases may differ. For this reason, on the first day of class of each course section, the instructor conducts a diagnostic evaluation of students' abilities. The instructor will then inform students whether that course is indeed the level or track that will benefit him/her the most or, if not, which course he/she must take. Consequently, global literacy involves awareness about oral and written texts, their conventions and genres, and their social, historical, political, and artistic uses. It entails linguistic proficiency in a language other than your own. You cannot be global if you only live in one language. Global Literacy includes written and oral communication, critical thinking and social responsibility, and appreciation of cultural artifacts, artistic products, and new technologies in more than one language.

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The following are MLL's general placement guidelines (http://www.as.miami.edu/mll/undergraduate/placement-guidelines/):

- If you have not studied Arabic, Chinese, French, German, Hebrew, Italian, Japanese, or Spanish in high school, or have completed one to two years of high school instruction, take 101; for Portuguese, take 105.
- If you have taken 101 or its equivalent at another institution, take 102.
- If you have completed three years of high school instruction in French or Spanish, or scored a 3 on the AP language exam, take 105. If you have had three years of high school Arabic, Chinese, German, Hebrew, Italian, or Japanese, take 102.
- If you have taken four years of high school French or Spanish, scored a 4 on the AP language exam or a 4 on the IB exam in French or Spanish, or took the equivalent of 102 or 105 at another university, take 201. If you have taken four years of high school German, Italian or Portuguese, take 201. If you have taken four years of Arabic, Chinese, Hebrew, or Japanese, take 201.
- If you had five to six years of French, German, Italian, or Spanish in middle and high school, take 202.
• If you have taken the equivalent of 201 at another university or scored a 5 on the AP language exam, you have completed your language requirement. If you wish to continue your studies, take 202.

• If you took the equivalent of 202 in French or Spanish at another university or scored a 4 on the AP literature exam, you have completed your language requirement. If you wish to continue your studies, take 203. If you took the equivalent of 202 in German, Italian or Portuguese at another university, you have completed your language requirement. If you wish to continue your studies, take 301.

• If you scored a 5 on the AP literature exam in French, Italian or Spanish, you have completed your language requirement. If you wish to continue your studies, take 301.

The Department offers courses open to native speakers of French, German, Italian, Portuguese, and Spanish. Native speakers may not enroll in 101, 102, 105, 201, 202, 203, or 301 in their language. If you are a native speaker of French, German, Italian, or Portuguese, and graduated from a high school where that was the official language of instruction, you may take any course above 301 (consult with the respective Undergraduate Advisor). If you are a native speaker of Spanish and graduated from a high school where that was the official language of instruction, your first SPA course at UM must be either SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307 (which is a prerequisite for most other SPA courses).

The Department of Modern Languages & Literatures identifies as heritage learners of Spanish those students who begin their university studies of the language with little or no prior instruction in Spanish but who, because of family background or social experience, can already understand much casual spoken Spanish and have a passive knowledge of the language (though they may not usually speak the language themselves). In the great majority of cases, they have been born and fully educated in the United States, and may have grown up speaking principally English (or a ‘mix’ of Spanish and English, i.e. ‘Spanglish’) in the home with their grandparents, parents and siblings. Heritage learners may or may not consider themselves as “bilinguals” or “native speakers”, since both of these terms carry very different connotations—linguistic, social, and psychological—for different individuals. Some state that they “do not really speak Spanish” even though they are able to comprehend much spoken language (i.e., they are “passive bilinguals”). In the great majority of cases, they self-identify as “Hispanic” or “Latino/a”.

HERITAGE LEARNERS OF SPANISH MUST BE PLACED IN ONE OF THE FOLLOWING FOUR COURSES:

1. **SPA 107 Basic Spanish for Heritage Learners** is for those students with little or no prior instruction in Spanish who, because of family background or social experience, can understand casual spoken Spanish and have a passive knowledge of the language although they do not usually speak the language themselves. Generally, their abilities to read and write Spanish are at a beginning level. CLOSED TO STUDENTS WHO GRADUATED HIGH SCHOOL IN A SPANISH-SPEAKING COUNTRY.

2. **SPA 207 Intermediate Spanish for Heritage Learners** is for those students WHO HAVE ALREADY TAKEN AND PASSED SPA 107 or who have studied Spanish for AT LEAST TWO YEARS IN HIGH SCHOOL. They can understand casual spoken Spanish and have some functional ability in speaking, reading and writing the language. CLOSED TO STUDENTS WHO GRADUATED HIGH SCHOOL IN A SPANISH-SPEAKING COUNTRY.

3. **SPA 208 Advanced Spanish for Heritage Learners** is for those students who have studied Spanish for four years in high school and who have developed functional abilities in speaking, reading and writing the language. Students who earned a score of 5 on the AP Spanish Language Exam or 4 in the AP Literature Exam should register for this course. CLOSED TO STUDENTS WHO GRADUATED HIGH SCHOOL IN A SPANISH-SPEAKING COUNTRY.

4. **SPA 307 Interpreting Literary And Cultural Texts In Spanish For Heritage/Native Speakers** is intended for those students who have completed secondary and/or university studies in a Spanish-speaking country and for those heritage learners who demonstrate an advanced level of productive competence (in the written and spoken modes) in Spanish because of prior formal study of the language. Heritage learners who place directly into 307 have taken AP Spanish literature in high school and earned a score of 5.

SPA 101, SPA 102, SPA 105, SPA 201, SPA 202 AND SPA 203 ARE NOT FOR HERITAGE LEARNERS. ANY HERITAGE LEARNER WHO ENROLLS IN ONE OF THESE COURSES WILL BE OBLIGATED TO SWITCH TO A HERITAGE LANGUAGE COURSE (SPA 107, SPA 207, SPA 208 OR SPA 307) DURING THE FIRST WEEK OF CLASS.

**Arts and Sciences Language Requirement**

The College of Arts and Sciences requires all B.A. and B.S. degree students to show competency in a language other than English by successfully completing an approved college language course at the 200-level or higher. Students wishing to fulfill the language requirement in a language not taught at UM, may request an equivalency evaluation for a course at the appropriate level offered at an accredited institution, complete the approved equivalent course, and transfer the credits. Students requesting such an equivalency evaluation must submit appropriate documentation to the MLL department for approval. For a native speaker of the language in question, a course that transfers at UM's 300-level will fulfill the language requirement. For a second language learner of the language in question, a course that transfers at UM's 200-level will fulfill the language requirement.

**Writing Credits: Writing Across the Curriculum**

All of the Department’s 300- and 500-level courses and some 400-level courses offer writing credit. NOTE: Courses may simultaneously fulfill General Education requirements and Writing Credit, or the Foreign Language Requirement and Writing Credit.

**Cognates**

Most of the Department’s courses are part of cognates in one of two Areas of Knowledge: Arts & Humanities, and People & Society. A course cannot simultaneously complete a cognate in an Area of Knowledge and the College of Arts & Sciences’ Foreign Language Requirement.
Degree Programs
Students pursuing a single major in Arts and Sciences earn a BA.

Majors
The Department offers majors in French and Spanish. Students majoring in any of these three languages must earn 24 credit hours in courses above 201 for French and above 202 for German and Spanish (30 credit hours for Departmental Honors). In consultation with their MLL advisor, students can have up to 1 course (3 credits) from among the MLL courses or the FRE and SPA courses taught in English (numbered 310-319) count toward their French or Spanish major.

Minors
The Department offers minors in Arabic Studies, French, German, Italian, Portuguese, Spanish, and Modern Languages. You do not have to be a student of the College of Arts and Sciences to minor in a modern language; you need only the approval of your college or school advisor and to complete the departmental requirements. If you wish to complete a double degree, consult with an Arts and Sciences Advisor. Except for Arabic Studies, French and Italian, all courses in the German, Portuguese, Spanish minors must be taught in the target language. The two 300-level courses for the additional language in the Modern Languages minor must also be taught in the target language.

Students may also pursue a minor in Chinese Studies or Japanese Studies as an Independent Minor. Please consult the requirements here. (p. 130)

Study Abroad
Students completing a major or a minor in a modern language are encouraged to study abroad. The Department offers faculty-led summer study abroad programs in France, Japan, and Spain. The Department and Study Abroad sponsor a semester-long study abroad program in Paris (UParis) for students of all majors and minors and all levels of ability in the French language; French majors and minors are especially encouraged to apply. For more information, please click here. Study Abroad (in Dooly Memorial Classroom, Building 1111, Memorial Drive, Suite 125) sponsors programs for Chinese, French, German, Italian, Japanese, Portuguese, and Spanish. It is also possible to fulfill some Arts and Sciences distribution requirements abroad. In order to take full advantage of study abroad, students should visit the Study Abroad office early in their university careers, discuss course equivalencies with the Study Abroad Advisor for their chosen languages (contact the Department office for names and office hours), and consult with their major advisors. Credit hour toward the major for courses taken abroad will be determined on an individual basis.

Departmental Honors
Departmental Honors in Modern Languages are possible in the three languages for which the major is offered: French and Spanish. In order to request admission to Departmental Honors, candidates must have completed at least twelve credit hours at the 300 level or above. They must have a GPA of 3.5 in all their major courses and a 3.5 overall average GPA. Both GPAs must be maintained in order to graduate with Departmental Honors.

During their junior year, candidates for honors will identify an honors thesis supervisor and a second reader and request admission to Departmental Honors. Admission to candidacy must also be approved by the Director of Undergraduate Studies for the appropriate language.

In addition to fulfilling the regular major requirements, students must register in their Senior year for FRE or SPA 594-595, Senior Honors Thesis. This is a two-semester, six credit hour sequence: 594 for research and 595 for the actual writing of the honors thesis.

The honors thesis advisor and the second reader will determine whether the finished thesis merits Departmental Honors.

Arabic
ARB 101. Elementary Arabic I. 4 Credit Hours.
Fundamental writing and grammar principles; pronunciation; simple reading and translation. Closed to native speakers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ARB 102. Elementary Arabic II. 4 Credit Hours.
Modern Standard Arabic; oral and written exercises. Closed to native speakers.
Prerequisite: ARB 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
ARB 201. Intermediate Arabic I. 3 Credit Hours.
Modern Standard Arabic; oral and written exercises. Closed to native speakers.
Prerequisite: ARB 102.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ARB 202. Intermediate Arabic II. 3 Credit Hours.
Readings designed to integrate listening comprehension, speaking, reading, and writing skills in Modern Standard Arabic. Discussion of Arab society, history and culture. Closed to native speakers.
Prerequisite: ARB 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARB 203. Advanced Arabic. 3 Credit Hours.
5th semester course in Modern Standard Arabic. Continued development of all four language skills (listening, speaking, reading, and writing) together with study of cultural aspects of the Arab world. Conducted in Arabic. Closed to students who graduated from a high school in which the primary language of instruction was Arabic.
Prerequisite: ARB 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARB 204. Arabic 204: Advanced Arabic II. 3 Credit Hours.
The sixth course of the Modern Standard Arabic sequence within the Arabic Studies Program. The three primary goals of the Arabic language sequence are: (1) developing oral and written communicative abilities in Arabic; (2) understanding the rich culture of the Arabic-speaking world through engaging with texts and cultural artifacts; (3) studying and understanding the Arabic language, from grammar and spelling to writing with coherence, cohesion and accuracy.
Prerequisite: ARB 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARB 207. Arabic for Heritage Learners. 3 Credit Hours.
Arabic for Heritage Learners is a 200 level course specifically designed for students of Arab descent who fulfilled the equivalent of ARB 201. The course will hone students' ability in critical reading, writing, debate, and discussion of pertinent topics in Arab culture. The course material will focus on the history of Arab culture, literature, film, and music. By the end of the semester students will develop their ability in critical reading and writing in MSA.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARB 208. Arabic for Heritage Learners II. 3 Credit Hours.
Arabic 208 is combined with the sixth course of the Modern Standard Arabic sequence within the Arabic Studies Program. The three primary goals of the Arabic language sequence are: (1) developing oral and written communicative abilities in Arabic; (2) understanding the rich culture of the Arabic-speaking world through engaging with texts and cultural artifacts; (3) studying and understanding the Arabic language, from grammar and spelling to writing with coherence, cohesion and accuracy.
Prerequisite: ARB 202 or ARB 207.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARB 251. Levantine Colloquial Arabic I. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will enable students to converse in the colloquial Arabic dialects of the Levant (Jordan, Lebanon, Palestine, and Syria). Development of communicative abilities in speaking and comprehension, as well as reading and writing (as used in social media, theater, etc.) of colloquial Levantine Arabic. Closed to native speakers (students educated in schools where Arabic was the language of instruction); heritage learners at the beginning level may be accommodated.
Prerequisite: ARB 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARB 310. Topics in Arabic Literature and Culture in Translation. 3 Credit Hours.
Specific topics within the literature and cultures of the Arabic-speaking world, including literary, cinematic, and artistic representations of central themes or issues, and the cultural production of particular historical periods or national or immigrant groups. This course is taught in English and does not fulfill the CAS foreign language requirement. May be repeated for credit if topics vary.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ARB 312. Arab Cultures: A Cultural History of the Arab World. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of the main points of Arab cultural history, from Pre-Islamic times to the period following European colonization with an emphasis on intellectual history and literary and visual arts. This course is taught in English and does not fulfill the CAS foreign language requirement.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARB 315. Topics in Gender and Sexuality in Translation. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics in gender and sexuality in the context of the Arab world, through literary and/or cultural studies. This course is taught in English and does not fulfill the CAS foreign language requirement. May be repeated for credit if topics vary.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARB 394. Arabic Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The internship is an opportunity to apply analytical, interpretative, and creative skills developed in coursework. Internships ordinarily take place outside the University and they involve UM faculty supervision, as well as supervised on-site experience in an Arabic-speaking cultural, business, or not-for-profit organization. Students need to fill out the Internship Application Form. Normally 27 internship hours are required per credit earned. A maximum of three semester hours of internship credit may be counted toward the student’s degree program. Permission of MLL faculty member is required (the host will apply documentary evidence of the hours worked).
Prerequisite: ARB 204.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARB 410. Language and Power in the Arab World. 3 Credit Hours.
The multiple languages and linguistic registers present in the Arab world and, through materials from linguistics, anthropology, political science, music, art, and literature, leads them into an exploration of the main socio-linguistic features of Arabic and their broader cultural ramifications. This course is conducted in English. It does not fulfill the College of Arts & Sciences language requirement.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARB 591. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed readings (Independent study) in Arabic Studies.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

Chinese

CHI 101. Elementary Chinese (Mandarin). 3 Credit Hours.
Conversation, grammar, reading, elementary composition.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CHI 102. Elementary Chinese (Mandarin). 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of CHI 101, conversation, grammar, reading, elementary composition.
Prerequisite: CHI 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CHI 195. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 100-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
CHI 201. Intermediate Chinese I. 3 Credit Hours.
Expanding further on language skills (grammar, composition and reading) while introducing students to aspects of Chinese customs, history and culture. Closed to native speakers.
Prerequisite: CHI 102.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CHI 202. Intermediate Chinese II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of CHI 201. Further development of reading, writing, speaking and listening skills in Mandarin Chinese. CLOSED TO NATIVE SPEAKERS.
Prerequisite: CHI 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CHI 203. Advanced Chinese. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to develop students' ability to use Chinese in a more advanced way. The course emphasizes accurate comprehension, expansion of vocabulary, and development of the ability to use increasing complex grammatical and sentence structures. In addition to improving their language abilities, students will also be exposed to different areas of Chinese culture.
Prerequisite: CHI 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CHI 204. Advanced Chinese II. 3 Credit Hours.
The course aims to develop students' ability to use Chinese in a more advanced way by continuing Chinese 203's emphasis on accurate comprehension, expansion of vocabulary, and development of the ability to use increasing complex grammatical and sentence structures. In addition to improving their language abilities, students will also be exposed to different areas of Chinese culture.
Prerequisite: CHI 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHI 210. Experiencing Chinese Culture through Art and Design. 3 Credit Hours.
A broad exposure on both traditional and modern Chinese arts, crafts, designs, architectures, and other cultural elements. Through discussions, hands on art projects, and cultural excursions, students will examine how traditional and contemporary Chinese values and beliefs are expressed in Chinese arts, crafts, designs, and architecture. An opportunity to truly immerse in Chinese culture. Students will visit historical and cultural sites. Local Chinese artists and scholars will co-teach certain sessions. Students will be guided to conduct cultural interviews and presentations to develop their own understanding on Chinese values and perspectives. This course takes place in Beijing during summer term. And it will be taught primarily in English.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

CHI 295. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 200-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHI 301. Advanced Reading and Diction Chinese. 3 Credit Hours.
Use of Chinese in a more advanced way to achieve greater fluency in a variety of written and spoken genres. Course materials incorporate authentic Chinese materials in genres including formal speech, short story, debate, op-ed essay, and newspaper. The course emphasizes accurate comprehension, expansion of vocabulary, and development of the ability to use increasing complex grammatical and sentence structures, in particular, formal speech and written language. In addition to improving their language abilities, course materials are also geared towards deepening students understanding of many different areas of Chinese culture.
Prerequisite: CHI 204.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
CHI 310. Topics in Chinese Literature and Culture in Translation. 3 Credit Hours.
Specific topics within the literature and cultures of the Chinese-speaking world, including literary, cinematic, and artistic representations of central themes or issues, and the cultural production of particular historical periods or national or immigrant groups. This course is taught in English and does not fulfill the CAS foreign language requirement. May be repeated for credit if topics vary.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CHI 311. Comparative Literature in East Asia. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the East Asian literary tradition (in China, Japan, and Korea) while introducing the methods of and issues surrounding comparative literary study. The course is structured thematically, according to particular motifs and themes that become central in Chinese, Japanese, and Korean literature. Themes to be studied include the non-human bride; romantic ideals and the romance narrative; the otherworldly journey; the dream; and the modern nation. It also seeks to challenge pre-conceived notions about East Asian literature and culture to instill a nuanced understanding of East Asian literary traditions.
Prerequisite: ENG 106.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CHI 312. The Esoteric and the Mundane in the Chinese Literary Tradition. 3 Credit Hours.
A variety of important genres and themes in the Chinese literary tradition through the close reading of texts spanning three millennia. Particular attention is paid to notions of humanity, divinity, and monstrosity. The course is taught in English.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CHI 315. The Powerful Women of Medieval China in History, Fiction, and Modern Media. 3 Credit Hours.
An interdisciplinary examination of the portrayals of ruling-class women who lived during the medieval period in China and who have become a part of the Chinese literary-historical tradition. Works to be examined include short stories, novels, plays, films, and television. This course is taught in English.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CHI 322. Cultural Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
A variety of important genres, issues, and themes related to Chinese culture through the close reading and analysis of texts. Topics may include film, religion, gender, epistemology, visual arts, immigration, travels, the preternatural. Note: Students will complete all readings and written assignments in Chinese. Course is open only to students with native or native-level fluency in Chinese.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CHI 394. Chinese Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The internship is an opportunity to apply analytical, interpretative, and creative skills developed in coursework. Internships ordinarily take place outside the University and they involve UM faculty supervision, as well as supervised on-site experience in an Chinese-speaking cultural, business, or not-for-profit organization. Students need to fill out the Internship Application Form. Normally 27 internship hours are required per credit earned. A maximum of three semester hours of internship credit may be counted toward the student’s degree program. Permission of MLL faculty member is required (the host will apply documentary evidence of the hours worked).
Prerequisite: CHI 204.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHI 395. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 300-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHI 495. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 400-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
CHI 591. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Provides Directed Readings in Chinese.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

French

FRE 101. Elementary French I. 3 Credit Hours.
For students with no background or previous study of French. The focus of FRE 101 is the development of communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehension of French and an introduction to the cultural practices of the Francophone world. Themes on: university life, family, leisure activities, home and community. Includes both oral and written assessment of grammatical structures and vocabulary introduced, informal and formal writing. Conducted entirely in French. Not open to students who have completed 2 or more years of high school French. Closed to heritage or native speakers of French.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FRE 102. Elementary French II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of FRE 101. The development of communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing and comprehension of French and an introduction to the cultural practices of the Francophone world. Themes on: childhood and adolescence, food and lifestyle, university life and professions. Includes both oral and written assessments of grammatical structures and vocabulary introduced, informal and formal writing. Conducted entirely in French.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FRE 105. Accelerated Elementary French. 3 Credit Hours.
For students with previous study of French desiring to review material covered in FRE 101 and 102 in preparation for continued study of French at the intermediate level. The focus of FRE 105 is the continued development of communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehension of French and an introduction to the cultural practices of the Francophone world. Themes on: family, leisure activities, home, and community, childhood and adolescence, food and lifestyle, university life and professions. Includes both oral and written assessments of grammatical structures and vocabulary introduced, informal and formal writing. Conducted entirely in French.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FRE 195. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 100-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FRE 201. Intermediate French I. 3 Credit Hours.
For students with previous study of elementary-level French. The continued development of communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehension of French and an introduction to the cultural practices of the Francophone world. Themes on: travel, technological innovations, the evolution of family values, and social and environmental issues. Includes both oral and written assessments of grammatical structures and vocabulary introduced, informal and formal writing. Conducted entirely in French.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FRE 202. Intermediate French II. 3 Credit Hours.
For students with some previous study of French at the intermediate level, who are familiar with all the tenses and with vocabulary related to the topics covered in FRE 101-201. FRE 202 is the first semester of a two-semester sequence ending with FRE 203. The continued development of skills in reading, writing, speaking, and listening in French, with an additional emphasis on cultural competence in the French-speaking world. Themes on: relationships, cultural values, different historical perspectives, and current politics. These themes will be explored through articles, films and literary texts. The course will develop writing and reading strategies, providing them with the tools to think, read, and write critically and analytically in papers of 1-3 pages. Progress will also be assessed through quizzes and exams. Course conducted entirely in French.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
FRE 203. Advanced French. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of FRE 202. This course will prepare students for advanced literature, linguistic, and culture courses. The class will use films, literary works, and other cultural texts. Students will write analytic essays of 3-5 pages to develop style, vocabulary, and syntax. Course conducted entirely in French.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FRE 280. French Culture and Conservation. 3 Credit Hours.
The major social, historical and political factors that have shaped contemporary and traditional French culture and society. This cultural approach to language-learning is set in the small towns and villages of the Sete region, rich and vibrant with a centuries-old history of intellectual advances and social tolerance. The historical and social evolution of French culture will be studied through film, literature and art with visits to relevant historical sites and museums.
Prerequisite: FRE 102 or FRE 105.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 295. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 200-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FRE 301. Introduction to French and Francophone Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Tools for the interpretation and analysis of cultural materials from the French-speaking world. Acquisition of terminology and methodology for advanced study in French and Francophone Studies. Emphasis on historical, literary, and geographical breadth of French-speaking cultures as well as on critical writing skills.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FRE 302. The Cultures of France. 3 Credit Hours.
Historical survey of French intellectual, artistic, and popular culture.
Prerequisite: FRE 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 303. The Cultures of Francophone Africa, Canada, and/or the Caribbean. 3 Credit Hours.
Historical survey of the intellectual, artistic, and popular culture of the French-speaking communities in Africa, Canada and the Caribbean.
Prerequisite: FRE 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 310. Topics in French and Francophone Studies in Translation. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics in the literature and/or cultures of the French-speaking world. Readings and discussion in English. Development of critical reading and writing skills. Fulfills humanities literature requirement. Does not fulfill foreign language requirement. May be repeated when the topic varies. May be used toward the French major in accordance with Department of Modern Languages and Literature stipulations.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 321. Literary Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of literature, film and/or the arts through a specific topic. Maybe repeated for credit if topic is different.
Prerequisite: FRE 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
FRE 322. Topics in Global French Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
Issues centered on the culture of France and/or regions where French is spoken. Topics such as film, Caribbean history, journalism, translations, migration. May be repeated for credit if topic is different.
Prerequisite: FRE 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 325. Topics in French-Language Cinema. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics in the cinema of the French-speaking world. Analysis of films in their cultural context. May be repeated for credit if topics vary.
Prerequisite: FRE 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

FRE 330. Topics in Gender and Sexuality. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics in gender and sexuality in the context of the French-speaking world, through literary and/or cultural studies. May be repeated if topics vary.
Prerequisite: FRE 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 340. Migration in Literary and Cultural Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of migration to or from France, French-speaking Canada and America, Africa and/or the Caribbean. May be repeated for credit if topics vary.
Prerequisite: FRE 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 345. Franco-Maghrebian Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of major historical, social, cultural and literary issues related to the Franco-Maghrebian interface. May be repeated for credit if topics vary.
Prerequisite: FRE 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 346. African Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics in the literary and/or cultural study of French-speaking Africa. May be repeated for credit if topics vary.
Prerequisite: FRE 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 360. The Caribbean through Literary and Cultural Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Literary and cultural readings on the Caribbean. May be repeated for credit if topics vary.
Prerequisite: FRE 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 363. Medieval and Renaissance Topics in French. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics within French literature from the 12th century to the end of the 16th century.
Prerequisite: FRE 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 364. Early Modern Topics in French. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics within French literature from the 17th and 18th centuries.
Prerequisite: FRE 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
FRE 365. 19th Century Topics in French. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics within French literature from the 19th and 20th centuries.
Prerequisite: FRE 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

FRE 366. 20th and 21st Century Topics in French. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of currents, themes, and movements that define and run the course of 20th and 21st century French literature and culture. Course materials may encompass a diverse array of sources, including art, film, literature, theatre, aesthetics, political cultures and theoretical debates. May be repeated if the topic changes substantially.
Prerequisite: FRE 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

FRE 394. French Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The internship is an opportunity to apply analytical, interpretative, and creative skills developed in coursework. Internships ordinarily take place outside the University and they involve UM–faculty supervision, as well as supervised on-site experience in a French-speaking cultural, business, or not-for-profit organization. Students need to fill out the Internship Application Form. Normally 27 internship hours are required per credit earned. A maximum of three semester hours of internship credit may be counted toward the student’s degree program. Permission of MLL faculty member is required (the host will apply documentary evidence of the hours worked).
Prerequisite: FRE 203.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FRE 395. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

FRE 396. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

FRE 397. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

FRE 398. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

FRE 399. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

FRE 432. French for Global Business. 3 Credit Hours.
The language and culture tools needed to work and conduct business in French anywhere it is spoken around the world.
Prerequisite: FRE 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FRE 442. Advanced writing workshop in French. 3 Credit Hours.
Intensive writing of various genres based on the discussion of readings.
Prerequisite: FRE 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
FRE 446. Debating Cultures and Societies in French. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to improve student’s conversational skills cultivating formal academic speaking competencies, and to develop their critical thinking skills and analytical expression in French in order to help students achieve global literacy. In addition, this course seeks to build students’ oral proficiency at the advanced level while increasing their awareness of Francophone cultures through active, responsible participation in discussions, debates and oral presentations in class. The class is conducted in French.
Prerequisite: FRE 203.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FRE 495. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 400-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

FRE 501. Capstone. 3 Credit Hours.
Course with a broad-based topic designed to integrate high-level linguistic, critical and analytical skills with the body of knowledge acquired during the course of study toward the major. Topics vary. Open only to undergraduates in the last semester of their French major. Course is writing intensive.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FRE 591. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
May be repeated for credit if topic is different.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 592. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings at the undergraduate level.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 593. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings at the undergraduate level.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 594. Senior honors Thesis I. 3 Credit Hours.
Directed research for honors thesis.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FRE 595. Senior Honors Thesis II. 3 Credit Hours.
Directed writing of honors thesis.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

German

GER 101. Elementary German I. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamental grammatical principles; exercises to develop a foundation for skills of listening, speaking, reading, and writing; introduction to German culture. Closed to native speakers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GER 102. Elementary German II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of GER 101. Building upon fundamental grammatical principles; exercises to develop a foundation for skills of listening, speaking, reading, and writing; introduction to German culture. Closed to native speakers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
GER 195. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 100-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GER 201. Intermediate German I. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of GER 102, with special emphasis on essay writing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

GER 202. Intermediate German II. 3 Credit Hours.
Integrated grammar, writing, and conversation via content-based instruction. Diverse selection of readings: stories, plays, essays, interviews, other materials. Development of skills in a workshop format.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GER 295. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 200-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GER 301. Interpreting Literary and Cultural Texts in German. 3 Credit Hours.
Tools for the interpretation and analysis of literary and cultural materials from the German-speaking world. Acquisition of terminology and theories through the study of the main literary genres (prose, poetry, and drama) and a complementary genre of cultural analysis (e.g., film studies, cultural studies, etc.). Emphasis on critical writing skills.
Prerequisite: GER 202.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GER 302. The Cultures of the German-Speaking World. 3 Credit Hours.
Historical survey of cultures in areas of the world where German is spoken: arts, letters, science, political and social institutions. Conducted in German.
Collateral readings and reports.
Prerequisite: GER 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GER 310. German Studies in Translation. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics in German literature, philosophy, history, etc. Readings and discussion in English. Development of critical reading and writing skills. Fulfills humanities literature requirement. Does not fulfill foreign language requirement. May not be used for German minor credit.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GER 321. Special Topics in German Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Intensive study of a special topic. May be repeated for credit when topic varies. May be used to fulfill the humanities literature requirement.
Prerequisite: GER 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GER 365. Twentieth-Century German Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
The second empire and the third Reich, the Weimar Republic, and the two Germanies. Examination of the arts, sciences, letters, and political and social institutions of twentieth-century Germanophone areas. May be used to fulfill the humanities literature requirement.
Prerequisite: GER 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
GER 370. The Holocaust in History, Film, and Memorial Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
The course examines the representation of the Holocaust in historiography, film, and memorial culture. Readings will include texts by historians and writers such as Primo Levi, Raoul Hilberg, Daniel Goldhagen, James Young and others; films will include, among others, Alain Resnais’s NIGHT AND FOG, Claude Lanzmann’s SHOAH, and Steven Spielberg’s SCHINDLER’S LIST. Reading-and writing-intensive course with reading and discussions in English. In addition to daily/weekly homework assignments, an in-class midterm exam and a final, cumulative take-home exam, students will also complete an extended analytical term paper. Students will also be required to watch films outside of regularly scheduled class hours. Prerequisite: ENG 106.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GER 394. German Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The internship is an opportunity to apply analytical, interpretative, and creative skills developed in coursework. Internships ordinarily take place outside the University and they involve UM-faculty supervision, as well as supervised on-site experience in a German-speaking cultural, business, or not-for-profit organization. Students need to fill out the Internship Application Form. Normally 27 internship hours are required per credit earned. A maximum of three semester hours of internship credit may be counted toward the student’s degree program. Permission of MLL faculty member is required (the host will apply documentary evidence of the hours worked). Prerequisite: GER 202.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GER 395. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 300-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GER 396. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

GER 397. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

GER 442. Advanced Stylistics and Composition. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GER 495. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 400-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GER 592. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings at the undergraduate level.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
GER 594. Senior Honors Thesis I. 3 Credit Hours.
Directed research for honors thesis.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GER 595. Senior Honors Thesis II. 3 Credit Hours.
Directed writing of honors thesis.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

Haitian Creole

HAI 101. Elementary Haitian Creole I. 3 Credit Hours.
Development of basic listening, speaking, reading and writing skills; focus on conversation and the grammatical fundamentals of Haitian Creole.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HAI 102. Elementary Haitian Creole II. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic listening, speaking, reading and writing skills developed in Elementary Haitian Creole 101. Students will produce more complex grammatical structures in oral and written presentations, and focus on improvement of pronunciation.
Prerequisite: HAI 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HAI 195. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 100-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

HAI 201. Intermediate Haitian Creole I. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic listening, speaking, reading and writing skills developed in Elementary Haitian Creole 102. Continued development of communicative abilities and introduction to the cultural practices, family values, and social and environmental issues of Haiti. Include both oral and written components.
Prerequisite: HAI 102.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HAI 202. Intermediate Haitian Creole II. 3 Credit Hours.
Emphasis will be on speaking, listening, reading, and writing activities. In addition to the instruction of Haitian Creole, students will have a better understanding of the Haitian culture, society, and beliefs, which are an important part of this class experience. Furthermore, to help students understand the relationship between the spoken and the written forms of the language, the course will be taught entirely in Haitian Creole. While gaining an understanding of the Haitian culture and its people, students in HAI 202 will learn how to avoid cross-cultural conflicts by developing awareness for common cultural issues and beliefs associated with healthcare, education, environment, religion.
Prerequisite: HAI 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HAI 295. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 200-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

HAI 395. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 300-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
HAI 495. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 400-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Hebrew

HEB 101. Elementary Hebrew I. 3 Credit Hours.
Grammatical principles: reading for comprehension and conversation; oral and written exercises. Normally, closed to students who have completed two years of high school Hebrew. Closed to native speakers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HEB 102. Elementary Hebrew II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of HEB 101. Closed to native speakers.
Prerequisite: HEB 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HEB 195. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 100-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

HEB 201. Intermediate Hebrew I. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: HEB 102.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HEB 202. Intermediate Hebrew II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of 201 with oral presentations, compositions, and grammar review. Class conducted in Hebrew. Closed to native speakers.
Prerequisite: HEB 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HEB 295. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 200-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

HEB 395. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 300-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

HEB 495. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 400-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
Italian

ITA 101. Elementary Italian I. 3 Credit Hours.
For students with no background or previous study of Italian. The focus of ITA 101 is the development of communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehension of Italian and an introduction to the cultural practices of the Italian-speaking world. Themes on: university life, family, leisure activities, and professions. Includes both oral and written assignments of grammatical structures and vocabulary introduced, informal and formal writing. Conducted entirely in Italian. Not open to students who have completed 2 or more years of high school Italian. Closed to heritage and native speakers of Italian.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ITA 102. Elementary Italian II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ITA 101. The development of communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehension of Italian and an introduction to the cultural practices of the Italian-speaking world. Themes on: childhood and adolescence, university life, home and community, food and lifestyle, and environmental issues. Includes both oral and written assessments of grammatical structure and vocabulary introduced, informal and formal writing. Conducted entirely in Italian.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ITA 106. Elementary Italian for Romance Language Speakers. 3 Credit Hours.
ITA 106 is the first of two courses specifically designed for students who are either heritage learners or native speakers of a Romance language (Spanish, Portuguese, French, and so on). It will draw on students’ already existing knowledge of their own language so as to improve and accelerate the Italian learning experience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ITA 201. Intermediate Italian I. 3 Credit Hours.
Integrated grammar review. Diverse selection of readings: stories, plays, essays, interviews. Practice in speaking and in writing. Class conducted in Italian.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ITA 202. Intermediate Italian II. 3 Credit Hours.
Different genres of texts (portraits, descriptions, short stories, film reviews, magazines) are used to explore different ways of writing and to prepare students for 300-level work. Structured in a workshop format, the course also develops conversational skills. Class conducted in Italian. Writing credits. Closed to native speakers.
Prerequisite: ITA 201 or ITA 206.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ITA 206. Intermediate Italian for Romance Language Speakers. 3 Credit Hours.
ITA 206 is the second of two courses created especially for students who speak another Romance language such as Spanish, French, Portuguese, and so on. As with the first level, students will be further exposed to the linguistic parallels between Italian and their own language, with the goal of being able to comprehend and communicate in Italian at increasingly complex levels.
Prerequisite: ITA 106.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
ITA 280. 21st Century Italian Cinema, Society and Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
This course studies key cultural, political and societal issues of 21st century Italy through contemporariness. The course is taught in Italy and offers an in-depth experience of Italian culture happening in the "now," both on and off-screen, through class discussions, guest professors, directors, actors, and site-visits. The course is taught primarily in English, with some Italian terminology. Offered only in the summer study abroad program in Italy. Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ITA 295. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 200-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ITA 301. Interpreting Literary and Cultural Texts in Italian. 3 Credit Hours.
Tools for the interpretation and analysis of Italian literary and cultural materials. Acquisition of terminology and theories through the study of the main literary genres (prose, poetry, and drama) and a complementary genre of cultural analysis (e.g., film studies, cultural studies, etc.). Emphasis on critical writing skills. Taught in Italian. Closed to native speakers formally educated in Italian.
Prerequisite: ITA 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ITA 310. Topics in Italian Studies in Translation. 3 Credit Hours.
Intensive study, in English translation, of a topic, theme, author, period, or literary movement. May be repeated when the topic varies. May be used toward the Italian minor in accordance with Department of Modern Languages and Literatures stipulations.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ITA 311. To Hell and Back with Dante: Women, Men, Politics, and Poetry. 3 Credit Hours.
A review of the highlights of Dante's Divine Comedy.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ITA 312. Italian Civilization. 3 Credit Hours.
The intellectual life of Italy, political and social institution arts, letters, and sciences. Collateral readings and reports.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ITA 314. Topics in Early Modern Italian Literature in Translation. 3 Credit Hours.
AN introduction to one or more aspects of Italian literature of the early/modern Renaissance period in translation: e.g., the courtier, epic poems, the rebirth of classical theater.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ITA 315. Topics in Gender and Sexuality in Translation. 3 Credit Hours.
This course presents issues dealing with gender and sexuality in Italy in a variety of chronological settings, using the appropriate sources for the topic (e.g., films, newsprint and TV ads, novels). This course does not fulfill the foreign language requirement.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ITA 316. Topics in 18th- and 19th-Century Italian Literature in Translation. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to one or more aspects of Italian literature of the 18th and 19th centuries in translation: e.g., the role of opera in Italian culture; the literature of the Italian Risorgimento; the historical novel. This course does not fulfill the foreign language requirement.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ITA 317. Topics in 20th Century Italian Literature in Translation. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to one or more aspects of Italian literature of the 20th century in translation: e.g., the experience of war, the child narrator in Calvino and Ammaniti, the experimental novels of the 1960s and '70s. This course does not fulfill the foreign language requirement.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ITA 319. Travels Italy. 3 Credit Hours.
Develops an understanding of Italy's contemporary image in the world by, first, presenting some of the earlier representations of Italy and Italians from Dante, through the Renaissance and Baroque periods, to the present; and second, by looking at the various cultures coming into contact with the Italian one. It attempts to come to grips with notions of representation, ethnicity, ethnocentrism, and stereotypes. Taught in English and does not fulfill CAS language requirement.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ITA 321. Special Topics in Italian Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Literature, film and/or the arts through a specific topic. May be repeated when the topic varies. Taught in Italian.
Prerequisite: ITA 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ITA 330. Topics in Gender and Sexuality in Italian Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
Issues dealing with gender and sexuality in Italy in a variety of chronological settings, using the appropriate sources for the topic (e.g., films, newsprint and TV ads, novels). May be repeated when the topic varies. Taught in Italian.
Prerequisite: ITA 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ITA 363. Medieval and Renaissance Topics in Italian. 3 Credit Hours.
Italian culture and literature from its earliest document through the Renaissance. Taught in Italian.
Prerequisite: ITA 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ITA 364. 17th-19th Century Topics in Italian. 3 Credit Hours.
Italian culture and literature from the Baroque to the nineteenth century. Taught in Italian.
Prerequisite: ITA 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ITA 365. 20th-21st Century Topics in Italian. 3 Credit Hours.
Italian culture and literature of the twentieth and twenty-first century. Taught in Italian.
Prerequisite: ITA 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ITA 394. Italian Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The internship is an opportunity to apply analytical, interpretative, and creative skills developed in coursework. Internships ordinarily take place outside the University and they involve UM-faculty supervision, as well as supervised on-site experience in an Italian-speaking cultural, business, or not-for-profit organization. Students need to fill out the Internship Application Form. Normally 27 internship hours are required per credit earned. A maximum of three semester hours of internship credit may be counted toward the student’s degree program. Permission of MLL faculty member is required (the host will apply documentary evidence of the hours worked).
Prerequisite: ITA 202.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ITA 395. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 300-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ITA 396. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ITA 397. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ITA 398. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ITA 399. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ITA 432. Italian for Business and for Business Travelers. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will allow non-native speakers of Italian communicate with native Italian speakers in a business environment by providing students with the basic vocabulary and professional expressions that are most often used in the business arena. Target business areas will be addressed through specific exercises, individual presentations, pair and group work, class discussion, preparing a Portfolio and a Final written Project, while working with authentic materials.
Prerequisite: ITA 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ITA 444. Introduction to Translation. 3 Credit Hours.
The main objective of this course is to develop the-knowledge and skills of the Italian language learner in the field of translation, with Italian and English both as source and target languages. The course addresses the linguistic foundations of translation as process and product from theoretical and applied perspectives.
Prerequisite: ITA 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ITA 446. Cultural Debates: Public Speaking on Societal Issues. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will improve a student's conversational skills cultivating formal academic speaking competencies and will develop critical thinking skills and analytical expression in Italian through active, responsible participation in discussions, debates, and oral presentations.
Prerequisite: ITA 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
ITA 495. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 400-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ITA 592. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings at the undergraduate level.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ITA 593. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings at the undergraduate level.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

Japanese

JPN 101. Elementary Japanese I. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic introduction to conversation, grammar, reading, elementary composition for students with no background in Japanese. The course is designed to develop basic skills in speaking, listening, reading and writing of the modern Japanese language. Hiragana, Katakana (Japanese syllabary), and 48 Kanji (Chinese characters formulated as a Japanese writing system) will be introduced in the course. Closed to native speakers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JPN 102. Elementary Japanese II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of JPN 101. Further development, language skills in speaking, listening, reading and writing of the modern Japanese language. Japanese culture and customs will be taught by way of media and/or other resources. Closed to native speakers.
Prerequisite: JPN 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JPN 195. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 100-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

JPN 201. Intermediate Japanese I. 3 Credit Hours.
Further expansion of language skills (grammar, composition and reading) while introducing students to aspects of Japanese customs, history and culture. Closed to native speakers.
Prerequisite: JPN 102.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JPN 202. Intermediate Japanese II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of JPN 201. Further development of reading, writing, listening and speaking skills in Japanese, including honorific and respectful expressions. Closed to native speakers.
Prerequisite: JPN 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JPN 203. Advanced Japanese I. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of JPN 202. Develops students’ ability to use Japanese in a more advanced way. The course emphasizes accurate comprehension, expansion of vocabulary, and development of the ability to use increasing complex grammatical and sentence structures. In addition to improving their language abilities, students will also be exposed to different areas of Japanese culture.
Prerequisite: JPN 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
JPN 204. Advanced Japanese II. 3 Credit Hours.
Develops students’ ability to use Japanese in a more advanced way by continuing Japanese 203’s emphasis on accurate comprehension, expansion of vocabulary, and development of the ability to use increasingly complex grammatical and sentence structures. Students will also be exposed to and analyze different areas of Japanese culture.
Prerequisite: JPN 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

JPN 210. Introduction to Japanese Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
The major aesthetic, social and political factors that have shaped contemporary and traditional Japanese culture and society. The historical evolution of Japanese culture will be approached through film, literature and art. Students will revisit related historical sites to enhance awareness and understanding of the topics. The course will be taught primarily in English, with some Japanese terminology. Offered only in the summer abroad program in Japan. No language requirement.
Prerequisite: JPN 102.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

JPN 295. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 200-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

JPN 394. Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
The internship is an opportunity to apply analytical, interpretative, and creative skills developed in coursework. Internships ordinarily take place outside the University and they involve UM-faculty supervision, as well as supervised on-site experience in a Japanese-speaking cultural, business, or not-for-profit organization. Students need to fill out the Internship Application Form. Normally 27 internship hours are required per credit earned. A maximum of three semester hours of internship credit may be counted toward the student's degree program. Permission of MLL faculty member is required (the host will apply documentary evidence of the hours worked).
Prerequisite: JPN 204.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

JPN 395. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 300-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

JPN 432. Business Japanese. 3 Credit Hours.
Designed for students who have completed JPN 202 or two years of Japanese at the college level and are interested in acquiring practical knowledge and communication skills required to deal with real-life business situations. The focus of the course is oral/aural communication skills. In addition, students will read authentic essays and newspaper articles and will also compose a variety of documents that play an important role in running a business.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

JPN 447. Advance Conversation Through Japanese Theatrical Texts. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will develop conversational skills and acquire a better understanding of sociocultural dynamics by practicing Japanese performing arts, such as Rakugo (comic story telling), Manzai (standup comedy), voice-acting for animation of folk stories, and scenes from contemporary Japanese theater. Students will also develop independent study skills and communication skills in different social settings.
Prerequisite: JPN 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JPN 495. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 400-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
Modern Language and Literature

MLL 195. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Transfer credit at the 100 level for courses in languages not offered by the Department of Modern Languages and Literature.
Components: UNG.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MLL 295. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Transfer credit at the 200 level for courses in languages not offered by the Department of Modern Languages and Literature.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MLL 321. Topics in Comparative Literary Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Comparative and/or interdisciplinary topics in the study of literature. Specific topics vary; may be repeated for credit if topics differ. Taught in English
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLL 322. Topics in Comparative Cultural Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Cultural phenomena in various societies. Interdisciplinary analysis of the political dynamics of contemporary culture and its historical foundations with a focus on ideology, social class, nationality, ethnicity, sexuality and/or gender. Specific topics vary; may be repeated for credit if topics differ. Taught in English.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLL 325. World Cinema. 3 Credit Hours.
World cinema in a comparative perspective - national or international film movements and directors - based upon narrative film analysis. May be repeated for credit if topics vary.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLL 330. Comparative Topics in Gender and Sexuality. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics in gender and sexuality in a comparative perspective. May be repeated if topics vary. Taught in English.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLL 340. Migration Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics within the literary and/or cultural dimensions of migration in a comparative framework.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLL 345. Franco-Maghreb Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Major historical, social, cultural and literary issues related to the Franco-Maghrebian interface, in a comparative perspective. May be repeated if topics vary.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLL 360. The Caribbean through Literary and Cultural Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Literary and cultural readings on the Caribbean in comparative perspective. May be repeated if topics vary.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MLL 370. Studies in Literature, Culture, and Science. 3 Credit Hours.
An analysis, in a comparative or historical perspective, of the literary works that expose the deep interaction and mutual influence between literary or visual cultures and the sciences. Topics might include: Leonardo's genius; technology at the turn of the 20th-century; 20th-century wars, the science behind them and their representations; Vesalius's anatomical work and the philosophy and representation of the body in 16th-century Europe.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLL 394. MLL Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Internships are intended to provide students with an opportunity to apply analytical, creative, community and professional based knowledge developed in other courses. Internships can take place in the University or outside the University. They involve UM-faculty supervision as well as supervised on-site experience. Internships may not be supervised by a member of the student’s immediate family. One person may not serve as both the faculty sponsor and the onsite/UM experience supervisor. Students need to fill out the internship application form. MLL 394 counts as the course in English allowed in the target language concentration. Normally 27 internship hours are required per credit earned. (The on-site supervisor or faculty supervising the work experience done at UM will supply documentary evidence of hours worked to Faculty supervisor.) A maximum of three semester hours of internship credit may be counted toward the student's degree program. Permission of MLL faculty member is required.
Prerequisite: ARB 204 or CHI 203 or FRE 203 or GER 202 or ITA 202 or JPN 204 or POR 202 or SPA 203 or SPA 208.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.

MLL 395. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Transfer credit at the 300 level for courses in languages not offered by the Department of Modern Languages and Literature.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MLL 404. Language in Society. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of ideological, social, political, economic, and cultural issues of language in society, and the principle linguistic concepts and methodologies that guide research on those issues. Language variation, social dialectology, multilingualism, interaction and interpersonal communication, gender, language and power, language policy and planning, and globalization are highlighted. The main focus of the course (at least 80%) will be on non-English languages in particular, those taught in MLL.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MLL 410. Digital Literacy Through Cultural and Literary Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Digital research methods and tools applied to literary and cultural studies. The course works with texts as data and with many approaches available to collect, annotate process, analyze and interpret them. Concepts covered include but are not limited to textual corpus, semantic tagging, text mining, and topic modeling.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MLL 411. Cultures of the Digital: Pages, Screens, Platforms and 21st Century Aesthetics. 3 Credit Hours.
Communication technologies across national borders. Students will interrogate the ramifications of cross-platform and cross-cultural reading in the digital age and its literary, aesthetic and theoretical history. Texts will include works on electronic literature, print media, art and cinema from across the 20th and 21st century Americas.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MLL 495. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Transfer credit at the 400 level for courses in languages not offered by the Department of Modern Languages and Literature.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Portuguese

**POR 101. Elementary Portuguese I. 3 Credit Hours.**
Drill in pronunciation, fundamental grammatical principles, simple reading and translation, oral and written exercises. Normally, not open to students who have completed two years of Portuguese. Closed to native speakers.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

**POR 102. Elementary Portuguese II. 3 Credit Hours.**
Continuation of POR 101. Closed to native speakers.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

**POR 105. Beginning Portuguese for Spanish Speakers. 3 Credit Hours.**
The equivalent of one year of beginning-level college Portuguese, this course is specifically intended for students who have completed three or more years of high school Spanish or one year of Spanish at another university. Also intended for heritage and native speakers of Romance Languages, or students with one or more years of college study of Spanish, Italian, or French. Closed to native speakers of Portuguese.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**POR 106. Business Portuguese for Spanish Speakers. 3 Credit Hours.**
Designed for students interested in Business Administration, and will contain basic readings on Brazilian Economy and Politics, Business vocabulary, written activities such as email and short oral and written reports. Students will give oral presentations related to Brazilian companies and will interview two Brazilian businessmen/women from the local community. Students who have completed three or more years of high school Spanish or beginning Spanish at another institution. Also intended for heritage speakers of Romance Languages other than Portuguese, or students with at least three years of college study of Spanish, Italian or French. Closed to native speakers.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

**POR 195. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.**
Awarded for 100-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.

Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**POR 201. Intermediate Portuguese I. 3 Credit Hours.**
Prerequisite: POR 102 or POR 105.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**POR 202. Intermediate Portuguese II. 3 Credit Hours.**
Intensive preparation for 300-level work through various genres (portraits, descriptions, short stories, film reviews, magazines, a novel). Workshop format, the course also develops conversational skills. Students complete a number of written projects (including an analytic paper). Class conducted in Portuguese. Closed to native speakers.
Prerequisite: POR 201.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**POR 295. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.**
Awarded for 200-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.

Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
POR 301. Interpreting Literary and Cultural Texts in Portuguese. 3 Credit Hours.
Tools for the interpretation and analysis of literary and cultural materials from the Portuguese-speaking world. Acquisition of terminology and theories through the study of the main literary genres (prose, poetry, and drama) and a complementary genre of cultural analysis (e.g., film studies, cultural studies, etc.). Emphasis on critical writing skills. Closed to native speakers formally educated in Portuguese.
Prerequisite: POR 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POR 310. Brazilian Women Writers in Translation. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected contemporary Brazilian women writers. Conducted in English. Emphasis on representations of nationality, race, class, ethnicity, gender, and sexuality. May be used to fulfill the humanities literature requirement.
Prerequisite: ENG 106.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POR 321. Studies in Luso-Brazilian Literary Themes. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of literature through thematic readings. May be repeated for credit if topics vary.
Prerequisite: POR 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

POR 322. Topics in Luso-Brazilian Cultures. 3 Credit Hours.
Cultural issues in the Portuguese-speaking world. Topics include media, religion, language in society, popular and mass culture, the arts, immigration, social movements, race, ethnicity, and gender. May be repeated for credit if topics vary.
Prerequisite: POR 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

POR 353. Brazilian Poetry. 3 Credit Hours.
Brazilian poetry from colonial times to the present. Emphasis on major figures. Taught in Portuguese. Humanities literature credit.
Prerequisite: POR 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POR 354. The Modern Brazilian Novel. 3 Credit Hours.
The Brazilian novel since 1865. Emphasis on major works. Conducted in Portuguese. POR minors must complete all written assignments in Portuguese. Others may opt to write in English, Portuguese, or Spanish. Fulfills humanities literature requirement.
Prerequisite: POR 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POR 363. Contemporary Luso-Brazilian Film. 3 Credit Hours.
Portuguese, Brazilian, and Lusophone African cinema from the 1950s to the present. POR minors must complete all written assignments in Portuguese; Others may opt to write in English, Portuguese, or Spanish. Conducted in Portuguese. Fulfills Humanities literature requirement.
Prerequisite: POR 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POR 364. The Brazilian Short Story. 3 Credit Hours.
The Brazilian short story since 1890. Conducted in Portuguese. POR minors must complete all written assignments in Portuguese. Others may opt to write in English, Portuguese, or Spanish. Fulfills Humanities literature requirement.
Prerequisite: POR 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
POR 391. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual work on a topic not covered in the regular curriculum. May be repeated on a different topic.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POR 394. Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
The internship is an opportunity to apply analytical, interpretative, and creative skills developed in coursework. Internships ordinarily take place outside the University and they involve UM-faculty supervision, as well as supervised on-site experience in a Portuguese-speaking cultural, business, or not-for-profit organization. Students need to fill out the Internship Application Form. Normally 27 internship hours are required per credit earned. A maximum of three semester hours of internship credit may be counted toward the student’s degree program. Permission of MLL faculty member is required (the host will apply documentary evidence of the hours worked).
Prerequisite: POR 202.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

POR 395. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 300-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POR 396. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

POR 397. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

POR 398. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

POR 399. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

POR 495. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 400-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POR 591. Directed Readings in Portuguese. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings at the undergraduate level.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POR 592. Directed Readings in Portuguese. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings at the undergraduate level.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POR 593. Directed Readings in Portuguese. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings at the undergraduate level.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
Spanish

SPA 101. Elementary Spanish I. 3 Credit Hours.
For students with no background or previous study of Spanish. The focus of SPA 101 is the development of communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehension of Spanish and an introduction to the cultural practices of the Spanish-speaking world. Themes on: university life, family, leisure activities, and professions. Includes both oral and written assignments of grammatical structures and vocabulary introduced, informal and formal writing. Conducted entirely in Spanish. Not open to students who have completed 2 or more years of high school Spanish. Closed to heritage and native speakers of Spanish.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 102. Elementary Spanish II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of SPA 101. The development of communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehension of Spanish and an introduction to the cultural practices of the Spanish-speaking world. Themes on: childhood and adolescence, university life, home and community, food and lifestyle, and environmental issues. Includes both oral and written assessments of grammatical structure and vocabulary introduced, informal and formal writing. Conducted entirely in Spanish.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 105. Accelerated Elementary Spanish. 3 Credit Hours.
For students with previous study of Spanish needing to review material covered in SPA 101 and 102 in preparation for continued study of Spanish at the intermediate level. The focus of SPA 105 is the continued development of communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehension of Spanish and an introduction to the cultural practices of the Spanish-speaking world. Themes on: university life, family, leisure activities, and professions, childhood and adolescence, home and community, food and life-style, and environmental issues. Includes both oral and written assessments of grammatical structures and vocabulary introduced, informal and formal writing. Conducted entirely in Spanish.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SPA 107. Basic Spanish for Heritage Learners. 3 Credit Hours.
Designed for students with little or no prior instruction in Spanish who, because of family background or social experience, can understand some casual spoken Spanish and have a passive knowledge of the language, but do not speak the language themselves. Focus on developing basic speaking, reading, and writing abilities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 195. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 100-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 201. Intermediate Spanish I. 3 Credit Hours.
For students with previous study of Elementary-level Spanish. The focus of SPA 201 is the continued development of communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing and comprehension of Spanish and as an introduction to the cultural practices, family values, and social and environmental issues. Includes both oral and written assessments of grammatical structures and vocabulary introduced, informal and formal writing. Conducted entirely in Spanish.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 202. Intermediate Spanish II. 3 Credit Hours.
For students with previous study of Spanish at the intermediate level. SPA 202 focuses on the continued development of critical skills in reading, writing, speaking and listening in Spanish with special emphasis on the cultural diversity of the Spanish-speaking world. Themes on: relationships, cultural values, different historical perspectives, and current politics explored through articles, films, and literary texts. The course will develop writing and reading strategies, providing students with the tools to think, read, and write critically and analytically in papers of 1-3 pages. Progress will also be assessed through quizzes and exams. Course conducted entirely in Spanish.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
SPA 203. Advanced Spanish. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of SPA 202. This course prepares students for advanced literature, linguistics, and culture courses. The class will use films, literary works, and other cultural texts. Students will write analytic essays of 3-5 pages to develop style, vocabulary, and syntax.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SPA 207. Intermediate Spanish for Heritage Learners. 3 Credit Hours.
Designed for students with some prior instruction in Spanish who, because of family background or social experience, can understand casual spoken Spanish and have some functional communication abilities in the language. Focus on developing basic speaking, reading, and writing abilities.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 208. Advanced Spanish for Heritage Learners. 3 Credit Hours.
Designed for those students who, because of family background or social experience and prior instruction in Spanish, possess functional communication abilities in the language. Focus is on developing formal speaking, reading and writing abilities. Counts towards the major and minor in Spanish.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 280. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 200 level study abroad course led by UM faculty.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

SPA 295. Transfer credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 200-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.

Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.

SPA 301. Interpreting Literary and Cultural Texts in Spanish. 3 Credit Hours.
Sixth semester of college Spanish. Tools for the interpretation and analysis of literary and cultural materials from the Spanish-speaking world. Acquisition of terminology and theories through the study of the main literary genres (prose, poetry, and drama) and a complementary genre of cultural analysis (e.g. film studies, cultural studies, etc.). Emphasis on critical writing skills. Closed to heritage/native speakers. Students may not receive credit for both SPA 301 and SPA 307 (formerly 343). The course is taught in Spanish.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SPA 302. The Culture of Spain. 3 Credit Hours.
Historical survey of the arts, science, letters, and political and social institutions in Spain.
Prerequisite: SPA 203 OR SPA 208.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 303. The Cultures of Spanish America. 3 Credit Hours.
Historical survey of the arts, letters, science, and political and social institutions in Spanish-speaking Americas.
Prerequisite: SPA 203 OR SPA 208.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 307. Interpreting Literary and Cultural Texts in Spanish for Heritage/Native Speakers. 3 Credit Hours.
Tools for the interpretation and analysis of literary and cultural materials from the Spanish-speaking world. Acquisition of terminology and theories through the study of the main literary genres (prose, poetry, and drama) and a complementary genre of cultural analysis (e.g., film studies, cultural studies, etc.). Emphasis on critical writing skills. Special attention to characteristics of heritage/native speaker expression. Students may not receive credit for both 301 and 307 – or formerly 343.
Prerequisite: SPA 208.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
SPA 310. Topics in Spanish and Spanish American Studies in Translation. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics in the literatures and/or cultures of the Spanish-speaking world. Readings and discussion in English. Development of critical reading and writing skills. Fulfills humanities literature requirement. Does not fulfill foreign language requirement. Maybe be repeated when the topic varies. Maybe used toward the Spanish major in accordance with Department of Modern Languages and Literature stipulations. Prequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.

**Components:** SEM.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 318. Cinema from the Spanish-Speaking World in Translation. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics in the cinema of the Spanish-speaking world. Analysis of films in their cultural context. This course is taught in English and does not fulfill the CAS foreign language requirement. Maybe be repeated for credit if topics vary. Prequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 321. Introduction to Literary Themes. 3 Credit Hours.
Hispanic literatures through thematic readings. Topics may include Modernismo and Cosmopolitismo, the "Boom" of Latin American narrative, Spanish vanguard poetry, and others. May be repeated for credit if topics vary. Prequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.

**Components:** SEM.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

SPA 322. Cultural Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Issues related to the cultures in the Spanish-speaking world. Topics may include film, journalism, religion, language in society, popular and mass culture, visual arts, immigration, slavery, mestizaje. May be repeated for credit if topics vary. Prequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.

**Components:** SEM.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 325. Topics in Spanish-Language Cinema. 3 Credit Hours.
Cinema of the Spanish-speaking world. Analysis of films in their cultural context. May be repeated for credit if topics vary. Prequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 330. Topics in Gender and Sexuality. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of gender and sexuality as developed in the Hispanic context. May be repeated if topics vary. Prequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 340. Migration Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics within the literary and/or cultural dimensions of migration in the Spanish-speaking world. Prequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 353. Colonial Spanish American Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics within Latin American literatures and cultures from the colonial centuries. May be repeated for credit if topics vary. Prequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.
SPA 354. 19th-Century Spanish American Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics within Latin American literature and cultures from independence to the end of the nineteenth century. May be repeated for credit if topics vary.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 355. Studies in 20th and 21st Century Latin American Literatures and Cultures. 3 Credit Hours.
Latin American literature and cultures from the beginning of the 20th century to the present. May be used to fulfill the humanities literature requirement.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 360. The Caribbean through Literary Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of the Spanish Caribbean through literary and cultural studies. May be repeated if topics vary.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

SPA 362. Caribbean Cultural Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Cultural Topics within the Spanish-speaking Caribbean. May be repeated for credit when topics vary.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 363. Medieval and Early Modern Peninsular Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics within Spanish peninsular literature and cultures from the earliest literary forms through the seventeenth century. May be repeated for credit if topics vary.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 364. 18th and 19th Century Peninsular Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics within Spanish peninsular literatures and cultures from the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries. May be repeated for credit if topics vary.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 365. Studies in 20th and 21st Century Spanish Literatures and Cultures. 3 Credit Hours.
Spanish peninsular literatures and cultures from the twentieth century to the present. May be used to fulfill the humanities literature requirement.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SPA 394. Spanish Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The internship is an opportunity to apply analytical, interpretative, and creative skills developed in coursework. Internships ordinarily take place outside the University and they involve UM–faculty supervision, as well as supervised on-site experience in a Spanish-speaking cultural, business, or not-for-profit organization. Students need to fill out the Internship Application Form. Normally 27 internship hours are required per credit earned. A maximum of three semester hours of internship credit may be counted toward the student’s degree program. Permission of MLL faculty member is required (the host will apply documentary evidence of the hours worked).
Prerequisite: SPA 203 OR SPA 208.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 395. Transfer credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 300-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
SPA 396. Transfer credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

SPA 397. Transfer credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

SPA 398. Transfer credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

SPA 399. Transfer credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

SPA 401. Introduction to Hispanic Linguistics. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey of principal areas of inquiry in Hispanic linguistics, including phonetics/phonology, morphology, syntax, pragmatics, historical, social and dialectal variations.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 402. Spanish Second Language Acquisition. 3 Credit Hours.
The linguistic contrast between Spanish and English and the pedagogical and practical implications of understanding language, especially grammar, from a foreign/second language perspective.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 410. Digital Literacy Through Cultural and Literary Topics in Spanish. 3 Credit Hours.
Digital research methods and tools applied to literary and cultural studies in Spanish. The course looks at major texts in Spanish as data, and with many approaches available to collect, annotate, process, analyze and interpret them. Concepts covered include but are not limited to textual corpus, semantic tagging, text mining, and topic modeling.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SPA 422. Topics in Hispanic Linguistics. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in the study of Hispanic linguistics. Possibilities include phonetics/phonology, pragmatics/discourse analysis, sociolinguistics, sociocultural theory, bilingualism.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 432. Business Ethics and Cultural Debates in Spanish. 3 Credit Hours.
Commercial vocabulary, economic, technical, and diplomatic terminology in Spanish. Composition based on models of business correspondence directed to Spanish-speaking countries or firms.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
SPA 433. Medical, Cultural and Bioethical Debates in Spanish. 3 Credit Hours.
Medical vocabulary, technical and practical terminology in Spanish. Composition based on models of the documents, letters, medical history cases required in health care professions.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 434. Legal and Cultural Debates in the Spanish-Speaking World. 3 Credit Hours.
Legal vocabulary, technical and practical terminology in Spanish. Composition based on models of documents, letters and case histories required in legal professions.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 440. Phonetics. 3 Credit Hours.
Spanish pronunciation based on phonetics. Exercises in diction and phonetic transcription. Attention to individual difficulties. Conducted in Spanish.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 442. Stylistics and Composition. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 444. Introduction to Translation. 3 Credit Hours.
Problems in translation: Spanish to English; English to Spanish.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 446. Cultural Debates: Public Speaking on Societal Issues. 3 Credit Hours.
Intensive training in public speaking in Spanish for academic or professional settings. In-class debates and presentations based on readings about controversies or critical issues within the Spanish-speaking world.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 495. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 400-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.

SPA 501. Capstone. 3 Credit Hours.
Course with a broad-based topic designed to integrate all the high-level linguistic, critical and analytical skills with the body of knowledge acquired during the course of study towards the major. Topics vary. Open only to undergraduates completing their Spanish major. To be taken in the last semester of the major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SPA 591. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings at the undergraduate level.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
SPA 592. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours. 
Directed Readings at the undergraduate level. 
Components: THI. 
Grading: GRD. 
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only. 

SPA 593. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours. 
Directed Readings at the undergraduate level. 
Components: LEC. 
Grading: GRD. 
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only. 

SPA 594. Senior Honors Thesis I. 3 Credit Hours. 
Directed research for honors thesis. 
Components: THI. 
Grading: GRD. 
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring. 

SPA 595. Senior Honors Thesis II. 3 Credit Hours. 
Directed writing of honors thesis. 
Components: THI. 
Grading: GRD. 
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring. 

B.A. in French

Goals of the Major

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Students completing a major in a modern language are encouraged to study abroad. The Department and Study Abroad sponsor a semester-long study abroad program in Paris (JParis) for students of all majors and minors and all levels of ability in the French language; French majors and minors are especially encouraged to apply. For more information, please click here. The Study Abroad Office (in Dooley Memorial Classroom, Building 1111, Memorial Drive, Suite 125) sponsors programs for Chinese, French, German, Italian, Japanese, Portuguese, and Spanish. It is also possible to fulfill some Arts and Sciences distribution requirements abroad. In order to take full advantage of study abroad, students should visit Study Abroad early in their university careers, discuss course equivalencies with the Study Abroad Advisor for their chosen languages (contact the Department office for names and office hours), and consult with their major advisors. Credit hour toward the major for courses taken abroad will be determined on an individual basis.

Students with transfer credit hours must take at least 18 graded credit hours at or above the 300-level at the University of Miami; i.e., up to 6 credit hours may be transferred towards the French major from another institution or a study abroad program not administered by UM. Up to 12 credit hours taken abroad in a UM-administered program may count towards the major.

Capstone Courses

The final course in the major is the capstone course (501) which must be taken in residence. This course will:

• Integrate the various skills acquired during the course of study (linguistic, analytical, knowledge-based);
• Incorporate interpretive as well as presentational modes of communication;
• Contain an over-arching and cohesive theme;
• Include an element of collaboration among students.
It will constitute a moment of recapitulation of, synthesis, and reflection on a student’s experience in the major as well as a bridge towards graduate-level studies, should s/he decide to pursue them.

Of the 24 credit hours required for the major, a minimum of 12 credit hours must be earned in courses taught by MLL faculty (whether on campus or in faculty-led study-abroad programs). Since we encourage students to study abroad in UM-sponsored programs, up to 12 credit hours from these programs may be applied toward the major. Up to 6 transfer credit hours from other institutions may count toward the major; whether these are credit hours transferred from another U.S. institution or from non-UM study abroad programs, transferred credit hours must be granted UM equivalency in order to be eligible to count toward the major. Please note, however, that the total number of combined UM study-abroad (exclusive of MLL faculty-led programs) and transfer credit hours shall not exceed 12 credit hours.

For example:

- A student may use 3 transfer credit hours with UM equivalency and 9 credit hours from a UM-sponsored study abroad program toward fulfillment of the major; the remaining 12 credit hours must be earned in courses taught by MLL faculty.
- A student may use 6 transfer credit hours with UM equivalency and 6 credit hours from a UM-sponsored study abroad program toward fulfillment of the major; the remaining 12 credit hours must be earned in courses taught by MLL faculty.
- A student may use 12 credit hours from a UM-administered study-abroad program not led by MLL faculty and 12 credit hours in courses taught by MLL faculty to fulfill the major.

Exceptions to this 12 credit hours rule may be made in cases where a student will participate in a UM-administered study-abroad program for a full academic year.

### Curriculum Requirements

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1. In consultation with their FRE advisor students can have up to 1 course (3 credits) from among the MLL courses or FRE courses taught in English (numbered 310-319) count toward their major.
2. Students satisfy this requirement by the time they start the major with FRE 202.
3. If the student has a minor (or second major) that counts as “People & Society”, the student does not need to satisfy the requirement for a People & Society cognate.
If the student has a minor (or second major) that counts as "STEM", the student does not need to satisfy the requirement for a STEM cognate. This requirement is waived if the STEM cognate includes a Natural Science course from the approved list.

Students satisfy this requirement by taking four writing courses, at least one of which must be in one of the student's major disciplines. Since all FRE courses above 203/208 are designated as writing (WRIT) courses, all French majors satisfy this requirement by completing their major.

A minimum of 120 credits is required for graduation. Sufficient credits must be earned in electives to enable the student to complete this minimum of 120 credits. The exact number of elective credits required will vary depending on the number of credits needed to complete all other graduation requirements.

## Suggested Plan of Study

These Suggested Plans of Study are samples of four-year plans, but an individual student's actual plan is likely to vary from these sample plans in a number of ways, depending on such factors as (1) AP, dual-enrollment, and transfer credits that a student brings in; (2) the student's initial placement in composition, mathematics, and French; and (3) the minor chosen by the student, as well as any additional minor or major the student chooses to complete. For example, a student is not required to complete a cognate in People & Society if the student has a minor (or second major) that counts as "People & Society," and similarly, a student is not required to complete a cognate in STEM if the student has a minor (or second major) that counts as "STEM."

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| Elective            | 3               |

**Credit Hours**

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**Year Four**

**Fall**

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| Elective | 3               |
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**Credit Hours**

| 15              |

**Spring**

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| FRE 446 | Debating Cultures and Societies in French                         |

| Credit Hours | 15               |

**Total Credit Hours**

| 120            |

For students starting the major with FRE 202

**Year One**

**Fall**

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People and Society Cognate Course

| 3                           |

| ENG 105 | English Composition I                                               |

| Elective | 3               |

| Elective | 3               |

**Credit Hours**

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People and Society Cognate Course

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| Credit Hours | 15               |

| Total Credit Hours | 120              |
## Elective Credit Hours

### Year Two

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### Goals

- To acquire a broad, structured knowledge of history, literature and culture in the French language.
- To develop analytical, critical, and communication skills.
- To attain information and communication technology literacy needed in an increasingly complex and globalized society.
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### Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will develop oral communicative abilities in French by the time they complete their major.
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requirements towards the major (SPA 353, SPA 354, SPA 363, or SPA 364). Only one professional Spanish course (SPA 432, SPA 433, SPA 434) will count towards the Spanish major, although students are free to take more than one.

Capstone Courses
The final course in the major is the capstone course (501) which must be taken in residence. This course will:

- Integrate the various skills acquired during the course of study (linguistic, analytical, knowledge-based);
- Incorporate interpretive as well as presentational modes of communication;
- Contain an over-arching and cohesive theme;
- Include an element of collaboration among students.

It will constitute a moment of recapitulation, synthesis, and reflection on a student’s experience in the major as well as a bridge towards graduate-level studies, should s/he decide to pursue them.

Study Abroad
Students completing a major in a modern language are encouraged to study abroad. The Department offers a faculty-led study abroad summer program in Spain. The Study Abroad Office (in Dooly Memorial Classroom, Building 1111, Memorial Drive, Suite 125) sponsors programs for Chinese, French, German, Italian, Japanese, Portuguese, and Spanish. It is also possible to fulfill some Arts and Sciences distribution requirements abroad. In order to take full advantage of these opportunities, students should visit Study Abroad early in their university careers, discuss course equivalencies with the Study Abroad Advisor for their chosen languages (contact the Department office for names and office hours), and consult with their major advisors. Credit hours toward the major for courses taken abroad will be determined on an individual basis.

Of the 24 credit hours required for the major, a minimum of 12 graded credit hours must be earned in courses taught by MLL faculty (whether on campus or in faculty-led study-abroad programs). Since we encourage students to study abroad in UM-sponsored programs, up to 12 graded credit hours from these programs may be applied toward the major. As stated above, up to 6 transfer credit hours from other institutions may count toward the major. Whether these are credit hours transferred from another U.S. institution or from non-UM study abroad programs, transferred credit hours must be granted UM equivalency in order to be eligible to count toward the major. Please note, however, that the total number of combined UM study-abroad (exclusive of MLL faculty-led programs) and transfer credit hours shall not exceed 12 credit hours.

For example:

- A student may use 3 transfer credit hours with UM equivalency and 9 graded credit hours from a UM-sponsored study abroad program toward fulfillment of the major; the remaining 12 graded credit hours must be earned in courses taught by MLL faculty.
- A student may use 6 transfer credit hours with UM equivalency and 6 graded credit hours from a UM-sponsored study abroad program toward fulfillment of the major; the remaining 12 graded credit hours must be earned in courses taught by MLL faculty.
- A student may use 12 graded credit hours from a UM-administered study-abroad program not led by MLL faculty and 12 graded credit hours in courses taught by MLL faculty to fulfill the major.

Exceptions to this 12 credit hours rule may be made in cases where a student will participate in a UM-administered study-abroad program for a full academic year.

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1 In consultation with their MLL advisor, students can have up to 1 course (3 credits) from among the MLL courses or the SPA courses taught in English (numbered 310-319) count toward their Spanish major.

2 Only one professional Spanish course (SPA 432, 433, 434) will count towards the Spanish major, although students are free to take all three.

3 Students satisfy this requirement by the time they start the major with SPA 203.

4 If the student has a minor (or second major) that counts as "People & Society", the student does not need to satisfy the requirement for a People & Society cognate.

5 If the student has a minor (or second major) that counts as "STEM", the student does not need to satisfy the requirement for a STEM cognate.

6 This requirement is waived if the STEM cognate includes a Natural Science course from the approved list.

7 Students satisfy this requirement by taking four writing courses, at least one of which must be in one of the student’s major disciplines, since all SPA courses above 203/208 are designated as writing (WRIT) courses, all Spanish majors satisfy this requirement by completing their major.

8 A minimum of 120 credits is required for graduation. Sufficient credits must be earned in electives to enable the student to complete this minimum of 120 credits. The exact number of elective credits required will vary depending on the number of credits needed to complete all other graduation requirements.

### Suggested Plan - Starting the major with SPA 101

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The Suggested Plans of Study are samples of four-year plans, but an individual student's actual plan is likely to vary from these sample plans in a number of ways, depending on such factors as (1) AP, dual-enrollment, and transfer credits that a student brings in; (2) the student's initial placement in composition, mathematics, and Spanish; and (3) the minor chosen by the student, as well as any additional minor or major the student chooses to complete. For example, a student is not required to complete a cognate in People & Society if the student has a minor (or second major) that counts as "People & Society," and similarly, a student is not required to complete a cognate in STEM if the student has a minor (or second major) that counts as "STEM."
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**Suggested Plan - Starting the major with SPA 203 or 208**

### Year One

#### Fall

| SPA 203 or 208 | Advanced Spanish ² or Advanced Spanish for Heritage Learners | 3 |
| ENG 105 | English Composition I | 3 |
| People and Society Cognate Course | | 3 |
| elective | | 3 |
| elective | | 3 |
| credit hours | | 15 |

#### Spring

Choose one of the following: ²

| SPA 301 or 307 | Interpreting Literary and Cultural Texts in Spanish or Interpreting Literary and Cultural Texts in Spanish for Heritage/Native Speakers | 3 |
| SPA 302 or 303 | The Culture of Spain ⁴ or The Cultures of Spanish America | 3 |
| MTH 108 | Precalculus Mathematics II | 3 |
| ENG 106 | English Composition II | 3 |
| People and Society Cognate Course | | 3 |
| elective | | 3 |
| credit hours | | 15 |

### Year Two

#### Fall

Choose one of the following:

| SPA 301 or 307 | Interpreting Literary and Cultural Texts in Spanish or Interpreting Literary and Cultural Texts in Spanish for Heritage/Native Speakers | 3 |
| SPA 302 or 303 | The Culture of Spain or The Cultures of Spanish America | 3 |
| STEM Cognate Course | | 3 |
| People and Society Cognate Course | | 3 |
| Minor | | 3 |
| elective | | 3 |
| credit hours | | 15 |

#### Spring

| SPA 322 | Cultural Topics ³ | 3 |
| STEM Cognate Course | | 3 |
| elective | | 3 |
| elective | | 3 |
### Year Three
#### Fall
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#### Total Credit Hours 120

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1. Ideally through Faculty Led Study Abroad
2. Also satisfies Writing Credit.
3. Or any other 300 level SPA course also satisfies Writing Credit.
4. Students can opt to take SPA 302 and SPA 442 in Santander, Spain during the summer.

**Mission**

The Department of Modern Languages and Literatures seeks to promote global literacy. All majors (French, German, Spanish) in the department are articulated through the notion of global literacy. In its undergraduate programs, the MLL Department’s mission is to provide rigorous instruction, speaker series, study abroad, research and service-learning opportunities allowing students to gain the advanced linguistic, literary and cultural competence needed as we strive to develop future leaders of our nation and the world. Through our courses and co-curricular activities, students acquire a broad, structured knowledge of history, literature and culture in the target language; they develop analytical, critical, and communication skills; and they attain information and communication technology literacy needed in an increasingly complex and globalized society. Finally, they acquire intercultural competence and learn to view themselves through the lens of another language and culture.
Minor in Arabic Studies

Goals

• To acquire a broad, structured knowledge of history, literature and culture in the Spanish language.
• To develop analytical, critical, and communication skills.
• To attain information and communication technology literacy needed in an increasingly complex and globalized society.
• To acquire intercultural competence and learn to view themselves through the lens of another language and culture.

Student Learning Outcomes

• Students will develop oral communicative abilities in Spanish by the time they complete their major.
• Students will develop written communicative abilities in Spanish.
• Students will learn to reflect and critically think about language, literature, and culture, history, and politics of different societies by studying texts written in Spanish and writing about them.

Minor in Arabic Studies

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1 Arabic Studies courses are taught in English.

* A minor in Arabic Studies consists of a minimum of 15 credit hours, passed with a "C" or higher.

** Up to 9 credit hours taken abroad in an Arabic-speaking country are eligible to fulfill the requirements for the minor. Up to 6 transfer credit hours from an accredited university or 4-year college in another region of the world are eligible to fulfill the requirements for the minor. In all cases, whether the credit hours are from a UM-affiliated study abroad program or transfer credit hours from any institution, the credit hours' UM equivalency, if any, will be determined by the UM Arabic Studies Program Director; ARB 310 must be taken within the Department of Modern Languages and Literatures at UM; and the student must fulfill the distribution of requirements and other criteria stipulated above.
If a student has studied Modern Standard Arabic (fusha) in another setting (e.g., a high school foreign language program or schooling in an Arab country), she/he may request a proficiency evaluation from the Program Director. If the student's Modern Standard Arabic is equivalent to, or beyond, the Intermediate level, the student may be exempted from the requirement to earn 3 credit hours in a 200-level Arabic language course; however, the student will still be required to take at least 9 credit hours of ARB courses and a total of 15 credit hours, as stipulated above, to complete the minor.

Minor in French

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At least 3 credit hours at 300 and/or 400 level

Minimum of 6 graded credit hours from UM faculty

Maximum of 3 transfer credit hours

Study abroad participation in UParis recommended

Total Credit Hours 12

* Students must earn a grade of C- or higher in every course counting toward the minor, and maintain a minimum overall average of 2.5 in the minor.

1 Students who begin their minor in FRE 202 will do 6 credits at the 200-level. Students who begin their minor in FRE 203 will do 3 credits at the 200-level.

2 Students who begin their French minor in FRE 301 will do 12 credits towards their minor at the 300-level. Students may count FRE 310 toward the minor no more than 1 time (3 credits).

3 3 credit hours may be transferred from another institution or from a study-abroad program not administered by UM.

Minor in German

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At least 9 credit hours at 300 and/or 400 level

Minimum of 6 graded credit hours from UM faculty

Maximum of 3 transfer credit hours

Total Credit Hours 12

* Students must earn a grade of C- or higher in every course counting toward the minor, and maintain a minimum overall average of 2.5 in the minor.

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Minor in Italian

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At least 9 credit hours at 300 and/or 400 level

Minimum of 6 graded credit hours from UM faculty

Maximum of 3 transfer credit hours

Total Credit Hours 12

* Students must earn a grade of C- or higher in every course counting toward the minor, and maintain a minimum overall average of 2.5 in the minor.

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* Only one course in English with a topic in Italian may count towards the minor.
Minor in Portuguese

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* All courses towards the minor in Portuguese must be taught in the target language.
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Total Credit Hours: 12

* Students must earn a grade of C- or higher in every course counting toward the minor, and maintain a minimum overall average of 2.5 in the minor.
* All courses towards the minor in Spanish must be taught in the target language.
* 3 credit hours may be transferred from another institution or from a study-abroad program not administered by UM.

Minor in Two Modern Languages

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Total Credit Hours: 24

* For example, POR 201, POR 202, POR 301 and POR 321 along with SPA 101, SPA 102, SPA 201 and SPA 202 would constitute a Minor in Two Modern Languages; so would CHI 202, CHI 203, CHI 204 and CHI 310 along with FRE 101, FRE 102, FRE 201 and FRE 202. Many other combinations are possible. Please consult with the language and program advisors.
** This minor must include 6 graded credit hours per language from the University of Miami.
*** Students must earn a grade of C- or higher in every course counting toward the minor, and maintain a minimum overall average of 2.5 in the minor.
**** One course in English (numbered 310 through 319) may count towards the Minor in Two Modern Languages with the approval of the language and program advisor.
***** When Arabic, Chinese or Japanese are the primary language, 204 courses may count as one of the two 300-level courses.
****** Completing the Minor in Two Modern Languages will fulfill the foreign language requirement.

Neuroscience

neuroscience.as.miami.edu
Introduction

Neuroscience is the study of the nervous system (i.e., the brain, spinal cord, and peripheral nerves), the mechanisms of behavior, and the nature of mind and consciousness. The Neuroscience Program is a rigorous, interdisciplinary program between the Department of Psychology (http://www.psy.miami.edu/), the Department of Biology, and the Miller School of Medicine. The neuroscience major provides a broad-based liberal arts background that can be applied to a variety of career fields. It is also excellent preparation for medical school or graduate study in neuroscience, psychology, biology or behavioral medicine.

Educational Objectives

The neuroscience major seeks to provide students with exposure to and a fundamental understanding of the neural and bio behavioral sciences by delivering an integrative educational experience and promoting interactions among faculty, graduate students, and undergraduate students in basic scientific inquiry, advising, and mentoring.

Degree Programs

All neuroscience majors are required to pursue a Bachelor of Science (B.S.) degree.

Departmental Honors

Students can earn Departmental Honors in Neuroscience by demonstrating excellence in their coursework and completing a Senior Honors Thesis in Neuroscience.

1. Excellence in Coursework – A minimum 3.3 combined GPA and a minimum 3.5 neuroscience GPA is required.
2. Senior Honors Thesis in Neuroscience – This is an independent empirical research project that is completed across two semesters (i.e., NEU 580 and NEU 581) under the supervision of a faculty mentor in the Neuroscience Program. At least one year of prior research experience with the faculty mentor is highly recommended. Written approval from the faculty mentor and the Director of Undergraduate Academic Services in the Department of Psychology is also required.

NEU 100. Introduction to Neuroscience (EXP). 3 Credit Hours.
Students examine the basic aspects of neuroscience research, specifically targeting neurological disorders. Tools and techniques used in the area of neuroscience such as biochemistry, molecular biology, electrophysiology, light and electron microscopy, confocal microscopy, and image analysis will be addressed. Discussions will also include topics in lab diagnostic techniques as well as state of the art instrumentation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NEU 190. Faculty Overview of Research and Undergraduate Mentoring (FORUM). 1 Credit Hour.
Critical discussion of research reports in neuroscience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NEU 200. Introduction to Psychiatry (EXP). 3 Credit Hours.
The course will cover basic aspects of Psychiatry and behavioral sciences. We will emphasize the impact of evidence-based findings on the diagnosis, etiology, management and treatment of all major psychiatric disorders. Concepts such as history of psychiatry, evolution of the psychiatric nomenclature, childhood and adult development, brain circuitry, neurotransmitters, psychotherapies and pharmacological mechanisms of most commonly used medications will be discussed. We will utilize lectures, small group discussions as well as videos and live patient interviews. Students will be able to observe a patient interview by a faculty.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

NEU 280. Introduction to Research Projects I. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students assist on a research project in neuroscience under supervision of a faculty member. Activities include library research, data collection and management, and attendance at research team meetings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
NEU 342. Neural Mechanisms of Disease. 3 Credit Hours.
Cellular and molecular mechanisms underlying nervous system dysfunction and mental illness. Biological bases, including clinical and therapeutic aspects, of specific neurological disorders.
Prerequisite: BIL 268 or PSY 220 or PSY 425.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

NEU 380. Introduction to Research Projects II. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students assist on a research project in neuroscience under supervision of a faculty member. Activities include library research, data collection and management, and attendance at research team meetings.
Prerequisite: PSY 291 or PSY 292. Requisite: UASP and Faculty Permission, 2.5 NEU GPA.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NEU 400. Neurogenetics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the role of genetics/epigenetics in the development of neurological diseases in humans. The availability of the complete human genome sequence and a compendium of genetic variants distributed throughout the human genome in a readily accessible database, together with genetic modification technologies have greatly accelerated the discovery of genes involved in disease. We will discuss how genetic or epigenetic variations can affect the nervous system, leading to a range of genetic disorders. Examples from single-gene recessive defects to complex diseases will be presented. Methods to identify genes involved in disease as well as pathogenesis studies and therapeutic approaches will also be discussed. Lastly, an introduction to the ethical challenges of obtaining and dealing with human genetic information will be presented.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NEU 403. Neuroscience laboratory. 4 Credit Hours.
Research methods and laboratory experiments in contemporary neuroscience from individual cells to behavior. Scientific report writing and computer applications in experimental design and analysis.
Prerequisite: PSY 390, BIL 268 or PSY 425. Or Corequisite: PSY 425. Requisite: Senior Status.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

NEU 440. Neural Mechanisms of Psychiatric Disorders. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of different neuropsychiatric disorders including, but not limited to, schizophrenia, depression, post-traumatic stress disorder, drug dependence and abuse, and obsessive-compulsive disorders. Lectures are derived from current research articles looking at in depth mechanisms of these disorders. It is expected that students have a good understanding of neuroscience before registering for this course. This course will include active learning and grades are based upon two projects including writing a script and creating a short video that highlights drugs and other treatments used for these disorders and preparing a poster based upon a published article and presenting it to the class in a poster session format. In addition, there will be two exams designed to test the student’s knowledge of the material presented in class and in the readings.
Prerequisite: BIL 268 or PSY 220 or PSY 425. and USAP Permission.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NEU 465. Cellular and Molecular Neuroscience. 3 Credit Hours.
Biophysical, biochemical, and structural features of nerve muscle and sensory cells. Basic cellular processes underlying function and development of nervous system.
Prerequisite: BIL 255, BIL 268 or PSY 220, and CHM 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

NEU 468. Developmental Neuroscience. 3 Credit Hours.
Cellular and molecular aspects of nervous system including neuronal differentiation.
Prerequisite: BIL 255, BIL 268 or PSY 220, and CHM 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
NEU 480. Research with Writing Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students assist on a research project in neuroscience under supervision of a faculty member. Activities include library research, data collection and management, and attendance at research team meetings.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NEU 580. Senior Honors in Neuroscience I. 3 Credit Hours.
Students work closely with a faculty member to design a unique research study and write a scientific paper to report on the results. Limited to undergraduate students only.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NEU 581. Senior Honors in Neuroscience II. 3 Credit Hours.
Students work closely with a faculty member to design a unique research study and write a scientific paper to report on the results. Limited to undergraduate students only.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

B.S. in Neuroscience

http://neuroscience.med.miami.edu/undergraduate-program

Overview

- Students must earn a minimum grade of C- in any course that is to count toward the neuroscience major.
- Students may repeat no more than two courses for the neuroscience major in which they received a D or an F.
- New freshmen and current students must have a minimum 1360 SAT, 30 ACT, or 3.5 combined, UM, and neuroscience GPA after 24 completed credit hours at UM to declare the neuroscience major. Note: At least 7 of these 24 credit hours must be in the BIL, CHM, or MTH courses required of the major and/or the degree.
- New transfer students must have a minimum 3.8 combined GPA to declare the neuroscience major, and at least 7 completed credit hours in the required BIL or CHM courses.
- Students are strongly advised not to continue with the neuroscience major if they have less than a 2.8 neuroscience GPA after 15 completed credit hours in the neuroscience major.
- Students must earn a minimum 2.6 neuroscience GPA and a minimum of 130 credits to graduate with the neuroscience major.

Notes

- There are limited seats in the neuroscience major so students may be required to join a waitlist before they are able to declare.
- Neuroscience majors are required to complete 130 total credit hours to complete their B.S. degree.
- The neuroscience major can only be declared as a first major for students who are enrolled in the College of Arts and Sciences.
- AP Credit for Statistics (i.e., PSY 292) cannot count toward the neuroscience major.
- Students who declare the neuroscience major after they transfer credit for PSY 292 or complete PSY 292 at UM can use PSY 292 as a substitute for PSY 291.

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**Auxiliary Courses**

CHM sequences:

Chemistry for the Biosciences:

- CHM 121 & CHM 113
- CHM 221 & CHM 205
- CHM 222 & CHM 206

Principles of Chemistry  
and Chemistry Laboratory I

Introduction to Structure and Dynamics  
and Chemical Dynamics Laboratory

Organic Reactions and Synthesis  
and Organic Reactions and Synthesis Laboratory

Select one of the following PHY sequences:

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College Physics:

- PHY 101 & PHY 106  
  College Physics I  
  and College Physics Laboratory I

- PHY 102 & PHY 108  
  College Physics II  
  and College Physics Laboratory II

University Physics:

- PHY 221  
  University Physics I  
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- PHY 222 & PHY 224  
  University Physics II  
  and University Physics II Lab

- PHY 223 & PHY 225  
  University Physics III  
  and University Physics III Lab

PRISM Physics:

- PHY 211 & PHY 106  
  University Physics I for PRISM  
  and College Physics Laboratory I

- PHY 212 & PHY 108  
  University Physics II for PRISM  
  and College Physics Laboratory II

ENG 105  
English Composition I  
3

ENG 106  
English Composition II  
3

Arts & Humanities Cognate  
9

People & Society Cognate  
9

Minor  
15-18

Mathematics  
3

Foreign Language in 200 level or above  
3

Electives  
6-9

Total Credit Hours  
130-137

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1. Note: NEU courses cannot double count for a BIL elective and another required course within the neuroscience major.

2. All neuroscience majors must complete a minor in Biochemistry, Chemistry, Computer Science, Engineering, Geological Sciences, Marine Science, Mathematics, Microbiology and Immunology, or Physics.

Neuroscience majors may not earn majors or minors in Biology or Psychology.

**Suggested Plan of Study**

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Mission

In accordance with the goals of the University of Miami, the mission of the interdisciplinary undergraduate neuroscience major is to acquire, advance, and disseminate knowledge within the neural and bio-behavioral sciences. In order to achieve these goals, the Neuroscience Program seeks a balance among several academic endeavors, including basic scientific research, applied research, undergraduate teaching, graduate teaching, professional training and development, and service to the community.

In pursuing these activities, the major seeks to attract and retain the highest quality faculty and students, foster respect for differences among people, nurture curiosity, and insist upon high standards of thought, study, and communication that should characterize the ethical, educated person.

Goals

The major seeks to provide undergraduate students with exposure to and a fundamental understanding of the neural and bio-behavioral sciences. It seeks to deliver an integrative educational experience by promoting interactions among faculty, graduate students, and undergraduate students in basic scientific inquiry, advising, mentoring, and community outreach.

Student Learning Outcomes

• Students will develop a fundamental knowledge base in neuroscience as a scientific discipline.
• Students will develop research and quantitative skills through core coursework and/or supervised laboratory experiences.
• Students will develop oral and written communication skills related to the science of neuroscience.

Philosophy

philosophy.as.miami.edu

Dept. Code: PHI

Introduction

The Philosophy Department offers a wide range of courses at the undergraduate level which cover every major area of philosophy as well as its history. Students can major or minor in the subject. In addition, the department sponsors two undergraduate philosophy organizations:

• the Philosophy Club, which is open to all UM undergraduates, and
• Phi Sigma Tau, a chapter of the National Honor Society in Philosophy.

Both groups afford students regular opportunities to meet, eat, and talk philosophy with each other and with graduate students and faculty in the department. All undergraduates who are interested in philosophy are welcome to participate in these philosophical events.

Educational Objectives

Philosophy is the study of the most basic moral, scientific, legal, aesthetic, religious, and metaphysical concepts and theories by which we understand ourselves and our universe. It is a reasoned pursuit of fundamental truths, a quest for understanding, a study of principles of conduct. It analyzes the basic assumptions and concepts of other disciplines and the norms that govern interpersonal relations and the acquisition of knowledge. It seeks to establish standards of evidence, to provide rational methods of resolving conflicts, and to create techniques for evaluating ideas and arguments. Philosophers are dedicated to developing the following abilities: reasoning clearly, distinguishing between good and bad arguments, thinking through complicated questions, and using reason in situations that are often governed by emotions. Studies have shown that philosophy majors do extremely well on standardized tests, and in careers that require analytical abilities such as the practice of law and software development. But irrespective of career choice, philosophy deepens one's sense of the meaning and varieties of human experience, and enhances self-knowledge, foresight, and sense of direction in life.

Degree Programs

The major in Philosophy leads to the degree of Bachelor of Arts. To satisfy the College of Arts and Sciences writing requirement in the discipline, students majoring in philosophy should take at least two (2) (properly approved writing and communication) philosophy courses.

Pre-Law Major and Minor Tracks

The Department offers major and minor tracks for students wishing to enhance their Pre-Law studies with relevant Philosophy coursework.
Pre-Med Major and Minor Tracks

The Department also offers major and minor tracks for students wishing to supplement their Pre-Med work with relevant Philosophy coursework.

Departmental Honors

A program of work toward graduation with Honors in Philosophy is available for qualified students. Interested students should consult the Departmental Director of Undergraduate Studies during their sophomore or junior years. Further information may be found under the section entitled HONORS PROGRAM.

Advance Writing and Communication Requirement

Philosophy degree candidates in the College of Arts and Sciences who matriculate under Bulletin 2015/2016 and forward must complete at least four writing courses, and at least one such course must have a course code starting with PHI.

Transfer students may use a maximum of two transfer courses towards the requirement. The following links to a table listing the courses that have approval as writing courses:

http://www.as.miami.edu/academics/undergraduate-studies/writing-courses/

These courses, and only these courses, can be used to fulfill the Writing & Communication proficiency requirement. This table will be updated regularly with further courses, as they are approved.

For requirements leading to the Master of Arts and Ph.D. degree (p. 1817), see the Bulletin of the Graduate School.

PHI 101. Introduction to Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
Problems concerning knowledge, mind, freedom, religion, and morality. Reading and discussion of primary sources.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PHI 103. Introduction to Philosophy through Markets and Morals. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to philosophy in a way that emphasizes its relevance to thinking about the economy. It will familiarize you with central texts in moral and political philosophy, and it will provide you with an opportunity to apply the tools of philosophical analysis and argumentation toward questions about the role of markets in contemporary life.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 104. Introduction to Philosophy and the Nature of Scientific Knowledge. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to philosophy in a way that emphasizes its relevance to thinking about the sciences. It will familiarize you with some historically important philosophical works about knowledge and reality, and it will provide you with an opportunity to apply the tools of philosophical analysis and argumentation toward questions about the nature and possibility of scientific knowledge.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 105. Introduction to Philosophy through the Brain and Behavioral Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to philosophy in a way that emphasizes its connections to the brain and behavioral sciences. It will familiarize you with traditional questions about knowledge, freedom, the self, society, and morality; it will introduce relevant work in the brain and behavioral sciences; and it will provide an opportunity to reflect on how the scientific advances might inform our thinking about the philosophical puzzles.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

PHI 106. Introduction to Philosophy and Health Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to philosophy in a way that emphasizes its relevance to thinking about the health sciences. It will provide you with tools for thinking about both metaphysical and moral issues raised by the health sciences. The metaphysical issues include: the nature of life, death, health, and disease. The moral issues include: patient autonomy, what makes death bad, abortion, euthanasia, experimentation, and the allocation of health care resources.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
PHI 107. Introduction to Philosophy and Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to philosophy in a way that emphasizes its relevance to thinking about the law and legal reasoning. It will familiarize you with traditional theories of moral obligation, social justice, free will, and responsibility. And it will provide an opportunity to explore the significance these theories have for addressing questions about the nature of law, our obligation to obey the law, rights, freedom, punishment, and liberty.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 108. Sexual Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to philosophy, focused on definitional, psychological, ethical and political issues relevant to sexual ethics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 109. The Superhuman Mind: An Introduction to Philosophy of Mind. 3 Credit Hours.
Cases of people who became geniuses by accident, human echolocation, lucid dreaming, synthetic telepathy used to move objects with the mind, and more, will be used to shed light on basic concepts in philosophy, such as the concept of mind, the concept of intelligence and the concept of human agency and human capacity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 110. Critical Thinking. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of sound reasoning; the construction and evaluation of arguments in everyday contexts and the assessment of evidence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PHI 111. Introduction to Philosophy Through Video Games. 3 Credit Hours.
Central philosophical topics through reading, playing, talking and writing about video games.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 115. Social and Ethical Issues in Computing. 3 Credit Hours.
History, social context and methods and tools of analysis. Professional and ethical responsibilities. Intellectual property. Privacy and civil liberties.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHI 130. Contemporary Moral Issues. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the philosophical problems which arise in connection with such moral and social issues as abortion, war, suicide, civil disobedience, racial discrimination, the death penalty, and the right to privacy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PHI 131. Ethical Debates. 3 Credit Hours.
Ethical theories, their applications to contemporary issues, and a debate component styled after the Ethics Bowl.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 135. Love 101. 3 Credit Hours.
Love from different ethical, psychological and neuro-scientific perspectives. Among other things we will look at what distinguishes different kinds of love from each other, how love is manifested psychologically and neuro-scientifically, what chemicals drive feelings of love and obsession and why it can be so difficult to recover from a breakup.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 210. Symbolic Logic. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to symbolic logic and its methods.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.
PHI 215. Logic and Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles and techniques of logic applied to legal reasoning.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHI 236. Feminist Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an introduction to issues in feminist philosophy, including its critique of Western philosophy and its contributions to major areas of philosophy such as ethics, social philosophy, theories of human nature, and theories of knowledge. Theories of oppression introduced at the beginning of the course inform analyses of sexism, heterosexism, racism, classism and ableism, and philosophizing about these “isms” is aided by sociocultural research. The emphasis is not only on what is contained in these topics, but also on how to think critically about them.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PHI 237. Philosophy of Sport. 3 Credit Hours.
A philosophical examination of the nature and characterization of sports and of the many ethical issues they raise.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 238. Environmental Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
Theoretical and practical issues in the field of environmental ethics. It will explore the relationship between humans and the natural environment, the moral status of the natural world and the non-human entities within it, and how we should address various environmental problems and challenges. Topics to be covered include anthropocentrism vs. non-anthropocentrism, moral obligations to non-human animals, conservation vs. preservation, wilderness, over-population, agriculture and the environment, climate change, human rights and the environment, and sustainable development.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 240. Language, Power and Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
A discussion of various types of politically relevant speech, which includes terms like ‘gender’ and ‘race’, slurs, political rhetoric, feminist discourse, pornography. How do politicians use rhetoric to persuade and manipulate their targets? How do words embody an ideology? How do we use language to demean, derogate, silence and hurt other people based on their gender, ethnic origin, religious affiliation or sexual orientation? What is the meaning of slurs? And how does this meaning enable slurs to derogate? How is pornography a speech act and how does it subordinate and silence women? Should pornography be granted protection under the first amendment? What does it mean to be a ‘women’ and what does it mean to be a ‘feminist’? What do certain gendered and racial terms mean? How might language constitute or enable violence?
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 241. History and Philosophy of Science. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the history and philosophy of science by approaching this field from historical and epistemological points of view.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHI 242. Self-Knowledge. 3 Credit Hours.
How we can come to know our own minds.
 Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 244. Philosophy of Emotions. 3 Credit Hours.
The philosophy of emotions focusing on questions about what emotions are, whether emotions can be rational and whether they are socially constructed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 245. Philosophical Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of problems in psychology that philosophical methods have traditionally been used to solve.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
PHI 246. Introduction to Cognitive Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Cognitive studies is a deeply interdisciplinary approach to the study of the human mind and its biological basis. In this team-taught course, students will be introduced to the field of cognitive studies through a number of disciplinary perspectives, including philosophy, psychology, neuroscience, computer science, religious studies, and anthropology.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 247. Perception. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of the nature of sensory perception.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 248. Phenomenology. 3 Credit Hours.
A historical account of the phenomenological tradition and its significance to contemporary theorizing.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 271. Ancient Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce students to Ancient Greek ideas by examining central philosophical themes, such as: Knowledge; Why Be Moral? Justice in the City/Justice in the Soul; Liberty and Social Engineering; Happiness; Friendship; Death. We will use primary texts (in translation) by Plato, Aristotle, Cicero, and Augustine of Hippo, supplemented by some selections from the Greek historian Thucydides. Some Greek vocabulary will be assigned. The final exam will consist of a 2-week-long role playing game, The Threshold of Democracy: Athens in 403 B.C. (Developed by the Classics department at Barnard College, and a core component of Ancient Philosophy courses at UT Austin). Students will be assigned different roles: Thrasybulus; a radical Democrat; an Oligarch; and a supporter of Socrates.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PHI 272. Modern Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
The Renaissance through Kant.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHI 295. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Special Topics taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

PHI 304. Atheism and the Meaning of Life. 3 Credit Hours.
Whether it is something we can articulate, or something we simply feel, the sense that our lives are meaningful is often a central part of whatever contentment we experience in ourselves, our relationships with others, and our belonging in the world. Where does this meaning come from, and in what does it consist, exactly? The idea that it is derived from commitments associated with the supernatural – God, or gods, or otherwise spiritual entities – is a common theme in many longstanding traditions for answering such questions. But what if we do not make any such commitments? In that case, meaning will have to be understood differently. This course is an exploration of some alternative conceptions of the meaning of life.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 330. Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
The main ethical systems and ethical concepts, an analysis of important ethical readings, and an application of ethical concepts to the individual and to society.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PHI 331. Social and Political Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
Relations between morality and politics, the sources and the limits of political obligation, the function of the state, the nature of law, civil disobedience and revolution.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
PHI 332. Philosophy of Law. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of basic philosophical issues concerning the nature and function of law, with particular attention to the legal system of the United States.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PHI 333. Philosophical foundations of criminal law. 3 Credit Hours.
Philosophical examination of questions concerning the purpose, scope and limits of criminal law and the justification of punishment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 334. Biomedical Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamental issues including: the allocation of medical resources, behavior control, definition of death, experimentation with human subjects, euthanasia, and abortion.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 335. Professional Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
Moral issues in business, engineering, law, and medicine. Development of moral principles to guide those in professional roles.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 336. Human Rights. 3 Credit Hours.
This course offers philosophical, legal, and political perspectives on human rights. After a short introduction to international human rights, it surveys international human rights treaties and institutions. Next it turns to topics in human rights theory, covering some contemporary philosophical theories of human rights. The final section explores some human rights problems and controversies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 337. Environmental Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
Theoretical and practical issues in the field of environmental ethics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 338. Philosophy and Feminism. 3 Credit Hours.
Theoretical (metaphysical and epistemological) and applied issues in feminist thought.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 339. Philosophy of Love. 3 Credit Hours.
Love from different ethical, psychological and neuroscientific perspectives. Among other things we will look at what distinguishes different kinds of love from each other, how love is manifested psychologically and neuroscientifically, what chemicals drive feelings of love and obsession and why it can be so difficult to recover from a breakup.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHI 340. Theory of Knowledge. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of the nature, sources and structure of knowledge. Possible topics include perception, skepticism, reason, truth, justification, and certainty.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 341. Philosophy of Language. 3 Credit Hours.
Theories of meaning, reference, predication, nature of signs and symbols, types and functions of discourse.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
PHI 343. Philosophy of Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Scientific theories and their relation to evidence; experimentation and its logic; explanation, the rationality of science and the growth of scientific knowledge.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 344. Philosophy of Mind. 3 Credit Hours.
The nature of mind and mental acts, events, and states and their relations to physical states of the brain and body and to behavior.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 345. Metaphysics. 3 Credit Hours.
The basic structure and kinds of constituents of the world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 346. Philosophy of Mathematics. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of key philosophical issues concerning mathematics and the understanding of mathematical practice.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 347. Philosophy of Social Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of whether there are important differences between the social sciences and the natural sciences in terms of their methodology and objects of study.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 348. Introduction to Philosophy through the Brain and Behavioral Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Cognitive neuroscience taught on a level accessible to people in the humanities, the fine arts and the behavioral sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 349. Philosophy of Space and Time. 3 Credit Hours.
Time and space are notoriously difficult to think about. We seem to have an intuitive understanding of them, but it is surprisingly hard to express that understanding. To make matters worse, modern physics challenges what little grasp we thought we had on the concepts of space and time. We are told that space can be curved, and that there can fail to be an objective fact about which of two events occurred first. So we are left without even an intuitive grasp of two of the most fundamental concepts of experience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PHI 350. Philosophy of Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Philosophical questions about psychology. Topics include: the foundations of Freudian psychology; neuro-psychoanalysis; the nature of the self; thinking animals; computers and consciousness; actions, reasons, and causes; first person authority; the unconscious; meaning and the mental; neuro-science and psychology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 351. Philosophy of Religion. 3 Credit Hours.
The nature of and grounds for religious beliefs; traditional arguments for and against the existence of God; God's attributes; reason vs. faith.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 352. Aesthetics. 3 Credit Hours.
The philosophy of art, such as defining 'art', adjudicating among competing judgments or interpretations of works of art, and understanding the metaphysical status of art objects.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
PHI 353. Philosophy of Film. 3 Credit Hours.
Philosophical questions concerning the ontology and aesthetics of film.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PHI 354. Philosophy of Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Central philosophical issues concerning literature and the evaluation of literary works.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 355. History of Philosophy of Art. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the history of philosophical work on the arts (including literature, visual art, and music) from ancient times through the mid twentieth century.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PHI 356. Philosophy of Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines the nature and aims of education. Of particular concern will be the evaluation of five possible epistemic aims of education: knowledge, truth, rationality, understanding, and intellectual virtue. Are all of these legitimate aims? How do they relate to one another? Are any more fundamental than the others? We will also consider a range of moral/political/social aims of education. A general question concerns the cultural embeddedness of all such proposed aims, so we will consider the place of considerations of diversity, multiculturalism, and their place in civic education in democratic societies in the determination of legitimate educational aims and ideals.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 357. Introduction to Semantics and Pragmatics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an introduction to the fields of natural language semantics and pragmatics, which study linguistic meaning and the use of language in communication. We will begin by investigating various aspects of linguistic meaning: How does language allow us to represent and encode information about the world around us? What are the meanings of expressions of different sorts, and how do they relate to each other? How does the meaning of a sentence depend on its syntactic structure? We will then go on to investigate questions that arise from the use of language in communication: How does the context of a conversation affect the meaning of a sentence? How can a sentence that means one thing be used to communicate something else? How is it that one can use a bit of language to do something like make a promise or issue a threat? What conversational phenomena arise simply because communication is a cooperative activity like many others, and what phenomena depend on specific features of language? Over the course of the semester we will study well-established results from semantic and pragmatic theory, as well as identify open questions that are the subject of current research in philosophy and linguistics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 358. Effective Altruism: Making A Difference. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of what it means to "make a Difference," "Why does it Matter," and "How to best Achieve this Goal". Critical assessment of various candidate proposals for making the world a better place.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 359. Immersive Experience and Virtual Reality. 3 Credit Hours.
Part of living a good life is immersing yourself in new and interesting experiences. Traditionally, this meant going out into the world, not sitting in front of a computer screen. But recent technological advances are making it possible to have more and more immersive and realistic experiences in virtual reality. In this course, we explore a variety of devices used to create immersive experiences: from novels and movies, via computer games such as Second Life, to current state of the art virtual reality systems. We look at the ways these devices shape our experiences and our sense of self. We discuss some ethical and metaphysical challenges they pose. And we consider the opportunities they present for learning, problem solving and improving human interaction. We make extensive use of VR and AR devices, immersing ourselves in virtual worlds in order to think about the fundamental philosophical questions they pose.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
PHI 360. Assessing Philosophical Papers: Philosophy Conference Organization. 3 Credit Hours.
This course teaches students how to evaluate academic work outside their main specialty area and to plan and orchestrate an undergraduate philosophy conference.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 373. Nineteenth Century Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
Fichte, Schelling, Hegel, Schopenhauer, Kierkegaard, Marx, Comte, Mill, Spencer, and Nietzsche.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 374. Twentieth Century Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
Philosophy and philosophers in the twentieth century.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 381. Existentialism. 3 Credit Hours.
Existentialist philosophy as seen in the works of such authors as Kierkegaard, Nietzsche, Heidegger, Sartre, Camus, and Dostoevsky.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 391. Special Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of selected problems, philosophers, or movements. May be repeated for credit.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 392. Special Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of selected problems, philosophers, or movements. May be repeated for credit.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 494. Independent Study in Philosophy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Independent research conducted under the guidance of a faculty member. May be repeated for credit.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 495. Senior Honors Thesis. 3 Credit Hours.
Directed reading and a substantial and scholarly paper.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 496. Senior Honors Thesis. 3 Credit Hours.
Directed reading and a substantial and scholarly paper.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 506. Mathematical Logic. 3 Credit Hours.
Logics, truth, proof, logical consequences, model theory, formalization, and computation. Meta-theory of first-order logic, computability theory, and Goedel’s Incompleteness theorems. Related results by church, Turing, and Tarski. Discussion of their philosophical significance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 510. Formal Logic. 3 Credit Hours.
First and second-order quantification theory; metalogic.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
PHI 530. Ethical Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
G. E. Moore to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 532. Legal Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
The philosophical foundations of legal theory and litigation in U.S. law. Topics include the philosophical underpinnings of contemporary criminal law and tort law, the problems of legal causation and intent, the concept of a reasonable person, the nature of corrective justice, the Kantian basis for human rights, and the free speech dilemma.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 533. Political Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of some central issues and developments in political philosophy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 540. Epistemology. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of the basic topics and questions in epistemology: knowledge acquisition and justification, perception, fallibilism, and skepticism.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 541. Mind and Language. 3 Credit Hours.
Philosophical problems about signs, linguistic and mental representations, intentionality, action, and consciousness.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 543. Induction, Probability, and Scientific Method. 3 Credit Hours.
Foundations of inductive reasoning and role of experiment in science.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 544. The Philosophy of Language. 3 Credit Hours.
A central feature of human language is that it is meaningful; this is what allows us to use language to record and share information about the world, and to communicate the ideas, thoughts and emotions that make up our private mental lives. But what is linguistic meaning? One historically influential idea is that linguistic meaning is to be analyzed in terms of truth. This course will examine this idea, and consider several philosophical debates that have arisen from it, or in which it has played an important role. Along the way students will gain an understanding of some of the most central concepts and issues in contemporary philosophy of language.
Prerequisite: PHI 357 (249) or at least one of PHI 341 - 346.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 545. Metaphysics. 3 Credit Hours.
A selection of topics dealing with the main problems of metaphysics: existence, modality, universals, identity and persistence through time, causation, the self and physicalism.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 546. Evidence and Knowledge in Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic methodologies in medicine in the context of philosophical theories of evidence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
PHI 553. Philosophy and Film. 3 Credit Hours.
Combining readings in philosophy and film theory and criticism with close analysis of selected films, this course is premised on a conviction in the potential fruitfulness, both for film studies and philosophy, of thinking philosophically about the ontology of the medium, the history and the art of film, the ways we experience movies, and their impact on our lives. A main focus will be on the writings of Stanley Cavell—the most important author in the Anglo-American philosophical tradition to make writing about film a substantial part of his philosophical project—and philosophical responses by to his work.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

PHI 555. Philosophy of Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Problems concerning the nature and aims of education.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PHI 560. History of Logic. 3 Credit Hours.
Aristotle, the Stoics, the Scholastics, Leibniz, Boole, DeMorgan, Peirce, Frege, and Russell and Whitehead.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PHI 562. History of Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
A selection of ethical theories from Aristotle to Rawls.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 570. Presocratics and Plato. 3 Credit Hours.
Fragments from the Presocratics and the dialogues of Plato.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 571. Aristotle and Hellenistic Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of central philosophical topics in Aristotle and Hellenistic Philosophers (Epicureans, Stoics, and Skeptics).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 572. Medieval Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
The patristic period through the scholasticism of the late middle ages.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 573. Early Modern Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of early modern philosophy from Hobbes and Descartes to Hume.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 575. Kant. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of selected issues in Kant’s theoretical or practical philosophy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 581. Pragmatism. 3 Credit Hours.
Peirce, James, Dewey, and others.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 582. History of Analytic Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
The development of analytic philosophy from its beginnings in the work of Frege and Russell through logical positivism to contemporary philosophy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
PHI 583. The Phenomenological Tradition. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the phenomenological movement (Edmund Husserl, Martin Heidegger, Maurice Merleau-Ponty, and others) and of its impact on contemporary thought.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 591. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
A selected philosopher or philosophical problem. May be repeated for credit.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 592. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
A selected philosopher or philosophical problem. May be repeated for credit.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 593. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
A selected philosopher or philosophical problem. May be repeated for credit. Prerequisite: Six credits in Philosophy and junior standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 594. Independent Study in Philosophy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed reading on a topic or philosopher. May be repeated for credit.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

B.A. in Philosophy

The major in Philosophy leads to the degree of Bachelor of Arts. To satisfy the College of Arts and Sciences writing requirement in the discipline, students majoring in philosophy should take at least two (2) (properly approved writing and communication) philosophy courses.

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**Elective courses may be chosen to fit individual needs.
### Spring
- PHI 300 Level Course: 3
- Minor Course (Non-Philosophy): 3
- People and Society Cognate Course: 3
- STEM Cognate Course: 3
- Elective: 3

| Credit Hours | 15 |

### Year Four
### Fall
- PHI 500 Level Course: 3
- Minor Course (Non-Philosophy): 3
- Elective: 3
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| Credit Hours | 15 |

### Spring
- PHI 500 Level Course: 3
- Minor Course (Non-Philosophy): 3
- Minor Course (Non-Philosophy): 3
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| Credit Hours | 15 |

### Total Credit Hours: 120

### Suggested Plan of Study with Pre-Law Track

#### Year One

### Fall
- ENG 105: English Composition I: 3
- Natural Science Course: 3
- PHI 100 Level Course or PHI 215 or PHI 210: 3
- MTH 113: Finite Mathematics: 3
- UMX 100: The University of Miami Experience: 0
- Language Course: 3

| Credit Hours | 15 |

### Spring
- ENG 106: English Composition II: 3
- PHI 100 Level Course or PHI 215 or PHI 210: 3
- Language Course: 3
- Elective: 3
- Elective: 3

| Credit Hours | 15 |

#### Year Two

### Fall
- PHI 200 Level Course (History of Philosophy): 3
- PHI 300 Level Course (Ethics): 3
- Language Course: 3
- People and Society Cognate Course: 3
- Elective: 3

| Credit Hours | 15 |

### Spring
- PHI 332 or 333: Philosophy of Law or Philosophical foundations of criminal law: 3

| Credit Hours | 3 |
### Year Three

**Fall**
- PHI 300 Level Course
- Minor Course (Non-Philosophy)
- People and Society Cognate Course
- STEM Cognate Course
- Elective

Credit Hours: 15

**Spring**
- PHI 300 Level Course
- Minor Course (Non-Philosophy)
- People and Society Cognate Course
- STEM Cognate Course
- Elective

Credit Hours: 15

### Year Four

**Fall**
- PHI 500 Level Course
- Minor Course (Non-Philosophy)
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Credit Hours: 15

**Spring**
- PHI 500 Level Course
- Minor Course (Non-Philosophy)
- Minor Course (Non-Philosophy)
- Elective
- Elective

Credit Hours: 15

**Total Credit Hours**: 120

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**Suggested Plan of Study with Pre-Med Track**

### Year One

**Fall**
- ENG 105 English Composition I
- PHI 100 Level Course or PHI 210
- MTH 113 Finite Mathematics
- UMX 100 The University of Miami Experience
- Language Course
- Natural Science Course

Credit Hours: 15

**Spring**
- ENG 106 English Composition II
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Mission
Philosophy majors should be able to think critically and imaginatively about philosophical questions and foundational issues in other disciplines. They should have a solid understanding of contemporary and historical philosophical texts; they should be able to evaluate complex philosophical arguments and to determine the logical validity or invalidity of arguments in any sphere.

Goals
Student Learning Outcomes

• All undergraduate majors will demonstrate the ability to evaluate evidence and arguments.
• All undergraduate majors will demonstrate the ability to think critically about philosophical issues.
• All undergraduate majors will demonstrate a specialized knowledge of at least one philosophical topic or area.
• All undergraduate majors who take writing-credit courses will demonstrate the ability to:
  • (a) summarize the main ideas of historical or contemporary philosophical theories in written form,
  • (b) analyze the fundamental differences among important philosophical concepts in several paragraphs, and
  • (c) apply these concepts in a resolution of current debates in solid writing.

Minor in Philosophy
Curriculum Requirements (no track)

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Physical Sciences
Dept. Code: PSC

Introduction
PSC 101 is an interdisciplinary physical science course designed primarily for the non-science major. It may be used to satisfy a physical science requirement in some degree programs. Students should consult the degree requirements listed elsewhere in the Bulletin as well as their advisors for the appropriateness of this course for their programs. See also under PHY 110.

PSC 101. Physical Science. 3 Credit Hours.
An interdisciplinary course to provide the non-science major with an understanding of some of the methods, ideas and accomplishments of Physics, Astronomy, Chemistry, Geology, and their role in the development of civilization.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

Physics
http://www.physics.miami.edu
Dept. Code: PHY

Introduction
The requirements for a major or minor in the Department of Physics are flexible and may be adapted to the needs of the individual student.

A grade of C- or better is required in all courses counted toward the major or minor with an overall GPA of 2.0. Any lecture course in the Physics department may be passed by means of a proficiency examination.

Note that more mathematics beyond two semesters of calculus is typically required for most of the physics courses at the 300 level or higher. In order to complete any Physics major sequence in four years, the student should begin elementary calculus as soon as possible. Students are encouraged to discuss an appropriate math sequence with the physics advisor. The minimum math requirement for physics major typically is as follow:

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Requirements for the Master of Science and Doctor of Philosophy (p. 1824) degrees will be found in the Bulletin of the Graduate School.
PHY 101. College Physics I. 4 Credit Hours.
Elementary mechanics, thermal phenomena, fluids, waves. Courses 101-102-106-108 provide a ten-credit 'physics with lab' sequence without calculus. Prerequisite: MTH 105 or higher (excluding MTH 113). Corequisite: PHY 106.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PHY 102. College Physics II. 4 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PHY 103. General Physics. 3 Credit Hours.
Mechanics, waves, electromagnetism.
ARCHITECTURE MAJORS.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHY 106. College Physics Laboratory I. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory course to accompany PHY 101. Pre/Corequisite: PHY 101 or PHY 201.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PHY 108. College Physics Laboratory II. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory course to accompany PHY 102. Prerequisites: PHY 102 or PHY 202. Or Corequisites: PHY 102 or PHY 202.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PHY 110. Descriptive Astronomy. 3 Credit Hours.
For students not majoring in Mathematics or a Physical Science. brief non-technical treatment of the universe and its contents. Mathematical requirements are minimal with emphasis on our present knowledge about energy and matter in space. Not for major or minor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHY 160. Physics of the Arts. 3 Credit Hours.
Newtonian mechanics, energy, wave motion, atoms, and electricity. Applications to music, art and communications.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 201. University Physics I for the Sciences. 4 Credit Hours.
Calculus based introductory physics: mechanics, heat, fluids, waves, with applications from the physical and life sciences. Pre-requisite: MTH 141 Or MTH 151 Or MTH 161 Or MTH 171 And MTH 162 Or MTH 172 Or Co-requisite: MTH 162 Or Co-requisite: MTH 172.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PHY 202. University Physics II for the Sciences. 4 Credit Hours.
Calculus based introductory physics: electromagnetism, optics, modern physics, with applications from the physical and life sciences. Prerequisite: PHY 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
PHY 211. University Physics I for PRISM. 4 Credit Hours.
Calculus based introductory physics: mechanics, heat, fluids, waves, with applications from the physical and life sciences. Designed for students in the PRISM program.
Pre/Corequisite: MTH 162 or MTH 172.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PHY 212. University Physics II for PRISM. 4 Credit Hours.
Calculus based introductory physics: electromagnetism, optics, modern physics, with applications from the physical and life sciences. Designed for students in the PRISM program.
Prerequisite: PHY 211.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHY 221. University Physics I. 3 Credit Hours.
Mechanics through gravity and harmonic motion, intended for science and engineering students.
Prerequisite: (MTH 141 or MTH 151 or MTH 161 or MTH 171) OR Co-requisite: (MTH 151 AND (“B” in MTH 105 or MTH 108 or Placement in Calculus by MTH Placement Exam) OR Corequisite: (MTH 141 or MTH 151 or MTH 161) AND Department Permission.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PHY 222. University Physics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Fluids, waves, optics, thermal phenomena, intended for science and engineering students.
Prerequisite: PHY 221 or PHY 205 And Pre/Corequisite: MTH 162 or MTH 172.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PHY 223. University Physics III. 3 Credit Hours.
Electromagnetism through Maxwell's equations, intended for science and engineering students.
Prerequisite: PHY 221 (or PHY 205) and Pre or Corequisite: MTH 162 or MTH 172.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PHY 224. University Physics II Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory to accompany PHY 222.
Prerequisite: PHY 222 or PHY 206 or Corequisite: PHY 222.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PHY 225. University Physics III Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory to accompany PHY 223.
Prerequisite: PHY 223 or PHY 207 or Corequisite: PHY 223.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PHY 230. Honors University Physics II-III. 5-6 Credit Hours.
Fluids, waves, optics, thermal phenomena, electromagnetism. Combines PHY 222 and 223.
Prerequisite: PHY 221 and Pre- or Co-requisite: MTH 162 or MTH 172.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHY 295. Transfer Credits. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Special topics taken at other institutions but having no direct equivalents here.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
PHY 306. Intermediate Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory: a review of some of the fundamental experiments in classical and modern physics.
Prerequisite: PHY 225 or PHY 209 And Pre/Corequisite: PHY 360.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHY 315. Mathematical Tools for Physics. 3 Credit Hours.
How to use mathematics. Series, complex algebra, vector analysis, differential equations, etc.
Prerequisite: MTH 141 or MTH 151 or MTH 161 or MTH 171 and Pre/Corequisite: PHY 206 and Pre/Corequisite: MTH 162 or MTH 172.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHY 321. Thermodynamics and Kinetic Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
An intermediate course in thermal phenomena, from both macroscopic and microscopic points of view.
Prerequisite: PHY 222 or PHY 206 And MTH 211 or MTH 310 Or PHY 315.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHY 325. Biological Physics I. 3 Credit Hours.
Applications of fundamental principles from fluids, electrostatics, statistical physics to biological phenomena at molecular and neuronal levels; emphasis on quantitative picture of well-known biological systems; discussion of current research at the interface of biology and physics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PHY 340. Classical Mechanics I. 3 Credit Hours.
Includes harmonic motion, orbit theory, coupled oscillations, rigid body motions.
Prerequisite: PHY 202 or PHY 212 Or PHY 222 and PHY 223 Or PHY 230 or PHY 206 and PHY 207 or (PHY 210) And Pre/Corequisite: MTH 210 and MTH 311 Or Prerequisite: PHY 315.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHY 350. Intermediate Electricity and Magnetism. 3 Credit Hours.
Includes the integral and differential forms of Maxwell’s equations, circuit theory, and boundary value problems.
Prerequisite: PHY 202 or PHY 212 Or PHY 222 and PHY 223 Or PHY 230 or PHY 206 and PHY 207 or (PHY 210) And Pre/Corequisite: MTH 210 and MTH 311 Or Prerequisite: PHY 315.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PHY 351. Intermediate Electricity and Magnetism II. 3 Credit Hours.
A continuation of PHY 350. Includes further application of Maxwell’s equations with emphasis on radiation theory.
Requisite: PHY 350.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHY 360. Introduction to Modern Physics. 3 Credit Hours.
Emphasis on the experimental foundations of modern physics. Relativity, quantization, atomic structure, radiation, nuclei.
Prerequisite: PHY 202 or PHY 212 or PHY 222 or PHY 230 Or PHY 206 and Pre/Corequisite: PHY 207 And Prerequisite: MTH 172 or PHY 315.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PHY 362. Modern Physics Honors Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
Special Topics to accompany PHY 360. Co-requisite: PHY 360.
Pre-requisite: PHY 360 Or Co-requisite: PHY 360.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
PHY 401. Senior Thesis. 3 Credit Hours.
Research Leading to the writing of a senior thesis - First Semester.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 402. Senior Thesis. 3 Credit Hours.
Research Leading to the writing of a senior thesis - Second Semester.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 501. Research. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research, individual investigation of current problems.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 502. Research in Astrophysics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research, individual investigation of current problems.
Components: RSC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PHY 506. Advanced Laboratory. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Advanced experiments such as properties of the electron, optical spectra, electrical measurements, radioactive decay, absorption, etc.
Prerequisite: PHY 225 or PHY 209 And Pre/Corequisite: PHY 360.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHY 513. Mathematical Techniques in Physics. 3 Credit Hours.
Complex variables and applications. Infinite series and their uses, particularly in differential equations. Multiple integrals and Fourier series.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 516. Special Topics in Physics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in Physics. Topics vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 517. Special Topics in Physics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in Physics. Topics vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 518. Special Topics in Astrophysics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in Physics. Topics vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 522. Solid State Physics. 3 Credit Hours.
Crystal structure, quantum theory of the electronic structure of solids, mechanical, electric, magnetic and optical properties of solids.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 530. Plasma Physics I. 3 Credit Hours.
Kinetic theory of plasmas, adiabatic motion of charged particles magneto fluid dynamics, transport properties of plasmas in electromagnetic fields.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
PHY 540. Classical Mechanics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Lagrangian formulation, rigid body dynamics. Topics selected from fluid dynamics, non-linear oscillations, normal modes, phase plane analysis.
Requisite: PHY 340.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PHY 545. Introduction to Astrophysics. 3 Credit Hours.
Celestial mechanics, solar models, galaxies, distance scales, instruments.
Pre-requisite: PHY 360.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 552. Optical Physics. 3 Credit Hours.
Geometric optics, interference and diffraction, polarized light, optical pumping, coherence phenomena, applications to modern physical research.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 560. Quantum Mechanics and Modern Physics I. 3 Credit Hours.
Introductory theory with applications to simple systems. Perturbation theory and atomic structure.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PHY 561. Quantum Mechanics and Modern Physics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Applications of quantum mechanics to atomic and molecular spectroscopy, quantum statistical mechanics, and nuclear physics.
Pre-requisite: PHY 560.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

B.S. in Applied Physics
http://www.physics.miami.edu

Overview
This sequence is available for those intending careers in applied physics. The major is divided into tracks, depending on the student's field of interest. The Physics for the Life Sciences track is designed for premedical students.

Students must complete the core set of courses AND one track in their field of interest. Multiple tracks are allowed with prior authorization from the Department of Physics.

To satisfy the College of Arts and Sciences writing requirement in the discipline, students majoring in Applied Physics should pass at least one writing intensive course within the Physics Department. These are PHY 306, PHY 362, and PHY 506. The requirement can also be fulfilled by passing ENG 233 with a grade of C- or higher.

Core Courses
The core set of courses is required for all tracks and it includes one of the University Physics sequences with two labs (see table below), plus PHY 350, and PHY 360.

Engineering Physics Track
Additional 5 credits in physics at the 300 level or higher, including PHY 340 and one lab, plus 9 credits in Engineering with prior authorization from the Department of Physics.

Computational Physics Track
Additional 5 credits in physics at the 300 level or higher, including PHY 340 and one lab, plus 2 courses from the Computer Science BS core (p. 274) and a third course in Computer Science with prior authorization from the Department of Physics.
Medical Physics Track
Additional 5 credits in physics at the 300 level or higher, including PHY 351 and one lab, plus BME 265, BME 310, and BME 330 (Note: BIL 150, BIL 151, and CHM 121 are prerequisites for the BME courses).

Physics for the Life Sciences Track
Additional 6 credits in physics at the 300 level or higher, including PHY 321, plus required biology and chemistry courses. In biology, the required courses are BIL 150, BIL 151, BIL 160, BIL 161, BIL 255, and either BIL 360 or BME 265. In chemistry, the students are required to take the three-semester sequence of Chemistry for the Life Sciences (CHM 121, CHM 221, CHM 222) with laboratory (CHM 113, CHM 205, CHM 206).

Chemical Physics Track
Additional 6 credits in physics at the 300 level or higher, including PHY 321, plus CHM 360, CHM 364, CHM 365, CHM 464, and one among CHM 530, CHM 553, or CHM 575.

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**PHY elective**

BME 265 Medical Systems Physiology

BME 310 Mathematical Analysis in Biomedical Engineering

BME 330 Foundations of Medical Imaging

BIL 150 General Biology

BIL 151 General Biology Laboratory

CHM 121 Principles of Chemistry

CHM 221 Introduction to Structure and Dynamics

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3 PHY credits at the 300 level or higher

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BIL 151 General Biology Laboratory

BIL 160 Evolution and Biodiversity

BIL 161 Evolution and Biodiversity Laboratory

BIL 255 Cellular and Molecular Biology

BIL 360 Comparative Physiology

or BME 265 Medical Systems Physiology

CHM 121 Principles of Chemistry

CHM 221 Introduction to Structure and Dynamics

CHM 222 Organic Reactions and Synthesis

CHM 113 Chemistry Laboratory I

CHM 205 Chemical Dynamics Laboratory

CHM 206 Organic Reactions and Synthesis Laboratory

### Chemical Physics Track

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3 more credits in Physics at the 300 level or higher

CHM 360 Physical Chemistry I (Lecture)

CHM 364 Physical Chemistry (Laboratory I)

CHM 365 Physical Chemistry II (Lecture)

CHM 464 Physical Chemistry (Laboratory II)

CHM 530 Fluorescence Spectroscopy and Microscopy

or CHM 553 Modern Quantum Chemistry

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Electives: 41

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**Sample Plans of Study**

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- **CHM 113** Chemistry Laboratory I 1
- **BIL 150** General Biology 4
- **BIL 151** General Biology Laboratory 1

#### Spring
- **ENG 106** English Composition II 3
- **MTH 162** Calculus II 4
- **CHM 112** Principles of Chemistry II 3
- **CHM 114** Chemistry Laboratory II 1
- **BIL 160** Evolution and Biodiversity 4
- **BIL 161** Evolution and Biodiversity Laboratory 1

### Year 2

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- **PHY 106** College Physics Laboratory I 1
- **MTH 210** Introduction to Linear Algebra 3
- **CHM 201** Organic Chemistry I (Lecture) 3
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- **CHM 205** Chemical Dynamics Laboratory 1
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B.S. in Pure Physics

Overview

The pure physics major is recommended for students intending to enter graduate school in Physics, or that want a deeper understanding of fundamental physics.

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Students interested in a Ph.D. program in physics are strongly encouraged to also take PHY 561.

To satisfy the College of Arts and Sciences writing requirement in the discipline, students majoring in Pure Physics are required to pass at least one writing intensive course within the Physics Department. These are PHY 306, PHY 362, and PHY 506. The requirement can also be fulfilled by passing ENG 233 with a grade of C- or higher.

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- PHY 225  University Physics III Lab

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- PHY 108  College Physics Laboratory II
  or PHY 225  University Physics III Lab

Option 4:

- PHY 211  University Physics I for PRISM
- PHY 212  University Physics II for PRISM
- PHY 106  College Physics Laboratory I
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- PHY 108  College Physics Laboratory II
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**Upper Level Courses**

- PHY 306  Intermediate Laboratory 1
- PHY 321  Thermodynamics and Kinetic Theory 3
- PHY 340  Classical Mechanics I 3
- PHY 350  Intermediate Electricity and Magnetism 3
- PHY 351  Intermediate Electricity and Magnetism II 3
- PHY 360  Introduction to Modern Physics 3
- PHY 362  Modern Physics Honors Seminar 1
- PHY 506  Advanced Laboratory 1-2
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### Plan of Study

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### Dual Major in Chemistry and Physics

The dual major in Chemistry and Physics is designed for students who are pursuing a regular B.S. degree in Chemistry (p. 226) and want to pursue a second major in Physics.

In addition to the major in Chemistry (p. 236), the dual major requires 22 credit hours in physics and specific courses in Chemistry. The physics courses must include one of the University Physics sequences with two labs, plus PHY 350 and PHY 360. The remaining courses must receive
advanced permission from the physics advisor. The specific Chemistry courses include CHM 360, CHM 364, CHM 365, CHM 464, and one among CHM 530, CHM 553, or CHM 575.

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BMB 401  Biochemistry for the Biomedical Sciences  4

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Electives 10
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* Other courses may be approved after consultation with a Physics/Chemistry faculty advisor.

**Dual Major in Engineering and Physics**

Students in the College of Engineering (p. 1044) can pursue a dual major in Engineering and Physics, which consists of a regular major in Engineering, plus selected courses in physics. The physics courses required are the complete University Physics sequence for Engineers, plus 11 additional credits in physics at the 300 level or higher, including PHY 350, PHY 360, and one between PHY 321, PHY 340, and PHY 560.

Students pursuing this dual major will take courses designed to provide them with the skills required for effective communication, both written and oral, within their discipline in the College of Engineering.

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**Sample Plan of Study**

This plan of study includes only the Physics portion of the Dual major. Please refer to the corresponding Engineering major (p. 1044) for the Engineering portion (including general education requirements).

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### Dual Major in Marine Science and Physics

This is an interdisciplinary major offered by the Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science (RSMAS) in conjunction with the Physics Department.

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MTH 311 Introduction to Ordinary Differential Equations 3
MSC 204 Environmental Statistics 3
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MSC 203 Foundations of Computational Marine Science 3
RSM 521 Object-Oriented Programming and Agent-Based Modelling 3
CSC 120 Computer Programming I 3
PHY 221 University Physics I 3
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PHY 340 Classical Mechanics I 3
PHY 350 Intermediate Electricity and Magnetism 3
PHY 351 Intermediate Electricity and Magnetism II 3
PHY 360 Introduction to Modern Physics 3
PHY 362 Modern Physics Honors Seminar 1
PHY 540 Classical Mechanics II 3
PHY 560 Quantum Mechanics and Modern Physics I 3
Electives
Arts and Humanities Cognate Courses 9
People and Society Cognate Courses 9
Total Credit Hours 120-122

1 At least 6 of which must be at the 300-level or higher. MSC 204 does not satisfy the MSC elective requirement but does satisfy the Statistics requirement.
2 Principles of Chemistry must be passed with a grade of “C-” or higher.
3 Calculus I and II must be passed with a grade of “C-” or higher.

Suggested Plan of Study

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**Total Credit Hours**

|                                                                 | 122 |

* 6 elective courses must include:
  - 3 Arts and Humanities Cognate courses
  - 3 People and Society Cognate courses

1 Students must take one laboratory from MSC 232 or MSC 302.
Mission
The mission of the Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science is to deepen our collective knowledge of our planet through cutting-edge scientific research on the oceans, atmosphere, geology, biota, and the human dimension, while training the next generation of scientists. We transfer the knowledge gained to our students, the national and international scientific community, and to policymakers and the public.

The educational mission of the BS degree in Marine Science at the University of Miami is to graduate students with the ability and desire to integrate knowledge of marine science into their future careers.

Goals
Students completing this double major will be able to master a broad set of fundamental scientific knowledge in Marine Science and Physics, acquire valuable technical skills and learn how to apply this knowledge to real-world problems, in a time of increasing stress on Earth’s resources and environment. The program will provide the rigor, flexibility, depth and integration to enable students to:

• Design and pursue their course of study that meets requirements of a double major in Marine Science and Physics.
• Learn from the diverse and outstanding group of professors and researchers who are experts in their fields and have active research programs.
• Undertake active research experiences, which will allow them to gain a strong understanding of the scientific process and provide them with a set of valuable experimental and computational skills.
• Prepare themselves for graduate school and for successful careers in public and private industries.

Student Learning Outcomes
• Students will demonstrate an ability to communicate effectively.
• Students will develop analytical and quantitative skills to allow critical data analysis.
• Students will be able to do carry out supervised research in the field of marine science.

Minor in Astrophysics
Overview
The Astrophysics minor is designed for non-Physics majors and minors to offer students with education in a discipline different from Physics the opportunity to expand their interest in Astrophysics and strengthen their quantitative and problem-solving skills with direct application to Astrophysics. The Astrophysics minor requires 16 or 17 credits within the Department of Physics (depending on the University Physics sequence taken), covering fundamental physics courses (one of the University Physics sequences), a course in Modern Physics (which covers, among other topics, special relativity and properties of light), and the Introduction to Astrophysics (which covers fundamental tools in astrophysics and a study of the properties of Astrophysical objects).

Curriculum Requirements

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Minor in Biological Physics

Overview
The Biological Physics minor is for non-Physics majors or minors and requires 11 to 12 credits within the Department of Physics (depending on the University Physics sequence taken), and 6 credits from the Department of Biology. In addition to a calculus-based introductory sequence of physics courses, students will take the 300-level Biological Physics I course.

Biological physics covers a vast array of research topics, from the molecular scale to whole organisms and populations. It is an inherently interdisciplinary subject, where the fields involved (physics, biology, neuroscience, etc.) strengthen each other. The methods of physics have influenced how biology research is conducted, and basic questions in biology and neuroscience have attracted the attention of both experimental and theoretical physicists. A biological physics minor is designed to strengthen the quantitative and problem-solving skills for non-physics majors with interest in biological questions.

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General Biology & Evolution and Biodiversity (Complete both of the following) 8

- BIL 150  General Biology
- BIL 160  Evolution and Biodiversity

Biological Physics (Complete the following) 3

- PHY 325  Biological Physics I

Total Credit Hours 19-20

Minor in Physics

Curriculum Requirements

A minor in physics consists of a University Physics Sequence (3 options), plus Modern Physics (PHY 360) and an additional 3-credit physics course at the 300-level or higher (other than PHY 315).

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Option 1

- PHY 221  University Physics I
- PHY 222  University Physics II
- PHY 223  University Physics III
- PHY 224  University Physics II Lab
- PHY 225  University Physics III Lab

Option 2

- PHY 221  University Physics I
- PHY 230  Honors University Physics II-III
- PHY 224  University Physics II Lab
- PHY 225  University Physics III Lab
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**Total Credit Hours**: 16-17

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**Political Science**

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**Dept. Code**: POL

**Introduction**

A political science major prepares students for work in a number of fields including law, politics, public policy, public administration, and international affairs, as well as employment in business and the non-profit sector.

**Educational Objectives**

Political science majors gain an understanding of American political and legal life, the workings of other countries’ political and economic systems, the relations among countries in the international arena, and key concepts in both political philosophy and social science methodology.

**Advanced Writing & Communication Requirements**

Details of the Advanced Writing and Communication Proficiency:

Degree candidates must complete at least four writing courses, and at least one writing course must be in one of the student's major disciplines (not applicable to BLA students who do not select a major). Students should consult the bulletin section of their major to find out which writing-intensive courses are acceptable to the discipline.

Individual writing course offerings may make the writing component independent of the rest of the course. As such the writing component might be optional, the writing component might not contribute to the overall grade, and writing credit might be awarded even if the overall grade is a fail.

Transfer students may use a maximum of two courses towards the writing requirement.

**Degree Programs**

- Bachelor of Arts in Political Science
- Five year program: Bachelor of Arts in Political Science and Masters of Public Administration (A special curriculum for students specializing in public administration enables them to complete the requirements for both a Bachelor’s and Master's degree in five years.)

**Departmental Honors**

To earn Departmental Honors a political science major must:

1. Graduate with an overall GPA of 3.500.
2. Graduate with a political science GPA of at least 3.700. All political science course grades on a student’s transcript are counted in the calculation of the major GPA. This includes all grades from courses that were completed more than once (e.g. to obtain a high enough grade to count towards the major).
POL 201. Introduction to American National Government. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of the principles, structures, and processes of the national government of the United States. Frequent comparisons made with others countries.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 202. Introduction to Comparative Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to study of comparative and international politics by examining how conflicts over these issues have played out in several different countries around the world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 203. Introduction to International Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the theory and practice of international relations. Areas covered include: diplomacy, conflict resolution, international institutions and law; great power politics, international political economy, environmental politics, political integration, the evolving state system, and new global challenges.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 214. Criminal Justice and Social Change. 3 Credit Hours.
The social impact of crime as a form of domestic terrorism, the police and courts as a deterrent, and incarceration as an attempt to prevent and punish violent social behavior. This course is only open to high school students participating in the Summer Scholars Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

POL 250. Scope and Methods of Political Science. 3 Credit Hours.
The basic skills needed in political science to critically read academic journal articles and books. The application of scientific methods to the study of public life, focusing on research design and introducing students to the various methodologies used by researchers to draw descriptive and causal inference about the political world. Some methods introduced include ethnography, experimentation, the case study, and survey research.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 301. The Science and Practice of Political Research. 3 Credit Hours.
Exposes students to the way in which scientific knowledge of political phenomena is currently created and evaluated.
Prerequisite: POL 201 or POL 202 or POL 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 302. Political Fiction and Film. 3 Credit Hours.
Politics as presented in films and in relevant texts such as novels and biographies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 303. Refugees and Migrants. 3 Credit Hours.
The increase in movement of people across borders that have occurred around the world over the past decades, the challenges posed by global migration, and the political responses of national communities to this phenomenon.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 305. Introduction to Political Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Politics is organized behavior shaped by power. This brief, stripped-down, and pragmatic definition is what we will use in gaining access to the political philosophers we will study in this course. Students will have a greater understanding of arguments and texts in political philosophy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
POL 306. Positive Political Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to positive political theory as a study of politics using quantitative methods such as game theory, laboratory experiments, and computer simulation. The political agents involved in a given interaction are modeled as rational players guided by self-interest whose behavior can be formally explained or predicted.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 307. Political Ideologies. 3 Credit Hours.
Covers modern and contemporary political ideologies, such as Liberalism, Conservatism, and Marxism.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 309. American Political Thought. 3 Credit Hours.
This class traces the evolution of democratic thinking in America. Topics include the meaning of representation, citizenship, equality and liberty.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 310. God, Science, and Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of morality and religion that addresses the competing influences of material and spiritual discourses on political regimes and practices. The talking points for the course include the various proofs and refutations offered throughout history of God's existence, the differences and similarities of scientific and religious approaches to experience, and the ways in which moral and religious principles enlighten politics as they fold into the vocabularies of natural law and right, and contaminate the political with religious violence in the name of God.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 311. Conspiracy Theories and the Public. 3 Credit Hours.
Why do people believe in conspiracy theories? This inter-disciplinary course examines a variety of explanations for conspiratorial beliefs.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

POL 312. Politics, Society and Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of the relationship between narratives, aesthetics, (beauty) and the political/social world. By successfully completing this course, students Will; understand how humans interpret the political, social, and physical world through narrative. Come to see how most/all political controversies involve competing narratives. How false narratives are deployed to manipulate the public. Realize that through art important analytical arguments are made, which impart substantial insight into social, political, and physical phenomena. See how philosophy is intelligently conveyed through art - including approaches to political legitimacy, justice, and how political stability is maintained. To analyze the relationship between art, society, and politics, we draw episodes of the Simpsons, renaissance art, and broadcast iterations of Star Trek.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 313. The Constitution. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the US Constitution from a political and historical prospective. This is a writing intensive course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 314. Legislative Processes. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination and analysis of the United States Congress. Emphasis on internal structure and operations, congressional roles and procedures, party leadership, external influences on congress, and incentives for congressional behavior.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

POL 315. American Presidency. 3 Credit Hours.
Historic development of presidential power; sources of the powers of the modern presidency, institutional decision-making; how and to what degree presidential power should be controlled.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
POL 316. Politics of Globalism. 3 Credit Hours.
Global politics, including the political and normative values that shape global politics: nationalism, internationalism, neoliberalism, empire, socialism. The format will include a focus on energy, as energy is arguably the basis of the global polity.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 318. Economics for Politics and Public Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of microeconomics to students for use when analyzing public policy for effective public administrator and planning. Considers basic concepts of microeconomic principles including market failure, public goods, supply and demand, pricing, and externalities. These concepts will be presented using practical examples involving the public sector, and students will practice application through problem solving.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 319. Politics of the Administrative Process. 3 Credit Hours.
The principles, structure, functions and processes of federal administrative agencies of the United States government. Particular emphasis will be placed on the legal, ethical, and political ramifications of agency actions in a political environment as well as interactions between the bureaucracy, other branches of the federal government, state and local governments, and interest groups. Special attention will also be given to bureaucratic power, democratic control, and accountability.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 320. Politics of Growth Management. 3 Credit Hours.
The purposes and techniques of managing growth in our urban areas. Conducted as a seminar with lectures by the instructor augmented by class discussion.
Prerequisite: POL 201.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 321. Introduction to Public Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this course is to instruct students in the problems and processes in the implementation of public policy at an introductory level.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 322. Environmental Politics and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines the federal government’s policies toward the National Forests and public grasslands; water supply policies and politics of the Everglade and Far West; global warming; U.S. air and water pollution policies and politics as well as those related to waste management; U.S. energy policies; and trade and the environment.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 323. Global Warming, Politics and the European Union. 6 Credit Hours.
The European Union (EU), and especially France to ecologically modernize their advanced economies. The course will treat the EU effort to fashion an international agreement on climate change. This class in conducted in Paris, France.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

POL 332. Mass Media and Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
Role of media in American politics. Historical development of the media from newspapers, through radio, to television and new media such as the internet. Changing norms of news media reportage. The growth of political advertising both during and between elections; the effects of these developments on American government and on the public.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
POL 334. Campaigns. 3 Credit Hours.
Students learn about political campaigns by becoming involved in an active campaign and studying the academic literature about elections and campaigns. Topics are media, campaign organization, voters, issues, political parties, elections, and the five elements of every campaign.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 335. Democracy in Action: Local Government Simulation. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of city and county governments and politics. Focuses on structures, leadership, taxing and spending, the influence of state and federal governments, and "hot-button" issues of importance to South Florida communities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 337. International Law and Organizations. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the interaction of states through various legal regimes. We will consider the role of international law and organizations in politics, and the political implications of both criminal and civil international law from the perspective of the state, the individual, and non-governmental actors. Readings, lectures, class discussions, and examinations will familiarize the students with the parameters and limitations as well as the policy and practice of international law.
Prerequisite: POL 203 or INS 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 340. Civil Wars. 3 Credit Hours.
Theories and empirical findings on the causes of civil wars, their termination and conduct. Questions addressed in the course include: Why do civil wars occur? Are economic or political causes more important? How do civil wars end? Are ethnic civil wars different from wars fought for political ideology or material gains? What role do natural resources play in civil wars? Why are civilians especially likely to be victimized in some civil wars but not in others? Why do warring parties resort to terrorism? How do civil wars end? What factors are more conducive to long-lasting peace?
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 341. Nationalism, Ethnicity, and Political Conflict. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines theories of ethnic and national conflict focusing on contemporary issues throughout the world.
Prerequisite: POL 203 or INS 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 342. State Government and Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
State constitutions, political parties, legislatures, executives court systems, administrative systems and services, financial problems, city and county governments, local-state, federal-state and interstate relations. Special emphasis on governments in Florida.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

POL 343. Government in Metropolitan Areas. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce the student to the organization and functions of counties and municipalities in the United States. On occasion guest speakers will be featured. We will examine Miami-Dade County as a concrete example of the course content.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 344. Gender and Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
Compares the roles played by men and women in political systems worldwide; examines public policy outcomes with significant gender-based effects, including policies on sexuality & reproductive health, gender-based violence, work & the family, and access to education.
Prerequisite: POL 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
POL 345. The United States and Asia. 3 Credit Hours.
Political, economic, and security aspects of America's relations with the Asian-Pacific area. Trade and alliance relationships. Actions and interactions of Asian states, their alignments with each other; the impact of these alignments on their relationships with the United States and in the global balance of power. 
Prerequisite: POL 203 or INS 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 346. U.S.-Latin American Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
Systematic survey of U.S.-Latin American relations highlighting contending paradigms in the study of hemispheric relations. Examines issues in East-West and North-South relations and political economy of Brazil, Mexico, and Argentina. Considers alternative U.S. foreign policies. 
Prerequisite: POL 202 or POL 203 or INS 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 347. American Foreign Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course investigates how American primacy came to be, what its consequences are, and what will drive American foreign policy in the future. Students use social science to evaluate claims and understand the world, improve their ability to advance and defend arguments, and develop a broad base of knowledge about American foreign policy history and issues.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 348. United States Relations with the Middle East. 3 Credit Hours.
Evolution of American relations with the Middle East. Analysis of the motivations and calculations, including domestic and external sources of policy-making and implementation. Emphasis on post-World War II period, with particular attention to the current administration.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 349. U.S. Defense Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of key problems of national security in the post-Cold War environment. Emphasis on the structure and functioning of the U.S. defense establishment and its interactions with its most probable adversaries and allies. Consideration of the constraints on, and options open to, policy planners, and with the institutional elements of the decision making process.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

POL 351. Public Opinion. 3 Credit Hours.
Political functions of public opinion; opinion dynamics in the U.S.A.; quantitative analysis of elements in opinion change; principles of political control via mass media in the U.S.A.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 352. Political Parties. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of political organizations and electoral processes in the United States: their history, current status, and present trends. Consideration of the organization, control, and finances of political parties and pressure groups, their characteristic practices, and their relationship to political democracy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 353. Interest Groups and Lobbying. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of lobbying and political interest groups in the United States; history, current status, and present trends. The organizations, control, and finances of pressure groups, their characteristic practices, and their relationship to democracy. Also, lobbying by citizens and groups more broadly, including the role of campaign contributions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
POL 354. The CIA and the World of Intelligence. 3 Credit Hours.
What the CIA does, how it does it, and the ways in which the CIA works with other intelligence agencies. Topics explored include: notable intelligence successes and failures, key intelligence issues, and ethical debates about intelligence activities including covert action.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 359. International Organizations. 3 Credit Hours.
International organizations which, in addition to contributing to the solution of international problems, also help to provide rules and structures to manage state-to-state relationships.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 360. Ending Wars and Building Peace. 3 Credit Hours.
How local and international actors build sustainable peace strategically through peacekeeping, peace accords, reconciliation, education, human rights, international law, and state-building.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 361. Social Movements. 3 Credit Hours.
Addresses questions central to social movement activists and researchers. Draws on examples from across the Americas and on current social movement research.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 367. The Historical Roots of American Imperialism. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines the assertive and exploitative aspects of U.S. foreign policy.
Prerequisite: POL 203 or INS 101.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 370. Global Energy Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
Energy use throughout history has shaped humanity's politics and economics; the politics of the depletion of fossil fuels; global warming; "green" alternative energies: solar; wind; waves; civilian nuclear power.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 372. Introduction to Criminal Justice. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in criminal law with an emphasis on constitutional criminal procedure and post-9/11 developments in federal criminal law: constitutional principles covering investigation and arrest, racial profiling, warrant-less searches, controversial interrogation techniques, rights of "enemy combatants" and the imposition of capital punishment.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Spring.

POL 373. Constitutional Law I. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the development of the principles of American Constitutional Law, with a course focus upon those constitutional principles developed from the original document. Areas of study include judicial review, separation of powers, the Commerce Clause, the Contract Clause, and the Due Process Clauses.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Fall.
POL 374. Constitutional Law II. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will cover some of the 27 amendments to the U.S. Constitution. It will mainly focus on the constitutional limits placed on the national and state governments by the Bill of Rights and the Fourteenth Amendment. This study of the historical, political and legal development of constitutional law in the area of civil liberties will be done in large part by reading and discussing the major U.S. Supreme Court opinions related to these amendments and others.
Prerequisite: POL 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 378. African Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
An opportunity for students to develop their own interests in African Politics through extensive research and analysis. Students critically evaluate the process of economic development in the region with respect to the interaction of politics and economics. Included within this evaluation is an understanding of the benefits and detractions of development strategies, a working knowledge of development policy and an appreciation of the complex processes leading to the success or failure of development efforts.
Prerequisite: POL 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 379. South East Asian Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
The politics, economics, and history of Southeast Asia. Provides the opportunity for students to develop their own interests in the topic through extensive research and analysis.
Prerequisite: POL 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 381. West European Politics (Previous Title: European Politics and Government). 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of political and economic developments in western European countries.
Prerequisite: POL 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 382. Government and Politics of the Federal Republic of Germany. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of Germany's political system, its political parties, and the country's economic, social and foreign policies.
Prerequisite: POL 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 383. Politics in China. 3 Credit Hours.
Development and nature of Chinese domestic politics in theory and practice; problems of political stability and conflict; the role of historical and cultural traditions, institutions, social, economic and personality factors in Chinese politics; process of change and problems of leadership succession; the significance of changes in the character and style of Chinese leadership.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 384. Postcommunist Russian Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines the demise of the USSR and the tumultuous post-communist transition in Russia from Gorbachev to Putin and Medvedev. The foundations of state power, the political party system, civil society, petro-state capitalism, endemic corruption, current politics, and Russian nationalism are examined through the lens of western and Russian political science theories.
Prerequisite: POL 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
POL 385. Politics and Society in Latin America. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the politics of Latin American countries focusing on 20th century history, the impact of the Cold War and home-grown social struggles, economic development models, the difficulties of democratic consolidation, U.S-Latin America relations, the emergence of new political actors such as women's and indigenous movements, and current political constellations. The course combines a study of thematic issues with case studies. Prerequisite: POL 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

POL 386. Democratic Consolidation. 3 Credit Hours.
Explore the general concept of "democratic consolidation" which has become a timely topic in the discourse of today's foreign policy. We will examine the central theoretical concepts that frame the discourse and then examine several case studies. Prerequisite: POL 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 387. Politics of the Middle East. 3 Credit Hours.
Comparative analysis of the political development of the Middle East in terms of nations and as a region. Particular stress is on the relationships within the region and with other regions of the world. Prerequisite: POL 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 388. Politics of Israel. 3 Credit Hours.
It is the purpose of this course to examine the Israeli system. Three themes will structure this investigation. The first considers the complex, and evolving, identity questions and politics that attend Jewishness, Zionism and being Israeli; the second investigates legitimacy, the nature and dynamics of the Israeli political system; and the third engages the multidimensional nature of Israeli security. Prerequisite: POL 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 389. Special Topics in Comparative Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
A lecture course in Comparative Politics, designed to give the student a greater degree of knowledge of a particular subject within this subfield. This topic may be repeated for credit. Prerequisite: POL 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 390. Special Topics in American Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
A lecture course in American Politics, designed to give the student a greater degree of knowledge of a particular subject within this subfield. This topic may be repeated for credit. Prerequisite: POL 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 391. Special Topics in International Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
A lecture course in International Relations, designed to give the student a greater degree of knowledge of a particular subject within this subfield. This topic may be repeated for credit. Prerequisite: POL 203 or INS 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 392. International Terrorism. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of phenomenon of low-intensity warfare known as international terrorism in all its variations: state, state-sponsored, state-supported, domestic revolutionary terrorism and counter-terrorism. Also examines governmental policies of countering terrorism. Prerequisite: POL 202 or POL 203 or INS 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
POL 393. Special Topics in Public Administration, Policy, and Law. 3 Credit Hours.
A lecture course in Public Administration, Policy, and Law, designed to give the student a greater degree of knowledge of a particular subject within this subfield. This topic may be repeated for credit.
Prerequisite: POL 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 394. Special Topics in Political Theory and Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
A lecture course in Political Theory and Methods, designed to give the student a greater degree of knowledge of a particular subject within this subfield. This topic may be repeated for credit.
Prerequisite: POL 201 or POL 202 or POL 203 or INS 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 395. Transfer Credit in Political Theory and Methods. 1-9 Credit Hours.
Course for which there is no direct UM equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

POL 396. Transfer Credit in Public Administration, Policy, and Law. 1-9 Credit Hours.
Interdisciplinary workshops will treat different policy issues with a view toward developing a theory of deliberate social change. The scenario will include the stance and role of the change agent and the institutional forms involved in changing urban settings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

POL 397. Transfer Credits in International Relations. 1-9 Credit Hours.
Course for which there is no direct UM equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

POL 398. Transfer Credit in Comparative Politics. 1-9 Credit Hours.
Course for which there is no direct UM equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

POL 399. Transfer Credit In American Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
Course on American politics for which there is no direct UM equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 401. The Election. 3 Credit Hours.
In a democracy, the actions of the government are based on the wishes of the citizenry. We will examine the vital role that elections play in this process, specifically focusing on the issues and events surrounding the on-going elections.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 402. Latino Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the impact of Latinos on domestic politics, the impact of transnational migration on hemispheric politics, and the impact of recent waves of immigration on U.S. society, Latin American Society, the economy, workforce, education, media, culture, healthcare, and law enforcement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 491. Immigration Reform and the 2014 Election. 3 Credit Hours.
This is a unique experience that will include high-profile guest speakers. The course encourages active student participation through social media. We will examine the debate on immigration including both documented and undocumented workers. The course examines the impact of recent waves of immigration on U.S. society, market, workforce, education, media, culture, healthcare, and law enforcement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
POL 499. Special Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 501. Budget and Financial Management and Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
Role of the budget in shaping public policy; managing public revenues; budgetary theory, politics, and fiscal management. Examples from state, municipal and federal governments.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

POL 502. Politics of Civil Rights. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of civil rights policy and politics from Reconstruction to the present, with a focus on the enactment of landmark civil rights bills in the 1960s.
Prerequisite: POL 201.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 503. Organizational Dynamics and Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Organizational dynamics and management in public and non-profit organizations. Focus on organizational theories, leadership, behavior, goals, effectiveness, and change, with an emphasis on the distinctiveness of public organizations, public-private partnerships, new public management, and digital governance.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 504. Biology and Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
Political scientists traditionally study political decision-making as a product of individual level characteristics. For example, a person’s partisan identification is highly predictive of their vote choice. Political scientists have also begun to assess the influence of social forces on our politics. For example, it has been shown that everyday discussions about politics with friends, neighbors, and coworkers influence political attitudes and behaviors. More recently, political scientists have begun to examine the influence that our biology has on our politics. This seminar is a survey of this growing area of research.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

POL 506. From Plato Through Rawls. 3 Credit Hours.
Political thought of the past with more recent insights and concepts, often drawn from the work of theorists who question what is taken for granted in traditional political theory.
Prerequisite: POL 201 or POL 202 or POL 203 or INS 101.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 508. Equity and Diversity in Public Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
Federal and state policies, laws, and court decisions as means for helping public administrators develop policies and procedures that meet legal requirements and recognize the values of equity and diversity in the treatment of its citizenry and public employees.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 509. Issues in Judicial Pol.. 3 Credit Hours.
The Supreme Court of the United States (SCOTUS) through the lens of upcoming cases on the SCOTUS’s docket and through recently decided cases that were of important legal precedent.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
POL 510. Statistics for Politics and Public Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the use of statistics to conduct quantitative research (i.e., statistics) in political science and public administration. The course emphasizes hands-on data work. Students will learn how to perform political analyses – and present findings in an appropriate manner – using SPSS statistical software.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 511. Security in the Arabian Peninsula. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines the security environment of the Arabian Peninsula.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 512. Advanced Political Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
This course teaches students how to do social science research using the applied techniques of statistics and case study analysis while exposing them to research in the leading sub-fields of political science. Students will produce an original paper that evaluates an academic question using empirical social science evidence.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 513. Models of Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
Hands-on examination of the process by which quantitative and qualitative models are constructed in political science. The course focuses on the creative aspect of model building and diverse forms of theory construction.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 514. Art and Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores the issues of, political legitimacy, international relations, and concepts of justice by examine the interrelatedness of works of art and politics.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

POL 515. Media Content Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
There are few facets of our lives which are not directly affected by media content. From cell phones to televisions, the media is with us all the time. But what messages are contained in the mass media? What methods can we employ to study media content scientifically? This course will explore methods of analyzing media sources including movies, newspapers, magazines, and television Course topics will include political bias, campaign coverage, and news content. Students will design their own projects and implement their own coding strategies.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 516. Experiments in Political Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines the experimental method in the study of politics.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

POL 517. Introductory Statistical Methods in Political Science. 3 Credit Hours.
The tools needed to manipulate and analyze quantitative data rigorously so you may answer questions of political interest. First in a two-course sequence (followed by POL 518).
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 518. Advanced Statistical Methods in Political Science. 3 Credit Hours.
The maximum likelihood framework for statistical inference in the study of politics. Second in a two-course sequence (preceded by POL 517).
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
POL 519. Introduction to Game Theory for Political Science. 3 Credit Hours.
The rudiments of non-cooperative game theory. Mainly intended for political science students, but presents applications from other academic disciplines such as economics, business administration, sociology, and psychology.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

POL 520. Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
Provides advanced political science majors with an opportunity to participate in a structured, supervised internship. 25-35-page research paper required. Permission of instructor is required before starting the internship.
Requisite: Plan of Political Science.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 521. Public Affairs Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
Opportunity for the advanced student specializing in public administration to participate in an administrative capacity in an agency of state or local government. Periodic conferences with adviser and paper required. Permission of instructor is required before starting the internship.
Requisite: Plan of Political Science.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 522. Introduction to Graduate Public Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to concepts, issues, problems, theories and process in the field of public administration and/or public management.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

POL 523. Problems in Public and Non-Profit Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Nature of the power vested in administrative bodies and problems involved in management procedures. Special emphasis on local or non-profit administration.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 524. Non-Profit Organizations: Law, Policy, and Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course teaches students the essential requirements for creation and operation of tax-exempt nonprofit organization in accordance with state and federal law. The course covers a wide range of relevant topics including guidelines for charitable giving and charitable solicitation, pitfalls that can result in personal liability for officers and directors, and statutory constraints on legislative lobbying and political activities.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 525. Comparative Public Policy and Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
Comparison and analysis of the organizational and managerial policy problems of developed and developing nations. The administrative process will be considered within the institutional and cultural framework of each nation. Case studies will be used to focus on transition from traditional to modern techniques of public management.
Prerequisite: POL 202.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 526. Administrative Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Administrative law is the study of the legal relationship of government agencies to legislatures, courts, and private parties. The course examines the legal dimensions of bureaucratic power and procedures as well as constitutional and statutory constraints on regulators and administrators. Topics include rule making, adjudication, investigation and enforcement, political controls on agencies, judicial review of agency decisions, governmental liability and immunity, public records and open meetings laws. Both federal law and Florida law are covered. The course assumes a basic knowledge of the American legal system, constitutional law and bureaucracy.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
POL 527. Comparative Political Institutions. 3 Credit Hours.
The concept of institutionalism by studying three major sets of democratic institutions: electoral systems, legislatures, and political regimes.
Prerequisite: POL 202.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 528. Advanced Seminar on Electoral Behavior. 3 Credit Hours.
This seminar examines the opinions that Americans have and how those opinions are expressed through participation in elections. At the end of the semester we will also examine other forms of political participation (e.g., interest groups).
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 529. Conducting U.S. Elections. 3 Credit Hours.
Fair and free democratic elections are the heart of US democracy. This course will examine who gets to vote, whether election laws and rules are fair (and fairly implemented), and proposals to reform the way elections are run.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 530. Intelligence and National Security Decision Making. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will study the US national security community structure and decision making process. The course will look at the National Security Council, the principal national security agencies (such as the CIA, Defense Department, and State Department), how they interact, and their roles in dividing and executing policy. We will also examine the role and function of senior policy decision makers such as the President. We will study recent policy challenges such as Iraq and Afghanistan as examples of National Security policy.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 531. Global Environmental Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of the environment within the context of economic globalization. Contrasts the international trading regime and those regimes designed to protect the environment, with specific attention to the issues of global warming and bio-diversity.
Prerequisite: POL 203 or INS 101.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 532. Art and Politics in Paris. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of the relationship between narratives, aesthetics (beauty) and the political/social world. By successfully completing this course, students will understand how humans interpret the political, social, and physical world through narrative. Come to see how most/all political controversies involve competing narratives. How false narratives are deployed to manipulate the public. Realize that through art important analytical arguments are made, which impart substantial insight into social, political, and physical phenomena. See how philosophy is intelligently conveyed through art - including approaches to political legitimacy, justice, and how important analytical arguments are made. To analyze the relationship between art and politics, we draw on renaissance, modern, contemporary, and indigenous art. Paris is arguably the center of the art world, with a number of museums holding a surfeit of socially and politically important works. We visit a number of these museums. After visits to these museums, time in class will be dedicated to discuss those works you, the students, find significant. A requirement for this class is a camera (a camera phone is acceptable), with which you photograph those works you’d like to discuss in class.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

POL 533. Courts and Controversy. 3 Credit Hours.
Course places the students in the role of advocate, justice, or court observer for the purposes of arguing and deciding current or recent Supreme Court cases.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 534. Applied Policy Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines a variety of policy problems through the framework of problem definition, formulation of alternatives, assessment of alternatives, and policy impact evaluation. Students will also be introduced to cost-benefit analysis and evaluation methods.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
POL 536. U.S. Health Care Crisis: Politics and Policies. 3 Credit Hours.
This seminar will explore the politics and policies of healthcare in the United States. Our examination of the current crisis in cost and coverage will draw on experience from the debates on comprehensive and incremental reform over the past decade. In addition, we will explore the politics and policies of other health and science issues. Students will be expected to attend every class and be actively involved in class discussions. There will be two examinations, one at mid-term and a final based on readings and course discussions.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

POL 537. Microeconomics for Public Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Describes and explains principles and theories of microeconomics in the context of public policy applications.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 540. Human Resource Management in Public Service. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics include human resource management in public service: job analysis and design, evaluation and appraisal, recruitment and interviewing, training and development, wages and benefits, and health and safety. Unionization, regulation of wages, hours and working conditions, financial security for workers, manpower planning and job anti-discrimination legislation are considered.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 541. Philosophy of Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Case-based study of jurisprudence designed to illuminate and explain philosophies of law. Examination of theories of free expression; bio-ethical matters; theories of punishment and legal responsibility; and the placement of religious discourses in liberal systems of law. Special attention to cases involving fundamental rights and liberties; the role of the individual and the state in civil society; and the capacities of individual to be legally competent in contemporary systems of law.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 544. Chinese Foreign Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: POL 203 or INS 101.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 545. Environmental Policy Making. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of different ethical approaches to the environment; the federal government's management of natural resources; selected environmental policies; international environmental policy issues. Topics include federal management of national grazing lands, national forests, and minerals in the public domain. Analyzes environmental policies such as air, water, toxic wastes, energy, and environmentally-related issues in international trade and national security.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 546. Public Policy Process and Implementation. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of public policy issue areas including education, health, welfare, urban mass transit. Limits to effectiveness of federal, state and local governments in providing services. Techniques for analyzing the effectiveness of public policies; research techniques for the assessment of future policy alternatives.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 547. Congressional Representation. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines how and when citizens influence legislators' behavior. More specifically, we examine how legislators' floor behavior reflects citizens' preferences and how these preferences influence the manner in which legislators build electoral coalitions.
Requisite: POL 201 Or POL 202 Or POL 203 Or INS 101.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
POL 548. Civic Participation and Democracy. 3 Credit Hours.
Citizens participate in the governing process by communicating their preferences and pressuring the government to respond. In this course we examine these various mechanisms of "civic participation", and discuss the meaning and consequences of participatory democracy. The course focuses on the contemporary United States, but we will devote some time to discuss civic participation in other countries as well.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 549. Energy Policy: Technology, Politics, and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
An interdisciplinary introduction to energy policy, focusing on studying three major and interrelated themes from a comparative perspective: technology, politics, and society. Covers energy policy examples from the United States, the European Union, China, India, and other countries.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 550. Advanced Seminar on American Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
This seminar provides students with a survey of significant research on major topics in American Politics. We will read influential works of the past, as well as recent cutting-edge research. Particular attention will be paid to discussing the methods and theories used in the research we will read. The purpose of the course is to acquaint students with the literature on American Politics, while also providing an opportunity for students to develop skills in critically assessing and skillfully conducting social science research.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 551. Productivity in the Public and Non-Profit Sectors. 3 Credit Hours.
Definitions and measures of productivity. Evaluation of government programs, and methods of productivity improvement.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

POL 553. The Environmental Movement: Groups, Beliefs and Values. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of the origins and political impact of environmentalism in the United States and, to a lesser extent, in the global context. Impact of democratic participation on environmental politics.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 555. Total Quality Public Service Management: Achieving High Performance Government. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of the theory and practice of Total Quality Management (TQM) in the government and non-profit sector. Focuses on budgetary, customer service, employee and process improvements that facilitate increased public and non-profit performance. Special emphasis to TQM's contribution to improved service delivery.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 556. Politics and Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
Personal, professional, organizational, and societal levels of ethical analysis. Ethical theories will be reviewed and applied to actual cases that focus on public policy and/or the officials who create and implement it. Profiles of moral exemplars in public life will be examined. Course is usually offered during the January Intersession.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

POL 557. Ethical and Managerial Issues in Government, Business and Non-Profit Organization.. 3 Credit Hours.
Governments at all levels in this country—national (Larry Craig, David Vitter, Mark Foley, Bill Clinton, Randy Cunningham, Tom DeLay, William Jefferson, James Traficant, Robert Torricelli, Jack Abramoff), state (former Illinois, Louisiana, New York, Ohio, and Arizona governors), and local (Miami, Providence city officials; Miami-Dade, Broward, and Palm Beach counties)—have encountered scandals involving ethical wrongdoing. Businesses (Enron, Worldcom) and nonprofit organizations (Boy Scouts, United Way) have faced similar problems. Countless less-visible examples of unethical and ethical behavior occur in organizations daily. This course examines the causes and consequences of such actions and the managerial strategies and competencies needed to effectively cope with the ethical issues confronting individuals and organizations.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
POL 558. From Electronic Government to Digital Governance. 3 Credit Hours.
Graduate and advanced undergraduate seminar explores the transition from electronic government (e-gov) to digital or d-governance, emphasizing political participation, citizen-centric public administration and the proliferation of global information technologies and social media.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 559. International Organizations. 3 Credit Hours.
International organizations which, in addition to contributing to the solution of international problems, also help to provide rules and structures to manage state-to-state relationships.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 561. Ending Wars and Building Peace. 3 Credit Hours.
How local and international actors build sustainable peace strategically through peacekeeping, peace accords, reconciliation, education, human rights, international law, and state-building.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 563. Senior Thesis. 3 Credit Hours.
General reading, preparation of research design and collection of information for senior thesis.
Requisite: Plan of Political Science.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 564. Senior Thesis II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of POL 563: writing and defense of the theses.
Requisite: Plan of Political Science.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 565. The World Before European Domination. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines the historical roots of the contemporary international system, and questions the standard Eurocentric perspective on the rise of the West to a dominant position in the global system.
Prerequisite: POL 203 or INS 101.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 566. Activism. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores what activism is, the history and developments of activism around the world, and which activists strategies work best. Assignments will send students into the community to participate in local politics, work with local organizations, and engage in activism.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 569. LGBTI Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
Describes and explains global variance in government policies of interest to lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex citizens including sodomy laws, anti-discrimination ordinances, same-sex marriage and adoption, military service, and the right to change one’s sex or identify as neither male nor female. POL 344 or WGS 344 Strongly Recommended
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 570. Uniting States in International Perspective. 3 Credit Hours.
How states form and fragment; The main actors in nation formation; the elements of continuity and change; the impact outsiders can have on the process.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
POL 571. Sex, Babies, and the State. 3 Credit Hours.
In one of the most profound revolutions of the past century, gender roles have irreversibly changed and equal rights for women and men has become a stated goal in western societies, even if not the reality. This course examines policies on reproduction, work and the family in advanced industrialized countries including Latin American Countries.
Prerequisite: POL 202.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 572. Government and Business. 3 Credit Hours.
Government-business-society relations with emphasis on the social, economic, political, technological, ethical, and ecological environment.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 575. The Politics of Civil-Military Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
Course examines the relationship between states and their soldiers across various historical periods and regional contexts, and how this relationship has been altered in an era where the viability of old structures of state authority are no longer self-evident.
Prerequisite: POL 203 or INS 101.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

POL 576. On Violence: The Politics of Extremes. 3 Credit Hours.
Literary and theoretical treatments are considered for what they can tell us about the causes, characteristics and consequences of violence. These insights are enlisted to help us understand violence enacted by states against their societies, societies against states, and within society itself.
Prerequisite: POL 203 or INS 101.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

POL 577. Security in South Asia: The Conflicts of Afghanistan, Pakistan, and India. 3 Credit Hours.
The security system of South Asia’s northern reaches and the current conflict involving Afghanistan, Pakistan, and India: considerations of sovereignty and the role of frontiers in world politics.
Prerequisite: POL 203 or INS 101.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

POL 578. Energy and Security in Eurasia. 3 Credit Hours.
Engages the intersection of energy and security within the contested space of Eurasia.
Prerequisite: POL 202 or POL 203 or INS 101.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 579. The politics of post-communist transactions. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of the creation, breakdown, and aftermath of communist governments in Eastern Europe and the USSR. Develops a theoretical framework for understanding cross-national patterns of post-communist development in the context of country-specific experiences.
Prerequisite: POL 202.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 580. Ethnicity, Nationalism and Secession. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of the creation, breakdown, and aftermath of communist governments in Eastern Europe and the Soviet Union. Using empirical evidence from four case studies, develops a theoretical framework for understanding cross-national patterns of post-communist development in the context of country-specific experiences.
Prerequisite: POL 202 or POL 203 or INS 101.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
POL 581. Comparative Political Economy of Post-Industrial Democracies. 3 Credit Hours.
This seminar examines four key turning points in the development of capitalism: the industrial revolution, the aftermath of the depression and world wars, the oil crisis of the 1970's, and today's "globalization". We will compare the relationships between government and the economy in Western Europe, Canada, the U.S., Australia, New Zealand, and Japan in each period, and attempt to evaluate why these countries react similarly or differently to identical changes in world economy.
Prerequisite: POL 202.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 582. Political Economy of Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of the principal theoretical paradigms of the development process Comparative analysis of issues such as the role of the state, strategies of industrialization, changes in social structure, basic needs and the trade-offs between growth and equity.
Prerequisite: POL 202.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 584. Contemporary Latin American Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course assumes a basic knowledge of Latin American politics, and is designed to foster deeper understanding of political processes in the region and to provide an overview of key debates among political scientists specializing in Latin America. We discuss issues related to democratic consolidation, political participation, representation and governance.
Prerequisite: POL 202.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 585. Post-Communist Russian Foreign Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of the various forms of political movements in Latin America, including parties, populists and radical groups. Examines diverse means of organizing and mobilizing support, the range of goals sought, and the conditions that give rise to the various movements. Special attention to the contemporary revival of populism in the region and its implications for democracy. Prerequisite: POL 211 and 212 or graduate standing.
Prerequisite: POL 202.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 586. Conflict in the Middle East and Africa. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to major paradigms for the explanation of war and conflict in two of the most unstable regions of the world. Reading and class discussions on select cases of current and past conflicts in each region in order to discern patterns of conflict within and across regions, gain a clearer understanding of what drives violent conflict, and assess strategies of resolution.
Prerequisite: POL 202 Or POL 203 Or INS 101.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 587. Illicit Trade in the Global Economy. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines the rise of illicit trade, the actors and groups involved, and international and national attempts to stop it
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.

POL 588. Politics in China. 3 Credit Hours.
Development and nature of Chinese domestic politics in theory and practice; problems of political stability and conflict; the role of historical and cultural traditions, institutions, social, economic and personality factors in Chinese politics; process of change and problems of leadership succession; the significance of changes in the character and style of Chinese leadership.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

POL 589. Directed Research. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Provides an opportunity for students to assist faculty members with research for course credit. A student may only sign up if s/he has found a professor who has agreed to work with him/her. Does not count for credit in a 500-level seminar.
Components: RSC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
POL 590. Directed Reading. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Provides an opportunity for students to organize an independent study with a particular tenure-line faculty member. A student may only sign up if s/he has found a professor who has agreed to work with him/her. This course does not count for credit in a 500-level seminar.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 591. International Security. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis and evaluation of approaches to international conflict, resolution, reduction and stabilization such as international organization, law, collective security, balance of power, functionalism, world government, morality, and conscience. Special emphasis on recent problems and efforts at institutionalizing social control.
Prerequisite: POL 203 or INS 101.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 592. International Political Economy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to the study of International Political Economy (IPE). It combines a focus on the main theoretical and methodological approaches used in the study of IPE with the analysis of historical and contemporary issues.
Prerequisite: POL 203 or INS 101.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 593. International Relations of the Middle East. 3 Credit Hours.
Regional and inter-regional analysis of the foreign relations of Middle Eastern nations, domestic and geopolitical factors.
Prerequisite: POL 203 or INS 101, and POL 387.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 594. European Security. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines regional security in Europe, focusing on NATO expansion, EU expansion, Russian foreign policy, and related issues.
Prerequisite: POL 203 or INS 101.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 595. Special Topics in Political Theory and Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
A seminar in Political Theory and Methods; designed to give the student a greater degree of insight and knowledge of a particular subject and to develop ability in the techniques of individual research, group discussion and analysis. The senior seminars may be taken in any sequence.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 596. Special Topics in Public Administration, Policy, and Law. 3 Credit Hours.
A seminar in public policy, administration and law; designed to give the student a greater degree of insight and knowledge of a particular subject and to develop ability in the techniques of individual research, group discussion and analysis. The senior seminars may be taken in any sequence.
Components: SEM.
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Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 597. Special Topics in International Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
A seminar in International Relations; designed to give the student a greater degree of insight and knowledge of a particular subject and to develop ability in the techniques of individual research, group discussion and analysis. The senior seminars may be taken in any sequence.
Components: SEM.
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Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 598. Special Topics in Comparative Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
A seminar in Comparative Politics; designed to give the student a greater degree of insight and knowledge of a particular subject and to develop ability in the techniques of individual research, group discussion and analysis. The senior seminars may be taken in any sequence.
Prerequisite: POL 202.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
POL 599. Special Topics in American Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
A seminar in American Politics; designed to give the student a greater degree of insight and knowledge of a particular subject and to develop ability in the techniques of individual research, group discussion and analysis.

Components: SEM.

Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

B.A. in Political Science

Program Overview

The major in political science requires 30 credit hours in POL courses. 21 of those credits must be completed in residence.

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Please note that some courses cover more than one sub-field. Students may not, however, use a single class to fulfill multiple sub-field requirements.

Please note that for the Natural Science Area of Knowledge Requirement degree candidates must earn at least 3 credit hours in the Natural Sciences. Departments offering these courses include Anthropology (only APY 203), Biology, Chemistry, Ecosystem Science and Policy (only ECS 111, ECS 112, ECS 202), Geography (only GEG 120), Geological Sciences, Marine Sciences (except MSC 313, MSC 314), Physical Sciences, and Physics. These credit hours may double count with any other requirement.

* All majors must complete a quiz for graduating seniors (to be used for assessment purposes) during their last semester of coursework.

** To satisfy the Advanced Writing & Communication proficiency requirement, students majoring in political science must complete at least one of the four required writing-intensive courses in the Department of Political Science.

*** A student may only share (i.e., "double count") maximally 6 credits between majors and minors offered by the Department of Political Science.

**** To count toward the major, each course must be completed with a grade of C- or above, with an overall GPA of 2.0 or above.

Suggested Plan of Study

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Mission
The Department of Political Science (POL) is a community of scholars and students seeking a deeper understanding of politics, and fosters a commitment to lifelong learning, intellectual growth, and civic responsibility. POL is dedicated to helping students develop analytical abilities, communication skills, and the awareness of political processes in a complex global society. We provide students with rigorous training in the field of political science, and exposure to new knowledge through empirical social science research.

Goals
Political science majors gain an understanding of American political and legal life, the workings of other countries' political and economic systems, the relations among countries in the international arena, and key concepts in both political philosophy and social science methodology.

Student Learning Outcomes
- Students will develop knowledge of key political science concepts.
- Students will develop the ability to analyze evidence and draw reasoned conclusions.
- Students will develop the ability to communicate clearly in written form.

B.A. in Public Administration

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¹ To qualify for the minor at least 9 credit hours must be earned in residence.

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Minor in Public Administration

http://www.as.miami.edu/politicalscience/
Program Overview
The undergraduate minor in public administration requires 15 credit hours in POL courses.

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1 A minimum grade of C- or better and a 2.0 gpa are required for all courses within the department.
2 A minimum of 9 credits must be earned in residence, thus a maximum of 6 credits can be transferred in.
3 One of the two elective courses must be a 500 level course.

Psychology
http://www.psy.miami.edu

Dept. Code: PSY

Introduction
Psychology is the study of how individuals think, behave, feel, and relate to others. Because of its broad and fundamental nature, the psychology major prepares students for graduate study and/or careers in a wide range of people-oriented professions (e.g., psychology, medicine, law, business,
Psychology majors learn about human behavior and gain the analytical and critical thinking skills that are highly-valued in the workforce.

Educational Objectives
The Department of Psychology seeks to provide students with exposure to and a fundamental understanding of psychological science by delivering an integrative educational experience and promoting interactions among faculty, graduate students, and undergraduate students in basic and applied psychological inquiry, advising, mentoring, and community outreach.

Degree Programs
The Department of Psychology offers a Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) and a Bachelor of Science (B.S.) degree.

Departmental Honors
Students can earn Departmental Honors in Psychology by demonstrating excellence in their course work and completing a Senior Honors Thesis in Psychology.

1. Excellence in Coursework – A minimum 3.3 combined GPA and a minimum 3.5 psychology GPA is required.

2. Senior Honors Thesis in Psychology – This is an independent empirical research project that is completed across two semesters (i.e., PSY 580 and PSY 581) under the supervision of a faculty mentor in the Department of Psychology. At least one year of prior research experience with the faculty mentor is highly recommended. Written approval from the faculty mentor and the Director of Undergraduate Academic Services is also required.

PSY 106. Freshman Advising Contact Term (Fact). 1 Credit Hour.
Educates students about the structure and function of a research university, introduces them to the academic rules and regulations of the University of Miami and the Department of Psychology, enables them to think critically about their own graduation plan, and prepares them to enter the professional world.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 110. Introduction to Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of modern scientific psychology. Topics include learning, memory, perception, cognition, personality, motivation, emotion, development, abnormal psychology, and social psychology. Participation in a small number of experiments is required to ensure that students become acquainted first hand with the experimental laboratory methods used in Psychology. Students may choose to satisfy this requirement by writing a small number of methodology papers instead.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PSY 175. Special Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 190. Faculty Overview of Research and Undergraduate Mentoring (FORUM). 1 Credit Hour.
Critical discussion of research reports in psychology.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 206. Transfer to the University of Miami (TUMS). 1 Credit Hour.
Educates students about the structure and function of a research university, introduces them to the academic rules and regulations of the University of Miami and the Department of Psychology, enables them to think critically about their own graduation plan, integrates them into the social atmosphere of the University, and prepares them to enter the professional world.
Requisite: Permission of a UASP advisor, C- or higher in PSY 110.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
PSY 210. Social Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
The major theories, methods and research findings in social psychology. Attitude formation and change, person perception, interpersonal attraction, aggression, group structure, leadership, conformity and mass phenomena. Emphasizes the individual as the basic unit of analysis (compare SOC 302). Prerequisite: C- or higher in PSY 110.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 220. Psychobiology. 3 Credit Hours.
Behavior viewed from a biological perspective. Survey of biological factors subserving sensation, perception, sleep, emotions, motivation, learning, memory, and development. Prerequisite: C- or higher in PSY 110.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 230. Child and Adolescent Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey of significant aspects of growth and development throughout the lifespan. Emphasis placed on childhood and adolescence. Prerequisite: C- or higher in PSY 110.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PSY 240. Abnormal Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Diagnostic formulations of the clinical syndromes; theories of psychopathological states. Prerequisite: C- or higher in PSY 110.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 250. Cognitive Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey of theory and research on human information processing and cognitive processes. Prerequisite: C- or higher in PSY 110.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 260. Personality Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of the area of personality, including the relation of personality to general psychology, history of theory and research in the field, definition, assessment, and research findings in major substantive areas. Prerequisite: C- or higher in PSY 110.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 270. Industrial and Organizational Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Applications of psychology in business, industry, and to organizational effectiveness in general. Supervisory, leadership, morale, personnel selection, training, human factors engineering, and consumer psychology. Prerequisite: C- or higher in PSY 110.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 275. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the features that characterize science and the ways that pseudoscience (e.g., ESP, astrology, energy therapy, aliens, ghosts) deviates from these. Students will learn about the factors that influence human thinking, decision making, and behavior as well as how to critically evaluate the credibility of claims and arguments. This course will help students improve their analytical and reasoning skills, support their arguments and evaluate the arguments made by others, and become better consumers of information. Prerequisite: C- or higher in PSY 110.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
PSY 280. Introduction to Research Projects I. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students assist on a research project in psychology under supervision of a faculty member. Activities include library research, data collection and management, and attendance at research team meetings.
Prerequisite: PSY 110. Requisite: Permission of a UASP advisor.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PSY 290. Introduction to Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to research methods in psychology. We will discuss the scientific concepts, principles, and ways of thinking that are central to the study of psychology. Topics to be covered include the goals of psychological research, ethical issues in the design and implementation of research studies, research design strategies and types of measurement, and methods of presenting data. A variety of in-class assignments will provide students with the opportunity to reflect upon the ways in which research is conducted, presented, and interpreted.
Prerequisite: PSY 110 and MTH 101 or mathematics placement above MTH 101. Corequisite: PSY 291. Requisite: PSY or NEU major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 291. Introduction to Biobehavioral Statistics. 3 Credit Hours.
The basics of descriptive and inferential statistics, but the focus will be on the latter. We will cover only enough descriptive statistics to enable us to introduce the inferential concepts of regression, t-tests ANOVA and Chi Square.
Prerequisite: PSY 110 and MTH 101 or mathematics placement above MTH 101. Co-requisite: PSY 290. Requisite: PSY or NEU Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PSY 292. Introduction to Biobehavioral Statistics for Non-Majors. 3 Credit Hours.
The basics of descriptive and inferential statistics, but the focus will be on the latter. Descriptive statistics to introduce the inferential concepts of regression, t-tests ANOVA and Chi Square.
Prerequisite: PSY 110 and MTH 101 or math placement above MTH 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PSY 305. Introduction to Research and Graduate School. 1 Credit Hour.
Introduction to research and graduate school in psychology and psychology-related fields. The course will focus on different opportunities available to students at the University and on the graduate school application process.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 306. Introduction to Research and Graduate School. 1 Credit Hour.
Introduction to research and graduate school in psychology and psychology-related fields. The course will focus on different opportunities available to students at tile University and on the graduate school application process.
Requisite: Permission of a UASP advisor, 2.5 PSY GPA and 12 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

PSY 310. Attitudes and Persuasion. 3 Credit Hours.
An analysis of the major theories and research findings relating to attitude formation and change, including a review of widely used persuasion techniques.
Requisite: 2.5 PSY GPA and 12 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292 or 2.5 PSY GPA, 9 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292, and 3 credits in MKT, CAD, COM, COS, CNJ, CPR, or CVJ courses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 311. Emotion. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory and research concerning the development, arousal, and expression of emotional reaction.
Requisite: 2.5 PSY GPA, 12 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292 or 2.5 PSY GPA, 9 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292, and 3 credits in BIL courses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
PSY 312. Psychology of Gender. 3 Credit Hours.
Psychological theories and research related to understanding issues of gender across the lifespan.
Requisite: 2.5 GPA, 12 Credits in PSY including PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PSY 313. Romantic Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to how social scientists think about, study, and intervene with romantic relationships.
Requisite: 2.5 GPA, 12 Credits in PSY including PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 320. Psychology of Drugs and Behavior. 3 Credit Hours.
The psychological and physiological effects of drugs. Includes psychosocial aspects of drug use and the treatment and prevention of abuse. An introduction to psychopharmacology.
Requisite: 2.5 PSY GPA, 12 credits in PSY courses including PSY 220 and PSY 291 or PSY 292 or 2.5 PSY GPA, 9 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292, and 3 credits in BIL 150 or higher or CHM 111 or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 330. Psychology of Language Development. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of language acquisition, primarily focusing on infancy through 5 years. Topics covered include biological bases of language, sound discrimination abilities, babbling and speech production.
Requisite: 2.5 GPA and 12 Credits in PSY courses including PSY 230, PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 331. Psychology of Adulthood and Aging. 3 Credit Hours.
Major developments during the middle and later years of adulthood including changes in family and peer relationships, cognitive changes, physical changes, and psychological aspects of death and dying.
Requisite: 2.5 GPA and 12 Credits in PSY courses including PSY 230, PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 345. Abnormal Child Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Reviews definitions, theories, and causes of mental and cognitive disorders in youth, including anxiety, depression, conduct problems, and learning and intellectual disabilities.
Requisite: 2.5 GPA and 12 Credits in PSY courses including PSY 230, PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PSY 355. Psychology of Thinking and Learning in Children. 3 Credit Hours.
Development of perceptions, thought, and language processes throughout the lifespan with an emphasis on early and middle childhood.
Requisite: 2.5 GPA and 12 Credits in PSY courses including PSY 230, PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 356. Psychology of Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities. 3 Credit Hours.
The etiological, social, and psychological aspects of intellectual and developmental disabilities.
Requisite: 2.5 PSY GPA and 12 credits in PSY courses including PSY 230 and PSY 291 or PSY 292 or 2.5 PSY GPA, 9 credits in PSY courses including PSY 230 and PSY 291 or PSY 292, and 3 credits in BIL or TAL courses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
PSY 360. Personality Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
The role of structure, development, dynamics, individual differences, assessments, and deviations.
Requisite: 2.5 GPA, 12 Credits in PSY including PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 370. Psychology of Human Sexual Behavior. 3 Credit Hours.
Interaction of biological and social factors in normal sexual development, and behavior patterns; etiologies of dysfunctions, paraphilias and gender-identity disorders; assessment and intervention procedures.
Requisite: 2.5 PSY GPA and 12 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292 or 2.5 PSY GPA, 9 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292, and 3 credits in BIL 150 or higher, CHM 103 or higher or HCS 212.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 371. Stress Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Physiology and psychology of stress, with emphasis on mind-body (stress-health) connection. Integrates scientific knowledge with practice techniques such as muscle relaxation, cognitive restructuring, meditation, anger management, yoga, exercise, assertiveness training, and social support.
2.5 PSY GPA and 12 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 372. Applied Behavioral Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
The concepts, methods, and procedures used in behavior analytic research and clinical work. In this course, students will become familiar with the scientific foundations of behavioral science and the basic concepts and principles of behavior analysis. The course will emphasize terminology and definitions of behavioral concepts, as well as introduce the application of those concepts to bring about behavior change.
2.5 PSY GPA and 12 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

PSY 375. Special Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Requisite: 2.5 GPA, 12 Credits in PSY including PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 380. Introduction to Research Projects II. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students assist on a research project in psychology under supervision of a faculty member. Activities include library research, data collection and management, and attendance at research team meetings.
Requisite: Permission of a UASP advisor, 2.5 PSY GPA, and 12 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PSY 390. Intermediate Research Methods and Biobehavioral Statistics. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will conduct two (or more) pre-planned experiments. For each experiment, students will analyze the data and write up the components of a research report. In addition, students will receive detailed feedback on the assignments they submit, as an aid to improving their writing skills, reinforcing and reviewing their knowledge of research design and methodology, and expanding their understanding of statistical analyses as well as their interpretation and presentation.
Requisite: 2.5 GPA and 12 Credits in PSY including PSY 290 and PSY 291 or PSY 292 or 9 credits in PSY including PSY 290, and PSY 291 or PSY 292, BIL 268 or NEU 280, NEU 380 or NEU 480.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 391. Tests and Measurements. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory and principles of construction, use, evaluation, and interpretation of psychological tests and testing procedures.
Requisite: 2.5 GPA, 12 Credits in PSY including PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
PSY 410. Social Interaction Processes. 3 Credit Hours.
An in-depth analysis of variables leading to, and processes involved in, human social interactions ranging from superficial encounters to intimate relationships.
Requisite: 2.5 PSY GPA and 15 credits in PSY courses including PSY 210, PSY 291 or PSY 292 and PSY 390.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 411. Relationships and Health. 3 Credit Hours.
Interpersonal processes that play out in the course of chronic physical illnesses. An integrated foundation on theories and concepts of interpersonal relationships in psychology and a comprehensive introduction to how these theories and concepts can be applied to relationships among family members dealing with physical illnesses. Students will be introduced to diverse perspectives on interpersonal relationships and to a broad perspective on physical illnesses as “family” diseases, across the illness trajectory.
Requisite: 2.5 PSY GPA and 15 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292 and PSY 390.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 412. Social and Cultural Neuroscience. 3 Credit Hours.
Human neuroimaging research on social behavior (e.g., person perception, intergroup relations, and social learning), and the relationships between culture and the brain (e.g., cultural learning and neural mechanisms underlying cross-cultural differences). The course will also cover foundations of social and cultural neuroscience (e.g., shared and unique aspects of human culture and social behavior, and techniques for studying culture and social behavior using neuroscience methods).
Requisite: 2.5 PSY GPA and 12 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 413. Cultural Diversity in Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
An evaluation of psychology from cultural perspectives and promote critical thinking about various topics within psychology. The first half of this course will cover topics such as research methods, enculturation, developmental processes, cognition, gender, sexuality, health, emotion, language, and communication from a cultural perspective. During the second half of the course we will discuss the role of culture in personality, abnormal psychology, treatment of abnormal behavior, social behavior and organizations.
Requisite: 2.5 PSY GPA and 12 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 425. Psychobiology. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic neuroanatomy, neurophysiology, and neurochemistry followed by an introduction to the physiological bases of sensation, motor systems, motivation, emotion, learning and memory.
Requisite: 2.5 PSY GPA, 15 PSY credits including PSY 220, PSY 290, PSY 291 or PSY 292 or 2.5 PSY GPA, 12 Credits in PSY including PSY 290, and PSY 291 or PSY 292, BIL 150.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 426. Health Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
The psychosomatic and biopsychosocial models of illness.
Requisite: 2.5 PSY GPA, 15 credits in PSY courses including PSY 220, PSY 290, and PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 427. Psychoneuroimmunology. 3 Credit Hours.
The most current literature in psychoneuroimmunology (PNI) allowing students to connect psychological, neuroendocrine and immunological processes and mechanisms. Students will apply this information within the context of chronic disease prevention, progression and intervention.
Requisite: 2.5 PSY GPA and 12 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
PSY 430. Psychology of Infancy. 3 Credit Hours.
Perceptual, motor, cognitive and social development during the first two years of life. Specialized research methods and assessment procedures.
Requisite: 2.5 PSY GPA; 15 PSY credits, including PSY 230, PSY 291 or PSY 292, PSY 390.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 431. Psychology of Social and Emotional Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Social and emotional growth; topics include family and peer relationships, sex roles, self-control, and moral development.
Requisite: 2.5 PSY GPA; 15 PSY credits, including PSY 230, PSY 291 or PSY 292, PSY 390.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 432. Prenatal Development. 3 Credit Hours.
A detailed understanding of prenatal development including conception, embryonic and fetal development, and birth. The effects and interplay of genetic and environmental factors on the health and well-being of the developing baby will be discussed throughout the course. The important role of preconception and prenatal care will also be discussed.
Prerequisite: GPA of 3.0 or higher;PSY 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 445. Cultural, Values, Religiosity, and Mental Illness. 3 Credit Hours.
Cultural differences in the manifestations, course, and outcome of severe mental illness (those in which psychosis is likely to occur). This seminar also explores the growing body of research on the relationship between chronic mental disorders and the following socio-cultural factors: ethnicity, religious values, family cohesion, attributions of control, and world-view. Finally, we will explore cultural differences in societies’ reactions to, and treatment of mentally ill patients.
2.5 PSY GPA and 12 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 446. Issues in Clinical Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
The scientific and theoretical bases of psychotherapy. The course has three distinct components: (1) An introduction to the concept of psychotherapy, including its historical context and the research evidence supporting its efficacy and effectiveness; (2) An interactive overview of major theories underpinning the practice of psychotherapy; and (3) A brief review of evidence-based treatment models for varying forms of psychopathology and clinical conditions.
2.5 PSY GPA and 12 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 455. Evolution and Sex. 3 Credit Hours.
A biological/evolutionary approach to the study of human sexuality and cognition. The evolution of sexual reproduction and the evolution of the two sexes. Initial discussions will introduce the theory of evolution by natural selection and address the different levels at which selection operates. Building on this foundation, the class will focus on why sex evolved and the myriad physiological and psychological adaptations that evolved as a consequence. Topics to be covered include sexual selection, mate selection, pregnancy, and parent-offspring conflict.
Requisite: 2.5 PSY GPA, 15 credits in PSY courses including PSY 290 and PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 456. Genetic and Developmental Disorders. 3 Credit Hours.
The diagnostic, etiological, and intervention issues in genetic and developmental disorders with a particular emphasis on the current state-of-the-science with regard to empirically supported concepts. The course will present information that will allow students a greater understanding of specific disorders and strategies for understanding developmental problems. Current research will be placed within a contemporary context that seeks to integrate educational, psychological and biomedical disciplines.
2.5 PSY GPA and 12 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
PSY 471. Positive Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Presents an introduction to the core assumptions and research findings in the field of positive psychology; explores interventions and applications informed by this field as applied to personal well-being, social relationships, and psychotherapy.
2.5 PSY GPA and 12 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 472. Evolutionary Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Evolutionary psychology integrates concepts and evidence from evolutionary biology, behavioral ecology, anthropology, and cognitive science to better understand the evolved cognitive underpinnings of human behavior. The course covers topics such as natural selection, inclusive fitness, life history theory, emotions, aggression, cooperation, mating, morality, and religion.
2.5 PSY GPA and 12 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 474. Special Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Requisite: 2.5 PSY GPA and 15 credits in PSY courses including PSY 290 and PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 480. Research with Writing Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students assist on a research project in psychology under supervision of a faculty member. Activities include library research, data collection and management, and attendance at research team meetings. Students are also expected to complete a writing component that fulfills the University's criteria to receive writing credit.
Requisite: Permission of a UASP advisor, 2.5 PSY GPA and 15 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292, PSY 390.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PSY 490. Advanced Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will develop, conduct and write up two research projects: (i) a project that uses descriptive methods and associated statistical techniques and (ii) a project that uses experimental methods and associated statistical techniques. These projects will integrate the concepts and skills learned in the Introductory and Intermediate Methods courses as well as the Introductory and Intermediate Statistics courses. Students will be asked to select a research topic and first develop a survey to examine the relationship between two predictor variables and an outcome variable. They will collect and analyze their data using correlational techniques (e.g., regression analyses) and will write up a methods and results section. Next, students will turn their descriptive study into an experiment. They will collect and analyze their data and write up a publishable research report that includes the findings from both the descriptive and experimental studies. The project will serve as a capstone, requiring them to find and critically evaluate relevant literature on their topic of choice, design a study taking into account time demands, sample characteristics and their effect on the hypotheses they are able to test, decide on instrument selection, consider potential extraneous and confounding variables (and how they will handle them if at all), select appropriate analyses for their data and hypotheses, and then present the results of their work in both poster and research report format.
Requisite: 2.5 PSY GPA, 15 PSY credits including PSY 291 or PSY 292, and PSY 390, Senior Status, BS in Psychology major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 491. Advanced Biobehavioral Statistics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course builds upon the material covered in PSY 390. After a brief review, analysis of variance and multiple regression will be covered using a general linear model (GLM) approach. The goal is to prepare students for graduate level work in applied statistics.
Requisite: 2.5 PSY GPA and 15 credits in PSY courses, including PSY 291 or PSY 292, PSY 390.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 520. Psychoneuroimmunology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to present some of the basic information necessary to interpret the current literature in psychoneuroimmunology (PNI) and to design research in this area.
Requisite: 2.8 PSY GPA, 18 credits in PSY, including PSY 390.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
PSY 540. Culture, Values, Religiosity, and Mental Illness. 3 Credit Hours.
Cultural differences in the manifestation, course, and outcome of serious mental disorders; the relationship between chronic mental disorders and ethnicity, religious values, family cohesion, attributions of control, and world view; cultural differences in societies' reactions to and treatment of mentally ill patients.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

PSY 575. Special Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Requisite: 2.8 PSY GPA, 18 PSY credits including PSY 390.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 580. Senior Honors in Psychology I. 3 Credit Hours.
Students work closely with a faculty member to design a unique research study and write a scientific paper to report on the results. Limited to undergraduate students only.
Requisite: Permission of UASP and faculty required, 3.5 Major GPA, 3.3 Combined GPA, PSY or NEU major, 18 PSY credits, including PSY 390.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PSY 581. Senior Honors in Psychology II. 3 Credit Hours.
Students work closely with a faculty member to design a unique research study and write a scientific paper to report on the results. Limited to undergraduate students only.
Requisite: Permission of UASP and faculty required, 18 PSY credits including PSY 580.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

B.A. or B.S. in Psychology

Overview
The major in psychology requires 33 credit hours in PSY courses. AP Credit for Statistics (i.e., PSY 292) cannot count toward the psychology major. Students who declare the psychology major after they transfer credit for PSY 292 or complete PSY 292 can use PSY 292 as a substitute for PSY 291.

Only 6 credit hours of the following may count toward the psychology major:

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All psychology majors who pursue a B.A. degree in the College of Arts and Sciences must complete a minor from the list of acceptable minors published by the College.

All psychology majors who pursue a B.S. degree in the College of Arts and Sciences must complete a minor in Biochemistry, Biology, Chemistry, Computer Science, Engineering, Geological Sciences, Marine Science, Mathematics, Microbiology and Immunology, or Physics.
## Curriculum Requirements - BA

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### Other Requirements

- Students must earn a minimum grade of C- in a PSY course to count it toward the psychology major.
- Students must have a minimum 2.8 combined, UM, and psychology GPA to declare the psychology major.
- Students are strongly advised not to continue with the psychology major if they have less than a 2.5 psychology GPA after 15 completed credit hours in psychology.
- Students must earn a minimum 2.3 psychology GPA and a minimum of 120 credit hours to graduate with the psychology major.
- Students must complete at least half of their psychology major in residence, including all 300, 400, and 500 level PSY courses.
- Only 6 PSY credit hours at the 300, 400, and 500 level may be taken through a UM Study Abroad Program with prior written approval.
Students completing a B.S. in Psychology must complete a minor in one of the following programs: Biochemistry, Biology, Chemistry, Computer Science, Engineering, Geological Sciences, Marine Sciences, Mathematics, Microbiology & Immunology, or Physics. Students who complete a second major in one of the mentioned fields are not required to complete a minor.

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**Mission**

In accordance with the goals of the University of Miami, the mission of the Department of Psychology is to acquire, advance, and disseminate knowledge within the psychological and biobehavioral sciences. In order to achieve these goals, the Department seeks a balance among several academic endeavors, including basic scientific research, applied research, undergraduate teaching, graduate teaching, professional training and development, and service to the community. In pursuing these activities, the Department seeks to attract and retain the highest quality faculty and students, foster respect for differences among people, nurture curiosity, and insist upon high standards of thought, study, and communication that should characterize the ethical, educated person.

**Goals**

In its undergraduate program, the Department seeks to provide students with exposure to, and a fundamental understanding of, the psychological sciences and related skills. Upon graduation, psychology majors will be able to apply this foundation to a variety of careers including business, law, human resources, and medicine. A psychology major will also prepare students for careers in psychology that do not require an advanced degree. The program seeks to deliver an integrative educational experience by promoting interactions among faculty, graduate students, and undergraduate students in basic and applied psychological inquiry, advising, mentoring, and community outreach.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Students will develop a fundamental knowledge base in psychology as a scientific discipline.
- Students will develop written communication skills related to the science of psychology.
- Students will develop research and quantitative skills through coursework and/or supervised laboratory experiences.
### Minor in Psychology

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1. Only 3 credit hours of PSY 280, PSY 380, and/or PSY 480 may count toward the minor.
2. PSY 106, PSY 190, PSY 206, PSY 305 do not count toward the minor.

* Students must earn a minimum grade of C- in a PSY course to count it toward the minor.
** Students must earn a minimum 2.0 psychology GPA to graduate with the minor.
*** Students must complete at least 9 of the 15 minor credit hours in residence, and only 3 of these credit hours may be taken through a UM Study Abroad Program with prior written approval.

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### Religious Studies

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**Dept. Code:** REL

#### Introduction

Religion is one fundamental way humans order and discern meaning and frame identity, both collective and individual. In the study of religion, students learn what religion is; how religion both shapes and reflects culture, society, politics, and individual experience; and the multiple ways religion matters and has mattered locally and globally, from antiquity to the present. Through the examination of varied disciplinary approaches and exposure to concrete diverse cultural expressions of religion, the department fosters students’ broad and deep apprehension of religion’s place(s) in human experience. The department’s educational work aims to strengthen students’ capacities to read carefully, question critically, communicate knowledge effectively, and apply their learning in civic engagement.

The University regards the academic study of religion as an integral part of liberal, humane learning and seeks to assist students in understanding the role religion plays in human existence and culture. Instruction in the Department of Religious Studies is non-sectarian and seeks an open analysis of all points of view. Courses are designed to provide a general orientation to the academic study of religion for the undergraduate student, as well as more advanced exposure for those who wish to pursue professional careers where a study of religious ideas and institutions would be helpful, such as in psychology, sociology, history, journalism, teaching, law, medicine, the fine arts, religious education, the ministry, and the rabbinate.

The Department sponsors a wide variety of speakers and events each year, including a Religious Studies Colloquium series and a Forum on Religion and Public Life. The Forum has enriched the existing curriculum by bringing to the campus outstanding scholars and public intellectuals.

#### Educational Objectives

The general educational objectives of the Department are

1. to explore texts, histories, and ways in which humans from various cultures have understood their world including the beliefs, ethics, rituals, artifacts, and organizations of religions;
2. to understand the changing relationship between religion and elements of the wider culture including the dynamics of politics, art, economics, literature, and society and their relationship to religions;
3. to become familiar with the theories and methods used in the study of religion.

#### Degree Programs

The Department offers two tracks by which students may earn a major or a minor. The first track is Religious Studies, which is designed for students who are seeking a broad and comprehensive understanding of the world's major religions and the cultures in which they are practiced. The second track is Religion and Health Care, which is designed for students who are interested in any aspect of health care or who wish to supplement their pre-med concentration with coursework in the field of Religious Studies.
Departmental Honors
The Department of Religious Studies encourages its majors and minors to intensify and deepen their knowledge of religious texts, traditions, and issues through its Departmental Honors Program. The program is designed to give our students the opportunity to explore various topics and problems in religion that are of particular interest to them, to work more closely with faculty in the department, to develop skills in research and thesis preparation, and in some cases to prepare for graduate work in religious studies or other disciplines.

Minimum requirements for the program are as follows:

1. A cumulative grade point average of at least 3.30;
2. A cumulative grade point average in religious studies of at least 3.50; and
3. A thesis that is approved by departmental faculty.

For the determination of honors, cumulative grade point average means either the average of all grades earned at the University of Miami or the combined average of all graded work taken at the University of Miami and elsewhere (whether or not the transfer work is accepted toward a degree at the University of Miami), whichever is lower.

Theta Alpha Kappa
Majors, minors, and other students who meet certain academic criteria are eligible for membership in Theta Alpha Kappa, the National Honor Society for Religious Studies and Theology. Theta Alpha Kappa sponsors events that enhance the academic and social life of the department.

URome
In keeping with its emphasis on a global approach to the study of religion and society, the Department sponsors a study abroad program known as URome. This semester-on-location program, which is open to all qualified University of Miami undergraduate students, is offered each spring semester in collaboration with the American University of Rome. A limited amount of scholarship support for the URome program is available for qualified Religious Studies majors and minors.

B.A. in Religion and Health Care
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Suggested Plan of Study

This plan of study includes

- A Secondary Major in Public Health
- Cognates in Understanding Business and Earth Stars Wind and Water

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Sociology
sociology.as.miami.edu

Dept. Code: SOC

Overview
The Major in Sociology provides scientific training for understanding the organization and fluid nature of contemporary society, patterns of social change, and the mutual influence between macro structures and processes (society and culture) on one hand, and the micro level (individuals and groups) on the other. Increasingly, sociologists are also focused on understanding the processes of globalization that are currently transforming contemporary societies.

Courses for both majors are designated SOC; see course list below. For information on Criminology please see the Criminology (p. 284) section of the Bulletin.

Educational Objectives
The undergraduate program in Sociology has as its main objective to provide students with:

1. A strong component of a social science education, training in analytical and statistical skills that are highly valued by potential employers;
2. A valuable undergraduate preparation for pursuing careers in such fields as environmental studies, public health, law, journalism, politics, public relations, business or public administration and in other fields that involve investigative or analytical skills or working with diverse groups;
3. An excellent and comprehensive training program for students wishing to pursue graduate work in programs leading to academic positions, research expertise, or work in the field of applied sociology.

Degree Programs
Students may earn a Bachelor of Arts degree in Sociology. The Department of Sociology also offers graduate programs leading to a PhD degree in the areas of:

- Criminology
- Medical Sociology
- Race, Ethnic Relations, and Immigration

Departmental Honors
Graduation with Departmental Honors is available to eligible students who fulfill the following:

1. Students desiring Departmental Honors in Sociology or Criminology must maintain an overall GPA of 3.3 and a GPA of 3.5 in Sociology or Criminology. They must also achieve a minimum of B in all Sociology/Criminology courses. For transfer students, the Department uses the cumulative, combined GPA calculated by the Office of the Registrar.
2. A student seeking Departmental Honors is required to write an independent research paper which is submitted to the Undergraduate Committee. The nature of the independent research project is determined by the faculty member(s) with whom the student works. This project is done in SOC 498 & SOC 499. The student should have the same professor(s) for all six credit hours.
3. Eligible students meeting requirements will need to complete the honors thesis agreement with their supervising faculty member and submit it to the Director of Undergraduate Studies in time for spring registration of their junior year.

Advanced Writing and Communication Requirement
To satisfy the College of Arts and Sciences Advanced Writing and Communication requirement, all Sociology majors must take 4 writing-designated courses, including 1 writing-designated course in the SOC area. Writing courses are regularly offered within the department; however, it is the student's responsibility to plan accordingly to incorporate a designated SOC writing-designated course into their graduation plans.

Alpha Kappa Delta
Majors, minors, and other students who meet certain academic criteria are eligible for membership in Alpha Kappa Delta, the International Sociology Honor Society. Alpha Kappa Delta sponsors events that enhance the academic and social life of the department.
SOC 101. Introduction to Sociology. 3 Credit Hours.
The scientific study of society and several sociological concepts, including, but not limited to: social theory, social research, social economy, social interaction, social class, social construction, gender stratification, race and ethnicity, family, and deviance. This course will help students to examine the social world around them using the sociological imagination. Students will learn how to connect research to concepts, deepening their understanding of the social world and social phenomena and develop critical thinking skills.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SOC 103. Social Problems. 3 Credit Hours.
Sociological theories and methods will be used to interpret data, evaluate social policies, and analyze the manner in which ideologies perceive and frame problems. This course will develop critical thinking skills necessary to assess social problems, as well as the ability to recognize, exercise, and develop one’s agency to address these issues.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 210. Introduction to Social Research. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides students with an overview of the social science research process and introduces them to the various methodological strategies used by social scientists. The various steps by which research is conducted will be examined such as study design and implementation, data collection and interpretation of findings. Students will also be able to critique the strengths and limitations of difference research methodologies.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SOC 211. Quantitative Methods for Sociologists. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to introduce students to descriptive and inferential statistics used in sociology, criminology, and other social sciences. We will cover measures of central tendency and variation, probability distributions, hypothesis testing, and bivariate techniques such as correlation and an introduction to regression.
Prerequisite: SOC 101, 210. Corequisite: 212.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SOC 212. Quantitative Methods Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
Statistical lab associated with SOC 211 introduces the use of computer statistical packages for analyzing quantitative data.
Prerequisite: SOC 101 and SOC 210 And Corequisite: SOC 211 or PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SOC 270. Deviant Behavior. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the study of deviant behaviors. We will examine the ways in which deviance is constructed and defined. Major sociological perspectives and theories will be applied in order to understand how they aid in the formation and development of social deviance. In addition, various forms of deviant behaviors will be discussed, including: drug use, sexual deviance, violence, suicide, LGBT issues, inequality and crime. The role of social control will also be examined in terms of how it impacts the way in which deviance is understood in society.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 271. Criminal Justice. 3 Credit Hours.
Provide students with both an introduction to the basics of the criminal justice system and a critical approach to contemporary issues in the field. We will focus on the nature of crime and how it is measured; issues in policing and law enforcement; the judicial system and legal process; sentencing; corrections; and prison life. Throughout the course we will focus on current controversies and debates, including such issues as the war on drugs, racism in the criminal justice system, violent crime rates, and incarceration rates.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
SOC 291. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Content will vary by semester.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

SOC 292. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to address a specific topic which will vary by semester.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 293. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to address a specific topic which will vary by semester.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 301. Social Organization. 3 Credit Hours.
The focus of this course is formal organizations, with an emphasis on the workplace. The topics that are discussed include theories of work, organizational paradigms, bureaucracy, impact of technology, unionization, and the new workplace. The fundamental theme is how organizational style influences productivity.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 302. Social Psychology: Sociological Perspective. 3 Credit Hours.
The influence of human groups, social processes, and social structures on behavior and self, with some attention devoted to the effect of social interaction on groups, processes, and structures. Topics of study include the development of the self, the process of social interaction, the significance of language, and the social construction of reality.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 303. Social Inequalities. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of the sociological approach to the analysis of structured socioeconomic inequality (a.k.a. "social stratification") in contemporary American society. In this regard, emphases are placed on identifying trends, causes, and consequences of the distribution of a wide range of material (e.g. income, wealth) and symbolic (status, prestige) rewards in American society.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 304. Dynamics of Poverty in the United States. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines trends in the incidence and causes of major types of poverty among the urban underclass, the homeless, migrant laborers, the working poor. Also explores policy-related solutions.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
SOC 305. Globalization and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
Concepts and theories that are currently in use to understand globalization both as a process and as a structure: social aspects and narratives of globalization, and theoretical sociological models as scaffolding for understanding many of the disparate characteristics of globalization. Globalization as it spans disciplinary division and its understanding: the emergence of novel economic forms and practices as a pivotal driving force for globalization. Human migrations and their consequences on cultural identity and diffusion, and the role of the technology in the creation and consolidation the global world. New and complex structures of socioeconomic inequality at national and at transnational levels, the disproportionately important roles that women play in these new structures of inequality, and the social forces and movements that have emerged to resist globalization or to alter it in important ways.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

SOC 306. Wealth and Poverty in Contemporary America. 3 Credit Hours.
The causes and consequences of rapidly changing patterns of concentration of socioeconomic resources, such as wealth and income in America. This changing concentration is associated with the proliferation of impoverishment and privilege in America. Analyzes macro-economic changes, demographic shifts, technological advances, and evolving ideological postures as sources of these trends.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

SOC 320. Social Epidemiology: Illness and Death in Society. 3 Credit Hours.
Social epidemiology and the sociological study of health and longevity. Specifically, this course examines the ways in which key sociological variables structure, shape, or patterns the health and longevity of the US population. This course covers several variables of sociological interest, including socioeconomic status, race/ethnicity, sex/gender, age, family status, and religion.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

SOC 321. Applied Health Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
The role of public and private institutions in health promotion, health care delivery, and health insurance. We will explore the theoretical and practical reasons for intervention in health-related decisions and health care markets, the related empirical evidence, and the effects of these interventions on health outcomes and social welfare. Students will understand how and why government and society in general attempts to influence health-related behaviors and health insurance markets, and the resulting effects on individuals' choices, expenditures, health outcomes, and overall quality of life.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

SOC 332. Collective Behavior. 3 Credit Hours.
Classical theories, issues, and research on fads, fashions, riots, crowd behavior, social movements and other forms of collective behavior.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 335. LGBTQ Communities. 3 Credit Hours.
Gender, race, age and class differences in the experiences of gays and lesbians. A life-span perspective guides the course after the presentation of some background of biological, psychological, and sociological theories pertaining to homosexuality.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

SOC 340. Sociology of Religion. 3 Credit Hours.
Social foundations of religion, growth and change within religious institutions and relationships of religion to other institutions.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
SOC 341. Social and Cultural Change. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey of major theories of change; analysis of the processes and mechanisms of change. Contemporary transitions in the underdeveloped regions of the world.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 342. Contemporary Latin American Societies. 3 Credit Hours.
Social characteristics of Latin American societies and their comparison with North American society.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 345. Population and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
Demographic analysis of fertility, mortality, sex-age structure, migration, urbanization and population control.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 350. Sociology of the Family. 3 Credit Hours.
A critical investigation of the family while applying sociological theories, perspectives, and concepts, based on current research in the field. As the family is an important institution in social life, and one in which we have all experienced in some way, we will see that there is not "one" particular way of experiencing this institution. The various definitions and versions of the family will be addressed historically, with an emphasis on how they are shaped by public perception. In addition, more recent trends in family life will be addressed, including cohabitation, marriage, divorce, parenthood, family policy, family structure, and marginalized family types.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 351. Business and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
The influence of business objectives, values, and ethics on American culture, moral standards, and societal institutions. A careful analysis of the choices made by individuals, companies, and governments will demonstrate that sensible "choice architecture" can successfully nudge people toward better decisions without restricting their freedom of choice. Specific topics include: corporate social responsibility; ethical issues in business; business and government in a global society; business and public policy: the corporation and the natural environment; business and technological change; and business relationships with consumers and employees.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 352. Sport and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
The status position and role of sport in society. Our primary focus will be upon delineating and analyzing sport as a major social institution in American society. Thus our perspective will be that of the sociologist (i.e., critical more in analysis than in judgement) rather than that of a sports journalist or sports fan. We shall examine both amateur and professional sports in terms of their interlocking relationships with each other and with other major social institutions (e.g., education, economics, and politics) as well as their significance for promoting and maintaining cultural values such as competition, fair play, teamwork, gender roles, and the like. The objective is to provide students with critical assessment and analytical skills for examining and understanding the impact of sports on both individuals and society.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 359. The Sociology of Human Sexuality. 3 Credit Hours.
A socio-historical survey of sexual ideologies, attitudes and behavior in human societies, with emphasis on social and biological factors.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
SOC 365. Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
Exposure to and insight into the operations of community non-profit or government based social service agencies. The course involves prearranged study and supervised work in a variety of organizations and institutions, affording students the opportunity to use their sociological imagination while providing a "hands-on" sociological experience in the local community.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SOC 368. Violence in America. 3 Credit Hours.
Issues relevant to the study of violence in the United States will be covered. While the emphasis throughout will be on street violence (i.e., homicide, robbery, rape, and aggravated assault), other forms (e.g., corporate violence, intimate partner violence) will also be covered. In particular, we will: Examine violence in historical, international, and situational contexts, examine the major explanations of violence, and examine the factors associated with violent crime. We will also consider how we seek to control violence in the U.S.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 369. Crime and Public Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
The dimensions and causes of the crime problem in America, and the uses and limits of the criminal justice system in dealing with it. We will examine the enormous expansion of the American prison system in recent years, and ask how much it has affected the crime rate. Additionally, we will consider a variety of possible strategies for preventing or controlling so-called "street" crime, both within the criminal justice system and beyond it-including prevention and rehabilitation programs as well as expanding social and economic opportunities. Along the way, we will pay particular attention to several controversial issues, including the death penalty, drugs, and gun control.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

SOC 370. Juvenile Delinquency. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of sociological perspectives and concepts to examine juvenile delinquency and the juvenile justice system. The course takes into account the various social factors that shape juvenile delinquency and its control, such as race, ethnicity, socioeconomic status, gender, and sexuality. In addition, students will take a critical view of the policies developed to control such behavior.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SOC 371. Criminology. 3 Credit Hours.
The concepts of crime and criminal law, reviews several theoretical approaches to studying crime and criminal behavior, and focuses on several types of crime. In particular, it includes such topics as definitions of crime, sources of crime statistics, correlates and causes of crime, terrorism, genocide, corporate crime, and cybercrime.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SOC 372. Criminology: Police and Community. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of policing in U.S. society. Interaction with groups and institutions. The overall objective of this course is to provide students with an understanding of the role of the police in American society. The source will focus on the sociological study of policing, not professional training to become a police officer. Students will gain a better understanding of the history of the police, their role in American society and in the American system of criminal justice. In addition, students will discuss and critique important issues and trends in modern policing
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.
SOC 373. Criminology: Courts and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
The importance of the criminal courts and the impact that the criminal courts have on society. You will gain a realistic sense of what it is like to work in and be a part of the criminal justice system. The roles and responsibilities of the major courthouse players will be discussed. You will discover the challenging situations that judges must navigate as well as the difficulties that confront prosecutors and defense attorneys as they deal with victims, defendants and crushing caseloads.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 374. Criminology: Corrections. 3 Credit Hours.
Corrections in the U.S. society; philosophies of rehabilitation, punishment, and incapacitation.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 375. Sociology of Mental Health and Illness. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to sociological theories and research regarding the definition, experience, and treatment of mental illness.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 377. Sociology of Drug Abuse. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of sociological perspectives and concepts to examine drug use and abuse. The course examines the historical and theoretical understanding of the social causes and consequences of drug use, as well as the correlates of use and abuse. The course also takes a critical perspective of the policies developed to reduce the harms associated with drug use and abuse.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 378. Criminology: Law and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
How law, crime, and justice systems in the United States relate to social structure. The course covers two major themes: lawmaking (and how it relates to lawbreaking) and the justice system.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 380. Sociology of Gender. 3 Credit Hours.
The phenomenon of gender in society using sociological theory and research. Topics of focus include the social construction of gender, gender identity, and gender discrimination within various social institutions such as the family, the educational system, the media, the world of employment, and more.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 381. Aging in Society. 3 Credit Hours.
The aging processes, the aged and social institutions; special issues.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 382. The U.S. Jewish Community. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of minority group analysis to the U.S. Jewish community.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
SOC 383. Sociology of Education. 3 Credit Hours.
The examination and analysis of education as a major social institution. As such, this course assesses the structure, processes, and interaction patterns within the educational system. All levels (elementary, secondary, and postsecondary), and types (public and private) of education are considered. The course also examines the impact of education on social stratification, social mobility, and socioeconomic inequality, especially along race, gender, and class lines.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 384. Medical Sociology. 3 Credit Hours.
A brief early history, methods, theory and concepts of social science research on health and health care mainly from the last half of the previous century to the present. We will explore gender, race, class, age, social and cultural differences in the experiences of individuals as they deal with health and illness across the life course. The course will provide students with a sociological analysis of a broad array of health/illness issues and the health services industry.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 385. U.S. Latinos. 3 Credit Hours.
Sociological perspectives are employed in the examination of the historical, social, economic, and cultural experiences of Latino/as in the United States.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 386. U.S. Immigration. 3 Credit Hours.
The major sociological debates in the field of immigration with an emphasis on recent immigrants to the U.S.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 387. Race and Ethnic Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
The nature and dynamics of race and ethnic relations with particular emphasis on racial and ethnic groups in the United States. We examine basic concepts and major theories in the analysis of race and ethnic relations, racial and ethnic inequality, past and recent immigration experiences, and the historical and current status of specific racial and ethnic groups. Students will also be engaged in a variety of exercises designed to develop critical assessment and analytical skills for examining and understanding issues related to race and ethnicity.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SOC 388. The Black Ghetto in Urban Society. 3 Credit Hours.
The origin and development of the concept of “ghetto” and application of this concept to both past and contemporary-views of black life in America. Students are introduced to the historical and social significance of the black ghetto in the context of the larger body of literature on the ghetto phenomenon. Emphasis is placed on gaining an understanding and developing critical insight into issues and prospects for the resolution of issues related to black ghettoization.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

SOC 389. The Black Athlete in White America. 3 Credit Hours.
The impact of racism on sport in the United States with a specific focus on the Black athlete. Drawing upon the literature on race and sport in America, the course takes a historical view of the social context in which black athletes have competed and excelled in their craft against tremendous odds both inside and outside of sport competition.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
SOC 390. Directed Studies. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individually supervised readings or research on special topics offered by arrangement with instructor.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 391. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Content will vary by semester.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SOC 401. Sociological Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
The work of theorists such as Comte, Durkheim, Marx, Weber, Parsons, and symbolic interactionists. The epistemology, methodology, and social ontology is each theory is discussed, along with the social context and chief concerns of each theorist.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SOC 410. Social Research Practicum. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Each student will work directly with a designated faculty mentor to obtain general research training, data analysis techniques, and technical writing skills. AB part of the research practicum, students will work in collaboration with their faculty mentor to prepare a journal-length research manuscript and assemble related research materials to gain practical knowledge of the scientific research process. This one-on-one experience will also enhance students' training in sociology and provide them with useful analysis and writing skills when they enter the job market.
Prerequisites: SOC 101 and SOC 210 and SOC 211 and SOC 212.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SOC 470. Theories of Deviant Behavior. 3 Credit Hours.
Various theories of causes of deviance/crime. It begins with an overview of the early classical and positivist foundations of criminological thought and then moves on to discussing more recent extensions of social disorganization, strain, control, social learning, and other contemporary theories of crime. It also covers the role of theory in scientific research, familiarizes with the foundations of current theoretical debates in criminology, and introduces the empirical research on the reviewed theories.
Prerequisite: SOC 101 and SOC 371.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SOC 480. Health Disparities in the U.S.. 3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive examination of U.S. health disparities based on a variety of social variables, including race and ethnicity, gender, socioeconomic status, sexual orientation, and the environment. In doing so, this course will draw on theoretical perspectives from multiple disciplines to examine the relationship between social factors and health outcomes. The most pressing U.S. health disparities will be discussed and put into a historical and global context in order to identify priorities for the elimination of health disparities. After exploding the known and suspected causes of disparities in health outcomes, attention will turn to an overview of the common multi-level strategies used to reduce health disparities. Students will go away with a broad-based understanding of current health disparities issues and the ability to critically examine these issues.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

SOC 487. Race, Ethnicity, and Criminal Justice. 3 Credit Hours.
An in-depth examination of the relationships involving race, ethnicity, immigration, crime, and the criminal justice system. We will consider why these are important issues to study, how and what we know about these relationships, and how we might explain them. We will direct attention to research on defining race and ethnicity, racial and ethnic variations in criminal victimization and offending, population distributions, policing, the court system and sentencing, corrections, and the death penalty. Our approach will primarily be sociological, although where appropriate we will draw from other disciplines (e.g., political science, history, etc.) as well. Prerequisite: Six credits in Sociology.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
SOC 488. Gender and Crime. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of gender, power, and crime, including feminist theories and the criminal justice system.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 490. Directed Studies in Sociology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised independent study on special topics. Arrangement with individual faculty.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SOC 491. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
This upper level course is designed to address a specific topic which will vary by semester.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 492. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
This upper level course is designed to address a specific topic which will vary by semester.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 493. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
This upper level course is designed to address a specific topic which will vary by semester.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 498. Senior Honors Thesis in Sociology or Criminology I. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Independent research project.
Prerequisites: SOC 101 and SOC 210 and SOC 211 and SOC 212.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SOC 499. Senior Honors Thesis in Sociology or Criminology II. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Independent research project.
Prerequisites: SOC 101 and SOC 210 and SOC 211 and SOC 212.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**B.A. in Sociology**

**Overview**
The Major in Sociology provides scientific training for understanding the organization and fluid nature of contemporary society, patterns of social change, and the mutual influence between macro structures and processes (society and culture) on one hand, and the micro level (individuals and groups) on the other. Increasingly, sociologists are also focused on understanding the processes of globalization that are currently transforming contemporary societies.

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**Total Credit Hours**: 120

1 GEG 306 can be substituted for SOC 210 and EPS 452 can be substituted for SOC 210 only by students who are also enrolled in the School of Education.

2 PSY 291 or PSY 292 can be substituted for SOC 211 only by students who are Psychology majors or minors and also majoring in Sociology or Criminology.

* A minimum final grade of C- in all courses offered by the Department

** A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0 in all courses offered by the Department

*** A minimum of 16 credit hours must be earned in residency in the Department; thus, only a maximum of 15 credit hours can be transferred from other institutions as eligible credit hours for the SOCIOLOGY major

### Suggested Plan of Study

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**Mission**

Course work in this major is designed to provide scientific training for understanding the organization and patterns of structure and change in contemporary society, in addition to the interrelations between social structures, processes, and culture, on the one hand, and between these macro-level phenomena and individuals and groups, on the other.

**Goals**

Sociology courses have several objectives, including: general education, preparation for pursuing careers in such fields as law, social gerontology, health, human resource management, and social planning, and preparation for graduate study in sociology.
Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will demonstrate a thorough understanding of sociology, and the basic sociological theoretical concepts and knowledge base.
- Students will develop and demonstrate critical thinking skills through the comprehension, analysis and critique of sociological theories.
- Students will demonstrate an ability to understand and critique sociological research methodology. Students will have the ability to design and critique valid research studies and to identify reliable findings from such studies.

Sociology & Criminology Double Major

Students may choose to double major in both Sociology and Criminology, or major in either Sociology or Criminology while minoring in the other.

Sociology and Criminology Double Major

Students wishing to complete a double major must complete the Declaration of Major form for the College of Arts and Sciences and fill in both majors. Students completing a double major are not required to complete a minor as well.

Curriculum Requirements

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Core Courses

Sociology Courses

- SOC 401 | Sociological Theory                                   | 3            |

Select two of the following:

- SOC 301 | Social Organization                                   | 3            |
- SOC 302 | Social Psychology: Sociological Perspective          | 3            |
- SOC 303 | Social Inequalities                                   | 3            |

Criminology Courses

- SOC 371 | Criminology                                             | 3            |
- SOC 470 | Theories of Deviant Behavior                           | 3            |

Select one of the following:

- SOC 271 | Criminal Justice                                       | 3            |
- SOC 370 | Juvenile Delinquency                                   | 3            |

Departmental Electives

- 30

Additional Required Courses

- ENG 105 | English Composition I                                  | 3            |
- ENG 106 | English Composition II                                 | 3            |
- MTH 113 | Finite Mathematics                                     | 3            |
- Arts and Humanities Cognate                           | 9            |
- STEM Cognate                                           | 9            |
- Minor                                                | 15           |
- Science Course                                        | 3            |
- Foreign Language                                       | 3-9          |
- Electives                                            | 14           |
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Other Requirements

* GEG 306 can be substituted for SOC 210 and EPS 452 can be substituted for SOC 210 only by students who are also enrolled in the School of Education.

** A minimum final grade of C- and a GPA of 2.0 are required in all courses offered by the Department

*** A minimum of 31 credits must be earned in residency in the Department; thus, only a maximum of 27 credits can be transferred from other institutions as eligible credits for the SOCIOLOGY/CRIMINOLOGY DOUBLE major
Sociology and Criminology Major-Minor Program
A minor in either Sociology or Criminology while majoring in the other program requires 12 additional credits offered by the Department to the major program requirements, totaling 43 credit hours.

- 6 of these credits must be 300-level or higher.
- Sociology majors must take SOC 371 Criminology.

Minor in Sociology
Curriculum Requirements

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1 Two of the four courses must be 300 level or higher.

* A minimum final grade of C- in all courses offered by the Department.

** A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0 in all courses offered by the Department.

*** A minimum of 9 credit hours must be earned in residency in the Department; thus, only a maximum of 6 credit hours can be transferred from other institutions as eligible credit hours for the sociology minor.

Theatre Arts
theatrearts.as.miami.edu

Dept. Code: THA

Introduction

The University of Miami Department of Theatre Arts offers two distinct undergraduate degrees:

- a liberal arts program leading to a Bachelor of Arts degree in Theatre Arts and
- a pre-professional conservatory-based theatre training program leading to a Bachelor of Fine Arts degree in either
  - Musical Theatre,
  - Stage Management,
  - Theatre Management, or
  - Design/Production.

The Department produces a season of plays and musicals at the Jerry Herman Ring Theatre as well as smaller-scale works in the Studio Theatre located in Hecht Residential College.

Educational Objectives

BA degree students are empowered to engage with and explore their world using the tools of theatre and performance. As an interdisciplinary degree program pursued in conjunction with a second major or as a minor, the BA program fosters a sound knowledge of theatre practice along with a deep understanding of its history and diversity of applications. By emphasizing creative and critical approaches to both the study and practice of the theatre arts, the BA program aspires to produce skilled artists, educators, and leaders in the field of theatre and beyond.

The objective of the BFA programming is to prepare gifted creative artists with the experience, training and craft necessary for entry into the world of professional theatre, television and film. Intensive training is complemented by a liberal arts curriculum and access to the vibrant international community of South Florida.

Degree Programs

- THE BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS DEGREE
- THE BACHELOR OF ARTS DEGREE
The Bachelor of Fine Arts Degree in Theatre Arts

In addition to meeting the requirements for admission to the University of Miami, students seeking admission to the Department of Theatre Arts BFA program must:

1. Submit the BFA Application to the Department of Theatre Arts. This application may be found on the "Undergraduate Admissions" page on the University website;
2. Schedule an audition or portfolio review by contacting the Department of Theatre Arts office at 305. 284.4474. Auditions and reviews are held on the University of Miami campus as well as in major cities throughout the United States at the National Unified Auditions. Audition dates can be found on the Department of Theatre Arts website on the "Prospective Students" page.

BFA transfer applicants must follow the admission procedures described above and should note that if accepted, class standing in the program (freshman, sophomore, etc.) is determined by the BFA faculty in consultation with Department administration.

Musical Theatre Majors are typically admitted to the Bachelor of Fine Arts degree program in the fall semester of each academic year.

The candidates for the degree of Bachelor of Fine Arts must satisfy the academic requirements established by the College of Arts and Sciences, including, but not limited to the demonstration of:

- Advanced Writing and Communication Proficiency: Degree candidates must complete at least four writing courses, and at least one writing course must be in the student's major discipline,
- Mathematics Proficiency: Degree candidates must earn at least 3 credit hours in a Mathematics course numbered MTH 108 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=MTH%20108) or higher.

To remain in the program, BFA students in the Department of Theatre Arts must maintain a cumulative 2.7 (B-) grade point average in all theatre courses (and any other courses required in a student's area of specialization) and a cumulative GPA of 2.0 (C) in all courses. Failure to maintain satisfactory academic standing will result in the student being placed on academic probation by the Department and may lead to dismissal from the BFA program.

BFA Theatre Arts courses are progressive in nature and students must successfully complete each course in sequence. Failure to pass the requirements of any particular class in the program may result in the student's dismissal.

All BFA students are evaluated by the faculty on commitment to training, production work, growth, discipline, and professional potential at the end of each semester.

Departmental production requirements, student responsibilities, and disciplinary policies are detailed in the Student and Production Handbooks, available on the "Current Students" page on the Department's website.

THA 101. Introduction to Theatre. 3 Credit Hours.
Intro survey course in theatre--what it is now, how it works, its practitioners and the relationship of theatre to the contemporary world. Attendance at Ring Theatre productions is required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 102. Introduction to the Audition. 2 Credit Hours.
Students will learn the methods and techniques used to create a successful performance audition. The student will learn how to choose appropriate audition material and how to rehearse the material for an effective and professionally-minded audition.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

THA 103. Introduction to Theatre Crafts. 1 Credit Hour.
Students will learn the techniques and methods used to create costumes, scenery and stage properties for theatrical productions. Lectures and hands-on projects will allow students to practice their skills in scenic construction, scenic painting, sewing, and costume crafting.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

THA 104. Performance Practicum. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will be cast in and rehearse a performance piece with a stage director. Students will learn effective methods for memorizing text and best professional practices in their collaboration with the director and artistic team. The piece will be performed in front of a live audience at the end of the course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.
THA 105. Introduction to Acting. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic tools of acting craft including analysis, physical action and reacting in the moment explored through exercises, scripted work and readings. A doing class, making attendance essential.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

THA 106. Introduction to Acting for the Musical Theatre. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic tools of Musical Theatre Acting craft including vocal approaches for the actor, theatrical and musical analysis, physical action and an introduction to musical theatre acting styles explored through exercises, scripted work with an extensive listening component.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 108. Introduction to Standardized Patient Simulation. 3 Credit Hours.
Standardized patients are actors who are trained to realistically portray a specific patient’s history, subtext, personality, physical infirmities and emotional states within a simulated interview or simulated physical examination session with a medical student. Students will learn basic acting skills and physiological knowledge needed to support and serve interactive clinical training.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 110. Freshman Performance Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory component to supplement Theatre Arts BFA Performance training courses.
Corequisite: THA 111 or THA 112.
Components: LAB.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 111. Acting I-A. 2 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the elements of drama and theatre, and to the basic tools of acting craft.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 112. Acting I-B (Script Analysis). 2 Credit Hours.
Continued work on basic tools of craft including script analysis.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 113. Movement I-A. 1 Credit Hour.
The integrated method of voice, movement and acting training known as The Expressive Actor developed by Michael Lugering.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 114. Movement I-B. 1 Credit Hour.
A continuation of THA 113, this course challenges students to apply the fundamentals of the Expressive Actor training to character building and scene work.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 116. Dance I-A. 2 Credit Hours.
Beginning ballet and jazz for Musical Theatre with strong focus on technique and terminology.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
THA 117. Dance I-B. 2 Credit Hours.
Continuation of THA 116.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

THA 120. Freshman Studio I. 1-2 Credit Hours.
First year theatre laboratory with strong focus on ensemble, rehearsal, and performance skills.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

THA 121. Freshman Studio II. 1-2 Credit Hours.
A continuation of THA 120.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

THA 131. Musical Theatre Skills I. 2 Credit Hours.
The first semester of a four semester practical course sequence designed to teach musical skills, techniques, keyboard skills and theory relevant to the contemporary musical theater actor.
BFA Musical Theatre majors (THTR7_BFA) only.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

THA 132. Musical Theatre Skills II. 2 Credit Hours.
The second semester of a four semester practical course sequence designed to teach musical skills, techniques, keyboard skills and theory relevant to the contemporary musical theater actor.
BFA Musical Theatre majors (THTR7_BFA) only.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

THA 140. Introduction to Dance. 3 Credit Hours.
Beginning dance skills and stylistic elements of theatrical forms of dance (repeatable).
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

THA 141. Introduction to Scenic, Costume, and Light Design in Theatre and Film. 2 Credit Hours.
Beginning facets of the scenic, costume, and lighting design process mainly for theater, and some aspects of film. Students will learn the basic role of scenic, costume, and lighting designers in theater and film. The course will put students into practice of the professional process by which theatrical designers analyze a text, provide visual research, create preliminary drawings, and create final drawings for stage designs. The main objective of the course is to develop "designer's eye". Each project will challenge students to cultivate artistry, creativity, and skills to search metaphor for designs. This introductory course serves as the prerequisite of most of higher level theatrical design courses. It is important for all students who are interested in taking other design or drawing courses to gain knowledge of the basic design languages and tools in this course. Students are required to take the accompanying THA 143 Lab in order to gain more hands-on experience with the use, maintenance, and operation of actual theatrical equipment
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

THA 142. Introduction to Theatre Technology. 2 Credit Hours.
A hands-on course providing skills in the operations necessary to execute scenic or lighting design: basic scenery construction, materials and techniques, scenic painting and lighting hang and focus procedures.
**Components:** EXP.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.
THA 143. Backstage Crew Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
Participation in the backstage running crew during technical rehearsals and performances of one production in the Jerry Herman Ring Theatre season. Evening and weekend hours required.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 144. Production Crew Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
Hands-on work in the preparation of technical elements (scenery, costumes, props, lighting, sound) or front-of-house services for Jerry Herman Ring Theatre productions.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 150. Musical Theatre Vocal Techniques. 1 Credit Hour.
Fundamentals of Vocal Productions explored through group lessons. Enrollment limited to first-year BFA students. May be taken twice for credit. BFA Musical Theatre majors (THTR7_BFA) only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 160. Dance Styles. 3 Credit Hours.
A variety of ethnic dance forms that will vary from one semester to the next. Different cultural dance styles will be offered on a rotating basis.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 161. Beginning/Intermediate Tap. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Beginning/intermediate tap class. Not a lecture class; students will be dancing during each class period. Tap shoes are required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 162. Intermediate/Advanced Tap. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Intermediate/advanced tap class, Not a lecture class; students will be dancing during each class period. Tap shoes are required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 191. Introductory Applied Music Theatre Voice I. 1 Credit Hour.
One-half hour individual lessons tailored to the individual needs of the students. Enrollment is limited to first-year BFA music theater students. BFA Musical Theatre majors (THTR7_BFA) only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 192. Introductory Applied Music Theatre Voice II. 1 Credit Hour.
One-half hour individual lessons tailored to the individual needs of the student. Enrollment is limited to first-year BFA music theater students. BFA Musical Theatre majors (THTR7_BFA) only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 194. Singing for Actors. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of singing to include breath control, tone production, articulation. An ensemble approach to exploring and gain self-confidence in the skill of singing for the American musical stage.
Requisite: Theatre Performance Major or Additional (THA2_BFA, THTR2_AS_A).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

THA 196. Singing for the Stage I-A. 1-2 Credit Hours.
The selection of learning process and performance of Musical Theatre Songs with emphasis on lyrics. BFA Musical Theatre majors (THTR7_BFA) only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
THA 197. Singing for the Stage I-B. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Continuation of THA 196.
BFA Musical Theatre majors (THTR7_BFA) only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 198. Voice and Speech I-A. 1 Credit Hour.
Fundamentals of relaxation and breath management, alignment, tone production, pitch and resonance. Anatomy and physiology of the vocal
structures. Introduction to the International Phonetic Alphabet (IPA).
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 199. Voice and Speech I-B. 2 Credit Hours.
Development of General American speech production and articulation skills through further phonetic study. Explorations in range, inflection, resonance, tempo and rhythm within the application of voice to text.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 206. Acting for Musical Theatre. 3 Credit Hours.
Intermediate tools of Acting for the Musical Theatre including analysis and investigations in style.
Prerequisite: THA 105 or THA 106.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 208. Intermediate Standardized Patient Training. 3 Credit Hours.
Standardized patients are healthy people who are trained to realistically portray a specific patient’s history, subtext, personality, physical infirmities and emotional states within a simulated interview or simulated physical examination session with a medical student. Students with previous SP experience will learn intermediate acting skills and work with patient histories that deal with behavioral health.
Prerequisite: THA 108.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 210. Sophomore Performance Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory component to supplement Theatre Arts BFA Performance training courses.
Corequisite: THA 211 or THA 212.
Components: LAB.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 211. Acting II-A. 2 Credit Hours.
Intensive scene study for sophomore conservatory actors. Basic tools of craft developed through use of contemporary plays, script analysis, and rehearsal techniques.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 212. Acting II-B. 2 Credit Hours.
A continuation of THA 211.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
THA 214. Movement II. 1 Credit Hour.
Stage combat utilizing the Dueling Arts International Level-1 curriculum for the Unarmed, Broadsword, and Single Rapier disciplines. Students will have the option of submitting their skills tests for adjudication and possible certification through Dueling Arts International.
Prerequisite: THA 114.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 216. Dance II-A. 1 Credit Hour.
Intermediate Musical Theatre dance taught through ballet and jazz, with an emphasis on technique and style.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 217. Dance II-B. 2 Credit Hours.
A continuation of THA 216 incorporating characterization and additional style.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 231. Music Theatre Skills II. 2 Credit Hours.
The third semester of a four semester practical course sequence designed to teach musical skills, techniques, keyboard skills and theory relevant to the contemporary musical theatre actor.
BFA Musical Theatre majors (THTR7_BFA) only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 232. Music Theatre Skills IV. 2 Credit Hours.
The fourth and final semester of a four semester practical course sequence designed to teach musical skills, techniques, keyboard skills and theory relevant to the contemporary musical theatre actor.
Prerequisite: THA 231.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 240. Introduction to Dance II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of THA 140 (repeatable).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 241. Basic Costume Sewing and Scenic Painting. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic scenic painting and costume construction techniques. Scenic painting includes fundamentals in wood, marbles, brick, stones, lights and shadows. Costume construction includes fundamentals in hand/machine sewing, dyeing, distressing and pattern reading.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 242. Drafting for the Theatre. 3 Credit Hours.
Drafting standards and techniques used for the theatre to produce scenic and lighting plans. Hand drafting and computer aided drafting.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 243. Beginning Theatre Design How to Sketch Your Idea. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic sketching, mechanical drawing and rendering techniques used for costume and scenic design. Basic black and white figure drawing, lights and shadows and perspective elevations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
THA 244. Theatre Design and Collaboration - Three Dimensional Creativity for Scenery and Costumes. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced training in drawing and rendering used for costume and scenic design for the theatre. Color costume plates and scenic renderings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 245. Technical Planning for Theatrical Productions. 3 Credit Hours.
Characteristics and structure of Scenery, Properties, Scenic Art, Costumes, Lighting, Sound and Video departments for theatrical performance. Study of each production department's budgeting, scheduling and logistical needs.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

THA 246. Survey of Design for Theater and Live Entertainment. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles and procedures of the design and technical production aspects of theatre and live entertainment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

THA 247. Master Electrician for the Stage. 3 Credit Hours.
Training for the position of Master Electrician and Assistant Lighting Designer (or theatrical productions. Practical application of production planning, lighting paperwork, overseeing lighting crews, advanced electrical theory, power distribution, and creative problem solving.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

THA 248. Introduction to Design for Film. 3 Credit Hours.
Various aspects of costume design and production in films by introduction to the designer' roles, design models, design language, and collaborative efforts in film to the student. Later in the semester students will experience developing their own designs through simpler projects, such as designing a song or scene from novels.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 251. Intermediate Acting I. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic tools of the actor's craft are developed through script work, scene study, and improvisational techniques.
Prerequisite: THA 105 or THA 106.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 252. Intermediate Acting II. 3 Credit Hours.
A continuation of THA 251 focusing on script analysis and choice making for scene work.
Prerequisite: THA 251.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 253. Special Topics in Voice for the Stage. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of vocal production in both broad and specialized areas including general vocal training for stage or public speaking, voice over techniques and dialects.
Prerequisite: THA 105.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 254. Movement for Actors. 3 Credit Hours.
Physical range and control, physicalization and condition of character, and stage violence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
THA 281. History of Western Theatre Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
Covers the evolution of performance spaces in Europe and the United States, from Ancient Greek structures to modern-day multi-venue Performing Arts complexes.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

THA 291. Beginning Applied Music Theatre Voice I. 1 Credit Hour.
One-Hour individual lessons tailored to the individual needs of the students. Enrollment is limited to second-year BFA music theater students. BFA Musical Theatre majors (THTR7_BFA) only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 292. Beginning Applied Music Theatre Voice II. 1 Credit Hour.
One-hour individual lessons tailored to the individual needs of the student. Enrollment is limited to second-year BFA music theater students. BFA Musical Theatre majors (THTR7_BFA) only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 294. Singing for Actors II-A. 2 Credit Hours.
Development of musical theatre singing technique for BFA Acting majors. Skills to be developed include proper breathing, tone, articulation, lyric interpretation, and physical presentation. Course is repeatable. Requisite: Theatre Performance Major or Additional (THA2_BFA, THTR2_AS_A).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

THA 296. Singing for the Stage II-A. 1 Credit Hour.
A continuation of ideas presented in THA 196 and 197. BFA Musical Theatre majors (THTR7_BFA) only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 297. Singing for the Stage II-B. 1 Credit Hour.
The study of material derived from the popular music canon (pop, rock, et al), melding contemporary vocal styling with the traditional narrative aims of theatrical storytelling. The incorporation of concurrent musical theatre skills training in the creation of vocal arrangements. BFA Musical Theatre majors (THTR7_BFA) only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 298. Voice and Speech II-A. 1 Credit Hour.
Improvement of individual voice and speech skills: through in-depth examination of habitual speech formation and vocal patterns. Application of the IPA within American accent study. Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 299. Voice and Speech II-B. 2 Credit Hours.
Strengthening the connection between the acting impulse and speaking voice. Extended voice production within scene work. Introduction to Shakespeare’s verse structure. Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
THEA 301. Theater and the Holocaust. 3 Credit Hours.
Through readings, research, class discussions and personal reflections this course explores the philosophical and historical context of Holocaust-related plays written in the aftermath of World War II.
Prerequisite: ENG 106.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

THEA 302. People, Places and Play: Theatre that Changed the World. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination through the lens of the drama, the seminal events that brought about the death of romanticism and gave birth to the modern era. Emphasis is placed on social change as evidenced through theatre as a mirror to the world in events, dramatic literature and the people that shaped it from the Revolutions of 1848 to the present; exploring the great minds outside the world of theatre and the effect this had on the great minds in the theatre. *Not open to Theatre Majors or Minors: for BGS students only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

THEA 310. Junior Performance Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory Component to supplement Theatre Arts BFA Performance training courses, specifically TBA 311, THA 312, THA 316, THA 313, THA 396, THA 398 & THA 399
Components: LAB.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THEA 311. Acting III-A. 2 Credit Hours.
An in-depth study of acting Shakespeare, focusing on text and physicality. The source material may include texts of fellow Elizabethan/Jacobean playwrights as well as other 16th/17th Century European playwrights. The student is expected to incorporate period movement and style, voice technique, and acting skills studied in prerequisite and concurrent courses
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THEA 312. Acting III-B. 2 Credit Hours.
A continuation of THEA 311 with focus on high style and Comedy of Manners. May include Shaw, Wilde, and Coward.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THEA 313. Movement III. 1 Credit Hour.
A focus on the physical performance techniques and requirements of a variety of historic theatrical periods.
Prerequisite: THA 214.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THEA 314. Movement II-B. 1 Credit Hour.
Fundamentals of mask work through the study of a "personal clown"; the character mask and/or an in-depth study of Commedia dell'Arte masks and character types.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THEA 315. Auditioning I. 2 Credit Hours.
First semester of a two semester sequence designed to aid BFA students in the development of material and techniques necessary for professional audition circumstances.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
THA 316. Dance III-A. 2 Credit Hours.
Advanced Musical Theatre Dance incorporating high technical proficiency for expression, characterization and style.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 317. Dance III-B. 2 Credit Hours.
A continuation of THA 316.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 341. Sound for the Theatre. 3 Credit Hours.
A basic sound design class to develop an ear for music and sound.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

THA 342. Scenic Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Techniques for analyzing, planning and designing stage scenery, executing color rendering and stage models.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

THA 343. Costume Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Techniques for analyzing, planning, and designing theatrical costumes. Executing color rendering plates.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 344. Lighting Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Techniques for analyzing, planning and designing theatrical lighting. Executing light plots and corresponding paperwork.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 345. Scenic Materials and Structures. 3 Credit Hours.
Materials used in scenic construction and advantages of each. Students will perform basic structural analysis on scenery built with these materials and will study rigging systems and knots used in backstage work.
Prerequisite: THA 142.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 347. Stage Make-Up. 3 Credit Hours.
A lecture-laboratory course in make-up for the stage, television and motion picture.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

THA 350. Musical Theatre Vocal Techniques II. 1 Credit Hour.
Advanced Musical Theatre Vocal Techniques explored through group or private lessons.
BFA Musical Theatre majors (THTR7_BFA) only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 351. Auditioning and Preparing for the Profession. 3 Credit Hours.
How to succeed in the theatre profession. Students will prepare audition pieces and learn resume preparation, headshots, interviewing, and other aspects of searching for and obtaining work. Not for BFA Studens.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
THA 352. Singing for the Musical Theater. 3 Credit Hours.
The process of acting and singing a song for a musical play or review. Song selection, technical and acting mechanics, and how to deliver the song using 16 and 32 bar material.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 356. Improvisational Acting. 1-3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the basic craft of Improvisational Acting through an exploration of short form and long form improvisational acting styles.
Prerequisite: THA 112 or THA 252.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 364. The Theatre Industry. 3 Credit Hours.
Producing trends on Broadway, the Road, and Regional Theatre. The basics of producing, managing, and marketing a play from securing the performance rights to closing night.
Prerequisite: THA 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 365. Principles of Stage Management. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of the basic work of a theatrical stage manager from pre-production to post production, including preliminary work, auditions, rehearsals, coordinating of departments, technical & dress rehearsals, performance and post production duties. Much class time is devoted to discussing the role of the stage manager as a theatre collaborator. Also discussed are stage and business techniques as applied to the entertainment industry with a focus on strengthening organizational and interpersonal skills in order to function successfully as an effective leader.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 366. Theatre Management Practicum I. 3 Credit Hours.
Practical experience on the annual season ticket campaign, marketing, finances, house management, and facilities management at the Jerry Herman Ring Theater. Open only to Theatre Management majors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 367. Theatre Management Practicum II. 3 Credit Hours.
Practical experience on the annual season ticket campaign, marketing, finances, house management, and facilities management at the Jerry Herman Ring Theatre. Open only to Theatre Management majors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 369. Producing New Plays and Musicals. 3 Credit Hours.
The components needed to produce a new body of theatrical work. Topics that will be discussed are the selection of a creative team, developmental timelines, budgeting, and approaches to managing a new work from both a business and creative perspective. This is a hands-on class that will span the entire process from creation of a script to performance.
Prerequisite: THA 364.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

THA 370. Popular Culture and Entertainment: Performance, Spectacle, and Audience Experience. 3 Credit Hours.
An exploration of the ways in which performance uses spectacle to create events that captivate audiences. What purpose does popular entertainment serve for the general public in different eras? How does entertainment encourage us to play? What does this playful diversion do for us as individuals? Why do artists use spectacle to manipulate our experience and perception of the world?
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
THA 375. Introduction to Playwriting. 3 Credit Hours.
Understanding of the basic principles involved in play construction.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

THA 376. Beg, Borrow and Steal: Adapting for the Stage. 3 Credit Hours.
A writing workshop supplemented with readings, discussions, and staging in which classical texts are adapted into new stage translations for contemporary audiences. Utilizing today's best theatre acting/directing methodologies, students will complete a series of short adaptation exercises as well as a longer, co-directed project.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 377. Make Them Laugh: How to Write Comedy. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of comedic masters in order to create your own comedic material.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

THA 381. Play Analysis I. 3 Credit Hours.
Play structure from the viewpoints of the actor, director, designer, and audience. Understanding the play and making production choices.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 382. Play Analysis II. 3 Credit Hours.
A continuation of THA 381. Emphasis on non-realistic theatre.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 383. Queer Theatre: Body Politics/Staging Sexuality. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines theatrical representations of GLBTQ issues in the U.S. from the 1960s to the present, in terms of the aesthetic/political project of "Queer Theater." Considering theater as a transformative social form, students will have opportunities for creative practice and scholarship. May be taken for Writing Credit.
Prerequisite: ENG 106.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 384. Music in the American Theatre: Its Dramaturgy, Music, and Cultural. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of the history of musical theater in America, from its earliest days with American colonial works to our present era of Internet-facilitated global artistic exchange. As a result, the course encompasses a vibrant diversity of intimately related musical-theatrical forms, styles, methods, and cultural responses, represented by such heterogeneous labels as ballad opera, minstrel show, operetta, and mega-musical, to name just a few.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 385. History of Interior Design and Furniture. 3 Credit Hours.
The history and evolution of western interior decor and furniture design from Classical Greece through the present. Lectures and design exercises highlight changing aesthetics in architectural design, interior design and the decorative arts for theatrical designers and production designers for film.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 386. History of Fashion. 3 Credit Hours.
A history of clothing and other visual elements that provide a research background for theatrical design, prehistoric through present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
THA 388. African American Theatre History. 3 Credit Hours.
African-Americans struggles for self-definition against prevailing hegemonies using theatre as a tool for expressing the truth of their identities.
Prerequisite: ENG 106.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

THA 391. Intermediate Applied Music Theatre Voice I. 1 Credit Hour.
One-hour individual lessons tailored to the individual needs of the student. Enrollment is limited to third-year BFA music theater students.
BFA Musical Theatre majors (THTR7_BFA) only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 392. Intermediate Applied Music Theatre Voice II. 1 Credit Hour.
One-hour individual lessons tailored to the individual needs of the student. Enrollment is limited to third-year BFA music theater students.
BFA Musical Theatre majors (THTR7_BFA) only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 396. Singing for the Stage III-A. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Instruction and coaching of advanced vocal and audition material drawn from American musical theatre.
BFA Musical Theatre majors (THTR7_BFA) only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 398. Voice and Speech III-A. 1 Credit Hour.
Application of voice and speech in classic texts-particularly that of Shakespeare and translation plays. Accent monologues and scenes.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 399. Voice and Speech III-B. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 401. Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Prescribed work and study at a theatre, opera, or dance company as it pertains to the major’s concentration of study. Collateral reports, readings, conferences with faculty supervisor.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 402. Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of THA 401.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 403. Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of THA 402.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 404. Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of THA 403.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
THA 410. Independent Study. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individualized instruction on special topics.
**Components:** THI.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

THA 411. Acting IV-A. 2 Credit Hours.
An in-depth scene study from the works of 19th Century European playwrights writing in the styles of Naturalism and Realism. Playwrights may include but are not limited to Ibsen, Strindberg and Chekhov. A focus on incorporating period movement and style, voice technique, and the further development of acting skills studied in prerequisite courses.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

THA 412. Acting IV-B. 2 Credit Hours.
Scene study focusing on contemporary playwrights who use elevated language. May include Pinter, Stoppard, Mamet, Anouilh, Churchill, and others.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

THA 413. Movement III-A. 3 Credit Hours.
Unarmed combat for the stage: basic and advanced techniques including punches, slaps, kicks, rolls and fight choreography. As sanctioned by the Society of American Fight Directors (SAFD).
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

THA 415. Auditioning I. 2 Credit Hours.
A course dedicated to the business of theatre for actors. Students will prepare three to five audition pieces. Covers headshots, resumes, income tax situations, unions, and methods of searching for and obtaining work.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

THA 416. Auditioning-II. 2 Credit Hours.
Continuation of THA 415.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

THA 420. Senior Studio. 3 Credit Hours.
Rehearsal and production of a showcase culminating in a New York performance for agents and casting directors.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

THA 421. The American Theatre: Industry Journeys and Careers. 3 Credit Hours.
Theatre business career paths of the American theatre, lecture by prominent industry leaders from around the nation with theatre department faculty. Topics of study include Broadway, Off Broadway, touring productions, regional theatres and performing arts center management; as well as business skills development including knowledge and interview evaluation.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.
THA 431. Musical Theatre Styles I. 2-3 Credit Hours.
Focus on the preparation of a professional musical theatre audition book. Emphasis on all current musical theatre song styles. 16 and 32 bar audition cuts, full songs and appropriate monologues.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 432. Musical Theatre Styles II. 2-3 Credit Hours.
Musical scene study class exploring scenes from various styles and genres of musical theatre. Scenes will consist of spoken dialogue and singing. Continuation of THA 431.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 441. Advanced Design and Management Practicum I. 3 Credit Hours.
Hands on practicum training working as a designer or technical craftsperson for a mainstage or studio production; or as an assistant designer or assistant technical craftsperson for a mainstage production. Repeatable once for credit toward major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 442. Advanced Design and Management Practicum II. 3 Credit Hours.
Hands on practicum training working as a designer or technical craftsperson for a mainstage or studio production; or as an assistant designer or assistant technical craftsperson for a mainstage production.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 450. Special Topics in Performance. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Intensive study and practical exploration of a specialized area of performance such as Social Theatre, Physical Theatre, Classical Greek Theatre, Commedia dell’arte, Solo Performance, Dance Auditioning, Musical Theatre Performance, among others. Final performances before an invited audience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 451. Advanced Acting: Classical Poetic Text. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to styles focusing on the Greeks, Shakespeare, Restoration and other plays on poetic language.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 452. Advanced Acting: Contemporary Poetic Text. 3 Credit Hours.
Acting and scene study focusing on contemporary playwrights who use poetic language, such as Mamet, Stoppard, Pinter, Shepard, Vogel, and Churchill.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 453. Theatre Arts Capstone. 3 Credit Hours.
An opportunity to implement the knowledge and skills gained in course work in the areas of design and technical theatre, acting, directing, and playwriting within a student-driven, faculty-supervised, collaborative performance project. This course is the required capstone for seniors majoring in Theatre Arts but open to and repeatable for underclassmen.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
THA 455. Acting for the Camera. 3 Credit Hours.
An advanced set of professional skills and practices for motion picture acting through scene work, episodic series work and collaboration. Upon completion of this class each actor will have performed in staging and shooting exercises and a variety of shot scenes. They will work with an editor to cut their reels, collaborate with a variety of directors, learn how camera and editing affects performance and learn to work efficiently and optimally on a professional film set.
Prerequisite: THA 312.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 456. Improvisational Acting II. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The further study of improvisational skills and the development of long form techniques.
Prerequisite: THA 356.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 459. Stage Management Practicum. 3 Credit Hours.
Practical experience as a stage manager for a production. Weekly individual meetings with instructor for analysis of performance and evaluation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 461. Play Direction I. 3 Credit Hours.
The art and craft of stage direction.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 462. Play Direction II. 3 Credit Hours.
A continuation of THA 461 in which the student directs a one act play. Enrollment limited.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 463. Advanced Stage Management I. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of stage management techniques and practices as applied to the professional theatre: Career preparation including cover letter and resume skills. This course provides discussion on the Actor's Equity LORT Rule Book, the discovery and understanding of personality types and traits, goal setting and cue calling skills.
Prerequisite: THA 365.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 464. Advanced Stage Management II. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced stage management techniques and practices as applied to the professional theatre: Touring, including an analysis of the basic practices and procedures of Advance Calls, Route Sheets and Itineraries. Cueing: reading, writing and calling in "Dance Eights." This course also provides leadership assessments and an examination of leadership styles and methodologies.
Prerequisite: THA 463.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 465. Broadway and the Road. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the historical and contemporary practices of Broadway production taught through a series of lectures by renowned guest speakers from the theatre industry. Topics discussed include the career paths of experts in the field, business structures, current developments and trends on Broadway and in commercial Broadway tours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
THA 466. Theatrical Unions. 3 Credit Hours.
History of theatrical unions in America. Major unions and their contracts: actors, directors and choreographers, playwrights, composers and lyricists, designers and non-union personnel management and organizational structure.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

THA 467. Producing for Regional Theatre. 3 Credit Hours.
History of American Regional Theatre. Forming the non-profit corporation; the mission statement; the Board of Directors; legal and tax requirements; budgeting and record keeping; staffing and organizational management.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

THA 468. Professions of the American Theatre. 3 Credit Hours.
A detailed examination of several administrative professions in the theatre and the roles these professions play in play production. Careers studied include casting direction, company management, artistic direction, development, marketing, education and literary management.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

THA 469. Producing Musical Theatre II. 3 Credit Hours.
Designed to develop, refine, rehearse, mount, and present a new musical.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

THA 471. Directing the Actor for Film. 3 Credit Hours.
The craft of directing actors for work before a camera.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 472. Where Stage and Film Meet. 3 Credit Hours.
The relationship between theatre and film combining a theoretical-critical as well as a practical perspective. Viewing of seminal films and readings from a selection of texts from the early days of cinema until the 2000's touch on the point or view or critics, playwrights, and directors. Also explores the concept of theatricality in film, or the ways in which different theatrical practices, concepts, and techniques can play fundamental roles in filmmaking.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

THA 475. Lyric Writing for Musical Theatre. 3 Credit Hours.
Lyric-writing laboratory for musical theatre, operating on a workshop model. Following a study of musical theater's basic lyrical forms and functions, students will, on a weekly basis, craft their own theatre lyrics - intended to be set to music-according to studied models and will share them in a safe, collaborative environment for consideration and critique.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 481. Theatre History I. 3 Credit Hours.
Theatre history from the Greeks through European Renaissance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 482. Theatre History II. 3 Credit Hours.
Theatre history from the 17th century to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 485. Playwriting II. 3 Credit Hours.
Further examination of dramatic writing techniques including Hero's Journey model, adaptation and experimental structures.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
THA 487. Advanced Projects. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced practical projects in directing, stage management, dramatic writing or dramaturgy. Repeatable up to four times for credit towards minor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 491. Advanced Applied Music Theatre Voice I. 1 Credit Hour.
One-hour individual lessons tailored to the individual needs of the student. Enrollment is limited to fourth-year BFA music theater students.
BFA Musical Theatre majors (THTR7_BFA) only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 492. Advanced Applied Music Theatre Voice II. 1 Credit Hour.
One-hour individual lessons tailored to the individual needs of the student. Enrollment is limited to fourth-year BFA music theater students.
BFA Musical Theatre majors (THTR7_BFA) only.
Components: LAB.
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** To satisfy the College of Arts and Sciences writing requirement in the discipline, students majoring in Theatre Arts are encouraged to complete THA 481 and/or THA 482.
*** Transfer students have a residency requirement of 18 Theatre Arts credit hours on campus.
**** The State of Florida recognizes the Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Fine Arts Degrees as meeting the Theatre Arts subject area requirements for teaching at the secondary level. In addition to earning the BA or BFA degree in Theatre, students desiring to teach in the field of Theatre Arts should complete the required education credit hours in order to be certified by the state.
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1. Enrollment in any dance class recommended when class caps permit. Instructor permission required.

*THA 461 is optional but recommended.

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2. THA 459 must be repeated for a minimum of 9 credits. The Stage Management Practicum assignment serves as the production requirement in a given semester.
3. 3 credit hours in a Mathematics course numbered MTH 108 or higher are required for the BFA degree.
4. 100 level THA electives must be approved by Stage Management Faculty.

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2. All Stage Management majors are required to stage manage or assistant stage manage one show in their Sophomore, Junior and Senior years. This management assignment doubles as their production assignment for that particular semester.
3. THA 459 may be repeated for a maximum of 18 credit hours.
4. 100 level THA electives must be approved by Stage Management Faculty.

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| Total Credit Hours | 135 |

1 All BFA Theatre Management majors must actively participate in one season subscription renewal campaign at the Jerry Herman Ring Theatre, noted as THA 366 in the above bulletin.

**Minor in Theatre Arts**

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**Urban Studies**

urbanstudies.as.miami.edu

**Introduction**

The minor in Urban Studies provides undergraduate students with a flexible concentration in interdisciplinary studies of cities, urbanism, and urbanity. Urban Studies is a long established academic field, especially prominent in major cities in the United States. Course work combines a practical focus on Metropolitan Miami with more general attention to urban theory and globalization.

The minor has a liberal arts orientation and includes perspectives from the social sciences, architecture, and history. It is a useful complement to majors such as Geography, History, Sociology, Anthropology, Literature, International Studies, Economics, Political Science, and others. A summer study abroad option in South Africa and Namibia is offered regularly in summer. In addition, it is possible to for a student to study in the spring semester in Cape Town, South Africa (UCape Town Program). The minor is also of particular interest to students in Architecture Communication and Business. Courses in the Minor are taught in the College of Arts & Sciences and the School of Architecture. Note that there are slightly different requirements for ARC students.

**URB 201. Metropolitan Miami. 3 Credit Hours.**

This course provides interdisciplinary perspectives on the urbanization of South Florida and on Miami’s urban milieu. The course uses the case of Metropolitan Miami to introduce and illustrate a range of basic concepts in urban studies.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall.

**URB 301. Cities in Time and Space. 3 Credit Hours.**

This course provides interdisciplinary perspectives on the city, urbanity, and urbanization through a series of wide-ranging historical-geographical contexts.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Spring.
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1. ARC students may select no more than one ARC course while NonARC students must select at least one ARC course. Note that URB 201 or URB 301 will suffice as prerequisites for any of these courses.

* Other courses may be approved upon request; please consult the program Director, Dr. Richard Grant: rgrant@miami.edu

** A minimum grade of C- with a 2.0 overall GPA are required.

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## Business

http://www.bus.miami.edu

### Introduction
The University of Miami Herbert Business School offers courses leading to the degrees of

- Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA),
- Bachelor of Science in Business Administration (BSBA), and
- Bachelor of Science in Accounting and Finance (BSAF).

Undergraduate degrees in business are administered by the Vice Dean for Undergraduate Business Education.

### Mission
The mission of the University of Miami Herbert Business School is to develop innovative ideas and principled leaders that transform global business and society.

### Accreditation
All Business degree programs, including individual Accounting programs are fully accredited by AACSB International — The Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business.
Academic Policies

Student Responsibilities

• Miami Herbert Business School students are responsible for planning their own academic programs and for meeting degree requirements.
• It is the students’ responsibility to understand fully, and to comply with, all the provisions of this Bulletin and any written changes to their program of study.
• Students are provided assistance by academic advisors and faculty members.
• Deviations from department, program, or school requirements are granted only by written approval from the Vice Dean or, in some cases, the relevant department chairperson.
• A student who is in violation of the provisions of this Bulletin may be administratively withdrawn from a class or classes, dismissed from Miami Herbert Business School, and/or have an electronic hold placed upon future enrollment.
• A student who is disruptive in class as determined by assigned faculty and the Vice Dean will be administratively dropped from the class.
• Information regarding appeal procedures and special requests relative to academic matters is available in Merrick 104, Miami Herbert Business School, Office of Undergraduate Business Education.

Admission to Miami Herbert Business School

Admission to the University for undergraduate study as a new first year student is sufficient for admission to Miami Herbert Business School prior to matriculation. However, strong quantitative skills are typically needed for success. Students who do not matriculate into Miami Herbert Business School in their first semester of study at the University may request an internal transfer to Miami Herbert Business School thereafter only according to the policies and procedures set out in the subsection below titled “Internal Transfer to Miami Herbert Business School.”

Transfer Admission to Miami Herbert Business School

Transfer applicants from outside the University of Miami must submit a satisfactory academic record in compliance with the standards of the University of Miami Office of Admission. Admitted applicants will be in good academic standing at all institutions previously attended and have a minimum transfer cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 3.0. All previous transfer courses must be from an accredited institution, and a minimum grade of "C" (2.0) must be earned in all transfer courses for UM credit to be awarded. This includes repeated courses under a forgiveness policy at any previous institution. Credit hours more than 12 years old are not recognized for degree purposes.

All transfer students to Miami Herbert Business School must have completed and received college credit for a calculus course equivalent to either MTH 161 (4 credit hours) or MTH 140/MTH 141 (8 credit hours), and earned a grade of "B" or better in the(se) course(s). The transfer calculus course must be approved by submitting the syllabus and textbook title to the University of Miami Department of Mathematics for evaluation.

All transfer coursework taken outside the University of Miami will be reviewed on a course-by-course basis for equivalency to Miami Herbert Business School course requirements. Not all business courses taken at other institutions serve as equivalents to Miami Herbert courses. For example, any business class that is from a non-AACSB accredited institution will be accepted only as elective credit toward the overall degree requirements. Transfer applicants may appeal to have such classes from non-AACSB accredited institutions reviewed for possible application toward business course requirements by submitting the course syllabus and textbook title to the Office of Undergraduate Business Education.

A transfer student’s overall coursework must also meet specific curricular and residency requirements. Pursuant to Miami Herbert Business School policy, transfer students must complete a minimum of 50 percent of the Business Core at the University of Miami. Transfer students must also complete a minimum of 50 percent of all major and a minimum of 50 percent of all minor courses at the University of Miami. University Residency and other requirements, applicable to all students, are set out below in the section headed Requirements for Graduation.

Internal Transfer to Miami Herbert Business School

Students seeking internal transfer to Miami Herbert Business School from other UM Schools and Colleges must have a minimum of three full semesters (45 credits) remaining, after transfer to MHBS, within which to complete degree requirements. They also must meet the following conditions prior to making a formal internal transfer request:

• an earned grade of "B" or better in MTH 161 (4 credit hours) or MTH 151 (5 credit hours) or MTH 140 and MTH 141 (8 credit hours). If a student does not initially earn a "B" or better in the calculus course, the student may repeat the calculus course to try to satisfy the required minimum "B" grade. The second grade will be considered for purposes of meeting the criteria to transfer to Miami Herbert Business School. For information on repeated courses and grades, please refer to the section below entitled Repeat Rules at Miami Herbert Business School, as well as University Policies on Repeat Rules. (p. 27)
• an earned minimum cumulative UM GPA of 3.0.
• documented attendance at a mandatory "Transfer to Miami Herbert Business School information Session," offered at least monthly in fall and spring semesters (schedule available at reception in Merrick Building Room 104 and at the MHBS Undergraduate Business Education website).

Academic Progress, Probation, and Dismissal

When a student’s semester or cumulative GPA is below 2.0, or progress toward degree completion is unsatisfactory, the student will be warned, placed on academic probation, or dismissed in accordance with the University’s or Miami Herbert Business School’s policies and procedures:
• Warning: semester GPA lower than 2.0 but cumulative GPA above 2.0

• Probation: cumulative GPA lower than 2.0

• Probation with Dismissal: two consecutive semesters with cumulative GPA lower than 2.0, or failure to make progress toward degree completion

• Failure to make progress toward degree completion includes, but is not be limited to:
  • failure to complete enough credit hours in the business degree program to graduate after ten regular semesters of enrollment.
  • failure to maintain a GPA sufficiently high to permit graduation in the ordinary course with the required minimum 2.5 GPA.
  • failure in any business course the student repeats pursuant to the University’s General Repeat Rule (p. 27) or otherwise.
  • failure to pass the required calculus course (MAS 110 or MTH 161 for the BBA degree, MTH 161 for the BSBA degree) by the fourth semester.

• A student on probation is not permitted to enroll in more than four courses (no more than 13 credit hours) and may have an electronic hold placed upon future enrollment until grades for work-in-progress are reviewed by the Undergraduate Business Education Academic Standards Committee.

• A student who is dismissed for failure to satisfactorily complete required business core courses, or for failure to make progress toward the degree, is not automatically dismissed from the University. Accordingly, such a student may apply to another School or College within the University, and if accepted, may continue as an undergraduate student at the University of Miami. For such a student who is not accepted by another School or College, dismissal from Miami Herbert Business School may have the incidental effect of dismissal from the University of Miami as well.

Repeat Rules at Miami Herbert Business School
The following policies apply to business students taking advantage of the University’s Repeat Rules (http://bulletin.miami.edu/general-university-information/university-policies/course-information/#text), which also dictate treatment of grades in repeated courses for purposes of GPA calculation. Please note that in all cases, grades earned in both the first and second attempts in a course remain on the student’s transcript as a permanent record.

General Repeat Rules
• The student may not repeat any business course more than once. (Two completions in total).
• Repeated business course(s) must be taken for a grade; the student may not elect “credit/no credit” for a repeated course.
• The student may repeat a threshold course(s) to demonstrate the qualifying grade for continuing in the major or minor.
• Business courses in which a C- is insufficient to earn credit toward the major or minor must be repeated using the General Repeat Rule and may not be repeated using the Undergraduate Repeat Rule.

Undergraduate Repeat Rule
• The summer sessions are not counted as semesters, either individually or together, in determining the last semester in which a student may elect to repeat a course in which a “D” or “F” grade is earned under the Undergraduate Repeat Rule.

• A student who wishes to take advantage of the Undergraduate Repeat Rule policy must complete a Repeat Rule Request Form, which is available from the student’s academic advisor in Miami Herbert Business School, Office of Undergraduate Business Education. For additional information about the application of the Undergraduate Repeat Rule in Miami Herbert Business School, consult an academic advisor in the Office of Undergraduate Business Education.
• The student may not use the Undergraduate Repeat Rule if the initial grade is C- or higher.

Readmission
The requirements for readmission may be viewed in the Student Status - Readmission (p. 81) section of this Bulletin. The following special conditions related to readmission are also in effect for Miami Herbert Business School:

• A student requesting readmission, who was previously dismissed for academic reasons or who had below a 2.0 cumulative GPA, must present adequate evidence that the conditions and/or factors that caused the prior poor academic performance have changed sufficiently and that there is a reasonable expectation of satisfactory performance if the student is permitted to resume study at Miami Herbert Business School.
• A student dismissed for nonacademic reasons must provide written authorization from the Dean of Students’ Office before re-enrollment will be permitted.
• A business student who did not earn at least a C grade in MAS 110 or MTH 161 will not be readmitted to Miami Herbert Business School.
• A student seeking readmission may have conditions placed upon any such readmission. Failure to satisfactorily accomplish the stated conditions may result in dismissal or the student otherwise not being permitted to register for future semesters.
Changes to Academic Requirements
Miami Herbert Business School reserves the right to change academic requirements including course offerings, minimum grade requirements, and minimum required grade point averages, to ensure that students are receiving the latest knowledge and are maintaining the standards necessary to be professionally competitive. Changes are communicated to students either by written or electronic notice, or personally by their academic advisors.

Residency and Graduation Requirements
In addition to meeting the graduation requirements as set out in Degree Programs, below, a candidate for either the BBA or BSBA degree must complete the last 45 credit hours consecutively and exclusively in degree-seeking status in residence at Miami Herbert Business School, University of Miami. Credit by examination may not be used to meet the residency requirement. In addition, a minimum of 120 credit hours is required for graduation, not including ENG 103, TAL 191, MTH 099, or any UMI internship course. The student’s last 56 credit hours must be completed at a four-year institution.

After being admitted to the University of Miami, students must complete all business coursework in residence, including coursework required by the Business Core and specific coursework for the business major and minor areas of specialization. This policy applies equally to non-business students completing minor areas of specialization at Miami Herbert Business School. Any appeal for an exception to this policy must be submitted in writing to the Office of Undergraduate Business Education.

Grade Point Average (GPA)
To graduate, business students must earn a minimum cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 2.5 in all undergraduate courses taken (combined UM and transfer coursework) and must also earn a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 in all undergraduate courses taken at the University of Miami. (See the General University Information page in this Bulletin regarding Grades (p. 75).) Each major for the BBA or BSBA degree and/or minor area of specialization within Miami Herbert Business School requires a minimum 2.5 cumulative GPA in the specific coursework required for the major/minor area of specialization. The minimum grade for individual courses in the major/minor area of specialization may vary, but is specified for each major and minor. Students are responsible for understanding the minimum GPA requirements for their proposed major/minor area(s) of specialization.

Degree Programs
Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA)
All BBA students must complete areas A, B, C, D, and E as listed below. All courses, except some of those in area D, must be taken for graded credit. (See the General University Information page in this Bulletin regarding Credit Only Option (p. 75).)

A. University of Miami’s General Education Requirements
Miami Herbert Business School participates in the University’s General Education requirements (p. 73). See descriptions in the General University Information section of this Academic Bulletin.

All undergraduate students must satisfy the University’s general education Areas of Proficiency: Written Communication Skills (ENG 105 and ENG 106), Advanced Writing and Communication Skills, and Quantitative Skills (Department of Mathematics course numbered MTH 108 or higher or a quantitative skills course approved by the student’s college/school and the University Curriculum Committee in consultation with appropriate academic units).

The University Quantitative Skills proficiency requirement is satisfied within the BBA degree requirements upon successful completion of MAS 110 or MTH 161 (or a MTH 161 equivalent). Miami Herbert Business School’s program establishing Advanced Writing and Communication Skills proficiency for business requires students to successfully complete the following courses beyond the basic Written Communication Skills courses, ENG 105 and ENG 106: BSL 212 and BUS 300. Any student who does not complete ENG 106 with at least a C- is required either to repeat ENG 106 and earn at least a C- or complete ENG 230, Advanced Professional Communication, with at least a C- before enrolling in BUS 300.

In addition, all undergraduate students must satisfy the University’s general education distribution requirements by completing cognates in each of three Areas of Knowledge: Arts & Humanities (A&H); People & Society (P&S); and Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics (STEM). Every BBA student must complete a cognate designated Arts & Humanities (A&H) outside Miami Herbert Business School. Each business major and minor area of specialization fulfills either the People & Society (P&S) Area of Knowledge or the Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics (STEM) Area of Knowledge. For specific information about majors/minors and Area of Knowledge designations, please refer to the chart of Majors and Minors for the BBA Degree that follows or the relevant Academic Bulletin page for each major/minor area of specialization.

Depending on the Area of Knowledge of the student’s major(s) and any minor(s), a cognate in either People & Society (P&S) or Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) may also be required of the BBA student. Students are required to declare their cognates with the Office of Undergraduate Business Education prior to the start of the junior year.

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### Major Areas of Specialization - Requirements

All BBA students must complete at least one major area of specialization in the Miami Herbert Business School. Additionally, students may elect to complete a minor area of specialization either at Miami Herbert Business School or in another School or College within the University. For specific information on minors offered by other Schools and Colleges of the University of Miami, please refer to the applicable College, School, or Department section within this Academic Bulletin.

Requirements for the major and minor areas of specialization are specified by each academic department. Every course completed in satisfaction of either a major or minor area of specialization must be taken for a grade and a grade of "C-" or higher earned, unless specified differently by the department. GPA minima for each business area of specialization are set by the departments. Please refer to the relevant Academic Bulletin page for the major/minor area of specialization.

Business students are permitted to pursue more than one (business or other) major in distinct areas of specialization; however, completion of all required coursework is dependent upon careful sequencing. No course may be counted toward more than one major area of specialization or toward a major and a minor area of specialization, except a course that is specifically listed by number as required for both major areas of specialization and/or a major and a minor area of specialization. In this case, an alternate course or courses may be required for the additional major and/or minor. The courses of choice required for one major or minor area of specialization may not be utilized to satisfy courses of choice requirements for a second major and/or minor area of specialization. Consequently, students should understand that completion of more than one major and/or minor area of specialization may necessitate the completion of more than 120 credit hours or more than eight semesters of study for graduation.

Business students may choose to pursue a second major (also referred to as an additional major) from the College of Arts and Sciences, the School of Communication, or the School of Education (certain majors only). No courses used to satisfy an additional major may be used to satisfy the requirements for a business major or minor area of specialization.

**Major areas of specialization at Miami Herbert Business School are available only with completion of the required Business Core.** A student in another School or College at the University of Miami pursuing a business degree as a "second degree" or "dual degree" student, must meet the minimum requirements for transfer to Miami Herbert Business School, although the student is not required to formally transfer to Miami Herbert Business School.

- The student must meet with the Assistant Dean for Advising in the Office of Undergraduate Business Education in order to construct an academic plan and complete the Dual Degree Memorandum.
- A minimum of 160 credit hours is required for graduation with the dual degree.
• The student must meet for academic planning with the appropriate advising administrator in his/her University of Miami home School or College. Satisfaction of degree requirements in each School or College may vary.

• The Office of the Provost completes the final approval of the Dual Degree Memorandum.

Students are required to declare their major area of specialization and minor area of specialization with the Office of Undergraduate Business Education prior to the start of their junior year.

### Majors and Minors for the BBA Degree

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**D. Electives (as needed to meet the minimum 120 credit hours)**

All undergraduate courses offered by the University may be used as electives, with the following exceptions:

- ENG 103, TAL 191, MTH 099, and UMI 105-UMI 410, are offered for credit but do not count toward degree requirements. Nonetheless, the grade, if any, earned in any of these courses is included in the student’s cumulative GPA, and credit for the course is included in the student’s overall credit hours earned. Accordingly, these courses will serve to increase the total number of credit hours required to graduate.

- No more than 8 credit hours in applied music, including band, may be used.

- Any science course taken as an elective and used as preparation for entrance to medical school must be taken for a grade.

**E. International Focus Within the Curriculum**

At least one course with an international focus must be completed within the degree requirements. The appropriateness of the course is determined by the Vice Dean for Undergraduate Business Education.
Bachelor of Science in Business Administration (BSBA)

The BSBA degree at Miami Herbert Business School emphasizes quantitative foundation courses. All BSBA majors at Miami Herbert Business School must complete areas A, B, C, D, and E as listed below. All courses, except some of those in area D, must be taken for graded credit. (See the General University Information page in this Bulletin regarding Credit Only Option (p. 75).)

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Quantitative Elective

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**NOTE**: ENG 105 and ENG 106, or their equivalents, must be completed prior to attaining junior year classification, per the University General Education Requirements (p. 73). Additionally, all 100 and 200-level Business Core courses must be completed by the end of the fifth semester of college work or during the semester in which the student is completing 75 credit hours.

**NOTE**: MTH 161 and MAS 311 must be completed with a “C-” or better.

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At least one course with an international focus must be completed within the degree requirements. The appropriateness of the course is determined by the Vice Dean for Undergraduate Business Education.

Bachelor of Science in Accounting and Finance (BSAF)

The Bachelor of Science in Accounting and Finance (BSAF) degree at Miami Herbert Business School is intended for quantitatively strong students arriving at the business school with a clear interest in careers in the financial services industry or in corporate financial management. This degree allows students to accelerate coursework in the Accounting and Finance disciplines simultaneously, as well as encourages the development of quantitative skills in data analytics.

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A minimum of 125 credits is needed to graduate with the BSAF degree.

A. University of Miami's General Education Requirements

Miami Herbert Business School participates in the University's General Education requirements (p. 73). See descriptions in the General University Information section of this Academic Bulletin.

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### Honors

#### Foote Fellows Honors Program

The Foote Fellows Honors Program recognizes the most educationally accomplished incoming students at the University of Miami. Select incoming students will receive an invitation to the Foote Fellows Honors Program. (p. 72)
Graduation (Latin) Honors
• Students who qualify based on their cumulative GPA (combined UM GPA and transfer course GPA) and class rank will graduate with University Honors: cum laude, magna cum laude, or summa cum laude.
• For details consult an academic advisor in the Office of Undergraduate Business Education and the Office of Academic Enhancement. (https://oae.miami.edu/)

General Business Honors, Miami Herbert Business School
Graduation with General Business Honors requires:
• Completion of all of the requirements of the BSBA degree program; and
• A minimum 3.75 cumulative GPA (combined UM GPA and transfer course GPA) at graduation.

For details, consult an academic advisor in the Office of Undergraduate Business Education.

Departmental Honors in Business
Graduation with Departmental Honors requires:
• A minimum cumulative 3.9 GPA at the end of the junior year; and
• Completion of a 3-credit hour research project during the entire senior year on a topic that is of interest to both the faculty member supervising the research and the student responsible for completing it. The research and written deliverable must be deemed to be of exceptional quality, consistent with the workload of a 3-credit upper level independent study course, and worthy of a designation that is only open to the top 1% of Business School undergraduates; and
• A minimum cumulative 3.9 GPA at graduation; and
• Any other requirements, if any, established by the Department granting honors, as set forth in this Academic Bulletin.

Students who major in two distinct areas of specialization may complete their honors research project in the department of either business major specialization.

The 3-credit hour research project class is taken for "credit only" and does not count toward the 120-credit hours required for graduation. Students who begin a research project but do not complete it will be retroactively withdrawn from the research course. Students receive credit for the project only if the work is deemed to be of exceptional quality. Details related to Departmental Honors are available in the Office of Undergraduate Business Education.

Business Honor Societies
Students may be nominated for or elected into an honor society based on specific criteria. Contact the listed department for additional information.
• Beta Gamma Sigma (Highest Honors in Business) (Undergraduate Business Education (https://www.bus.miami.edu/academic-programs/undergraduate-business-education/))
• Beta Alpha Psi (Department of Accounting (http://www.bus.miami.edu/thought-leadership/academic-departments/accounting/))
• Omicron Delta Epsilon (Department of Economics (http://www.bus.miami.edu/thought-leadership/academic-departments/economics/))

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• B.S.B.A. in Accounting (p. 706)
• B.B.A. in Business Analytics (p. 833)
• B.S.B.A. in Business Analytics (p. 839)
• B.B.A. in Business Technology (p. 727)
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• B.B.A. in Economics (p. 740)
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• B.S.B.A. in Individualized General Business (p. 690)
• B.B.A. in Legal Studies (p. 714)
• B.S.B.A. in Legal Studies (p. 717)
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Minors for Non-Business Students

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The Bachelor of Science in Accounting and Finance

The BSAF degree (p. 769) at Miami Herbert Business School is intended for quantitatively strong students arriving at the business school with a clear interest in careers in the financial services industry or in corporate financial management. This degree allows students to accelerate coursework in the Accounting and Finance disciplines simultaneously, as well as encourages the development of quantitative skills in data analytics.
The General Business Program: An Individually-Designed Major for BBA and BSBA Students (People & Society or STEM)

The Individualized General Business major allows students at Miami Herbert Business School to tailor an area of business specialization creatively and to seek and develop connections among the business disciplines in ways that will suit their own academic interests and graduate school or career objectives. Building upon the strong foundation provided by the Business Core, students pursuing this program of study will be motivated to craft a unique business specialization that enhances their ability to respond to and compete in a dynamic economic marketplace.

Any BBA or BSBA degree-seeking student may pursue the customized Individualized General Business major. No additional admission or application is required. The student, however, must consult with his/her Business School academic advisor in order to select the Individualized General Business major. A three-person committee comprised of at least one faculty member and at least one undergraduate business academic advisor will be appointed by the Undergraduate Business Education Committee to oversee the student’s chosen academic program, provide feedback and assistance with course choices, and to connect the student to other relevant faculty or administrators for advice where indicated.

Curriculum for the Individualized General Business Major Area of Specialization

The student who wishes to pursue the BBA or BSBA in General Business must complete:

1. all University general education requirements, unless exempt (e.g. Foote Fellows), and
2. the Business Core requirements for either the BBA or the BSBA, including the international focus course, and
3. a minimum of 18 additional credit hours of upper-level (300-500 level) coursework chosen from among the course offerings of Miami Herbert Business School. The specific coursework selected to satisfy the Individualized General Business major may not be utilized to also satisfy the Business Core or the specific coursework requirements for any other major or minor area of specialization in Business. All coursework must be taken for a grade and within the current pre-requisite structure.

A minimum of 120 credit hours is required for graduation. The Individualized General Business major area of specialization may fulfill either the People & Society or the STEM general education Area of Knowledge, based upon the preponderance of the specific coursework pursued and with the approval of the advising committee.

The Global Business Co-Major (People & Society)

The curriculum for the Global Business Co-Major consists of 18 credit hours of required and elective course choices. The Global Business Co-Major is available only to BBA or BSBA students who are also completing another undergraduate business major area of specialization.

Students completing the Global Business Co-Major will:

• Apply interdisciplinary and multidisciplinary approaches, including in relevant cases, foreign language skills, to critical analysis of business topics at the country or regional level.
• Evaluate and apply diverse perspectives to complex issues of comparative and/or global significance, in the face of multiple and sometimes conflicting positions (e.g., cultural, disciplinary, ethical)
• Engage in meaningful interaction with other culture(s) and gain an in-depth understanding of a country and/or region of the world where the student may expect to commence his or her global business career

Curriculum Requirements

Each student will work with an advisor to design an individualized course of study that enhances the student’s global perspective and provides an intellectual framework and immersive environment for studying a new country or region of the world. Each program of study will consist of a minimum of 18 credit hours, including coursework distributed among the following areas:

1. Economics related to the country or region
2. Political or regulatory environment of the country or region
3. Historical/cultural perspective on the country or region
4. Exposure to a language of the country or region, demonstrated by completion of a business course in the language of the region, or if unavailable, completion of a course in the language at the 200 level or above. Where the country or region that is studied is English speaking, the student may complete this requirement by demonstrating language proficiency at the 200 level or above in another language, or by taking an additional course related to economics, political/regulatory environment, or history/culture of the country or region.
5. One international/global focused upper level business elective, outside the student’s other business major

In order to further advance and integrate his/her regional, functional and pragmatic expertise, and to hone the student’s global mindset, there is a required Experiential Learning component.
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• students must complete a learning experience in the country or region (i.e. study abroad).
• students must complete an approved international internship.
• students’ participation will be encouraged in any MBS Immersion Course that is offered for undergraduates in the region studied. These may take the form of summer or spring break study.
• students’ participation in programming on and off campus related to their region and career track will be encouraged and facilitated.

The Global Business Studies Program: Latin America (People & Society)

The Global Business Studies Program (http://www.bus.miami.edu/academic-programs/undergraduate-business-education/special-programs/global-business-studies.html) is a co-major option for incoming Miami Herbert Business School freshmen, who apply and are selected as GBS Scholars/ Foote Fellows. Students in the program simultaneously pursue a major in a functional area of business and, in the co-major, region-specific global studies coursework.

Curriculum for Co-major in Global Business Studies (21-27 credit hours)

1. Introduction to the region (3 credit hours)
2. Demonstrated proficiency in the language of the region, or where this is not feasible, at least one language course at the 200 level or above (min. 3 credit hours) Students may demonstrate language proficiency by completing business coursework delivered in the language of the region selected.
3. Economics of the region (3 credit hours)
4. Political and/or Regulatory Environment of the region (3 credit hours)
5. History of the region (3 credit hours)
6. Introduction to International Business (Standard course is MGT 349. Recommended alternatives: MGT “Doing Business in [the Region]” where available, or other approved business course in-country) (total of 3 credit hours)
7. Seminar & Senior Thesis (6 credit hours)
8. Culminates in a written research paper examining a significant problem or proposal for a particular country, approached from an interdisciplinary stand point
9. Carried out under the supervision of one or more faculty members
10. Oral presentation of the student’s findings and recommendations also required
11. Required internship or directed study in-country may allow for field research

12. Minimum of one semester “study abroad” in the studied region is required.

• Students may choose to satisfy the co-major’s economics and/or history and/or politics/regulation course requirement in-country.

GBS Scholars are also invited to participate in a wide array of co-curricular activities, intentionally designed to enhance the Global Business Studies co-major. These include a faculty-led, international travel course in the summer following freshman year and cultural activities and events throughout the program, curated by the GBS Academic Program Director.

Please note that any student who does not complete these curricular and co-curricular requirements, or who is unable to maintain a cumulative GPA of 3.5, will be asked to exit the program and co-major.

International Business Minor Area of Specialization (People & Society)

The International Business minor provides Miami Herbert Business School students an interdisciplinary perspective of international business to augment their studies in other areas of business specialization. The International Business minor may not be taken by students pursuing the International Finance and Marketing major or by non-business students. Students must complete all pre-requisite courses before enrolling in required International Business minor courses.

The International Business minor consists of 12 credit hours as follows:

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<td>Core Courses ¹</td>
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<td>Select two or three courses (6-9 credit hours) from the following:</td>
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<td>International Finance</td>
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<td>MGT 459</td>
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**Choice Courses for the Minor:**

Select one or two courses (3-6 credit hours) to equal 12 total credit hours for the minor from the following:

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<td>Economics of Development</td>
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<td>Latin America and the Global Economy</td>
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<td>International Trade Theory</td>
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<td>International Monetary Economics</td>
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<td>MKT 469</td>
<td>International Marketing Management</td>
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<td>U.S.-Latin American Relations</td>
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<td>United States Relations with the Middle East</td>
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<td>International Security</td>
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<td>POL 593</td>
<td>International Relations of the Middle East</td>
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Total Credit Hours: 12

1. All specific coursework for the International Business minor must be completed with a grade of "C-" or higher. A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 is required for all specific coursework in this minor area of specialization. All courses must be taken within the current pre-requisite structure.

**Business Cognates Available to Non-Business Students**

**Understanding Business (People and Society)**

The University of Miami Herbert Business School offers a general business cognate to non-business students: Understanding Business. Completion of this cognate fulfills the University's General Education requirement of a cognate in the Area of Knowledge labeled People & Society (P&S).

This cognate offers students an overview of the business environment with the goal of promoting awareness and understanding of the real-world issues that affect the global economy in the twenty-first century. Courses in the cognate deliver the essential business concepts that enable critical consideration of the questions that confront decision makers in the various functional areas of business. Students declare the cognate via their advisor at their home School or College.

The Understanding Business cognate consists of the following courses:

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<td>BUS 200</td>
<td>Introduction to Business</td>
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<td>BUS 201</td>
<td>Money</td>
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<td>BUS 202</td>
<td>Introduction to the Legal Environment of Business</td>
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<td>BUS 203</td>
<td>Managing Effectively: A Skills Development Approach</td>
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<td>Intro to Corporate Sustainability</td>
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<td>BUS 206</td>
<td>Principles of International Business</td>
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<td>FIN 300</td>
<td>Fundamentals of Finance for Non-Finance Majors</td>
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<td>HIS 225</td>
<td>History of the Modern Business Enterprise</td>
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Business Analytics: Transforming data into insights for better informed decisions (STEM)
Professionals with deep analytical skills are in high demand across a variety of industries and organizations. Business analytics solutions use quantitative analysis to measure past performance and to guide and organization’s future business planning. The Business Analytics cognate offers a selection of courses that cover important tools and techniques to help understand and analyze data, predict outcomes, and to improve decision-making in increasingly complex and interconnected business environments. Completion of this cognate fulfills the University's General Education requirement of a cognate in the Area of Knowledge labeled Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM). Students declare the cognate via their advisor at their home School or College.

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<td>MAS 332</td>
<td>Data Acquisition, Preparation and Visualization</td>
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<td>MAS 342</td>
<td>Introduction to Optimization and Decision Making</td>
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<td>MAS 432</td>
<td>Data Analysis</td>
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<td>MAS 442</td>
<td>Stochastic Models in Operations Research</td>
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<td>MAS 547</td>
<td>Computer Simulation Systems</td>
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<td>MAS 548</td>
<td>Data Mining and Knowledge Acquisition</td>
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Development Economics (People and Society)
The core courses in this cognate, ECO 211 Principles of Microeconomics and ECO 212 Principles of Macroeconomics, introduce the study of the economic behavior of individuals, firms, and markets, as well as the analysis of the economy as a whole, both in terms of short-run fluctuations (the business cycle) and long-run determinants of economic growth. Additionally, the student chooses an elective from a set of courses related to the economic aspects of the development process based on their specific interests. Students completing this cognate will acquire the tools and techniques to analyze and solve economic problems, and will learn to apply the theory to real-world economic events in their area of interest. Students declare the cognate via their advisor at their home School or College.

Please note that no course may double count for any major, minor, or cognate.

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<td>Principles of Microeconomics (or ECO 300 or ECO 302)</td>
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<td>Principles of Macroeconomics (or ECO 303)</td>
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<td>ECO 379</td>
<td>The Political Economy of Growth</td>
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<td>ECO 443</td>
<td>Economic Analysis of Energy and Commodity Markets</td>
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<td>ECO 532</td>
<td>History of Economic Thought</td>
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Methods for Economic Analysis (STEM)
Recommended for students who have completed MTH 130 or Higher.

The core course in this cognate, ECO 211 Principles of Microeconomics, introduces the study of the economic behavior of individuals, firms, and markets. Additionally, students choose two electives from a set of STEM courses based on their specific interests in the areas of mathematical modeling and empirical analysis. Students completing this cognate will acquire the tools and techniques to analyze and solve mathematical economics and econometric problems, and will learn to apply the theory to real-world economic events in their area of interest. Students declare the cognate via their advisor at their home School or College.
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<td>ECO 430</td>
<td>Applied Econometrics</td>
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<td>ECO 444</td>
<td>Game Theory in Economic Applications.</td>
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<td>ECO 499</td>
<td>Special Topics in Economics</td>
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<td>ECO 510</td>
<td>Mathematical Economics and Applications</td>
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<td>ECO 511</td>
<td>Empirical Labor Economics</td>
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<td>Topics in Mathematical Economics</td>
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<td>ECO 520</td>
<td>Econometrics</td>
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**Total Credit Hours**

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Students in other schools and colleges of the University may choose to pursue any of the following minor areas of specialization at Miami Herbert Business School by officially declaring the minor at their home School or College:

**Minor Areas of Specialization**

- Business Law (P&S) (p. 722)
- Business Technology (STEM) (p. 734)
- Economics - Political Economy (P&S) (p. 752)
- Economics - Quantitative Economics (STEM) (p. 754)
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Students interested in completing a minor offered by the University of Miami Herbert Business School should consult with an academic advisor in the School or College of their degree/major to determine if a business minor is acceptable. Neither advice nor consent from either the Office of Undergraduate Business Education or the relevant Miami Herbert Business School department is necessary for a student to choose or complete a Business minor. Instead the non-business student should simply declare the minor in CaneLink and complete the necessary specific coursework, according to the details listed in the appropriate department’s section of this Academic Bulletin and the following supplemental guidelines, which are applicable to all minors unless otherwise provided by the department offering the minor area of specialization:

All courses within the minor must be taken for a grade and completed with a grade of “C-” or higher unless a higher minimum grade is prescribed by the department offering the minor. To be awarded the minor, the student must also achieve a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 in all minor courses, unless a higher grade or GPA is prescribed by the department offering the minor, as set out in that department’s section of this Academic Bulletin. All courses taken by the student in the department offering the minor will count toward the GPA in the minor.

**General Overview**

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Within the curricular framework of their school or college, Foote Fellows enjoy maximum freedom to explore a multitude of educational resources. Many Foote Fellows leverage this opportunity to take additional majors and/or minors and to study abroad.
At each of the nine undergraduate schools at the University of Miami, a dedicated advisor helps Foote Fellows chart their academic path and attain access to distinctive learning opportunities and educational guidance, such as special school-based seminars, faculty-mentored research, networking opportunities, and off-campus internships.

In addition, Foote Fellows have access to opportunities outside their school. Special Foote Fellow lectures are held throughout the academic year. "Books That Matter," a rigorous, multidisciplinary seminar in reading and analyzing significant works of nonfiction, is offered to Foote Fellows. Foote Fellows also benefit from focused advising regarding post-baccalaureate distinguished fellowships and awards, support and information about co-curricular opportunities from a dedicated program manager, and networking events with other Foote Fellows from all disciplines.

To graduate with the Foote Fellows Honors Program distinction, Foote Fellow students must achieve a minimum GPA of 3.5 by the completion of the final semester.

Eligibility for the Foote Fellows Honors Program transcript distinction for each student is determined by the lower of two GPAs:
1. UM cumulative graduation GPA
2. Combination GPA (UM cumulative graduation GPA + Transfer GPA)

The Foote Fellows Honors Program reflects the educational vision of former University of Miami President Edward T. Foote, who retired in 2000 after serving the University for twenty years.

**Foote Fellows in Business**

As the best and brightest of each incoming class, Miami Herbert Business School Foote Fellows are afforded the most stimulating academic and co-curricular experiences the School has to offer. They are invited to take part in Foote-only seminars, exclusive workshops on a variety of academic and career-oriented themes, and networking events with some of Miami Herbert Business School’s most honored speakers and guests.

Miami Herbert Business School Foote Fellows enroll in specially-designated sections of selected classes, such as BSL 212, BUS 255, and MKT 201. Business Foote Fellows also enjoy dedicated academic and co-curricular/career advisors, as well as opportunities for unique mentorship by prominent alumni.

**Accounting**

**Department Code: ACC**

**Introduction and Educational Objectives**

The objective of the program of studies in accounting is to prepare business students to make a smooth transition from college into a successful and meaningful career in the professional practice of accounting, whether it be in public, private, or governmental accounting. Because of the professional aspects of accounting, equal emphasis is placed upon general education in the arts and humanities and the functioning of business enterprises, as well as the basic underlying concepts of accounting.

**Requirements to Become a CPA**

Most of our students intend to become qualified as Certified Public Accountants (CPA). While the CPA exam is a national exam administered by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants, its execution and CPA licensing practices are governed by state law. For example, some states require a certain number of credit hours in particular subjects and have overall accounting and business credit hour requirements. As such, you should check with the state in which you intend to practice to determine what the specific course requirements are for that state. **Note:** Our department is unable to make a determination of your eligibility to sit for the CPA exam. This can only be done by the appropriate state board.

The Florida State Board of Accountancy (BOA) separates the requirements to become a CPA into two parts:

For your convenience, the Florida rules that apply to most individuals are summarized here. Please check the Florida Department of Business & Professional Regulation website [http://www.myfloridalicense.com/DBPR/certified-public-accounting/](http://www.myfloridalicense.com/DBPR/certified-public-accounting/) for updates and rules that may apply in particular circumstances.

**Requirements to Sit for the CPA Exam**

To be eligible to take the CPA exam, you must have completed at least 120 credit hours including 24 credit hours of accounting (including taxation, auditing, financial, and cost) at the upper division (300-level or above) and 24 credit hours in upper division general business courses with some exceptions in that one microeconomics, one macroeconomics, one statistics, one business law, and one introduction to computers course may be lower division. As part of the general business credit hours, applicants are required to have at least 3 credit hours of business law courses. Excess upper division accounting courses may be used to meet the general business requirement; however, elementary accounting classes are never
acceptable toward the required credit hours nor are courses for non-accounting majors and any MBA courses that are equivalent to elementary accounting. The exam is offered in the following time periods; January – February, April – May, July – August and October – November. Note: you do not have to have a bachelor’s degree in order to sit for the CPA exam.

Requirements for Licensure
In addition to passing all four parts of the CPA exam with at least a 75% within an 18 month rolling period, the BOA requires that you have completed a bachelor’s degree plus an additional 30 credit hours for a total of 150 credit hours before you can become licensed as a CPA. One year of work experience under the supervision of a licensed CPA is also required to become licensed. (This experience may be obtained before or after sitting for the exam; however, all requirements to sit for the exam must be met before the work experience commences.) If you fail to apply for licensure within three years of receiving the licensure package, (sent after you pass all four parts) the CPA grades expire and you have to retake the examination.

The 150 credit hours must include a minimum of 30 credit hours of accounting courses (including taxation, auditing, financial, and cost/managerial) at the 300-level or above and at least 36 credit hours of general business courses (including 3 credit hours of business law) at the 300-level or above (with some exceptions). Excess upper division accounting courses may be used to meet the general business requirement. Courses for non-accounting majors and any MBA courses that are equivalent to elementary accounting are not accepted for this requirement.

Licensed in Another State
If you are licensed in a state other than Florida you can obtain a license in Florida by a process called endorsement. You must provide evidence of meeting all of the requirements in effect at the time of your application. In addition, if you passed the exam more than two years before applying you must provide evidence of meeting continuing professional education requirements.

Accreditation
The Board accepts degrees from schools accredited by the following associations: Middle States Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, New England Association of Schools and Colleges, North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, Northwest Association of Schools and Colleges, Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, Western Association of Schools and Colleges, Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB), and Association of Independent Schools and Colleges who are regulated by the Commission of Independent Education, and Canadian, Mexican, Irish, and Australian academic accounting programs approved by the provincial educational bodies or the equivalent educational accreditation body for that country. If you have graduated from a school or college which is not accredited by the above-mentioned means, then you must use the provisions of F.A.C. 61H1-27.001(5).

Duplicate Courses
- No credit will be given for courses which duplicate another course for which the applicant has received credit. CPA review courses are considered as duplicates.
- For the CPA requirements in other states, you should consult the State Board of Accountancy for your state.

The Fifth Year Option
Many of our graduates satisfy the additional 30 credit hour requirement (to reach the total required 150 hours) for the CPA by continuing on for a fifth year during which time they also can complete the requirements for either the Master of Accounting (MAcc) or Master of Science in Taxation (MST) degree. While the programs are similar in that they offer an opportunity to concentrate in accounting, they differ in degree of specialization and career path orientation. The MAcc program offers two tracks: Assurance (MAcc-Assurance) for students planning to go into public accounting and Corporate Accounting (MAcc-Corporate) for students planning careers as controllers/CFOs or financial analysts. The MST is designed for students interested in careers requiring a high degree of specialized tax knowledge in public accounting, private industry, and government. Students interested in these programs should consult with the Program Director in the Department of Accounting.

Special Programs
- Accelerated Accounting Programs (p. 701)
- Five-Year Accounting Program with Senior-Year Internship (p. 710)

ACC 211. Principles of Financial Accounting. 3 Credit Hours.
Course explores the role of accounting in providing financial information about an enterprise to decision-makers. Emphasis is placed on understanding financial accounting from a user perspective. Course covers the reporting of financial position including coverage of assets, liabilities, equity accounts, the results of operations, and cash flows.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
ACC 212. Managerial Accounting. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to managerial accounting. Topics include various product costing techniques, analysis of cost behavior patterns, budgeting, and the use of accounting information to solve problems. The course is taught from a managerial perspective.
Prerequisite: ACC 211 or ACC 221 or ACC 223 and Requisite: Business School.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ACC 221. Accelerated Principles of Financial Accounting. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the role of accounting in providing financial information about an enterprise to decision-makers. Emphasis is placed on understanding financial accounting from a user perspective. Course covers the reporting of financial position including coverage of assets, liabilities, equity accounts, the results of operations, and cash flows. This course is not open to students with credit for ACC 211.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ACC 222. Accelerated Managerial Accounting. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to managerial/cost accounting. Topics include various product costing techniques, analysis of cost behavior patterns, budgeting, and the use of accounting information to solve problems. The course is taught from a managerial perspective. This course is not open to students with credit in ACC 212.
Prerequisite: ACC 221.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 223. Principles of Financial and Managerial Accounting. 4 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to financial and managerial accounting. Since this course focuses on accounting's role in providing information for management decisions, it also includes techniques for planning and controlling business operations to achieve company goals. Topics include the accounting cycle, financial statements, and financial ratios. From a managerial perspective, topics include job-order, process costing, activity-based costing, cost behavior, cost volume profit analysis, budgets, variances, and capital budgeting.
Prerequisite: MTH 161 and Requisite: Business School.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ACC 301. Cost Accounting. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics include basic cost concepts, product costing techniques including job-order and process costing, in-depth studies of techniques and issues surrounding cost allocation methods, basic approaches to solving complex accounting problems, standard cost systems and variance analysis, and variable costing. Additionally, activity-based costing concepts and methodology are introduced. Course is designed to provide students with the necessary skills to perform basic cost accounting.
Prerequisite: ACC 212 or ACC 222 or ACC 223 and Requisite: Business School.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

ACC 311. Intermediate Accounting I. 3 Credit Hours.
The accounting principles which shape the financial reporting practices followed by entities that prepare financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles are discussed. Course also includes the determination of income components and balance sheet elements with brief coverage of the statement of cash flows.
Prerequisite: ACC 212 Or ACC 223 or Pre/Corequisite: ACC 222 and Requisite: Business School.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

ACC 312. Intermediate Accounting II. 3 Credit Hours.
A continuation of ACC 311. Course focuses on more complex accounting applications such as leases, postretirement benefits, accounting for income taxes, and other topics. Additionally, the course includes coverage of the statement of cash flows.
Prerequisite: ACC 311 And Requisite: BUSINESS SCHOOL.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.
ACC 315. Accounting for Health Care Organizations. 3 Credit Hours.
This course develops a working knowledge of the financial accounting and reporting processes in health care, services industry, and governmental organizations. Focus is on accounting in health care, service industry and for-profit organizations. This will not count as an accounting course for accounting majors and will not satisfy any accounting requirements needed to sit for the CPA exam in Florida.
Prerequisite: ACC 212 or ACC 222 and Requisite: HSMP major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ACC 402. Auditing. 3 Credit Hours.
Course provides an introduction to the field of auditing. It concentrates on conducting an audit of financial statements in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards. Course covers accounting information systems, audit planning, audit risk and materiality assessments, evaluation of internal control, audit evidence, documentation, and audit reports.
Prerequisite: ACC 311 And Requisite: BUSINESS SCHOOL.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ACC 403. Fundamentals of Taxation. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic concepts of federal income taxation applicable to all taxpayers. The principles of individual income taxation, the tax consequences of property transactions, and an introduction to the impact of income taxes on corporations and partnerships are discussed. Emphasis is placed on study of the basic income tax formula including income exclusion, inclusions, statutory deductions, exemptions, and credits. The fundamentals of tax research are also introduced.
Prerequisite or Corequisite: ACC 311 and Requisite: Business School.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 404. Advanced Taxation. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of Federal income tax laws and regulations as they affect corporations, partnerships, their owners, and employees. Emphasis is placed on tax planning aspects of formation, operation, reorganization, distribution, and liquidation of corporations and partnerships. Also includes an introduction to estate and gift taxation.
Prerequisite: ACC 403 and Requisite: Business School.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 406. Accounting Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Contemporary accounting systems are computer based. Course covers the nature, design, implementation, and controls in computerized systems as well as manual systems. Micro computers are used as a learning tool.
Prerequisite: ACC 311 And Requisite: BUSINESS SCHOOL.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ACC 411. Advanced Accounting. 3 Credit Hours.
The primary focus of the course is on business combinations and preparing consolidated financial statements. Additionally, there is coverage of the accounting principles and practices applied to foreign operations and partnerships.
Prerequisite or Corequisite: ACC 312 AND Requisite: Business School and Junior Standing or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 496. Directed Studies in Accounting. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project, or independent investigation of selected non-STEM related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ACC 497. Directed Studies in Accounting. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project or independent investigation of selected STEM-related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ACC 498. Special Topics in Accounting. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected non-STEM areas of Accounting.
Requisite: Business School And Junior Or Senior Status.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ACC 499. Special Topics in Accounting. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected STEM areas of Accounting.
Requisite: Business School And Junior Or Senior Status.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ACC 506. Internal Auditing. 2 Credit Hours.
Course explores the unique issues associated with the internal audit function. Additionally, the ethical code applicable to internal auditors is discussed.
Prerequisite: ACC 402. And Requisite: Accepted into the Accelerated Program.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 522. Advanced Issues in Auditing. 3 Credit Hours.
Course covers advanced issues which arise in audit practice including audit reporting issues, fraud detection and reporting, attestation engagements, special reporting issues, compilation and review engagements, scope of services issues, and other new issues which have a significant impact on audit practice.
Prerequisite: ACC 402. And Requisite: Accepted into the Accelerated Program.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ACC 524. Accounting for Governmental and Not-for-Profit Entities. 2 Credit Hours.
The course introduces accounting within the environment of modern government and not-for-profit organizations. Emphasis is placed on financial accounting and reporting, current accounting issues, and managerial activities.
Prerequisite: ACC 312 and Requisite: Accepted into the Accounting Accelerated Program.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 530. International Financial Reporting Standards. 1 Credit Hour.
This course provides an overview of International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS). The course will begin with a study of IFRS Framework and will then examine a number of the major topics covered in the Intermediate Accounting courses. The perspective will be a comparison between IFRS and U.S. generally accepted accounting principles (U.S. GAAP).
Prerequisite: ACC 312 and Requisite: Accepted into the Accounting Accelerated Program.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 550. Accounting Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Student is individually assigned to operating business firm or other organization to gain insight into management practice in area of career interest. Periodic reports and conferences are required. Approval of chairman is required at time of registration.
Requisite: Business School.

Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ACC 555. Accounting Departmental Honors Research Project. 3 Credit Hours.
Research project to fulfill requirements for Departmental Honors Accounting.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ACC 572. Advanced Financial Analysis. 2 Credit Hours.
This course builds on the analytical techniques developed in the prerequisite financial accounting courses to augment your understanding of more complex financial reporting issues and to introduce you to the valuation of equity investments. The viewpoint is that of the user of financial statements, particularly from the standpoint of an equity investor or purchaser of a business. We discuss each financial reporting issue in terms of its effect on assessments of a firm's profitability and risk. This course is designed primarily for students who expect to be intensive users of financial statements as part of their professional responsibilities.
Prerequisite: ACC 312. And Requisite: Accepted into the Accounting Accelerated Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

Accelerated Accounting Programs

Accelerated Master's Programs
In addition to offering the Master of Science in Accountancy (MSA) and Master of Science in Taxation (MST) in the usual time frame involving one year of full-time study beyond the Bachelor's level, the MSA-Assurance Track, MSA-Corporate Track, and MST are offered as accelerated programs. These programs permit high achieving accounting students who have accelerated their education by taking advanced courses in high school, testing out of classes, taking increased class loads, or going to summer school, to start their graduate work while in the senior year.

The accelerated programs are available only to students who are undergraduate students at the University of Miami Herbert Business School. The programs are designed in such a way that students can expect to complete both their Bachelor's and Master's degrees and make significant progress on the CPA exam (if not complete it entirely) within 4½ years. In addition, these programs are extremely price competitive.

Accelerated Program Timeline
1. Internship in summer after junior year
2. Twelve credit hours of work in senior year will count towards the MSA or MST degree (only students in the accelerated programs are eligible to take these classes during their senior year).
3. In summer after senior year take one graduate course, CPA review course, and the CPA exam.
4. Complete remaining credit hours of graduate work in fall semester after senior year.

Admission to the Accelerated Master's Programs

Incoming Freshmen
• Prospective students may apply to the accelerated program when they apply for admission to the University of Miami.
• SAT Reading and Math combined scores should meet or exceed 1400; high school unweighted GPA should meet or exceed 3.75.
• Students are required to have a cumulative and an accounting major GPA of 3.3 or higher by their junior at the University of Miami. Students must then maintain a cumulative GPA of 3.3 or higher and an accounting major GPA of 3.3 or higher to remain in the program. Students who do not maintain the expected GPA may be placed on probation or transferred out of the program.
• Students will need to have completed a minimum of 102 credit hours by the start of their senior year.

Current University of Miami Undergraduate Accounting Majors

Academic Requirements
• Students should apply to the accelerated program by September 30 of their junior year.
• Admission to the program will be based on GPA, letters of recommendation, and performance in upper division (300-level or above) accounting courses in progress or completed. It is expected that the students admitted to the program will have GPAs exceeding 3.3, but students with these scores are not guaranteed admission. The decision will depend on the quality and size of the applicant pool and will be made by senior school administrators and faculty.
• After admission, to remain in the program, students must maintain a cumulative GPA of 3.3 or higher and an accounting major GPA of 3.3 or higher. Students who do not maintain the expected GPA may be placed on probation or transferred out of the program.
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1. Students must apply to the program at the start of their junior year and obtain an “approved” internship through the Toppel Career Center.
2. The internship must be scheduled to take place during the summer between their junior and senior year.
3. In the fall semester of their senior year, before registering for their senior-year spring classes, students must submit a copy of their internship agreement to the Faculty Director in the Department of Accounting.
4. By the fall semester of their senior year, students must have applied for admission to the graduate accounting program and submitted their verification enrollment fee to pursue a Master of Science in Accountancy or Master of Science in Taxation degree in the fall semester immediately following their senior year.
5. The GMAT will be waived for students admitted into the program.

Pre-requisites
The following must be completed before students begin their senior year:

- A minimum of 102 credit hours
- All undergraduate degree requirements except for those that can be completed in the senior year
- FIN 303 before or during senior year (for those students who intend to select the MSA-Corporate track)
- Note: MGT 401 is usually completed in the final semester of the undergraduate program.
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**Mission**

The mission of the Accounting Department is to provide an environment recognized for educational excellence through our academic programs, intellectual contributions, and service to the academic and professional communities.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

Students who complete this program will be able to:

1. Demonstrate an understanding of International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) including its basic history, its standard setting structure, and significant accounting and professional communities.
2. Define individual business disciplines and their relationship to the international business environment.
3. Prepare financial statements based upon generally accepted accounting principles.
4. Identify basic U.S. tax laws applicable to businesses and individuals.
5. Explain the attestation function and describe generally accepted auditing standards.
6. Describe the basic concepts of cost and managerial accounting and explain its role in business.
7. Apply mathematical concepts and technology to interpret, understand and communicate quantitative data.
8. Effectively produce, interpret and analyze written text, oral messages and multimedia presentations used in business.

**B.B.A. in Accounting**

**Overview**

Major Area of Specialization in Accounting (People & Society)

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2. At least one course with an international focus must be completed within the degree requirements. The appropriateness of the course is determined by the academic advisor.

3. Students who do not earn at least a C- in ENG 106 must either repeat ENG 106 and earn at least a C- or complete ENG 230 with at least a C- before enrolling in BUS 300.

4. To continue as an accounting major, a student must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 in accounting courses before enrolling in ACC 312. In subsequent coursework specific to the Accounting major area of specialization, including ACC 312, a grade of "C-" or better is acceptable as long as the overall GPA in the major is a 2.5.

5. No courses used to satisfy a major area of specialization may be used to satisfy the requirements for a different business major or minor area of specialization.

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Note that each major/minor at the University of Miami satisfies a particular "Area of Knowledge" within the general education requirements of the University. This means that it is possible to pursue two majors or a major and a minor within the Miami Herbert Business School and fulfill both the STEM and People and Society Areas of Knowledge; a separate cognate in these areas would not be required. The only remaining general education Area of Knowledge would be Arts and Humanities, which must be completed through a major, minor, or cognate outside of the Business School.

Students construct their individualized plans in collaboration with their assigned academic advisor.

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### Mission

- To develop innovative ideas and principled leaders that transform global business and society.

### Goals

The objective of the program of studies in accounting is to prepare business students to make a smooth transition from college into a successful and meaningful career in the professional practice of accounting, whether it be in public, private, or governmental accounting.

### Student Learning Outcomes

- BBA/BSBA graduates will be critical thinkers, able to select and apply appropriate models, tools, and techniques, and frameworks to enable them to render analytically sound business decisions.
- BBA/BSBA graduates will be able to identify, analyze and resolve ethical issues in business scenarios.
- BBA/BSBA graduates will demonstrate professional written communication skills.
- BSBA graduates will have strong technical skills.
Five-Year Accounting Program with Senior-Year Internship

Overview
The Five-Year Accounting Program with Senior-Year Internship is intended to allow exceptional students to acquire both undergraduate and graduate accounting degrees in five years while gaining valuable experience working at a full-time internship in the spring semester of their senior year. Students will also take a CPA review course and sit for the CPA exam so they can pass some (if not all) parts of the exam before they graduate with their Master of Science in Accountancy or Master of Science in Taxation degree.

Program Timeline
1. Junior Year: Complete an application to the program and apply for an internship position to take place in the spring of senior year.
2. Fall semester of Senior Year: Submit the internship agreement and apply to graduate school.
3. Spring semester of Senior Year: Complete Internship followed by 9 credit hours of coursework to complete the undergraduate degree and Accounting major.
4. Summer following Senior Year: Take CPA review and exam.
5. Fall semester following Senior Year: Begin the Master of Science in Accountancy (MSA) or Master of Science in Taxation (MST) Program.

Pre-requisites
The program is designed for University of Miami Herbert Business School undergraduate students who are pursuing the accounting major and who have a cumulative GPA of at least 3.2 at the time of application. Admission to the program is based on several criteria, so a 3.2 GPA does not guarantee admission. Students should discuss the program and their academic plan for entering the program with an academic advisor in the Office of Undergraduate Business Education or with the Program Director in the Department of Accounting. Prior to the spring semester of their senior year, students will need to have completed all undergraduate degree requirements, except for two accounting major courses and MGT 401.

Admission to the Five-Year Accounting Program with Senior-Year Internship

Academic Requirements
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Additional Requirements
1. Students must apply to the program at the start of their junior year and obtain an “approved” internship through the Toppel Career Center.
2. The internship must be scheduled to take place during the spring semester of their senior year.
3. In the fall semester of their senior year, before registering for their senior-year spring classes, students must submit a copy of their internship agreement to the Faculty Director in the Department of Accounting.
4. By the fall semester of their senior year, students must have applied for admission to the graduate accounting program and submitted their verification enrollment fee to pursue a Master of Science in Accountancy or Master of Science in Taxation degree in the fall semester immediately following their senior year.
5. The GMAT will be waived for students admitted into the program.

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Senior Year Spring Semester Curriculum
In the first half of the spring semester of the senior year, students will work full-time in an accounting internship for which they can receive 3 credit hours toward their undergraduate degree (ACC 550). Additionally, in the spring semester of their senior year, students will take 9 credit hours in three specially-designed short-duration courses that include two accounting major courses and MGT 401.
Summer, Fall, and Spring after Senior Year

In the summer after their senior year, students will have the opportunity to take a CPA review course and sit for the CPA exam. Students will complete their Master of Science in Accountancy or Master of Science in Taxation in the fall and spring semesters after senior year and begin working that following summer or fall.

Mission

The mission of the Accounting Department is to provide an environment recognized for educational excellence through our academic programs, intellectual contributions, and service to the academic and professional communities.

Student Learning Outcomes

Students who complete this program will be able to:

1. Demonstrate an understanding of International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) including its basic history, its standard setting structure, and significant accounting and professional communities.
2. Define individual business disciplines and their relationship to the international business environment.
3. Prepare financial statements based upon generally accepted accounting principles.
4. Identify basic U.S. tax laws applicable to businesses and individuals.
5. Explain the attestation function and describe generally accepted auditing standards.
6. Describe the basic concepts of cost and managerial accounting and explain its role in business.
7. Apply mathematical concepts and technology to interpret, understand and communicate quantitative data.
8. Effectively produce, interpret and analyze written text, oral messages and multimedia presentations used in business.

Minor in Accounting

Overview

Minor Area of Specialization in Accounting (People & Society)

The Department of Accounting allows Miami Herbert Business School students to earn a minor in Accounting. The Accounting minor is not available to non-business students or to business students pursuing the BSAF degree.

Curriculum Requirements

Business students who choose to pursue the minor in Accounting must complete the following 9 credit hours of coursework in accordance with the current pre-requisite structure, which includes "Junior Status" and either completion of ACC 211 and ACC 212 or completion of ACC 221 and ACC 222.

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Total Credit Hours: 9

1 ACC 211 and ACC 212 or ACC 221 and ACC 222 (or equivalent) are pre-requisites for all other Accounting courses.

2 ACC 311 may be taken concurrently with ACC 222 for BSBA students.

3 To obtain a minor in Accounting a student must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 in Accounting courses before enrolling in ACC 312. This course has the additional pre-requisite of ACC 311. In all coursework specific to the Accounting minor, a grade of "C" or better is acceptable as long as the overall GPA in the minor is a 2.5.

Business Law

Department Code: BSL

Introduction

The modern manager faces increasing legal implications in daily operations and in formulating business policy. Consequently, effective decision-making requires an appreciation of the social, ethical, economic, and political bases of law as it relates to business. Business law courses provide the student with fundamental insight into legal institutions, the regulatory environment, and the nature of legal discourse, as well as an array
of substantive principles of law, including such areas as contracts, sales, business organizations, and domestic and international commercial relationships.

**Educational Objectives**

The primary goals of the Department of Business Law are to contribute to legal knowledge through conducting scholarly research, to disseminate it by publication in leading journals and law reviews, and to transmit that knowledge to students and the larger University-wide, business, and professional communities.

These goals both inform and drive the Department’s educational objectives, which focus on:

- instilling in students a strong sense of the legal and ethical issues permeating business;
- aiding students’ comprehension of the legal and regulatory environment as well as the ethical considerations and substantive laws that shape business practices and policies; and
- developing students’ analytical and problem solving ability, as well as their oral and written presentation skills.

**BSL 212. Introduction to Business Law. 3 Credit Hours.**

Introduction to business law and ethics for the undergraduate student. Topics include business ethics, contracts (the nature and requisites, formation, interpretation, performance and breach, and remedies), and sales (Uniform Commercial Code, Convention on the International Sale of Goods, transfer of title, warranties, and rights and remedies of buyers and sellers).

*Requisite: Business School.*

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**BSL 304. Corporate Law. 3 Credit Hours.**

Introduction to the law and regulation of corporations and other business entities. Topics include: tort and other business liabilities, agency and fiduciary duty, partnerships, limited liability companies, corporations (including the legal relationships underpinning their financial structure, director and officer liability, and laws relative to change of control), securities regulation, and antitrust law.

*Prerequisite: BSL 212 or equivalent or BUS 202.*

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**BSL 305. Legal and Social Aspects of Business Regulation. 3 Credit Hours.**

An introduction to the legal and ethical issues arising out of business and the regulatory environment. Topics include business ethics and subjects as environmental law antitrust, securities, administrative process, consumer protection, and employment regulation.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

**BSL 306. Introduction to Corporate Sustainability. 3 Credit Hours.**

This course introduces students to issues associated with business and sustainability, through the lens of corporate governance and corporate citizenship. Readings, lectures, class discussion, and student projects are designed to instill in students a practical understanding of key corporate sustainability frameworks, challenges and opportunities, institutions, and actors in the global corporate context. Students will learn to apply alternative decision making models to current business activities. BSL 304 recommended as a prerequisite, but not required.

*Prerequisite: BSL 212 or equivalent or BUS 202.*

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Spring.

**BSL 324. Negotiation. 3 Credit Hours.**

This experiential course is designed to introduce undergraduate business students to the theory and practice of negotiation. The lectures and readings will discuss negotiation theory, equipping students with the concepts and terminology to prepare and execute value-creating, interest-based negotiations. Negotiation exercises will provide the student with an opportunity to apply the theoretical elements of the course in live, simulated negotiations. Extensive review of these simulated negotiations through classroom discussion and film analysis will assist students in cementing their understanding of the use of negotiation theory in practice. Although negotiation theory is applicable to a wide variety of academic contexts, this course focuses on negotiations in the practice of law and business.

*Requisite: Business School or Business Law minor AND Prerequisite: BSL 212 or equivalent or BUS 202 AND Sophomore Standing or higher.*

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.
BSL 333. Legal Aspects of Real Estate Transactions. 3 Credit Hours.
Legal principles controlling the acquisition, ownership, financing, and development of real property. Topics include nature and acquisition of rights in real property, theory of estates, co-ownership, fixtures, easements, legal descriptions, evidence of title, title insurance, deeds, mortgages, closing the sales and mortgage transactions, condominiums and cooperatives, brokers, and land use.
Prerequisite: BSL 212 or equivalent or BUS 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BSL 401. The Law of Financial Transactions. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of the law of commercial finance as it relates to existing and emergent payment systems, secured credit, and bankruptcy. Topics include: negotiable instruments, bank deposits and collections, secured transactions, personal and commercial bankruptcies, and accountant liability.
Prerequisite: BSL 212 or equivalent or BUS 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BSL 412. International Business Law. 3 Credit Hours.
International law and organizations, international sales, credits and commercial transactions, U.S. trade law, and the regulation of the international market place are discussed.
Prerequisite: BSL 212 or equivalent or BUS 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BSL 424. Intellectual Property Law. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to acquaint the business student with the general framework of laws that regulate innovation, marketing, competition, and business development in the U.S. Special emphasis will be placed on discussion of ethical issues in information property, unfair competition, and management of intellectual property across various industries.
Prerequisite: BSL 212 or equivalent or BUS 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BSL 435. Law of Entrepreneurship. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of the legal aspects of entrepreneurship and business management. Special emphasis on entity formation, intellectual property protection, capital formation, securities, tax planning, and risk management.
Prerequisite: BSL 212 or equivalent or BUS 202 or Entrepreneurship Minor for Non-Business Students AND Sophomore Standing or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BSL 460. Health Care Law and Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to offer students an appreciation of the legal foundations and ethical considerations in healthcare administration in the U.S. The readings and classroom discussion assist the student in (1) understanding the legal framework of relationships and institutions in healthcare, and (2) appreciating some of the particularly delicate ethical implications of decision-making in this field. Case study will promote the ability to analyze both. Special emphasis is placed on discussion of ethical issues in healthcare administration, including access to care, allocation of scarce resources and privacy.
Prerequisite: BSL 212 or equivalent or BUS 202 AND Business School or Business Law minor AND Sophomore Standing or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BSL 476. The Law of Risk. 3 Credit Hours.
This course offering will analyze risk in business and examine the tools that the law offers to identify danger and risk in the workplace and shift and minimize potential losses. This highly interactive course will first examine the various sources of legal risk, from criminal liability to employment discrimination to personal injury claims and toxic tort exposures. It will then examine the ways business and law pool, shift, and minimize risk. This seminar-style course will also include a significant experiential, hands-on component. Students will also practice contract construction and interpretation in a workshop environment.
Prerequisite: BSL 212 or equivalent or BUS 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BSL 485. Managing the Legal Factor. 3 Credit Hours.
This course offers the business manager a frank and analytical view of law and legal practice as they affect business decision-making. It addresses both the issues of cost containment and relationships between counsel and the company with the objective of achieving a more effective management of the legal function in business.
Prerequisite: BSL 212 or equivalent AND Requisite: Senior Status and Legal Studies major or Business Law minor. For Business Students only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BSL 496. Directed Studies in Business Law. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project, or independent investigation of selected non-STEM related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BSL 497. Directed Studies in Business Law. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project or independent investigation of selected STEM-related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BSL 498. Special Topics in Business Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected non-STEM areas of Business Law.
Prerequisite: BSL 212 or equivalent or BUS 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BSL 499. Special Topics in Business Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected STEM areas of Business Law.
Prerequisite: BSL 212 or equivalent or BUS 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BSL 555. Business Law Departmental Honors Research Project.. 3 Credit Hours.
Research project to fulfill requirements for Departmental Honors in Business Law.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

B.B.A. in Legal Studies

Overview

Major Area of Specialization in Legal Studies (People & Society)

The Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA) with a major area of specialization in Legal Studies is intended to enhance the interaction between the business manager and legal counsel, preparing graduates to excel in a wide variety of business pursuits. A flexible, inherently cross-disciplinary course of study, the Legal Studies major can facilitate careers in such fields as risk management, compliance, human resources, marketing, finance and accounting, general business or non-profit management, health care, government, and small business ownership/entrepreneurship. For some, it may also provide an appropriate foundation for the professional study of law.

Curriculum Requirements

In addition to satisfying the University General Education Requirements and Electives, students pursuing the BBA in Legal Studies must complete the BBA Business Core and the specific coursework for the Legal Studies major area of specialization as follows:

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### B.S.B.A. in Legal Studies

#### Overview

Major Area of Specialization in Legal Studies (People & Society)

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## Curriculum Requirements

In addition to satisfying the University General Education Requirements and Electives, students pursuing the BSBA in Legal Studies must complete the BSBA Business Core and the specific coursework for the Legal Studies major area of specialization as follows:

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|        | Legal Studies Major Choice             | 3 |
|        | **Credit Hours**                       | **15** |

#### Junior Year

| Fall | BSL 324 Negotiation | 3 |
|      | BTE 320 Introduction to Programming | 3 |
|      | MGT 304 Organizational Behavior      | 3 |
|      | Legal Studies Major Choice           | 3 |
|      | STEM Cognate Course                  | 3 |
|      | **Credit Hours**                     | **15** |

| Spring | MGT 303 Operations Management         | 3 |
|        | Arts and Humanities Cognate Course    | 3 |
|        | Legal Studies Major Choice            | 3 |
|        | STEM Cognate Course                   | 3 |
|        | Elective                              | 3 |
|        | **Credit Hours**                      | **15** |

#### Senior Year

| Fall | Legal Studies Major Choice            | 3 |
|      | Quantitative Choice Course            | 3 |
|      | STEM Cognate Course                   | 3 |
|      | Elective                              | 3 |
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|      | **Credit Hours**                      | **15** |

| Spring | BSL 485 Managing the Legal Factor      | 3 |
|        | MGT 401 Strategic Management           | 3 |
|        | Elective                              | 3 |
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**Minor in Business Law for Business Students**

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**Choice Courses for the Minor**

Select two courses (6 credit hours) from the following:

- BSL 304 Corporate Law
- BSL 305 Legal and Social Aspects of Business Regulation
- BSL 306 Introduction to Corporate Sustainability
- BSL 324 Negotiation
- BSL 333 Legal Aspects of Real Estate Transactions
- BSL 401 The Law of Financial Transactions
- BSL 412 International Business Law
- BSL 424 Intellectual Property Law
- BSL 435 Law of Entrepreneurship
- BSL 460 Health Care Law and Ethics
- BSL 476 The Law of Risk
- BSL 498 Special Topics in Business Law
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**Total Credit Hours** 12

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Minor in Business Law for Non-Business Students

Overview
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Interested students, before declaring the minor, should consult with an academic advisor in the School or College of their degree/major to determine if the minor in Business Law is acceptable. If so, neither advice nor consent from either the Office of Undergraduate Business Education or the Business Law Department is necessary.

Curriculum Requirements
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Business Technology

Department Code: BTE

Introduction
The Department of Business Technology serves the University as the focus for employing business technology and information management in the efficient solution of the entire range of business problems.

Today’s business and government organizations rely heavily upon information management for efficient administration and management. Collection, storage, and retrieval of data by computers are involved in the wide range of business activities including daily operations, management decision-making, and long-range planning. As the dependence of management on business technology grows, so does the need for business technology specialists. The courses and degree programs are described below.

Educational Objectives
The Business Technology major is designed to provide the student with the key information technology and management skills needed in today’s business environment, plus a firm grounding in the primary business areas in which these skills will be applied. Graduates of the program may qualify
for entry-level positions as systems and/or information analysts, information security specialists, consultants, user support analysts, programmers, or other information management positions.

The Department also co-supervises the Minor in Financial Technology (Fintech) (p. 780). This 12-credit-hour minor is for Miami Herbert Business School students who wish to better understand the delivery and use of financial services through use of technological innovation and automation of the financial sector. The Fintech minor combines classes in both Finance and Business Technology and prepares students for careers in the broader Fintech industry.

**BTE 120. Introduction to Business Technology and Programming. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course covers the fundamentals of technology focusing on programming logic and structured programming principles including problem solving, algorithm design, and program development using Python. The course introduces the student to object-oriented programming through a study of the concepts of program specification and design, algorithm development, and coding and testing using a modern software development environment. Students learn how to write programs in an object-oriented high-level programming language (Python). Topics covered include fundamentals of algorithms, flowcharts, problem solving, programming concepts, classes and methods, control structures, arrays, and strings, data structures and object oriented programming. Throughout the semester, problem-solving skills will be stressed and applied to solving computing problems. Weekly assignments will provide hands-on experience in topics covered in this course.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** CRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

**BTE 210. Fundamentals of Business Technology and Innovation. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course covers the fundamental technologies used in business today. Topics include information technology platforms; enterprise technology concepts; network infrastructure; enterprise resource planning; information security; technology architectures; internet; cloud, mobile, and web platforms; analytical technologies; business intelligence; expert systems, and Big Data. Students work on an innovation project to create a specification/business canvas for a new technology product.

**Requisite:** Business School.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** CRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**BTE 320. Introduction to Programming. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course covers the fundamentals of programming logic and structured programming principles—including problem solving, algorithm design, and program development—using a high level programming language. Topics covered include fundamentals of algorithms, flowcharts, problem solving, programming concepts, classes and methods, control structures, arrays, and strings, pointers, and data structures.

**Requisite:** Miami Business School or BTE Minor or CSC Major or Minor.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** CRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**BTE 324. Object-Oriented Programming. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course introduces the concepts and fundamental techniques of object-oriented programming. Topics include: data abstraction, encapsulation, inheritance, polymorphism, class library, graphics/GUI, exception handling, multithreading, multimedia, files and streams, Internet applets, application development, integrated development environment, interactive program debugging and the eXtensible Markup Language (XML).

**Prerequisite:** BTE 320 or equivalent.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** CRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

**BTE 360. Systems Analysis and Design. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course introduces the techniques of systems analysis and design. Topics include: the Software Development Life Cycle (SDLC), Agile Programming, Extreme Programming, lean software development, Universal Modeling Language (UML), requirements modeling, data modeling, user interface design, data design, normalization, systems architectures, implementation methods, and testing methodologies.

**Prerequisite:** BTE 320 or CSC 120 or ECE 118 or equivalent.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** CRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

**BTE 361. Design of Information Systems. 3 Credit Hours.**
Continuation of BTE 360. Topics include concepts, tools, and techniques of systems design, prototyping, file/database design, and physical process modeling. Students work in groups to design an application system for a business related problem.

**Prerequisite:** BTE 360.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** CRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.
BTE 389. Launching High Technology Ventures. 3 Credit Hours.
This course develops an understanding of the entrepreneurial processes as they apply to new technology ventures. Topics include: venture formation, venture and angel investments, innovation and creativity, business plan creation, human capital, ethics, and intellectual property.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BTE 400. Web-Mobile-Cloud. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces the basics of the cloud computing paradigm and examines how to implement different algorithms for different web and mobile applications in the cloud. The course covers the principles, systems, and applications of cloud computing that integrate web applications, smart phones, and tablets with cloud computing infrastructure. The student will be introduced to the basics of Infrastructure, Platform, and Software as a Service (IaaS/PaaS/SaaS), as well as to cloud platforms such as Google App Engine, Microsoft Azure, and Amazon Web Services (AWS).
Prerequisite: BTE 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BTE 401. Computers in an Inter-Networked Society. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides students with fundamental knowledge of the technology and tools that integrate big data, cloud, and mobile computing within a business and social context. Students will study these technologies and their impact on socioeconomic, political, organizational, and personal environments. The course covers the cultural components of a social media society and examines the systems and processes that need to be developed for effective management of that environment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BTE 412. Foundations of Business Enterprise Technologies. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an understanding of the foundations of enterprise technologies. Topics include: making the business case for technology, distributed architectures, customer relationship management systems (CRM), enterprise resource planning systems (ERP), requirements modeling and design for enterprise systems, software development and outsourcing for the enterprise, enterprise productivity technologies (RFID, Internet of things, machine data), 3D-design technologies, cloud technologies, and technologies for the global enterprise.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BTE 413. Big Data Strategy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to the area of business intelligence termed Big Data. The concepts of high volume, velocity, and variety data are examined. The course examines how big data can be used to create business intelligence strategies in the areas of marketing, product development, systems deployment, and innovation. The course utilizes business intelligence software and Structured Query Languages (SQL) to analyze data. Other Big Data topics covered include the ethics, security, streaming data, sourcing, emergent technologies, and international data regulations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BTE 417. Fundamentals of Tech Project Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide the fundamental project management knowledge necessary for a business manager, consultant, project manager, IT professional, and/or team member to successfully initiate and plan IT and other business projects. It is structured to provide principles, methodology, and practical information through a combination of lectures, group collaboration and hands-on exercises. Emphasis is placed on the importance of standardization and best practices as defined by the PMI's Project Management Body-of-Knowledge (PMBOK®).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BTE 420. Python Programming for Fintech. 3 Credit Hours.
The course covers the fundamentals of object-oriented programming, logic and structured programming principles including problem solving, algorithm design, and program development using Python with focus on financial programming applications. Topics covered include fundamentals of algorithms, flowcharts, problem-solving, programming concepts and methodologies, control structures, arrays, and strings, classes and class-methods, data structures and object oriented programming concepts including classes, methods, inheritance and polymorphism.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BTE 421. Design of Information Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of BTE 420. Topics include concepts, tools, and techniques of systems design; prototyping; file/database design; and physical process modeling. Students will work in groups to design an application system for a business related problem. Prerequisite: BTE 420.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BTE 422. Tech Foundations of Fintech. 3 Credit Hours.
The course covers multiple disciplines of technology and how they are individually and collectively applied in financial systems, transactions, payments, and data lifecycles. The course aims to develop a student's understanding of key technological components such as cloud computing, Internet of Things (IoT), Big Data and Machine Learning, Artificial Intelligence, Blockchain technologies, data security, privacy and technology regulations as they relate to financial transactions, financial institutions, public and private business entities, governments, regulations and an overall monetary system. Requisite: Sophomore Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BTE 423. Database Management Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the foundations of database management systems (DBMS). Topics include: database systems design, SQL, the relational model, entity-relationship modeling, distributed DBMS, object DBMS, web technology and DBMS, semi-structured data, XML, business intelligence, data warehousing, data warehousing design, introduction to OLAP and a brief overview of data mining. Students will engage in hands-on exercises for the design and implementation of database business applications. Prerequisite: BTE 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BTE 430. Business Networks. 3 Credit Hours.
In this course, students will learn the underlying concepts and technologies in the field of business networks with specific focus on their applications in businesses. Topics covered include: network types, networking standards, protocols, and architectures; the characteristics of physical and logical networking components and technologies; the security issues that affect network systems and their implications on business applications; the technical and organizational issues concerning wireless networks; emerging networking technologies and software tools for designing and troubleshooting various aspects of networks.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BTE 450. Introduction to Health Informatics. 3 Credit Hours.
The course develops an understanding of the role of information systems and technology within a healthcare organization. It examines the business and technical issues associated with the selection, deployment and use of health informatics, both in the clinical and back office areas. Health informatics, for the purpose of the course, is defined as the convergence of information technology, information management, and health care, at various levels, ranging from simple data gathering, to the design and implementation of new health care information systems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BTE 465. Web Application Development. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will explore Internet and mobile application development methodologies. Topics include: HTML 5, CSS3, scripting languages (JavaScript); jQuery, AJAX, web services, Web Servers (IIS and Apache) and relational databases (MySQL/Apache Derby/Java DB)—all the skills and tools needed to create dynamic Web-based and mobile applications. The coverage will be both on the client side and the server side of Web-based applications, and the course will provide instruction on building rich Internet applications that enhance the presentation of online content and give web applications the look and feel of desktop applications. Students in the course will build Web-based, client/server, database-intensive, multi-tier, and mobile business applications. Prerequisite: BTE 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BTE 496. Directed Studies in Business Technology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project, or independent investigation of selected non-STEM related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BTE 497. Directed Studies in Business Technology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project, or independent investigation of selected STEM related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BTE 498. Special Topics in Business Technology. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected non-STEM areas of Business Technology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BTE 499. Special Topics in Business Technology. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected STEM areas of Business Technology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BTE 523. Big Data Development. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers foundational techniques and tools required for data science and big data analytics. The course delivers a thorough overview of and hands-on experience with Big Data technologies, including: Hadoop, Mapreduce, Association rules, Large scale supervised machine learning, Data streams, Clustering, NoSQL systems (Casadenra, Pig, Hive), and applications, including recommendation systems, Web, and security. Students will also examine current research and publications in Data Science/Big Data Analytics, with emphasis on systems and algorithms for large-scale advanced data analysis.
Prerequisite: BTE 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BTE 524. Mobile Apps Development. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the fundamentals of programming logic and structured programming principles—including problem solving, algorithm design, and program development for mobile environments—with a focus the Android Platform. The course introduces the requirements and methodologies for developing dedicated and client-server applications that target smartphones, tablet computers, and other mobile devices. Topics include: memory management, communications, power systems, APIs, and among others. The techniques studied are applicable to and can be transitioned to the iOS or Windows 8 platforms.
Prerequisite: BTE 320 and BTE 324.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BTE 535. Information Security. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces the principles of computer security. Information is an important strategic and operational corporate asset that needs to be protected from data breaches. This course investigates some of the security measures that can be employed to safeguard information and explores some of the tools and techniques used in designing these measures. Students will examine how system designs, network protocols, and software engineering practices can result in vulnerabilities. They will also explore how to detect and mitigate vulnerabilities in existing systems and, so, how to design and implement better future systems. Additional topics include ethical hacking, social engineering strategies, and other approaches to managing vulnerabilities.
Prerequisite: BTE 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BTE 550. Business Technology Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Student is individually assigned to operating business firm or other organization to gain insight in information technology practice in the area of career interest. Periodic reports and conferences are required.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BTE 555. Business Technology Departmental Honors Research Project. 3 Credit Hours.
Research project to fulfill requirements for Departmental Honors in Business Technology.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BTE 556. Mobile to Cloud: Developing Distributed Applications. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to the basics of the emerging cloud computing paradigm. It also examines how to implement different algorithms for different applications in the cloud and how to deploy mobile applications in the cloud. The course covers the principles, systems, and applications of mobile cloud computing that integrates smart phones and tablets with virtualized distributed computing infrastructure. Students will learn the fundamentals of a variety of systems such as virtual machines, the principles and practices of client/server architectures, the concepts and practices of Infrastructure, Platform, and Software as a Service (IaaS/PaaS/SaaS), cloud platforms such as Google App Engine, Microsoft Azure, and Amazon Web Services(AWS), as well as security issues.
Prerequisite: BTE 320 and BTE 324.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BTE 557. AI Programming for Business Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of AI programming languages and technologies. Topics include: Functional Programming, Logical Programming, Software methodologies for development of AI systems and software.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

B.B.A. in Business Technology

Overview
Major Area of Specialization in Business Technology (STEM)

The business technology major provides students with the key information technology and management skills needed in today's business environment, plus a firm grounding in the primary business areas in which these skills will be applied.

Curriculum Requirements
In addition to satisfying the University General Education Requirements and Electives, students pursuing the BBA in Business Technology must complete the BBA Business Core and the specific coursework for the Business Technology major area of specialization as follows:

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**Total Credit Hours**

120

**NOTE:** ENG 105 and ENG 106, or their equivalents, must be completed prior to attaining junior year classification, per the University General Education Requirements. Additionally, all 100 and 200-level Business Core courses must be completed by the end of the fifth semester of college work or during the semester in which the student is completing 75 credit hours.

2 At least one course with an international focus must be completed within the degree requirements. The appropriateness of the course is determined by the academic advisor.

3 Students who do not earn at least a C- in ENG 106 must either repeat ENG 106 and earn at least a C- or complete ENG 230 with at least a C- before enrolling in BUS 300.
All specific coursework for the major in Business Technology must be completed with a grade of "C-" or higher. In addition, a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 is required for all specific coursework taken in the major area of specialization. All courses must be completed within the current pre-requisite structure. Each course may satisfy a requirement in only one major or minor area of specialization (i.e., no double counting).

Sample Plan of Study

This Sample Plan of Study represents one possible version of a new freshman Business student’s 8-semester plan. The individual student’s plan may vary depending upon the initial placement into English Composition and mathematics. Moreover, numerous plan variations are possible if a student enters the University with advanced college credits, wishes to participate in study abroad, chooses a special program option, or selects additional majors or minors.

Note that each major/minor at the University of Miami satisfies a particular "Area of Knowledge" within the general education requirements of the University. This means that it is possible to pursue two majors or a major and a minor within the Miami Herbert Business School and fulfill both the STEM and People and Society Areas of Knowledge; a separate cognate in these areas would not be required. The only remaining general education Area of Knowledge would be Arts and Humanities, which must be completed through a major, minor, or cognate outside of the Business School.

Students construct their individualized plans in collaboration with their assigned academic advisor.

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Total Credit Hours 120

1. **NOTE:** ENG 105 and ENG 106, or their equivalents, must be completed prior to attaining junior year classification, per the University General Education Requirements. Additionally, all 100 and 200-level Business Core courses must be completed by the end of the fifth semester of college work or during the semester in which the student is completing 75 credit hours.

2. At least one course with an international focus must be completed within the degree requirements. The appropriateness of the course is determined by the academic advisor.

3. Students who do not earn at least a C- in ENG 106 must either repeat ENG 106 and earn at least a C- or complete ENG 230 with at least a C- before enrolling in BUS 300.

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**Sample Plan of Study**

This Sample Plan of Study represents one possible version of a new freshman business student’s 8-semester plan. The individual student’s plan may vary depending upon the initial placement into English Composition and mathematics. Moreover, numerous plan variations are possible if a student enters the University with advanced college credits, wishes to participate in study abroad, chooses a special program option, or selects additional majors or minors.

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Minor in Business Technology

Overview

Minor Area of Specialization in Business Technology (STEM)

Miami Herbert Business School students, as well as students in the other schools and colleges of the University of Miami, may pursue the minor in Business Technology by officially declaring the minor at their home school or college and completing the coursework specified below. Interested non-business students, before declaring the minor, should consult with an academic advisor in the School or College of their degree/major to determine if the minor in Business Technology is acceptable. If so, neither advice nor consent from either the Office of Undergraduate Business Education or the Business Technology Department is necessary.

Curriculum Requirements

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Economics

Department Code: ECO

Introduction and Educational Objectives

Economics uses the idea of optimizing behavior to provide a unified framework for studying human action. The economics curriculum is designed to give business students an understanding of economic theory and its application to a wide range of problems. The program provides excellent preparation for careers in business, government, and international agencies. It is particularly recommended for students planning graduate study or professional training in fields such as law, business, international studies, public administration, and economics.

A student pursuing the Economics major or minor area of specialization will select one of two possible options: Political Economy (People and Society) or Quantitative Economics (Science, Technology, Mathematics, and Engineering).

The Department also supervises the MHBS minor in Sustainable Business, which is designed to provide students with a grounding in the business concepts of sustainability, as well as to offer additional perspectives from the science/technical and policy/social issues fields.

Members of the Department are prepared to counsel students in the selection of courses and in other matters relating to the preparation for careers. Students interested in pursuing the Master of Science in Sustainable Business or a Doctor of Philosophy in Economics (p. 1935) may seek additional information from the Department of Economics.

ECO 211. Principles of Microeconomics. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamental course devoted to the development and application of basic analytical tools and principles required for an understanding of major economic problems and policy alternatives available for their solution. A particular emphasis is devoted to microeconomic analysis. Topics include the study of markets under varying conditions of competition, including market deficiencies such as pollution, prices, and resource allocation distribution of income, including poverty problems, the economics of the firm and the government, and international economic relations.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECO 212. Principles of Macroeconomics. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamental course devoted to macroeconomic analysis. Topics include national income and employment analysis, money and banking, economic growth, and comparison of different economic systems, including the problems of developing the less developed world.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECO 213. Principles of Economics. 4 Credit Hours.
This course introduces the study of the economic behavior of individuals, firms, and markets; as well as the analysis of the economy as a whole, both in terms of short-run fluctuations (the business cycle) and long-run determinants of economic growth.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ECO 300. Microeconomic Theory and Applications. 3 Credit Hours.
Intermediate level analysis of the role of price in resource allocation in markets of varying degrees of competition. It focuses on the process of decision-making by individuals and firms, and the welfare consequences. Special attention is devoted to economic applications.
Prerequisite: ECO 211 or ECO 213 and MAS 110, or MTH 130 or MTH 141 or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECO 301. Macroeconomic Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Intermediate level analysis of the measurement, determination, and control of aggregate economic activity.
Prerequisite: ECO 212, MAS 110, or MTH 130 or MTH 141 or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECO 302. Microeconomic Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Intermediate level analysis of the role of price in resource allocation in markets of varying degrees of competition, as well as in the determination of wages, rent, interest, profits, and public policy.
Prerequisite: ECO 211 or ECO 213 and MTH 141 or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECO 303. Macroeconomic Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Intermediate level analysis of the measurement, determination, and control of aggregate economic activity.
Prerequisite: ECO 212 or ECO 213 and MAS 110 or MTH 130 or MTH 141 or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECO 307. Public Economics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course studies the role of governments in the economy by surveying several topics in public finance and public policy; it is designed to be a link between the theory and several policy-relevant applications. Students will acquire the microeconomic tools and techniques to identify, analyze, and solve public policy and political economy problems. Students will also learn to apply the theory to current events such as the policy debates over social security, health care, education, and tax reform. Selected topics: budget analysis and scoring; correction of externalities and provision of public goods; public choice theory and government failure; fiscal federalism and redistribution; role of government in education, social security, and health care; income distribution and welfare programs; optimal taxation and tax inefficiencies; taxes on labor supply, savings, capital gains, and business income; fundamental tax reform and consumption taxation. This is an elective class addressed to economics majors, minors, and any student with an interest in the topics.
Prerequisite: ECO 213 or ECO 211 and ECO 212.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECO 311. Labor Economics (I). 3 Credit Hours.
Course surveys the structure and functioning of labor markets. Topics include determinants of labor supply and labor demand, economics of wage differentials, economic impact of labor unions, discrimination in labor markets, and the labor market effects of various government policies such as payroll and income taxes, educational subsidies, and minimum wage laws. The central goal of the course is to provide the student with a framework for analyzing diverse issues related to the labor sector of the economy.
Prerequisite: ECO 300. Or ECO 302.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECO 333. Industrial Economics and Public Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course surveys several topics in industrial economics, regulation, and antitrust; it is designed to be a link between the theory and several applications. Students will acquire the microeconomic tools and techniques to identify, analyze, and solve industrial economics and government competition policy problems, and will learn to apply the theory to many real-world markets and current economic events. Selected topics: price discrimination; product differentiation; advertising; network effects; consumer search and digital markets; auctions; bargaining; vertical restraints and mergers; collusion and cartels; innovation and intellectual property; natural monopolies and regulation; and antitrust policies. This is an elective class addressed to economics majors, minors, and any student with an interest in the topics.
Requisite: ECO 300 OR ECO 302.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ECO 345. Environmental Economics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course determines the appropriate way to regulate economic activity so as to achieve an optimal balance between competing environmental and economic goals. Economic reasoning is used to evaluate causes and consequences of environmental problems. The course rigorously evaluates various types of environmental regulation, including "cap-and-trade," command and control mandates, and pollution taxes. Other specific topics include public goods, externalities, cost benefit analysis, non-market valuation, and international trade and development and the environment.
Prerequisite: ECO 211 or ECO 213.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 351. Economics of Development. 3 Credit Hours.
This course studies factors underlying economic development, measures of and goals for development, principles applicable to problems of development, the role of markets and planning in development, social, cultural, and political factors affecting economic development, and comparative rates of progress in different countries.
Prerequisite: ECO 213 or ECO 211 and ECO 212.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECO 371. Latin America and the Global Economy. 3 Credit Hours.
An analysis of the historical growth of major Latin American countries, with emphasis on the post World War II period. Topics include industrialization, foreign investment, international trade and regional integration, agrarian reform, inflation, and development strategies and planning within the context of Latin America.
Prerequisite: ECO 213 or ECO 211 and ECO 212.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECO 379. The Political Economy of Growth. 3 Credit Hours.
This course studies the causes of economic growth such as geography, culture, institutions, human and physical capital, as well as technology. It examines the role they play in the development process, casting light in their order of importance for growth and into which growth determinants are amenable to policy change.
Prerequisite: ECO 213 or ECO 211 and ECO 212.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECO 386. Health Economics. 3 Credit Hours.
The course applies the tools of microeconomic analysis to the health care sector. It examines how models of demand and supply apply to the health care sector in general, and in particular to the health insurance, the hospital, the physicians, and the pharmaceutical sectors. By examining the actors and issues in this market, students are able to discuss policy issues from an economic perspective.
Prerequisite: ECO 300. Or ECO 302.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 403. Monetary Economics. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of the role of money in economic affairs. Topics include the determinants of the money supply and interest rates, money and prices, money and stability, and growth. Emphasis is placed on current problems and policies.
Prerequisite: ECO 301 or ECO 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECO 420. Economic Growth. 3 Credit Hours.
Course covers selected topics in economic growth. Topics include stylized facts associated with economic growth, the theoretical study of economic growth, and empirical tests of those theories. Course work is supplemented by case studies of individual countries, particularly developing countries.
Prerequisite: ECO 301 or ECO 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
**ECO 430. Applied Econometrics. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course introduces basic econometric techniques for analyzing economic data. The goal is to make students sophisticated consumers and skillful producers of empirical analysis, which will be attained by extensive work on a variety of real-world data like students’ test scores, CEO wages, mortgage applications, cigarette demand, stock market capitalization, inflation, GDP and interest rates. Learning how to use econometric analysis software is an integral part of the course.
Prerequisite: ECO 211 or ECO 213 and MAS 110, or MTH 130 or MTH 141 or higher.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**ECO 441. International Trade Theory. 3 Credit Hours.**
Study of the principles of comparative advantage and the gains from international trade. Analysis of tariffs, quotas, and protectionism is included.
Prerequisite: ECO 300. Or ECO 302.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**ECO 442. International Monetary Economics. 3 Credit Hours.**
Analysis of models of the exchange rate, the balance of payments, and monetary policy in an open economy.
Prerequisite: ECO 301 or ECO 303.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

**ECO 443. Economic Analysis of Energy and Commodity Markets. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course explores the principles of energy economics, commodity markets and advanced macroeconomics. It discusses the main trends in energy production and consumption, the methods of analysis in energy and commodity markets, and the main challenges in the energy sector. The analysis of oil prices and the economics of oil exporting countries is emphasized.
Prerequisite: ECO 213 or ECO 211 and ECO 212.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

**ECO 444. Game Theory in Economic Applications. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course is an introduction to the techniques and questions of modern microeconomics. The course will expose you to the techniques of game theory, the workhorse of modern microeconomics, and will apply those techniques to the analysis of a variety of economics situations and institutions.
Prerequisite: MAS110 or MTH 130 or MTH 141 or higher.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

**ECO 445. Global Economics: Trade and Currencies. 3 Credit Hours.**
In this course, students are exposed to two fundamental topics which are primalordial to the understanding of any economic, political and/or social circumstance in any given country at any given time: (1) The evolution and meaning of the business cycle and capitalism, and (2) The effect of international trade and currencies. These two themes have sparked debates for centuries as they have great implications in the development of countries. Also, this course challenges students’ critical thinking and analytical skills with a wide range of controversial readings on these two topics. This course is divided into four sections. The first one introduces students to the idea of the business cycle. The second section aims at explaining how capitalism was born and how it has evolved in the 19th and 20th centuries. Then, the course centers on explaining capitalism today and presents criticisms. And finally, students analyze how the business cycle and capitalism has unfolded and affected certain countries in Latin America.
Prerequisite: ECO 301 or ECO 303.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**ECO 460. Industrial Organization. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course shows how microeconomic theory can be used to understand the diverse practices encountered in real-world markets between the extreme cases of perfect competition and monopoly. Topics to be covered include strategic pricing behavior, collusion, advertising and information, vertical integration, vertical restraints, regulation and a review of empirical literature.
Prerequisite: ECO 302.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.
ECO 496. Directed Studies in Economics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project, or independent investigation of selected non-STEM related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECO 497. Directed Studies in Economics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project or independent investigation of selected STEM-related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECO 498. Special Topics in Economics. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected non-STEM areas of Economics.
Prerequisite: ECO 300. Or ECO 302.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECO 499. Special Topics in Economics. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected STEM areas of Economics.
Prerequisite: ECO 302.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECO 510. Mathematical Economics and Applications. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will focus on specific applications of microeconomic theory, which may vary each semester. Topics may include choice under uncertainty, game-theoretic models of insurance markets, principal-agents problems, and basic auction theory. The discussion of each application will be preceded by a discussion of the mathematical tools required. The mathematics topics covered may include basic theory of sets and functions, concave/convex functions and their role in optimization, expectations, conditional probability, Bayes rule, and order statistics.
Prerequisite: ECO 211 or ECO 213 and MAS 110, or MTH 130 or MTH 141 or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 511. Empirical Labor Economics. 3 Credit Hours.
A theoretical and empirical analysis of how labor markets operate. A survey of the literature, problems, and methodology of modern labor economics. Human capital analysis, the wage structure, job search and job-matching models, time-allocation models, the economic impact of labor unions, labor market discrimination, the determinants of labor demand and supply, and the factors affecting government policy relating to the labor sector is also included.
ECO 430.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECO 512. Topics in Mathematical Economics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course shows how modern economic techniques can be used to identify optimal managerial decisions and industrial developments. Diverse real-world economic applications are examined.
Prerequisite: ECO 211 or ECO 213 and MAS 110, or MTH 130 or MTH 141 or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECO 520. Econometrics. 3 Credit Hours.
Statistical methods of estimating and testing mathematical model of economic relationships.
Prerequisite: ECO 211 or ECO 213 and MAS 110, or MTH 130 or MTH 141 or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
**ECO 521. Advanced Macroeconomic Theory. 3 Credit Hours.**  
The primary objective of this course is to introduce the student to the mathematical presentation of the major Classical, Neo-classical, Keynesian, and Neo-Keynesian macroeconomic models.  
Prerequisite: ECO 301 or ECO 303.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**ECO 532. History of Economic Thought. 3 Credit Hours.**  
Historical development of economic doctrines and theory. Topics and individuals discussed include mercantilism, physiocracy, Adam Smith, Thomas Malthus, David Ricardo, J. S. Mill, Karl Marx, marginal analysis, Alfred Marshall, and J. M. Keynes. Special emphasis is placed on the effect of historical insights upon the contemporary core of economic theory.  
Prerequisite: ECO 213 or ECO 211 and ECO 212.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

**ECO 533. Advanced Microeconomic Theory. 3 Credit Hours.**  
An introduction to the mathematical approach to microeconomic theory. Topics include consumer/household behavior, the theory of the firm, resource allocation, welfare economics, and uncertainty theory.  
Prerequisite: ECO 302.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall.

**ECO 555. Economics Departmental Honors Research Project. 3 Credit Hours.**  
Research project to fulfill requirements for Departmental Honors in Economics.  
Components: THI.  
Grading: SUS.  
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

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**B.B.A. in Economics**

**Overview**

Major Area of Specialization in Economics (People & Society or STEM)

The economics major brings students an understanding of economic theory and its application to a wide range of problems. The program provides excellent preparation for careers in business, government, and international agencies.

Miami Herbert Business School students who wish to pursue the Economics major area of specialization will choose between two tracks: Political Economy (P&S) or Quantitative Economics (STEM). In the Political Economy track, People and Society courses are predominant. In the Quantitative Economics track, Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics courses are predominant.

**Curriculum Requirements**

In addition to satisfying the University General Education Requirements and Electives, students pursuing the BBA in Economics must complete the BBA Business Core and the specific coursework for one of the Economics major tracks as follows:

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**Major Area of Specialization in Economics ⁴**

Choose either the Political Economy Track or the Quantitative Economics Track ¹⁸

**Political Economy Track Required Courses (People & Society):**

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**Major Choice Courses (P&S) - Select four courses (12 credit hours) from the following:**

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### Sample Plans of Study

This Sample Plan of Study represents one possible version of a new freshman Business student’s 8-semester plan. The individual student’s plan may vary depending upon the initial placement into English Composition and mathematics. Moreover, numerous plan variations are possible if a student enters the University with advanced college credits, wishes to participate in study abroad, chooses a special program option, or selects additional majors or minors.

Note that each major/minor at the University of Miami satisfies a particular "Area of Knowledge" within the general education requirements of the University. This means that it is possible to pursue two majors or a major and a minor within the Miami Herbert Business School and fulfill both the STEM and People and Society Areas of Knowledge; a separate cognate in these areas would not be required. The only remaining general education Area of Knowledge would be Arts and Humanities, which must be completed through a major, minor, or cognate outside of the Business School.

Students construct their individualized plans in collaboration with their assigned academic advisor.

### Political Economy Track Plan of Study

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Mission

- To develop innovative ideas and principled leaders that transform global business and society.

Goals

The economics curriculum is designed to give business students an understanding of economic theory and its application to a wide range of problems.

Student Learning Outcomes

- BBA/BSBA graduates will be critical thinkers, able to select and apply appropriate models, tools, and techniques, and frameworks to enable them to render analytically sound business decisions.
- BBA/BSBA graduates will be able to identify, analyze and resolve ethical issues in business scenarios.
- BBA/BSBA graduates will demonstrate professional written communication skills.

B.S.B.A. in Economics

Overview

Major Area of Specialization in Economics (People & Society or STEM)

The economics major brings students an understanding of economic theory and its application to a wide range of problems. The program provides excellent preparation for careers in business, government, and international agencies.

Miami Herbert Business School students who wish to pursue the Economics major area of specialization will choose between two tracks: Political Economy (P&S) or Quantitative Economics (STEM). In the Political Economy track, People and Society courses are predominant. In the Quantitative Economics track, Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics courses are predominant.

Curriculum Requirements

In addition to satisfying the University General Education Requirements and Electives, students pursuing the BSBA in Economics must complete the BSBA Business Core and the specific coursework for one of the Economics major tracks as follows:

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Major Area of Specialization in Economics

Choose either Political Economy or Quantitative Economics.

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1. **NOTE:** ENG 105 and ENG 106, or their equivalents, must be completed prior to attaining junior year classification, per the University General Education Requirements. Additionally, all 100 and 200-level Business Core courses must be completed by the end of the fifth semester of college work or during the semester in which the student is completing 75 credit hours.

2. At least one course with an international focus must be completed within the degree requirements. The appropriateness of the course is determined by the academic advisor.

3. Students who do not earn at least a C- in ENG 106 must either repeat ENG 106 and earn at least a C- or complete ENG 230 with at least a C- before enrolling in BUS 300.

4. All specific coursework for a major area of specialization in Economics must be completed with a grade of “C” or higher. A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 is required for all specific coursework taken in the major area of specialization. All courses must be taken within the current pre-requisite structure.

5. No course may double count in any other major, minor, or cognate.

Course pre-requisites vary by course.
**Sample Plans of Study**

This Sample Plan of Study represents one possible version of a new freshman business student's 8-semester plan. The individual student's plan may vary depending upon the initial placement into English Composition and mathematics. Moreover, numerous plan variations are possible if a student enters the University with advanced college credits, wishes to participate in study abroad, chooses a special program option, or selects additional majors or minors.

Note that each major/minor at the University of Miami satisfies a particular "Area of Knowledge" within the general education requirements of the University. This means that it is possible to pursue two majors, or a major and a minor, within Miami Herbert Business School and fulfill both the STEM and People and Society Areas of Knowledge; a separate cognate in these areas would not be required. The only remaining general education Area of Knowledge is Arts and Humanities, which must be completed through a major, minor, or cognate outside of the Business School.

Students construct their individualized plans in collaboration with their assigned academic advisor.

**Political Economy Track Plan of Study**

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Mission

• To develop innovative ideas and principled leaders that transform global business and society.

Goals

The economics curriculum is designed to give business students an understanding of economic theory and its application to a wide range of problems.

Student Learning Outcomes

• BBA/BSBA graduates will be critical thinkers, able to select and apply appropriate models, tools, and techniques, and frameworks to enable them to render analytically sound business decisions.
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Minor in Political Economy for Business Students

Overview

Minor Area of Specialization in Political Economy (People & Society)

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Business students may pursue a minor in Political Economy by taking 12 credit hours of Economics courses in addition to the Business Core.

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Minor in Political Economy for Non Business Students

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Minor in Quantitative Economics for Business Students

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Minor in Quantitative Economics for Non Business Students

Overview

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Minor in Sustainable Business

Overview

Minor Area of Specialization in Sustainable Business (People & Society)

The 12-credit-hour minor in Sustainable Business is available to both Business and non-Business students alike. Interdisciplinary in nature, the coursework will provide students with an introduction to the business concepts of sustainability, followed by additional perspectives from the science/technical and policy/social issues fields, and concluding with an integrative, experiential, project-based capstone course that requires students to
Interested students should consult with an academic advisor in the School or College of their degree/major to declare the minor in Sustainable Business.

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No course may double count in any other major, minor, or cognate. All specific coursework for the minor area of specialization in Sustainable Business must be completed with a grade of "C-" or higher. A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 is required for all specific coursework taken in the minor area of specialization. All courses must be taken within the current pre-requisite structure.

Many other relevant upper level courses with prerequisites, and Special Topics courses may be available at or offered by other UM Schools and Colleges. These may be approved to satisfy the appropriate "Science/Technical" or "Policy/Social Issues" course requirement, after consultation with the academic advisor.

Finance

Department Code: FIN

Introduction

The Finance major area of specialization is designed to prepare business students for a wide variety of careers. Because finance is focused on valuation and decision making, it is applicable to virtually every possible type of organization.

The Real Estate major area of specialization is designed for business students seeking to apply the theoretical and analytical concepts of finance to real estate lending, investment, and development.

The Bachelor of Science in Accounting and Finance (BSAF) degree at Miami Herbert Business School is intended for quantitatively strong first-year students arriving at the Miami Herbert Business School with a clear interest in careers in the financial services industry or in corporate financial management.

Educational Objectives

Finance

The finance discipline is focused on two primary issues. The first is determining value. The second is making the best decisions with respect to value. We study these issues in a variety of contexts and industries.

The three primary areas of finance are financial management, investments, and financial markets and intermediaries. Financial management focuses on how an organization can accomplish its mission. For example, a corporation seeks to create and maintain wealth, and a non-profit organization seeks to improve the world in some way. All organizations want to achieve their mission to the greatest extent possible, and that requires making the best decisions with respect to value. The area of investments studies the purchase and sale of financial securities, such as stocks, bonds, options, and futures from the point of view of an investor. Financial markets are created to facilitate the trading (buying/selling) of financial securities. Financial intermediaries sell claims on themselves to investors, such as stock, life insurance, or a bank deposit. Financial intermediaries then invest the money from such sales in other assets such as loans, real estate, or other financial securities.

Real Estate

The importance of understanding developments in real estate and mortgage markets and the integration of real estate investments into the national and international economy have led to increased interest in this important field. The real estate major area of specialization strengthens ties with important segments of the business community and builds on the University’s strategic strengths in architecture (New Urbanism) and urban planning.

Business students pursuing the major area of specialization in Real Estate should consider taking the courses necessary to meet the requirements of the Urban Studies Minor (p. 677) (For more information, contact the Director of the Urban Studies Program. (http://www.as.miami.edu/urbanstudies/contact/))

Bachelor of Science in Accounting and Finance (BSAF)

The BSAF degree at Miami Herbert Business School is intended for quantitatively strong students arriving at the Miami Herbert Business School with a clear interest in careers in the financial services industry or in corporate financial management. This degree allows students to accelerate coursework in the Accounting and Finance disciplines simultaneously, as well as encourages the development of quantitative skills in data analytics. Specially-designed courses allow for front-loading of accounting and finance courses early in the undergraduate career.

Important Note: To be eligible for any BBA or BSBA major specialization offered by the Finance Department, the following requirements must be met:

- A student must earn a grade of "B" (grade point of 3.0) or higher in FIN 302 (note that a grade of "B-" does not qualify).
- A student must have a cumulative University of Miami GPA of 2.5 or higher before enrolling in FIN 303 or FIN 320.
- All specific coursework for the major area of specialization must be completed with a grade of "C-" or higher (except for the minimum "B" grade required for FIN 302 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=FIN%20302), as noted).
- A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 is required for all specific coursework taken in the major area of specialization.

Dual Degree

- BBA/BSBA - MSF Dual Degree Programs (p. 779)
FIN 144. Investing in Real Estate. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the fundamentals of commercial real estate. The aim of the course is to give you broad exposure to the landscape of commercial real estate markets. After a discussion of the relation between property prices and rents, the first part of the course is focused on property-level analysis of real estate equity as an investment, especially property valuation. This portion will culminate in a valuation case, based on a proposed development project in downtown Miami. After this, we will look at the fundamentals of real estate debt (mortgages) and equity markets (REITs).
Requisite: Summer Scholars Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

FIN 300. Fundamentals of Finance for Non-Finance Majors. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an overview of modern finance for non-business majors. Topics include: how financial markets work, understanding financial pages in newspapers and the Internet, how stock and bond prices are determined, how investment portfolios are structured, concepts of risk and return, how companies manage their cash and investments and international finance. Not for credit for business students.
Requisite: Non Business Majors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 302. Fundamentals of Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the basic tools and concepts in finance. This is the core class in finance for our undergraduate program. Topics include the financial framework of a business entity, taxes, the time value of money, capital market theory, financial risk measures, and capital budgeting. Note: to be eligible to major in finance, a student must earn a grade of B or higher in this class (a grade of B- does not qualify).
Prerequisite: MAS 201 or MAS 311 or MTH 224 or IEN 311 or IEN 310 or PSY 292 and ACC 211 or ACC 221 or Pre/Corequisite ACC 223.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FIN 303. Intermediate Financial Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an overview of financial decision-making by corporations. Building on topics covered in the introductory finance classes, this course develops the foundations of optimal financial policy and applies these principles to corporate financial decision-making including capital structure, capital budgeting, dividend policy, leasing, securities issuance and the role of investment banks, and mergers and acquisitions. Note: a student must have obtained a B or higher grade in FIN302 to major in Finance. Earning an A in this class or any other class or classes does not eliminate that requirement.
Prerequisite: FIN 302.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring.

FIN 308. Intermediate Financial Management for Entrepreneurs. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is primarily for students majoring in entrepreneurship. It provides an overview of financial decision-making by entrepreneurs. Building on topics covered in the introductory finance classes, this course develops the foundations of optimal financial policy and applies these principles to entrepreneurial financial decision-making involved with such things as capital structure, working capital budgeting, leasing, hedging and risk management, securities issuance and the role of investment banks, and mergers and acquisitions. Note: Students cannot take both FIN 308 and FIN 303, so this class is not open to students who have taken FIN 303.
Prerequisite: FIN 302 and Requisite: Entrepreneurship Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

FIN 320. Investment and Security Markets. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to both practical and theoretical aspects of investment with an emphasis on financial markets. Topics include valuation of financial securities such as stocks, bonds and options; modern portfolio theory; the process and institutional characteristics of investing. Note that this course does not address the details of individual security valuation and selection, i.e., this course is not about stock picking or about how to get rich by investing in the markets. Instead, this course attempts to help you develop a lasting conceptual framework in which to view the investment process and to analyze future ideas and changes in investment environment. This class is essential to any student considering a finance concentration. Note: A student must have obtained a B or higher in FIN302 to major in Finance. Earning an A in this class or any other class or classes does not eliminate this requirement.
Prerequisite: FIN 302.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
FIN 330. International Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
This course applies the principles of finance to international business decisions. Topics include the analysis of foreign exchange rates, balance of payments, characteristics and use of international financial institutions and instruments, the analysis and management of financial risk in the international environment, and financing multinational corporations. Note: a student must have a B or higher in FIN 302 to major in International Finance and Marketing (or Finance). Earning an A in this class or any other class or classes does not eliminate this requirement.
Prerequisite: FIN 302.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FIN 340. Real Estate Principles. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to basic principles and fundamental practices in the real estate industry. Students learn how to apply the principles of finance to the real estate industry. Topics include common institutional aspects, brokerage, contracting, financing, ownership, management, valuation, appraisal, and investment analysis.
Prerequisites: FIN 302 or FIN 300.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FIN 344. Real Estate Investment Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces the theoretical concepts and analytical techniques used to make a decision to purchase an ownership interest in a commercial real estate project. There is heavy reliance on Excel applications. Each student will complete a written evaluation and investment analysis of an existing or proposed commercial real estate project in Miami-Dade, Broward or Monroe County.
Prerequisite: FIN 302 and FIN 320 or FIN 303 OR Co-requisite: FIN 320 or FIN 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

FIN 347. Introduction to ARGUS. 1 Credit Hour.
ARGUS software is used extensively in the development, financing and management of commercial real estate, especially in the office, industrial and retail sectors. The introduction to ARGUS class exposes the student to the basic concepts and terminology in the commercial real estate market and to the typical inflows and outflows an owner who invests in real estate faces over the life of the investment.
Prerequisite: FIN 302.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 348. Advanced ARGUS. 1 Credit Hour.
At the end of the Advanced ARGUS class the student will be able to assess the viability of detailed rent and operating expense assumptions, make decisions about the impact of financing on investor returns and critically evaluate the investment potential of leveraged office and retail property.
Prerequisites: FIN 302 and FIN 347.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

FIN 355. Smif Fund Analyst I. 1 Credit Hour.
The course is designed to introduce the student to the investment management process, including valuation of publicly traded equities. The course is one credit and meets once a week each semester; students must commit to and enroll in the follow-up class. Admission to the course is through a competitive application process.
Pre-requisite or Co-requisite: FIN 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 356. Smif Fund Analyst II. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is designed to introduce the student to the investment management process, including valuation of publicly traded equities. The course is one credit and meets once a week each semester. Enrollment in the course is limited.
Prerequisite: FIN 355.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
FIN 404. Applications in Corporate Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
An application of the concepts and tools of corporate finance. Primary emphasis on analyzing real-world cases dealing with liquidity issues, capital budgeting, firm valuation, advanced corporate financing, hedging with options and futures, corporate financial strategy, and other current issues in corporate finance.
Prerequisites: FIN 302, FIN 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

FIN 405. Financial Modeling. 3 Credit Hours.
This course takes a variety of finance topics, which have been covered in the prerequisite courses, and implements them using practical spreadsheet models. Students will use the internet and financial databases to obtain input data for their models. Students will use Visual Basic for Applications (VBA) and design functions and macros to enhance their models. Students must have a solid working knowledge of Windows and Excel, as well as a good understanding of the material taught in the prerequisite finance classes. Students must have a mobile (lap-top) computer with the capability to run Windows-based software.
Prerequisites: FIN 302, FIN 303, FIN 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 408. Introduction to Mergers and Acquisitions. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to the world of mergers and acquisitions (M&A). More specifically, the course is designed to develop an understanding of (i) the economic, financial, and strategic issues involved in the acquisition of a (public or private) company; (ii) the analytical tools used to value an acquisition target; and (iii) academic research that reports results from large samples of M&A deals. Students will apply their understanding of these issues by analyzing various actual and potential acquisitions.
Prerequisites: FIN 302, FIN 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

FIN 409. Introduction to Private Equity and Venture Capital. 3 Credit Hours.
In this course, you will learn about the private equity (PE) industry, composed of both venture capital (VC) and buyouts (BO). The focus is on how PE investors evaluate, select, value, and structure deals. This course has several goals. First, the course will deepen your current understanding of corporate finance by applying key concepts and tools to a new and increasingly important industry. Second, the course seeks to introduce you to the institutions of the PE industry. This involves examining, for example, how funds are raised and how term sheets are structured. Finally, a goal is to understand the valuation process used by PE investors.
Prerequisites: FIN 302 and FIN 303 or FIN 308.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

FIN 410. Financial Institutions and Markets. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines financial institutions, such as banks (commercial, investment, mortgage, savings), credit unions, insurance companies, pension funds, and mutual funds and the money markets in which they operate, and focuses on why they exist and how to manage them. Topics include financial intermediation and transmutation, monetary theory and policy, Federal Reserve management of the money supply, velocity of money, fiscal theory and policy, interest rates, and immunization.
Prerequisites: FIN 302 and FIN 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FIN 411. Commercial Bank Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces the theory and practice of asset-liability management by large publicly traded commercial banks, including the fundamental principles of structuring loans into balance sheets. A major objective of this class is to provide students sufficient background to enter the credit department in the executive development program of major money center bank.
Prerequisites: FIN 302 and FIN 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
FIN 412. Financial Planning and Wealth Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the investment and financial issues arising from financial planning and personal wealth management activities. It covers various topics required for the construction of a comprehensive financial plan including the identification of client financial status and goals, asset allocation, securities trading, managed funds, tax planning, risk management and insurance, and estate planning.
Prerequisites: FIN 302 and FIN 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 415. Trading and Markets. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to the functioning of financial markets and the fast changing field of market microstructure. On the equity trading side, the course covers major exchanges such as NYSE Euronext and Nasdaq OMX, and new players such as BATS and Direct Edge/ISE. Students also learn about dark pools, options and futures exchanges, electronic bond trading platforms, and currency trading systems. In addition, the course provides a summary of different market structures, the role of market participants, different order types, trading strategies, and trading externalities. The course draws on theories and tools from economics and behavioral finance, current institutional practices and market regulation.
Prerequisites: FIN 302 and FIN 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

FIN 418. Fundamentals of Fintech. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to Fintech, the emerging world of applications, concepts, developments, business models, and companies at the interface of Finance and Technology. The course format is a mixture of introductory topical lectures, class discussions, and interactive seminar-style student presentations. It covers the main Fintech areas like Peer-to-Peer-Lending, Crowdfunding, Mobile Payment Systems, Cryptocurrencies and ICOs, Robo Advising, Insurtech (insurance technology), and RegTech (regulatory technology). A special emphasis is given to how and by whom these emerging technologies are currently used, and how they may potentially change the landscape of finance and financial services in the future.
Prerequisites: FIN 302 and FIN 303 or FIN 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FIN 421. Investment Portfolio Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to quantitative active management of equity portfolios. The course begins with a discussion on the sources of stock market inefficiencies. The course then covers the five key dimensions of the quantitative portfolio management process: forecasting relative stock returns using quantitative signals, measuring portfolio risk relative to a benchmark, portfolio optimization, controlling transaction costs, and measuring and evaluating portfolio returns. The course focuses on practical application and relies heavily on experiential learning and Excel spreadsheets.
Prerequisites: FIN 302 and FIN 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

FIN 422. Speculative Markets and Derivatives. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an introduction to derivative securities, and examines the nature of derivatives and applications of such instruments in investment and corporate settings. The emphasis is on derivatives of equity-based securities (such as stocks and stock indices), but coverage includes derivatives of debt-based securities (such as Treasury and Eurodollar securities). Topics include options, futures, forwards, and other derivatives, such as options on futures, foreign currency derivatives, swaps, exotic options, real options, as well as financial engineering using derivatives.
Prerequisites: FIN 302, FIN 303, FIN 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 423. Introduction to Alternative Investment. 3 Credit Hours.
The objective of this course is to provide an introduction to alternative financial instruments and how capital market participants utilize them. The course covers a large set of investment choices, with a specific focus on fixed income and alternative instruments, such as commodities, interest rates and currency. While covering each instrument, the course also examines with how macro-economic, technological, labor market, taxes and regulatory issues affect specific investment decisions.
Prerequisites: FIN 302 and FIN 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
FIN 425. Business and Security Valuation. 3 Credit Hours.
Applications of finance theory to the problem of valuing public and non-public companies. Multiplier models, discounted cash flow analysis, and the strengths and weaknesses of traditional security valuation methods are addressed in detail. Financial spreadsheet programs and data sources are an integral part of the course. 
Prerequisites: FIN 302 and FIN 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 427. Fixed Income Markets and Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines financial markets that trade fixed income securities. A fixed income security is based primarily on a debt contract, such as a bond, debenture, note or Treasury bill. Topics include the valuation, computation of return, and computation of various measures of risk for fixed income securities, as well as the analysis of the term structure of interest rates and various option features commonly included in debt contracts and fixed income securities. Students must have a solid working knowledge of Excel to take this class.
Prerequisites: FIN 302 and FIN 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 431. International Financial Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This is an advanced class in international finance from the viewpoint of multi-national organizations, including corporations, investment banks, and commercial banks. Topics include managing the various sources of risk, such as economic, political, and currency; cash receivables, inventory, and payables management; financing; transfer pricing; taxation; currency netting; capital budgeting; and hedging.
Prerequisites: FIN 302, FIN 320, FIN 330.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 433. Case Studies for Financial Professionals. 1 Credit Hour.
This one-credit course explores key concepts at the interface of Corporate Finance and Accounting, using carefully selected case studies. Each case study is designed to serve as the basis for in-depth class discussion and to reinforce fundamental concepts with numerical examples. The course relies on interactive, discussion-based learning that engages students in critical analysis, while developing confidence to apply their knowledge to specific real world examples.
Prerequisites: FIN 303 and FIN 320 and ACC 311 and ACC 312 and Requisite: BSAF degree.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

FIN 445. Real Estate Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces the theoretical concepts and analytical techniques used to make a decision to finance the purchase or development of a commercial real estate project. There is heavy reliance on Excel applications and the use of the Argus database that is a standard resource in the commercial real estate market. Students are also encouraged to use their semester projects to apply for one of the numerous case competitions.
Prerequisite: FIN 344.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

FIN 446. Real Estate Market Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an introduction to the fundamental concepts of real estate market analysis. The major topics to be covered include site analysis, economic-demographic, supply and demand analyses. This course shall also include a global prospective of real estate market analysis. This shall be accomplished by means of conducting portions of a market analysis for foreign cities of your individual choosing.
Requisite: Pre/Corequisite: FIN 344.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FIN 456. Behavioral Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
The goal of this course is to expose you to selected topics from the upcoming field of behavioral finance. This will include a discussion of prospect theory and different types of behavioral biases such as representativeness, disposition effect, overconfidence, narrow framing, familiarity bias, and the house-money effect. In addition, the course will cover the implications of behavioral biases for asset pricing, corporate finance, and the overall macro-economy. Simple experiments will be conducted in class to illustrate some key behavioral concepts.
Prerequisites: FIN 302, FIN 303, FIN 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
FIN 457. SMIF Fund Portfolio Manager I. 1 Credit Hour.
The course is designed to introduce the student to the investment management process, including the tools used to compose a diversified portfolio that covers each of the major industrial sectors. The course is one credit and meets once a week each semester. Enrollment in the course is limited. Prerequisite: FIN 356.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 458. SMIF Fund Portfolio Manager II. 1 Credit Hour.
The course is designed to introduce the student to the investment management process, including the management of an investment organization and the evaluation of portfolio performance. The course is one credit and meets once a week. Enrollment in the course is limited. Prerequisite: FIN 457.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 496. Directed Studies in Finance. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project, or independent investigation of selected non-STEM related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FIN 497. Directed Studies in Finance. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project or independent investigation of selected STEM-related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FIN 498. Special Topics in Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected non-STEM areas of Finance. Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FIN 499. Special Topics in Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected STEM areas of Finance. Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FIN 555. Finance Departmental Honors Research Project. 3 Credit Hours.
Research project to fulfill requirements for Departmental Honors in Finance.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

B.B.A. in Finance

Overview
Major Area of Specialization in Finance (STEM)

The finance major prepares business for a wide variety of careers. Because finance is focused on valuation and decision making, it is applicable to virtually every possible type of organization.

Curriculum Requirements
In addition to satisfying the University General Education Requirements and Electives, students pursuing the BBA in Finance must complete the BBA Business Core and the specific coursework for the Finance major area of specialization as follows:
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### Mission

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### Goals

The Real Estate major area of specialization is designed for business students seeking to apply the theoretical and analytical concepts of finance to real estate lending, investment, and development.

### Student Learning Outcomes

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B.S. in Accounting and Finance

Overview
The Bachelor of Science in Accounting and Finance (BSAF) degree at Miami Herbert Business School is intended for quantitatively strong students arriving at the business school with a clear interest in careers in the financial services industry or in corporate financial management. This degree allows students to accelerate coursework in the Accounting and Finance disciplines simultaneously, as well as encourages the development of quantitative skills in data analytics.

Students must maintain a minimum overall cumulative GPA of 3.0 in order to remain eligible for the BSAF degree, calculated at the end of each semester or term, including the first. The University Repeat Rule may be utilized by BSAF students to replace a D or F only if the cumulative GPA meets the requisite 3.0 GPA without the repeat. Given the accelerated pace of the BSAF core, repeated courses are not to be used to retroactively reinstate a student into the program.

Every course completed in satisfaction of the BSAF degree (with the possible exception of some electives) must be taken for a grade. A minimum grade of “C-” or higher must be earned for all BSAF Business Core Requirements, except for ACC 223 and FIN 302 for which a grade of “B” or higher is required. (A grade of “B-” is not sufficient.) To graduate with the BSAF degree, students must maintain a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 in all Accounting courses and in all Finance courses. Students who do not meet program requirements at any point in the degree's completion will be converted to the BBA or BSBA program, as appropriate.

A minimum of 125 credit hours is needed to graduate with the BSAF degree.

Curriculum Requirements
Students pursuing the Bachelor of Science in Accounting and Finance must complete the University General Education Requirements, the BSAF Business Core Requirements, and the specific coursework as follows:

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#### Finance Choice Courses

Select two approved courses (6 credit hours) at the 300-500 level from the Finance departmental offerings.

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2. Students who wish to change from the BSAF to the BBA or BSBA after completing ACC 223 will receive credit for ACC 211 and must complete ACC 212 to satisfy the BBA or BSBA business core requirements. Students who wish to change from the BSAF to the BBA or BSBA after completing ECO 213 will receive credit for ECO 211 and must complete ECO 212 to satisfy the BBA or BSBA business core requirements. Conversely, BSAF students who have completed both ECO 211 and ECO 212 do not need to complete ECO 213, and BSAF students who have completed both ACC 211 and ACC 212 do not need to complete ACC 223.

3. Excluding FIN 300 and FIN 308.

4. At least one course with an international focus must be completed within the degree requirements. The academic advisor determines the appropriateness of the course.

5. ENG 105 and ENG 106, or their equivalents, must be completed prior to attaining junior year classification, per the University General Education Requirements.

6. Students who do not earn at least a C- in ENG 106 must either repeat ENG 106 and earn at least a C- or complete ENG 230 with at least a C- before enrolling in BUS 300.

### Sample Plan of Study

This Sample Plan of Study represents one possible version of a new freshman Business student's 8-semester plan. The individual student's plan may vary depending upon the initial placement into English Composition and mathematics. Moreover, other plan variations are possible if a student enters the University with advanced college credits, wishes to participate in study abroad, participates in the Foote Fellow program, or selects additional cognates or minors.

Note that each major/minor at the University of Miami satisfies a particular "Area of Knowledge" within the general education requirements of the University and therefore a separate cognate in these areas would not be required. Business School students are required to satisfy the Arts and Humanities Area of Knowledge by completing a cognate, minor, or major through another School or College at the University.

Students construct their individualized plans in collaboration with their assigned academic advisor.
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Mission

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Goals

First destinations of graduating seniors (i.e., job placement or graduate school) and student satisfaction rates will be used as program performance metrics. The first program goal is to have at least 90% of students with a secure first destination by six months after graduation. The second goal is for the mean of BSAF graduates’ responses to reflect at least 90% of students reporting satisfaction level of “Generally Satisfied” or above.

Student Learning Outcomes

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- BSAF graduates will be able to identify, analyze and resolve ethical issues in business scenarios.
- BSAF graduates will demonstrate professional written communication skills.
- BSAF graduates will have strong technical skills.

B.S.B.A. in Finance

Program Overview

Major Area of Specialization in Finance (STEM)

The finance major prepares business students for a wide variety of careers. Because finance is focused on valuation and decision making, it is applicable to virtually every possible type of organization.

The finance discipline is focused on two primary issues. The first is determining value. The second is making the best decisions with respect to value. Finance majors study these issues in a variety of contexts and industries.

Although the finance function is especially prominent in major corporations, and the investments, banking, real estate, and insurance industries, every organization and industry includes a finance function.

Curriculum Requirements

In addition to satisfying the University General Education Requirements and Electives, students pursuing the BSBA in Finance must complete the BSBA Business Core and the specific coursework for the Finance major area of specialization as follows:

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**Mission**

- To develop innovative ideas and principled leaders that transform global business and society.

**Goals**

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**Student Learning Outcomes**

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- BBA/BSBA graduates will be able to identify, analyze and resolve ethical issues in business scenarios.
- BBA/BSBA graduates will demonstrate professional written communication skills.
- BSBA graduates will have strong technical skills.

**B.S.B.A. in Real Estate**

**Overview**

Major Area of Specialization in Real Estate (STEM)
The real estate major is designed for students who want to apply theoretical and analytical concepts to real estate lending, investment and development. The program builds on real estate development and new urbanism concepts, while maintaining a strong emphasis on quantitative methods in finance.

## Curriculum Requirements

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Major Choice Courses - Select one course (3 credit hours) from the following:  3

FIN 423  Introduction to Alternative Investment (pre-requisites FIN 302 & FIN 320)
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Optional Course (Strongly Recommended)
FIN 348  Advanced ARGUS (offered as a one-credit enhancement in the spring semester)  6

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### B.S.B.A. in Real Estate

#### Spring
- **BUS 150** Business Analytics 3
- **ECO 212** Principles of Macroeconomics 3
- **ENG 106** English Composition II 3
- **MTH 162** Calculus II 4
- Arts and Humanities Cognate Course 3

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#### Sophomore Year

**Fall**
- **ACC 211** Principles of Financial Accounting 3
- **BSL 212** Introduction to Business Law 3
- **BTE 210** Fundamentals of Business Technology and Innovation 3
- **MAS 311** Applied Probability and Statistics 3
- Arts and Humanities Cognate Course 3

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**Spring**
- **ACC 212** Managerial Accounting 3
- **BUS 300** Critical Thinking and Persuasion for Business 3
- **FIN 302** Fundamentals of Finance 3
- **MAS 312** Statistical Methods and Quality Control 3
- Arts and Humanities Cognate Course 3

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#### Junior Year

**Fall**
- **BTE 320** Introduction to Programming 3
- **FIN 320** Investment and Security Markets 3
- **FIN 344** Real Estate Investment Analysis 3
- **MGT 304** Organizational Behavior 3
- People and Society Cognate Course 3

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**Spring**
- **BSL 333** Legal Aspects of Real Estate Transactions 3
- **FIN 347** Introduction to ARGUS 1
- **FIN 445** Real Estate Finance 3
- **MGT 303** Operations Management 3
- People and Society Cognate Course 3
- Elective recommended - **FIN 348 Advanced ARGUS** 1

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#### Senior Year

**Fall**
- **FIN 446** Real Estate Market Analysis 3
- People and Society Cognate Course 3
- Real Estate Major Choice Course 3
- Elective 3
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**Spring**
- **MGT 401** Strategic Management 3
- Quantitative Choice Course 3
- Elective 3
Mission
• To develop innovative ideas and principled leaders that transform global business and society.

Goals
The Real Estate major area of specialization is designed for business students seeking to apply the theoretical and analytical concepts of finance to real estate lending, investment, and development.

Student Learning Outcomes
• BBA/BSBA graduates will be critical thinkers, able to select and apply appropriate models, tools, and techniques, and frameworks to enable them to render analytically sound business decisions.
• BBA/BSBA graduates will be able to identify, analyze and resolve ethical issues in business scenarios.
• BBA/BSBA graduates will demonstrate professional written communication skills.
• BSBA graduates will have strong technical skills.

BBA/BSBA - MSF Dual Degree Programs
Overview
The dual degree programs allows business school students to efficiently complete both a bachelor’s and master’s degree in as little as 4 ½ years. The current BBA and BSBA programs require successful completion of 120 credit hours. The MSF program will require successful completion of 30 credit hours in the dual degree program because BUS 640 Quantitative and Analytical Fundamentals for Finance (4 credit hours) is not required. Students graduating from UM’s BBA and BSBA programs and matriculating directly into the MSF dual degree program will not require this course because the material is covered in their undergraduate programs.

To qualify for admission to the BBA/BSBA-MSF programs, a student must:
1. Complete FIN 302 and receive a grade of B or higher (a B- in FIN 302 does not fulfill this requirement).
2. Complete at least 96 credit hours of undergraduate courses with a cumulative grade point average of 3.3 or higher.
3. Apply to the program by the end of the semester in which the student completes 96 undergraduate credit hours. (Typically, application submission will be required by the end of the spring semester of a student’s junior year.)

In the dual degree programs, a student must:
1. Comply with all undergraduate degree requirements for a BBA major (undergraduate degree need not be in finance) for the BBA-MSF program or a BSBA major (undergraduate degree need not be in finance) for the BSBA-MSF program.
2. Comply with all MSF degree requirements in the newly revised MSF curriculum effective Fall 2019 except for the BUS 640 (commonly known as the boot camp) waiver as described below.
3. Enroll in a minimum of 12 undergraduate credit hours of courses per semester until the requirements of the student’s selected undergraduate degree (BBA or BSBA degree) have been met.
4. Enroll in a maximum of 6 graduate credit hours of courses per semester during the last two semesters of the student’s selected undergraduate degree (BBA or BSBA degree) program. Typically, a student would enroll in 4 credit hours of graduate coursework per semester for a total of 8 graduate credit hours in the last two semesters (senior year).
5. Maintain a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 or higher in all undergraduate course work after enrolling in the BBA/BSBA-MSF program.
6. Maintain a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 or higher on all graduate course work after enrolling in the BBA/BSBA-MSF program.

Undergraduate Curriculum
The individual BBA or BSBA degree requirements must be fulfilled as described in the University Bulletin.

In addition, during the last two semesters of the student’s selected undergraduate degree (BBA or BSBA degree) program, a student may enroll in up to 6 graduate credit hours per semester selected from courses in the MSF curriculum with prior approval of the MSF Faculty Director. A student will typically enroll in four graduate courses worth a total 8 credit hours their last two semesters (senior year).
Graduate Curriculum
The MSF degree requirements must be fulfilled as described in the newly revised curriculum effective Fall 2019 in the University Bulletin with the exception that the BUS 640, Quantitative and Analytical Fundamentals for Finance, (4 credits; commonly known as the "boot camp" 4) requirement for the MSF degree will be waived for dual degree program students, thereby reducing the MSF degree required credit hours from 34 to 30.

Conferral of Undergraduate Degree and Withdrawal from Dual Degree Programs
Students will be awarded their undergraduate degree (BBA or BSBA) as usual upon completion of all standard undergraduate degree requirements. In addition, withdrawal from the dual degree program will not affect the award of the bachelor’s degree.

Minor in Finance

Overview
Minor Area of Specialization in Finance (STEM)

Miami Herbert Business School students, as well as students in the other schools and colleges of the University of Miami, may pursue a minor in Finance by officially declaring the minor at their home school or college. Interested non-business students, before declaring the minor, should consult with an academic advisor in the School or College of their degree/major to determine if the minor in Finance is acceptable. If so, neither the advice nor the consent of either the Office of Undergraduate Business Education or the Finance Department is necessary.

Curriculum Requirements
The 12-credit-hour minor in Finance consists of the following (all courses must be taken within the current pre-requisite structure):

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Choice Course for the Minor
Select one course (3 credit hours) at the 300 or 400 level from Finance departmental offerings. ³

Total Credit Hours 12

¹ Pre-requisite is FIN 302
² Business students who combine the Entrepreneurship major area of specialization with the Finance minor do not take FIN 303. They are required to take FIN 308 for the Entrepreneurship major and an additional FIN 300 or 400 level course for the Finance minor to replace the FIN 303 requirement.
³ excluding FIN 300 and FIN 308

* NOTE: All specific coursework for the minor in Finance must be completed with a grade of "C-" or higher. A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 is required for all specific coursework taken in the minor area of specialization.

Minor in Financial Technology

Overview
Minor Area of Specialization in Financial Technology (STEM)

The minor in Financial Technology (FinTech) is for Miami Herbert Business School students who wish to better understand the delivery and use of financial services through use of technological innovation and automation of the financial sector. The FinTech minor combines classes in both Finance and Business Technology and prepares students for careers in the broader FinTech industry.

Curriculum Requirements
The 12-credit-hour minor in Financial Technology consists of the following (all courses must be taken within the current pre-requisite structure):

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Total Credit Hours 12

1 Pre-requisite is FIN 302
2 Pre-requisites are FIN 302 and FIN 320
3 Pre-requisites are FIN 302 AND FIN 303 OR FIN 320

* NOTE: All specific coursework for the minor in Financial Technology must be completed with a grade of "C-" or higher. A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 is required for all specific coursework taken in the minor area of specialization.

Minor in Real Estate

Overview

Minor Area of Specialization in Real Estate (STEM)

The Miami Herbert Business School's Real Estate minor is for business students seeking to apply the theoretical and analytical concepts of finance to real estate lending, investment, and development.

The importance of understanding developments in real estate and mortgage markets and the integration of real estate investments into the national and international economy have led to increased interest in this important field. The Real Estate minor strengthens ties with important segments of the business community.

Curriculum Requirements

The Real Estate minor consists of the following classes:

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The following one-credit hour courses are strongly recommended, though not required:

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Total Credit Hours 15

* NOTE: All specific coursework for the minor in Real Estate must be completed with a grade of "C-" or higher. A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 is required for all specific coursework taken in the minor area of specialization.

Health Management and Policy

Department Code: HMP

Introduction

The Health Management and Policy major area of specialization is designed for Miami Herbert Business School students seeking to pursue careers in health management and policy in any of a variety of health care organizations and public settings. The curriculum enables students to gain skills and understanding in the specialized language of health care and to comprehend concepts of management, financing, politics, law, and ethics as applied to the health care sector. The major area of specialization is also ideal for students aspiring to earn advanced degrees in health administration, health economics, medical sociology, public health, or law.
Educational Objectives

The purpose of the major area of specialization in Health Management and Policy is to provide the business student with a basic understanding of the management, economic and financial structure, as well as the legal, ethical, and governmental policy aspects of the health care industry. Appropriate candidates for the major area of specialization in Health Management and Policy include Miami Herbert Business School students interested in exploring the health care sector, working in the legal, management, or policy-making aspects of the health care sector or those wanting to have an augmentation to their pre-med, pre-law or pre-MBA, MPA or MPH studies, as well as those who expect to pursue a Ph.D. The minor area of specialization in Health Management and Policy is available to students from all University of Miami schools and colleges. Members of the Department are prepared to counsel students in the selection of courses and in other matters relating to the preparation for careers.

HMP 270. Introduction to Health Sector Management and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course develops a basic understanding of the elements of the health services industry in the United States. It examines the history of the components of our health care system and moves on to current and potential future system dynamics. Sectors include physician services, hospital and hospital systems, long-term care providers, mental health services, and pharmaceutical services. Basic concepts associated with the financing of health services are examined as well as indemnity insurance, capitation, and the role of managed care, consumer driven health care and integrated delivery systems in theory and practice. The role of government is explored as well.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HMP 310. Population Health. 3 Credit Hours.
Population health is emerging as a field of study of health determinants, a concept of health, and a goal of achieving measurable improvements in the health of a defined population. These populations can encompass geographic regions, such as communities, states, or nations, but can also be groups, including groups based on need, employees, ethnicity, members of Accountable Care Organizations, and other populations with relevance to policymakers. In this course, students will gain an understanding of the determinants of population health, health outcomes of the population, and policies and interventions that link the determinants and outcomes.
Prerequisite: HMP 270 Or HSM 270 Or MGT 270.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HMP 320. Health Care Demand and Supply. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce students to the fundamental concepts of health economics, and cover the principles of microeconomic theory as they relate to health care. No previous background in economics is assumed. The basic framework of this course is to introduce students to individual behavior (demand), firm behavior (supply), and how these forces interact to determine market prices that allocate scarce health care resources. Students will learn how policies, such as the Affordable Care Act of 2010, can be viewed via the lens of health economics.
Prerequisite: HMP 270 Or HSM 270.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HMP 321. Applied Health Policy for Business. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the role of people and institutions in health promotion, risky behaviors, health care delivery, and health insurance. We will explore the theoretical and practical reasons for intervention in health-related decisions and health care markets, the related empirical evidence, and the effects of these interventions on health outcomes and social welfare. Students will understand how and why government and society in general attempts to influence health-related behaviors and health insurance markets, and the resulting effects on individuals’ choices, expenditures, health outcomes, and overall quality of life.
Prerequisite: HMP 270 Or HSM 270 Or MGT 270.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HMP 350. Production and Consumption of Health and Health Care. 3 Credit Hours.
All societies must deal with the allocation of scarce resources. In our society, primary reliance is placed on markets and prices. This course will introduce students to the application of economic principles and production and consumption of health and health care. Some of the major topics include the production of and demand for health, demand for and supply of medical care, uncertainty and insurance, models of physician and hospital behavior, externalities and market failure, the role of government in health and medical care, and economic evaluation of health care services and interventions. Health economics concepts will be linked to current policy debates at the state and federal levels. Numerous real-world applications and case studies will be presented to demonstrate decision-making techniques for health care organizations and consumers.
Prerequisite: HMP 270 Or HSM 270 Or MGT 270 And ECO 213 or ECO 211 and ECO 212.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
HMP 388. Health Care Marketing. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is devoted to the study of healthcare marketing and the healthcare system involved with the task of marketing products and services. As healthcare reform continues to evolve current market conditions transform existing organizations into new practices, this course will focus on the how managed care providers, hospitals, physicians, federal government, device and pharmaceutical companies will embrace the new patient centered market in their marketing strategies.
Non-Business students And Health Management and Policy minors And Sophomore Standing or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HMP 460. Health Care Law and Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to offer students an appreciation of the legal foundations and ethical considerations in healthcare administration in the U.S. The readings and classroom discussion assist the student in (1) understanding the legal framework of relationships and institutions in healthcare, and (2) appreciating some of the particularly delicate ethical implications of decision-making in this field. Case study will promote the ability to analyze both. Special emphasis is placed on discussion of ethical issues in healthcare administration, including access to care, allocation of scarce resources and privacy.
Non-Business students And Health Management and Policy minors And Sophomore Standing or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HMP 496. Directed Studies in Health Sector Management and Policy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project, or independent investigation of selected non-STEM related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HMP 497. Directed Studies in Health Sector Management and Policy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project or independent investigation of selected STEM-related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HMP 498. Special Topics in Health Sector Management and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected non?STEM areas of Health Management and Policy.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HMP 499. Special Topics in Health Sector Management and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected STEM areas of Health Management and Policy.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HMP 555. Health Management and Policy Departmental Honors Research. 3 Credit Hours.
Research project to fulfill requirements for Departmental Honors in Health Management and Policy.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

B.B.A. in Health Management and Policy
Overview
Major Area of Specialization in Health Management and Policy (People & Society)
The health management and policy major area of specialization is designed for Miami Herbert Business School students seeking to pursue careers in health management and policy in any of a variety of health care organizations and public settings.
Curriculum Requirements

In addition to satisfying the University General Education Requirements and Electives, students pursuing the BBA in Health Management and Policy must complete the BBA Business Core and the specific coursework for the Health Management and Policy major area of specialization as follows:

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<td>POL 536 U.S. Health Care Crisis: Politics and Policies (pre-requisite Junior standing)</td>
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Total Credit Hours 120
NOTE: ENG 105 and ENG 106, or their equivalents, must be completed prior to attaining junior year classification, per the University General Education Requirements. Additionally, all 100 and 200-level Business Core courses must be completed by the end of the fifth semester of college work or during the semester in which the student is completing 75 credit hours.

At least one course with an international focus must be completed within the degree requirements. The appropriateness of the course is determined by the academic advisor.

Students who do not earn at least a C- in ENG 106 must either repeat ENG 106 and earn at least a C- or complete ENG 230 with at least a C- before enrolling in BUS 300.

All specific coursework for the major area of specialization in Health Management and Policy must be completed with a grade of “C” or higher. A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 is required for all specific coursework taken in the major area of specialization. All courses must be taken within the current pre-requisite structure.

No one course may count toward more than one major or minor area of specialization.

Students may not take both HMP 350 and ECO 386.

Sample Plan of Study

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B.S.B.A. in Health Management and Policy

Overview

Major Area of Specialization in Health Management and Policy (People & Society)

The health management and policy major area of specialization is designed for Miami Herbert Business School students seeking to pursue careers in health management and policy in any of a variety of health care organizations and public settings.

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Curriculum Requirements

The 12-credit-hour minor in Health Management and Policy for Business Students consists of four courses—two required and two minor choice courses—as indicated below (all courses must be taken within the current pre-requisite structure).

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BSL 460 and MKT 388 are intended for Business students who have declared the HMP minor and have the BSL 212 and MKT 201 or MKT 301 pre-requisites.

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## Minor in Health Management and Policy for Non-Business Students

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**Minor Area of Specialization in Health Management and Policy (People & Society)**

The purpose of the minor in Health Management and Policy is to provide the student with a basic understanding of the organizational, management, economic, and financial structure, as well as the legal, ethical, and governmental policy of the health care industry. Appropriate candidates for this minor will include students interested in: exploring the health care sector; working in the legal, management, or policy making aspects of the health care sector; or those wanting to have an augmentation to their health sciences, nursing, pre-med, pre-law or pre-MBA/MPA studies.

Non-Business students in the other schools and colleges of the University of Miami, may pursue the minor in Health Management and Policy by officially declaring the minor at their home school or college and completing the coursework specified below. Interested students, before declaring the minor, should consult with an academic advisor in the School or College of their degree/major to determine if the minor in Health Management and Policy is acceptable. If so, neither advice nor consent from either the Office of Undergraduate Business Education or the Department of Health Management and Policy is necessary.

### Curriculum Requirements

The 12-credit-hour minor for in Health Management and Policy for Non-Business Students consists of four courses—two required and two minor choice courses—as indicated below (all courses must be taken within the current pre-requisite structure).

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1. HMP 270, foundational for the Health Management and Policy minor, is a pre-requisite for all other HMP courses.
2. Non-business who do not meet the pre-requisites to take HMP 350 should take HMP 320 instead. No student should take both ECO 386 and HMP 320 or HMP 350.

*Note:* All specific coursework for the minor in Health Management and Policy must be completed with a grade of “C” or higher. A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 is required for all specific coursework taken in the minor area of specialization. No one course may count toward more than one major or minor area of specialization.

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### Interdisciplinary Business

#### Introduction

Miami Herbert Business School offers both business discipline-based core and elective courses, and a number of interdisciplinary courses and programs. This section collects the latter.
Educational Objectives

Business is by nature both multidisciplinary and interdisciplinary. Miami Herbert Business School embodies this reality by delivering undergraduate degree programs that purposefully expose students to the array of business disciplines, providing a strong technical foundation for success in business. Moreover, modern business persons are expected to have strong non-technical skills such as communication and critical thinking. And, some project-based coursework is cross-disciplinary by design. Some required and elective coursework offered in the School, therefore, does not fit neatly into disciplinary academic silos.

In addition, the School seeks to serve the non-business student population with general education coursework that provides an introduction to business decision-making in courses that are in some cases multidisciplinary. Faculty from a diverse set of business disciplines offer specialized cognate courses that blend or extend the functional areas of business to provide that multidisciplinary learning.

Finally, MHBS offers several multidisciplinary programs of study blending Accounting and Finance (BSAF), Finance and Technology (Fintech minor), and Sustainable Business (minor). Majors and Minors in Entrepreneurship and Health Management and Policy are also multidisciplinary in nature.

BUS 150. Business Analytics. 3 Credit Hours.
The primary purpose of this course is to build skills in learning and using software technologies to support business-oriented problem solving and decision making. Specifically, you will develop the ability to solve problems, to organize and analyze data using spreadsheet and database software, and to learn to distribute information to others through the effective use of collaborative technologies and the Web. Case problems will cover areas such as accounting, finance, marketing, statistics and operations management. Professors from several business school departments will discuss how their disciplines use spreadsheets to solve problems.
Requisite: Business School.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BUS 155. Exploration of Faculty Research in SBA. 1 Credit Hour.
Students will be exposed to some of the SBA's top faculty researchers to learn more about research opportunities and styles of research methodologies within business.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BUS 156. Global Business Studies Introductory Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
The honors seminar provides an experiential introduction to culture, history, and geography of the region, as well as economic challenges and successes of business in the region. Course involves social interaction among Global Business Studies cohort through cultural visits and workshops/talks, both on and off campus. Travel component is designed to showcase key sectors of a regional economy, and includes case-study and presentation activities.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BUS 200. Introduction to Business. 3 Credit Hours.
Businesses today operate in an exceedingly complex environment. Such factors as commodity prices, labor and capital markets, as well as trends in tastes and preferences are constantly changing. This course will explore many of the key issues facing business decision makers in the contemporary environment, including an introduction to business ethics and corporate social responsibility. The course will take an interdisciplinary perspective, touching on essentially all of the business functions including economics, finance, accounting, marketing, management, and business communications. Using approaches from different business disciplines, students will gain insight into the structures and systems of business, as well as the strategies that firms use to compete effectively in the global business environment. BUS200 serves as the foundational course for the Business Cognate in People & Society, and it is offered for Gen Ed credit only.
Requisite: Non Business Majors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 201. Money. 3 Credit Hours.
Financial decisions are at the heart of success in today's economy. Thus, financial literacy and the ability to manage personal finances is increasingly important. This GENERAL EDUCATION course delivers a comprehensive introduction to savings and borrowing, investments, and insurance, including such topics as budgeting, banking and consumer credit, the purchase of residential real estate, planning for retirement, starting a business, and understanding basic financial statements. Not for credit toward any business major or minor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
BUS 202. Introduction to the Legal Environment of Business. 3 Credit Hours.
The course provides an overview of legal principles impacting business. Students will explore fundamental features of the U.S. judicial system, conflict resolution, the domestic system of property rights, the U.S. Constitution, and the regulatory process, as they relate to the business firm or business as a societal actor. Topical areas may include business ethics, consumer protection, employment discrimination laws, privacy concerns, the law of competition, and environmental regulation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 203. Managing Effectively: A Skills Development Approach. 3 Credit Hours.
This Business Cognate course focuses on the seven core skills used by successful managers in their day to day work. Students will explore these skills, how they are applied and practiced in organizational settings, how they enable organizational success, and how they fit with the students’ own capabilities. The course uses an action-based learning format that makes students participants in the process whereby they assess, practice, and enhance their own managerial skills.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 204. Intro to Corporate Sustainability. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to issues associated with business and sustainability, through the lens of corporate governance and corporate citizenship. Readings, class sessions, and assignments are designed to instill in students a practical understanding of key corporate sustainability frameworks, challenges and opportunities, institutions, and actors in the global corporate context. Students will learn to apply alternative decision making models to current business activities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BUS 206. Principles of International Business. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide nonbusiness students with an understanding of what global business is, in particular how international business is conducted across countries with different sets of formal and informal institutions. It also addresses the issues facing multi-national corporations and the factors influencing their success or failure globally.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 211. Professional Development for Finance and Accounting. 1 Credit Hour.
This one-credit course is designed to immerse undergraduate BSAF students in professional development, including inculcating in them a deeper understanding of areas of specialization within accounting and finance, and of careers within those specialties, creation of a career direction and trajectory, development of job search strategies, enhancing their communication and networking skills, building and creating a compelling resume for these industries, and both general and specific interview techniques. It is designed to improve these students’ preparedness to find and secure internships and permanent placement offers, and ultimately to be successful in these industries.
Requisites: BSAF degree and Sophomore Status or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BUS 255. Business and Society: Inquiry and Discourse. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course will explore the relationships between business firms and their regulatory, ethical, political, cultural, and social environments. Students will be exposed to a wide range of source materials and academic activities, with the objective of developing their capacity for principled professionalism.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BUS 256. Global Business Studies Seminar II. 1 Credit Hour.
This honors seminar introduces the key political movements and concepts that have shaped society in the region studied.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
BUS 300. Critical Thinking and Persuasion for Business. 3 Credit Hours.
The modern businessperson faces a constantly evolving environment and must be able to confront and respond to an array of business issues. At
the heart of an effective response is a critical, comprehensive analysis coupled with the ability to meaningfully and persuasively communicate that
assessment and recommendations to a variety of constituencies. This course prepares business students for this by exposing them to a three-step
process of problem solving in which they critically analyze the problem, and then communicate their analysis both in writing and orally.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 with a C- or better AND Requisite: Business School.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 356. Global Business Studies Seminar III. 1 Credit Hour.
This honors seminar facilitates understanding of economic challenges faced by business communities, connecting regional studies work with
business curriculum. May be conducted in language of the region.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BUS 400. Senior Experience for Business Students. 0 Credit Hours.
The Miami Business School Senior Experience (SBX) is a virtual, self-paced, credit/no credit course specially designed to assist business seniors in
successfully navigating the final year at the University of Miami Business School. The course collects the various tasks required of business seniors
under a single LMS-enhanced umbrella, making it easier for students to track completion of mandated assignments within established deadlines. SBX
also serves as a hub for peer networking and for access to relevant resources for senior-level students, related to professional life, graduate study, and
young alumnus leadership opportunities. Videos, power points, blogs, threaded discussions, as well as detailed instructions and web-links for required
activities for graduating seniors are only a click away.
Requisite: Business School And Junior Or Senior Status.
Components: DIL.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 428. Multidisciplinary Action Projects. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The University of Miami Business School's Multidisciplinary Action Projects course (UMAP) places students with organizations throughout the world
to address pressing organizational challenges. Students work in teams with guidance from faculty advisors to develop actionable and valuable
recommendations for sponsoring organizations.
Components: EXP.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 456. Global Business Studies Seminar IV. 1 Credit Hour.
The honors seminar is designed to introduce students to research methods and structuring a thesis question/argument.
Requisite: Global Business Studies co-major.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 496. Directed Studies in Business. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project, or independent investigation of selected non-STEM related problems in the discipline. Offered only by
special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BUS 497. Directed Studies in Business. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project or independent investigation of selected STEM-related problems in the discipline. Offered only by
special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BUS 498. Special Topics in Business. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected non-STEM areas of Business.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BUS 499. Special Topics in Business. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected STEM areas of Business.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BUS 555. Business Departmental Honors Research Project. 3 Credit Hours.
Research project to fulfill requirements for Departmental Honors in Business.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BUS 556. Global Business Studies Seminar V. 1 Credit Hour.
This directed study course provides individual supervision in thesis writing.
Requisite: Global Business Studies co-major.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

This honors seminar is designed for completion of the thesis writing and individualized preparation for thesis defense.
Requisite: Global Business Studies co-major.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

Management
Department Code: MGT

Introduction
The Department of Management at the University of Miami Herbert Business School is heterogeneous with respect to both research and teaching areas. Faculty are specialized in and teach courses that span a number of fields including entrepreneurship, human resources, international management, leadership, operations management, organizational behavior, strategic management, supply chain management, and teams. Given both the multinational context and diversity present in twenty-first century organizations, coursework in the Department of Management is focused on preparing business students to be productive and effective contributors to the various communities they are embedded within or impact. Students who select any of the Management major areas of specialization pursue a variety of careers after graduation including starting businesses, running family businesses, accepting management positions in domestic or international organizations, attending law school, or pursuing other advanced graduate degrees.

Educational Objectives
• The development of critical thinking skills to evaluate decision choices, challenges, and issues confronting managers today;
• The improvement of interpersonal skills and learning to work effectively in teams; and
• An understanding of the tools, methods, and procedures used to successfully lead people and organizations.

Note: No one course may be applied toward more than one major and/or minor area of specialization in the Department of Management. All area specific coursework for any major and/or minor in the Department of Management must be completed with a grade of "C" or higher. A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 is required for all specific coursework taken in the major and/or minor area of specialization.

MGT 100. Managing for Success in the Global Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce students to the basics of management success in a multi-cultural, international environment. Course topics include an introduction to effective management and communication, understanding cultural differences, working in teams, and the role of the individual in managing his or her own success during the college experience, through such things as career/major exploration, development and building of a resume, and presentation techniques. The course utilizes both a lecture and workshop format, and culminates in a group project presentation integrating course topics.
Requisite: Miami Business School and Freshman Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MGT 199. Professional Development and Success in the Workplace. 1 Credit Hour.
This one-credit course is designed to expose undergraduate business students to advanced professional development topics, including organization of a career search, practices for updating a résumé, job search mechanics, and proper networking and interview strategies. It also improves students' preparedness to find and secure internships or permanent placement offers, with a focus on critical communication skills and a strategic approach to success in the workplace.
Requisite: Business School.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 251. Nature and Foundations of Entrepreneurship. 3 Credit Hours.
This course seeks to understand some of the basic social, legal, cultural, and economic infrastructure that enables and sustains the creation of new enterprises. Although conventional perspectives on entrepreneurship often overlook political or religious activists whose "products" are not "sold" in traditional markets, a more expansive view considers actions that transform ideas into enterprises that generate intellectual, social, cultural, religious, or economic value. Theory, data, and case study will be covered to help students to think both broadly and deeply about what it means - and what it takes - to be an entrepreneur, and what characterizes the entrepreneurial society.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MGT 253. Introduction to Entrepreneurship. 3 Credit Hours.
Focuses on the process of identifying entrepreneurial opportunities and the operations of a small business. Topics include organization, location, financial planning, record-keeping, unit costs, merchandising, credit, and recruitment of personnel. This course is open to SBA students, ENT minors, or MGT minors.
Requisite: Business School or MGMT minor or ENTR minor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 270. Introduction to Health Sector Organization and Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides a basic understanding of the components of the health care sector and their interrelationships. The role of hospitals, ambulatory care (including physicians), long-term care, mental health care, hospice care, and pharmaceuticals will be examined. The role of government financed (Medicare and Medicaid) and private health insurance in affecting decision making by health care consumers and providers will be examined as well. A historical context will be used.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 302. Human Resource Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory and practice of modern personnel management related to the other management functions in the conduct of the enterprise. Attention is focused on the needs of the line executive as well as those intending to pursue a staff career.
Requisite: Must be in the Business School or have a MGMT minor plan.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 303. Operations Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Problems and methods of planning the efficient utilization of capital, labor, equipment, and materials. Sales forecasting, production planning, production control, scheduling, routing, dispatching, expediting, materials planning, inventory control, capital budgets, and costing are discussed. The application of quantitative techniques in problem solving and decision making are included as well as case problems.
Prerequisite: MAS 201 or MAS 311 or MTH 224 or IEN 311 or PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 304. Organizational Behavior. 3 Credit Hours.
First professional course in management. Concepts of organization, motivation, leadership, dynamics of the group, personality, organizational development strategies, and other behavioral aspects involved in the effective management of an organization are discussed.
Requisite: Must be in the Business School or have a MGMT minor plan.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MGT 307. Advanced Organizational Behavior. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of MGT 304—primarily for, but not limited to, MGMT OR HRMG majors. Through case analysis and other relevant exercises, theories are applied to specific situations in organizational settings.
Requisite: Must be in the Business School or have a MGMT minor plan.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 308. Training and Development. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of key issues in designing training and development programs. Topics include organizational needs analysis, training design and implementation, evaluation techniques, and understanding of how such programs interact with other human resource functions.
Requisite: Must be in the Business School or have a MGMT minor plan.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MGT 324. Negotiation Strategies. 3 Credit Hours.
A skills-based approach to learning the art and science of negotiation. Course covers preparation, and negotiation skills such as establishing trust and relationship-building. Topics include power, persuasion, creativity, problem-solving, ethics, and cross-cultural negotiation. Skills and self-insight will be acquired through self-assessment, role-play negotiation exercises, and case studies.
Requisite: Must be in the Business School or have a MGMT minor plan.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MGT 349. International Business. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to introduce students to the study of international business. Through discussions and analyses of the unique challenges and opportunities faced by multinational corporations (MNCs) and their managers, students gain an understanding of how to conduct business across different cultural, political, economic, and legal environments, as well as how to function effectively and succeed in MNCs. The course work and usage of teaching methods such as case analyses, experiential learning exercises, and debates seek to help students develop a global mindset and skills for effective global management (e.g., conceptual, analytical, cross-cultural communication, negotiation, and presentation skills).
Requisite: Must be in the Business School or have a MGMT minor plan.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MGT 354. Growing the New Venture. 3 Credit Hours.
Covers the basics of scaling a start-up. Topics include sources of capital, market choices, division of the equity pie, choice of distribution channels, choosing an accountant and a legal advisor, preparation of a business plan, and product design. Teams of students develop business plans to start new enterprises.
Prerequisite: MGT 253.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 357. Entrepreneurship Simulation Experience: Inside the Mind of the Entrepreneurial CEO. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides students with unique entrepreneurial experiences derived from starting and running businesses through computer simulation. Topics include: opportunity and environment assessment for potential businesses; initiation, organization, administration, and launch of the businesses; operation of the businesses in a competitive environment; responsibilities, functioning, and issues of entrepreneurial teams; evaluation, measurement, and competitive ranking of business success.
Requisite: Must be in the Business School or have a MGMT minor or ENTR minor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 359. Comparative Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of professional management as affected by the cultural environments in which it operates in major industrial nations. The problems of trans-cultural managers in multinational structures is examined.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MGT 360. Effective Leadership. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the key theories, models, and frameworks about the effective leadership of people in organizations. A multimedia approach is taken, using readings, films, lecture, discussion, and case analyses. The emphasis is on building a sound grasp of good practice, and on developing the ability to apply such knowledge to everyday leadership situations.
Prerequisite: MGT 304.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 371. Doing Business in Latin America. 3 Credit Hours.
This elective examines the key local, regional, and global forces affecting the conduct of business in the main Latin American markets of Mexico, Brazil, Venezuela and Chile. These forces include historical, cultural and demographic factors as well as the fast-changing politics and economics of the region. Students will be introduced to the complex relationships between business and government in LatAm as well as the unique advantages and disadvantages of companies based in the region.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MGT 401. Strategic Management. 3 Credit Hours.
An integrative approach to strategy formulation and implementation, from a domestic and international perspective, is the focus of this core capstone course. All the primary areas of business are emphasized using cases and readings. Course is required of all graduating seniors in Business.
Requisite: Business School and Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 422. Leading Teams. 3 Credit Hours.
The objectives of this course are to develop interpersonal communication and conflict management skills necessary to work in teams and exercise leadership in teams. Topics include team development, decision making, and managing conflict.
Requisite: Must be in the Business School or have a MGMT minor plan.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MGT 423. Leading with Emotional Intelligence. 3 Credit Hours.
Emotional Intelligence is one of the keys to high performance leadership, as well as promoting the wellbeing of employees in organizations. Emotional intelligence provides a framework for understanding how people's emotions contribute to their optimal functioning at work. In this class, students will learn how to perceive emotions in themselves and others, how to understand the sources and consequences of emotions, and techniques for managing their own emotions as well as the emotions of others. By learning the theoretical foundations of emotional intelligence and engaging in experiential activities, students will enhance their leadership potential through the development of their emotional skills.
Prerequisite: MGT 304 and MGT 360.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 428. Compensation and Benefits Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines techniques and theories related to the design and management of compensation and benefits programs within organizations. Compensation includes cash compensation, such as base pay, merit pay, seniority pay, individual, group and organization-wide incentive plans, skills-based pay, and pay-for-knowledge. Benefits include health care plans, pension and profit-sharing plans, life and disability plans, and paid time off.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MGT 445. Supply Chain Modeling and Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce students to managerial decision problems in modern supply chains, and will develop structured mathematical tools to model and solve these problems. Students will also learn to apply these tools through problem-solving exercises, experiential games, and spreadsheet-based case studies.
Prerequisite: MGT 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MGT 446. Supply Chain Strategy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will deal with issues such as inventory management, supply chain design/coordination, revenue management, and sourcing. Each module discusses how a real company practices some aspect of supply chain strategy, and then reviews the concepts behind that practice. Tools are provided to analyze the concepts, distill their principles, and suggest guidelines for implementation and improvement.
Prerequisite: MGT 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MGT 448. Global Sourcing. 3 Credit Hours.
Global sourcing is the collaborative and structured process of critically analyzing an organization's spending and using this information to make business decisions about acquiring commodities and services more effectively and efficiently. This course will provide students a framework for thinking about strategic sourcing and tools to effectively implement the global sourcing process.
MGT 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MGT 450. MGT Internship. 1 Credit Hour.
Student is individually assigned to operating business firm or other organization to gain insight into management practice in area of career interest. Periodic reports and conferences are required. Cannot be used toward major requirements.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MGT 451. Supply Chain Analytics Practicum. 3 Credit Hours.
The Supply Chain Analytics Practicum course (SCAP) places students with organizations throughout the world to address pressing challenges related to operations and/or supply chain. Students work in teams with guidance from faculty advisors to develop actionable and valuable recommendations for sponsors.
Prerequisite: MGT 445 and Pre/Corequisite: MGT 446 And Requisite: Senior Status.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MGT 455. Entrepreneurial Consulting. 3 Credit Hours.
Students review techniques, methods, and analytic frameworks of management consultants. Emphasis is on problems of small business, particularly start-ups. Consulting practice is provided through preparation of reports on written cases and guest speakers, as well as hands-on projects in actual business firms or start-ups.
Prerequisite: MGT 253 And MGT 354.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MGT 459. International and Multinational Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Foreign environment for overseas operations with a survey involving economics, political, and social constraints. The effects of overseas investments on foreign economies with emphasis on the emerging managerial structures is included.
Requisite: Must be in the Business School or have a MGMT minor plan.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MGT 480. Leading Change. 3 Credit Hours.
Course is intended for students who are interested in learning about how to manage, plan, and implement large-scale change efforts within organizations. Part of the course is devoted to organizational analysis techniques and the remainder addresses behavioral intervention strategies (including survey feedback, technostructural interventions, and team building).
Requisite: Must be in the Business School or have a MGMT minor plan.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MGT 481. Leadership Practicum. 3 Credit Hours.
The Leadership Practicum requires having students observe (shadow) actual leaders to learn more about the respective leader's actual daily behaviors within his/her unique organizational context. Students will keep detailed journals containing field notes which they will then analyze based on the conceptual frameworks learned within the required course of the Leadership major.
Requisites: Senior status and Leadership majors only.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MGT 496. Directed Studies in Management. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project, or independent investigation of selected non-STEM related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MGT 497. Directed Studies in Management. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project or independent investigation of selected STEM-related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MGT 498. Special Topics in Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected non-STEM areas of Management.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MGT 499. Special Topics in Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected STEM areas of Management.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MGT 555. Management Departmental Honors Research Project. 3 Credit Hours.
Research project to fulfill requirements for Departmental Honors in Management.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

B.B.A. in Entrepreneurship

Overview
Major Area of Specialization in Entrepreneurship (People & Society)

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#### BBA Business Core Requirements

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  3 credit hours

- **ACC 212**  
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  3 credit hours

- **BSL 212**  
  Introduction to Business Law  
  3 credit hours

- **BTE 210**  
  Fundamentals of Business Technology and Innovation  
  3 credit hours

- **BUS 150**  
  Business Analytics  
  3 credit hours

- **BUS 300**  
  Critical Thinking and Persuasion for Business  
  3 credit hours

- **ECO 211**  
  Principles of Microeconomics (Microeconomics)  
  3 credit hours

- **ECO 212**  
  Principles of Macroeconomics (Macroeconomics)  
  3 credit hours

- **FIN 302**  
  Fundamentals of Finance  
  3 credit hours

- **MAS 110**  
  Quantitative Applications in Business (Minimum grade of C- required)  
  3 credit hours
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  Managing for Success in the Global Environment  
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  Marketing Foundations

#### Major Area of Specialization in Entrepreneurship

- **FIN 308**  
  Intermediate Financial Management for Entrepreneurs (pre-requisite FIN 302)  
  3 credit hours

- **MGT 253**  
  Introduction to Entrepreneurship  
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- **MGT 354**  
  Growing the New Venture  
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- **MGT 455**  
  Entrepreneurial Consulting  
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- **MKT 340**  
  Professional Selling (pre-requisite MKT 201 or MKT 301)  
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  Negotiation  
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  Negotiation Strategies

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  Effective Leadership (pre-requisite MGT 304)

- **MGT 445**  
  Supply Chain Modeling and Analysis (pre-requisite MGT 303)

- **MGT 446**  
  Supply Chain Strategy (pre-requisite MGT 303)

- **MGT 498**  
  Special Topics in Management (Families in Business; Innovators for the Americas; or Social Entrepreneurship)

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BUS 300    Critical Thinking and Persuasion for Business    3
FIN 302    Fundamentals of Finance    3
MGT 253    Introduction to Entrepreneurship    3

Junior Year
Fall
MGT 303    Operations Management    3
MGT 354    Growing the New Venture    3
MKT 340    Professional Selling    3
STEM Cognate Course
Elective

Credit Hours

Spring
FIN 308    Intermediate Financial Management for Entrepreneurs    3
MKT 385    Marketing for Entrepreneurs    3
Arts and Humanities Cognate Course
STEM Cognate Course
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Senior Year
Fall
Entrepreneurship Major Choice
Entrepreneurship Major Choice
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Credit Hours

Spring
MGT 401    Strategic Management    3
MGT 455    Entrepreneurial Consulting    3
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Total Credit Hours 120

Mission
• To develop innovative ideas and principled leaders that transform global business and society.

Goals
• The development of critical thinking skills to evaluate decision choices, challenges, and issues confronting managers today;
• The improvement of interpersonal skills and learning to work effectively in teams; and
• An understanding of the tools, methods, and procedures used to successfully lead people and organizations.

Student Learning Outcomes
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B.S.B.A. in Entrepreneurship

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This Sample Plan of Study represents one possible version of a new freshman Business student’s 8-semester plan. The individual student’s plan may vary depending upon the initial placement into English Composition and mathematics. Moreover, numerous plan variations are possible if a student enters the University with advanced college credits, wishes to participate in study abroad, chooses a special program option, or selects additional majors or minors.

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B.B.A. in Management

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Junior Year
Fall
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STEM Cognate Course | 3
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Credit Hours | 15
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Credit Hours | 15
Senior Year
Fall
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Spring
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Elective | 3
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Total Credit Hours | 120

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**Goals**

- The development of critical thinking skills to evaluate decision choices, challenges, and issues confronting managers today;
- The improvement of interpersonal skills and learning to work effectively in teams; and
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**Student Learning Outcomes**

- BBA/BSBA graduates will be critical thinkers, able to select and apply appropriate models, tools, and techniques, and frameworks to enable them to render analytically sound business decisions.
B.B.A. in Organizational Leadership

Overview
Major Area of Specialization in Organizational Leadership (People & Society)

The major area of specialization in Organizational Leadership is designed to give Miami Herbert Business School students an understanding of the skills necessary to effectively work and influence as well as motivate others within organizational settings. Students with the major in Organizational Leadership will be exposed to an understanding of leadership as an academic discipline, coursework that helps to broaden their understanding of how to effectively influence others towards meeting organizational goals, and hands-on experiences that explore actually leading and working effectively in teams.

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**B.S.B.A. in Organizational Leadership**

**Overview**

Major Area of Specialization in Organizational Leadership (People & Society)

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**Curriculum Requirements**

In addition to satisfying the University General Education Requirements and Electives, students pursuing the BSBA in Organizational Leadership must complete the BSBA Business Core and the specific coursework for the Organizational Leadership major area of specialization as follows:

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**Total Credit Hours**: 120

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**NOTE**: ENG 105 and ENG 106, or their equivalents, must be completed prior to attaining junior year classification, per the University General Education Requirements. Additionally, all 100 and 200-level Business Core courses must be completed by the end of the fifth semester of college work or during the semester in which the student is completing 75 credit hours.

At least one course with an international focus must be completed within the degree requirements. The appropriateness of the course is determined by the academic advisor.

Students who do not earn at least a C- in ENG 106 must either repeat ENG 106 and earn at least a C- or complete ENG 230 with at least a C- before enrolling in BUS 300.

All specific coursework for the major area of specialization in Organizational Leadership must be completed with a grade of "C" or higher. A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 is required for all courses taken in the major area of specialization.

No one course may be applied toward more than one major and/or minor area of specialization in the Department of Management.

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**Sample Plan of Study**

This Sample Plan of Study represents one possible version of a new freshman business student’s 8-semester plan. The individual student’s plan may vary depending upon the initial placement into English Composition and mathematics. Moreover, numerous plan variations are possible if a student enters the University with advanced college credits, wishes to participate in study abroad, chooses a special program option, or selects additional majors or minors.

Note that each major/minor at the University of Miami satisfies a particular "Area of Knowledge" within the general education requirements of the University. This means that it is possible to pursue two majors, or a major and a minor, within Miami Herbert Business School and fulfill both the STEM and People and Society Areas of Knowledge; a separate cognate in these areas would not be required. The only remaining general education Area of Knowledge is Arts and Humanities, which must be completed through a major, minor, or cognate outside of the Business School.

Students construct their individualized plans in collaboration with their assigned academic advisor.

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Global Business Co-Major
Overview
The Global Business Co-Major (People and Society)

The curriculum for the Global Business Co-Major consists of 18 credit hours of required and elective course choices. The Global Business Co-Major is available only to BBA or BSBA students who are also completing another undergraduate business major area of specialization.

Curriculum Requirements
Each student will work with an advisor to design an individualized course of study that enhances the student’s global perspective and provides an intellectual framework and immersive environment for studying a new country or region of the world. Each program of study will consist of a minimum of 18 credit hours, including coursework distributed among the following areas:

1. Economics related to the country or region
2. Political or regulatory environment of the country or region
3. Historical/cultural perspective on the country or region
4. Exposure to a language of the country or region, demonstrated by completion of a business course in the language of the region, or if unavailable, completion of a course in the language at the 200 level or above. Where the country or region that is studied is English-speaking, the student may complete this requirement by demonstrating language proficiency at the 200 level or above in another language, or by taking an additional course related to the economics, political/regulatory environment, or history/culture of the country or region.
5. One international/global focused upper level business elective, outside the student’s other business major

To further advance and integrate the student’s regional, functional and pragmatic expertise, and to hone the student’s global mindset, the curriculum includes a required Experiential Learning component.

- students must complete a learning experience in the country or region (i.e. study abroad).
- students must complete an approved international internship.
- students’ participation will be encouraged in any MBS Immersion Course that is offered for undergraduates in the region studied. These may take the form of summer or spring break study.
- students’ participation in programming on and off campus related to their region and career track will be encouraged and facilitated.

Mission
Global Business coursework will engage students in pointed critical thinking and discourse that will push them beyond the customary business curriculum, requiring them to consider in some depth the economic, socio-political, historical/cultural questions that embody the intellectual framework for the study of another country or region.
Goals

The Global Business curriculum will provide the rigor, flexibility, and depth to enable students to:

• Design an overall undergraduate curriculum that is consistent with their unique business and global interests,
• Undertake experiential learning activities, including internships, in cosmopolitan Miami and other locations worldwide, which will expand their perspective and allow them to gain a strong multicultural understanding,
• Learn from the perspectives and experiences of an outstanding and diverse group of professors, classmates, practitioners, and UM alumni from all over the world.

Student Learning Outcomes

Students completing the Global Business co-major will:

• Apply interdisciplinary and multidisciplinary approaches, including in relevant cases, foreign language skills, to critical analysis of business topics at the country or regional level.
• Evaluate and apply diverse perspectives to complex issues of comparative and/or global significance, in the face of multiple and sometimes conflicting positions (e.g., cultural, disciplinary, ethical).
• Engage in meaningful interaction with other culture(s) and gain an in-depth understanding of a country and/or region of the world where the student may expect to commence his or her global business career.

Minor in Entrepreneurship for Business Students

Overview

Minor Area of Specialization in Entrepreneurship for Business Students (People & Society)

This minor in Entrepreneurship is intended to acquaint Miami Herbert Business School students with the essential business tools and perspective of the entrepreneur. Eligible business students must have a declared business major other than Entrepreneurship.

Curriculum Requirements

The requirements of the 15-credit-hour minor in Entrepreneurship are the following:

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Choice Course for the Minor

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Minor Area of Specialization in Entrepreneurship for Non-Business Students (People & Society)

This minor is for non-business students who seek to learn about developing business plans or how to initiate and manage small business enterprises. Interested students should consult with an academic advisor in the School or College of their degree/major to determine if a minor in Entrepreneurship is acceptable. If so, neither advice nor consent from either the Office of Undergraduate Business Education or the Department of Management is necessary. Instead the non-business student should simply declare the minor and complete the required six courses, or 18 credit hours.

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Minor in Management for Business Students

Overview
Minor Area of Specialization in Management for Business Students (People & Society)

A minor in Management for business students consists of 12 credit hours in Management courses beyond the required courses in the BBA or BSBA Business Core. All courses must be taken within the current pre-requisite structure.

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Total Credit Hours: 12

1 excluding any 100-level Management courses and MGT 401.

Note: No one course may be applied toward more than one major and/or minor area of specialization in the Department of Management. All specific coursework for any minor in the Department of Management must be completed with a grade of "C" or higher. A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 is required for all specific coursework taken in the minor area of specialization.

Minor in Management for Non-Business Students

Overview
Minor Area of Specialization in Management for Non-Business Students (People & Society)

Non-Business students in any school or college may pursue a minor in Management. Interested students should consult with an academic advisor in the School or College of their degree/major to determine if a minor in Management is acceptable. If so, neither advice nor consent from either the Office of Undergraduate Business Education or the Management Department is necessary for a student to choose or complete a minor in Management. Instead the non-business student should simply declare the Management minor and complete the required 12 credit hours of Management courses.

Curriculum Requirements

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¹ All courses must be taken within the current pre-requisite structure.

² pre-requisite of a Statistics 1 course, such as MAS 201, MAS 311, IEN 311, MTH 224, or the equivalent.

³ excluding MGT 401

Note: No one course may be applied toward more than one minor area of specialization in the Department of Management. All specific coursework for any minor in the Department of Management must be completed with a grade of "C" or higher. A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 is required for all specific coursework taken in the minor area of specialization.

Management Science

Department Code: MAS
Introduction
Management Science uses the ideas and methods of science, mathematics, statistics, and computing, which collectively are often referred to as Business Analytics, to help managers make better business decisions. Management science techniques have been applied in a wide variety of areas including financial modeling, marketing research, organizational theory, transportation and logistics, health care, environmental protection, and manufacturing. Almost any decision can benefit from the methods of management science/analytics.

Educational Objectives
The Department of Management Science offers a major area of specialization in Business Analytics as well as a minor in Business Analytics. The Business Analytics curriculum is designed to give Miami Herbert Business School students the necessary educational background and experience to allow them to work as successful business analytics professionals.

Students pursuing the Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA) degree with a major area of specialization in Business Analytics are trained to combine quantitative, statistical, and computational tools and techniques to help companies understand, predict, and act on large amounts of data, improving decision-making in increasingly complex and interconnected business environments.

For students pursuing the Bachelor of Science in Business Administration (BSBA) degree program, the major in Business Analytics requires a solid background in the sciences and mathematics. Additionally, students are required to take sequences of courses in optimization, decision science, and data analytics. A number of the courses in the Business Analytics curriculum require projects, in which the student evaluates a real-world system or process. As the system is studied and modeled, the student applies management science methods to find ways to improve the process. In such a course, written and oral presentation of findings is part of the learning and evaluation process.

A major or minor area of specialization in Business Analytics is recommended to qualified students as preparation for direct entry into the field of Analytics or as preparation for future graduate studies.

Highly-motivated students interested in pursuing both the BBA/BSBA and the Master of Science in Business Analytics may qualify for the dual degree program in Business Analytics (p. 1969). Undergraduate students admitted to this program must be within thirty credit hours of completing the baccalaureate degree and have a minimum 3.0 GPA. The BBA/BSBA-MSBA program is designed in such a way that students can expect to complete both the Bachelor's and Master's degrees within 4 1/2 years. Students in this program can take up to twelve credits of graduate coursework in the senior undergraduate year and at least twenty credits of graduate coursework in the fall semester after completion of the undergraduate degree.

MAS 105. Quantitative Methods in Business I. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides a background in algebra, linear equations, matrices, quadratic, exponential, and logarithmic functions appropriate for the successful understanding, interpretation, and use of these concepts and their application to business and economics within the Business School curriculum and in career endeavors. The course also provides an introduction to the mathematics of finance, interest rates, discounting of future returns, and linear programming.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAS 110. Quantitative Applications in Business. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of algebra emphasizing its application to supply and demand functions, market equilibrium, compound interest, and amortization. Differential calculus emphasizing its applications to marginal cost and revenue functions, maximization, taxation in competitive markets, and elasticity of demand are discussed. The application of integral calculus to total cost and profit of demand, to total cost and profit functions, consumer’s and producer’s surplus, computation of present value, and constrained optimization using partial differentiation are also included.
Requisite: Bus Schl and Prerequisite: ALEKS score >= 76, or SAT MATH score >=700,or SAT Math Section Score >= 730,or ACT Math score >= 31,or score of 4 AP Calculus (AB),or score of 3 in AP Calculus (BC) or MTH 108,or MTH 107 with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAS 201. Introduction to Business Statistics. 3 Credit Hours.
Data analysis and presentation, cross tabulations, descriptive statistical measures, probability, sampling, statistical inference, hypothesis testing for one and two populations, covariance and correlation analysis. Utilization of microcomputer statistical packages is also included.
Prerequisites: MAS 110 or MTH 130 or MTH 141 or MTH 151 or MTH 161 or MTH 171.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MAS 202. Intermediate Business Statistics. 3 Credit Hours.
Chi-squared goodness of fit tests, and contingency tables, analysis of variance, simple linear regression, multiple regression, time series, forecasting, statistical methods of quality. Utilization of microcomputer statistical packages, case analyses, and presentations are also included.
Prerequisite: MAS 201 or MAS 311 or MTH 224 or IEN 311 or PSY 291 or PSY 292 and Requisite: Business School.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAS 311. Applied Probability and Statistics. 3 Credit Hours.
Descriptive statistics, basic probability, probability distributions, distribution theory, point and interval estimation, and single sample hypothesis testing.
Prerequisite: MTH 162 or MTH 172. Or Corequisites: MTH 162 or MTH 172 including equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAS 312. Statistical Methods and Quality Control. 3 Credit Hours.
Two sample hypothesis testing, simple and multiple regression, analysis of variance, design of experiments, and statistical quality control.
Prerequisite: MAS 311 or IEN 311 or Equivalent and Requisite: Business School.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAS 332. Data Acquisition, Preparation and Visualization. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an in depth view of working with data to extract and present valuable information. Students will learn to collect, clean, manipulate, analyze, and visualize data from various sources correctly and efficiently. Through hands-on application, students will gain an understanding of what problems can occur when dealing with a variety of data and what solutions exist. Computing is a major component of this course, and students will learn a number of in-demand technical skills.
Prerequisite: MAS 202 or MAS 312.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAS 342. Introduction to Optimization and Decision Making. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces the principles and techniques of applied mathematical programming and computational methods for managerial decision-making. Computer software will be used extensively to solve both small-scale and large-scale optimization problems. The course covers theory and applications of Linear Programming, Mixed Integer Programming, Binary Programming, Non-linear Programming, Network Optimization.
Prerequisite: MAS 201 or MAS 311.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAS 352. Sports Analytics. 3 Credit Hours.
In this course students investigate questions that sports organizations face in business operations (ticketing, pricing, sales, and finance), and in team operations (scouting, coaching, and player personnel). Students will learn statistical and machine learning techniques such as mixed-effects regression models, random forests, neural networks, clustering, and support vector machines. Focus of the course will be on data management, data visualization, predictive modeling, forecasting, as well as written and verbal communication of the results of analysis. The programming language R will be used extensively in this course.
Prerequisite: MAS 332.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAS 343. Data Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to the analysis of various data types, with an emphasis on interpreting and communicating result. The course begins with linear regression modeling of normally distributed outcomes, and extends the concepts to other important data types frequently encountered in practice. Students will gain a firm understanding of a wide range of statistical models, when each is appropriate, and how to implement, interpret, and communicate results.
Prerequisite: MAS 202 or MAS 312 or IEN 312 or equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MAS 442. Stochastic Models in Operations Research. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to probabilistic models and their applications. Topics include inventory theory, stochastic processes (queueing systems, Markov chains), and computer simulation. Lecture, 3 hours.
Prerequisite: MAS 311 or IEN 311 or equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAS 496. Directed Studies in Business Analytics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project, or independent investigation of selected non-STEM related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAS 497. Directed Studies in Business Analytics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project or independent investigation of selected STEM-related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAS 498. Special Topics in Business Analytics. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected non-STEM areas of Business Analytics.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAS 499. Special Topics in Business Analytics. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected STEM areas of Business Analytics.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAS 547. Computer Simulation Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to discrete-event computer simulation and hands-on development of simulation models. Topics include introduction to queuing theory, input and output analysis, random number generation, and variance reduction techniques. Students practice their modeling skills using commercial state-of-the-art simulation software. Assigned readings of real-life simulation projects complement the material learned in the classroom. Lecture, 3 hours.
Prerequisite: MAS 311 or IEN 311 or equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAS 548. Data Mining and Knowledge Acquisition. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to the principles and techniques of data mining. Topics covered include the data mining process, data preprocessing, data mining techniques and data mining evaluation. The course will involve a combination of lectures, labs, projects and case studies.
Prerequisite: MAS 432.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAS 549. Big Data Analytics. 3 Credit Hours.
As firms have the ability to access and store large amounts of customer and business data, they are faced with the complexities associated with Big Data. This class will discuss the challenges and potential solutions in working with Big Data through use cases and applications. Hands-on tools and methodologies that are needed when handling, visualizing, and/or analyzing Big Data to solve business critical questions will be presented.
Prerequisite: MAS 332 and MAS 432.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MAS 550. Management Science Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Student is individually assigned to operating business firm or other organization to gain insight into management practice in area of career interest. Periodic reports and conferences are required. Permission of department chair is required prior to registration.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAS 551. Business Analytics Capstone. 3 Credit Hours.
The goal of the Business Analytics Capstone course is to apply the skills learned throughout the undergraduate degree in Business Analytics to a single data analytics project. Students will work in groups on a project assigned to them by the instructor. Project topics will vary depending on availability, but reasonable efforts will be made to match projects with student interest. The project will expose students to the entire spectrum of Business Analytics; from initiating a project and defining the scope and goals, to data collection, cleaning, and exploration, to modeling and suggesting recommendations based on results. Along the way, students will practice effectively communicating with stakeholders who may or may not be familiar with the complex analytical methods implemented.
Prerequisite: MAS 332 and MAS 342 and MAS 432.
Components: EXP.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAS 555. Management Science Departmental Honors Research Project. 3 Credit Hours.
Research project to fulfill requirements for Departmental Honors in Management Science.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

B.B.A. in Business Analytics

Overview
Major Area of Specialization in Business Analytics (STEM)
The Department of Management Science offers a major area of specialization in Business Analytics for students pursuing the Bachelor of Business Administration degree. Students who choose the major area of specialization in Business Analytics are trained to combine quantitative, statistical, and computational tools and techniques to help companies understand, predict, and act on large amounts of data, improving decision-making in increasingly complex and interconnected business environments.

Curriculum Requirements
In addition to satisfying the University General Education Requirements and Electives, students pursuing the BBA in Business Analytics must complete the BBA Business Core and the specific coursework for the Business Analytics major area of specialization as follows:

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1. **NOTE**: ENG 105 and ENG 106, or their equivalents, must be completed prior to attaining junior year classification, per the University General Education Requirements. Additionally, all 100 and 200-level Business Core courses must be completed by the end of the fifth semester of college work or during the semester in which the student is completing 75 credit hours.

2. At least one course with an international focus must be completed within the degree requirements. The appropriateness of the course is determined by the academic advisor.

3. Students who do not earn at least a C- in ENG 106 must either repeat ENG 106 and earn at least a C- or complete ENG 230 with at least a C- before enrolling in BUS 300.

4. In order to declare the Business Analytics major, a BBA student needs to have earned a minimum A- (3.7) average for MTH 161, MAS 201, and MAS 202.

5. All specific coursework for the major area of specialization in Business Analytics must be completed with a grade of "C-" or higher. A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 is required for all specific coursework taken in the major area of specialization.

6. No course may double count in any other major, minor, or cognate.

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Mission

- To develop innovative ideas and principled leaders that transform global business and society.

Goals

Students pursuing the Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA) degree with a major area of specialization in Business Analytics are trained to combine quantitative, statistical, and computational tools and techniques to help companies understand, predict, and act on large amounts of data, improving decision-making in increasingly complex and interconnected business environments.

Student Learning Outcomes

- BBA/BSBA graduates will be critical thinkers, able to select and apply appropriate models, tools, and techniques, and frameworks to enable them to render analytically sound business decisions.
- BBA/BSBA graduates will be able to identify, analyze and resolve ethical issues in business scenarios.
- BBA/BSBA graduates will demonstrate professional written communication skills.

B.B.A./M.S. in Business Analytics Dual Degree

Bachelor of Business Administration in Business Analytics and Master of Science in Business Analytics

The dual BBA and Master of Science in Analytics program is designed in such a way that students can expect to complete both their Bachelor’s and Master’s degree within four and a half years. This accelerated program is designed to assist highly-motivated undergraduate students seeking an efficient path and an expedient start to their professional careers without sacrificing quality of education.

Students enroll in up to twelve credits of graduate work in their senior year*. Then, at least twenty credits of graduate work is completed in the fall semester after the senior year.

* Students in this program will only be permitted to take graduate classes if they are within 30 credits of completing the baccalaureate degree and have a minimum 3.0 GPA.

Admission Requirements

To qualify for admission to the BBA/BSBA-MSBA programs, a student must:

- Be within 30 credits of completing the baccalaureate degree with a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 or higher.

Requirements for Admission

- Completed application for admission submitted through BusinessCAS
- Academic transcript(s)
  - An unofficial copy of your current transcript must be uploaded with your online application.
  - Request official evaluations of transcripts from all previously attended non-U.S. institutions to be sent to BusinessCAS.
- Statement of purpose and short-essay responses to the career goal and program-related questions in BusinessCAS
- A current resume
- At least one letter of recommendation (up to three allowed) may be submitted through the BusinessCAS portal by including recommender contacts within the Program Materials section of the application.

QUESTIONS?

Connect with Miami Herbert Business School’s graduate enrollment advisors at (305) 284-2510 or by email at mba@miami.edu

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### MS IN BUSINESS ANALYTICS

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#### Electives 8

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2. At least one course with an international focus must be completed within the degree requirements. The appropriateness of the course is determined by the academic advisor.

3. Students who do not earn at least a C- in ENG 106 must either repeat ENG 106 and earn at least a C- or complete ENG 230 with at least a C- before enrolling in BUS 300.

4. In order to declare the Business Analytics major, a BBA student needs to have earned a minimum A- (3.7) average for MTH 161, MAS 201, and MAS 202.

5. All specific coursework for the major area of specialization in Business Analytics must be completed with a grade of “C-” or higher. A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 is required for all specific coursework taken in the major area of specialization.

6. All courses must be taken within the current pre-requisite structure.

7. No course may double count in any other major, minor, or cognate.

8. Students may take MAS 652 Capstone Project as a replacement of MAS 650 Management Science Internship if an internship cannot be obtained.

9. Electives are based on class demand.

10. MAS 627 is replaced with MAS 691 or BTE 601 for students who received an A- or better in MAS 332.

11. MAS 631 is replaced with an approved elective for students who received an A- or better in MAS 311.

12. MAS 632 is replaced with an approved elective for students who received an A- or better in MAS 342.

13. MAS 637 is replaced with MAS 681 for students who received an A- or better in MAS 432.

14. MAS 648 is replaced with an approved elective if students take MAS 681.

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### Sample Plan of Study

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### B.S.B.A. in Business Analytics

**Overview**

The Department of Management Science offers a major area of specialization in Business Analytics for students pursuing the Bachelor of Science in Business Administration degree. Students who choose the major area of specialization in Business Analytics are trained to combine quantitative, statistical, and computational tools and techniques to help companies understand, predict, and act on large amounts of data, improving decision-making in increasingly complex and interconnected business environments.

**Curriculum Requirements**

In addition to satisfying the University General Education Requirements and Electives, students pursuing the BSBA in Business Analytics must complete the BSBA Business Core and the specific coursework for the Business Analytics major area of specialization as follows:

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Quantitative Choice - Select one of these suggested courses approved by the Vice-Dean for Undergraduate Business Education
- check pre-requisites:
  - BTE 324 Object-Oriented Programming 5
  - BTE 423 Database Management Systems 5
  - ECO 430 Applied Econometrics
  - ECO 510 Mathematical Economics and Applications
  - MAS 342 Introduction to Optimization and Decision Making 6
  - MAS 442 Stochastic Models in Operations Research 6
  - MAS 547 Computer Simulation Systems 5
  - MGT 445 Supply Chain Modeling and Analysis
  - MGT 446 Supply Chain Strategy

**Major Area of Specialization in Business Analytics** 4

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**Major Choice Courses - Select two courses (6 credit hours) from the following:** 6

- At least one course must be selected from MAS 547 or MAS 548.
- BTE 324 Object-Oriented Programming (pre-requisite BTE 320) 5
- BTE 423 Database Management Systems (pre-requisite BTE 320) 5
- MAS 547 Computer Simulation Systems (pre-requisite MAS 311; offered in the fall semester) 5
- MAS 548 Data Mining and Knowledge Acquisition (pre-requisite MAS 432; offered in the spring semester) 5

**Total Credit Hours** 120

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may not double count as both the Quantitative Choice and a Major Choice unless Business Analytics is an additional major
may not double count as both the Quantitative Choice and the major requirement unless Business Analytics is an additional major

Sample Plan of Study

This Sample Plan of Study represents one possible version of a new freshman business student’s 8-semester plan. The individual student’s plan may vary depending upon the initial placement into English Composition and mathematics. Moreover, numerous plan variations are possible if a student enters the University with advanced college credits, wishes to participate in study abroad, chooses a special program option, or selects additional majors or minors.

Note that each major/minor at the University of Miami satisfies a particular "Area of Knowledge" within the general education requirements of the University. This means that it is possible to pursue two majors, or a major and a minor, within the Miami Herbert Business School and fulfill both the STEM and People and Society Areas of Knowledge; a separate cognate in these areas would not be required. The only remaining general education Area of Knowledge is Arts and Humanities, which must be completed through a major, minor, or cognate outside of the Business School.

Students construct their individualized plans in collaboration with their assigned academic advisor.

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Mission

- To develop innovative ideas and principled leaders that transform global business and society.

Goals

For students pursuing the Bachelor of Science in Business Administration (BSBA) degree program, the major in Business Analytics requires a solid background in the sciences and mathematics. Additionally, students are required to take sequences of courses in optimization, decision science, and data analytics. A number of the courses in the Business Analytics curriculum require projects, in which the student evaluates a real-world system or process. As the system is studied and modeled, the student applies management science methods to find ways to improve the process. In such a course, written and oral presentation of findings is part of the learning and evaluation process.

Student Learning Outcomes

- BBA/BSBA graduates will be critical thinkers, able to select and apply appropriate models, tools, and techniques, and frameworks to enable them to render analytically sound business decisions.
- BBA/BSBA graduates will be able to identify, analyze and resolve ethical issues in business scenarios.
- BBA/BSBA graduates will demonstrate professional written communication skills.
- BSBA graduates will have strong technical skills.

B.S.B.A./M.S. in Business Analytics Dual Degree

Bachelor of Science in Business Administration in Business Analytics and Master of Science in Business Analytics

The dual BSBA and Master of Science in Analytics program is designed in such a way that students can expect to complete both their Bachelor’s and Master’s degree within four and a half years. This accelerated program is designed to assist highly-motivated undergraduate students seeking an efficient path and an expedient start to their professional careers without sacrificing quality of education.

Students enroll in up to twelve credits of graduate work in their senior year.* Then, at least twenty credits of graduate work is completed in the fall semester after the senior year.
*Students in this program will only be permitted to take graduate classes if they are within 30 credits of completing the baccalaureate degree and have a minimum GPA of 3.0.

**Admission Requirements**

To qualify for admission to the BBA/BSBA-MSBA programs, a student must:

- Be within 30 credits of completing the baccalaureate degree with a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 or higher.

**Requirements for Admission**

- Completed application for admission submitted through BusinessCAS
- Academic transcript(s)
  - An unofficial copy of your current transcript must be uploaded with your online application.
  - Request official evaluations of transcripts from all previously attended non-U.S. institutions to be sent to BusinessCAS.
- Statement of purpose and short-essay responses to the career goal and program-related questions in BusinessCAS
- A current resume
- At least one letter of recommendation (up to three allowed) may be submitted through the BusinessCAS portal by including recommender contacts within the Program Materials section of the application.

**QUESTIONS?**

Connect with Miami Herbert Business School's graduate enrollment advisors at (305) 284-2510 or by email at mba@miami.edu

**Curriculum Requirements**

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1. **NOTE:** ENG 105 and ENG 106, or their equivalents, must be completed prior to attaining junior year classification, per the University General Education Requirements. Additionally, all 100 and 200-level Business Core courses must be completed by the end of the fifth semester of college work or during the semester in which the student is completing 75 credit hours.

2. At least one course with an international focus must be completed within the degree requirements. The appropriateness of the course is determined by the academic advisor.

3. Students who do not earn at least a C- in ENG 106 must either repeat ENG 106 and earn at least a C- or complete ENG 230 with at least a C- before enrolling in BUS 300.

4. All specific coursework for the major area of specialization in Business Analytics must be completed with a grade of "C-" or higher. A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 is required for all specific coursework taken in the major area of specialization.

5. Students may take MAS 652 Capstone Project as a replacement of MAS 650 Management Science Internship if an internship cannot be obtained.

6. Electives are based on class demand.

7. MAS 627 is replaced with MAS 691 or BTE 601 for students who received an A- or better in MAS 332.

8. MAS 631 is replaced with an approved elective for students who received an A- or better in MAS 311.

9. MAS 632 is replaced with an approved elective for students who received an A- or better in MAS 342.

10. MAS 637 is replaced with MAS 681 for students who received an A- or better in MAS 432.

11. MAS 648 is replaced with an approved elective if students take MAS 681.

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### Sample Plan of Study

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### Minor in Business Analytics (for BBA and BSAF students)

#### Overview

Minor Area of Specialization in Business Analytics for BBA and BSAF Students (STEM)

Miami Herbert Business School BBA and BSAF students who choose the minor area of specialization in Business Analytics are trained to combine quantitative, statistical, and computational tools and techniques to help companies understand, predict, and act on large amounts of data, improving decision-making in increasingly complex and interconnected business environments.

#### Curriculum Requirements

The 12-credit-hour minor in Business Analytics for BBA and BSAF students consists of the following:

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Choice Courses for the Minor

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Total Credit Hours: 12

1 All courses must be taken within the current pre-requisite structure. In order to declare this minor, students will need to have earned a minimum 3.6 average for MTH 161, MAS 201, and MAS 202.
2 offered in fall semester
3 offered in spring semester
4 Note: All specific coursework for the minor in Business Analytics must be completed with a grade of "C-" or better. In addition, a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 is required for all specific coursework taken in the minor area of specialization.

No course may double count in any other major, minor, or cognate.

Marketing

Department Code: MKT

Introduction

Rapidly increasing global competition, emergence of new markets, and technological advancements make today's marketplace a highly dynamic and challenging environment for companies. Effective marketing is therefore crucial for organizations to survive and prosper in such an environment.
Marketing is the process through which organizations develop and distribute products and services that satisfy the needs of customers. Customer satisfaction is critical to the profitable operations and growth of organizations and, as such, an integral component of modern-day marketing.

**Educational Objectives**

The marketing curriculum offers courses and programs to undergraduate and graduate students for their professional development in domestic and world business.

The primary goals of the Department of Marketing are:

1. to contribute to marketing knowledge through conducting scholarly research and disseminating the research findings through leading journals;
2. to excel in imparting marketing knowledge to students and honing their critical-thinking skills so as to prepare them for potentially successful careers in an increasingly competitive, dynamic, global, and service-and technology-oriented environment; and
3. to be of service to the business and professional communities at large.

A program of study in marketing offers business students a comprehensive understanding of such topics as:

- Marketing's critical role within organizations;
- Identification of markets for products and services through better understanding and analysis of consumers’ wants and needs;
- The nature of global competition and identification of viable competitive strategies;
- Methods used in planning and implementing marketing strategies.

**MKT 101. Marketing in the 21st Century. 3 Credit Hours.**

This is an introduction to the marketing function designed to provide students with an overview of marketing concepts, tools, and methods of analysis. Business Environment today is very competitive. As such, businesses are required to combine traditional marketing practices with new digital technologies to connect with the consumers and develop relationships with them. The course broadly covers the controllable strategic variables of marketing (product, price, place, and promotion) in the context of the uncontrollable environment in which marketing operates, accompanied by discussions of the ethical implications of marketing and the growing demographic diversity and globalization of the marketplace. In a modular format: three modules spread over a period of three weeks, the students will get introduced to the fundamentals of marketing and the exciting world of digital marketing and marketing analytics. Methods of instruction will include lecture, discussion, analytical problem solving, experiential (involvement) learning, and case analysis.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Summer.

**MKT 201. Foundations of Marketing. 3 Credit Hours.**

Understanding and satisfying consumer need through product planning, pricing, promotion, and distribution. Students identify and analyze marketing problems. Discovery and application of marketing skills are developed by marketing planning assignments, computer simulations, and case analysis. Freshman or Sophomore AND Business School.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**MKT 301. Marketing Foundations. 3 Credit Hours.**

Understanding and satisfying consumer needs through product planning, pricing, promotion, and distribution. Students identify and analyze marketing problems. Discovery and application of marketing skills are developed by marketing planning assignments, computer simulation, and case analysis. Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**MKT 302. Marketing Research and Market Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.**

Examination of the process, role, and function of marketing research, including research problem formation, research methods and procedures, data acquisition, sampling theory and practice, data analysis, presentation of results, ethical issues, and application for each of the above. Prerequisite: MKT 201 or MKT 301 and MAS 202 or MAS 312 and Requisite: Business School.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.
MKT 310. Consumer Behavior and Marketing Strategy. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of behavioral science research findings, principles, and theories, especially those from psychology and sociology, as they relate to the determinants of consumer buying behavior. The case approach is utilized to stimulate the development of creative marketing strategy. Prerequisite: MKT 201 or MKT 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKT 311. Pricing. 3 Credit Hours.
Pricing decisions require a synthesis of economic and marketing principles, an appreciation of ethical constraints, and the ability to use accounting, financial, and market research data. This course is designed to teach students how to price goods and services by providing a framework for understanding pricing strategies and tactics. We will take an integrative approach, combining strategic, economic, marketing, and psychological considerations. Topics covered include economic value and break-even analysis, price elasticity, markup and profit margin, price bundling, among others. Prerequisite: MKT 201 or MKT 301 And BUS 150 And ECO 211 or ECO 213.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MKT 320. Retailing. 3 Credit Hours.
Retail store management, location, buying, merchandise control, policies, services, pricing, expenses, profits, training and supervision of retail sales force, and administrative problems are discussed. Prerequisite: MKT 201 or MKT 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MKT 340. Professional Selling. 3 Credit Hours.
Nature of the professional selling function and its relationship and contribution to the marketing strategy of organizations. Special emphasis is placed on broadly applicable principles and effective personal communication skills during the sales process. Prerequisite: MKT 201 or MKT 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MKT 350. Luxury Marketing. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will develop a framework for understanding the essential elements of effective marketing of luxury brands, a 1.36 Trillion dollars market worldwide in 2017 (Bain & Company). Through cases, business visits, and experiential projects the students will distinguish the unique nature of luxury, understand the opportunities and challenges confronted by luxury marketers and apply proven strategies. Students will also work on an actual project created exclusively for the class exposing them to internship opportunities in the luxury market sector. Prerequisite: MKT 201 or MKT 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MKT 360. International Marketing. 3 Credit Hours.
The major current factors affecting international marketing. Course is designed to acquaint students with the growing importance of world marketing in the U.S. and the strategic issues involved. Prerequisite: MKT 201 or MKT 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKT 361. Brand Content Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Brand Content Management (BCM) is the process any organization can use to efficiently create, distribute and control brand-related content. BCM has a lot of moving parts (content, channels, audience segments and measurement tools), so the goal of this course is to provide a comprehensive conceptual framework and familiarity with implementation strategies that are critical to manage those factors and achieve brand equity goals at scale and on time. BCM skills are also crucial to anticipate and deal with brand fatigue and reputation crisis, which are the most demanding cases of Brand Content Management. Prerequisite: MKT 201 or MKT 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MKT 365. Brand Story Telling. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the use of storytelling to build emotional connections, demonstrates the value of real engagement through immersive experiences and it illustrates how to create a compelling brand storytelling program from both the brand and the agency perspectives. As such, the course is uniquely positioned to train students to experience a rounded view of their role either on the brand side as an entrepreneur or working in a client’s marketing team.
Prerequisite: MKT 201 or MKT 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MKT 369. Marketing Analytics. 3 Credit Hours.
Netfix, Amazon, Google, Facebook these are some of the firms that harness data is one of the key strategic assets that firms possess. Analytics is the means by which managers transform data into actionable insights. One area where managers find analytics useful is marketing. Today managers can use analytics to identify profitable customers, analyze clickstream data to predict purchase, monitor brand health, develop dynamic pricing models, deliver advertising through rule based systems, test hundreds if not thousands of advertising and promotional material simultaneously and develop digital brand content from user generated sources. The objectives of this course are to give you hands-on experience with data and analytics and show you how to draw actionable marketing insights from data. It will enable you to make marketing decisions with greater precision without merely relying on “gut” decisions. This is not to say that intuition and creativity do not play a role in marketing. It means that analytical approaches combined with intuition makes for better marketing decisions. The class will mainly have in-class lectures and exercises. Through these you will: • Prerequisite: MKT201 or MKT 301 And MAS 202 or MAS 312 And BUS150.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MKT 370. Cases in Marketing Analytics. 3 Credit Hours.
Organizations today are faced with the challenge to make best use of the data they have and collect from their marketing, sales and customer interactions. Through cases and hands on exercises you will learn what types of data firms collect and how to use this data to come up with data-driven solutions to marketing problems such as the optimal number of market segments, seeking out the most valuable customers, arriving at the value maximizing price, formulating the optimal marketing mix and how best to deploy digital marketing.
Prerequisite: MKT 201 or MKT 301 And MAS 201 or MAS 311.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MKT 371. Application of Artificial Intelligence in Marketing. 3 Credit Hours.
Artificial Intelligence (AI) represents a paradigm shift that is driving the scientific progress as well as the modern business. Of special interest to business is the fast transition of AI from a narrow research area in limited number of academic labs to a key topic in the business world. Today the adoption and successful use of AI capabilities has become a requirement for company's competitive advantage. One of the biggest challenges in accomplishing this goal is the deficit of educated labor force in this area. The class will fill this gap by clear explanations of the main principles of the different AI approaches with less of a focus on theoretical details, demonstrating their value creation potential with appropriate use cases, and describing a methodology for developing and deploying practical AI solutions in business settings. The list of selected AI approaches includes: cognitive computing (rule-based systems and IBM Watson), machine learning (neural networks and Support Vector Machines - SVM), deep learning (key deep neural network structures and image processing), decision trees (random forest), evolutionary computation (genetic programming), and other technologies (intelligent agents, chatbots, and Natural Language Processing – NLP).
Prerequisites: MKT 201 or MKT 301 and MAS 202 or MAS 312.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MKT 372. Text and Image Analysis for Marketing. 3 Credit Hours.
Marketing in the 21st century requires analysis of vast quantities of unstructured text and image data. This data comes in the form of product reviews on e-commerce platforms, tweets, Facebook and Instagram posts, online news, voice activated devices such as Alexa and blogs. This information source provides marketers a rich source of data to understand their customers, design products and drive marketing campaigns. However, this also requires the ability to analyze text and image data using specialized tools. This course provides an overview of the concepts, technologies, and tools necessary to analyze text and image data and to support online analytics initiatives. It will enable you to uncover underlying themes or concepts contained in large document collections; automatically group documents into topical clusters; classify documents into predefined categories; and integrate text data with structured data to enrich predictive modeling endeavors and give you a preliminary understanding of how to analyze image data.
Prerequisites: MKT 201 or MKT 301 and BTE 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MKT 380. New Product Development. 3 Credit Hours.
This course enables students to appreciate the systematic approach that goes into the creation and marketing of new products. Practical aspects of developing and marketing new products are inculcated through two assignments and one class project.
Prerequisite: MKT 201 or MKT 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKT 385. Marketing for Entrepreneurs. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is focused on the study and practice of marketing all aspects of an entrepreneurial venture: the new company itself as well as its products or services. Topics will include: branding, pricing and costing, buying behavior, market segmentation, channel management, as well as exploring issues such as intellectual property, customer service, corporate versus product web sites, media exposure and PR, and maintaining an integrated plan for building the venture’s brand.
Prerequisite: MKT 201 or MKT 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKT 386. Advertising Management. 3 Credit Hours.
In this course, students learn about the components involved in researching, planning, creating, and executing advertising strategies. The class gives students a better understanding of how advertising can be effectively used in a marketing strategy. Students also learn how advertising both influences and is influenced by cultural trends. Implications of this to both marketers and society as a whole are discussed.
Prerequisite: MKT 201 or MKT 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKT 387. Digital Marketing. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce students to the principles of digital marketing from both perspectives of theory and practice. On the theory side, students will learn foundations and recent research and development of digital marketing. Main contemporary digital marketing issues will be extensively discussed in class, including search engine optimization, search engine marketing, online advertising, web analytics, email marketing, social media marketing, and reputation management. Students will also learn how to form an appropriate strategy for a digital marketing campaign and use quantitative skills to analyze the effectiveness of such a campaign. On the practice side, students will collaborate in teams and participate in applied learning exercises. Students will grasp critical concepts of search engine optimization by working with a local business client, laying out a suitable pre-campaign strategy, implementing and modifying the campaign in real time, and summarizing the campaign results in a meaningful and concise manner when it is over.
Prerequisite: MKT 201 or MKT 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKT 388. Health Care Marketing. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is devoted to the study of healthcare marketing and the healthcare system involved with the task of marketing products and services. As healthcare reform continues to evolve current market conditions and transform existing organization into new practices, this course is focused on how managed care providers, hospitals, physicians, federal government, device and pharmaceutical companies will embrace the new patient centered market in their marketing strategies.
Prerequisite: MKT 201 or MKT 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MKT 389. Fundamentals of Digital Marketing Analytics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces the student to the basics of evolving new media business metrics and corresponding forms of audience and competitive marketplace analysis. Students will research and evaluate business models for multiplatform new media products that use any combination of print, radio, television, internet, or mobile technologies. Product evaluations will be set within the context of comparative media economics, new media market dynamics, and advertising revenue projections. The goal will be to evaluate whether an existing or a current media product has the critical mass required for profitable advertiser metrics. Students will be exposed to developing new media usage patterns, cross platform media support strategies, new models of entertainment and news gathering, and corporate media acquisitions and mergers. Local media executives, and entrepreneurs will be invited to class to review current trends and discuss strategies for success.
Prerequisite: MKT 201 or MKT 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MKT 403. Marketing Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Marketing Management is a capstone course that examines new concepts and insights regarding marketing management. Through case analysis the course covers important aspects of marketing management. The students also participate in a simulation in which they manage multi-segment markets.
Prerequisite: MKT 201 or MKT 301 and FIN 302 and MKT 302 or Corequisite: MKT 302 and Business School.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKT 469. International Marketing Management. 3 Credit Hours.
International Marketing Management is a capstone course that examines new concepts and insights regarding international marketing management. Through case analysis the course covers important aspects of international marketing management. The students also participate in a simulation in which they manage multi-country markets.
Prerequisite: MKT 360 and MKT 302 or Corequisite: MKT 302.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MKT 496. Directed Studies in Marketing. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project, or independent investigation of selected non-STEM related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Requisite: Business School.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MKT 497. Directed Studies in Marketing. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project or independent investigation of selected STEM-related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Requisite: Business School.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MKT 498. Special Topics in Marketing. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected non-STEM areas of Marketing.
Prerequisite: MKT 201 or MKT 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MKT 499. Special Topics in Marketing. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected STEM areas of Marketing.
Prerequisite: MKT 201 or MKT 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MKT 555. Marketing Departmental Honors Research Project. 3 Credit Hours.
Research project to fulfill requirements for Departmental Honors in Marketing.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Spring.

B.B.A. in Marketing

Overview
Major Area of Specialization in Marketing (People & Society)

The Marketing major area of specialization provides business students with an understanding of the basic concepts of marketing with an emphasis on emerging techniques and technologies. This major area of specialization prepares students to practice marketing in a changing competitive environment. Specifically, it covers the 4 Ps of marketing (i.e., product/service, price, promotion and place/distribution) from a managerial perspective. Additionally, the marketing program of study is flexible, allowing students to concentrate on specific areas of professional pursuit such as sales management, advertising, retailing, or marketing research.
## Curriculum Requirements

In addition to satisfying the University General Education Requirements and Electives, students pursuing the BBA in Marketing must complete the BBA Business Core and the specific coursework for the Marketing major area of specialization as follows:

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### Arts and Humanities Cognate Courses
- 9 credit hours

### STEM Cognate Courses
- 9 credit hours

### Electives
- 27 credit hours

### BBA Business Core Requirements

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### Major Choice Courses - Select four MKT courses (12 credit hours). At most, two courses (6 credit hours) identified as STEM may be selected from the available choice courses.

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MKT 498  Special Topics in Marketing (People and Society Topics)

STEM-Designated Courses -- only 6 credit hours permitted from this area

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Total Credit Hours 120

1. **NOTE**: ENG 105 and ENG 106, or their equivalents, must be completed prior to attaining junior year classification, per the University General Education Requirements. Additionally, all 100 and 200-level Business Core courses must be completed by the end of the fifth semester of college work or during the semester in which the student is completing 75 credit hours.

2. At least one course with an international focus must be completed within the degree requirements. The appropriateness of the course is determined by the academic advisor.

3. Students who do not earn at least a C- in ENG 106 must either repeat ENG 106 and earn at least a C- or complete ENG 230 with at least a C- before enrolling in BUS 300.

4. In order to pursue a major area of specialization in Marketing, a student must earn a grade of "B" (grade point of 3.0) or higher in MKT 201/MKT 301 (note that a grade of B- does not qualify).

5. All specific coursework for the major area of specialization in Marketing must be completed with a grade of "C-" or higher (except for the minimum "B" grade required for MKT 201/MKT 301 as noted). A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 is required for all specific coursework taken in the major area of specialization. All graded departmental courses in Marketing will be calculated into the major GPA. All courses must be completed within the current pre-requisite structure.

6. MKT 201 is intended for freshman business students only. MKT 301 is an equivalent course, but is intended for students at the sophomore level or higher. Students may not take both MKT 201 and MKT 301.

**Sample Plan of Study**

This Sample Plan of Study represents one possible version of a new freshman business student's 8-semester plan. The individual student's plan may vary depending upon the initial placement into English Composition and mathematics. Moreover, numerous plan variations are possible if a student enters the University with advanced college credits, wishes to participate in study abroad, chooses a special program option, or selects additional majors or minors.

Note that each major/minor at the University of Miami satisfies a particular "Area of Knowledge" within the general education requirements of the University. This means that it is possible to pursue two majors, or a major and a minor, within Miami Herbert Business School and fulfill both the STEM and People and Society Areas of Knowledge; a separate cognate in these areas would not be required. The only remaining general education Area of Knowledge is Arts and Humanities, which must be completed through a major, minor, or cognate outside of the Business School.

Students construct their individualized plans in collaboration with their assigned academic advisor.

**Freshman Year**

**Fall**

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B.S.B.A. in Marketing

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Major Area of Specialization in Marketing (STEM)

Marketing is the main area of business that is transforming because of the emergence of social media platforms and analytical techniques such as text mining. To succeed as marketing professionals, future marketers will need to know not only the time-tested marketing fundamentals but also how to effectively deploy these modern technologies and tools. This major area of specialization prepares students to practice marketing in this changing environment. Besides covering the 4Ps this program will cover areas such as Marketing Analytics, Cases in Marketing Analytics, Artificial Intelligence in Marketing, Text Analytics, Brand Content Management and Digital Media Metrics.

Curriculum Requirements

In addition to satisfying the University General Education Requirements and Electives, students pursuing the BSBA in Marketing must complete the BSBA Business Core and the specific coursework for the Marketing major area of specialization as follows:

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Sample Plan of Study

This Sample Plan of Study represents one possible version of a new freshman business student's 8-semester plan. The individual student’s plan may vary depending upon the initial placement into English Composition and mathematics. Moreover, numerous plan variations are possible if a student enters the University with advanced college credits, wishes to participate in study abroad, chooses a special program option, or selects additional majors or minors.

Note that each major/minor at the University of Miami satisfies a particular "Area of Knowledge" within the general education requirements of the University. This means that it is possible to pursue two majors, or a major and a minor, within Miami Herbert Business School and fulfill both the STEM and People and Society Areas of Knowledge; a separate cognate in these areas would not be required. The only remaining general education Area of Knowledge is Arts and Humanities, which must be completed through a major, minor, or cognate outside of the Business School.

Students construct their individualized plans in collaboration with their assigned academic advisor.

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Total Credit Hours 15

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2 MKT 201 is intended for freshman business students. MKT 301 is an equivalent course, but is intended for students at the sophomore level or higher. Students may not take both MKT 201 and MKT 301.

3 All courses must be taken within the current pre-requisite structure. At most, one course (3 credit hours) identified as STEM may be selected from the available choice courses.

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Minor in Marketing for Non-Business Students
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Minor Area of Specialization in Marketing for Non-Business Students (People & Society)

Non-Business students in any school or college may pursue a minor in Marketing. Interested students should consult with an academic advisor in the School or College of their degree/major to determine if a minor in Marketing is acceptable. If so, neither advice nor consent from either the Office of
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Select four courses (12 credit hours) from the Department of Marketing.

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**Introduction**

The School of Communication houses five departments that offer courses in nine majors leading to the Bachelor of Science in Communication degree. The departments are: Cinematic Arts (Motion Pictures), Communication Studies (Communication Studies), Interactive Media (Interactive Media), Journalism and Media Management (Broadcast Journalism, Electronic Media, Journalism, Media Management), and Strategic Communication (Advertising, Public Relations). In addition, the Master of Arts, the Master of Science, Master of Fine Arts, and Doctor of Philosophy degrees are offered in the School.

Students engage with a diverse faculty of communication scholars, artists and professionals in a variety of hands-on learning experiences embracing research, writing, production, creative problem-solving and multimedia storytelling. On-campus television and radio facilities, soundstages and multimedia labs are available for academic and extra curricular student projects. Students utilize contemporary digital imaging technology and learn skills that cut across a variety of media platforms. Digital editing, recording and mixing facilities are available. New media technology is incorporated throughout the curriculum and the School has numerous computer labs and digitally "smart" classrooms.

The School houses a film soundstage and two fully digital, high-definition television studios and state of the art control rooms. Two video-conference centers with broadcast-quality interactive capability for remote interviews and programming support the School's mission. In addition, a fiber-optic linked studio allows for real-time, broadcast-quality transmissions to sites around the world. Under Communication faculty supervision, student-produced programming is distributed through the University's cable facility and carried throughout the community by the local cable operator and is available through online streaming. The School operates several online sites that afford students outlets for multimedia, interactive and cross-platform writing, research, reporting and creative work.

The University's FM radio station, and student online and print newspapers and magazines, offer additional opportunities for career development. The Bill Cosford Cinema, a 240-seat movie theatre, supports the Motion Picture Program and offers film programming for the Miami community. The School's Norton Herrick Center for Motion Picture Studies is dedicated to research into the history and aesthetics of motion pictures and their social and cultural impact.

The School's Center for Communication, Culture, and Change focuses on promoting positive social and behavioral change through communication research. The Center seeks to address urgent social issues, and make a positive difference in people's lives.

The Koenigsberg & Nadal Interactive Media Center facilitates collaborative education for School of Communication students. With the latest technology seamlessly integrated into a flexible co-working space, students in the Interactive Media Center can easily work together and share their knowledge with one another. Whether students are using the dry erase walls to strategize a research project or touch-screen monitor to showcase their creative concepts to a client, the Interactive Media Center provides a student-driven and innovative experiential learning ecosystem unique to the School of Communication. In this space, groundbreaking ideas are born and innovative visions are able to come to life across all disciplines.

The School supports student chapters of the American Advertising Association, the Public Relations Society of America, the Society of Professional Journalists, the National Broadcasting Society, the University Film and Video Association and other professional organizations. In addition, the School sponsors a nationally competitive intercollegiate debate team, which annually produces several members of the All American Debate Team.
Internships in professional settings are available to Communication students at the sophomore, junior and senior levels. Professionals at daily and weekly newspapers, magazines, news bureaus, cable systems, radio and television stations and networks, production houses and motion picture studios cooperate in faculty-supervised internships. Executives of city and county governments, advertising agencies, public relations firms and other business and nonprofit organizations join in providing internship opportunities. The Stein Family Office of Career Services and Internships assists students seeking internships and offers career planning services. Summer and semester-length study abroad opportunities are also available.

Mission
The School of Communication is dedicated to a global educational perspective and is committed to providing a socially responsible and ethically grounded learning environment guided by a diverse faculty of scholars, artists and professionals. The School is committed to quality undergraduate and graduate programs in communication that emphasize the relationship between theory and practice. We believe in freedom of expression and creativity, and encourage both collaboration and independent thinking as we prepare future scholars, professionals and leaders for a lifetime of service and learning.

Accreditation
The University of Miami is accredited by:

The Southern Association of Colleges and Schools
1866 Southern Lane
Decatur, GA 30033-4097

Academic Policies

Internal Transfer into the School of Communication
A student enrolled at the University of Miami in a School or College other than the School of Communication may apply for admission into the School. Applications are accepted throughout the year. A minimum overall grade point average of 2.5 is necessary for consideration. Applications are available in the Admissions, Academic & Alumni Services Office of the School of Communication (2037 Wolfson Building) and must be submitted prior to the end of each semester. Admission decisions will be made promptly after semester grades are final. Students will be notified in writing of the School's decision.

Transfer Students
A transfer student must complete in residence a minimum of 18 credit hours toward a Communication major or a minimum of 9 credit hours toward a Communication minor. Courses taken elsewhere in Communication or related disciplines are not automatically accepted toward a major or minor at the University of Miami. Students who have obtained the written approval of the appropriate department chair to use transfer credit hours to satisfy one or more requirements of that major may be required to complete additional courses in residence at the University before being admitted to that major. Students should consult a School of Communication advisor to determine whether the transfer of Communication courses will increase beyond 120 the total number of credit hours required for a degree. In general, transfer credit hours will not be accepted to satisfy requirements for any course in any major or minor at the 300-level or above. Student petitions to transfer credit hours will be considered on an individual basis.

Transfer credit hours may not be used to satisfy requirements for any major or minor in Communication without the written approval of the Chair of the program concerned.

Academic Progress & Probation/Dismissal
Students must maintain a grade point average (GPA) of 2.5 or higher in courses taken in residence and submitted for their School of Communication major. Following the first semester in which any student's GPA in the major falls below a 2.5, the School may issue a warning to that student that his or her work does not meet School expectations. Should that student's GPA in the major be below a 2.5 in any subsequent semester, he or she may be placed on Academic Probation. The School may dismiss from the University any student who is on probation a total of two semesters (not necessarily consecutive). A student who has been dismissed from the School may apply for admission to one of the other Schools or Colleges within the University, but will not be readmitted to the School of Communication.

Those who wish to appeal their probation or dismissal must do so in writing to the Dean within 30 days of the notice of probation or dismissal.

Internship Credit Hours
All programs allow students to complete multiple internships for academic credit. Students should consult with their faculty advisor or the School's academic advising office for their department's specific internship credit hour policies.

Credit Hours and Advanced Placement Credit
Credit hours may be earned through Advanced Placement, IB, CLEP Examinations and Advanced Placement by Proficiency Examinations. These credit hours may be applied to the appropriate General Education Required Areas of Study or as electives except:

1. where prohibited by the University or a specific program area; or
2. if the course is remedial (e.g., ENG 103, MTH 099).
To earn credit hours, each student must pay a recording fee and have exempted course credit hours entered on his or her University transcript. An exemption may be granted for ENG 105 by the Department of English, but this exemption will not earn credit hours toward the 120 University credit hours required for graduation.

Grade Point Average
A candidate for the Bachelor of Science in Communication (B.S.C.) must complete the credit hours and achieve the grade point average specified for students in the University at large as stated in the section titled ACADEMIC PROCEDURES AND INFORMATION, subject to additional requirements specified in School and Program sections.

General Education Requirements
In April 2012, the University of Miami Faculty Senate adopted a new set of General Education Requirements (GERs). The new Cognate Program of General Education was implemented in the 2013-2014 academic year (AY 2014).

Please note, students completing majors and minors within the same department may only satisfy one required cognate area of study.

See GENERAL EDUCATIONAL REQUIREMENTS.

Degree Programs
The School of Communication offers courses in nine programs of study leading to the degree Bachelor of Science in Communication. The programs are Advertising, Public Relations, Communication Studies, Electronic Media, Broadcast Journalism, Journalism, Media Management, Interactive Media, and Motion Pictures.

Minors
The School of Communication offers minors in its nine programs of study and a general minor in Communication (COM). School of Communication students may complete a minor in a specific program of study, but are not eligible for the general minor in Communication.

Concentrations
Most degree programs offer concentrations or tracks of study in specialty areas. See the individual program sections for details on these concentrations.

Requirements for Graduation with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Communication

Required University General Education Requirements
The General Education Requirements provide students with the opportunity to study methodologies and achievements in all areas of human inquiry and creative endeavor, and to cultivate abilities essential for the acquisition of knowledge. The Areas of Proficiency requirements ensure that students either already possess, or develop at the University, the ability to express themselves effectively, to use mathematics with facility, and to reason cogently. The Areas of Knowledge requirement is designed to help students understand and appreciate intellectual achievements in major areas of human inquiry and creative endeavor.

All School of Communication students must complete the University’s General Education Requirements. These requirements can be found in the General Education Requirements section. Note that the General Education Requirements differ for incoming freshmen and transfer students.

Completion of each School of Communication major or minor fulfills one of the three cognate areas required by the University: People & Society, Arts & Humanities and STEM. (See individual program descriptions below identifying the specific cognate area covered.)

Students completing a second major or minor in the School which fulfills a cognate area different from their first major, and offered in a different department, may apply the second major or minor toward a second cognate area. No course submitted toward a School of Communication major or minor used to fulfill a University cognate may be applied toward any other cognate area. No more than two cognate areas may be completed in the School of Communication.

Students should meet with their advisors for assistance in completing all University and School requirements.

Developing Proficiency in Advanced Writing and Communication Skills
By their nature, Schools of Communication aspire to help students understand communication processes and develop high-level skills in writing, oral presentation and the use of digital communication technologies for crafting meaningful and effective messages. To fulfill the University’s Advanced Writing and Communication Skills requirement, all students enrolled in one of the eight undergraduate majors offered by the School will be required to complete their program’s core writing course, at least one public speaking/presentational skills course, and one digital skills course.

Major/Minor Requirements
In addition to completing a major in the School of Communication, students must also complete a minor (or a second major) in either a second Program of Study within the School or in an academic program outside of the School. Students completing majors and/or minors in the School must
complete all School of Communication courses with grades of C or higher (a grade of C- or lower is not acceptable.) Students may not enroll in a School of Communication course without grades of C or higher in prerequisite courses. Students completing a minor or second major outside the School of Communication should consult this Bulletin for minimum grade requirements.

The Major in the School of Communication

Majors in the School of Communication leading to a Bachelor of Science in Communication require between 36 and 42 credit hours in School of Communication courses specified in Program Statements (below). Courses within each major must be completed with a grade of C or higher (a grade of C- or lower is not acceptable.) In addition, students must maintain a grade point average of 2.5 or higher in courses taken in residence and submitted for their School of Communication majors.

The Minor

Each Communication student, in addition to completing requirements for a Communication major, must complete a minor field in either a second Program of Study within the School or in an academic program outside the School. Each course submitted for a minor offered in the School of Communication must be completed with a grade of C or higher (a grade of C- or lower is not acceptable). To find the requirements for a given minor, students should consult this Bulletin and confer with the appropriate department representative.

School of Communication advisors will aid students in identifying appropriate minors. The candidate for a Communication degree may choose from among any of the disciplines offering minors at the University for which they may qualify. The choice of a minor should be made no later than the beginning of the junior year and must be approved by the discipline concerned.

The Second Major Option

Students may choose to complete a second major, either within the School or in an academic program outside the School, in place of the minor requirement. Some second majors are impractical within the minimum 120 credit hours degree program. Students should consult with a Communication advisor before selecting a second major. The choice of a second major should be made no later than the beginning of the junior year and must be approved by the discipline concerned.

Double Counting

Students completing a major and a minor in the School of Communication, or two majors within the School of Communication, may count only COM 250 toward both Programs of Study. No other course duplication is allowed. Students should consult with the Department Chair of the minor or second major for acceptable course substitutions where appropriate.

Upper Division Credit Hours

In earning a Bachelor of Science in Communication, each School of Communication student must complete a minimum of 36 credit hours of course work at the 300-level or above. Upper division transfer credit hours also apply if completed at a four-year institution and if approved by the Department Chair.

Electives

Only Free Elective courses may be taken under the University’s Credit Only option. Free Electives are defined as courses not taken to fulfill the requirements of the major within the School of Communication, of the second major or minor, or of the School’s General Education Requirements. Free Electives are courses that are not taken to meet any of the above requirements or their prerequisites, but taken solely to meet the requirement of a minimum total of 120 credit hours for the degree.

General Electives

A sufficient number of University electives must be completed to fulfill a minimum total of 120 credit hours. Electives may be chosen from any course offered by the University except certain unapproved courses such as:

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Students should consult a School of Communication advisor before selecting elective courses. Because specific courses are required in some School of Communication majors, students are advised to read Program Statements carefully and seek the advice of a School of Communication advisor prior to taking general University electives.

Schedules

Fifteen to sixteen credit hours constitute a normal semester schedule in the School of Communication. Students who wish to register for more than 18 credit hours must obtain prior approval from the Office of Admissions, Academic & Alumni Services (2037 Wolfson Building). Students who are on academic probation will be limited to a maximum of 13 credit hours.
Honors

School of Communication students may graduate with School Honors in Communication noted upon their diplomas and transcripts. Students must contact the School’s Office of Admissions, Academic & Alumni Services (2037 Wolfson Building) for details about the School of Communication Honors Program.

Students may receive recognition as graduates cum laude, magna cum laude, or summa cum laude if they meet the requirements set forth under graduation honors.

General Information

The Foote Fellows Honors Program recognizes the most educationally accomplished incoming students at the University of Miami. Foote Fellows have distinguished themselves both in and out of the classroom at their previous schools, are self-motivated, and think independently. Admission to the Foote Fellows Honors Program is by invitation.

Foote Fellows are exempt from the Cognates Program of General Education requirements. Within the curricular framework of their school or college, Foote Fellows enjoy unmatched freedom and flexibility to explore a multitude of educational resources. Many Foote Fellows leverage this opportunity to take additional majors and/or minors and to study abroad. At each of the nine undergraduate schools at the University of Miami, a dedicated advisor helps Foote Fellows chart their academic path and attain access to distinctive learning opportunities at the University, such as special school-based seminars, faculty-mentored research, networking opportunities, and off-campus internships.

Foote Fellows also will be invited to join advanced, interdisciplinary Foote Fellow seminars taught by leading faculty members from across the University. An example is Books That Matter, a rigorous seminar in non-fiction reading that is offered in sessions for first-year and for upper-class students. Freshman Foote Fellows benefit from early move-in to the residential colleges. Further, Foote Fellows receive focused advising on post-baccalaureate distinguished fellowships and awards.

The Foote Fellows Honors Program reflects the educational vision of former University of Miami President Edward T. Foote, who retired in 2000 after serving the University for twenty years.

Foote Fellows in the School of Communication

The School of Communication hosts several activities geared for our Foote Fellows throughout the academic year. School of Communication Foote Fellows will be receiving information from Assistant Dean Luis Herrera regarding our specific programs. For further inquires, please contact him at lherrera@miami.edu.

SCHOOL OF COMMUNICATION HONORS PROGRAM

Admission to the School’s Honors Program is contingent upon admission to the Communication Honors Program as an incoming freshman. Transfer or continuing students may apply for admission to the School of Communication Honors Program after completion of their first full semester at UM. Admission into the School of Communication Honors Program is contingent upon:

1. a freshman student admitted in the fall semester attaining at least a 3.5 overall grade point average and a 3.75 cumulative grade point average in all School of Communication classes, or

2. a transfer student with at least a 3.5 overall grade point average at his or her previous school and a 3.75 grade point average in School of Communication classes.

Continuation in the School’s Honors Program is contingent upon satisfying the criteria set forth below over the student’s academic career. Students enrolled in the School of Communication Honors Program may choose from two academic paths: (1) an individualized major in communication created in consultation with the School’s Director of Honors or, (2) a concentrated major in one of the School’s programs of study.

Students admitted to the School of Communication Honors Program must maintain a minimum 3.5 grade point average in all university coursework and a minimum 3.6 cumulative grade point average in all School of Communication Honors Program classes (at least 15 credits of such course work must be completed). All Honors students must complete the following Honors-designated courses with grades of “B” or higher (grades of “B-” will not be acceptable):

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<td>Mass Media Communication in Society (or approved alternate for transfer honors students)</td>
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<td>Freedom of Expression and Communication Ethics</td>
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<td>COM 395</td>
<td>Honors Seminar in Communication</td>
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All School Honors students must have worked out by the end of their second semester of UM enrollment a plan of studies, under the direction of the School's Director of Honors.

In conducting a Senior Honors Project/Thesis the student, under the direction of an approved faculty mentor, will produce an original communication thesis/project. This project may take the form of original research, a theoretical examination of communication phenomena, a film or motion picture script, a radio or video drama or documentary, a teleplay, or a visual communication project incorporating web interactive design, photography, and multi-media.

Inquiries regarding the School of Communication Honors Program should be made through the School's Office of Admissions, Academic & Alumni Services (2037 Wolfson Building).

**Minor in Communication**

A student seeking a minor in the general area of Communication must complete 15 credit hours, at least six of which must be at the 300-level or above.

- Students in the School of Communication cannot minor in Communication.
- Courses for this minor must be taken from the departments of Cinematic Arts, Communication Studies, Interactive Media, Journalism and Media Management and Strategic Communication. Course prefixes include: CCA, CIM, COM, COS, JMM and STC.
- Each course taken for a Communication minor must be completed with a grade of C or higher (a grade of C- or lower is not acceptable).
- At least 9 credit hours towards the minor must be completed at UM.

**Sample Communication Minor**

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<td>Introduction to Electronic Media Production</td>
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Must complete a minimum of 6 credits at the 300 level or above in School of Communication courses.  

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<td>Essentials of Documentary Film</td>
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<td>Business of Motion Pictures</td>
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<td>Nonfiction Film and Digital Media</td>
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Total Credit Hours: 15

1. STC 200 requires STC 114, STC 201 requires STC 116 and STC 202 requires STC 102. These courses cannot be taken concurrently. Any exceptions must be made by the STC Department Chair.

2. Please consult each department's bulletin listing for course requirements. No exceptions, substitutions or waivers will be given if student does not meet requirements for a course.

3. Most 300 level or above Communication courses require at least junior standing and one or more of the following survey courses: CCA 103, CCA 126, CCA 151, COS 220, JMM 102, JMM 108, STC 102, STC 114, or STC 116. Please consult the Bulletin for course prerequisites.

### Cinematic Arts

http://com.miami.edu/programs

The Department of Cinematic Arts offers a major and minor in Motion Pictures.

A Motion Pictures major selects from the following tracks: Business, Critical Studies, General, Production, or Screenwriting.

The Department of Cinematic Arts prepares the next generation of storytellers, innovators, filmmakers, researchers, and entrepreneurs for the abundance of opportunities in world of film, digital media, television and emerging technologies.

**Design:**

The curriculum offered by the Department of Cinematic Arts is designed to enable you to customize your education, within a learning environment that is collaborative and conducive to the pursuit, development, and exchange of ideas and information. It provides students with the training necessary to succeed in a range of careers defined by a rapidly changing media landscape, and equips them to best leverage innovations in the field.

**Goals of the Program are:**
- To furnish students with the technical and practical skills needed to make them career-ready through hands-on learning, problem-solving based inquiry, and advanced study.

- To nurture the individual talent, creativity, and discovery process of every student by fostering principles of collaboration, professionalism, and intellectual curiosity.

- To support the educational process through mentoring and advising by renowned faculty and seasoned professionals.

- To encourage students to integrate theory and practice, to cultivate the capacity to think critically, and to connect technology and art and/or design.

- To familiarize students with theoretical, historical, and cultural approaches and expose them to a range of traditions within the field of study.

- To provide access to state-of-the-art facilities, the most technologically advanced tools, and the latest technology.

- To continue to build on our reputation as a place of innovation and interdisciplinarity, as we educate students according to the highest professional and ethical standards.

**Major Cognate Area**

- Motion Pictures - Arts and Humanities

**Minor Cognate Area**

- Motion Pictures - Arts and Humanities

**Dept. Code: CCA**

**Requirements for the Major in Motion Pictures**

Each candidate for the degree of Bachelor of Science in Communication will complete School of Communication requirements including courses in the School's General Education Required Areas of Study. Motion Pictures major must also complete a separate minor or a second major in either a second Program of Study within the School or in an academic program outside the School.

Before admission as a Motion Pictures (CMPT) major a student must:

- Complete the Core courses in residence at the University, all with grades of C or higher (C- is not acceptable). Students who have obtained the written approval of the Chair of Cinematic Arts to use transfer credit hours to satisfy one or more requirements of that major may be required to complete additional courses in residence at the University before being admitted to that major.

- Upon completion of a student’s first 45 University credit hours while enrolled in the School of Communication, all University credit hours earned toward the major will be used in computing a student’s major cumulative grade point average; only those students with a cumulative average of 2.5 or higher will be admitted to the major.

- A student who has completed 45 credit hours while enrolled in the School of Communication, but who has not been admitted to one of the Communication majors, may be dismissed from the School. A student who has completed 60 University credit hours while enrolled in the School, but who has not been admitted to one of the Communication majors, will be dismissed from the School.

**Opportunities**

As a major or minor in the CCA department, many opportunities await you, including access to the following facilities and equipment: digital cameras; grip and electrical equipment; a soundstage; digital post-production image and sound facilities; a digital animation studio; a VR Lab and Design Lab (NERDLab).

The department offers a Semester in Los Angeles Program each spring and regularly hosts summer study abroad in such locations as Paris, Amsterdam, Spain, Greece, and Prague (FAMU).

In addition to the chance to work on student projects, there is an array of extracurricular activities in the School of Communication, including the award-winning cable channel UMTV and Delta Kappa Alpha, the National Professional Co-Ed Cinematic Arts Fraternity.

The Bill Cosford Cinema, a state-of-the-art movie theater exhibits first-run alternative, foreign and classic films and hosts guest filmmakers and special events throughout the year. The Cosford Cinema serves as a venue for local film festivals as well as the annual Canes Film Festival featuring UM undergraduate and graduate work.

Students have the opportunity to compete in the UM Canes Film Festival to earn the chance to take their work to a professional showcase screening, held annually in Los Angeles.

**Majors in Cinematic Arts**

- B.S.C. in Motion Pictures (p. 877)
Minors in Cinematic Arts

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CCA 103. Survey of Motion Pictures. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of the aesthetic, social, and economic aspects of the motion picture industry. Concentration on the present state of the medium with particular emphasis on future trends.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CCA 113. Documentary Approaches. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will explore the varied forms and narrative approaches used in contemporary documentary filmmaking to understand the position of the filmmaker as a storyteller.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CCA 126. Introduction to Screenwriting. 3 Credit Hours.
Creation and formatting of narrative material for motion pictures. Emphasis on writing the short film.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CCA 151. Introduction to Digital Filmmaking. 3 Credit Hours.
Lectures and laboratory work to acquaint the student with the basic techniques of motion pictures. Students make short films using digital equipment to develop an understanding of the motion picture as a creative tool of communication and expression.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CCA 206. History of International Cinema. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an examination of the origin and history of the motion picture. Narrative and non-fiction genres, in the American and World Cinemas, from 1890 to the present are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CCA 251. Motion Picture Workshop: Storytelling. 3 Credit Hours.
The practice of the grammar of cinematic language including shot selection, composition, pacing, story clarity, performance, pre-visualization and pre-planning for the creation of short narrative projects. Through critiques, students encounter and interact with an audience of their peers. This course requires students to master contemporary technology in use in the profession.
Prerequisite: CCA 103 and CCA 151.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CCA 294. Special Topics in Cinematic Arts. 3 Credit Hours.
This course subject matter varies according to announced special topic. See class schedule for details.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CCA 326. Intermediate Screenwriting. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of, and practice in, writing feature length, narrative motion pictures. Development of story line in treatment form, attention to cinematic structure, the development of character, and its presentation on screen is discussed.
Prerequisite: CCA 126.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CCA 329. Writing for Series Television. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the structures and techniques of writing situation-comedy and dramatic series television.
Prerequisite: CCA 126.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
CCA 351. Intermediate Filmmaking. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an introduction to intermediate level techniques and methodologies for digital production of all contemporary media genres including narrative, documentary, experimental and music performance. Students will work in crews, collaboratively, with specific assigned roles throughout the production work flow.
Prerequisite: CCA 206 and CCA 251.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CCA 353. Post Production Sound Editing and Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Post production sound editing and design is a seminar/workshop that provides a practical and theoretical introduction to sound and its function in the narrative moving image process. The course explores the process from production recording through the final mix.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CCA 355. Essentials of Documentary Film. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to teach students how to tell compelling cinematic documentary stories with a clear and effective point-of-view. We will compare and analyze various styles of documentary storytelling and use these methods in creating effective documentaries films. An emphasis will be put on the various styles of documentary filmmaking.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CCA 356. Cinematography. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of the cinematographer's process from script to screen. Working with camera, lighting, and grip equipment on exercises and projects is discussed.
Prerequisite: CCA 251.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CCA 357. Editing. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the theory and practice of motion picture editing. Short editing assignments are designed to develop students' understanding of aesthetic, and technical considerations in the art of dramatic editing.
Prerequisite: CCA 251.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CCA 364. Business of Motion Pictures. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will get an overview of how content is created and who the players are. They will practice synthesizing information and translating it into a strategic plan for a business or individual career path in the entertainment industry.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CCA 386. Online Screenwriting. 3 Credit Hours.
This is an online course on screenwriting. Students will learn to analyze films through the lens of genres, including Drama, Comedy, Horror, Romance, Sci-Fi, and Coming of Age, to write scripts, and to critique genre conceits of assigned films.
Prerequisite: CCA 126.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CCA 394. Special Topics in Cinematic Arts. 3 Credit Hours.
This course subject matter varies according to announced special topic. See class schedule for details.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
CCA 395. Directing Techniques I. 3 Credit Hours.
To teach the craft of directing through exercises, screen work, and readings.
Prerequisite: CCA 251.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CCA 401. Nonfiction Film and Digital Media. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of American and world nonfiction films and media.
Requisite: Junior Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 402. Global Issues and Filmmaking: An Interdisciplinary Approach. 3 Credit Hours.
A trans-disciplinary approach to study and analyze a variety of complex global Issues such as climate change, human security, globalization, and rise of nationalism while gaining hands-on experience to develop short analytical documentary films about such topics. Prior film-making experience is NOT required
Requisite: Permission of Instructor.
Components: HRK.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CCA 403. Film Directors. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of the film authorship through a focus on specific directors.
Requisite: Junior Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CCA 404. Aspects of Contemporary Cinema. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of contemporary movements in American and world cinemas.
Requisite: Junior Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CCA 405. Representations of Sport in Popular Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
This course presents approaches to understanding and contextualizing representations of sports in cinema, television, and digital media. Students gain valuable skills in critical thinking, analysis, and evaluation as they learn to reflect on the various ways sports are portrayed in selected media and popular culture.
Requisite: Junior Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CCA 406. Genres. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of selected genres from a variety of critical perspectives. Issues pertaining to methodologies of defining and categorizing film are discussed.
Requisite: Junior Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CCA 407. National Cinemas. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected films from Europe, Asia, Africa and Latin America will be studied in relation to their diverse social, political and cultural contexts.
Requisite: Junior Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
CCA 408. Women, Media, and Popular Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of film, media, and gender representation from the perspective of feminist theory and cultural studies. Students explore the many ways that women have been portrayed, and how they have portrayed themselves, within popular culture.
Requisite: Junior Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 409. Legal Aspects of Motion Pictures. 3 Credit Hours.
The law, contracts, and negotiating techniques of the business affairs aspects of the production of motion pictures.
Requisite: Junior Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 426. Advanced Screenwriting. 3 Credit Hours.
A continuation of CIM 326. Study of, and practice in, writing feature length, narrative motion picture scripts. Attention is given to cinematic structure, the development of character, and its presentation on screen. Emphasis is placed on bringing the script to a completed draft.
Prerequisite: CCA 326.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 429. Advanced Television Writing. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores how to create, format, and write the original Television Pilot and treatment. The class will cover TV pilot format, length, structure as well as techniques in creating TV characters and situations for both comedy and dramatic episodic TV.
Prerequisite: CCA 329.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 451. Advanced Filmmaking Workshop. 3 Credit Hours.
The theory and practice of motion pictures production from script to screen. Lecture and laboratory. Students will develop and produce a narrative, a documentary, or an experimental work of their choice.
Prerequisite: CCA 351.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CCA 455. Science Documentary: Autism. 3 Credit Hours.
This course brings together student citizens across science, communication, and education to collaborate on content intended to reach audiences on multiple platforms. Students will be exposed to both history and cutting edge research surrounding Autism Spectrum Disorder. In addition to learning the neuroscience and genetics that underlie autism spectrum disorders, students will connect with people in the local community - to lend these issues a face and context. Students will gather information from readings, experts at the University of Miami, and the larger South Florida Community. Students will work in teams to share expertise from their fields of study to generate content for community consumption.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 456. Advanced Cinematography. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced work with camera, lighting, and grip equipment on exercises and projects.
Prerequisite: CCA 356.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 457. Advanced Editing. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced concepts in aesthetics and theories of picture and sound editing, mixing, color correction, and finishing techniques.
Prerequisite: CCA 357.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
CCA 458. Documentary Production. 3 Credit Hours.
Students produce two short digital documentaries and explore various approaches to the documentary film.
Prerequisite: CCA 151.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CCA 462. Motion Picture Marketing and Distribution. 3 Credit Hours.
Economic and marketing considerations in the production and distribution of motion pictures.
Prerequisite: CCA 364.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

CCA 465. Creative Producing. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will discover what their creative voice is as a producer; sharpen their communication skills (networking, pitching, coverage & notes); and will learn the nuts and bolts of what a producer does.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

CCA 469. Motion Picture Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The internship is designed to provide valuable career-related work experience in a real-world setting, e.g., institutions, organizations and/or businesses. Students will identify an opportunity, supervisor, and write a proposal as to the relevancy to their goals. The Internship may be paid or unpaid.
**Components:** IND.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

CCA 489. Projects in Screenwriting. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual study. This course and CIM 499 cannot count for more than three credits towards a Communication major or minor.
**Components:** THI.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

CCA 494. Special Topics in Cinematic Arts. 3 Credit Hours.
Prescribed study and supervised work with practitioners in motion pictures.
Requisite: Sophmore Status And Cumulative GPA 2.5.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CCA 499. Projects and Directed Research. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual study. No more than three credits may be counted toward a Communication major or minor.
**Components:** THI.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

CCA 501. Principles of Aesthetics and Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Provides graduate students with introductory immersion in aesthetics, analysis, and history of film and media.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

CCA 510. Foundation of Screenwriting. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the fundamental skill set necessary to manipulate the basic elements of cinematic writing. The course will investigate common dramatic elements found in all screenplays as well as teach format principles of feature, TV and emerging media scripts.
Prerequisite: CCA 126.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.
CCA 511. Writing the Short Film. 3 Credit Hours.
A course in the fundamentals of screenwriting focused on the creation of a 15-30 page screenplay suitable for an MFA project film. Study of and practice in writing short narrative motion picture scripts. Focus is placed on concept, content, cinematic story structure and presentation of character. Prerequisite: CCA 510.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CCA 514. Motion Picture Studio. 3 Credit Hours.
This course allows students the time to enhance and exhibit their knowledge and skills in Motion Picture. Students will fine-tune their final film projects, polishing their final cuts for film festival submission to film festivals and professional consideration. Motion Picture Major and Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 518. Seminar in Documentary Film History: Cinéma-vérité. 3 Credit Hours.
The primary focus of this course will be on the half-century old school or tradition of documentary filmmaking associated with the terms "Cinéma-vérité" and "direct cinema". Through close analysis of selected classic and contemporary documentaries, the class will explore their historical significance, their aspirations and achievements as films, and their ways of addressing the aesthetic, epistemological, political and moral issues that inevitably arise when filmmakers take their sync-sound camera into the world and undertake to film life as it is really lived.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 519. Seminar in Documentary Production. 3 Credit Hours.
The Seminar in Documentary Production is the capstone production class within the documentary track of the Cinema and Interactive Media Department. Students are entered into the course based on a proposal that outlines their documentary project.
Prerequisite: CCA 458 Or JMM 541.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 523. Advanced 3D Character Design and Motion Capture. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the 3D game art development pipeline from modeling, texturing, rigging and animation to motion capture, and special effects.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CCA 526. Adaptation. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will examine the craft and techniques of adapting sources such as novels, short stories, plays, articles, comic books, Shakespeare to the screen.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 529. Nonfiction Film. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of American and world nonfiction films.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CCA 550. Motion Graphics and Compositing. 3 Credit Hours.
Methods, techniques and aesthetics of 2D computer animation and compositing including animated text, title design, and green screen. Prerequisite: CCA 206.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 551. Advanced Motion Graphics and Compositing. 3 Credit Hours.
Extend the 2D skills of students who have taken CIM 550 to 3D motion graphics and animation. Emphasis on title design and animation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
CCA 553. Advanced Motion Picture Marketing and Distribution. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced marketing considerations in the distribution of motion pictures.
Prerequisite: CCA 462.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CCA 560. Directing the Actor. 3 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this course is to teach and practice the craft of directing, including text analysis, characterization, visualization, design, intention and rehearsal: to train students to articulate their ideas to actors and film crew.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CCA 566. Character and Dialogue. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the craft and techniques of creating original characters and dialogue.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CCA 594. Special Topics in Cinematic Arts. 3 Credit Hours.
This course subject matter varies according to announced special topic. See class schedule for details.
Requisite: Junior Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CCA 595. Directing Techniques II. 3 Credit Hours.
To build a more advanced set of professional skills and practices through scene work, shooting, and collaboration.
Prerequisite: CCA 251.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

B.S.C. in Motion Pictures

Overview
The Department of Cinematic Arts offers a major in Motion Pictures.

A Motion Pictures major selects from the following tracks: Business, Critical Studies, General, Production, or Screenwriting.

The business track is intended for students interested in media industries, this track offers an in-depth view from a decision-making perspective. You will learn how content is made, while attaining advanced business skills in many aspects from traditional movie outlets to new distribution opportunities, defined by multi-platforms and omni-channels.

You will discover motives, tactics and tools for content creation as well as strategies for choosing which platform best serves a particular story. This track is an excellent choice for students who strive to think critically about the environment the industry operates in and how it can inform your own business strategy.

You will be encouraged to develop your individual talent in a nurturing and collaborative environment, where you begin learning through practical, problem-solving based classes from your first semester on.

Internships, extra-curricular organizations, guest master classes, CCA project-based, study-abroad programs and the Semester in Los Angeles Program, give you ample opportunity to further your education in business outside of the classroom.

The critical studies track is for students excited by the study of film and media, and offers the opportunity to consider a wide range of perspectives on culturally, historically, and artistically significant works. You will engage with the aesthetic, political, and moral issues that inevitably arise when closely looking at examples, while broadening your horizons as you learn about the contexts in which they were produced.

You will cultivate analytical, conceptual, communication, and writing skills and gain research tools, all of which provide a strong foundation for media-related fields. Students in the Critical Studies track may go on to pursue graduate study. They are also well-positioned to choose creative careers or work in the media industry.

The general track gives students flexibility and range as well as depth of focus. This track offers a unique edge in today’s expanding technological landscape, providing breadth, versatility, and the advanced skills that will position you to succeed in a number of media careers.
Students select a primary specialization from one of the following areas: production, screenwriting, business, documentary, graphics and animation, or critical studies. Students choose an additional six credits of electives. It is recommended, though not required, that these six electives be chosen from a single area creating a secondary specialization.

Some students prefer not to check just one box as they go along their academic journey. The general track appeals to students who like to step out of the box and customize the cinema major to their individual goals.

The production track is intended for students interested in intensive production, this track offers advanced technical skills in directing, cinematography, editing, sound, documentary, immersive storytelling, graphics and animation. You will learn about all stages of the creative process from writing and development, through production and post-production, to all forms of exhibition.

You will be encouraged to develop your individual talent and personal expression in a nurturing and collaborative environment, where you start making films in your first semester and participate in hands-on learning throughout the program.

Internships, extra-curricular organizations, guest master classes, CCA production-based, study-abroad programs and the Semester in Los Angeles Program, give you ample opportunity to further your education in production outside of the classroom.

The screenwriting track is intended for students interested in intensive scriptwriting, this track provides advanced skills in writing for film and series television. You will gain a familiarity with all stages of the creative process for film and TV (from writing and development, through production and post-production, to exhibition). You will attain advanced writing skills and techniques, such as story development, characterization, structure, and dialogue while acquiring extensive knowledge about the business of scriptwriting (including the submission process, agents, financing, television writers’ rooms, etc.).

You will be encouraged to develop your individual talent and personal expression in a nurturing and collaborative environment, where you start writing scripts in your first semester and continue with practical, applied learning throughout the program.

Internships, extra-curricular organizations, guest master classes, CCA project-based, study-abroad programs and the Semester in Los Angeles Program, give you ample opportunity to further your education in writing outside of the classroom.

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1. Students may only take CCA 462 or JMM 434. Both courses will not count for the major.
2. If these electives are outside the Motion Pictures major (but within the School of Communication) they must be approved by the chair.
3. Majors cannot double count courses without approval from faculty advisor and/or department chair. CCA 499 and CCA 594 should be selected in consultation with faculty advisor.
4. Only a maximum of 9 combined credits of internship and/or independent study can be applied towards the major.
School of Communication students are required to complete a minimum of a minor (inside or outside of the school) in addition to their Communication major to graduate. For an optional 2nd major, please see your advisor.

School of Communication students must complete 6 credits of English Composition unless exempt based on SAT/ACT score or AP/IB exam, 3-6 credits of Mathematics, University Cognates (http://www.miami.edu/cognates/) and the Advanced Writing and Communication Skills Proficiency requirement.

**Upper Level Elective Requirement**

36 credits at the 300 level or higher are required for graduation. These credits may be earned from your major, minor and/or second major, and electives.

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- CCA 404, Aspects of Contemporary Cinema
- CCA 405, Representations of Sport in Popular Culture
- CCA 407, National Cinemas
- CCA 408, Women, Media, and Popular Culture
- CIM 418, Internet and Media Activism

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- **CCA 408** Women, Media, and Popular Culture
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**Select one of the following:**

- CCA 401 | Nonfiction Film and Digital Media | 3 |
- CCA 403 | Film Directors | 3 |
Mission

The B.S.C. in Motion Pictures focuses on media creation with an emphasis on combining advanced technical proficiency with innovative narrative skills. Students gain practical and theoretical mastery of their particular professional concentration in screenwriting, production, post-production, and producing. Additionally, all students engage in critical studies of film history and theory in order to develop the analytical skills that support creative experimentation.
Goals
The Program's objective is to nurture individual creative voices and encourage independent thinking, as well as to support the unique collaborative process of media creation. Graduates are prepared to pursue careers as professional moving image artists, enter the teaching profession, provide service to the community and beyond, and enter cinematic arts related professional fields.

Student Learning Outcomes
- Students will demonstrate proficiency in screenwriting, including mastery of script formatting, narrative storytelling skills, character development, and dramatic film structure.
- Students will demonstrate knowledge of major individual works, genres, national cinemas and movements, and their significance within the history and theory of the moving image.
- Students will demonstrate proficiency in the use of motion picture production techniques (directing, cinematography, editing and sound) and professional work ethic necessary for entry into professional practice.

Minor in Motion Pictures
Overview
The Department of Cinematic Arts offers a minor in Motion Pictures. (CMPT)

The Department of Cinematic Arts prepares the next generation of storytellers, innovators, filmmakers, researchers, and entrepreneurs for the abundance of opportunities in world of film, digital media, television and emerging technologies.

The curriculum offered by the Department of Cinematic Arts is designed to enable you to customize your education, within a learning environment that is collaborative and conducive to the pursuit, development, and exchange of ideas and information. It provides students with the training necessary to succeed in a range of careers defined by a rapidly changing media landscape, and equips them to best leverage innovations in the field.

As a minor in the CCA department, many opportunities await you, including access to the following facilities and equipment: digital cameras; grip and electrical equipment; a soundstage; digital post-production image and sound facilities; a digital animation studio; a VR Lab and Design Lab (NERDLab).

Curriculum Requirements

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* A grade of C or higher is required in all courses (a C- is not acceptable).
* Students with minors in Motion Pictures may not double count any CCA courses towards these minors.

Motion Pictures Minor for Journalism Visual and Documentary Track Only
This suggested track will be notated on the transcript as the Motion Pictures minor. Journalism majors must complete CCA 103 and a minimum of 12 credits from the following list:

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1 Journalism majors will need a permission code to enroll in courses. CCA faculty advisor will determine if the student has equivalent JMM course prerequisites before waiving or substituting requirements.
Communication Studies

http://com.miami.edu/programs

The Department of Communication Studies offers a major in Communication Studies and minors in Communication Studies (COS) and Health Communication (CHCO).

Introduction

The major in Communication Studies empowers students to acquire advanced skills in many areas involving human interaction, cross-cultural and international communication, advocacy, argumentation, relationship building, leadership, presentation (oral and written), critical thinking, research and writing. Students become familiar with the rich tradition of communication theory and research, investigate emerging knowledge about communication, and contribute to the growth of new understanding by developing and applying their research capabilities. Students also are challenged to employ their communication understanding and skills in meaningful ways through experiential learning, and professional and community involvement. Communication Studies blends a broad-based theoretical understanding of communication principles with specific and concrete applications to particular contexts.

Students are prepared for a variety of career options in health communication, business and the professions, politics and public advocacy, education, training and media, as well as further graduate and professional study in communication, law and other areas.

Major Cognate Area

- Communication Studies
  - People and Society

Minor Cognate Area

- Communication Studies
  - People and Society
- Health Communication
  - People and Society

Degree Programs

The Bachelor of Science in Communication is offered in Communication Studies.

Major in Communication Studies

A major is offered in Communication Studies.

Each candidate for the degree of Bachelor of Science in Communication will complete School of Communication requirements including courses in the School's General Education Required Areas of Study. Communication Studies majors must also complete a separate minor or a second major in either a second Program of Study within the School or in an academic program outside the School.

Admission to the Communication Studies major

Before admission as a Communication Studies (COS) major, a student must:

- Complete the four Core courses listed below, in residence at the University, all with grades of C or higher (C- is not acceptable).
- Students who have obtained the written approval of the Chair of Communication Studies to use transfer credit hours to satisfy one or more requirements of that major may be required to complete additional courses in residence at the University before being admitted to that major.
- Upon completion of a student's first 45 University credit hours while enrolled in the School of Communication, all University credit hours earned toward the major will be used in computing a student's major cumulative grade point average; only those students with a cumulative average of 2.5 or higher will be admitted to the major.
- A student who has completed 45 credit hours while enrolled in the School of Communication, but who has not been admitted to one of the Communication majors, may be dismissed from the School. A student who has completed 60 University credit hours while enrolled in the School, but who has not been admitted to one of the Communication majors, will be dismissed from the School.

COS 112. Interpersonal Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of current theories of interpersonal communication. Consideration is given to impression formation, relationship between self-concept and others, function of language in social interaction, and development and maintenance of relationships.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
COS 120. Exploring Human Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
Course content focuses on behavioral science research highlighting verbal and nonverbal skills, knowledge, and abilities necessary for effective communication in a broad range of contexts, including romantic relationships, business interactions, political campaigns, health promotion, and persuading and influencing people in general.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

COS 210. Writing for Communication Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of writing, reviewing literature, and synthesizing research for communication studies and the social sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

COS 211. Public Speaking. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to effective audience communication including theory and extensive practice in oral presentations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

COS 212. Interview Skills. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of interview skills, listening techniques, voice and diction.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 220. Communication Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey of basic communication theories and models. Study of processes, functions, levels, and general principles of human communication.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

COS 304. Intercollegiate Debate Theory and Practice. 1 Credit Hour.
A course designed to teach students how to compete successfully in intercollegiate debate, and to reinforce training through practice and competition.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

COS 311. Advanced Oral Advocacy. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced presentational speaking to persuade including theory and extensive practice.
Prerequisite: COS 211.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 314. The Power of Dialogue. 3 Credit Hours.
Students learn how to engage in and lead constructive dialogue about sensitive, emotional, and controversial issues in the public and private spheres.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

COS 316. Small Group Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
Techniques of discussion applied to goal-oriented, small group situations. Consideration is given to research methods, leadership, and conflict resolution. Theory is applied to active classroom participation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

COS 318. Nonverbal Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory and application of selected areas of research in nonverbal communication is addressed. Discussion of environment, space, body movement, posture, eye contact, facial expression, vocal cues, and physical appearance is included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
COS 324. Health Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide a broad introduction to human communication in a health-care context. Emphasis will be on issues of social support, patient-health professional/caregiver interaction, organizational culture, planning health promotion campaigns, and cultural conceptions of health and illness.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

COS 325. Communication in Health Organization. 3 Credit Hours.
This course looks at the dyadic, small group, and institutional communication patterns that can affect health outcomes within and between health organizations including hospitals and other allied health services.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 328. Sports As Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
This is a course which introduces students to the study of spectator and participation sports as communication and to communication within sports.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

COS 330. Conflict Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an understanding of conflict dynamics and strategies for constructive conflict management.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

COS 333. Business Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
Study and practice in the major forms of spoken and written communication in the context of businesses and other professional organizational settings.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

COS 336. Political Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
A review of the history, strategies, theories and trends in political campaign communication in the United States.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

COS 343. Introduction to Intercultural Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to communication among people from diverse cultures. Application of communication theory to intercultural sensitivity and cultural diversity is emphasized.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

COS 351. Qualitative Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
Course is designed to introduce students to a sample of qualitative research methods used in communication.
Prerequisites: COM 110, COS 210.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

COS 352. Critical Research in Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
This is a course in rhetorical criticism. Students will gain an understanding of rhetorical theory as it is applied to the analysis and evaluation of significant public communication events.
Prerequisites: COM 110, COS 210.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
COS 353. Quantitative Communication Research Methods and Analyses. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to communication research methods. Application of quantitative measurement techniques and statistical analyses will be discussed as well as the use of microcomputer statistical programs.
Prerequisites: COM 110, COS 210.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

COS 354. Organizing for Action. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will learn a range of communication strategies and tactics to advocate for and effect social change.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

COS 355. Applied Communication Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
Students learn to read and interpret quantitative and qualitative research methods. Students develop skills in basic qualitative methods (focus groups, observation) and quantitative methods (surveys, polls, comparisons, basic statistical analysis) for use in daily and professional life.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

COS 360. Speech Writing. 3 Credit Hours.
This is a course on written speeches, speechwriting, and delivering speeches from manuscripts. Students will write, review and edit their own work, and will work in teams engaging peer review and corporate authorship to produce manuscripts for a variety of types and purposes of speeches employing a broad range of strategies for proof, language, and engagement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

COS 377. Argumentation and Critical Thinking. 3 Credit Hours.
Argumentation theory and practice are discussed. Rhetorical and philosophical foundations of argumentation and their application in various settings including academic debate are also covered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

COS 391. Undergraduate Special Topics in Communication Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Course subject matter varies according to announced special topic. See class schedule for details.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 405. Practicum in Communication Studies. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Structured participation in programmatic research and applied practice in the community.
Requisite: Junior Status.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

COS 418. Organizational Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to organizational communication theory. Consideration of structure, function, and effects of communication in organizations are analyzed. Emphasis is placed on principles needed for decision making and effective management of organizational communication processes.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

COS 426. Patient-Provider Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
This class focuses on the interpersonal environment of patient-provider interaction. The primary purpose of this course is to describe best practices for coming to shared meaning and decision-making between medical professionals and patients in healthcare settings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
COS 427. Health Behavior and Risk. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to different theories and models of health communication that are frequently used to develop persuasive health messages. It draws on health communication messaging theory, as well as literature in public health, psychology, and medicine.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 472. Persuasion. 3 Credit Hours.
A review of theory, research, and practice of the intentional use of symbols to influence attitudes, beliefs, and actions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

COS 473. Words that Shaped the World. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of great speakers and speeches in important international settings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

COS 474. Presidential Debates. 3 Credit Hours.
History, impacts, content and strategies of televised presidential campaign debates.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 477. Engaged Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
Capstone course designed for communication studies majors. Provides students opportunities to apply knowledge of communication theory and associated research skills through their personal engagement in community or organizational service and action research.
Prerequisites: COM 110, COS 210, COS 351, COS 354. Requisite: Senior Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

COS 479. Capstone for Communication Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Capstone course designed for communication studies majors. Provides students with the opportunity to apply knowledge of communication theory and research skills through development of capstone project.
Prerequisites: COM 110 and COS 210 and COS 351 and COS 353. Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

COS 498. Communication Studies Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Prescribed study and supervised work with practitioners in organizations.
Requisite: Junior Status.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

COS 499. Projects and Directed Research. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual study. No more than three credits may be counted toward a Communication major or minor.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

COS 545. Intercultural Communication: International Perspectives. 3 Credit Hours.
Effects of cultural attitudes, beliefs, and attributions on meaning assignment. Effects of language on the structure of thought. Ethics and process of the diffusion of cultural innovations are analyzed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 546. Intercultural Communication: Domestic Perspectives. 3 Credit Hours.
Effects of cultural attitudes, beliefs, and attributions on meaning assignment. Diffusion of cultural innovations, prejudice, discrimination, and equality are discussed. Emphasis is placed on intercultural interactions within the United States.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
COS 560. The Executive Communicator. 3 Credit Hours.
Audience analysis, speech writing, delivery in professional presentations, theory, and history of great speeches are covered. Detailed critiques of student speaking styles and performances are also included.
Prerequisite: COS 211. Requisite: Junior Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

COS 591. Advanced Special Topics in Communication Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
This course subject matter varies according to announced special topic. See class schedule for details.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 599. Advanced Projects and Directed Research. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Individual study. Course may be repeated to a maximum of six credits.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

B.S.C. Communication Studies

Overview
The major in Communication Studies empowers students to acquire advanced skills in many areas involving human interaction, cross-cultural and international communication, advocacy, argumentation, relationship building, leadership, presentation (oral and written), critical thinking, research and writing. Students become familiar with the rich tradition of communication theory and research, investigate emerging knowledge about communication, and contribute to the growth of new understanding by developing and applying their research capabilities. Students also are challenged to employ their communication understanding and skills in meaningful ways through experimental learning, and professional and community involvement. Communication Studies blends a broad-based theoretical understanding of communication principles with specific and concrete applications to particular contexts.

Students are prepared for a variety of career options in health communication, business and the professions, politics and public advocacy, education, training and media, as well as further graduate and professional study in communication, law and other areas.

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Select one of the following presentational skills courses:
- COS 211  Public Speaking
- COS 333  Business Communication

Select one of the following digital skills courses:
- CIM 103  Web Lab
- CCA 151  Introduction to Digital Filmmaking
- JMM 106  Visual Design
- STC 102  Graphic Design for Strategic Communication

Majors in Communication Studies - General Track must select one of the following options: Applied or Research & Theory  21

Applied Communication Option
- COS 210  or COS 360  Writing for Communication Studies
- COS 355  Speech Writing
- Applied Communication Research Methods
15 credits in COS electives chosen with department advisor

Research and Theory Option
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**Intercultural Track Courses**

- COS 318 Nonverbal Communication
- COS 343 Introduction to Intercultural Communication
- COS 545 Intercultural Communication: International Perspectives
  or COS 546 Intercultural Communication: Domestic Perspectives

**Majors in Communication Studies - Intercultural Track must select one of the following options: Applied or Research & Theory**

**Applied Communication Option**

- COS 210 Writing for Communication Studies
  or COS 360 Speech Writing
- COS 355 Applied Communication Research Methods

6 credits in additional COS electives chosen with a departmental advisor

**Research and Theory Option**

- COS 210 Writing for Communication Studies
- COS 351 Qualitative Research Methods
- COS 353 Quantitative Communication Research Methods and Analyses

3 credits in additional COS electives chosen with a departmental advisor

**Additional Requirements**

- ENG 105 & ENG 106
- MTH 113 or JMM 285 or STC 103
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- STEM Cognate
- Minor, Second Major and Electives

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* School of Communication students must complete 6 credits of English Composition unless exempt based on SAT/ACT score or AP/IB exam, 3-6 credits of Mathematics, [http://www.miami.edu/cognates/](http://www.miami.edu/cognates/) and the Advanced Writing and Communication Skills Proficiency requirement.

**Upper Level Elective Requirement**

36 credits at the 300 level or higher are required for graduation. These credits may be earned from your major, minor and/or second major, and electives.

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**Credit Hours** 15

**Total Credit Hours** 120

**Mission**

Students in the Communication Studies (COS) Department explore the role of communication in personal and professional relationships. This program is rooted in research and theory promoting student development in advanced knowledge of human communication in specific contexts.

**Goals**

Program objectives provide students with an extensive understanding of communication principles, opportunity to develop oral and written communication skills, and application of critical analysis and research skills.
Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will demonstrate an understanding of advanced communication concepts and critical analysis of research.
- Students will demonstrate advanced writing skills.
- Students will demonstrate advanced presentational skills.
- Students will demonstrate application of communication and professional skills.

Minor in Communication Studies

Overview

The minor in Communication Studies empowers students to acquire advanced skills in many areas involving human interaction, cross-cultural and international communication, advocacy, argumentation, relationship building, leadership, presentation (oral and written), critical thinking, research and writing. Students become familiar with the rich tradition of communication theory and research, investigate emerging knowledge about communication, and contribute to the growth of new understanding by developing and applying their research capabilities. Students also are challenged to employ their communication understanding and skills in meaningful ways through experiential learning, and professional and community involvement. Communication Studies blends a broad-based theoretical understanding of communication principles with specific and concrete applications to particular contexts.

Students are prepared for a variety of career options in health communication, business and the professions, politics and public advocacy, education, training and media, as well as further graduate and professional study in communication, law and other areas.

Curriculum Requirements

The minor in Communication Studies requires 15 credit hours, at least six of which must be at the 300-level or above. The additional credit hours must be chosen with prior approval of a Communication Studies advisor. A grade of C or higher is required in all courses (a C- is not acceptable).

Students, in conjunction with an advisor, can construct a Communication Studies minor focusing on areas of specific interest. These sample areas of concentration listed below are notated on the transcript as a Communication Studies minor. Possible areas of concentration include the following:

Sample Concentration in General Communication Studies

Offers a rich background in the field of human communication in a variety of contexts applicable to all personal, social and professional endeavors. Complements any major or academic/career objective.

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Sample Concentration in Organizational Communication

Offers practical application of theoretical concepts in organizational environments to develop skills in effective leadership, management, teamwork, conflict resolution, and professional presentations. Appropriate for students interested in working for a wide-range of businesses including profit and non-profit corporations, and government agencies.

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Sample Concentration in Public Advocacy

Offers theory and application of oral communication and argumentation as it is used to influence others to promote social change and accomplish persuasive advocacy. Appropriate for students interested in a wide range of objectives, including legal studies and pre-law, sales, advertising, marketing, entrepreneurship, and civic and political engagement.

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The School of Communication (SoC) in collaboration with the School of Nursing and Health Studies (SONHS) offers a minor in health communication, which is available to all students. Students must have a minimum of a 2.0 UM GPA to declare the minor and they must earn a C or higher in each course for the minor for it to count; a grade of C- or lower is not acceptable for the health communication minor. Students should meet with an academic advisor in the Office of Student Services (OSS) (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/office_of_student_services/) to discuss any questions related to their degree requirements.

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Interactive Media
http://com.miami.edu/programs

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Goals of the Program are:

• To provide students with the technical and practical skills needed to make them career-ready through hands-on learning, problem-solving based inquiry, and advanced study.

• To nurture the individual talent, creativity, and discovery process of every student by fostering principles of collaboration, professionalism, and intellectual curiosity.

• To support the educational process through mentoring and advising by renowned faculty and seasoned professionals.

• To encourage students to integrate theory and practice, to cultivate the capacity to think critically, and to connect technology and art and/or design.

• To familiarize students with theoretical, historical, and cultural approaches and expose them to a range of traditions within the field of study.

• To provide access to state-of-the-art facilities, technologically advanced tools, and the latest technology platforms.

• To continue to build on our reputation as a place of innovation and interdisciplinarity

• We educate students according to the highest professional and ethical standards.

Major Cognate Area

• Interactive Media -- STEM

Minor Cognate Areas

• Game Design -- Arts and Humanities
• Interactive Media -- STEM

Please note: Students completing majors and minors within the same department may only satisfy one required cognate area of study.

Dept. Code: CIM

Requirements for the Majors in Interactive Media

Each candidate for the degree of Bachelor of Science in Communication (B.S.C.) will complete the School of Communication’s requirements including courses in the School’s General Education Required Areas of Study.

Before admission as an Interactive Media major (CIMI), a student must:

• Complete the Core courses in residence at the University, all with grades of C or higher (C- is not acceptable).

• Students who have obtained the written approval of the Chair of Interactive Media to use transfer credit hours to satisfy one or more requirements of that major may be required to complete additional courses in residence at the University before being admitted to that major.

• Upon completion of a student’s first 45 University credit hours while enrolled in the School of Communication, all University credit hours earned toward the major will be used in computing a student’s major cumulative grade point average; only those students with a cumulative average of 2.5 or higher will be admitted to the major.

• A student who has completed 45 credit hours while enrolled in the School of Communication, but who has not been admitted to one of the Communication majors, may be dismissed from the School. A student who has completed 60 University credit hours while enrolled in the School, but who has not been admitted to one of the Communication majors, will be dismissed from the School.

Opportunities
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CIM 101. Internet, Media, and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
Internet, Media, and Society is a foundational course intended to give perspectives on the continuing progression of technology through the lens of media and popular culture. Students will learn about the historical roots of the internet and early tech pioneers, including the various technologies, trends, and subcultures that bubbles up along the way, creating our current media and technological landscapes. From this perspective, students will gain an appreciation and greater understanding of how things came to be, especially the Internet's role in shaping society and their everyday lives.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CIM 102. Interaction Design I. 3 Credit Hours.
In this class, students will familiarize themselves with the disciplines of user experience (UX) and interaction design (IxD), including design principles, postures, and patterns and visual design concepts specific to designing interactive digital products. Students will learn how to use a digital prototyping tool in order to first design low fidelity, structural wireframes and then turn them into high fidelity interactive prototypes.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CIM 103. Web Lab. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is a practical introduction to web design. Students will learn how to produce websites using the latest web practices and techniques. Throughout each unit of the course, students will learn the skills to plan, layout, and build websites using HTML, CSS, and Javascript. Students will also learn how to optimize and market their websites.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CIM 104. Introduction to Game Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an introduction to the study of games as cultural, historical, and socially relevant artifacts. Students will gain an understanding of how games are used to accomplish specific communications goals and will also learn how society can often shape and be shaped by games. The course provides students with the foundation needed to be effective at critiquing, designing, and evaluating games.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CIM 202. Interaction Design II. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will give a deeper knowledge of interaction design and its practical application (building on Interaction Design I). Students will learn to formulate design problems and limit the scope of the design, carry out field studies and contextual analyses, lead design workshops, to carry out evaluation work, and understand technical limitations and produce deliverables adapted to those limitations.
Prerequisite: CIM 102.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CIM 203. Intro to Creative Coding. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce students to the building blocks of creative coding within the visual and media environment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
CIM 204. Introduction to Game Design. 3 Credit Hours.
This is an introductory course about game design, theory, and development, and how games align themselves as a lens of study for all interactive media.
Prerequisite: CIM 104.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CIM 383. Physical Computing. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores how to build a bridge between the physical and digital world. Students will learn to develop software and hardware to sense and respond to physical interaction. Through various projects, students will learn how to program sensors and other electronic components to convert the human senses into creative inputs and outputs, such as lights, sounds, and movement. Students will learn the ideation and design process through challenges presented in their assignments and personal projects. In this course students will also learn how to design for and use various digital fabrication tools, such as 3D printing, laser and paper cutting, and CNC milling. Students will have access to work hands on with these fabrication tools to enhance and build their prototypes.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CIM 389. Special Topics in Interactive Media. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to keep up with the fast-changing world of interactive media allowing for contemporary classes to be periodically added to the curriculum. Special topics classes will be added to the Interactive Media curriculum as electives.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CIM 412. Human Computer Interaction. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will teach students about the importance human computer interaction (HCI) in the design, implementation, and evaluation of interactive computing systems for human use. The course will provide both practical application and theoretical knowledge of HCI, with practical concerns balanced by discussion of relevant theory from the literature of computer science, human factors, and interaction design.
Prerequisite: CIM 102 and CIM 202 and CIM 443. And Requisite: Junior or Above.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CIM 413. Mobile Application Development. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide students the ability to conceptualize, design, and develop a mobile application of their choosing. It covers various approaches to the development of mobile software applications using current development environments, frameworks, and programming paradigms. This course focuses on hands-on learning through which students practice with programming assignments and demonstrate the apps through virtual simulators and physical mobile devices.
Prerequisite: CIM 203 Or ECE 118 Or CSC 120.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CIM 418. Internet and Media Activism. 3 Credit Hours.
In this course, students will examine the role of media in shaping social reform to document social issues such as poverty, human rights, social inequities, the environment, and powerless groups. We will review the philosophy and history of media as activism ranging from photography, documentary, cinema, the Internet, social media and newer forms of media. Emphasis is placed on developing a critical understanding of current media advocacy practices with a conscious goal; awareness, change minds, to affect policy, and action. At the end of the semester, students will have a fully developed project concept.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CIM 422. Human Centered Design. 3 Credit Hours.
This course takes a comprehensive look at human limitations and abilities and how they are key to interaction design and a great user experience. Students will learn about human behavior and how to apply UX guidelines to the design of digital interfaces. Students will also learn how to produce design deliverables for real world practice.
Prerequisite: CIM 102 and CIM 202 and CIM 443. And Requisite: Junior or Above.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
CIM 423. Building Virtual Worlds. 3 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this course is to explore the construction of virtual environments. Students will learn the principles of constructing interactive 3D environments using a game engine. Students will be responsible for creating a world that can be interacted with on various platforms, including virtual and mixed reality.
Prerequisite: CIM 203 Or ECE 118 Or CSC 120.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CIM 433. Augmented Reality. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide students the ability to design and develop augmented reality apps. It covers various approaches to designing and programming augmented reality apps using the latest technologies and devices. Students will be given hands-on programming assignments and learn about the key advantages in each of the approaches via in-class discussions.
Prerequisite: CIM 203 Or ECE 118 Or CSC 120.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CIM 443. Front End Fundamentals. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the job-ready skills and production workflow techniques in highest demand for front end web developers. Students will learn, practice and demonstrate the skills and principles needed to make effective use of these technologies.
Prerequisite: CIM 103 Or JMM 341.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CIM 444. Designing Games for Impact. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will explore the use of games as a communication tool for social good and will create their own game-based interventions.
Prerequisite: CIM 204.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CIM 453. Dynamic Data. 3 Credit Hours.
This course teaches data analysis through the development of interactive web applications. The course focuses on communicating through computer programming. Students will learn to build and use databases as a primary source and explore data as content. For this course students will be required to build custom software solutions through web programming languages that utilize third party APIs to interpret, analyze and manipulate data.
Prerequisite: CIM 103 or CIM 203 Or JMM 341.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CIM 458. 360° Immersive Filmmaking and Storytelling. 3 Credit Hours.
A hands-on course dedicated to design and produce VR/360° immersive video. Through a wide selection of materials, including videos, 360° films, articles, and presentations, students will develop a strong foundation on storytelling techniques, technologies (cameras, microphones, VR headsets, software), and best practices used across immersive media.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CIM 464. Video Game Spectatorship and Esports. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the historical and contemporary practices of game spectatorship, journalism, and Esports. It teaches the industry and best practices used in sharing video games through traditional media, streaming services, and Esports.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CIM 469. Internship in Interactive Media. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The internship is designed to provide valuable career-related work experience in a real-world setting, e.g., institutions, organizations and/or businesses. Students will identify an opportunity, supervisor, and write a proposal as to the relevancy to their goals. The Internship may be paid or unpaid.
Requisite: Sophomore Status, Cumulative GPA 2.5.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
CIM 474. 2D Character Design. 3 Credit Hours.
This is a comprehensive course devoted to the development of skills in creating characters for 2D animation and games. Students will develop an understanding of how shape language relates to the characters personality through the creation of weekly exercises. The course will be delivered in the form of studio projects, individual and class critiques, lectures, discussions, workshops and readings.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CIM 489. Special Topics in Interactive Media. 3 Credit Hours.
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Requisite: Junior Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CIM 499. Projects and Directed Research. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual study. No more than three credits may be counted toward a Communication major or minor.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CIM 501. Prototyping Techniques. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers accepted prototyping techniques introducing students to a wide variety of approaches for different kinds of user experience design problems and platforms. Students will learn to develop preliminary iterations of a solution to a design problem in order to communicate the essence of their idea without committing to a costly implementation.
Prerequisite: CIM 103.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CIM 502. Designing Innovation. 3 Credit Hours.
In this course you will be introduced to and will apply human centered design techniques and systems thinking to achieve goal-directed design of interactive systems. Students will work in small teams to iteratively generate and refine design concepts and to thoroughly document their design process.
Prerequisite: CIM 102 and CIM 202 And Requisite: Junior or Higher.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CIM 504. Designing Playful Experiences. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will analyze and design games to gain vocabulary and tools to design playful interactive systems. Students will be exposed to a range of popular game prototyping technologies and will create several mini-projects as well as one final game project created using the platform of their choice.
Prerequisite: CIM 104 and CIM 204.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CIM 505. Technology Trends. 3 Credit Hours.
Trends is a foundation course intended to promote a dialogue about the current state of business, art, health, culture, and innovation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CIM 511. Interactive Media Studio. 3 Credit Hours.
The Interactive Media Studio is designed to allow a student to enhance his or her accumulated knowledge and skills in interactive Media. This course prepares students to gain employment in the field by creating and producing a professional design portfolio and resume. Students will also gain knowledge about how to set up, prepare for, and conduct themselves during professional interviews.
Prerequisite: CIM 101 and CIM 103 and CIM 202 and CIM 203 and CIM 383 And Requisite: Senior Standing And Interactive Media Majors.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
CIM 515. Interactive Media Business Essentials. 3 Credit Hours.
This course takes a comprehensive look at managing interactive media projects from inception to implementation and maintenance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
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CIM 563. Design with AI. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide students with the ability to understand the purpose, strengths and limitations of artificial intelligence (AI) technologies in order to design smart applications for everyday use. It covers topics including state-of-the-art AI technologies and the design principles for developing applications with such technologies. Issues such as ethics, bias, accountability, and privacy in these applications will also be discussed.
Prerequisite: CIM 203.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CIM 579. Practicum in Interactive Media. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students will engage in the applied practice of Interactive Media to enhance classroom learning and provide opportunities to gain practical experience.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CIM 582. UX Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides a comprehensive overview of User Experience research methods and how they are incorporated into the product development lifecycle. Students will learn about user-centered design and will conduct a wide range of research methods including ethnography, questionnaires, online studies, and usability testing. There will be considerable focus on practicing research skills and reporting findings from these activities.
Prerequisite: CIM 102 and CIM 202 and CIM 443. And Requisite: Junior or Above.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CIM 594. Game Development Studio. 3 Credit Hours.
Game Dev Studio is a project-based course devoted to developing a game. In groups, students will start with a concept and create prototypes that will be refined through multiple iterations and playtests. Your final game will either be a well-polished 2D or 3D digital game.
Prerequisite: CIM 202 and CIM 204 or CIM 423 or CIM 504 or CIM 444.
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Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

B.S.C. in Interactive Media

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* School of Communication students are required to complete a minimum of a minor (inside or outside of the school) in addition to their Communication major to graduate. For an optional 2nd major, please see your advisor.

* School of Communication students must complete 6 credits of English Composition unless exempt based on SAT/ACT score or AP/IB exam, 3-6 credits of Mathematics, University Cognates (http://www.miami.edu/cognates/) and the Advanced Writing and Communication Skills Proficiency requirement.

### Upper Level Elective Requirement

36 credits at the 300 level or higher are required for graduation. These credits may be earned from your major, minor and/or second major, and electives.

### Suggested Plan of Study

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Mission
The Interactive Media major addresses the growing need for communicators who fluidly combine design, technology, visual arts and research to help stimulate comprehension and integration of technology into every aspect of daily life. This program will produce graduates who, in addition to being innovative and interdisciplinary, are responsive to cross-sector dynamics and therefore are industry ready.

Goals
The major in Interactive Media will provide students with expertise in designing and analyzing products and systems, incorporating rich interaction through the use of computational power.

Student Learning Outcomes
This program is designed to enhance our students’ abilities to:

• Conceptualize communication models based on possibilities offered by emerging technologies.
• Evaluate user experiences by conducting usability testing.
• Understand business models and the metrics driving online business models.
• Research, analyze, prototype and design concepts from concept to launch.
• Realize business goals with elegant and intuitive interactive designs.
• Conceive, research, synthesize, and implement creative solutions to complex problems posed by emerging technologies.
• Master dynamic communication techniques that give control to the user rather than the computer.
Embrace, integrate and adapt quickly to a variety of disciplines in technology, art, design, science, education, healthcare and business.

Learn to work in teams and manage projects.

**Minor in Game Design**

**Overview**

The Department of Interactive Media offers a minor in Game Design (GAME).

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As a minor in the CIM department, many opportunities await you, including access to the following facilities and equipment: the Emerging Media Lab used for fabrication, board games, physical computing, and digital screen-based games; the XR Studio is used for virtual reality, volumetric captures studio and augmented reality experimentation, the User Experience (UX) Lab supports interdisciplinary research on understanding how people use information systems. The New Experience Research & Design Lab (NERDLab) is a student-faculty cooperative driven by research, development, and an enthusiasm for social impact.

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Total Credit Hours 15

* A minimum grade of C or higher is required for all courses taken toward the minor.
* Students cannot double count any CIM courses from the Game Design minor towards the Motion Pictures major and/or minor or the Interactive Media minor.
* Students may only take one digital design course (JMM 106 or STC 102) towards the minor.
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Minor in Interactive Media

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| JMM 331 | Introduction to Infographics and Data Visualization | |}

Total Credit Hours 18

1 Students cannot double count any CIM courses from the Interactive Media minor towards the Interactive Media major and/or minor or the Game Design minor.

2 Students, in conjunction with an advisor, can construct an Interactive Media minor focusing on one of these suggested areas: Development, Design and UX Research. These suggested areas listed below are notated on the transcript as an Interactive Media minor.

* All courses for the minor must be passed with a minimum grade of C or higher.
Journalism and Media Management

http://com.miami.edu/programs

The Department of Journalism and Media Management offers majors in Broadcast Journalism, Electronic Media, Journalism and Media Management and minors in Broadcast Journalism, Electronic Media, Hispanic Media, Journalism and Media Management.

Dept. Code: JMM

Introduction

The Department of Journalism and Media Management emphasizes hands-on learning and critical thinking within a multicultural, international context. Our students consistently win regional and national awards, and obtain prestigious internships and long-term positions in a competitive media marketplace. Additionally, they are meeting the challenges of the evolving media industry through entrepreneurial leadership. Our graduates also gain admission to excellent graduate programs and professional schools in a variety of fields.

Four majors and five minors are offered in the Department of Journalism and Media Management. The department’s programs attract students interested in working in these specific fields, but also provide strong writing, creative, and analytical skills to students who pursue careers in other fields, such as law and business.

The School of Communication’s Electronic Media and Broadcast Journalism majors are designed for students who intend to pursue professional work in electronic news, production operations and allied fields.

Students majoring or minoring in these subjects study all aspects of television, radio, cable, broadband, digital and mobile operations. All Broadcast Journalism and Electronic Media students are encouraged to become involved in UMTV (the campus cable television channel available to the community, the UM campus and over the web) and the student-run radio station, WVUM-FM, serving South Florida.

The School’s Media Management major is designed for students interested in the business and management aspects of contemporary media. Students may pursue interests in entrepreneurship, sales, management, technology and research, among other topics. Students are encouraged to network with industry professionals at Media Management Association meetings and expand their knowledge of media business operations on various platforms through local and national internships.

The School’s major in Journalism prepares students to be writers, editors and designers for a variety of media from mainstream and alternative newspapers and magazines to online media and entrepreneurial ventures. We emphasize effective storytelling through writing, audio and video recording, photography, graphics and data visualization. Reporting skills, analytical thinking and journalistic ethics are stressed throughout the program. Students are encouraged to work for The Miami Hurricane, the student-run newspaper, Distraction magazine and the Ibis yearbook, all of which are nationally award-winning publications. The robust South Florida media market also provides off-campus opportunities at various professional publications and websites.

Students majoring in Journalism may concentrate their studies in one of several tracks or areas or they may customize their course of study. The suggested tracks include: Reporting and Writing (which is the general journalism or custom track); Media and Journalism Studies (a more conceptual and less applied track for students interested in media analysis); Visual and Documentary Journalism (which allows for the study of photography, web design and videography or documentaries); and Sports, Travel and Lifestyle Features (which focuses on these as related areas of content). These tracks allow students the flexibility to design programmatic concentrations in everything from writing to web design to documentary and visual storytelling.

The School’s facilities include a state-of-the-art radio studio, two high-definition television studios, digital post-production suites and related capabilities.

Major Cognate Area

- Broadcast Journalism
  - People and Society
- Electronic Media
  - People and Society
- Journalism
  - People and Society
- Media Management
  - People and Society

Minor Cognate Area

- Broadcast Journalism
  - People and Society
- Electronic Media
  - People and Society
- Hispanic Media
Degree Programs

The Bachelor of Science in Communication is offered in Journalism, Electronic Media, Broadcast Journalism, and Media Management.

Major

Majors are offered in:

- Electronic Media
- Broadcast Journalism
- Media Management
- Journalism

Each candidate for the degree of Bachelor of Science in Communication will complete School of Communication requirements including courses in the School’s General Education Required Areas of Study. All majors must also complete a separate minor or second major within the School or in an academic program outside the School.

NOTE: Departmental Majors, if you wish to double major in the Department of Journalism and Media Management, you must first obtain the written approval of the JMM Department Chair.

Admission to the Electronic Media, Broadcast Journalism, Media Management and Journalism Majors

Before admission as an Electronic Media, Broadcast Journalism, Media Management or Journalism major, a student must:

- Complete the Core courses listed below, in residence at the University, all with grades of C or higher (C- is not acceptable).
- Students who have obtained the written approval of the Chair of Journalism and Media Management to use transfer credit hours to satisfy one or more requirements of that major may be required to complete additional courses in residence at the University before being admitted to that major.
- Upon completion of a student’s first 45 University credit hours while enrolled in the School of Communication, all University credit hours earned toward the major will be used in computing a student’s major cumulative grade point average; only those students with a cumulative average of 2.5 or higher will be admitted to a major.
- A student who has completed 45 credit hours while enrolled in the School of Communication, but who has not been admitted to one of the Communication majors, may be dismissed from the School. A student who has completed 60 University credit hours while enrolled in the School, but who has not been admitted to one of the Communication majors, will be dismissed from the School.

JMM 102. Understanding Media and Content in the Digital Age. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines how traditional and new media industries are economically structured and how various media content influences audiences and culture. Historical, technological, and regulatory issues related to the different media platforms will also be discussed from a comparative perspective.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 106. Visual Design. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an introduction to the principles of design, typography, color theory, usability and interactivity as they apply to the layout and design of content for print and digital media.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 108. Writing for the Digital Age. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides students with an understanding of writing styles appropriate for communicating in the digital age, with particular emphasis on grammar, spelling, syntax and clarity. It provides a solid foundation for further practice and specialization in various types of multimedia communication.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
JMM 206. Special Topics in Journalism and Media Management I. 3 Credit Hours.
This course subject matter varies according to announced special topics. See class schedule for details.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 208. Fundamentals of Newsgathering. 3 Credit Hours.
Skill development in gathering facts and other material for, and in preparation of, news stories in a variety of genres across platforms. Focus on gathering information from multiple sources, analyzing and organizing information for dissemination, and presenting the most pertinent facts clearly and cohesively to multiple media outlets.
Prerequisites: JMM 111 or JMM 108.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 210. Writing About the Arts. 3 Credit Hours.
The aim of JMM 210 is to help you develop skills in writing and reporting about entertainment and the arts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 221. Introduction to Documentary Photography. 3 Credit Hours.
Course is designed to develop skills in visual storytelling. Students will learn to produce images and recognize what makes good photographs in terms of content, composition, and technical quality.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 233. Television Performance. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to communication concepts and skills involved in on-camera duties such as anchoring, interviewing and live reporting.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 235. Radio Production and Performance. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to equipment and procedures of radio. Production of radio programs and formats, editing, announcing, sequencing program elements, and designing program formulas are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

JMM 245. Introduction to Electronic Media Production. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the theory, process, and procedure of electronic media production. Lecture and laboratory are included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 285. Applied Statistics for Journalism and Media Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides students an introduction to descriptive and bivariate inferential statistics to better understand and use media research and analysis. Computer applications are included.
Prerequisite: MTH 101 or ALEKS Score >= 60 or Math SAT >= 630 or Math ACT>= 28.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 300. Journalism Practicum. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Prescribed study and supervised work with faculty and staff of the student newspaper or related news media. Students receive first-hand knowledge and experience in a working news environment.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
JMM 301. Media Research and Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey of qualitative and quantitative research methods used to collect and analyze data on media audiences. Course also covers metrics used by media industries. Practice in conducting small-scale audience measurement is included.
Prerequisite: JMM 102.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 302. Electronic Media Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Course provides analysis of laws and other forces that influence broadcasting, cable, and online media operations. Examines the application of the First Amendment to media operations with a focus on press law.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 303. Communication Law and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of First Amendment law and theories concerning libel, privacy, copyright, advertising, corporate communications, reporter privilege, free-press/fair trial, pornography, access to government information, broadcasting and new communication technologies. Discussion of international perspectives on media regulation
Prerequisite: JMM 102.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

JMM 304. Web and Media Analytics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the computations, interpretations, and applications of metrics used to measure media audiences across electronic, print, and online platforms.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 305. Legal Issues in Media Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of the legal environment affecting contemporary media businesses including broadcasting, advertising, public relations, web-based media, and print publications. Focus on U.S. law, with introduction of international and comparative perspectives.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

JMM 306. Special Topics in Journalism and Media Management II. 3 Credit Hours.
This course subject matter varies according to announced special topics. See class schedule for details.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 307. Mobile Journalism. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to the fundamental procedures in the production and development of mobile storytelling.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 309. Data Journalism. 3 Credit Hours.
This course teaches how to extract meaning from data for more powerful reporting.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 313. Media Sales. 3 Credit Hours.
Operation of sales departments within media outlets. Course includes the preparation and delivery of sales presentations as well as the use of audience reports.
Prerequisite: JMM 102.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
JMM 314. Media Programming. 3 Credit Hours.
Course covers categories and sources for selecting program materials used in radio, television, cable television, and other program services. Strategies employed in devising program schedules and understanding audience behaviors are also covered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 317. Broadcast Journalism. 3 Credit Hours.
Preparation of materials for presentation through the broadcast/cable media with emphasis on news writing for oral presentation by studio anchors and field reporters. Course examines issues facing the profession of broadcast journalism, radio, and TV reporting techniques and news program formats.
Prerequisite: JMM 108 and JMM 208 and JMM 245.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 319. History of Journalism. 3 Credit Hours.
The development and impact of American journalism.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 331. Introduction to Infographics and Data Visualization. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an introduction to the visual display of information with a special focus on the encoding of data by means of graphs, charts, maps, and diagrams.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 333. Social Media and Journalism. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of best practices for use of social media for gathering, disseminating, and promoting information.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

JMM 341. Web Design. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the basic aspects of interaction design and web development, focusing on production processes. It provides an overview of web design concepts including usability, accessibility, information architecture, basic animation, and graphic design; all discussed in the context of the web environment. This course further offers an introduction to fundamental and emerging web trends.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 345. Intermediate Electronic Media Production. 3 Credit Hours.
Planning and execution of complex field, studio, and multimedia production in a variety of lengths and formats. High level skills in television control room situations and non-linear editing will be used to produce audio, video, and online content.
Prerequisite: JMM 245.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 361. Advanced Documentary Photography. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced Documentary Photography is a class designed to improve the visual storytelling news gathering, and photographic technical skills introduced in the introductory course.
Prerequisite: JMM 221.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 381. Newspaper Editing and Layout. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to electronic editing and development of skills in copy editing, headline writing, picture editing, and newspaper layout.
Prerequisite: JMM 208.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
JMM 382. Publication Planning and Editing. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to editing and design, with emphasis on the development of skills in editing copy and photos, writing headlines, news judgment, and designing print publications and websites.
Prerequisites: JMM 216 or JMM 208, JMM 106.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 401. Editorial Interpretation of Contemporary Events. 3 Credit Hours.
Critical examination of fundamental issues in public life. Preparation of editorials and interpretive articles for mass media are included.
Prerequisites: JMM 216 or JMM 208.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 402. Strategic Media Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on strategy analysis, formulation, implementation, and evaluation in managing media enterprises. Media cases are used to apply and discuss strategies.
Pre-requisite: JMM 102.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 403. Media Industry Trends. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the organizational and economic issues that influence today's mass media environment.
Requisite: Junior Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 404. Latinos and the Media. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the history, politics, production and reception of Latino-oriented media. It considers Latino media production processes, as well as Latina/o audiences' immigration, incorporation and media reception patterns. The course takes advantage of Miami as a vibrant immigration media production site through field trips and independent research projects.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

JMM 406. Special Topics in Journalism and Media Management III. 3 Credit Hours.
This course subject matter varies according to announced special topics. See class schedule for details.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 407. Media Entrepreneurship. 3 Credit Hours.
Students generate comprehensive business plans for a proposed media enterprise. Organizational, financial, and marketing aspects of starting a media business are discussed.
Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 408. International Electronic Media Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminar on world broadcasting systems and trans-national communication services. Discussion of contemporary issues involving electronic media systems worldwide.
Requisite: Junior Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
JMM 409. Advanced Feature Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced newspaper, magazine, and electronic design. Students will develop the skills necessary to produce strong visual packages combining type, photography, artwork, and white space. The course will cover advanced design and traditional reproduction techniques for art and copywriting as well as on-line presentations.
Prerequisite: JMM 106. Or STC 202. Or STC 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 414. Evolution and Impact of Television Content: The American Sitcom. 3 Credit Hours.
The seminar will examine how social, economic and political factors impacted the development and evolution of the content of sitcoms, as well as the impact such content had on American society.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 417. Advanced Broadcast Journalism. 3 Credit Hours.
This capstone course concentrates on gathering and preparing news stories for presentation in news programs. Includes field reporting, editing, preparation of visual and aural TV elements, writing, producing and performing for on-air presentation. Lecture and laboratory are included.
Prerequisites: JMM 245, JMM 317.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 419. Interactive Storytelling. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores how storytelling is reinventing itself utilizing the new digital communication tools available. It will cover linear and non-linear storytelling techniques and production processes.
Prerequisites: JMM 106 and JMM 245 and JMM 341. Requisite: Junior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 422. Programming for Interactivity. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is a multimedia class that will teach the fundamental programming skills required to create compelling online multimedia stories. Programming taught in this class caters specifically for non-programmers who want to learn how to present their work online in an interactive manner.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 427. Television Newscast. 3 Credit Hours.
Studio anchoring, newscast producing, and field reporting for news and public affairs programming.
Prerequisite: JMM 417.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 429. Advanced Infographics and Data Visualization. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is a seminar designed to introduce interactive data visualization concepts in a web environment. Students will be introduced to code libraries which assist in this task, best practices for interactivity and data visualization. The course will also briefly cover working with data (i.e., how to find sources, cleaning and preparing data for visualizations, etc.).
Prerequisite: JMM 331 and JMM 422.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 434. Media Distribution for Film and Television. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the various aspects of the distribution process for films and television programs through conventional and emerging channels. Requisite: Junior Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
JMM 435. Media Technology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the deployment, use, and impact of communication technologies in various media contexts from an economic, regulatory, and social perspective.
Requisite: Junior Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 437. The Business of Modern Journalism. 3 Credit Hours.
Provides an examination of the evolving business models for legacy news organizations as well as discussion of entrepreneurial opportunities for news content in new media and digital platforms.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 438. Travel Journalism. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to teach travel journalism, which includes travel storytelling through writing, photography and videography.
Prerequisite: JMM 245.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 439. Infographics and Data Visualization Studio. 3 Credit Hours.
A studio course in which the student will design a large visualization project that meets the standards of quality for professional publication. The student will be required to learn new technologies and to apply tools learned in a previous class.
Prerequisite: JMM 331 and JMM 429 or JMM 550 or JMM 309.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 442. Online Journalism. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the issues, skills and practices related to the online presentation of news and information in a convergent media environment.
Prerequisite: JMM 108.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 443. Covering the Arts. 3 Credit Hours.
The aim of this course is to help you develop skills in writing and reporting about entertainment and the arts, from covering business and government news related to the arts, to telling the stories of people leaving a mark in the art world, to reviewing and critiquing works. You will report stories, write reviews and maintain a blog in the discipline of your choice.
Prerequisites: JMM 216 or JMM 208.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 444. Public Affairs Reporting. 3 Credit Hours.
Emphasis on reporting, writing and analysis about institutions, issues and actions of local government, and their effects on society.
Prerequisites: JMM 216 or JMM 208.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 445. Advanced Electronic Media Production. 3 Credit Hours.
The integration of the producer's role and the structure of program design as they relate to day-to-day production operations. Lecture and laboratory are included.
Prerequisite: JMM 345.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
JMM 446. Travel Writing. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the major types and styles of travel news and features stories for newspapers, magazines, newsletters, and websites.
Prerequisites: JMM 216 or JMM 208.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 447. In-depth Journalism and Media Convergence. 3 Credit Hours.
A capstone experience that requires students to use effectively their full range of journalistic knowledge, newsgathering, and writing skills to prepare news and information for different media platforms.
Prerequisites: JMM 216 or JMM 208.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 448. Sports and the Media. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the relationship between sports and the media, including stakeholders and the financial component of sports and media, sports production and content, and sports media audience. The course provides an understanding of the social and economic relationships between sports and media and the effects those relationships have on sports consumers.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 449. Web and Media Analytics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the computations, interpretations, and applications of metrics used to measure media audiences across electronic, print, and online platforms.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

JMM 451. Seminar in News Ethics and Problems. 3 Credit Hours.
Ethical, practical, and professional problems of news communicators in society.
Requisite: Junior Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

JMM 453. Applied Data Analytics for Journalism and Media Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to the procedures used for extracting, processing, and analyzing datasets on web and social media sites.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 455. Internship in Journalism and Media Management. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Prescribed study and supervised work with professionals in Journalism and Media Management.
Requisite: Sophomore Status, cumulative GPA of 2.5, and Permission of Instructor.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

JMM 459. Projects and Directed Research. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual study. No more than three credits may be counted toward a Communication major or minor.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

JMM 510. Latin American Media Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
This course deals with issues in international news gathering and distribution, giving special attention to Latin America and the Caribbean. The class takes a comparative approach, looking at media systems in the United States and other nations.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
JMM 511. Global Media. 3 Credit Hours.
An analysis of issues and practices surrounding globalization, regionalization, and global/local as they relate to media industries, journalism, and communication.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 513. Computer-Assisted Reporting. 3 Credit Hours.
Use of computer applications for newsgathering with emphasis on the World Wide Web, commercial online services, and database tools.
Prerequisites: JMM 216 or JMM 208.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 515. Reporting and the Internet. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of uses of online computer services for newsgathering and distribution with emphasis on the Internet.
Prerequisites: JMM 216 or JMM 208.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 517. Television News Reporting. 3 Credit Hours.
Gathering and preparation of news stories for presentation in news programs. Includes field reporting, editing, preparation of visual and aural elements, writing, producing and performing for on-air presentation.
JMM 345 and JMM 317.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 521. Seminar in Visual Storytelling. 3 Credit Hours.
An advanced seminar class designed to enhance the knowledge and practice of the visual storytelling narrative. This seminar stresses the importance of converging media, still images, video, and sound. Particular emphasis will be placed upon the creation of a multimedia portfolio.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 523. Sports Reporting. 3 Credit Hours.
A hands-on sports journalism course that will develop students' skills in sports reporting and sports writing. Discussions range across the entire field of sports reporting, including broadcasting, but the greatest emphasis is concentrated on sports reporting and writing for print, online, social media and media relations. Students will go off-campus to cover professional and college sporting events live on deadline, hear from guest speakers across the industry, and cover on-campus UM sports beats.
Prerequisites: JMM 216 or JMM 208.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 527. Television News Producing. 3 Credit Hours.
Studio anchoring, newscast producing and field reporting for news and public affairs programming. Live field reporting and field and studio interviewing techniques are covered.
Prerequisites: JMM 417 or JMM 517.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 533. Social Media. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of best practices for use of social media for gathering, disseminating, and promoting information.
Prerequisite: JMM 208.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
JMM 541. Advanced Audio Video Narratives. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines uses of audio and video to communicate journalism. Students learn to investigate, gather content, and produce documentary stories primarily for online distribution.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

JMM 544. Feature Writing. 3 Credit Hours.
Analyzing and writing feature articles for magazines, newspapers, and other news media.
Prerequisite: JMM 108.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 547. Magazine Planning. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is a magazine planning class where students will create a 32-page print/digital cross-platform niche publication from scratch. It will be based on a business model creating a design and content for a specific audience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 550. 3D Design and Graphics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the use of 3D Design software for communication and how to integrate with other print and digital technologies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

JMM 551. Advanced Programming. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the role of the programmer as journalist. Students will perform the basic tasks of journalism from a programmatic perspective including: gathering, distilling and presenting information. Students will learn how to gather information from public databases and government websites. They will learn how to automate processes for filtering information and learn how to present this information in a visual and interactive news report. Students will also learn how to combine multiple sources of information, to personalize information for the end reader, and account for the relevant permutations of the data. Students will learn to build and query databases as well as mine and visually present the information using programming languages such as PHP and Python. Rapid development frameworks such as Django, Zendand, Symfony will also be covered in the class.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Summer.

JMM 560. Team Multimedia Project. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students will work in a team to produce a documentary multimedia project in conjunction with one or more partner universities. Students will study the genre of documentary multimedia storytelling, research their assigned topic(s), content-gather, edit, wireframe, design and program the project and produce it on multiple platforms depending on the topic and intended audience. Students will use audio, photographic, video, infographic and text reporting tools in producing the project. They will also study methodologies for evaluating multimedia and beta test the site using established research methodologies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

JMM 592. Special Topics in Journalism and Media Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course subject matter varies according to announced special topic. See class schedule for details.
Requisite: Junior Or Senior Or Graduate Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 599. Advanced Projects and Directed Research. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Individual study. Course may be repeated to a maximum of six credits.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
B.S.C. Broadcast Journalism

Overview

The Department of Journalism and Media Management offers a major in Broadcast Journalism. The Department of Journalism and Media Management emphasizes hands-on learning and critical thinking within a multicultural, international context. Our students consistently win regional and national awards, and obtain prestigious internships and long-term positions in a competitive media marketplace. Additionally, they are meeting the challenges of the evolving media industry through entrepreneurial leadership. Our graduates also gain admission to excellent graduate programs and professional schools in a variety of fields.

Four majors are offered in the Department of Journalism and Media Management. The department's programs attract students interested in working in these specific fields, but also provide strong writing, creative, and analytical skills to students who pursue careers in other fields, such as law and business.

The School of Communication's Electronic Media and Broadcast Journalism majors are designed for students who intend to pursue professional work in electronic news, production operations and allied fields.

Students majoring in these subjects study all aspects of television, radio, cable, broadband, digital and mobile operations. All Broadcast Journalism and Electronic Media students are encouraged to become involved in UMTV (the campus cable television channel available to the community, the UM campus and over the web) and the student-run radio station, WVUM-FM, serving South Florida.

The School's facilities include a state-of-the-art radio studio, two high-definition television studios, digital post-production suites and related capabilities.

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Additional Suggested Courses

Consider additional elective options in Broadcast Journalism, which include (but are not limited to) the following:

- JMM 106 Visual Design
- JMM 233 Television Performance
- JMM 285 Applied Statistics for Journalism and Media Management
- JMM 301 Media Research and Analysis
- JMM 305 Legal Issues in Media Management
- JMM 306 Special Topics in Journalism and Media Management II
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**Total Credit Hours**

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* School of Communication students are required to complete a minimum of a minor (inside or outside of the school) in addition to their Communication major to graduate. For an optional 2nd major, please see your advisor.
* School of Communication students must complete 6 credits of English Composition unless exempt based on SAT/ACT score or AP/IB exam, 3-6 credits of Mathematics, [http://www.miami.edu/cognates/](http://www.miami.edu/cognates/) and the Advanced Writing and Communication Skills Proficiency requirement.

**Upper Level Elective Requirement**

36 credits at the 300 level or higher are required for graduation. These credits may be earned from your major, minor and/or second major, and electives.

**Suggested Plan of Study**

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- Students will demonstrate the ability to acquire, critically analyze, and present journalistic messages in an appropriate format using sound reasoning and journalistic principles.
- Students will demonstrate proficiency in the use of contemporary equipment, technologies, and workflows, as well as key theoretical concepts of audio/visual/interactive storytelling.
- Students will demonstrate the ability to articulate and practice the values, ethics, laws, social responsibilities and expectations of the profession.

B.S.C. Electronic Media
Overview
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Four majors are offered in the Department of Journalism and Media Management. The department’s programs attract students interested in working in these specific fields, but also provide strong writing, creative, and analytical skills to students who pursue careers in other fields, such as law and business.

The School of Communication’s Electronic Media and Broadcast Journalism majors are designed for students who intend to pursue professional work in electronic news, production operations and allied fields.

Students majoring in these subjects study all aspects of television, radio, cable, broadband, digital and mobile operations. All Broadcast Journalism and Electronic Media students are encouraged to become involved in UMTV (the campus cable television channel available to the community, the UM campus and over the web) and the student-run radio station, WVUM-FM, serving South Florida.

The School’s facilities include a state-of-the-art radio studio, two high-definition television studios, digital post-production suites and related capabilities.

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School of Communication students must complete 6 credits of English Composition unless exempt based on SAT/ACT score or AP/IB exam, 3-6 credits of Mathematics, [http://www.miami.edu/cognates/](http://www.miami.edu/cognates/) and the Advanced Writing and Communication Skills Proficiency requirement.

**Upper Level Elective Requirement**

36 credits at the 300 level or higher are required for graduation. These credits may be earned from your major, minor and/or second major, and electives.

**Suggested Plan of Study**

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The School's major in Journalism prepares students to be writers, editors and designers for a variety of media from mainstream and alternative newspapers and magazines to online media and entrepreneurial ventures. We emphasize effective storytelling through writing, audio and video recording, photography, graphics and data visualization. Reporting skills, analytical thinking and journalistic ethics are stressed throughout the program. Students are encouraged to work for *The Miami Hurricane*, the student-run newspaper, *Distraction* magazine and the *Ibis* yearbook, all of which are nationally award-winning publications. The robust South Florida media market also provides off-campus opportunities at various professional publications and websites.

Students majoring in Journalism may concentrate their studies in one of several tracks or areas or they may customize their course of study. The suggested tracks include: Reporting and Writing (which is the general journalism or custom track); Media and Journalism Studies (a more conceptual and less applied track for students interested in media analysis); Visual and Documentary Journalism (which allows for the study of photography, web design and videography or documentaries); and Sports, Travel and Lifestyle Features (which focuses on these as related areas of content). These tracks allow students the flexibility to design programmatic concentrations in everything from writing to web design to documentary and visual storytelling.

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- COS 211: Public Speaking
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**Track Requirement**

Choose one of the following:

- JMM 303: Communication Law and Policy
- JMM 444: Public Affairs Reporting
  - or JMM 544: Feature Writing
- JMM 461: Seminar in News Ethics and Problems

**Visual and Documentary**

- JMM 245: Introduction to Electronic Media Production
- JMM 303: Communication Law and Policy
- JMM 345: Intermediate Electronic Media Production
- JMM 533: Social Media

**Media and Journalism Studies**

- JMM 301: Media Research and Analysis
- JMM 303: Communication Law and Policy

**Sports, Travel and Lifestyle Features**

- JMM 303: Communication Law and Policy
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**JMM Electives - Based on track and selected with approval of JMM Faculty Advisor**

**Additional Requirements**

- ENG 105: English Composition I
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Choose one of the following:

- MTH 113 Finite Mathematics
- JMM 285 Applied Statistics for Journalism and Media Management ¹
- STC 103 Statistical Reasoning for Strategic Communication

Arts and Humanities Cognate 9
STEM Cognate 9
Minor or Second Major and Electives ² 51-54

Total Credit Hours 120

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² SoC students are required to complete a minimum of a minor (inside or outside of the school) in addition to their Communication major to graduate. For an optional 2nd major, please see your advisor.

**Upper Level Elective Requirement**

36 credits at the 300 level or higher are required for graduation. These credits may be earned from you major, minor, and/or second major and electives.

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#### Freshman Year

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- JMM 102: Understanding Media and Content in the Digital Age: 3
- JMM 108: Writing for the Digital Age: 3
- ENG 105: English Composition I: 3
- Arts and Humanities Cognate: 3
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#### Spring
- JMM 106: Visual Design: 3
- JMM 208: Fundamentals of Newsgathering: 3
- JMM 285: Applied Statistics for Journalism and Media Management: 3
- Arts and Humanities Cognate: 3
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- JMM 245: Introduction to Electronic Media Production: 3
- COM 250: Freedom of Expression and Communication Ethics: 3
- Arts and Humanities Cognate: 3
- STEM Cognate: 3
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#### Spring
- JMM 303 or 305: Communication Law and Policy or Legal Issues in Media Management: 3
- Select one of the following:
  - COS 211: Public Speaking
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media marketplace. Additionally, they are meeting the challenges of the evolving media industry through entrepreneurial leadership. Our graduates also gain admission to excellent graduate programs and professional schools in a variety of fields.

Four majors are offered in the Department of Journalism and Media Management. The department's programs attract students interested in working in these specific fields, but also provide strong writing, creative, and analytical skills to students who pursue careers in other fields, such as law and business.

The School's Media Management major is designed for students interested in the business and management aspects of contemporary media. Students may pursue interests in entrepreneurship, sales, management, technology and research, among other topics. Students are encouraged to network with industry professionals at Media Management Association meetings and expand their knowledge of media business operations on various platforms through local and national internships.

The School's facilities include a state-of-the-art radio studio, two high-definition television studios, digital post-production suites and related capabilities.

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### Advanced Writing and Communication Skills Requirement

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- COS 211 Public Speaking
- COS 333 Business Communication
- JMM 233 Television Performance

### Other Required Courses

- JMM 301 Media Research and Analysis
- JMM 305 Legal Issues in Media Management
- JMM 314 Media Programming
- JMM 402 Strategic Media Management
- JMM 407 Media Entrepreneurship
- JMM 435 Media Technology

Please select 12 credits from the following courses with approval of a faculty advisor in JMM.

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### Additional Suggested Courses

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* School of Communication students are required to complete a minimum of a minor (inside or outside of the school) in addition to their Communication major to graduate. For an optional 2nd major, please see your advisor.

* School of Communication students must complete 6 credits of English Composition unless exempt based on SAT/ACT score or AP/IB exam, 3-6 credits of Mathematics, [http://www.miami.edu/cognates/](http://www.miami.edu/cognates/) and the Advanced Writing and Communication Skills Proficiency requirement.

### Upper Level Elective Requirement

36 credits at the 300 level or higher are required for graduation. These credits may be earned from your major, minor and/or second major, and electives.

### Suggested Plan of Study

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Mission
The Media Management major prepares students for careers on the business side of media, such as operations, sales, programming, marketing, research and finance. Media management students receive a more focused and practical grounding in the business of media that a conventional business school degree cannot provide. In particular, this major focuses on media economics, finance, technology, and strategic planning. The program recognizes the ongoing convergence of media business functions across all platforms.

Goals
Students will demonstrate knowledge of the practices and structures of mass media industries; the ability to critically analyze industry data and technology advances and use them to assess trends and opportunities; and the ability to write and present reports appropriate for a media business and/or research setting.

Student Learning Outcomes
- Students will demonstrate knowledge of the practices and structures of mass media industries.
- Students will demonstrate the ability to critically analyze industry data and technology advances and use them to assess trends and opportunities.
- Students will demonstrate the ability to write and present reports appropriate for a media business and/or research setting.
Minor in Broadcast Journalism

Overview
The Department of Journalism and Media Management offers minors in Broadcast Journalism, Electronic Media, Hispanic Media, Journalism and Media Management.

The Department of Journalism and Media Management emphasizes hands-on learning and critical thinking within a multicultural, international context. Our students consistently win regional and national awards, and obtain prestigious internships and long-term positions in a competitive media marketplace. Additionally, they are meeting the challenges of the evolving media industry through entrepreneurial leadership. Our graduates also gain admission to excellent graduate programs and professional schools in a variety of fields.

Five minors are offered in the Department of Journalism and Media Management. The department’s programs attract students interested in working in these specific fields, but also provide strong writing, creative, and analytical skills to students who pursue careers in other fields, such as law and business.

The School of Communication’s Electronic Media and Broadcast Journalism minors are designed for students who intend to pursue professional work in electronic news, production operations and allied fields.

Students minoring in these subjects study all aspects of television, radio, cable, broadband, digital and mobile operations. All Broadcast Journalism and Electronic Media students are encouraged to become involved in UMTV (the campus cable television channel available to the community, the UM campus and over the web) and the student-run radio station, WVUM-FM, serving South Florida.

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Minor in Electronic Media

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## Minor in Hispanic Media

### Overview

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Select 6 elective credits in LAS for the minor from the list below with approval of a JMM faculty advisor

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Total Credit Hours 15

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**Minor in Journalism**

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The School's minor in Journalism prepares students to be writers, editors and designers for a variety of media from mainstream and alternative newspapers and magazines to online media and entrepreneurial ventures. We emphasize effective storytelling through writing, audio and video recording, photography, graphics and data visualization. Reporting skills, analytical thinking and journalistic ethics are stressed throughout the program. Students are encouraged to work for *The Miami Hurricane*, the student-run newspaper, *Distraction* magazine and the *Ibis* yearbook, all of which are nationally award-winning publications. The robust South Florida media market also provides off-campus opportunities at various professional publications and websites.
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**Minor in Media Management**

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The School's Media Management minor is designed for students interested in the business and management aspects of contemporary media. Students may pursue interests in entrepreneurship, sales, management, technology and research, among other topics. Students are encouraged to network with industry professionals at Media Management Association meetings and expand their knowledge of media business operations on various platforms through local and national internships.

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Strategic Communication

http://com.miami.edu/programs

Dept. Code: STC

Introduction

The Department of Strategic Communication offers majors and minors in Advertising and Public Relations.

Students majoring in Advertising learn the art, craft and business of promoting brands from an integrated marketing perspective. The program gives students a well-rounded education in advertising that emphasizes strategy building, data gathering and analysis, creative development and media planning skills. The program includes practical and theoretical approaches to the world of professional advertising, both domestically and internationally. The curriculum is hands-on and students learn how to create an advertising campaign that meets their client’s goals. Qualified students may elect to participate in the internship program, which provides an opportunity to work in the professional community of the Greater Miami area or other regions. The School’s Advertising Program also has an active alliance with the American Advertising Federation.

Students majoring in Public Relations learn how to promote a client’s business, image, product or service. Public relations is a strategic communication process that builds mutually beneficial relationships between organizations (business, government, nonprofit, individual) and their public’s. PR practitioners develop and deliver key messages through traditional and social media channels. The program provides a well-rounded education in public relations that emphasizes research and analysis, creative development and the relationship of all media to PR in both public and private sectors.

The hands-on curriculum reflects the importance of strategic critical thinking, research for understanding target audiences, writing, design expertise and creativity. Students create and execute a PR campaign in a senior-level capstone course that serves a client organization in the community.

Demand for PR interns is high, and qualified students may elect to participate in the internship program to acquire professional experience in South Florida and other regions. The program has ties to the Public Relations Society of America and maintains a Public Relations Student Society of America chapter.

Major Cognate Area

- Advertising Management Track:
  - People and Society
- Advertising Creative Track:
  - People and Society or
  - Arts and Humanities
- Public Relations:
  - People and Society

Minor Cognate Area

- Advertising Minor:
  - People and Society
- Public Relations Minor:
  - People and Society
- Strategic Communication Minor:
  - People and Society

Please note, students completing majors and minors within the same department may only satisfy one required cognate area of study.

Degree Programs

The Bachelor of Science in Communication is offered in Advertising and Public Relations

Majors are offered in:

- Advertising Creative Track
- Advertising Management Track
- Public Relations General Track
- Public Relations Practice Track
Each candidate for the degree of Bachelor of Science in Communication will complete School of Communication requirements including courses in the School’s General Education Required Areas of Study. Advertising majors must also complete a separate minor or a second major in either a second Program of Study within the School or in an academic program outside the School.

Admission to the Advertising and Public Relations Majors
Before admission as an Advertising or Public Relations major, a student must:

- Complete the five Core courses listed below, in residence at the University, all with grades of C or higher (C- is not acceptable).
- Students who have obtained the written approval of the Chair of Strategic Communication to use transfer credit hours to satisfy one or more requirements of that major may be required to complete additional courses in residence at the University before being admitted to that major.
- Upon completion of a student’s first 45 University credit hours while enrolled in the School of Communication, all University credit hours earned toward the major will be used in computing a student’s major cumulative grade point average; only those students with a cumulative average of 2.5 or higher will be admitted to a major.
- A student who has completed 45 credit hours while enrolled in the School of Communication, but who has not been admitted to one of the Communication majors, may be dismissed from the School. A student who has completed 60 University credit hours while enrolled in the School, but who has not been admitted to one of the Communication majors, will be dismissed from the School.

Major in Advertising
Students majoring in advertising will choose one of two tracks:

- Advertising Management Track
- Advertising Creative Track

Major in Public Relations
Students majoring in public relations will choose one of two tracks:

- Public Relations General Track
- Public Relations Practice Track

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Minors in Strategic Communication Department
The Department of Strategic Communication offers minors in:

- Advertising
- Public Relations
- Strategic Communication

The minors in Advertising, Public Relations and Strategic Communication require a grade of C or higher in all courses (a C- is not acceptable).

STC 102. Graphic Design for Strategic Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the art of visual communication as it relates to design for advertising and public relations. Students will learn how to use Adobe Photoshop and InDesign as tools for applying basic graphic design techniques used in print and promotional materials. Topics include typography, design principles, art & image manipulation, conceptualization and layout stages, color theory and color reproduction, and printing processes.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

STC 103. Statistical Reasoning for Strategic Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to statistical reasoning for advertising and public relations.
Prerequisite: MTH 101 or Requisite: ALEKS MTH >= 60 or SAT MTH Section Score >= 620 or ACT MTH Score >=28.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
STC 114. Principles of Advertising. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the principles and practice of advertising in a free-market economy. Students will be introduced to several areas of advertising including account planning, creative strategy, media planning, research methods, consumer behavior, and integrated marketing. Emphasis on cultural, social, ethical, and regulatory aspects of advertising.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

STC 116. Principles of Public Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the principles and practice of public relations. Students will learn how public relations operates within organizations, its impact on publics and its functions in society. Students will study the professional development of the field; concepts, issues and principles in the practice; and models of theories guiding the practice. They will also be challenged to critically evaluate the practice and purpose of public relations in contemporary American society.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

STC 200. Advertising Strategy Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the development of effective advertising strategies. Topics include strategic, industry and competitor analysis, brand analysis and development, consumer behavior and segmentation, insight development, and writing a strategic and creative brief.
Prerequisite: STC 114.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

STC 201. Public Relations Strategy Development. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to research-based strategy development and planning at the core of public relations practice.
Prerequisite: STC 116.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

STC 202. Advanced Graphic Design for Advertising. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will delve more deeply into the concepts of graphic design as they relate to the field of advertising. More specifically, this course will touch upon the use of art, illustration, and photography in advertising design. Topics also will include brand design, visual identity guidelines, and campaign building from a visual standpoint. Students will learn to use Adobe Illustrator as a tool for creating artwork in both traditional and non-traditional media. This course serves as a foundation for advertising portfolio development.
Prerequisite: STC 102.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

STC 203. Advanced Graphic Design for Public Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
Graphic design techniques for public relations and the use of computer software as layout and design tools. Selection, preparation, and study of design principles and production processes for typography, photography, art work, and white space.
Prerequisites: STC 102.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

STC 231. Creative Advertising Concepts and Copywriting. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to creative advertising. Students learn how to create advertising campaign ideas as well as the fundamentals of writing for television, the internet, print, social media, and others.
Prerequisite: STC 114. And JMM 108.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

STC 232. Writing for Public Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles and techniques for the development of creative strategies, concepts, and writing of effective public relations messages for all types of media.
Prerequisites: JMM 108, STC 116 or STC 114 or JMM 102.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
**STC 233. Writing for Advertising Account Management. 3 Credit Hours.**
Introduction to writing for the business side of advertising. This course will prepare students to write and create comprehensive reports and prepare presentations related to the function of account management, including agency credentials and pitch presentations, writing for research and creative strategies, and preparing briefing and summary documents.
Prerequisite: STC 114. And JMM 108.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**STC 290. Special Topics in Strategic Communication. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course subject matter varies according to announced special topic. See class schedule for details.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

**STC 302. Advanced Graphic Design and Photography. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course builds upon photography and image manipulation techniques for varied formats in graphic design, including print, outdoor and non-traditional media. Students will create visual messages and focused visual statements, as well as gain an understanding of how to produce complex conceptual images for advertising using Adobe Creative Suite software. Topics will include conceptual thinking, photography, image manipulation, and creative strategy development and execution.
Prerequisites: STC 102 and STC 202 or STC 203.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**STC 303. Typography and Brand Design. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course will provide an advanced experience in the development and understanding of brand design and typography. Students will develop a custom typeface and create a branding project that will encompass all facets of a brand's experience. Topics included are: typographic essentials, typographic design, creating effective logos and trademarks, visual identity guidelines, packaging, merchandise design and environmental graphics.
Prerequisite: STC 102, and STC 202.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

**STC 304. Project Management for Advertising. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course will introduce students to project management methodology, the use of project management tools in the advertising industry and in advertising campaign management, and the key components and approaches to successful project management. Topics include defining a project scope, writing a project plan, defining objectives and metrics of success, and elements of managing a project successfully.
Prerequisite: STC 103.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

**STC 311. Public Relations Research. 3 Credit Hours.**
Public relations research techniques focusing on applications of strategic planning, message evaluation, opinion research, and theory testing of public relations programs. Emphasis on qualitative and quantitative methods and data analysis.
Prerequisite: STC 103 OR JMM 285 OR PSY 291 OR PSY 292 OR MAS 201 OR STC 201 OR STC 200.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**STC 312. Research Methods for Advertising. 3 Credit Hours.**
Application of research techniques used in the field of advertising. Students will learn to collect, analyze, and report secondary and primary research findings as they apply to advertising decision-making.
Prerequisite: STC 103 OR JMM 285 OR PSY 291 OR PSY 292 OR MAS 201 OR STC 201 OR STC 200.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**STC 316. Ethics in Strategic Communication. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course will focus on ethical issues as they relate to the fields of advertising and public relations. Case studies will focus on the application of personal and professional ethical standards as applied to contemporary industry practices.
Prerequisite: STC 116 AND Prerequisite: STC 114.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.
STC 330. Travel and Tourism. 3 Credit Hours.
Development of tourism and destination promotion strategies and initiatives. Overview of public relations account structures within the tourism industries of airlines, travel destinations, hotels, and others.
Prerequisite: STC 114 Or STC 116 And Junior Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 331. Advanced Copywriting. 3 Credit Hours.
An advanced course in creative advertising concepts and copywriting. Students learn advanced techniques to create, execute, and pitch persuasive advertising ideas for television, print, social media, radio, and the Internet.
Prerequisite: STC 231.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

STC 334. Social Media Messaging and Strategies. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will examine the utility of major social media platforms as they relate to strategic communication. Topics will include message and campaign development, targeting, engagement, writing across social media platforms, social media management, and analytics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

STC 340. Digital and Mobile Advertising. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will explore the use and effectiveness of digital and mobile advertising platforms for contemporary advertising campaign development, focusing on concepts such as consumer targeting, message development, and the determination of appropriate media selections.
Prerequisite: STC 114.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 346. Public Relations Message Development and Execution. 3 Credit Hours.
This course teaches students to integrate public relations writing and design techniques in order to effectively reach a desired target audience. Students will learn to create strategic messages in multiple outlets, such as enewsletters and brochures, and also will learn how to create and execute successful media pitches.
Prerequisites: STC 203 and STC 232.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

STC 350. International and Cross-cultural Advertising. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will explore the economic, political, and socio-cultural issues that drive the strategies behind multicultural advertising in the U.S., as well as international advertising in the global marketplace. Emphasis will be placed on understanding cultural similarities and differences as they relate to multicultural and international advertising.
Prerequisite: STC 114.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 380. Advertising Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students select an internship in the field of advertising for on-the-job training. The student will work a minimum of 45 hours per credit. No more than three (3) credits of internship may be completed in any given semester.
Requisite: Sophomore Status, Cumulative GPA 2.5.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

STC 381. Public Relations Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students select an internship in the field of public relations for on-the-job training. The student will work a minimum of 45 hours per credit. No more than three (3) credits of internship may be completed in any given semester.
Requisite: Sophomore Status, Cumulative GPA 2.5.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
STC 384. Advertising Creative Strategy and Execution. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will have students engaged in the development of creative advertising campaigns. Students will be immersed in the development of big ideas and the execution of those ideas across multiple media platforms to meet specific campaign objectives.
Prerequisite: STC 200. And STC 202. And STC 231.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

STC 388. Media Planning. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the principles and concepts of advertising media planning including media selection, media plan development, forecasting, and budgeting.
Prerequisite: STC 200 or JMM 102 and JMM 108.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

STC 389. Media Buying and Advertising Sales. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will learn the art of buying media in all categories, as well as how to sell advertising space in these media.
Prerequisite: STC 201 and JMM 102 and JMM 108.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 390. Art Direction. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will teach students art direction skills highly focused on the conceptual development and execution of campaigns across multiple media platforms, including print, tv/video, interactive, digital, and social media.
Prerequisites: STC 202 or STC 203 and STC 231 or STC 232.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

STC 401. Seminar in Advertising and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will examine the ethical, persuasive, cultural, societal, and economic effects of advertising, focusing on the theoretical frameworks that explain how advertising works in these arenas.
Requisite: Junior Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 404. Advertising Entrepreneurship. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the entrepreneurial aspects of working in the advertising industry, from the perspective of assisting in the launch of a new brand or company, and from that of the process of defining and starting a new advertising agency business.
Prerequisite: STC 200 and Junior Standing or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 412. Public Opinion and Mass Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
An exploration of the formation and role of public opinion in mass communication. Emphasis is placed on its role in advertising and promotion.
Topics include the evolution and history of public opinion in American culture, the application of public opinion on attitude formation and persuasion, measurement of public opinion, and propaganda.
Requisite: Junior Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 414. Advanced Research Methods for Advertising. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the application of advanced research techniques and methods related to the advertising field. Students will focus on practical quantitative and qualitative research techniques, as well as conducting experimental and creative research.
Requisite: Junior Standing or Higher.
Components: RSC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
STC 415. Advanced Business and Advertising Strategy Development. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the holistic understanding and application of concepts in developing contemporary marketing, advertising and business strategies. Students will learn how to analyze industry, business, consumer, and organizational environments to develop strategic plans and implement an advertising strategy accordingly.
Prerequisite: STC 200 and Junior Standing or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 423. Crisis Communication and Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces the student to crisis communication and management from a strategies, theory-based approach steeped in case research from historical cases and business case studies.
Prerequisite: STC 116 and STC 201 and Requisite: Junior Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 424. Media Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
Students in this course will get the inside scoop on how to communicate with reporters, will learn why different media outlets cover the same story in different ways, and how fake news is impacting the field of journalism.
Requisite: Junior Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 425. Cases in Public Relations Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will examine the management and administrative functions of public relations using a case-study approach.
Pre-requisites: STC 116. And Requisite: Junior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 426. Sports, Publicity, and Promotions. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide a review, examination and practical application of sports communications, publicity and promotions in strategic communications.
Requisite: Junior Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 428. Public Relations Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles and practice of public relations management in a variety of contexts including agency, consultancy, corporate, and nonprofit.
Prerequisite: STC 116 and STC 201 and Requisite: Junior Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 434. Advertising Campaigns. 3 Credit Hours.
Capstone course in which students develop a full-scale advertising campaign. Students are responsible for conducting secondary and primary research, strategic planning, development of creative executions, planning and executing media selections, and campaign evaluation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

STC 435. Advanced Research Methods for Public Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the measures, mechanisms, and necessary considerations for measuring public relations outcomes and communication effectiveness, as well as evaluating the impact of public relations efforts.
Rerequisite: STC 311 & Junior Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
STC 436. Public Relations Campaigns. 3 Credit Hours.
The capstone course for seniors in their last year of study. Theory and principles, audience research, strategic planning, and targeted communication
are applied in developing a campaign to influence attitudes and behavior on behalf of a real client. A written plan, professional presentation, and
teamwork are emphasized.
Prerequisites: Public Relations Requisites by Track.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

STC 437. PR and Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will examine the candidates in current political elections, their likability factors, truthfulness, strengths and weaknesses, and how they get
their messages out to the world.
Requisite: Junior Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 438. Practicum in Advertising. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students will work in the advertising field for advanced on-the-job training in their specific area of advertising specialization.
Prerequisite: STC 380. Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

STC 439. Public Relations Practicum. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students will work in the public relations field for on-the-job training. Students must work a minimum of 45 hours per credit earned.
Prerequisite: STC 381. Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

STC 444. Social Media Analytics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide an overview and practical application of various public and commercial social media analytics and tools, and will cover
sources of data, metrics, analyses, and tools used in the development of successful social media campaigns.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

STC 450. Strategic Communication in Health Care. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides a general introduction to the role of media and strategic communication in healthcare industry. A variety of topics are addressed
from handling internal and external communication practice of health-related organizations to applying the principles of strategic communication to
areas such as healthcare public relations and social marketing.
Prerequisite: STC 114 or STC 116 and STC 200 or STC 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

STC 460. Corporate Communication and Public Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on exploring external and internal environment of organizations. Students will learn how organizations use public relations
and other forms of communication to strategically and effectively communicate with external and internal publics in today's complex business
environment.
Prerequisite: STC 116 and STC 201 and Requisite: Junior Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 482. International Public Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides a general introduction to the study and practice of public relations within a global marketplace. A variety of topics are addressed
including the role of culture in global public relations, differences in styles of public relations practices across international groups and the role
organizations play in this process.
Prerequisite: STC 116 and STC 201 and Requisite: Junior Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
STC 483. Integrated Marketing Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
An exploration of how brands are built and promoted through the integration of advertising, public relations, sales promotion, personal selling, direct marketing, and e-commerce.
Prerequisites: STC 114 or STC 116 or MKT 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 488. Digital, Mobile, and Web Media Evaluation. 3 Credit Hours.
Focus on the evaluation of digital, mobile, and web-based advertising as part of integrated advertising media plans. Topics include audience estimation, cost-gathering, and evaluation of potential effectiveness.
Prerequisite: STC 388.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 490. Special Topics in Advertising. 3 Credit Hours.
This course subject matter varies according to announced special topic. See class schedule for details.
Pre-requisite: STC 114.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 491. The Business of Account Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will to lead to a stronger understanding of the role of account management in marketing communication and advertising agencies. Topics will include advertising agency management, client services, and financial planning within the agency.
Prerequisite: STC 200 or Requisite: Junior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

STC 492. Advanced Advertising Creative Development. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide an advanced creative experience working in teams, while focusing on the creation of award-winning work. Projects are determined by industry award briefs.
Prerequisite: STC 202 and STC 231 and STC 384.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

STC 493. Special Topics in Public Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
This course subject matter varies according to announced special topic. See class schedule for details.
Requisite: Junior Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

STC 495. Advertising Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will learn to approach advertising problems at both micro and macro levels from the perspective of a manager in charge of solving such problems. Emphasis will be on problem identification, development of alternative strategies to solve problems, tactics for executing strategies, and evaluation of proposed solutions.
Prerequisites: STC 200 and STC 233 and STC 312 and STC 388. Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

STC 496. Advertising Portfolio Development. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will assist students in putting together a professional-quality advertising portfolio of their work.
Pre/Corequisite: STC 384 and Requisite: Senior Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
B.S.C. Advertising

Overview

The Department of Strategic Communication offers a major in Advertising.

Students majoring in Advertising learn the art, craft and business of promoting brands from an integrated marketing perspective. The program gives students a well-rounded education in advertising that emphasizes strategy building, data gathering and analysis, creative development and media planning skills. The program includes practical and theoretical approaches to the world of professional advertising, both domestically and internationally. The curriculum is hands-on and students learn how to create an advertising campaign that meets their client's goals. Qualified students may elect to participate in the internship program, which provides an opportunity to work in the professional community of the Greater Miami area or other regions. The School's Advertising Program also has an active alliance with the American Advertising Federation.

The hands-on curriculum reflects the importance of strategic critical thinking, research for understanding target audiences, writing, design expertise and creativity. Students create and execute a PR campaign in a senior-level capstone course that serves a client organization in the community. Demand for PR interns is high, and qualified students may elect to participate in the internship program to acquire professional experience in South Florida and other regions. The program has ties to the Public Relations Society of America and maintains a Public Relations Student Society of America chapter.

The program offers two tracks: Advertising Creative or Advertising Management. The Advertising Creative track fulfills the Arts & Humanities area of knowledge requirement. The Advertising Management track fulfills the People & Society area of knowledge requirement.

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| or STC 303 | Typography and Brand Design                             |                        |
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**Mission**

The mission of the advertising program is to introduce students to advertising theory, research, and client services to prepare them for an advertising career.

**Goals**

The program prepares students to be critical thinkers problem-solvers, and globally aware professionals. In addition, in preparation for the ever-evolving advertising industry, students can elect to study general advertising or concentrate their efforts by specializing in advertising management or creative advertising.

Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will be able to conduct primary and secondary research, analyze data, interpret the results, and communicate the results, using statistical analyses and SPSS software for data analysis.
- Students will develop a budgeted media plan to meet reach and frequency goals for a given advertising client, meaning that they can identify the appropriate target audience(s) and reach them effectively with strategically selected media within a limited budget.
- Students will be able to create advertisements for a variety of media, applying appropriate design, art direction and copywriting skills. Students will also be able to develop an effective creative strategy and campaign executions across multiple media to meet client objectives for campaign development.
- Students will research, create, design, and present an advertising campaign of their own creation and then will present their work as they would at an advertising agency, demonstrating effective campaign development and campaign presentation skills.

**B.S.C. Public Relations**

**Overview**

The Department of Strategic Communication offers a major in Public Relations.

Students majoring in Public Relations learn how to promote a client’s business, image, product or service. Public relations is a strategic communication process that builds mutually beneficial relationships between organizations (business, government, nonprofit, individual) and their public’s. PR practitioners develop and deliver key messages through traditional and social media channels. The program provides a well-rounded education in public relations that emphasizes research and analysis, creative development and the relationship of all media to PR in both public and private sectors.

The hands-on curriculum reflects the importance of strategic critical thinking, research for understanding target audiences, writing, design expertise and creativity. Students create and execute a PR campaign in a senior-level capstone course that serves a client organization in the community. Demand for PR interns is high, and qualified students may elect to participate in the internship program to acquire professional experience in South Florida and other regions. The program has ties to the Public Relations Society of America and maintains a Public Relations Student Society of America chapter.

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STC 493  Special Topics in Public Relations

Marketing Requirement
MKT 301  Marketing Foundations  3

Additional Requirements
ENG 105 and ENG 106  6
STC 103 (Double Counts for Major and Math Requirement)  3
Arts and Humanities Cognate  9
STEM Cognate  9
Minor, Second Major or Elective  51
Total Credit Hours  120

* Students must complete at least one course with an international or intercultural focus. Courses that meet this requirement include: STC 350, STC 482, COS 343, and COS 545. Other courses may be used to fulfill this requirement with the approval of an Advertising faculty advisor. Studying abroad also fulfills this requirement.
* School of Communication students are required to complete a minimum of a minor (inside or outside of the school) in addition to their Communication major to graduate. For an optional 2nd major, please see your advisor.
* School of Communication students must complete 6 credits of English Composition unless exempt based on SAT/ACT score or AP/IB exam, 3-6 credits of Mathematics, http://www.miami.edu/cognates/ and the Advanced Writing and Communication Skills Proficiency requirement.

Upper Level Elective Requirement
36 credits at the 300 level or higher are required for graduation. These credits may be earned from your major, minor and/or second major, and electives.

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STC 493  Special Topics in Public Relations

Minor or 2nd Major or Elective Courses  12

Credit Hours  15
Total Credit Hours  120

Mission
The Public Relations Program mission is to prepare professional communicators who understand and can demonstrate the use of theory, research, planning and evaluation in effective public relations practice. We are committed to building students' ability to apply ethical principles to decision-making and to perceive each communication and its intended audience holistically, based on understanding and appreciating cultural and other differences.

Goals
We seek to nurture students' analytic and creative skills with the goal of graduating insightful, resourceful citizens of a global society, and to challenge them with multiple opportunities for learning, self-discovery and professional practice.

Student Learning Outcomes
- Students will demonstrate an understanding of how research is conducted and findings are effectively applied to strategic communication planning and in the practice of public relations, including the ability to conduct secondary and primary research, compile and analyze data via statistical analyses and SPSS software, and interpret and summarize the results.
- Students will write and design effective, audience-sensitive messages for public relations purposes in settings inside and outside the classroom that follow standards of professional practice.
- Students will demonstrate the ability to prepare and evaluate strategic communication plans/proposals at a professional level, which requires effective research, writing, design and oral presentation skills.

Minor in Advertising
Overview
Students minoring in Advertising learn the art, craft and business of promoting brands from an integrated marketing perspective. The program gives students a well-rounded education in advertising that emphasizes strategy building, data gathering and analysis, creative development and media planning skills. The program includes practical and theoretical approaches to the world of professional advertising, both domestically and internationally. The curriculum is hands-on and students learn how to create an advertising campaign that meets their client's goals. Qualified students may elect to participate in the internship program, which provides an opportunity to work in the professional community of the Greater Miami area or other regions. The School's Advertising Program also has an active alliance with the American Advertising Federation.

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Minor in Public Relations

Overview

Students minoring in Public Relations learn how to promote a client’s business, image, product or service. Public relations is a strategic communication process that builds mutually beneficial relationships between organizations (business, government, nonprofit, individual) and their public’s. PR practitioners develop and deliver key messages through traditional and social media channels. The program provides a well-rounded education in public relations that emphasizes research and analysis, creative development and the relationship of all media to PR in both public and private sectors.

The hands-on curriculum reflects the importance of strategic critical thinking, research for understanding target audiences, writing, design expertise and creativity. Students create and execute a PR campaign in a senior-level capstone course that serves a client organization in the community. Demand for PR interns is high, and qualified students may elect to participate in the internship program to acquire professional experience in South Florida and other regions. The program has ties to the Public Relations Society of America and maintains a Public Relations Student Society of America chapter.

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**Minor in Strategic Communication**

**Overview**
The Department of Strategic Communication offers minors in Advertising, Public Relations and Strategic Communication.

Students minoring in strategic communication learn about the fields of both advertising and public relations and how each approach contributes to the effective promotion of products, brands, services, non-profit organizations, and various other entities.

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**Continuing and International Education**

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DCIE manages the following programs:

- Adult Student Access Program (p. 975) (non-degree status enrollment in undergraduate and graduate credit classes)

  - Credit certificate programs (p. 978)
    - Noncredit professional certificate programs (p. 2992)
    - Bachelor of General Studies degree program for adults 22+ (p. 976)
    - Summer college credit programs for high school students (p. 2998)
    - Intensive English language programs for international students (p. 979)
    - Intensive language programs (p. 979)
    - Osher lifelong learning community for adults aged 50+
    - Corporate/custom training and workforce development programs

**Adult Student Access Program**

www.miami.edu/asap
Students that meet the minimum requirements may be eligible to enroll in a maximum of 30 credit hours in an undergraduate, non-degree seeking category. Classes may be applied to certain degree programs, after all application and degree-seeking requirements are met. In order to be enrolled in this category, students submit an online application (http://www.miami.edu/asap/) with any required documents. A minimum 2.5 G.P.A. is required to continue in the program beyond 12 attempted credit hours.

Students that meet the minimum requirements may enroll in up to 6 credit hours (600/700 lecture classes only), lifetime maximum, in a graduate non-degree seeking category. Classes may be applied to certain degree programs, after all application and degree-seeking requirements are met. Not all graduate departments participate in this program. In order to enroll in this category, students submit an online application (http://www.miami.edu/asap/), after securing the written permission of the participating graduate department.

For more information, contact: The Adult Student Access Program, Division of Continuing and International Education, University of Miami, umnondegree@miami.edu, 305-284-4000.

Bachelor of General Studies

www.miami.edu/bgs

Introduction

Under the leadership of Collegiate Studies, the College of Arts and Sciences offers the Bachelor of General Studies (BGS) degree program through the DCIE, which provides a solid and rigorous, interdisciplinary academic experience for adult students. It is designed specifically for adults who have previously attended college but have not yet completed their undergraduate degrees, as well as for those who have never had the opportunity to pursue post-secondary studies. Admitted students may attend in either a part-time of full-time status. Prospective students are eligible for admission if graduated from high school at least four years ago, have not attended the University of Miami during the past calendar year, have a minimum of 2.2 grade-point average on previous college work, and are U.S. citizens or permanent residents. Students must be pursuing first undergraduate degree.

The BGS curriculum allows an individual the flexibility to design an area of concentration to enhance professional or personal goals. Designed to strengthen critical thinking and writing skills of the students, each course is taught by University of Miami faculty who are committed to the adult student.

Advisors offer personalized attention in career exploration and academic advising and discuss educational alternatives with potential students. Every effort is made to ensure that the process - from admission to registration - is efficient, convenient, and flexible. Students may complete their degree by attending online and on-campus courses.

To underscore its commitment to the adults in our community, the University offers a special tuition to students in the Bachelor of General Studies program which enables the adult, part-time student to pursue this degree at an affordable tuition rate.

The admission process takes into consideration that one's grade-point average, while significant, is only one factor in determining an applicant's qualification for acceptance. Therefore, an advising session with an enrollment advisor from DCIE will be scheduled, by calling Collegiate Studies at 305-284-4000, to supplement the information you provide on the BGS application form (https://bgs.dcie.miami.edu/apply_now/how_to_apply/).

Requirements for Graduation

I. Candidates for the Bachelor of General Studies (BGS) degree must complete the required credit hours and achieve the quality point average specified for students in the University at large as stated in the section Academic Regulations and Procedures. Candidates must earn a C or better in approved classes of their Area of Concentration. Exempted is interpreted to refer exclusively to those exemptions provided under the following headings:

1. Advanced Standing and Placement (Credit Hour Granted);
2. Credit by Examination;
3. Advanced Placement (by proficiency examination);

II. Except where a required course is one designated to correct a deficiency in his/her college preparation, the student may apply the credit hours of any required course from which he is exempted toward the credit hours for that subject as a general requirement for graduation, toward the 120 credit hours required for graduation. (See Departmental Proficiency Examinations.) An exemption may be granted for ENG 105, but these credit hours may not be applied towards the 120 required for graduation.

III. Credit Only

Only free electives may be taken under this option. Courses which satisfy the major, the distributions of the School, the General Education Requirements of the University or any course for which a C or better is required may not be taken for credit only.
## Curriculum Requirements

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<td>Algebra for College Students (with an acceptable score on the math placement test is required or a “C” or better in MTH 099)</td>
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### Arts and Humanities
Select a total 9 credit hours in any of the following disciplines:
- American Studies in Humanities
- Art
- Art History
- Communications (Motion Pictures)
- Dance
- Theatre Arts
- Musicology
- English
- Philosophy
- Religion or Women's Studies in Humanities

### People and Society
Select a total of 9 credit hours in any of the following disciplines:
- African American Studies
- American Studies in Social Science
- Anthropology
- Communication
- Economics
- Education and Psychological Studies
- Geography
- Judaic Studies
- Political Science
- Psychology and Sociology

### STEM
Select one 3 credit hour course in computer information systems, business technology or media management
Select 6 credit hours in one or more of the following disciplines:
- Biology
- Chemistry
- Geological Sciences
- Environmental Science
- Marine Sciences
- Physics and Physical Sciences

### Degree Requirements

#### Additional Arts and Humanities
Select a total of 12 credit hours in each of the following disciplines:
- Art History
- Literature
- Philosophy
- Religious Studies

#### Foreign Languages
Select a minimum of 3 credit hours of foreign language at the 200 course level or higher.
History Survey Sequence
Select a total of 6 credit hours in a single two semester sequence

Area of Concentration
Every candidate for a degree must select an area of concentration. 2
ENG 333 Writing the Research Paper 3

Secondary Focus 4
Select four more secondary courses to compliment AOC (previously Interdisciplinary courses)

Electives
Select elective courses in consultation with their advisor to meet the 120 credit hour graduation requirement

Total Credit Hours

During the first year of enrollment in the School.

The candidate designs an area of concentration that meets his/her professional and personal goals. The course of study is reviewed and approved by the Dean and/or Director of the program. Candidates must earn a C or better in approved classes.

ENG 333 Writing the Research Paper is a Pre-requisite to completing courses in Area of Concentration and/or Secondary Focus.

Secondary Focus courses are especially designated to complement the AOC, enhance professional knowledge, cultural perspective and its relation to contemporary society.

Mission
The mission of the BGS program is to provide adult learners (over age 22) with a pathway to a high quality, flexibly scheduled undergraduate education tailored to their academic and career goals.

Goals
This program balances student interests, represented by their areas of concentration, with intellectually broadening interdisciplinary coursework, and it advances their written communication skills.

Student Learning Outcomes
• Students will demonstrate advanced levels of written communication.
• Students will demonstrate in depth knowledge of historical, social and cultural perspectives and their relation to contemporary society.
• Students will demonstrate their critical thinking abilities.

Credit Certificate Programs
miami.edu/ccp

Not everyone needs or wants a complete degree program. Recognizing this, the DCIE - in cooperation with several other colleges and schools of the University - offers special Credit Certificate Programs.

Focusing on a single subject, these certificate programs allow students to concentrate on courses that offer the specific knowledge and skills needed for career advancement. All courses are taught by University of Miami faculty at the undergraduate level and are taken for academic credit hour.

Each certificate program varies in the number of required credit hours. While required courses are noted, students may work with an advisor in developing an individually-designed program.

If accepted to the Credit Certificate Program (CCP) a student will acknowledge that in order to receive the certificate they must remain continuously enrolled in the Credit Certificate Program Plan earning the required number of credits/courses. If a student becomes enrolled in another academic program plan (graduate or undergraduate) before completing the Credit Certificate Program the student will automatically be discontinued in the Credit Certificate Program and will no longer be eligible to receive the Certificate.

*This program is not eligible for federal or state financial aid. Contact the Office of Student Financial Assistance and Employment (https://finaid.miami.edu/) for further assistance.
Certificate in Accounting

The Undergraduate Certificate in Accounting is awarded by the Division of Continuing and International Education and the Department of Accounting. It is designed for those who hold at least an undergraduate degree (preferably in business) from an accredited college or university, and whose present interest or occupation is accounting. The program requires students to take the same 24 credit hours of accounting courses (as listed below) required for the undergraduate major in Accounting. To sit for the Certified Public Accountant (CPA) examination in Florida, students must have completed 120 credit hours, including 24 credit hours of accounting (above the elementary level) and 24 credit hours of business courses, including a minimum of six credit hours of business law. There are additional educational requirements to become licensed as a Certified Public Accountant in Florida. Students may wish to consider either the Graduate Certificate in Accounting or the Graduate Certificate in Taxation (offered by the School of Business) to meet those additional education requirements.

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Business Technology

The Business Technology (previously CIS) program is designed to provide a broad background in business computer information systems and to develop the technical skills one needs to stay competitive in this challenging field. The program will be of particular benefit to programmers and to management information systems analysts. The certificate is awarded by the DCIE and the Department of Business Technology upon the successful completion of 18 credit hours as listed below.

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For more information, contact:
Division of Continuing and International Education
Collegiate Studies
http://www.miami.edu/ccp (http://www.miami.edu/ccp/)
305-284-2727

Intensive Language Institute

The Intensive Language Institute (ILI) offers comprehensive language instruction for academic, professional, and personal purposes. It is part of the Division of Continuing and International Education. Our offices are located in 111 Allen Hall. Inquires about any of our programs may be directed to 305-284-2752.
The School of Education and Human Development (SEHD) offers undergraduate majors in:

**Introduction**

The School of Education and Human Development (SEHD) offers undergraduate majors in:
• Human and Social Development
  • Track I: Individual and Relational Development
  • Track II: Community and Program Development
  • Track III: Human and Social Development Studies
• Exercise Physiology
• Sport Administration
  • Elementary (K-6)/Exceptional Student Education (K-12) with ESOL and Reading Endorsements (K-12)

The degrees of Master of Science in Education, Specialist in Education, Doctor of Education, and Doctor of Philosophy are available in various departments within the School. These programs are under the supervision of the Dean of the Graduate School and the School of Education and Human Development Sr. Associate Dean for Graduate Studies.

Vision/Mission
Our vision is to be a center of excellence in the study, promotion and integration of educational, psychological, and physical well-being in multicultural communities.

Our mission is to produce knowledge and prepare the next generation of leaders, researchers, and agents of change and well-being in education and the community.

Academic Policies
Academic Integrity Statement
Academic integrity is fundamental to scholarship, good citizenry, and individual success. All students in the School of Education and Human Development are expected to abide by the University of Miami Honor Code (https://doso.studentaffairs.miami.edu/_assets/pdf/policies/student_rights_and_responsibilities_handbook.pdf#page=10). It was established “to preserve the academic integrity of the student body, to encourage consistent ethical behavior among undergraduates, and to foster a climate of fair competition.” Please become thoroughly familiar with the provisions of the Code, academic dishonesty and violations of the Honor Code will not be tolerated.

Admission
Applications for incoming freshman are processed and reviewed by the Office of Admission.

Application to the Bachelor of Science in Education program is requested by February 1st.

Early application is encouraged.

Transfer students: The academic accomplishments of each transfer student will be evaluated on an individual basis. A 3.0 GPA is recommended for transfer admission.

Application deadline for transfer students is March 1st.

Students admitted into the SEHD programs are held to the program requirements stated in the Bulletin for that term.

Student Responsibilities
Students are responsible for planning their own programs and for meeting degree requirements. It is the student’s responsibility to understand and fully comply with the provisions set forth in this Bulletin and written changes to their program of study. Written requests for variation from program or school requirements are reviewed by an administrative committee.

Matriculated students who elect to transfer courses from another institution over a summer or intersession term, must receive departmental or program approval prior to enrolling in the course. Students are responsible for adhering to the residency rule which states that the last 45 consecutive credits must be earned at UM.

A student advising compact specifies the dual responsibilities between students and advisors in each program.

Transfer Approval for Coursework from other Institutions
The Associate Dean for Undergraduate Academic Services makes the final determination for transfer course equivalency. Transfer courses for minors and cognates will not be accepted once students have matriculated to the University of Miami. New transfer students may be awarded a maximum of one course toward a cognate (3 credits) and a maximum of two courses or 6 credits toward a minor.

The school has a very strict transfer policy regarding on-line course work from matriculated students. Students must present a syllabus for course evaluations.
Students who are transferring into the Department of Teaching and Learning's Elementary Education/Special Education program, must submit official scores of the General Knowledge Test (GKT), first of the required tests for the Florida Teacher Certification Exams (FTCE). Students who do not submit these scores will not be allowed to enroll in any TAL course.

**Academic Progress and Probation**

The School will review each student's record at the end of each semester.

When a student's semester or cumulative average is less than stated below, or progress toward degree completion is unsatisfactory, the student will be placed on academic probation or warning in accordance with the School of Education and Human Development policies and procedures.

Students on probation are not permitted to enroll in more than 12 credit hours, shall make arrangements to meet on a monthly basis with their academic advisor, and may have a STOP placed on their future enrollment until grades are further reviewed. The following criteria will determine probationary status.

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<td>60+ credit hours</td>
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Note: The minimum GPA required for graduation from a Teacher Education Program is 2.5.

**Subject to Dismissal**

A student who remains on academic probation twice during their undergraduate studies can be designated as “Subject to Dismissal” and will be dismissed the following semester if not removed from probationary status. It is **not** required to be on this status to be dismissed from the School of Education and Human Development or from the University of Miami.

**Academic Dismissal**

A student in the School of Education and Human Development whose CGPA or progress toward degree completion, falls below the level of the minimum standards of the University of Miami and/or the School of Education and Human Development, may be dismissed. Faculty may recommend that a student be dismissed from a program due to academic concerns.

Students should familiarize themselves with their program's undergraduate handbook that outlines specific student responsibilities. Student responsibilities include but are not limited to appropriate dress and professional conduct when working in an internship, research, or field experience capacity. Students may be dismissed from a program by the department's faculty for violations outlined in the handbook.

**Accreditation**

Kinesiology and Sport Sciences offers the Athletic Training Program that is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Athletic Training Education (CAATE); the Sport Administration Program is approved by the North American Society of Sport Management.

The Department of Teaching and Learning in The School of Education and Human Development offers Teacher Education Programs approved by the Florida Department of Education. In conjunction with the Phillip and Patricia Frost School of Music, the School of Education and Human Development offers Teacher Education Programs in Music Education at the undergraduate and graduate levels. Students who successfully complete their program of studies and submit an application to the Florida Department of Education - Bureau of Educator Certification are eligible to receive a Professional Teaching Certificate.

The policy for practicum, internship and clinical lab credit hours will vary by program. Please check the specific program requirements with your academic advisor or program director.

The Foote Fellows Honors Program reflects the educational vision of former University of Miami President Edward T. Foote, who retired in 2000 after serving the University for twenty years. President Foote passed away in the spring, 2016 but his legacy lives on through the Foote Fellow Honors Program that recognizes the most educationally accomplished incoming students at the University of Miami. Foote Fellows have distinguished themselves both in and out of the classroom at their previous schools, are self-motivated, and think independently. Foote Fellows enjoy unmatched freedom and flexibility to explore a multitude of educational resources within the curricular framework of their school or college. Many Foote Fellows leverage this opportunity to pursue additional majors and/or minors and to study abroad.

The School of Education and Human Development (SEHD) offers a first year inter-disciplinary seminar exclusively for Foote Fellows lead by the dean of the school.

Foote Fellows have preferential advising for course registration with their advisor, Associate Dean, Gina Astorini. Dean Astorini assists Foote Fellows to chart their academic path and to attain access to distinctive learning opportunities at the University, such as special school-based seminars, faculty-mentored research, networking opportunities, and off-campus internships. They also have early registration appointments thus providing optimal access to the most exciting and popular courses on campus.
Foote Fellows are invited to participate in the Research Honors Program. This is a two year program where students complete the following components:

- 2 consecutive semesters of faculty mentored research (2-credits each semester)
- A Thesis (20 page minimum-faculty mentored)
- Seminar and poster presentation at the Undergraduate Research, Creativity and Innovation Forum in the spring
- Students who complete the program will have their transcripts stamped with Research Honors Designation.

The SEHD has partnered with the Melissa Institute of Miami. The Melissa Institute, conducts research and sponsors conferences, forums and seminars throughout the year addressing school bullying, domestic violence, prevention, education, awareness and community engagement directed at reducing violence. The SEHD, through the generosity of the Melissa Institute, offers complimentary tickets to Foote Fellow students in our program to attend these conferences/seminars during the semester.

Foote Fellows are invited to join advanced, interdisciplinary Foote Fellow seminars taught by leading faculty members from across the University. An example is Books That Matter, a rigorous seminar in non-fiction reading that is offered in sessions for first-year and for upper-class students. Additionally, Foote Fellows benefit from early move-in to the residential colleges and receive focused advising on post-baccalaureate distinguished fellowships and awards.

The Foote Fellow Program will provide an enriching experience for students who have been accepted by UM.

**Honors Program in Exercise Physiology (HPEP)**

The Kinesiology and Sport Sciences Department offers an accelerated Master degree program for students who have completed their 4-year undergraduate program in Exercise Physiology. It allows students to complete a Masters degree in Applied Exercise Physiology within one year of earning a BS degree in Exercise Physiology.

The additional year of study will enable students to complete all requirements leading to a Master of Science degree in the School of Education and Human Development (M.S. Ed.). Applicants must be in the top 10% of their high school graduating class. Students must have a combined Math and Verbal SAT score of 1300 or an ACT score above 30 and an unweighted minimum GPA of 3.0 or above. The Exercise Physiology and HPEP application forms and supporting materials must be submitted no later than September 1st of the applicant's senior year. A review of completed applications will begin by the end of September.

For further information and application forms please visit this website (http://www.miami.edu/dualdegree/).

**Educational and Psychological Studies**

Dept. Code: EPS

**Bachelor of Science in Education: Human and Social Development**

The major in Human and Social Development (HSD) focuses on the promotion of healthy development and well-being. It prepares students to work with people in multiple contexts and settings:

- health and human services
- schools, universities, and community programs
- government and non-government agencies
- grass-roots movements
- socially responsible business and entrepreneurial organizations

By exploring the scholarly and practical interconnections among individual, interpersonal, and community approaches to change, students learn to identify barriers to well-being and to implement effective change-oriented strategies and policies. HSD coursework emphasizes theory, research, and skills. It culminates in a practicum in a setting related to students' area of interest and prepares them for both graduate studies and careers.

Students choose between three areas of concentration (tracks).

- **Track I: Introduction to Counseling** (Track Code: HSDI)
  This track emphasizes individual, relational, and family well-being. Focusing on context and diversity in mental health and on strength-based, preventive, and empowering approaches, courses cover family studies, counseling theories and techniques, interviewing skills, and the basics of human service work. Students are well-prepared for graduate study in the helping professions and careers in health and human services.

- **Track II: Community and Program Development** (Track Code: HSDC)
  This track promotes healthy individual and community development by emphasizing how social, institutional, and community dynamics affect personal well-being. Stressing the role of non-government agencies in fostering well-being for people with diverse backgrounds, HSDC prepares students to diagnose institutional and community challenges and offer strategies for positive change. Courses include community-focused
planning, needs assessment, and change strategies and nonprofit program development, implementation, and evaluation. Students are well prepared for graduate study in community psychology and public policy and careers in community organizations.

- **Track III: Human and Social Development Studies (Track Code: HSDS)**
  This is a general track which offers a menu of courses relating to individual and community development. HSDS students are free to combine classes from the Individual (HSDI) and Community (HSDC) tracks. This track meets the needs of students who seek greater flexibility in course work and are less concerned with specializing in the individual or community tracks.

HSD students must declare an approved second major or a minor either in the School of Education or through any other school or college.

**Requirements for Graduation**

**Bachelor of Science in Education**

I. Candidates for B.S.Ed. in the School of Education and Human Development must complete the credit hours of work and achieve the quality point average specified for students in the University at large as stated in the section ACADEMIC REGULATIONS AND PROCEDURES, subject to regulations concerning the major specified in departmental and program sections of this Bulletin.

Exempted is interpreted to refer exclusively to those exemptions provided under the following headings:

- Advanced Standing and Placement (Credit Hour Granted);
- Credit by Examination;
- Advanced Placement (by proficiency examination);
- Statement of Foreign Language Requirements;

II. Except where a required course is one designated to correct a deficiency in his/her college preparation, the student may apply the credit hours of any required course from which he is exempted toward the credit hours specified for that subject as a general requirement for graduation and, upon payment of a recording fee, toward the 120 credit hours required for graduation. (See Departmental Proficiency Examinations.) An exemption may be granted for ENG 105, but these credit hours may not be applied toward the 120 credit hours required for graduation.

III. Credit Only. Only free electives may be taken under this option. Courses which satisfy the major, minor, the distributions of the School, the General Education Requirements of the University or any course for which a C or better is required may not be taken for credit only.

IV. Transferred credit hour may not count toward the completion of a major without the written approval of the Associate Dean of the School of Education and Human Development.

V. Required Areas of Study

1. **English Composition 3 – 6 credit hours**
   Students fulfill this requirement by satisfactorily completing ENG 105 and ENG 106 or its equivalent. Appropriate Advanced Placement (AP) or International Baccalaureate (IB) scores in English composition may be used to satisfy the ENG 105/ENG 106 requirement. An appropriate score on the SAT or ACT verbal examination may earn a student exemption from, but not credit hour in, ENG 105. Appropriate scores on other tests determined by the Department of English may earn a student exemption from, but not credit hour in, ENG 105. Courses satisfying the English Composition requirement may not be used to fulfill the Advanced Writing and Communication Requirement.

2. **Mathematics**
   B.S.Ed. degree candidates in the Department of Educational and Psychological Studies are required to take EPS 351. This course fulfills a Math requirement for the HSD major. Prior to taking EPS 351, students must complete MTH 101 or be exempt from MTH 101 based on any of the following tests: AP, IB, or an examination administered by the Department of Mathematics.

3. **Foreign Languages (not applicable)**

**Areas of Knowledge and Cognate Requirements**

The University of Miami’s General Education requirements ensure that graduates have acquired essential intellectual skills and have engaged a range of academic disciplines. All new students will fulfill the General Education requirements by selecting a Cognate, which is a cluster of courses arranged by their content, field and interest.

- A cognate is a group of at least three related courses for at least 9 credit hours.
- The courses in a cognate are related in a topical, thematic, interdisciplinary, sequential, or other such fashion, so that completion of a cognate provides coherent depth of knowledge in the area.
- Students must take three cognates to fulfill the Areas of Knowledge requirement, one in the **Arts & Humanities (A&H)**, one in **People & Society (P&S)**, and one in **Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics (STEM)**.
- Each cognate has course options that allow students to complete the cognate in ways that meet their individual interests, while staying within the coherent focus of the cognate.
• In addition to the cognates that have been designed by faculty, each major and minor fulfills the cognate requirement in that one area.
  • Exercise Physiology and Athletic Training majors will fulfill the STEM cognate.
  • Sport Administration, Human and Social Development, and Elementary/ESE majors will fulfill the P&S cognate.
• An approved list of cognates can be found on the University of Miami website.

VI. Advanced Writing and Communication Skills Requirement

Every student majoring in Human and Social Development, will meet the Advanced Writing and Communication Requirement upon fulfillment of their major courses. These courses have a prerequisite requirement of ENG 105 and ENG 106 and will be identified as either writing intensive or as an oral/verbal communication proficiency course or both. Digital competency for both written and oral competencies will be assessed. Writing intensive courses require a minimum of 2500 written words; assignments will be assessed for analytical ability, synthesis of information, grammar, content and style. Courses designated as an oral/verbal proficiency class will provide students an opportunity to demonstrate their presentation skills using accurate standard English structure and syntax, non-verbal cues and gestures, as well as audience appropriate language. Courses in the HSD major which meet the Advanced Writing and Communication Skills Requirement are EPS 321, EPS 371 and EPS 579.

VII. Major in Human and Social Development

• Every candidate for the B.S.Ed. degree in the Department of Educational and Psychological Studies must choose a major in Human and Social Development.
• Students choose among three areas of concentration:
  • Track I – Introduction to Counseling (HSDI);
  • Track II – Community and Program Development (HSDC);
  • Track III – Human and Social Development Studies (HSDS).
   To find the requirements for the major, consult this Bulletin under the discipline concerned, and confer with the designated departmental representative.
• Students majoring in HSD must complete a Diversity requirement that is fulfilled by taking one of the following courses: EPS 411, EPS 412, or EPS 430. Students should discuss this requirement with their advisor.
• HSD majors must maintain a minimum overall grade point average of 2.0 with a grade of "C" or better in all courses in the major.
• HSD students must declare an approved second major or a minor in the School of Education and Human Development or through any other UM school or college.

VIII. Minor

B.S.Ed. majors in Human and Social Development are required to declare a minor.

IX. Electives

Electives may be chosen from any courses offered by the University. The student should consult an advisor before selecting elective courses. At least 6 credit hours must be at the 300 level or above.

X. Senior Assessment

Seniors are required to participate in the General Education Assessment prior to graduation as part of the SACS review process.

For further information, address all inquiries to:

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School of Education and Human Development
P. O. Box 248065
University of Miami
Coral Gables, Florida 33124
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EPS 201. Psychosocial Change and Well-being. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to personal and interpersonal approaches to well-being. Includes theoretical, historical, philosophical, and psychological bases of well-being. Emphasis will be placed on real-life applications of theory and practice to the promotion of psychosocial change and well-being.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
EPS 270. Lifespan Human Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Processes and theories of human development from birth to old age are explored. Areas to be covered include: physical development, cognitive development, social and personality development, moral development, and language development. Emphasis is placed on development as a life-long process and its importance in understanding human behavior.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPS 280. Introduction to Family Studies: Dating, Coupling, Parenting. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory and practice of romantic relationships and parent-child relationships, including discussion and skills building. Research based information on how to maximize the quality of these interpersonal relationships will be examined.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPS 291. Community and Character Development. 3 Credit Hours.
The course covers moral and psychological dimensions pertaining to character development as it occurs in communities. Topics include contemporary theory and research regarding perspectives on virtue and morality, states of character, ethical decision making, and character development. The reciprocal relationships between character and community will be a central theme in exploring ethical issues that arise in working with individuals, institutions, and communities. Theory and research will be linked to relevant applications.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 306. Insanity and Humanity: Mental Illness, Society, Stigma and Services. 3 Credit Hours.
The genesis for this course was the generally poor, inaccurate and stigmatized understanding of mental illness in society based on portrayals in popular media including Hollywood produced films. However, over the past several years the depth and accuracy of awareness and knowledge has changed, as the depiction of mental illness and treatment services in films has improved and the availability of narrative accounts has increased. This course is designed to allow Human and Social Development majors, with a particular interest in wellness and human services, to explore varying portrayals of mental illnesses in popular media. The course will foster critical analysis of narrative and film depictions of illness, as well as connect these depictions to a broader narrative on stigma, social determinants of illness and wellness, prevention and intervention.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

EPS 311. Group Processes and Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Research findings concerning the nature of small groups and patterns of behavior associated with them are explored. Students experience an ongoing group process to which theories and concepts can be applied. Emphasis is placed on learning to be a participant observer of group behavior and processes, learning about one’s own behavior in groups, and developing skills to be a more effective member and leader in task groups.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 321. Understanding Human Service Organizations. 3 Credit Hours.
Focus on unique role of community-bases human services organizations in society with an overview and history of community organizations, which provide services, support, advocacy, and organizing in today’s communities. Review of the systems, cultures, structures, and processes of community organizations with a special emphasis on promoting well-being in communities. This course has a 10 hours field research experience requirement.
This course is a designated Upper Level Communication Requirement; advanced written, digital and/or oral communication proficiencies will be emphasized in this course. Credit for ENG 105 and ENG 106 (or equivalent), is required for this course.
Prerequisite: EPS 201 or Co-requisite: EPS 311.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 340. Psychology and Sociology of Sexual Identity. 3 Credit Hours.
History, psychology, and sociology of gay, lesbian, and transgendered populations.
Prerequisite: PSY 110 or SOC 101.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
EPS 351. Introduction to Statistics and Research Design. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will cover basic statistics relevant to the social sciences (e.g., central tendency, variation, t-tests, correlations), with emphasis on real world applications employing commonly used research designs. Students will acquire the tools necessary to interpret elementary statistical analyses and a foundation in the basic analytic methods used in conducting quantitative research in the behavioral sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
EPS 360. Educational Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
A review of basic educational psychology principles including cognitive and language development, personal, social and moral development, learning theories, and motivation. A review of basic concepts that contribute to effective learning and other aspects of education.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
EPS 361. Community Psychology and Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Community psychology is about the prevention of psychosocial problems and the promotion of mental health and well being through the creation of equitable and just social settings, neighborhoods, communities, and societies. Course topics include: stress and social support; oppression and human diversity; primary prevention, social intervention and health promotion; self-help; mediating structures; community mental health; alternative settings; community development and social change.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
EPS 365. Psychological Study of Children, Families, and the Law. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce students to the psychological research and practice that has a bearing on legal policy and practice. Psychological research (social, clinical, developmental, and community) will be emphasized along with legal rulings, especially from the Supreme Court. Throughout the course, the underlying question will be, "How can psychological research and theory inform the law in matters that relate to children, families, and communities?"
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
EPS 371. Applied Social Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of the ethics, philosophies, designs, methods and techniques of research in the behavioral and social sciences. This course provides a brief orientation to quantitative, qualitative, mixed-methods, and participatory research designs and approaches used in the collection, analysis and interpretation of social research data. This course is a designated Upper Level Communication Requirement; advanced written, digital and/or oral communication proficiencies will be emphasized in this course. Credit for ENG 105 and ENG 106 (or equivalent), is required for this course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
EPS 411. The Psychology of Diversity. 3 Credit Hours.
This course critically examines how diversity and social justice issues impact everyday life. The focus is on how personal, group, and cultural identities (race, ethnicity, gender, sexual orientation, age, disability, religion, immigration status, and social class), and the intersections of these identities influence individuals’ lives and experiences. This is primarily a survey course, designed to introduce major concepts, models, theories, and research that emanate from the literature on diversity and multicultural psychology. This is a critical backdrop to prepare students to be multiculturally responsive in this increasingly global society. Borrowing from history, cultural anthropology, social psychology, indigenous psychology, counseling psychology, and general psychology, the curriculum will engage students in theoretical, research-based, and experiential exercises in order to develop a comprehensive understanding that will lead to culturally responsive and ethical mindsets and practice.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
EPS 412. Migration, Well Being, and Human Development. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the social and psychological processes involved in migration and issues relevant to well-being of diverse immigrant groups including immigration policies, the psychology of immigration and acculturation, ethnic identities, issues in immigrant families, immigrant communities, educational, health, and mental health issues.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
EPS 420. Introduction to Counseling and Psychotherapy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is a survey of the theories and practical applications of counseling and psychotherapy. Students will acquire an understanding of a variety of theories of psychotherapy, the basic requirements and skills for effective, ethical counseling, and an appreciation for the role of values and human differences in counseling and psychotherapy. This course does not prepare students for practice in mental health professions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPS 430. Intergroup Dialogues. 3 Credit Hours.
The Intergroup Dialogue course will provide an opportunity for students to engage in dialogue across difference. Students will have the opportunity to learn about and discuss social identities and intersectionality in relation to various social identities, with a focus on social justice. The course will focus on understanding of perspectives and ideas that facilitate intellectual advancement as well as personal development as members of the UM community, and the larger community in which we are situated. Note: the focal social identity varies by class section: please refer to the Class Notes for information on the social identity that will be the main focus of this section.
Components: IDG.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPS 440. Listening and Helping Skills. 3 Credit Hours.
Listening and Helping Skills is an introductory course to the foundational skills used in helping relationships. Through lectures, discussions and role-plays, students will learn the rationale behind basic helping skills and their application to diverse settings and contexts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 452. Community Program Development and Evaluation. 3 Credit Hours.
This course addresses the theoretical and practical principles of designing, planning, implementing, and evaluating programs in community-based settings. The students will learn about prevention, effective program development, program approaches, program components, program evaluation, and cultural proficiency in program development and evaluation. Students will acquire and practice skills for becoming effective workers and leaders in community-based agencies. The course will consist of readings, presentations, and applied knowledge.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 462. Community Consultation and Leadership. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will cover strength based, preventive, empowering approaches to institutional and community change, and will address related skills, stages, processes and outcomes; Conflict resolution, facilitation, strategic planning, visioning, advocacy, change management, and community mobilization will be studied and practiced in class.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 504. Mentored Research Studies. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Under the guidance of EPS faculty and graduate students, undergraduate students, will have an opportunity to get involved in various components of research study; gain valuable knowledge and research experience; and expand their undergraduate academic experience.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPS 533. Organization and Administration of Higher Education I. 3 Credit Hours.
Theoretical approaches from organizational analysis. Applications to problems, processes, and patterns of higher education institutions. Consideration given to legal status, governance patterns, and external relations. Administrator, faculty, trustee, and student roles are also explored.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 578. Human and Social Development Practicum. 3-6 Credit Hours.
The practicum serves an integrative function: it allows students to apply their academic training, to further develop their career goals, and to hone their skills while gaining experience in real-world settings. Practica are unpaid, supervised experiences. Students choose from a menu of settings that have been approved as HSD practicum sites and spend a minimum of 120 hours (3 credits) or 250 hours (6 credits) at their chose setting over the course of the semester. Must be taken concurrently with EPS 481.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
EPS 579. Human and Social Development Practicum Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
The Practicum Seminar brings theory and research to bear on the student's practicum experiences, and provides a forum for further professional skill development and growth. Students will complete a major project integrating their experiences. This course is a designated Upper Level Communication Requirement; advanced written, digital and/or oral communication proficiencies will be emphasized in this course. Credit for ENG 105 and ENG 106 (or equivalent), is required for this course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 587. Special Topics in Human and Social Development. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed for students wishing to focus on a specific area of study within the umbrella of Human and Social Development. Topics will be offered based on current trends in the field as well as student and faculty interest. Students will be given supervision and support in a structured seminar setting.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 589. Individual Study. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual work on a special project under faculty guidance.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPS 592. Workshop in Education. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Study in special interest areas in education.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

EPS 593. Workshop in Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Study in special interest areas in education.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPS 595. Research Project I. 2 Credit Hours.
This course is restricted to students in the SEHD who have been accepted into the Research Honors Program and are working with a Faculty mentor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPS 596. Research Project II. 2 Credit Hours.
This course is restricted to students in the SEHD who have been accepted into the Research Honors Program and are working with a Faculty mentor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

EPS 597. Research Project - Thesis Writing. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course is restricted to students in the SEHD who have been accepted into the Research Honors Program and are working with a Faculty mentor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

EPS 598. Research Project - Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is restricted to students in the SEHD who have been accepted into the Research Honors Program and are working with a Faculty mentor. Students are required to present at the undergraduate Research, Creativity, and Innovation Forum.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

EPS 599. Individual Study. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual work on a special project under faculty guidance.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
B.S.Ed. in Community and Applied Psychological Studies

Overview

The major in Community and Applied Psychological Studies (CAPS) focuses on the promotion of healthy development and well-being. It prepares students to work with people in multiple contexts and settings:

- health and human services
- schools, universities, and community programs
- government and non-government agencies
- grass-roots movements
- socially responsible business and entrepreneurial organizations

By exploring the scholarly and practical interconnections among individual, interpersonal, social, and community approaches to change, students learn to identify barriers to well-being and to implement effective change-oriented strategies and policies. CAPS coursework emphasizes theory, research, and skills. It culminates in a practicum in a setting related to students' area of interest and prepares them for both graduate studies and careers.

Students choose between three areas of concentration (tracks).

- **Track I: Individual and Relational Development (Track Code: HSDI)**
  This track emphasizes individual, relational, and family well-being. Focusing on context and diversity in mental health and on strength-based, preventive, and empowering approaches, courses cover family studies, counseling theories and techniques, interviewing skills, and the basics of human service work. Students are well-prepared for graduate study in the helping professions and careers in health and human services.

- **Track II: Community and Program Development (Track Code: HSDC)**
  This track promotes healthy individual and community development by emphasizing how social, institutional, and community dynamics affect personal well-being. Stressing the role of non-government agencies in fostering well-being for people with diverse backgrounds, HSDC prepares students to diagnose institutional and community challenges and offer strategies for positive change. Courses include community-focused planning, needs assessment, and change strategies and nonprofit program development, implementation, and evaluation. Students are well prepared for graduate study in community psychology and public policy and careers in community organizations.

- **Track III: Human and Social Development Studies (Track Code: HSDS)**
  This is a general track which offers a menu of courses relating to individual and community development. HSDS students are free to combine classes from the Individual (HSDI) and Community (HSDC) tracks. This track meets the needs of students who seek greater flexibility in course work and are less concerned with specializing in the individual or community tracks.

CAPS students must declare an approved second major or a minor either in the School of Education or through any other school or college.

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Mission

The major in Community and Applied Psychological Studies (CAPS) seeks to train leading thinkers, professionals, and future scholars in the pursuit of innovative, scientific, and practical approaches to the promotion of healthy development and well-being. Students are exposed to scholarly and applied knowledge bases regarding the interconnectedness of personal, interpersonal, institutional, and community change, barriers to healthy development and well-being at these levels, and strategies and policies that promote well-being in individuals, families, and communities.

Goals

The CAPS major prepares students to enter competitive graduate programs and to work with people in multiple contexts and settings, including:

- health and human services
- schools, universities, and community programs
- government and non-government agencies
- grass-roots movements
- socially responsible corporations.

Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will demonstrate in-depth knowledge of the field including intrapersonal, interpersonal, institutional, and community development and well-being; common barriers to well-being at various ecological levels; and strategies to promote healthy development and well-being in individuals, institutions, and communities.
- Students will demonstrate reflective and critical thinking skills.
- Students will demonstrate superior and skillful writing proficiency using language and grammar accurately, efficiently and effectively.

Minor in Human and Social Development

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* The requirements of the minor are 15 credit hours with a grade of C or better.
  Nine of these 15 credit hours must be earned at the University of Miami; with prior approval, three of these nine may be taken through the UM Study Abroad Program.

** All transfer course equivalencies, (up to 6 credits), must be approved by the EPS department.

*** The undergraduate coursework in Human and Social Development is open to all qualified University of Miami students.
Determination for using these courses as a minor, as a specialization, and/or as electives in any program, is made by the individual student’s degree granting college or school.

## Kinesiology and Sport Sciences

Dept. Code: KIN

The School of Education and Human Development offers undergraduate studies in the Kinesiology and Sport Sciences Department. The Department provides some of the strongest programs in the field, providing a structured classroom setting immersed in theory and knowledge with clinical and practical experiences. The department is committed to fostering unique and collaborative efforts within our diverse University community. Students are encouraged to engage in various work and clinical experiences including opportunities at the Medical School, the Miami Project to cure paralysis, UM Varsity Athletics Department, South Florida sports industry, Sports Medicine Clinics, Veterans Administration Hospital, and local high schools. Students can choose to major in one of the following areas:

- Exercise Physiology (with a pre-medical or pre-physical therapy track)
- Sport Administration

## Bachelor of Science in Education

I. Candidates for B.S.Ed. in the School of Education and Human Development must complete the credit hours of work and achieve the quality point average specified for students in the University at large as stated in the section ACADEMIC REGULATIONS AND PROCEDURES, subject to regulations concerning the major specified in departmental and program sections of this Bulletin. Exempted is interpreted to refer exclusively to those exemptions provided under the following headings:

- Advanced Standing and Placement (Credit Hour Granted);
- Credit by Examination;
- Advanced Placement (by proficiency examination);
- Statement of Foreign Language Requirements;

II. Except where a required course is one designated to correct a deficiency in his/her college preparation, the student may apply the credit hours of any required course from which he is exempted toward the credit hours specified for that subject as a general requirement for graduation and, upon payment of a recording fee, toward the 120 credit hours required for graduation. (See Departmental Proficiency Examinations.) An exemption may be granted for ENG 105, but these credit hours may not be applied toward the 120 credit hours required for graduation.

III. Credit Only

Only free electives may be taken under this option. Courses which satisfy the major, minor, the distributions of the School, the General Education Requirements of the University or any course for which a C or better is required may not be taken for credit only.

IV. Transferred credit hour may not count toward the completion of a major without the written approval of the Associate Dean of the School of Education and Human Development.

V. Required Areas of Study.

1. **English Composition**
   - Students must take ENG 105 and ENG 106 (or their equivalent) during the first year of enrollment in the School. Admission to ENG 105 requires a placement score acceptable to the Department of English. Students whose placement scores are deemed unacceptably low will be required to take the non-credit course, ENG 103, before taking ENG 105 and ENG 106. Students whose placement scores are high may be exempt from ENG 105 but not from ENG 106 or its equivalent.

2. **Mathematics**
   - B.S.Ed. degree candidates must complete MTH 113 or higher. Students who do not place directly into MTH 113 must enroll in either MTH 099 or MTH 101 based on results of placement tests. Statistics does not satisfy the Math requirement. B.S. in Athletic Training and B.S. in Exercise Physiology have different Math requirements. Please see specific program requirements.

3. **Foreign Languages (applicable to Sport Administration majors only)**
   - Students must earn at least 3 credit hours of a foreign language at the 200 course level or higher. Special 200-level courses are required of native speakers who choose to fulfill the language requirement. Two semesters of American Sign Language constitutes an acceptable alternative for the Foreign Language Requirement.

## Areas of Knowledge and Cognate Requirements

The University of Miami’s General Education requirements ensure that graduates have acquired essential intellectual skills and have engaged a range of academic disciplines. All new students will fulfill the General Education requirements by selecting a Cognate, which is a cluster of courses arranged by their content, field and interest.
A cognate is a group of at least three related courses for at least 9 credit hours.

- The courses in a cognate are related in a topical, thematic, interdisciplinary, sequential, or other such fashion, so that completion of a cognate provides coherent depth of knowledge in the area.
- Students must take three cognates to fulfill the Areas of Knowledge requirement,
  - one in the Arts & Humanities (A&H),
  - one in People & Society (P&S), and
  - one in Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics (STEM).

- Each cognate has course options that allow students to complete the cognate in ways that meet their individual interests, while staying within the coherent focus of the cognate.
- In addition to the cognates that have been designed by faculty, each major and minor fulfills the cognate requirement in one area.
  - Exercise Physiology and Athletic Training majors will fulfill the STEM cognate.
  - Sport Administration, Human and Social Development, and Elementary/ESE majors will fulfill the P&S cognate.
- An approved list of cognates can be found on the University of Miami website.

VI. Advanced Writing and Communication Requirement

Every student majoring in a program from the Kinesiology and Sport Sciences Department will meet the Advanced Writing and Communication Requirement upon fulfillment of the courses for that major. These courses have a prerequisite of ENG 105 and ENG 106 and will be identified as either writing intensive or as an oral/verbal communication proficiency course or both. Digital competency for both written and oral components will be assessed. Writing intensive courses require a minimum of 2500 written words; assignments will be assessed for analytical ability, synthesis of information, grammar, content and style. Courses designated as an oral/verbal proficiency class will provide students an opportunity to demonstrate their presentation skills using accurate standard English structure and syntax, non-verbal cues and gestures, as well as audience appropriate language. The following courses meet the Advanced Writing and Communication Skills Requirement for the major:

- Athletic Training: KIN 250 and KIN 260
- Exercise Physiology: KIN 365 and KIN 457
- Sport Administration: KIN 308 and KIN 498

VII. Majors

Every candidate for the B.S. Athletic Training degree must choose Athletic Training as a major. Every candidate for the B.S. EXPH degree must choose Exercise Physiology as a major. Every candidate for the B.S. Ed. degree must choose a major in Sport Administration. To find the requirements for the major, consult this Bulletin under the discipline concerned, and confer with the designated departmental representative.

The choice of majors should be made no later than the beginning of the junior year and must be approved by the major department. Any student making unsatisfactory progress in a major may be required to change his/her major or to relinquish candidacy for the degree.

Students who are majoring in either Athletic Training or Exercise Physiology must be Students in the School of Education and Human Development. Students who are double majoring with any program must have the first major declared as either Athletic Training or Exercise Physiology.

VIII. Minors

B.S. Ed. majors in Sport Administration and B.S. EXPS majors in Exercise Physiology are required to declare a minor. Sport Administration students require department approval before declaring a minor. Exercise Physiology students may choose not to declare a minor if following the pre-med track. Students must complete all of the pre-med courses in order to be waived from the minor requirement. Please consult an advisor for clarification of this requirement.

Athletic Training majors are not required to have a minor.

IX. Electives

Electives may be chosen from any courses offered by the University. The student should consult an advisor before selecting elective courses. At least 6 credit hours must be at the 300 level or above.

X. Senior Assessment

Seniors are required to participate in the General Education Assessment prior to graduation as part of the SACS review process.

Minors

A minor in any of the three areas below consists of 15 credit hours:

Exercise Physiology
Sport Administration

Sports Medicine

- A grade of C or better is required for each course applied toward the minor; the overall grade point average for the minor must be 2.5 or above.
- The undergraduate coursework in Exercise Physiology, Sports Medicine, and Sport Administration are open to all qualified University of Miami students. A student can minor in either Exercise Physiology or Sports Medicine but not both.
- Athletic Training majors are not allowed to minor in Sports Medicine.
- Determination for using these courses as a minor, as a specialization, and/or as electives in any program, is made by the individual student's degree granting college or school.
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For further information, address all inquiries to:

Associate Dean
School of Education and Human Development
P. O. Box 248065
University of Miami
Coral Gables, Florida 33124
Telephone: (305) 284-3711

KIN 100. Leadership, Management, and Ethics in Sports. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will gain an understanding of skills and philosophies of leadership, management, and ethic necessary for a position in the sport industry.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

KIN 105. Introduction to Athletic Training and Sports Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
In this practical, hands-on course, the students will learn to identify basic sport injuries that afflict the major joints of the body, and review basic methods to treat these injuries. The student will also learn how nutrition, improper biomechanics, and poor training can all impact sport performance. Plus, participants will be given the opportunity to learn and practice techniques or procedures (such as athletic taping or bracing) that may be useful in minimizing the incidence of injury.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

KIN 110. Translational Health in Nutrition and Kinesiology. 3 Credit Hours.
This class will consist of an introduction to the field of Sports Medicine and Exercise Science. Basic information relevant to appropriate exercise prescription, proper nutritional habits, implications on health, longevity and performance will be addressed. Hands-on practical experiences will supplement theoretical concepts learned in the classroom setting.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

KIN 137. Introduction to the Theory, Application, and Practice of Yoga. 2 Credit Hours.
A critical examination of theories underlying yoga practice, benefits of different styles, using specific techniques to target practitioners’ needs.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

KIN 140. Introduction to Athletic Training. 2 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the profession of athletic training. Introduction to Athletic Training with emphasis on study of the sports medicine team, legal concerns, nutrition, and pre-participation physicals. Course will discuss the basic principles of injury prevention including the role of conditioning, equipment, and protective padding. Emphasis will be familiarization with various community and university agencies, as well as the University of Miami athletic training staff, and policies and procedures used in the clinic/athletic facilities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
KIN 141. Introduction to Athletic Training Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
Introduction to clinical athletic training for pre-athletic training major. Hands-on knowledge for the entry level athletic training student. Observation hours in the athletic training room will give the student the opportunity to use the knowledge, skills, and techniques learned in this course. The student must complete 35 clinical observation hours. There is a $65 lab fee for this class. Corequisite: KIN 140. Requisite: ATHT, PAT Majors only and a Sophomore Status.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 145. Responding to Emergencies. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will become familiar with accident, injury, and illness situations, techniques for immediate first aid, and legal parameters involved when administering emergency care. There is a $45 lab fee for this class. Requisite: ATHT Majors only and Sophomore Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 150. General Nutrition for Health and Performance. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals and theories of nutrition with a specific focus on nutrition for both sports and fitness.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 155. Biological Bases for Physical Activity and Health. 3 Credit Hours.
This course serves as an introduction to the field of exercise physiology. Students will learn the biological need for physical activity, discuss specific mechanisms on how physical activity reduces disease risk and understand the relationship between physical activity and chronic diseases such as coronary heart disease, obesity, diabetes, cancer, aging and mental health.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 184. Athletic and Sport Injuries. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will become familiar with athletic injuries in sports that occur over the principal joints in the body and the inclusion of anatomical structures that are frequently damaged. Basic operational treatments and rehabilitation programs after surgery will be discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 200. Survey of Sports Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will examine the employment opportunities and skills needed in professional, collegiate, and amateur sports as well as the health and fitness industry.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

KIN 201. Introduction to Sport Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic overview of the fields of sport management. Majors must receive a grade of C or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 202. Applied Nutrition for Health and Performance. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of nutrition, diet analysis, biochemical processes in energy metabolism, nutrition and health problems, and nutrition as it relates to physical performance. The class will have 3 sections: 1) nutritional links to chronic disease; 2) nutrition before, during and after exercise bout; and 3) nutritional supplements for health and performance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
**KIN 203. Introduction to Gaming and Casino Management. 3 Credit Hours.**
The course will focus on the management of gaming and casino operations. Gambling has emerged as a major segment of the sport industry, comprising 10% of sport expenditures and injecting over $20B annually into the economy. Students will be exposed to the managerial requirements and organizational structures of various gaming operations. They will also learn about the history of the gaming industry and its impact on the South Florida and the Caribbean economy. The course will provide an introductory level of knowledge regarding the managerial nuances which make working within the industry unique to the traditional sport business environments.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**KIN 204. Administration of Collegiate Athletics. 3 Credit Hours.**
A comprehensive overview of all aspects of the administration of college athletics programs, with emphasis of various components contained within. Course will include lecture, group activities and expert guest speakers.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**KIN 205. Sports Sales. 3 Credit Hours.**
The focus of this class is to examine the sales process and best practices in ticket sales and other forms of revenue generation. This course will provide hands-on experience featuring ticket sales 101, guest speakers, individual and group role-playing to simulate sales calls and will culminate with students entering The Sports Sales Tank.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**KIN 206. Sport Facilities and Event Management. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course is an overview of the policy and procedures necessary to organize and develop sport events and facilities. In depth review of all programs, functions and procedures necessary for the operation of events and facilities are examined.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**KIN 210. Foundations in Athletic Training. 2 Credit Hours.**
Students will be introduced to the study of etiology and mechanisms of injury, pathology, and recognition of clinical signs and symptoms of athletic injury. The student must complete 50 clinical observation hours, which are required for the retention process of the Athletic Training Program. Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Spring.

**KIN 211. Introduction to Campus Recreation. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course is an introductory course and provides a broad overview of campus recreation. It will include information on how to plan, and execute programs such as intramurals, club sports and fitness and wellness. Risk management will be stressed in every aspect in the field along with other important topics such as sponsorships, budgeting, and evaluating programs and employees. Students will gain an understanding of what campus recreation is and its importance to a healthy lifestyle on campus.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**KIN 212. Elements of Sports Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.**
Introduction to the field of sport and exercise psychology by examination of psychological theories and research related to sport and exercise behavior.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**KIN 221. Exercise Physiology: Biochemistry and Skeletal Muscle. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course will offer an overview of the biochemistry pertaining to neuroendocrine responses, nutrition, and neuromuscular function; as well as the physiological and biochemical plasticity within skeletal muscle associated with various interventions, diseases, injuries, and aging. Majors must receive a grade of B- or higher.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.
KIN 222. Exercise Physiology Laboratory Practicum: Neuromuscular. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the nature of data collection in exercise physiology. Students will receive information on collection theory and its application to the measurement of a number of physiological systems during exercise. The course is designed to establish a clear linkage between the chronic and acute changes that occur during exercise and the laboratory methods that are used to assess those changes. Co-requisite: KIN 221.

Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 230. Medical Terminology and Documentation. 1 Credit Hour.
Terminology, note writing, and documentation techniques in sports medicine. A treatment cycle model will be introduced.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 232. Basic Human Physiology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course presents a general overview of the major systems of the human organism with an examination of how they function in the human body. Majors must receive C or higher.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 233. Basic Anatomy Lab. 2 Credit Hours.
This course presents a general overview of the anatomy of the major body systems, such as the skeletal, muscular, cardiovascular, nervous, digestive, respiratory and reproductive systems as well as the integumentary system and special senses.

Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 234. Functional Human Anatomy. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of human anatomy specifically for the sports medicine practitioner.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 235. Personal and Community Health. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of current strategies and practices for healthy living, including health maintenance and disease prevention.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 245. Kinesiology. 3 Credit Hours.
Structure and function of Neurology, Osteology, Arthrology and Myology, with emphasis on the mechanics of the movement of the human body.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 250. Orthopedic Assessment: Lower Extremity. 3 Credit Hours.
Common types of orthopedic/sports dysfunctions to the lower extremity will be discussed. Injuries will be discussed from the following viewpoints: etiology and mechanism of injury, pathology, recognition and evaluation techniques, protocols, and prevention.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 251. Orthopedic Assessment: Lower Extremity Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
Techniques used to evaluate orthopedic and sports injuries occurring to the lower extremity. The student must complete 100 clinical education hours. Clinical education hours will emphasize lower extremity orthopedic assessment, goniometry, manual muscle testing techniques, and gait evaluations.

Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
KIN 256. Globalization of Sport. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address the intertwined relationship between globalization, sport, and development from a critical global perspective. This course highlights the extent to which contemporary sport cultures are the result of an interplay between local and global forces. We will explore the international character of professional and amateur sports including international competitions, league expansions beyond national boundaries, and the movement of athletes. Course topics include international sport organization, international competition, sport governance, international dispute resolution, international sports law, and new media.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 257. Research Experience in Exercise Physiology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides students the opportunity to be immersed in the research process within the discipline of exercise physiology. This includes the entire research process starting with conceptualization of the study and proceeding through research design, implementation (assessment and equipment use), data handling, statistical analysis, and culminating in preparation of manuscripts or presentations.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 260. Orthopedic Assessment: Upper Extremity. 3 Credit Hours.
Common types of orthopedic/sports dysfunctions to the upper extremity will be discussed. Injuries will be discussed from the following viewpoints: etiology and mechanism of injury, pathology, recognition and evaluation techniques, protocols, and prevention.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 261. Orthopedic Assessment: Upper Extremity Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
Techniques used to evaluate orthopedic and sports injuries occurring to the upper extremity. The student must complete 100 clinical education hours. Clinical education hours will emphasize upper extremity orthopedic assessment, goniometry, and manual muscle testing techniques.
Corequisite: KIN 260.

Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 264. General Medical Conditions Evaluation. 2 Credit Hours.
This class is the study of the clinical signs and symptoms of General Medical conditions that will present to the Certified Athletic Trainer. Emphasis will be placed on the techniques and instrumentation used for performing appropriate evaluation procedures.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 297. Practicum in Sport Administration. 1-3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive program of observation and supervised experience for one semester under the direction of a professional in the sports field. Supervised by Sport Administration program Internship Director. Course only open to Sport Administration Majors & Minors.

Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 301. Athletic Injuries and Sport First Aid. 3 Credit Hours.
Course will help coaches, camp counselors, teachers, personal trainers, and athletes of all levels to fulfill the role of being a competent first responder to athletic injuries and illnesses. Upon completion of this course, students will have knowledge of basic sport first aid skills, anatomy and sport injury terminology, and knowledge of specific athletic injuries and illnesses. These will include head injuries, sudden illnesses, weather-related problems, upper and lower body musculoskeletal injuries, respiratory emergencies and illnesses, and internal injuries. Students will also learn basic hands-on skills such as splinting, taping, and bracing as it relates to preventing and treating athletic injuries.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 302. Sport Marketing. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed as a marketing course that deals exclusively with Sport Marketing. Students are expected to develop comprehensive marketing and sponsorship plans. This course will require moderate to heavy computer knowledge. This course is designed to maximize the practical applications of marketing theory to the sport business environment.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
KIN 305. Careers in Sports. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide a basic overview of careers in the sports industry. Students will develop an understanding of the foundations of sport administration and various topics related to the professional growth within this field. The course will also provide basic fundamentals and skills to prepare students for potential employment within the sports world.

Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 306. Essential Leadership in Sports and the Professions. 3 Credit Hours.
A variety of leadership and management skills will be examined, including communication, problem solving, conflict management, group dynamics, and leadership theory. Practical application to sport and allied professions will be included. Self-assessment opportunities and exercises will be utilized.
Prerequisite: KIN 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 307. Motivational Strategies in Sport and the Professions. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will examine the concepts of motivation as it pertains to sport and leadership responsibilities in work environments. Principles of extrinsic and intrinsic motivation, peak performance, goal setting, motivation strategies, and theories will be integrated.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 308. Ethical Decision Making in Sport and the Professions. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will examine ethical dilemmas in decision-making and other contemporary issues in sports management and campus and community environment. Real and hypothetical situations will be utilized. This course is a designated Upper Level Communication Requirement. Advanced written, digital and/or oral communication proficiencies will be emphasized in this course. Credit for ENG 105 and ENG 106 (or equivalent) is required for this course.
Prerequisite: KIN 201 AND KIN 306.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 310. Adolescent Growth and Maturation. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an in-depth study of pediatric exercise physiology with special emphasis on growth, maturation, physical activity, and performance. Topics include a comprehensive summary of biological growth and maturation, processes that impact physical performance. Additionally, students will learn the basis of training pediatric populations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 321. Introduction to Systemic Exercise Physiology. 3 Credit Hours.
The structure, function, and training of the cardiorespiratory system. Special emphasis on structural changes in the systems with exercise and their influence on cardiovascular performance, body composition, exercise efficiency and health.
Requisite: EXPH or EXPS Major or Minor and Prerequisite: KIN 221 with a grade of C or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 322. Exercise Physiology Laboratory Practicum: Cardiorespiratory. 3 Credit Hours.
This course concentrates on collection of cardiorespiratory data. In addition, the application of these data to exercise prescription for specific athletic and non-athletic populations will be covered. Corequisite: ESS 321.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 330. Medical Terminology. 3 Credit Hours.
Terminology, note writing, and documentation techniques in sports medicine/athletic training.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.
KIN 340. Strength and Conditioning. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to Sport Specific Strength Training. Students will learn the practice of Olympic Weight Lifting and related exercise techniques.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 344. Gross Anatomy for Kinesiology and Sport Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Human dissection of the major muscles, arteries and nerves of the body.
Requisite: EXPH or EXPS Major or Minor and Prerequisite: KIN 233 with a grade of C or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 345. Kinesiology. 3 Credit Hours.
Structure and function of the skeletal, joint, and muscular systems, with emphasis on the mechanics of the movement of the human body and its relationship to sport and physical performance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 365. Exercise Programming. 3 Credit Hours.
This class is the study of the theory and principles behind the development of exercise programs. Students will learn how to accurately evaluate and develop individual exercise prescription based upon sound scientific research. Exercise prescriptions will be developed in accordance with the guidelines set forth by the National Strength and Conditioning Association and the American College of Sports Medicine. This course is a designated Upper Level Communication Requirement; Advanced written, digital and/or oral communication proficiencies will be emphasized in this course. Credit for ENG105 and ENG106 (or equivalent) is required for this course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 366. Exercise Physiology Laboratory: Assessment. 3 Credit Hours.
This lab course is designed to complement the ESS 365 lecture course (Principles of Exercise Prescription): Cardiovascular. Students will apply practical field assessments for body composition, aerobic capacity, muscular fitness, and joint range of motion, and will employ exercise strategies to improve each of the assessed fitness components. Students will also prescribe exercises to improve performance-based fitness, such as coordination, balance, agility, speed and power while learning proper exercise training techniques. Must be a declared Exercise Physiology (EXPH) major and receive a grade of "C" or better to satisfy requirements.
Requisite: EXPH or EXPS Major or Minor and Prerequisite: KIN 233 with a grade of C or higher.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 369. Introduction to Exercise Prescription. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will learn various assessment of health and wellness, and discover how to most effectively prescribe exercise strategies to treat the assess needs of an individual. This course provides the competencies required for cognate students to attain a personal training credential through accredited personal training certification agencies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 370. Sociocultural Aspects of Athletic Training and Sports Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
Sports Medicine can produce the “perfect storm” of unique medical situations that lead to ethical dilemmas. This class will explore topics of professional and moral behavior, cultural competence, foundational behaviors of professional practice, and ethical decision-making in the fields of Athletic Training and Sports Medicine. Students will be required to read numerous case studies and novels that depict these issues.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 399. Neuromuscular Basis for Training. 3 Credit Hours.
A critical examination of neuromuscular training techniques, their strengths, weaknesses and scientific bases.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
KIN 401. Legal Aspects of Sport. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will focus on legal issues applicable to sport administration, including tort law, risk management, negligence, and constitutional law. Relevant legal cases and concepts will be incorporated.
Prerequisite: KIN 201 + Sophomore or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 402. Sport Sponsorship and Promotion. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide a detailed examination of the relationship between sport and corporate sponsorship. Topics covered will include the theoretical premise of sponsorship, alignment marketing, strategic communication through sponsorship, determining the value of sponsorship, and evaluation of sponsorship activities. Perspectives from the property offering a sponsorship and from the organization functioning as the sponsor will be considered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

KIN 403. Sport Information Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course centers upon the development of those skills that are necessary for Sport Information Directors. Specifically, these traditionally include marketing, media, promotion, and public relations. This course hopes to provide detailed knowledge to allow the student to participate in these activities in a professional manner.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 405. Finance and Budget in Sport Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
This course seeks to develop those financial skills necessary to understand a wide variety of financial concepts that impact sport managers. Such topics would include but not be limited to: Sport franchise value/valuations; economic impact of sport; risk-return models; financial statement analysis, and budgeting.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 410. Problems and Issues in Sport Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed as a seminar course. Topical issues in high school, collegiate and professional sport are presented and discussed in detail. A number of student-centered activities are introduced to aid in the development of the student.
Requisite: SPAD major and Prerequisites: KIN 201 and KIN 306 and KIN 308.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 411. International Club/Sport Management-Brazil. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to examine the various sport-based organizations that comprise the sport industry in Brazil. Examined areas will include products/services offered, marketing opportunities and challenges, public relations, economic impact on the local community, physical facilities, internship/employment opportunities, strengths, weaknesses, opportunities, threats, and the unique aspects and challenges of sport in Brazil. The class will also compare and contrast sport in the United States and sport in Brazil.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 412. Psychophysiology. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of the physiological effects of acute vs. chronic training on homeostatic function, musculoskeletal systems, energy system function, cardiovascular system, and the pulmonary system. Students will be able to understand and interpret terminology and research literature published in the field.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 415. Evidence Based Sports Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce the student to clinical epidemiology and the evaluation of the efficacy of prevention, diagnostic, and treatment strategies in athletic training and sport medicine.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
KIN 416. Research Methods in Exercise Physiology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce the student to clinical epidemiology and the evaluation of the efficacy of prevention, diagnostic, and treatment strategies in exercise physiology and related professions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 417. Research Methods for the Sport Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
This course seeks to provide a full introduction to research methods in sport studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 421. Advanced Systemic Exercise Physiology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the short and long term physical responses to exercise and provides a general overview of the field of exercise physiology with reference to the latest trends in modern physiological research.
Requisite: EXPH or EXPS Majors or Minors. And Prerequisite: KIN 232 and KIN 321 with a grade C or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 435. Clinical Biomechanics for Sport Medicine Professionals. 3 Credit Hours.
A lecture course stressing the biomechanics of joints and pathomechanics of orthopedic injuries.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

KIN 443. Clinical Athletic Training Lab I. 2 Credit Hours.
The application of athletic training practices in selected clinical education settings. The student must complete 150 hours of documented clinical education hours, which apply toward the graduation requirement of 1000 hours. Clinical education hours will emphasize emergency procedures, first aid, and protective equipment. Prerequisite: Successful completion of the retention process and formal admittance into the clinical portion of the Athletic Training Program. Students are required to return to campus for pre-season orientation prior to the start of the school year.
Requisite: ATHS Majors Only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 444. Clinical Athletic Training Lab II. 2 Credit Hours.
The application of athletic training practices in selected clinical and educational settings. The student must complete 150 hours of documented clinical education hours, which apply toward graduation requirement of 1000 hours. Clinical education hours will emphasize general medical conditions, nutritional issues, psychosocial intervention, and injury prevention and risk management. Depending on the student's clinical education rotation, students may be required to start their clinical education hours prior to the start of the semester.
Prerequisite: KIN 443.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 455. Clinical Athletic Training Lab III. 2 Credit Hours.
The application of athletic training practices in selected clinical and educational settings. The student must complete 150 hours of documented clinical education hours, which apply toward graduation requirement of 1000 hours. Clinical education hours will emphasize acute care of injuries and illnesses, lower extremity orthopedic assessment, and risk management and injury prevention. Students are required to return to campus for pre-season orientation prior to the start of the school year.
Prerequisite: KIN 444.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 456. Clinical Athletic Training Lab IV. 2 Credit Hours.
The application of athletic training practices in selected clinical and educational settings. The student must complete 150 hours of documented clinical education hour. Clinical education hours will emphasize upper extremity orthopedic assessment, conditioning and rehabilitation, and therapeutic modalities. Depending on the student's clinical education rotation, students may be required to start their clinical education hours prior to the start of the semester.
Prerequisite: KIN 455.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
KIN 457. Practicum in Kinesiology and Sport Sciences. 1-3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive program of observation and supervised experience under the direction of a professional in the field for one semester. Supervised by University faculty. This course is a designated Upper Level Communication Requirement; Advanced written, digital and/or oral communication proficiencies will be emphasized in this course. Credit for ENG105 and ENG106 (or equivalent) is required for this course.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 458. Practicum in Kinesiology and Sport Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive program of supervised experience conducted under the direction of a professional in the field. Must culminate in research or hands-on experience conducted in the exercise science field.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 461. Therapeutic Modalities. 2 Credit Hours.
Students will acquire the theoretical knowledge necessary for the clinical application of therapeutic modalities. Principles of electrophysics and biophysics, specific physiological effects and therapeutic indications and contraindications associated with cyotherapy, paraffin, ultrasound, electrotherapeutic and hydrotherapeutic modalities, intermittent compression, massage, and other contemporary modalities will be discussed. Corequisite: KIN 462. Requisite: Athletic Training.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 462. Therapeutic Modalities Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
This laboratory will help students apply the techniques and clinical skills related to the application of therapeutic modalities. Clinical education hours will give the student the opportunity to use the knowledge, skills, and techniques learned in this course. Students must complete 50 hours of documented clinical education hours.
Corequisite: KIN 461.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 463. Therapeutic Rehabilitation. 2 Credit Hours.
Students will acquire the theoretical knowledge for the clinical application of a rehabilitation program, physical examination, principles of therapeutic exercise, open and closed chain exercise, muscle reeducation, and special therapeutic techniques such as aquatic therapy. Corequisite: KIN 464. Requisite: Athletic Training.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 464. Therapeutic Rehabilitation Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
This laboratory will place emphasis on the techniques and clinical skills relating to the rehabilitation of athletic injuries. Clinical education hours in a therapeutic rehabilitation facility will give the students the opportunity to use the knowledge, skills, and techniques learned in this course. The student must complete 100 hours of documented clinical education hours, which apply toward the clinical education requirement for graduation.
Corequisite: KIN 463.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 465. Pharmacology. 1 Credit Hour.
Introduction to the basic principles of pharmaceutical intervention and the implications for rehabilitation as related to the Certified Athletic Trainer. Requisite: ATHS Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 470. Administrative Aspects of Athletic Training. 2 Credit Hours.
Basic concepts of legal liability, budget, financial management, inventory control, facilities design and maintenance will be addressed. Additionally, the student will discuss the day to day supervision, scheduling and general administration of the athletic training facility.
Requisite: ATHS Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
KIN 473. Sports Governance. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides the students with an examination of the governing organizations of sport at the youth, secondary, intercollegiate, professional, international, sport specific and olympic levels. In addition, policy development in sport management will be explored.
Prerequisite: KIN 401.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

KIN 476. Seminar in Athletic Training. 2 Credit Hours.
Topics in Athletic Training with discussions covering the NATA competencies and objectives in written and oral practical formats. Students will be required to register and take the BOC exam as a class requirement. Approx. cost $350.00
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 477. Advanced Nutrition for Health and Fitness. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an in-depth study of nutritional concerns of today’s athlete. From dehydration to classic carbohydrate loading and from the Female Athlete Triad to ergogenic aids in sports, this course provides state of the art information on the latest nutritional issues for the exercising individual and for the athlete.
Requisite: EXPH or EXPS Major or Minor and Prerequisite: KIN 202 with a grade of C or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 488. Gross Anatomy. 3 Credit Hours.
The essentials of Myology, Osteology, and Arthrology. Major nerves and arteries are also dissected. Many of the dissection areas are major injury sites in sports such as the knee, shoulder, elbow, neck and spinal areas. There is a laboratory fee of $100 required for this course.
Requisite: ATHS Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 490. Special Topics in Kinesiology and Sports Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed for students wishing to focus on a specific area of study within the umbrella of the field of Kinesiology. Students will be given supervision and support in a direction relevant to their needs and interests in a structured setting.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 491. Undergraduate Teaching Assistant Training in KIN. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course involves training and teaching assistant experience under the supervision of faculty. Students will have the opportunity to assist faculty and/or doctoral students in the teaching of clinical laboratory and/or undergraduate theory courses offered in the KIN department.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 492. Undergraduate Teaching Assistant Training in KIN II. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course involves training and teaching assistant experience under the supervision of faculty. Students will have the opportunity to assist faculty and/or doctoral students in the teaching of clinical laboratory and/or undergraduate theory courses offered in the KIN department.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 493. Undergraduate Research Assistant Training in KIN. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course entails research training for a specific topic in the areas of Kinesiology under the supervision of faculty. It will enable the student to understand the fundamentals of following up on a research question, setting up research design and following up with data collection for the purposes of acquiring clinical training and/or assisting in manuscript preparation.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
KIN 494. Undergraduate Research Assistant Training in KIN II. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course entails research training for a specific topic in the areas of Kinesiology under the supervision of faculty. It will enable the student to understand the fundamentals of following up on a research question, setting up research design and following up with data collection for the purposes of acquiring clinical training and/or assisting in manuscript preparation.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 495. Individual Study. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The Application for Admission to Advanced Individual Study Form will be required.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 496. Individual Study. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The Application for Admission to Advanced Individual Study Form will be required.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 497. Internship in Sport Administration. 1-9 Credit Hours.
KIN 497: Internship in Sport Administration Filed Experience that requires the student to participate in the work environment (Formally ESS 497). Requisites: SPAD Majors and Senior Status.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 498. Seminar in Sport Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
Professional seminar to accompany internship in sport administration. Students will be required to interact with other internship students and supervisors on a regular basis and additionally, students will be required to submit comprehensive reports regarding their internship experiences. This course is a designated Upper Level Communication Requirement; Advanced written, digital and/or oral communication proficiencies will be emphasized in this course. Credit for ENG105 and ENG106 (or equivalent) is required for this course.
Requisites: SPAD Majors and Senior Status.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 502. Sport Sponsorship and Promotion. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide a detailed examination of the relationship between sport and corporate sponsorship. Topics covered will include the theoretical premise of sponsorship, alignment marketing, strategic communication through sponsorship, sponsorship sales and service, determining the value of sponsorship, and evaluation of the Olympics will be examined in-depth. Objectives, risks, and benefits from the property or platform offering a sponsorship and from the sponsoring organization will be considered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

KIN 503. Advanced Sport Information Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the complex fields of sport communication. Students will investigate the unique, symbiotic relationship that exist between sport and the media; examine various theoretical framework (e.g., agenda set, hegemonic, uses and gratification, elaboration likelihood model) that are pertinent to developing an understanding of the sport/media complex.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

KIN 515. Nutrition Diet and Exercise. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will learn the latest concepts in weight management, physical fitness, and healthy eating. They will be able to understand the complex interplay of carbohydrates, protein, fat, water, fiber, vitamins, and minerals in the nourishment of their body and overall well-being. They will also examine serious health issues such as the use/misuse of anabolic steroids, weight control, and eating disorders.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.
KIN 520. Cellular Exercise Physiology. 3 Credit Hours.
The course examines Bioenergetics and Muscular Physiology in training and detraining. Topics include the energy systems and their functional application during exercise, muscle structure and function, cellular and sub-cellular modifications of organelles and contractile mechanisms as result of training and physiological bases of training techniques.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 521. Advanced Systemic Exercise Physiology. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of the physiological effects of acute vs. chronic training on homeostatic function, musculoskeletal systems, energy system function, cardiovascular and the pulmonary systems. Students will be able to understand and interpret terminology and research literature published in the field.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 522. Basic Statistics in Kinesiology and Sport Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to basic statistical techniques commonly used in the Exercise and Sport Sciences. Designed as a prerequisite for KIN 646 (Formally ESS 646).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

KIN 523. Athletic Training Techniques - Assessment. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce the basic concepts related to injury evaluation. With this information, and with the development of basic skills, the student should be able to form an impression of the nature of most musculoskeletal injuries.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 524. Athletic Training Techniques - Rehabilitation. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce theoretical concepts that must be understood in order to be able to rehabilitate a musculoskeletal injury. Regarding actual rehabilitation techniques, the emphasis will be on therapeutic exercise with only a brief introduction to therapeutic modalities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 525. Advanced Kinesiology. 3 Credit Hours.
In-depth study of the human skeletal and muscular systems with a focus on the mechanics of movement as related to physical activity, sports, and athletics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 527. Community and Global Nutrition. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide an overview of nutritional issues & related aspects of infectious and chronic disease impacting the health and performance of athletes, individuals & groups domestically & globally. Economic and environmental issues which impact nutritional status and deficiency in the Western societies & third world countries will be addressed. An international and cultural perspective on food, eating behaviors and customs will be explored.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 530. Laboratory Techniques in Functional Evaluation of Skeletal Muscle. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the theories of data collection and collection techniques used to evaluate musculo-skeletal and neuromuscular function. The application of both computerized and non-computerized collection systems for performance evaluation is covered. The course is also designed to establish a clear linkage between the acute and chronic musculo-skeletal and neuromuscular changes that occur during exercise and the laboratory methods used to assess those changes. Collection theory, musculoskeletal and neuromuscular function, methods of strength evaluation, anaerobic power testing, electromyography, and a number of other functional parameters will be discussed.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
KIN 531. Laboratory Experiences in Systemic Exercise Physiology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides a laboratory assessment of physiological principles and theories learned in the classroom setting. Focus will be on systemic application to exercise as an acute or chronic stressor. Corequisite: ESS 521.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 532. Sports Injuries: Prevention and Treatment. 3 Credit Hours.
Prevention, diagnosis, treatment and rehabilitation of sports injuries. Anatomical and Kinesiological application to sports injuries.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 534. Integrative and Functional Nutrition. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will discuss integrative and functional medicine and how it emerged. This course will analyze the healthcare models that include personalized care and the whole-person perspective. In this course we will discuss various factors that influence disease including diet and nutrition, stress, activity level, pharmaceuticals and environmental pollutants. Alternative approaches to treatment will also be discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 535. Clinical Biomechanics for Sport Medicine Professionals. 3 Credit Hours.
A lecture course stressing biomechanics of joints and pathomechanics of orthopedic injuries.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

KIN 536. Strength and Conditioning I. 3 Credit Hours.
This course serves as the practical/technical foundation for major compound movements and Olympic lifts. It also provides comprehension of movement specific dynamic warm-ups, advanced stretching techniques, methods for identifying movement compensations and underlying issues as well as evaluating Olympic techniques. Due to the practical nature of the course, all the sections of this course are held in the Hecht Athletic Center (HAC).
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 537. Strength and Conditioning II. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is the continuation of Strength and Conditioning I (KIN 536). It provides more advanced Olympic weightlifting techniques and ballistic training, alongside a continued focus on corrective exercises to ensure a reduced risk of injury. The course also provides an introduction to exercise programming including specialized training techniques for athletic development. Due to the practical nature of the course, all sections of this course are held in the Hecht Athletic Center (HAC).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 538. Nutrition during the Lifecycle. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to examine the changes in nutrition requirements during the life cycle, particularly as related to growth, development and aging. Psychosocial, cultural, and economic issues related to food intake at various life stages will be reviewed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 539. Dietary Supplements and Human Performance. 3 Credit Hours.
Evidence-based examination of supplements, food phytochemicals, and their relation to disease & performance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 540. Exercise Psychobiology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed primarily for graduate level Exercise and Sport science students who are interested in the biochemical basis of personality as affected by exercise and sport. The course involves interdisciplinary integration and comprehensive reviews of ancient and current literature dealing with exercise, stress, emotional, personality, immune system function and neuroendocrine function.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
KIN 541. Neurophysiology in Exercise Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of the functions of the central, peripheral, and autonomic nervous systems in regulating exercise homeostasis and the structural and functional modifications to the systems through training. NOTE: This course is a writing intensive course. This means that all examinations and papers include a critical evaluation of the student’s ability to convey information using the written word.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 542. Strength and Conditioning. 3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive overview of strength and conditioning.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 543. Professional Training and Counseling for Integrative Health. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will learn the integrative health care model, theories, behavior change models, approaches & techniques used in nutritional counseling to help athletes, individuals and groups implement and sustain behaviors, lifestyles, and attitudes to achieve optimal health. Lecture & personal application will allow for the development of skills in each of these areas.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 545. Special Sport Populations. 3 Credit Hours.
This course presents an in-depth examination of chronic conditions and medical problems commonly observed in athletes. Students will learn about the etiology of the medical condition, how exercise affects the condition, and the most recent therapeutic treatments prescribed for the condition.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 546. Elite Conditioning I. 3 Credit Hours.
Elite Conditioning I provides an introduction to evaluation techniques catered specifically to the athletic population including tests for strength, power, speed, agility, balance and stability. The courses also provides instruction on how to apply these evaluations to their respective sports/positions. These evaluation techniques provide data that students will use in the process of corrective exercise prescription. Students are taught how to implement corrective strategies to improve athletic performance. Due to the practical nature of the course, all sections of this course are held in the Hecht Athletic Center(HAC).
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 547. Elite Conditioning II. 3 Credit Hours.
Elite Conditioning II is the continuation of Elite Conditioning I (KIN 546). This course provides students with an understanding of the design and implementation of periodized conditioning programs for athletes based on the testing, evaluation, and applications to specific sports learned in Elite Conditioning I. The course focuses on speed agility and quickness for sports. It also includes practical implementation of ballistic, plyometric, speed, and conditioning drills emphasizing evidence based methods and training techniques. Due to the practical nature of the course, all sections of this course are held in Hecht Athletic Center(HAC).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 549. Nutrition Assessment and Lab. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of the principles of normal and therapeutic nutrition, nutrition assessment, evaluation and intervention as related to sports performance and the management and treatment of disease states. Laboratories will allow for the development of skills in each of these areas.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 550. Nutrition Biochemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
To learn the fundamental biochemical structure and pathways governing nutrient intake and utilization. Students will learn how major forms of nutrients (macronutrients, vitamins, minerals and trace elements) are processed and utilized by different organs with a particular emphasis on muscle metabolism. Students will also learn how to relate their newly acquired knowledge to health and disease outcomes with focus on lifestyles disease related to metabolism such as diabetes and obesity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
KIN 555. Medical Nutrition Therapy. 3 Credit Hours.
The role of nutrition in the prevention and treatment of various disease states including diabetes, cardiovascular disorders, endocrine and gastrointestinal disorders, eating disorders, renal disease, cancer and AIDS/HIV, and weight management. This course instructs on the use of the Nutrition Care Process for assessment and documentation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 557. Diagnostic Imaging Techniques in Sports Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed as an elective for undergraduate KIN students or graduate students. The basic physics of radiological imaging will be covered including radiology, fluoroscopy, CT scan, ultrasound, MRI, and nuclear medicine including image archiving. Normal anatomy will be compared to the corresponding radiographic anatomy. Common sports injuries will be evaluated by multiple radiographic modalities and will be correlated with the clinical condition. Discussion will include bony pathology as well as soft tissues such as ligaments, tendons, and menisci.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 561. Facility Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Facility management provides students with an understanding of fitness entrepreneurship, giving students a comprehensive understanding of the laws, regulations, policies, and work involved in setting up a fitness facility such as a gym, wellness center, or athletic training center. Students are responsible for developing a viable sports or fitness complex including all aspects of administrative and facility management.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 562. Fiscal Management in Sport Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
Fiscal management as related to athletic sports administration, recreation and leisure sports administration, and physical education.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 563. Facilities and Event Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to introduce students to principles and practices of planning, funding and managing facilities associated with sports participation including professional sport venues, college sports, parks, recreational sport and health/fitness clubs. Students will gain an understanding of promoting, marketing, and maintaining sport facilities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 564. Principles of Sport Marketing. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will focus on the vast world of sports marketing. The basic principles of marketing and marketing management will be introduced and integrated with application of these principles to sport and sports-related organizations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 565. Legal Aspects of Sports and Exercise Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Legal liability, personal injury, negligence and other related legal aspects of sports and exercise science.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 566. Organization and Administration of Sports Programs. 3 Credit Hours.
Administrative and organizational procedures and problems specific to athletic administration, recreation and leisure sports administration, and physical education.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 567. Elements of Sports Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the study of sport and exercise psychology including theory, current research and practical application.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
KIN 568. Developmental Sports Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of the concept of sport psychology which includes but is not limited to performance, enhancement, student performance and academic application.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

KIN 569. The Foundations of Exercise Prescription. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will learn various assessments of Health and Wellness, and discover how to most effectively prescribe exercise strategies to treat the diagnosed needs of an individual.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 570. Advanced Programming. 3 Credit Hours.
Advance programming allows students to dissect sports by movement, metabolism and limitation. The course investigates current trends and evidenced based applications of specific training techniques for optimal sport performance. Students will perform complete sports analysis and develop periodized programs for major sports.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 571. Sport Industry in South Florida. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will examine the various sport based organizations/events that are part of the sport industry in South Florida. Study of these organizations/even ts will include (a) products/services produced, (b) organizational structure, (c) economic impact on the local community, (d) key management personnel, (e) physical facilities, and (f) internship/employment opportunities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 572. Creative Approaches to Problem Solving and Conflict Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This hands-on course will examine the concepts of problem solving and conflict management from both personal and organizational perspectives. Students will have the opportunity to study in-depth both of these concepts (and the relationship between them) through a combination of lecture, theory, individual and group activities, readings, practical exercises, and self-assessment tools.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 574. Ethical Decision Making in Sports and the Professions. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will examine ethical decision-making in a variety of environments with an emphasis on sport professions. Real and hypothetical situations will be utilized, and the course will combine theory with practical application. The case method in sport ethics will be incorporated.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 575. Essential Leadership in Sport and the Professions. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will examine the concept of leadership as it pertains to sports and other professions. Various leadership and management skills will be included with a focus on practical applications in a work environment. Theory and self-assessment strategies will be incorporated.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 576. Practical Approach to Motivation and Ethical Decision Making. 1-3 Credit Hours.
A critical study of practical problems of professionals in Exercise and Sport Sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 577. Advanced Nutrition for Health and Fitness. 3 Credit Hours.
This course presents an in-depth study of the nutritional concerns of today's Recreational and competitive athlete. Topics include dehydration, classic carbohydrate loading, protein needs, ergogenic aids, and more. State-of-the-art research in the field is provided. This is also a writing intensive course. Thus, writing skills will represent an integral part of one's grade.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
**KIN 578. Pharmacology for Allied Health Professionals. 3 Credit Hours.**
The study of drug families and drugs in common use across spectra of age, illness, disease, and disability. Students will understand body systems treated with current pharmaceuticals over-the-counter (OTC) medications, and neutraceuticals. Actions, key adverse effects, and influences on individuals undergoing physical activity will be emphasized.

*Components:* LEC.
*Grading:* GRD.
*Typically Offered:* Spring.

**KIN 579. Principles of Exercise Assessment: Cardiovascular. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course presents a comprehensive overview of the physical, physiological and metabolic responses of the human body to exercise testing and training both in health and disease. The successful student will gain an understanding of the process involved in prescribing safe and effective therapeutic exercise in healthy individuals as well as patients with heart and lung disease, diabetes and obesity. An overview of environmental and legal considerations in the prescriptive process will also be discussed.

*Components:* LEC.
*Grading:* GRD.
*Typically Offered:* Spring.

**KIN 580. Principles of Exercise Prescription: Neuromuscular. 3 Credit Hours.**
An examination of the scientific bases of modern training techniques designed to optimize performance, their functional application and potential impact on performance in sport and everyday activity.

*Components:* LEC.
*Grading:* GRD.
*Typically Offered:* Spring.

**KIN 581. Issues Specific to Women's Health. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course focuses upon the physiological effects of exercise on the female athlete as it relates to her performance and health. Physiological differences between males and females will be examined as it impacts the woman's performance capabilities and potential. Gender specific problems regarding the exercising female will be explored.

*Prerequisite:* KIN 221 and KIN 321 or KIN 421.

*Components:* LEC.
*Grading:* GRD.
*Typically Offered:* Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**KIN 582. Psychosocial Issues in Women's Health. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course covers a broad perspective of women and their self-esteem, their femininity, and their role in the family household. Attention will be paid to the historical, cultural, and anthropological development of women and their role in society. The influence of gender will explore several areas which include a) pregnancy, b) menopause, c) menstrual cycle, d) stress and career vs. family, e) depression, and f) body image.

*Prerequisite:* KIN 212.

*Components:* LEC.
*Grading:* GRD.
*Typically Offered:* Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**KIN 583. Sports Medicine for the Female Athlete. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course focuses on the physiological effects of exercise on the female athlete as it relates to her performance and health. Physiological differences between male and female will be examined as it impacts the women's performance capabilities and potential. Gender specific problems regarding the exercising female will be explored.

*Prerequisite:* KIN 321 or KIN 421.

*Components:* LEC.
*Grading:* GRD.
*Typically Offered:* Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**KIN 584. Energetics of Obesity and Weight Management. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course is designed to evaluate dieting, rebound effect, set point theory, brown fat, and adaptive thermogenesis, as they relate to the etiology of obesity. The course will cover a step-by-step approach in the recognition and management of the overweight patient. This includes determination of basal metabolic rate, thyroid function, determination of percent body fat, quantification of adipocyte number and mass, and research on exercise as a therapeutic intervention. Students will learn to design exercise programs for hypothetical obese patients and the impact of both diet and exercise on long-term weight management.

*Prerequisite:* KIN 221 or KIN 421.

*Components:* LEC.
*Grading:* GRD.
*Typically Offered:* Fall, Spring, & Summer.
KIN 585. Neurological Mechanisms of Metabolism and Weight Regulation. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to evaluate dieting, rebound effect, set point theory, brown fat, and adaptive thermogenesis as they relate to the etiology of obesity. The course will cover a step-by-step approach in the recognition and management of the overweight patient. The course will also examine adipocyte morphology and the health implications of being overweight and obese. Students will examine the impact of both diet and exercise on long-term weight management.
Requisite: Must have 3.0 in the Exercise Physiology Major and a B- or better in KIN 221 and KIN 232.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 586. Exercise Prescription/Assessment Laboratory. 3 Credit Hours.
This course presents an overview of the laboratory techniques used to assess cardiovascular endurance and general fitness, pulmonary function and anaerobias observed during competition.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 587. Laboratory Experience in Sports Nutrition. 3 Credit Hours.
This laboratory class provides case study analyses and computerized nutrient analysis systems designed to evaluate nutrition and hydration needs of the recreational and competitive athlete. From urinalysis and blood work, to body composition and computerized nutrient data base systems, this laboratory provides a clinical approach to evaluating the nutrition status of the exercising individual. Corequisite: ESS 577.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 588. Advanced Gross Anatomy in Kinesiology and Sport Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Human dissection of the major muscles, arteries and nerves of the body. Course is held at the University of Miami, Medical Campus, cadaver laboratory. Special consideration is given to injury sites in sports such as the knee, shoulder, elbow, neck and spinal areas. Students are required to pay a $100 laboratory fee for the class. This course is to be taken by undergraduate Athletic Training majors and for the 5-year Sports Medicine with a Concentration in Athletic Training program students only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 589. Directed Readings in Kinesiology and Sport Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings focusing on research and contemporary trends in the field.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 590. Special Topics in Kinesiology and Sport Sciences. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed for students wishing to focus on a specific area of study within the umbrella of the Kinesiology and Sport Sciences curriculum. Students will be given supervision and support in a direction relevant to their needs and interests in a structured setting.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 595. Research Honors Project. 2 Credit Hours.
This course has been designed for SEHD students who have been accepted into the Research Honors Program and are working with a faculty mentor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 596. Research Honors Project. 2 Credit Hours.
This course has been designed for SEHD students who have been accepted into the Research Honors Program and are working with a faculty mentor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 597. Research Honors Project - Thesis Writing. 2 Credit Hours.
This course has been designed for SEHD students who have been accepted into the Research Honors Program and are working with a faculty mentor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
KIN 598. Research Honors Project - Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
Seminar section of School of Education & Human Development Research Honors Program. This seminar culminates with the presentation of your research at the Undergraduate Research, Creativity, and Innovation Forum (RCIF).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 599. Advanced Programming for Endurance Athletes. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides students with training techniques to improve aerobic capacity, endurance, and lactate threshold for optimal performance. Students will review evidenced based principles of sports nutrition, strategies to ensure proper hydration, thermoregulation, and fuel (substrate) availability during prolonged exercise as well as develop programs for competitive sports including triathlon, marathon, and cycling.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

B.S.E.D. Sport Administration

The Sport Administration major at the University of Miami is an undergraduate education program designed to prepare students for careers in the sport industry. The program is committed to the professional development of students so that competencies and skills relevant to the Sport Industry can be acquired over time. Specific competencies in organization, ethics, marketing, leadership and legal issues are emphasized.

• Field experience and internships are an essential component of the major. The KIN department is actively engaged in placing students in visible sports settings and appropriate sport environments so that students acquire relevant competencies and gain pragmatic hands-on experiences that are necessary for success in today's sport industry.
• The Sport Administration major is a 42 credit hour major in Kinesiology coursework plus a class in public speaking (COS 211).
• Students are required to meet a foreign language component. This may be satisfied with two semesters of American Sign Language (TAL 107 and TAL 207), or any intermediate course (200+) in a foreign language that is offered at UM.
• Sport Administration students may elect to participate in Kinesiology Department’s sponsored Study Abroad opportunities that will count toward their major or minor requirements. Please consult with the academic advisor for the Sport Administration Program.
• Students transferring from another college or university must have a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or above in order to be considered for admission to the major.
• Students are required to complete a 9-credit internship upon successful completion of ALL coursework for the Sport Administration Major. Exceptions to this policy must be approved by the Undergraduate Program Director and the Associate Dean.
• A minor in any field is required. A Business minor is suggested to complement the Sport Administration major and provide a well-rounded comprehensive background to the Sport Administration field.
• Students pursuing a degree in Sport Administration must receive a grade of C or higher in KIN 201 in order to continue with the major. Students are allowed to retake KIN 201 to achieve the minimum C grade only once per University of Miami policy.
• The Writing Requirement (Upper Level Communication Requirement) is satisfied by taking the following two courses in the major:
  • KIN 308
  • KIN 498
• Students will be allowed to retake a course once.
• All 400-level courses are restricted to declared Sport Administration majors and minors only.
• A degree in Sport Administration requires a major GPA of 2.5 or higher and an overall GPA of 2.3 or higher.
• KIN 306 and KIN 308 may not be taken in the same semester and must be taken during junior year. KIN 308 must be taken before KIN 410.
• A grade of C or better is required for each course applied toward the major.
• Study Abroad opportunities offered that are led by Sport Administration faculty may count toward the SPAD major or minor. Please see an advisor for more information.

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Mission
The University of Miami Sport Administration program strives to be an international leader in the training of a diverse student population seeking careers in the sport industry. The program will prepare the next generation of leaders, researchers, and agents of change and well-being in the sport community, to promote knowledge within the widespread realm of the sport sciences and prepare graduates for careers in the sport industry and academia, reflective of our multicultural community.

Goals
The University of Miami program in Sport Administration prepares individuals for a wide variety of career options in this field according to their personal and professional goals.

Student Learning Outcomes
- Students will demonstrate an overall knowledge and understanding of the core concepts and practical skills in Sport Administration.
- Students will demonstrate strong written communication skills.
- Students will demonstrate strong oral communication skills.

B.S. in Exercise Physiology
Program Overview
The Undergraduate program in Exercise Physiology at the University of Miami, is designed for students to acquire a sound knowledge base in the sciences followed by the application of that knowledge base to human movement, exercise and sports performance. Clinical laboratory experiences supplement applied scientific theory in a rigorous academic setting.

- Students may pursue a pre-med track concurrent with the Exercise Physiology major and should inform their advisor if selecting this track.
- Students are required to complete a minimum of 8 credits in chemistry. The academic advisor will advise on the correct sequence of chemistry based on the individual student’s career goals.
- Exercise Physiology requires that students maintain a major GPA of 2.75. Students with a major GPA below 2.75 will have one semester to raise their GPA to meet the requirement. Failure to do so may lead to dismissal from the major.
• Students transferring from another college or university must have a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or above in order to be considered for admission to the major.

• Students who meet the above requirements and select Exercise Physiology as their major, must transfer into the School of Education and Human Development and set Exercise Physiology as the first major.

• A grade of “C” or better is required for each course applied toward the major. Students are allowed to retake a course one time.

• All 100 level courses and KIN 202, KIN 212 are open to non-majors. All other courses are open to majors and minors only. KIN 202 is only open to science majors.

• Students MAY NOT take KIN 150 and KIN 202 as course material overlaps.

• All 300- and 400-level courses except those in a STEM cognate, are restricted to declared Exercise Physiology majors only.

• KIN 399 should be taken in the Spring semester of the junior year.

• Seniors are required to participate in the General Education Assessment prior to graduation as part of the SACS accreditation review process.

**Honors Program in Exercise Physiology (HPEP)**

KIN 458 will be available for honors credit for Exercise Physiology students provided the following stipulations are met:

1. The course is under the direction of a full-time faculty member in Exercise Physiology.
2. The student completes an honors project permission form and submits this form to the instructor within the first three weeks of the semester.
3. The student completes assigned writing credit work by the end of the semester.
4. Assignments completed for honors credit hour are sent to the University of Miami Writing Center for review.

The University of Miami currently offers an accelerated programs for undergraduate Exercise Physiology majors who want to obtain a Master’s Degree in Exercise Physiology, Strength & Conditioning/Fitness Entrepreneurship, or Nutrition for Health & Human Performance. This can be done by taking one additional year of graduate courses. These students must take two graduate courses in Exercise Physiology in their senior undergraduate year in order to earn an M.S.Ed. degree in one additional year. Please visit our website (http://www.education.miami.edu) for additional information on the accelerated master’s programs. To be eligible students must apply for admission to the accelerated master’s program no later than the end of the Fall semester of their senior year.

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**Chemistry Requirement**

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Combination 3
CHM 111 & CHM 113 Principles of Chemistry I and Chemistry Laboratory I
CHM 104 & CHM 106 Chemistry for the Health Sciences II and Chemistry for the Health Sciences II (Laboratory)

Calculus
MTH 161 Calculus I 4

Statistics and Research Methods
EPS 351 Introduction to Statistics and Research Design 3

Additional Required Courses
ENG 105 English Composition I 3
ENG 106 English Composition II 3
UMX 100 The University of Miami Experience 0

Cognate Courses 18
Electives/Pre-Med 16
Minor/Pre-Med 15

Total Credit Hours 120

1 All students who are majoring in Exercise Physiology must earn 8 credit hours TOTAL in chemistry. The chemistry requirement may be fulfilled by any 8 credit hours in chemistry, provided that the courses are not repeated or considered an equivalent of one another. Please see an advisor for proper chemistry course placement.

Suggested Plan of Study

Year One

Fall
KIN 202 Applied Nutrition for Health and Performance 3
KIN 232 Basic Human Physiology 3
KIN 233 Basic Anatomy Lab 2
Choose one of the following: 4
CHM 111 & CHM 113 Principles of Chemistry I and Chemistry Laboratory I
CHM 103 & CHM 105 Chemistry for the Health Sciences I and Chemistry for the Health Sciences I (Laboratory)
ENG 105 English Composition I 3
UMX 100 The University of Miami Experience 0

Credit Hours 15

Spring
KIN 212 Elements of Sports Psychology 3
KIN 221 Exercise Physiology: Biochemistry and Skeletal Muscle 3
KIN 222 Exercise Physiology Laboratory Practicum: Neuromuscular 3
Choose one of the following: 4
CHM 112 & CHM 114 Principles of Chemistry II and Chemistry Laboratory II
CHM 104 & CHM 106 Chemistry for the Health Sciences II and Chemistry for the Health Sciences II (Laboratory)
ENG 106 English Composition II 3

Credit Hours 16

Year Two

Fall
KIN 321 Introduction to Systemic Exercise Physiology 3
KIN 322 Exercise Physiology Laboratory Practicum: Cardiorespiratory 3
### Mission

The mission of the Exercise Physiology, B.S., is to provide a fundamental working knowledge of the field in order to obtain a career in outside employment, work in professional services and/or enter higher institutions of learning in this or other health-related fields.

### Goals

#### Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will demonstrate the ability to critique research evidence in key areas of human physiology, which pertain to optimal health and the etiology of common disease.
Students will be able to explain the physiological bases for a test accurately describe test administration procedures, interpret data collected during each laboratory session and explain these results as they relate to their own performance and in comparison to specific clinical populations and discuss the importance of each test as an acute and chronic measure of performance.

**Minor in Exercise Physiology**

A minor in Exercise Physiology is open to all students at the University of Miami. Students should complete the required 5 courses in order to earn the EXPH minor. Athletic Training students are not eligible for the EXPH minor.

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* Students must complete KIN 201 with a C grade or higher.
* Students select an additional 4 classes for a total of 15 credits to complete the minor.
* A minimum grade of C or higher is required for all classes taken toward the Sport Administration minor.
* Students minoring in Sport Administration may take KIN 297 for a maximum of 3 credits to count toward the minor.
* Students may take KIN 297 for an additional 3 credits toward general electives with the approval of the Internship Coordinator for Sport Administration.

**Minor in Sports Medicine**

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**Please note that students majoring in Athletic Training are ineligible for the Sports Medicine minor.**

***KIN 370 Sociocultural Aspects of Sports Medicine may be substituted for one of the courses listed above for the minor.***

**Teaching and Learning**

At a minimum, students will receive an automatic FAIL for any assignment that shows even minimal evidence of any of the violations listed in the Student Handbook such as cheating, plagiarism, misrepresentation, collusion, falsification of data and documents, or fabrication of findings. The professor of record will have absolute discretion to judge the severity of an offense involving plagiarism and/or violation of The Honor Code, including extending the penalty to an F in the course.

Students will receive an automatic FAIL on any **assignment or action** which shows a violation of the Florida Educators Accomplished Practice (FEAP) 6: Code of Ethics and the Principles of Professional Conduct of the Education Profession of Florida, pursuant to Rules 6A-10.080 and 6A-10.081, F.A.C. Students are required to fulfill the expected obligation to students, the public and the education profession. The student will not be allowed to improve that grade and, for students completing the teacher preparation program, pending a committee review, FEAP 6 will be marked as permanently failed in the student's record of Uniform Core Curriculum mastery.

A failure of FEAP 6 will result in disqualifying the student from earning the School of Education and Human Development's State certification and endorsements. Additionally, Faculty may recommend to the Dean or Dean's designee that students committing an honor code violation be dismissed from their teacher preparation program.

**PROCESS**

The process below will be followed when a student is found to have violated the Ethics/Professional FEAP (FEAP 6):

- Any violation of the Ethics/Professionalism FEAP will be reported to the TAL Chairperson and the Dean's Office and student will receive prior notice of the possibility of disqualification and/or dismissal from the accredited program
- A recommendation will be made to disqualify the student from earning the State of Florida accreditation and School of Education and Human Development transcript endorsement and/or dismiss the student from the accredited program.
- A decision will be made to convene a committee.
- A committee composed of TAL faculty and the Dean's designee will review all pertinent documentation and meet with the student.
- The student will have the opportunity to present documentation or mitigating circumstances.
- The committee will confer and render a decision about what action will be taken.
- Student will be notified of the committee's decision in writing. Consequences may include dismissal from the teacher preparation program and/or a report to the Dean of Student's Office for an Honor Council hearing.
- The student may file a written appeal within 30 days of the committee's decision to the Dean of the SEHD, University Ombudsperson, Faculty Senate Grade Appeals Committee.

Either the TAL Chair or the Dean's office will refer the student to the University Honor Council. The outcome of the University Honor Council hearing will be independent of the TAL Committee's decision to dismiss the student from the program. Consequences for violating the Honor Code include disciplinary warning, disciplinary probation, suspension or expulsion from the university.

Dept. Code: TAL

The Department of Teaching and Learning offers a Bachelor of Science in Education Degree in **Elementary Education (K-6)/Exceptional Student Education (K-12)** with ESOL (English for Speakers of Other Languages, K-12) and Reading (K-12) endorsements.

The Department offers two minors:

1. A traditional Education Minor consisting of 12 credit hours and
2. A Professional Training Option minor of 18 credit hours that fulfills the State of Florida "Professional Training Option" (PTO) for teaching in secondary-schools. Candidates must select a minor area of study in English, math, Secondary Science or Secondary Social studies or other areas of recognized certification. In order to obtain teaching credentials from the State of Florida, a PTO completer must successfully teach in an accredited school in Florida for one academic year.
Teacher Preparation Programs

One of the roles of the School of Education and Human Development is to serve as the professional school to conduct and coordinate programs for the preparation of teachers and other educational personnel at the University of Miami. Membership is held in the American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education, the National Association of State Directors of Teacher Education & Certification and in the Florida Association of Colleges for Teacher Educators. Teacher Preparation Programs (TPP) are accredited by the Florida Department of Education for the preparation of elementary/exceptional student education teachers, secondary teachers, music teachers and other school service personnel.

Professional Development Schools

Bel-Aire Elementary, Henry S. West Laboratory Elementary, Sunset Elementary, Ponce de Leon Middle School and Booker T. Washington Senior High School are operated by Miami-Dade County Public Schools. These schools provide the most up-to-date teaching environments, both in terms of design and curriculum, in partnership with the University of Miami. Students are welcomed at these facilities for field experiences and student teaching, and both students and faculty have the opportunity to contribute to the high quality functioning of these professional development schools.

Teacher Preparation Programs

Teacher Preparation Programs/majors in Elementary/Exceptional Student Education and Secondary Education that lead to professional certification and applicable endorsements are approved by the Florida Department of Education (FLDOE). Please be advised that the State may implement new requirements for certification. These requirements will be mandatory with or without notice in this bulletin. The student is responsible for securing the application for certification and submitting the necessary documents and fees to the Florida Department of Education to obtain certification and endorsement. The DOE Certification Ombudsman in the School of Education and Human Development is available to assist with certification and re-certification matters.

Academic Policies

Admission

Selection for the Teaching Profession

The faculty of the School of Education and Human Development conceives its ultimate obligation to be to the children, adolescents, and adults who will be taught by teachers who have completed teacher preparation programs at the University. The quality of students admitted into the teacher education curriculum is as important as the skills, content, and concepts to be learned.

Students who intend to transfer to the University of Miami into the School of Education and Human Development’s accredited program must take the General Knowledge Test (GKT) that is part of the Florida Teacher Certification Exam (FTCE). Official GKT results must be sent to the Associate Dean for Undergraduate Education prior to enrolling in any Teaching and Learning Course.

Most courses in the teacher education program require school site-based field experiences, culminating in a full-time 15-week internship. School districts require a criminal background check for field placement students and interns. Fingerprinting and FBI background check procedures are at the applicant’s expense. Students with felony arrests may wish to consider these requirements carefully and, if necessary, seek advice from an advisor in the School before applying for admission to the program. Students without a valid social security number will not be eligible for placement in the school district.

All students who wish to be considered for admission and/or retention in curricula leading to Florida Teacher Certification will be formally screened at certain points in their program of study with respect to the following criteria:

1. Admission to Teacher Candidacy (see requirements below).
2. Acceptable grade point averages (C or better for courses in the major).
3. Acceptable evaluations by University of Miami faculty.
4. Evaluations by clinical faculty at various field experience sites.
5. Satisfactory progress toward the completion of the Florida Educators Accomplished Practices requirement.

Students who receive a grade below C in their Student Teaching semester will not be recommended for teacher certification.

Note: The Associate Dean of the School of Education & Human Development and the Chairperson of the Department of Teaching and Learning (TAL) jointly approve appeals to the above policies.

Requirements for Admission to Teacher Candidacy

2. Completion of 45 credit hours. In addition, transfer students must have a minimum of 9 credit hours of acceptable credit earned at the University of Miami.
3. A 2.5 GPA in education core courses. No education classes lower than C.
4. A 2.5 GPA in the content area teaching major (for secondary education majors).
5. Completion of the Course Advisement Plan (CAP).
6. Completion of at least one Field Experience requirement.
7. Further enrollment in teacher education course work offered by the School of Education and Human Development is contingent upon the student meeting requirements 1-6 above.

8. All students must successfully complete M-DCPS fingerprinting process. Forms are available in the Office of Undergraduate Academic Services.

NOTE: Appeals to the policies stated 1-6 above must be directed to the Associate Dean of the School of Education and Human Development.

Please note: Students may not register for any class above TAL 420 without admission to Teacher Candidacy.

Requirements for Admission to Student Teaching
Students submit a formal application to the Department of TAL for admission to Student Teaching. Application materials are available and are to be completed by students no later than October 15 (Fall semester) or March 15 (Spring semester).

The following requirements must be met:

1. Admission to a Teacher Preparation Program (Teacher Candidacy).
2. Completion of application for admission to Student Teaching
3. Approval of the Associate Dean for Undergraduate Studies and the Department of TAL Chairperson.
4. Recommendations from two members of the faculty familiar with the student's academic proficiency. One of these must be from a faculty member in the School of Education and Human Development.
5. Earned a minimum of 90 credit hours.
6. Submission of the Florida Educator's Accomplished Practices (FEAP) Portfolio via Live Text to the Assistant Director of Accreditation in the Department of TAL. The FEAP Portfolio must include evidence at the indicator level in the first five FEAPs.
7. All Elementary/ESE majors must have completed ALL of the courses for the Elementary/ESE major.
8. Earned a minimum of 2.5 grade point average in core courses offered by the School of Education and Human Development.
9. A grade of C or better is required of each course applied to the major.
10. Earned a minimum of a 2.5 grade point average overall.
11. Successfully completed pre-internship field experiences.
12. Demonstrate satisfactory progress towards the completion of the FEAP requirement, as indicated in #6 above.
13. Passed the Florida General Knowledge Test.
14. Taken and passed one of the following exams: the Professional Education Test or the Subject Area Exam in either Elementary Education (K-6) or ESE (K-12).

NOTE: A MAXIMUM OF 12 CREDIT HOURS MAY BE TAKEN DURING THE STUDENT TEACHING SEMESTER. No outside job may be held or additional classes taken during the Student Teaching semester.

NOTE: The Associate Dean and the Chairperson of TAL in the School of Education and Human Development must approve appeals to the above policies.

Students must complete the FEAPs and the P-12 Student Impact Project requirements. Monitoring of FEAPs and progress made toward program completion in the Teacher Education program will occur at the following checkpoints:

1. TAL 306, and TAL 429; and application to student teaching
2. Students enrolled in all teacher-education programs will submit complete portfolios at the end of TAL 480/TAL 580.

In addition, students enrolled in all teacher-education programs will submit e-portfolios via Live Text as follows

- TAL 306 Field Experience Seminar I (Must submit artifacts in order to receive a passing grade).
- TAL 429 Field Experience Seminar II (Must submit artifacts in order to receive a passing grade).
- Seniors are required to participate in the General Education Assessment prior to graduation as a part of the SACS review process.

Licensure/Certification Information

Only students who have completed all requirements for any State approved degree or certificate program will have their transcripts stamped as meeting State approved requirements for certification as well as appropriate endorsements. Students must meet requirements of the School of Education and Human Development as well as the college or school issuing the second major. Evidence of successful completion of all twelve Florida Educator Accomplished Practices is required to receive the FLDOE stamp on the graduate's final transcript.

Transcript stamp is contingent upon the student taking at least half of the coursework in teacher education at the University of Miami, including the Student Teaching component. At least half of the coursework in the students teaching content area(s) must be taken at the University of Miami in the School of Education and Human Development, Frost School of Music, or other UM schools or colleges as determined by the program in which the student is enrolled.
Department's Honor Code, Ethics FEAP and Plagiarism Policy

At a minimum, students will receive an automatic FAIL for any assignment that shows even minimal evidence of any of the violations listed in the Student Handbook such as cheating, plagiarism, misrepresentation, collusion, falsification of data and documents, or fabrication of findings. The professor of record will have absolute discretion to judge the severity of an offense involving plagiarism and/or violation of The Honor Code, including extending the penalty to an F in the course.

Students will receive an automatic FAIL on any assignment or action which shows a violation of the Florida Educators Accomplished Practice (FEAP) 6: Code of Ethics and the Principles of Professional Conduct of the Education Profession of Florida, pursuant to Rules 6A-10.080 and 6A-10.081, F.A.C. Students are required to fulfill the expected obligation to students, the public and the education profession. The student will not be allowed to improve that grade and, for students completing the teacher preparation program, pending a committee review, FEAP 6 will be marked as permanently failed in the student’s record of Uniform Core Curriculum mastery.

A failure of FEAP 6 will result in disqualifying the student from earning the School of Education and Human Development’s State certification and endorsements. Additionally, Faculty may recommend to the Dean or Dean’s designee that students committing an honor code violation be dismissed from their teacher preparation program.

PROCESS

The process below will be followed when a student is found to have violated the Ethics/Professional FEAP (FEAP 6):

- Any violation of the Ethics/Professionalism FEAP will be reported to the TAL Chairperson and the Dean's Office and student will receive prior notice of the possibility of disqualification and/or dismissal from the accredited program
- A recommendation will be made to disqualify the student from earning the State of Florida accreditation and School of Education and Human Development transcript endorsement and/or dismiss the student from the accredited program.
- A decision will be made to convene a committee.
- A committee composed of TAL faculty and the Dean's designee will review all pertinent documentation and meet with the student.
- The student will have the opportunity to present documentation or mitigating circumstances.
- The committee will confer and render a decision about what action will be taken.
- Student will be notified of the committee’s decision in writing. Consequences may include dismissal from the teacher preparation program and/or a report to the Dean of Student's Office for an Honor Council hearing.
- The student may file a written appeal within 30 days of the committee’s decision to the Dean of the SEHD, University Ombudsperson, Faculty Senate Grade Appeals Committee.

Either the TAL Chair or the Dean’s office will refer the student to the University Honor Council. The outcome of the University Honor Council hearing will be independent of the TAL Committee’s decision to dismiss the student from the program. Consequences for violating the Honor Code include disciplinary warning, disciplinary probation, suspension or expulsion from the university.

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Certificate in Teaching and Learning

- Professional Training Option (p. 1043)

TAL 103. Psychological Foundations of Education. 3 Credit Hours.

The first half of this course addresses the following topics related to the psychological foundations of education: the teaching-learning process in the classroom, human development, learning theories, and motivation. The second half of the course will address the following topics related to the social foundations of education: critical perspectives of education and schooling in the USA, issues such as accessibility, language hegemony, and race and racism through the lens of history, philosophy, anthropology, sociology and cultural studies.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
TAL 107. American Sign Language I. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to allow participants to learn about Deaf Culture and be able to sign with sufficient fluency to discuss work, social, and family topics using two to four sentence responses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

TAL 191. Developmental Reading for College Students. 3 Credit Hours.
Instruction in college level reading strategies based on individual student needs. Emphasis on vocabulary, comprehension and techniques of test preparation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 203. Children's Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
History, trends, and genres of children's literature with emphasis on children's literature as a curriculum resource.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 204. Building Positive Relationships in Diverse Inclusive Secondary Schools.. 3 Credit Hours.
Course is designed to assist general education teachers in meeting the needs of diverse secondary school students. Emphasis is placed on language and culture in the classroom, as well as students with disabilities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 205. Contemporary Issues in Disability Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
This course allows students to explore contemporary issues individuals with disabilities face with an emphasis on the more personal aspects of living with a disability and issues that influence their daily lives.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

TAL 207. American Sign Language II. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to allow participants to learn about Deaf Culture and be able to sign with sufficient fluency to discuss work, social, and family topics using four to six sentence responses. Students will be able to independently participate in a signed conversation without the use of voicing.
Prerequisite: TAL 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

TAL 305. Classroom and Behavior Management. 3 Credit Hours.
The principles of behavior analysis and classroom management strategies, both preventative and problem solving. Special emphasis includes effective communication with students, parents and other stakeholders; meeting the needs of all learners based on individual differences, cultural and linguistic diversity; knowledge of research-based strategies that support intellectual, personal and social well-being and development of all students; planning and conducting lessons in a safe, efficient and supportive learning environment. Field experience required.
Corequisite: TAL 306.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 306. Teacher Preparation Seminar I. 0 Credit Hours.
This hybrid zero credit course has been designed to provide additional support for students in our teacher preparation programs. Students will enroll in this course while they participate in a series of field experiences where they gain practical experience integrating theory and practice while working with students in K-12 settings. Major topics include: the Florida Educator Accomplished Practices, Live Text, and guidelines and procedures. Co-requisite TAL 305
Corequisite: TAL 305.
Components: SEM.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
TAL 307. American Sign Language 3. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to allow participants to learn more about Deaf Culture and be able to sign with sufficient fluency to discuss work, social, and family topics at a conversational level.
Pre-requisite: TAL 107 And TAL 207.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 308. Language Development for Linguistically and Culturally Diverse Children. 3 Credit Hours.
Course provides an introduction to theories of linguistics as well as first and second language acquisition. Readings and lectures serve to highlight the development of language and language challenges faced by students for whom Standard English is a second language and/or a second dialect. Theories of linguistics are used to identify, explain and assess literacy challenges. Field experience required. This course counts as one of two required stand-alone ESOL courses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 322. Mathematics Instruction in the Elementary School. 4 Credit Hours.
Principles and practices in the teaching of elementary school mathematics. Attention is paid to infusion of technology, linguistic and cultural diversity, students with exceptionalities, and the origins of gender bias. Field experience required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 323. Interdisciplinary Methods in the Content Areas. 3 Credit Hours.
This course aims to discuss the goals and objectives for interdisciplinary learning in the content areas, and help practice, design, and enact interdisciplinary learning activities appropriate for elementary school. During the semester, the class will create an engaging environment to help you: Understand what is the nature of interdisciplinary understanding and practices; Examine elementary curricula and state/national standards that speak to interdisciplinary learning; Develop and enact authentic lessons/units for interdisciplinary learning; Create supportive learning environments that engage diverse students; Assess student interdisciplinary learning using multiple methods; and Learn to use a variety of innovative educational technologies that facilitate interdisciplinary learning. Field Experience required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 324. Education and the Arts. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of the fine and performing arts and their relation to Pre-K to 12 education. Emphasis is placed on experiential learning and methods of incorporating the arts in school curricula. The course also includes a focus on the value of the arts to the individual and society.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 330. Introduction to the Education of Exceptional Individuals. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey course providing a general orientation to Exceptional Individual Education as an integral part of the general education structure. Includes an introduction to appropriate educational programs for exceptional individuals.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 332. Assessment of Exceptional Students. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of assessment instruments used to classify, assess and evaluate exceptional students in inclusive and special education settings. Advanced written, digital, and oral communication proficiencies, to include research and report-writing as well as oral presentation skills, are emphasized in this course.
Prerequisite: ENG 105 And ENG 106 prerequisite of enrollment is required for this course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 360. The Teacher in American Society. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the historical development of teaching in the US, contemporary educational reform and social change, issues involving teacher work, the impact of technology on schooling, ethical and legal issues in teaching, topics involving Race, Gender Social Class and Equity. Popular Culture sources are emphasized in the course's content.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
TAL 370. Pop Culture and Education. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines how popular culture influences and is influenced by the work and culture of schools. In examining artifacts and trends in popular culture today and the past, the forms of popular culture we will analyze will include: motion pictures, television programs, mainstream news, music, books, magazines, zines, fashion, web-based content, graffiti, tattoos, street art, mobile communication, video games, social networking, and more.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 371. Race and Racism in the Making of US Public Education. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will examine the roles of race and racism in the social construction of education and schooling in United States, with an emphasis on how said constructions have impacted the lived experiences of marginalized racial and ethnic minorities, with a particular emphasis on Black Americans. The central themes of the course will be how and why schools in the United States of America were constructed and continue to act as sites of State-sponsored racism, paying attention not only to whom this process marginalizes but also whom it benefits. While the focus of the course will be on race, it is impossible to study race alone, in a vacuum. Therefore, a great deal of attention will be paid to issues of intersectionality, with particular emphases paid to the intersections of race and ethnicity, class, gender, sexual identity, geography, historical specificity, and disability. The semester will begin with a historical overview of the roles education and schooling have played in the lives of African Americans. Our starting point will be roughly 1850. It is important to note that the distinction is made between school and education. The course will examine the roles schools (Saturday Schools, public schools, religious schools, and Historically Black Colleges and Universities to name a few) have played, but it is also crucial to examine the roles of education outside of the context of formalized schooling. The course will examine crucial educational sites such as religious institutions and traditions (outside of religious schools), family life, community education, and oral traditions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

TAL 390. Topics in Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of emerging policy, practice, empirical research and scholarly writing on important educational issues for which formal course title and syllabus have not been developed and formalized in the UM Bulletin. Allows for experimental instructional formats. Course number indicates appropriate student audience. See Course Notes for specific topic.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

TAL 404. Content Area Literacy in the Secondary Classroom. 3 Credit Hours.
Essentials of literacy instruction in various subject areas for middle, junior and senior high schools; instructional methods and materials for development of reading, writing and study strategies. Emphasis is also placed on selecting appropriate materials, motivating students, and helping students with exceptional needs and students who are English Language Learners.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 407. American Sign Language 4. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to allow participants to learn more about Deaf Culture and be able to understand signed conversations in a small group and sign with sufficient fluency to discuss work, social, and family topics at a conversational level.
Prerequisite: TAL107, TAL 207, TAL 307.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 420. Introduction to Literacy, Assessment, and Instruction in Elementary School. 3 Credit Hours.
Multidisciplinary survey of reading and writing acquisition in the elementary school. Assessment and instruction in the major components of reading: phonological awareness, word identification and phonics, fluency, vocabulary, and comprehension. Field Experience required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 421. Language Arts and Social Studies in the Elementary School. 3 Credit Hours.
Addresses Language Arts competencies in reading, writing, listening, speaking, viewing and visual literacy, following state/national standards. Research based strategies and approaches for teaching content areas, with a focus on Social Studies competencies, are modeled and integrated through Social Studies content and literature. Field experience required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
TAL 422. Mathematics Instruction in the Elementary School. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles and practices in the teaching of elementary-school mathematics. Attention is paid to infusion of technology, linguistic and cultural diversity, students with exceptionalities, and the origins of gender bias. Field experience required.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 425. Inclusive Classrooms in the Elementary School. 3 Credit Hours.
The course prepares elementary school teachers to meet the individual needs of students with exceptionalities who have been integrated into the general education classroom. Field experience required.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 426. Practicum in Reading. 3 Credit Hours.
Supervised practicum in reading and writing. Emphasis is on assessment and interventions for elementary students with a range of academic, linguistic and cultural challenges in becoming proficient readers. This course is a designated Upper Level Communications Requirement; advanced written digital and/or oral communication proficiencies will be emphasized in this course.

Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 428. ESOL Curriculum and Methods and Assessments. 3 Credit Hours.
The course addresses the application of TESOL theories, principles, and current research to the use of curriculum, methods, and assessment. In doing so, the course focuses on an understanding of the differences between curriculum, methods, and assessment designed for children who are native speakers of Standard English and those designed for ESOL. Specific TESOL modifications appropriate for content areas are also addressed. Field experience required. This course counts as the second of two required ESOL specific courses. Advanced written, digital, and oral communication proficiencies, to include research and report-writing as well as oral presentation skills, are emphasized in this course.

Prerequisite: TAL 308 and Co-requisite: TAL 429.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 429. Teacher Preparation Seminar II. 0 Credit Hours.
This hybrid zero credit course has been designed to provide additional support for students in our teacher preparation programs. Students will enroll in this course while they participate in a series of field experiences where they gain practical experience integrating theory and practice while working with students in K-12 settings. Major topics include: the Florida Educator Accomplished Practices, Live Text, and guidelines and procedures. Co-requisite: TAL 428 for students in programs that lead to the ESOL Endorsement; TAL 506 for students in MED and SEC except Secondary English majors.
Corequisite: TAL 428 or TAL 506.
Components: SEM.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 432. Inclusive Models of Teaching. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on models of inclusion and the educational roles to support student success in inclusive settings. Topics addressed include: differentiated staffing patterns; working as a member of a team; successful collaborative practices; effective communication; understanding of varied cultural backgrounds; strategies for facilitating successful inclusion including differentiation of instruction and application of principles of Universal Design for Learning (UDL); co-teaching; strategies for working effectively with students, families, parents, guardians, administrators, general education teachers, paraprofessionals and other professionals, including students, families, and team members; and creating school partnerships.
Field Experience required.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

TAL 434. Specialized Instructional Strategies/Transition. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on evidence-based interventions and models of support for students with disabilities in K – 12 settings and strategies for preparing students for transition from school. Topics addressed include: strategies for using Assistive Technology effectively; strategies for enhancing self-advocacy and self-determination for students with disabilities; strategies for enhancing family involvement in career development and post school employment; transition services and models; preparing students with disabilities for employment and post-secondary education; residential alternatives; recreation and leisure for students with disabilities. Field Experience required.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
TAL 444. Instruction in Secondary Science. 2-3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of methods, materials, and content appropriate for teaching science in the secondary school.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

TAL 461. Pidgins, Creoles and African-American English in Education. 3 Credit Hours.
The course examines some of the most commonly spoken languages in the African diaspora in North and South America as well as in the Caribbean, namely, pidgins, creoles and African-American English. The course also explores the linguistic contributions that West African and European languages have made to the development of Atlantic Pidgins, Creoles and African-American English. Analyses of their lexicons, morphological and grammatical features are addressed along with the ways in which these linguistic structures are used to index different identities in the African-American and Creole cultures. Additionally, the course renews the call for a responsive agenda that recognizes the obstacles faced in formal education by child speakers of Creoles and African-American English and the need for public awareness of the extensively researched merits of accommodating these vernaculars in the classroom.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

TAL 470. Student Teaching in the Elementary School. 9 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive semester-long program in observation and supervised teaching in the elementary school. The student spends full time in an elementary school participating in all activities of the teacher under the guidance of school and university personnel.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 471. Student Teaching in the Elementary Schools for K-12 Areas. 3-6 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive program in observation and supervised teaching in the elementary school. The student spends full-time for one half a semester in an elementary school, participating in all activities of the teacher under the guidance of school and university personnel.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 473. Associate Teaching in the Secondary School for K-12 Areas. 3-6 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive program in observation and supervised teaching in the secondary school. The student spends full time for one half a semester in a secondary school, participating in all activities of the teacher under the guidance of school and university personnel.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 480. Seminar On Teaching. 3 Credit Hours.
The seminar is designed to support teacher candidates during the associate teaching experience. Students receive support and assistance in completing Florida Educator Accomplished Practices (FEAP) electronic portfolios. Students share, reflect, and discuss their daily experiences in class during culminating experience in the field.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 491. Applied Research in Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to basic research methods, ethics in education research, and the implications of research on the practice of teaching. Assist a TAL faculty member with a research project.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 493. Online Teaching and Leadership. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to teaching-learning process in online learning environments, including asynchronous modalities, assessment and evaluation, technology and digital copyright usage.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 495. Individual Study. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual work on a special project under faculty guidance. Application for Admission to Advanced Individual Study will be required.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
TAL 496. Undergraduate Research Honors. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual work on a special project under faculty guidance. Application for Admission to Advanced Individual Study will be required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 501. Classroom Based Assessment. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Principles and classroom applications of educational measurement and assessment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 502. Classroom Based Research. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of research principles to evaluation and improvement of teacher effectiveness. Use of scientific methods in problem solving and decision making in the classroom. Student experiences in the planning, conduct, analysis and reporting of classroom research are included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 503. Technology Applications in Education. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to help you better understand why and how to use modern technologies in educational settings. Throughout the course, you will identify and share accessible technological resources, participate in hands-on activities, conduct mini-teaching, and create technology-enhanced instructional materials. You will examine the affordances and constraints of a variety of technologies including mobile learning, computer-based visualizations, web-based curriculum platforms, augmented and mixed reality, and online collaboration tools. You will discuss with the instructor and peers critical issues and policy relevant to the effective use of technologies in K-12 classrooms or informal learning environments.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 504. Building Positive Relationships in Inclusive Secondary Schools. 3 Credit Hours.
Designed to assist general education teachers in meeting the needs of diverse secondary school students. Focus on students with disabilities, language and culture in the classroom, and developing culturally competent classroom management methods.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 506. Issues and Strategies for ESOL. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides a comprehensive foundation in ESOL (English for Speakers of Other Languages) competencies based on Florida's mandates and TESOL standards. Theory and practice will be emphasized in the areas of applied linguistics, cross cultural communication and understanding, methods of teaching, assessment, and curriculum and material development.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

TAL 508. Language Development for Linguistically and Culturally Diverse Students. 3 Credit Hours.
Course will provide an introduction to theories of linguistics, first and second language acquisition, as well as foundations of English learner education. Readings and lectures will serve to highlight the development of language and literacy, including challenges faced by students for whom Standard English is a second language and/or a second dialect. This course will be the first in a two- course ESOL sequence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 517. Curriculum, Assessment, Teaching and Learning for Physical Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of content knowledge, pedagogy, and materials appropriate for teaching physical science in the elementary school. The course content focuses on instructional practice with an emphasis on developing teacher content knowledge in physical science, pedagogy, and student literacy in physical science.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 518. Curriculum, Assessment, Teaching and Learning for Number, Operations, and Algebra. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines topics that address the mathematical ideas underlying number, operations and algebra. Related curriculum, instructional and assessment issues will be also discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
TAL 522. Curriculum, Assessment, Teaching and Learning in the Earth Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of content knowledge, pedagogy, and materials appropriate for teaching Earth science in the elementary school. The course content focuses on instructional practice with an emphasis on developing teacher content knowledge in Earth science, pedagogy, and student literacy in life science.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 523. Curriculum, Assessment, Teaching and Learning for Data Analysis and Probability. 3 Credit Hours.
Data in the elementary school: how to gather (biased and unbiased samples), store, manage, represent, analyze. Probabilistic inferences in elementary school: chance, odds, counting, related topics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 524. Education and the Arts. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of the fine and performing arts and their relation to PreK-12 education. Emphasis is placed on experiential learning and methods of incorporating the arts in school curricula. The course also includes a focus on the value of the arts to the individual and society.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 526. Practicum in Reading. 3 Credit Hours.
Supervised practicum in reading and writing. Emphasis is on assessment and interventions for elementary students with a range of academic, linguistic and cultural challenges in becoming proficient readers.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 527. Language and Assessment in ESOL. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of language systems with a focus on understanding and applying linguistic terms. Course prepares teachers to conduct informal and formal assessment procedures with English language learners. Field experience with English language learners is required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 528. ESOL Curriculum, Methods, and Assessment.. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on applying TESOL theories, principles, and current research to the development and use of instructional materials, curriculum, and methods. The course will enhance participant's knowledge of the regular English language arts curriculum in comparison with the ESOL curriculum.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 531. Educating Exceptional Students. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey course in special education emphasizing characteristics and problems associated with various categories of exceptional learners. Policy, issues, and trends in special education will be discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 540. Instruction and Assessment in the Secondary School.. 3 Credit Hours.
Research-based instructional processes in the secondary school.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 541. Instruction and Assessment in Secondary English Language Arts. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of methods, materials, and content appropriate for teaching language arts in the secondary school.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 542. Instruction and Assessment in Secondary Mathematics. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of methods, materials, and content appropriate for teaching mathematics in the secondary school.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
TAL 543. Instruction and Assessment in Secondary Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of methods, content and assessments appropriate for teaching science in the secondary school.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 544. Instruction and Assessment in Secondary Social Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of methods, materials, and content appropriate for teaching the social sciences in the secondary school.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 545. Methods of Teaching in the Elementary School. 3 Credit Hours.
Theories and research-based practices for reading/language arts, science, social studies, and math instruction for all learners, including diverse populations in elementary classrooms.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 550. Language and Early Reading Instruction. 3 Credit Hours.
Factors related to emergent literacy with an emphasis on diverse aspects of language that influence literacy and learning; development of emergent literacy and word perception; emergent literacy curriculum development; appropriate assessment and instructional techniques. Understanding of reading as a process of student engagement in fluent decoding and construction of meaning. Writing intensive.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

TAL 552. Reading Comprehension. 3 Credit Hours.
Development of comprehension, rate, and study skills; reading in the content areas; evaluation of materials, organization of programs; issues, problems, and exceptional readers. Emphasis is placed on understanding reading as a process of student engagement in fluent decoding of words and construction of meaning.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

TAL 553. Mentoring and Internship in Classroom Teaching. 3-6 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive program of supervised teaching in elementary or secondary class rooms.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 554. Literacy and Learning Strategies in the Content Area. 3 Credit Hours.
Literacy instruction in content areas for grades 6 through 12; instructional methods and materials for development of language arts, reading, and study skills. Emphasis on appropriate materials, motivation, and support for students with exceptional needs and English language learners.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 557. Exceptional Student Education and Classroom Management. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Introduction to theories and methods of effective classroom management and learning environments, perceptions of disabilities, addressing disruptive behaviors in classrooms and behavioral assessment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 558. ESOL Strategies and Classroom Management. 1-5 Credit Hours.
This course provides a general overview of foundation in ESOL (English for Speakers of Other Languages) competencies based on Florida’s mandates and ESOL Standards. Theory and practice will be emphasized in the areas of applied linguistics, cross cultural communication and understanding, methods of teaching, assessment, and curriculum and material development. A Classroom Management Plan will be developed based on current issues and effective classroom strategies for diverse populations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
TAL 568. Education Reform, Policy, and the Social Organization of Schooling. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to introduce students to the politics and policy debates in American education, including how the U.S. K-12 public education is organized as a socially-constructed system. We will examine the politics of a variety of recent reforms at the local, federal and state levels and their impact on institutions, students and the public.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 569. Teaching and Management for Diverse Classrooms. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will emphasize building a classroom culture and community that meets the needs of all students, including learners with disabilities and learners with culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds. A history of major legal requirements for diverse populations is examined, including the meaning of learning differences, definitions and causes of disabilities, language acquisition processes, and methods for teaching diverse populations. An introduction to theories and methods of effective classroom management for building learning communities is integrated throughout the course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 570. Student Teaching in the Elementary School. 9 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive semester-long program in observation and supervised teaching in the elementary school. The student spends full-time in an elementary school participating in all activities of the teacher under the guidance of school and university personnel.
Corequisite: TAL 580.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 572. Student Teaching in the Secondary School. 6-9 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive program in observation and supervised teaching in the secondary school. The student spends full-time in a secondary school participating in all activities of the teacher under the guidance of school and university personnel.
Corequisite: TAL 580.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 577. Human Development, Learning and Schooling. 3 Credit Hours.
Major theories of child development and learning will be discussed with a focus on how they apply to teaching and learning in K-12 schools.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 580. Seminar on Teaching. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topical seminar to accompany associate teaching
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 584. Topics in the Professional Development and Supervision of Teachers. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics include the preparation of clinical teachers to induct, guide, and supervise the field experiences of students and associate teachers; techniques in the observation and supervision of in-service teachers; creation and implementation of professional development plans; reading in the research on teacher development across the career.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 590. Topics in Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of emerging policy, practice, empirical research and scholarly writing on important educational issues for which formal course title and syllabus have not been developed and formalized in the UM Bulletin. Allows for experimental instructional formats. Course number indicates appropriate student audience. See Course Notes for specific topic.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
TAL 591. Workshop in Education. 1-6 Credit Hours.
A critical study of practical problems of teachers. Significant problems are defined, literature and research are reviewed, and individual or small group projects are required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 593. Online Teaching and Leadership. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to teaching-learning process in online learning environments, including asynchronous modalities, assessment and evaluation, technology and digital copyright usage.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 595. Research Honors Project. 2 Credit Hours.
Faculty mentored research project. This course is restricted to students in the SEHD who have been accepted into the Research Honors Program and are working with a Faculty mentor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 596. Research Honors Project. 2 Credit Hours.
Faculty mentored research project. This course is restricted to students in the SEHD who have been accepted into the Research Honors Program and are working with a Faculty mentor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 597. Research Honors Project - Thesis Writing. 2 Credit Hours.
Faculty mentored research project. This course is restricted to students in the SEHD who have been accepted into the Research Honors Program and are working with a Faculty mentor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 598. Research Honors Project - Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
Faculty mentored research project. This course is restricted to students in the SEHD who have been accepted into the Research Honors Program and are working with a Faculty mentor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 599. Workshop in Education. 1-6 Credit Hours.
A critical study of practical problems of teachers. Significant problems are defined, literature and research are reviewed, and individual or small group projects are required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

B.S.E.D. Elementary/Exceptional Student Education (ESE) with ESOL and Reading Endorsements

The Department of Teaching and Learning offers a major in Elementary/Exceptional Student Education that leads to certification in Elementary Education (K-6)/ESE (K-12) with ESOL and Reading endorsements. The requirements for Elementary/ESE Education are a major in Elementary/ESE Education and a minor outside of the Department of Teaching and Learning.

Requirements for Graduation

Bachelor of Science in Education

1. Candidates for B.S.Ed. in the School of Education and Human Development must complete the credit hours of work and achieve the quality point average specified for students in the University at large as stated in the section ACADEMIC REGULATIONS AND PROCEDURES, subject to regulations concerning the major specified in departmental and program sections of this Bulletin.
**Exemption**
Exempted is interpreted to refer exclusively to those exemptions provided under the following headings:

1. Advanced Standing and Placement (Credit Hour Granted);
2. Credit by Examination;
3. Advanced Placement (by proficiency examination);
4. Statement of Foreign Language Requirements;

**Florida Teacher Certification (FTCE)**
Students must pass the Professional Education, General Knowledge and Subject Area tests of the Florida Teacher Certification Examination (FTCE).

**Florida Educator Accomplished Practices (FEAPS)**
Students must complete the Florida Educator Accomplished Practices (FEAPs) and the P-12 Student Impact Project requirements. Monitoring of FEAPs and progress made toward program completion in the Teacher Education program will occur at the following checkpoints: Students enrolled in all teacher-education programs will submit complete portfolios at

1. application to student teaching and
2. at the end of TAL 480/TAL 580.

In addition, students enrolled in all teacher-education programs will submit e-portfolios via Live Text as follows

- TAL 306 Field Experience Seminar I (Must submit artifacts in order to receive a passing grade).
- TAL 429 Field Experience Seminar II (Must submit artifacts in order to receive a passing grade).

**Departmental Proficiency Examinations**
Except where a required course is one designated to correct a deficiency in his/her college preparation, the student may apply the credit hours of any required course from which he is exempted toward the credit hours specified for that subject as a general requirement for graduation and, upon payment of a recording fee, toward the 120 credit hours required for graduation. (See Departmental Proficiency Examinations.) An exemption may be granted for ENG 105, but these credit hours may not be applied toward the 120 credit hours required for graduation.

**Credit Only**
Only free electives may be taken under this option. Courses which satisfy the major, minor, the distributions of the School, the General Education Requirements of the University or any course for which a C or better is required may not be taken for credit only.

**Transfer Credit**
Transferred credit hours may not count toward the completion of a major without the written approval of the Associate Dean of the School of Education and Human Development.

**Transfer Students**
Transfer Students must take the General Knowledge Test (GKT), of the Florida Teacher Certification Exam, before enrolling in any Teaching and Learning Course. Students may submit their scores directly to the Associate Dean of the School of Education and Human Development.

**Required Areas of Study**

**English Composition 3 – 6 credit hours**
Students fulfill this requirement by satisfactorily completing ENG 105 and ENG 106 or its equivalent. Appropriate Advanced Placement (AP) or International Baccalaureate (IB) scores in English composition may be used to satisfy the ENG 105/ENG 106 requirement. An appropriate score on the SAT or ACT verbal examination may earn a student exemption from, but not credit hour in, ENG 105. Appropriate scores on other tests determined by the Department of English may earn a student exemption from, but not credit hour in, ENG 105. Courses satisfying the English Composition requirement may not be used to fulfill the Writing Across the Curriculum Required Area of Study.

**Mathematics**
B.S.Ed. degree candidates must complete MTH 113 or higher. Students who do not place directly into MTH 113 must enroll in either MTH 099 or MTH 101 based on results of placement tests.

**Foreign Languages (not applicable)**

**Areas of Knowledge and Cognate Requirements**
The University of Miami’s General Education requirements ensure that graduates have acquired essential intellectual skills and have engaged a range of academic disciplines. All new students will fulfill the General Education requirements by selecting a Cognate, which is a cluster of courses arranged by their content, field and interest.
A cognate is a group of at least three related courses for at least 9 credit hours.

- The courses in a cognate are related in a topical, thematic, interdisciplinary, sequential, or other such fashion, so that completion of a cognate provides coherent depth of knowledge in the area.
- Student must take three cognates to fulfill the Areas of Knowledge requirement,
  - one in the Arts & Humanities (A&H),
  - one in People & Society (P&S), Satisfied by the Elementary Education/Special Education major.
  - one in Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics (STEM).
- Each cognate has course options that allow students to complete the cognate in ways that meet their individual interests, while staying within the coherent focus of the cognate.
- In addition to the cognates that have been designed by faculty, each major and minor fulfills the cognate requirement in one area.
  - Exercise Physiology and Athletic Training majors will fulfill the STEM cognate.
  - Sport Administration, Human and Social Development, and Elementary/ESE majors will fulfill the P&S cognate.
- An approved list of cognates can be found on the University of Miami website.

**Writing**

Every student majoring in Teaching and Learning, will meet the Advanced Writing and Communication Requirement upon fulfillment of their major courses. These courses have a prerequisite requirement of ENG 105 and ENG 106 and will be identified as either writing intensive or as an oral/verbal communication proficiency course or both. Digital competency for both written and oral competencies will be assessed. Writing intensive courses require a minimum of 2500 written words; assignments will be assessed for analytical ability, synthesis of information, grammar, content and style. Courses designated as an oral/verbal proficiency class will provide students an opportunity to demonstrate their presentation skills using accurate standard English structure and syntax, non-verbal cues and gestures, as well as audience appropriate language. Courses for the TAL Major which meet the Advanced Writing and Communication Skills Requirement are TAL 332 and TAL 428.

**Majors**

Every candidate for the B.S. Ed. degree in the Department of Teaching and Learning must choose a major in Elementary/Exceptional Student Education (ESE) with ESOL and Reading endorsements.

**Minors**

Every candidate for a B.S. Ed. in Elementary Education/ESE must select a minor outside of the department of TAL.

**Electives**

Electives may be chosen from any courses offered by the University. The student should consult an advisor before selecting elective courses. At least 6 credit hours must be at the 300 level or above. Students may select elective course credits beyond the major, minor and general education requirements to complete a total of 120 credits required for the degree.

Note: Common prerequisites and total length for state-approved teacher education programs are subject to revision based on legislative and State of Florida Department of Education rule changes.

**General Education Assessment**

Seniors are required to participate in the General Education Assessment prior to graduation as a part of the SACS review process.

Please note: Students may not register for any class above TAL 332 without admission to Teacher Candidacy. Please see the requirements for Teacher Candidacy on the TAL Department page (p. 1025).

Please note: Students are strongly encouraged to register for TAL 203 and TAL 324.

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**Suggested Plan of Study**

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### Mission

The mission of the University of Miami (UM) School of Education and Human Development is to prepare the next generation of leaders, researchers, and agents of change and well-being in education and the community. The Department of Teaching and Learning (TAL) is the unit that oversees all Teacher Preparation Programs at UM.

### Goals

The goal of Teacher Preparation Programs in the Teaching & Learning Department is to prepare University of Miami students to teach K-12 students in Elementary/Exceptional Student Education with ESOL & Reading Endorsement. The major, once completed, leads to eligibility for State of Florida Professional Teaching Certification.

### Student Learning Outcomes

- Students in the Elementary/Exceptional Student Education with ESOL & Reading Endorsement Program will demonstrate in-depth knowledge in their area of specialization by correctly answering 80% of the questions on the Florida Teacher Certification Examinations (FTCE) by the time they graduate.
- Students will demonstrate Mastery of the Florida Educator Accomplished Practices.
- Students will demonstrate knowledge of Pedagogy and Effective Teaching Practices.
Minors in Education

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1. All courses must be passed with a C or high with a minimum of 2.5 GPA for the minor.
2. It is strongly recommended that students enroll in courses for this minor which do not include Field Experience. Please see an advisor for a list of those courses.
3. TAL 107, TAL 207, TAL 307, TAL 407, and TAL 191 do NOT count toward the minor.
4. This minor does not lead to teaching credentials.

Professional Training Option Minor

The Professional Training Option (PTO) is a Florida Department of Education approved pathway for non-education majors to complete the Professional Education component, one of the requirements to become a certified teacher in the State of Florida. Please be advised that students seeking the PTO must be majoring or minoring in a teachable subject.

The PTO is an 18 credit minor.

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2. All courses must be passed with a C or high with a minimum of 2.5 GPA for the minor.
3. Students must pass all 4 sections of the General Knowledge Exam (GKT), part of the FTCE, in order to be eligible for 400 level courses or higher.

Professional Training Option Minor

The Professional Training Option (PTO) is a Florida Department of Education approved pathway for non-education majors to complete the Professional Education component, one of the requirements to become a certified teacher in the State of Florida. Please be advised that students seeking the PTO must be majoring in a teachable area in order to participate in the program.

The PTO minor consists of 18 credit hours passed with a C or higher with an overall GPA of 2.5 or higher. Upon successful completion of the coursework and passing the required Florida Teacher Certification Exams (FTCE) student's UM transcripts will indicate that the student has completed a Florida State-approved PTO program. Students will then be eligible to apply for a 3-year Temporary Teaching Certificate in the State of Florida. There is a one-year of successful teaching requirement in an accredited school in Florida in order to apply for a Professional Teaching Certificate. Please note: Students must have passing scores on the FTCE prior to graduation in order to be eligible for the PTO Stamp.
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## Engineering

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### Mission

The College of Engineering transforms lives by: creating new knowledge, re-creating knowledge for education, translating knowledge for commercialization, and applying knowledge to serve the community.

The objective of the College of Engineering is to serve society by offering high quality educational programs in the professional areas that it covers, and by performing research and community service, with high professional standards. The College is dedicated to educating engineers to deal with the major issues of society over the next generation - enhancing competitiveness, advancing health care, coming into harmony with the environment, utilizing technology for humankind's benefit, and supporting a sophisticated infrastructure. The goal of the faculty is to prepare students to be employed effectively in manufacturing, consulting, construction, information technology, service industries, and those related to the medical industry and health care, in roles involving planning, design and implementation at all levels of decision making. Students are broadly prepared in technical, leadership, and management skills. Student development accrues both inside and outside the classroom, with input from faculty, employers, alumni, and other students. They are made acutely aware of environmental and international perspectives. Professional competence in the traditional sense is complemented by a broad capability to function in society. The College places great emphasis on providing students with a learning experience which will enable them to develop productive careers while creating engineering solutions to problems of our society. Learning is centered around real life experiences, which involve an understanding of science, mathematics, social values, and aesthetics, to produce economical solutions to physical problems which society encounters. Protection and enhancement of the environment is stressed at all levels, and emphasis is placed on the creative application of knowledge which will improve the quality of life.

### Department and Programs

The College of Engineering has five departments -

- Biomedical Engineering,
- Civil, Architectural, and Environmental Engineering,
- Electrical and Computer Engineering,
- Industrial Engineering, and
- Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering

Offering curricula leading to Bachelor of Science degrees in the following fields:

- Aerospace Engineering,
- Architectural Engineering,
- Biomedical Engineering,
- Civil Engineering,
- Computer Engineering,
- Electrical Engineering,
- Engineering Science,
• Environmental Engineering,
• Industrial Engineering, and
• Mechanical Engineering.

Interdisciplinary areas of study, areas of specialization within departments, and study in two entirely different areas are available through options, concentrations and dual degree programs.

Accreditation
The programs in Aerospace Engineering, Architectural Engineering, Biomedical Engineering, Civil Engineering, Computer Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Environmental Engineering, Industrial Engineering, and Mechanical Engineering are accredited by the Accreditation Commission of ABET, http://www.abet.org
415 North Charles Street
Baltimore, MD 21201
telephone: 410-347-7700

The program in Engineering Science is not accredited.

The College offers graduate programs leading to degrees both in the traditional and interdisciplinary areas of study. Programs leading to the M.S. degree may include specialization in the following areas of study: Architectural Engineering, Biomedical Engineering, Civil Engineering, Electrical and Computer Engineering, Engineering Management, Environmental Engineering, Industrial Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, Medical Informatics, Structural Engineering, and Thermal and Fluid Sciences.

Engineering Laboratories
The College of Engineering maintains a variety of well-equipped laboratories adequate for undergraduate instruction and providing for graduate and sponsored research.

Computer Laboratory
• Clarke Computational Laboratory
• Computer Graphics Laboratory

Biomedical Engineering Laboratories
• Biomedical Design and Instrumentation Laboratory
• Biomaterials/Circulatory Assist Device Laboratory
• Biomedical Atomic Force Microscopy Laboratory
• Biomedical Optics Laboratory
• Diabetes Tissue Engineering Laboratory
• Joint Bioengineering and Endourology Laboratory
• Measurements Laboratory
• Medical Imaging Laboratory
• Neuroprosthetics Research Group
• Neurosensory Engineering Laboratory
• Stem Cell and Mechanobiology Laboratory
• Tissue Biomechanics Laboratory
• Tissue Engineering Laboratory

Civil, Architectural and Environmental Engineering Laboratories
• Environmental Engineering Laboratory
• Geotechnical Engineering Laboratory
• Mechanics of Solids and Materials Laboratory
• Structures and Materials Laboratory
• Sustainable Building Systems Laboratory

Electrical and Computer Engineering Laboratories
• Electronics Laboratory
• Wireless Communications Laboratory
• Digital Signal Processing Laboratory
• Electrical Machinery Laboratory
• Digital Design Laboratory
• Microprocessor Laboratory
• Photonics and Micro-Devices Laboratory
• Distributed Decision Environments Laboratory
• Underwater Imaging Laboratory
• Networks Laboratory
• Embedded Systems Laboratory
• Computer Vision and Image Processing Laboratory
• Information Technology Laboratory
• Multimedia Laboratory
• Digital Audio and Speech Processing Laboratory
• Optics and Fiber Communications Laboratory
• ECE Computer Laboratory
• Nanophotonics and Devices Laboratory
• MEMS and VLSI Laboratory

**Industrial Engineering Laboratories**
• Computer Integrated Manufacturing Laboratory
• Industrial Hygiene Laboratory
• Biomechanics and Gait Laboratory
• Human Factors and Aging Research Laboratory
• Productivity Research Laboratory
• Work Design Laboratory
• Work Physiology Laboratory
• Systems and Operations Research Laboratory
• Industrial Ventilation Laboratory
• Robotics Laboratory

**Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering Laboratories**
• Aerospace Materials Simulation Laboratory
• Aerodynamics and Computational Fluid Dynamics Laboratory
• Design and Manufacturing Laboratory
• Fuel Cells Laboratory
• Thermo-Fluid Mechanics Laboratory
• Integrated Nano-Bio-Systems Laboratory
• Internal Combustion Laboratory
• Materials Laboratory
• Materials Modeling Laboratory
• Measurements Laboratory
• Multifunctional Composite Materials Laboratory
• Optimization and Reliability Laboratory
• Robotics and Intelligent Systems Engineering Laboratory
• Stress Analysis Laboratory
• Tissue Biomechanics Laboratory
• Wind Tunnel Laboratory

**Academic Policies**

**Admission**
Admission to the College of Engineering is covered under the section on Admission to the University in the General Information section of this Bulletin. Algebra, trigonometry, analytic geometry, chemistry, computer literacy, and physics are high school subjects that are appropriate for students planning on entering the College.
The academic work of each transfer student will be evaluated on an individual basis, and the student will be enrolled in the College at an appropriate level.

Requirements for Graduation

The College believes that emphasis should be placed on the student’s ultimate level of attainment in selected subject areas. For those students whose preparation is advanced beyond that of the average secondary school graduate, the University provides proficiency examinations and schedules the students for more advanced work. Graduation for these students may be accelerated. For those students whose secondary school preparation has not provided an adequate background, the University offers preparatory courses. Graduation for these students may be delayed accordingly.

The student's program of study is selected jointly with an adviser, with special attention to the individual student's needs. Flexibility is ordinarily possible within the framework of sound education in the essential fundamentals and within the development of depth in selected fields of design and analysis. An examination of a typical curriculum given under the various department sections of this Bulletin shows that there is a strong common core of studies. Therefore, students uncertain of their ultimate field of specialization retain a high degree of mobility to enable them to transfer from one curriculum to another.

Each student must demonstrate upon admission an adequate preparation in the necessary skills of reading, writing, and mathematics. Placement test scores will indicate which, if any, supplementary courses must be taken the first semester. Although these courses are recorded for University credit hour, the student must take the full curriculum, as listed, in addition to these courses. Students not prepared in these areas are advised to make every effort to correct deficiencies before the first semester.

Completion of any of the prescribed curricula, except Engineering Science, with an overall grade point average of at least 2.0 (C) in all course work, to include all accepted work from other institution(s), is the basic requirement for graduation in the College. An average of C also must be attained in all work attempted at the University of Miami and the professional studies. The Engineering Science curriculum, because of its special purpose, has a higher requirement, i.e., a grade point average of 3.0 (B).

The requirements for graduation as specified by each Department and Program reflect the general education requirements of the University of Miami and the requirements of the appropriate accrediting agencies. The curricula contain required courses and elective courses. No course required for graduation may be taken under the credit-no credit (Credit-Only) option.

Students are expected to make satisfactory progress toward graduation by meeting the criteria established above. Whenever a student fails to demonstrate positive academic progress, he/she may be placed on academic probation or dismissed by the College of Engineering Scholastic Standards and Advising (SSA) Committee.

General Educational Requirements

Areas of Knowledge

Students at the College of Engineering fulfill the Areas of Knowledge requirement by completing three cognates, one from each of the three areas of the university curriculum:

- Arts & Humanities;
- People & Society; and
- Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics.

For students in the College of Engineering, their engineering major will count as a cognate in Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics. These students have to complete a cognate in People & Society and Arts & Humanities.

A cognate is a group of at least three courses for at least nine credit hours, related in a topical, thematic, interdisciplinary, sequential, or other fashion, so that completion of a cognate provides coherent depth of knowledge. Each cognate has course options that allow students to complete the cognate in a manner that meets their interests, while staying within the coherent focus of the cognate. While students are required to take three cognates to fulfill the Areas of Knowledge requirement, there is no limit to the number of additional cognates students may complete. All cognates completed by students are listed on the students’ transcripts, thus certifying their depth of knowledge in those areas.

The university offers a large number and range of cognates. All approved cognates are visible in a cognate search engine (at www.miami.edu/cognates/) that allows students to search for cognates based on cognate features, cognate courses, and keywords. Each cognate is administered by a department or program that is designated as the Responsible Academic Unit (RAU) for the cognate. Inquiries regarding a cognate should be directed to the cognate’s RAU.

Engineering students satisfy the University’s Advanced Writing and Communication Skills requirement by completing a set of classroom courses, laboratory courses and design courses where they learn effective oral, graphical and technical writing skills. These requirements are specified under each department.

The student’s official records are maintained by the Office of Enrollment Services. It is the student’s obligation to take the initiative to assure that all requirements are being met in conformity with his/her own graduation plans.
Degree Programs

Dual Majors
Dual majors are offered for engineering students with strong interest in related fields of study such as Physics or Mathematics. In order to obtain a
dual major in one of these areas, the student will have to obtain, in parallel, a degree in one of the engineering programs, plus additional course work
approved by the dual majors department. Further information on this dual major program may be obtained from the Dean's Office of the College.

Minors
Minors are offered by the College of Engineering. The departments of:

- Civil, Architectural, and Environmental Engineering,
- Electrical and Computer Engineering,
- Industrial Engineering, and
- Mechanical Engineering

offer minors with various areas of specialization. Details of each area of concentration and its requirements may be found under each departmental
listing.

Engineering students can earn a minor offered by any other College/School within the University of Miami, including the College of Engineering.
In cases where the major degree requirements satisfy some of the requirements for the minor, at least six credit hours beyond the major degree
requirements must be taken in the minor subject area to earn a minor. Minors in Engineering require a minimum GPA of 2.0 in the courses required for
the minor.

Departmental Honors Program
A student in the College of Engineering may graduate with Departmental Honors noted upon his/her diploma and transcript upon fulfillment of the
following requirements:

1. Completion of at least 18 credit hours of course work in honors courses and/or in courses at the 500 level, including 6 credit hours in independent
study, senior thesis, or designated advanced or special honors courses specified by the department, with grades of at least B in these 6 credit
hours.
2. Attainment of at least a 3.4 overall grade point average. Transfer students must also attain at least a 3.4 grade point average in all work taken at
the University of Miami.
3. Attainment of at least a 3.5 average in the departmental major courses.
4. A written request from the student to the departmental faculty during his/her semester of expected graduation stating the desire to graduate with
Departmental Honors, and specifying those courses taken in compliance with section (A) above.

Certificate Programs in Engineering
In cooperation with the University's School of Continuing Studies, the College of Engineering offers practicing engineers advanced or specialized
training without having to meet the stringent entrance requirements of the Graduate School. Persons holding Bachelor's degrees, registered as
Professional Engineers, or possessing equivalent qualifications can be granted Certificates of Proficiency by the University after completing fifteen
credit hours of course work in a specified field of engineering. Study programs are arranged on an individual basis by each student and his/her advisor.
Detailed information on Certificate Programs can be requested from the Office of the Dean of Engineering.

The Internship Cooperative Program
The Cooperative Program takes its name from the close cooperation that exists between the College and participating employers. This arrangement
attempts to insure that each student’s academic and work experience will integrate and contribute significantly to his/her overall growth and
professional development. Interviews and screening by both the employer and Cooperative Program personnel attempt to match the needs of the
employer carefully with the interests and capability of the student.

Advantages to the Student

1. Offers on-the-job experience to supplement the academic degree program.
2. Offers potential long term career employment with the Cooperative Program employer.
3. The experience obtained makes the student, upon graduation, potentially much more valuable to any future employer. Upon completion of an
appropriate amount and level of experience, graduation in the Cooperative Program may be recognized by a special seal on the student's diploma.
4. Helps the student to verify whether or not his/her career or specialty choice is correct.
5. Tends to increase motivation and to make academic studies more meaningful.
6. Earnings from Cooperative Program employment can cover a significant portion of the student’s college expenses.
7. Certain work experience may shorten the experience requirements, after graduation, for eligibility for professional registration.
8. Helps to develop the students understanding of human relations and the lifelong need of learning to balance appropriately the demands on one’s time of multiple duties such as studying, employment, daily necessities, family obligations, etc.

Advantages to the Employer

1. Offers an opportunity to recruit and screen potential employees in the fields of engineering.
2. The Cooperative Program maintains an up-to-date roster of available undergraduate and graduate students, many with previous experience. This roster offers employers means of obtaining employees to meet fluctuating work loads, on relatively short notice.
3. Students in the Cooperative Program can provide good company public relations with their classmates.
4. Participation in a Cooperative Program serves the profession by providing opportunities for many capable and well deserving young persons to attend a University, who otherwise might lack the financial ability or motivation to attend.

Types of Cooperative Program Arrangements

Continuous Work-Study
An arrangement involving a combination of part-time employment (15 or more hours per week) and a credit hour academic load which is appropriately reduced from the normal full-time load to balance the employment duties. Full-time employment may be undertaken during the summer period. Two students may be used during the year to share the hours of a full-time position (20 hours each student). In some instances, an individual student will hold a full-time position and carry a light academic load in evening and/or early morning classes.

Alternating Work-Study
An arrangement involving two students alternating full-time employment and full-time study. Students alternate positions of work and study at the end of each semester (including the summer), and thereby provide the equivalent employee time of a full-time position year-round.

Student Eligibility for the Program
University of Miami students enrolled in the College of Engineering are eligible to enter the Cooperative Program. Initial entry into the Program is limited to superior students. Normally, work assignments are not given until the equivalent of one or two semesters of full-time academic work is completed. Currently, most students in the Program are under continuous work-study arrangements.

Study Abroad Programs
The College of Engineering encourages its students to take advantage of one of the University of Miami’s numerous study abroad options in Latin America, Europe, Asia, Australia and the Middle East, especially through partners in the Global Engineering Education Exchange (GE3). Of particular interest to Engineering students are the following: internships (unpaid and paid) in Spain, England, France, Argentina, Colombia, Chile, and Australia in which professional work experience is carried out abroad; course work at Engineering schools abroad for a semester or an academic year; summer programs in intensive Language instruction, Humanities and Social Sciences abroad. The cost of attending these programs is equivalent to University of Miami tuition and fees. Almost all University of Miami financial aid is granted. With prior approval and detailed curriculum advice, courses taken abroad will apply towards graduation.

The Management of Technology Supplemental Program
The objective of this program is to educate engineers in how to exploit their technological knowledge. This is a vital, but often neglected, link in achieving competitiveness in the global marketplace. The basic premise motivating this approach is the recognition that in today’s world, technology is the backbone of the business enterprise system and that wealth can only be created through production of goods and services. This program will educate engineers in a multitude of subjects bridging the gap between product technology, production technology and the marketplace, which is the ultimate customer of engineering contributions.

The program consists of four courses:
1. Quality in Design of Products and Production Systems
2. Entrepreneurship for Engineers
3. Production Systems Design

A project is required at the end of the program, but is threaded throughout the program starting with the first course. Upon completion of the program, the student will receive a special certificate of completion. This program is available to all qualified students in all departments of the College of Engineering.

Admission to the Program
Admission to this supplemental program will be by application submitted by the candidate or by nomination by an advisor or department chair. All applications will be reviewed by a standing committee. Students must meet the prerequisite of each course before enrolling in it.
Requirements for the Certificate
The program is an add-on to existing curriculum. Students must complete all courses designated in order to qualify for the certificate. A notation will be made on the student’s transcript recognizing their completion of the special program. No designation will be made on the diploma.

Course Sequence
Courses are recommended to be taken in the sequence indicated above.

Team Work
Students will be encouraged to work on projects in teams. Multidisciplinary teams will also be encouraged.

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Combined BS/MS Program
The College offers a five-year Bachelor of Science and Master of Science BS/MS degree program in Architectural Engineering, Biomedical Engineering, Civil Engineering, Computer Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Environmental Engineering, Industrial Engineering, and Mechanical Engineering. This program is specifically designed for those students who want to pursue their graduate study as they are completing their undergraduate study. Both degrees are awarded at the completion of required coursework for both the BS and MS degrees. The special conditions and processes for the five-year BS/MS Program are as follows:

Requirements
You must be an undergraduate student in the College of Engineering (CoE). A master’s degree is considered the first professional degree in engineering. The Admission Committee will carefully review academic credentials for admission into our M.S. program. Students should discuss the program and possibility of entering with an academic adviser. Completed applications are due prior to the beginning of your junior year.

Application Process
Interested CoE students must complete the application process during their “junior” year. Applicants will need to provide all the required documentation outlined on the on-line graduate application including 3 recommenders, a UM transcript sent directly from the UM Office of the Registrar. An admission decision will not be made until all required application materials have been received and processed for review by the Admission Committee.

Financial Implications
Many financial aid programs, including those offered by the University and the federal and state governments are restricted to coursework required to complete an undergraduate degree. For further information contact the University of Miami Financial Aid Office.

Once admitted into BS-MS program
In your senior year when you have a full time undergraduate status, you may take a maximum of twelve (12) graduate credit hours (a maximum of six (6) credit hours per semester) with approval of your academic advisor. In order to register for these classes, you must complete and submit the UM Graduate School “Application for Undergraduate to Take Graduate Course” special form.

During your last one or two semesters, when you are taking graduate course work only, register as a graduate student.

A student wishing to withdraw from the BS/MS Program without the MS degree must complete all the requirements for the BS degree.

To qualify for the MS degree, the student must meet all the pertinent Graduate School requirements, including a minimum of 3.0 GPA in the credit hours applied toward the MS degree.

The student is awarded both the BS and MS degrees at the end of the fifth year when all degree requirements are satisfied.

The Doctor of Philosophy Degree is currently offered in the area of:

- Biomedical Engineering
- Civil Engineering
- Electrical and Computer Engineering
- Ergonomics and Human Factors
- Industrial Engineering
- Mechanical Engineering
The Ph.D. programs in Interdepartmental Graduate Studies permit, with approval of the Graduate Council, highly qualified students to pursue a privileged individualized program which cuts across disciplinary lines.

The Bulletin of the Graduate School (p. 2203) presents more detailed information on these graduate programs.

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Foote Fellows in CoE

The Foote Fellows Honors Program recognizes the most educationally accomplished incoming students at the University of Miami. Foote Fellows have distinguished themselves both in and out of the classroom at their previous schools, are self-motivated, and think independently. Admission to the Foote Fellows Honors Program is by invitation.

Foote Fellows in the College of Engineering are exempt from the Cognates Program of General Education requirements within the curricular framework of their major. Within the curricular framework of their majors, Foote Fellows enjoy unmatched freedom and flexibility to explore a multitude of educational resources. Many Foote Fellows leverage this opportunity to take additional majors and/or minors and to study abroad.

At each of the nine undergraduate schools at the University of Miami, a dedicated adviser helps Foote Fellows chart their academic path and attain access to distinctive learning opportunities at the University, such as special school-based seminars, faculty-mentored research, networking opportunities, and off-campus internships.

Foote Fellows also will be invited to join advanced, interdisciplinary Foote Fellow seminars taught by leading faculty members from across the University. An example is Books That Matter, a rigorous seminar in non-fiction reading that is offered in sessions for first-year and for upper-class students. Freshman Foote Fellows benefit from early move-in to the residential colleges. Further, Foote Fellows receive focused advising on post-baccalaureate distinguished fellowships and awards.

The Foote Fellows Honors Program reflects the educational vision of former University of Miami President Edward T. Foote, who retired in 2000 after serving the University for twenty years.

Biomedical Engineering

http://www.miami.edu/bme

Dept. Code: BME

Introduction

Biomedical engineering is a multidisciplinary field that addresses problems at the interface of engineering, medicine, and the life sciences. Examples include the design of medical devices, implants and prostheses; the development of new biomaterials or drug delivery systems; the engineering of cells and tissues; the design of optical and laser systems for diagnostic and therapy; the development of medical imaging systems and algorithms for medical image processing; and the acquisition, interpretation and use of physiological signals to assess and control physiological function, such as the use of brain signals to control movement in brain computer interfaces. Biomedical engineering has an impact on virtually all fields of medicine.

The Department of Biomedical Engineering at the University of Miami was formally created in 1979 as a graduate program. The four-year undergraduate program leading to the B.S degree in BME was established approximately ten years later to address the need for professional biomedical engineers. The undergraduate BME program at the University of Miami was the first of its kind in Florida, with the first class of B.S.B.E. students graduating in 1993. It has been continuously accredited by the Engineering Accreditation Commission (EAC) of the Accreditation Board of Engineering and Technology (ABET) since 1997. The Department of Biomedical Engineering also offers graduate courses leading to the Master of Science and Doctor of Philosophy degrees and it includes a graduate program in Medical Physics. The PhD program in Biomedical Engineering is also a degree-granting program of the University’s MD/PhD program. In addition, qualified undergraduate students may apply for the combined BS/MS program (details are provided following the curricula for the BS degrees).

Graduates of the biomedical engineering undergraduate program find employment in industry or continue their studies either in graduate school or in a professional school in medicine and other health-related disciplines (such as dentistry, optometry, orthotics), law or business.

Some special features of the program include the small class size and open-door policy of the faculty, which facilitates student-faculty interaction. The Department has very strong ties with the University of Miami Miller School of Medicine and with industry. Undergraduate students have a wide range of research and internship opportunities in some of the leading research laboratories in their respective field. The Department strongly encourages undergraduate student participation in research and professional activities.
Program Description
Curriculum
The two educational objectives of the Biomedical Engineering program are achieved via the implementation of a curriculum with four parallel concentrations which include a common core and concentration-specific courses. The core curriculum is designed to provide a broad foundation in the basic sciences and in engineering. Concentration-specific courses provide the depth required to be proficient engineers.

The four concentrations are:
• Biomaterials and Tissue (B)
• Electrical (E),
• Mechanical (M),
• Premedical (P)

The Biomaterials and Tissue concentration provides training in the fundamental aspects of cell and tissue biology, design of biomaterial scaffolds and implants, and the application of tissue engineered constructs toward repair, restoration, and regeneration of damaged cells, tissues and organs. The Electrical concentration provides training in the fundamental aspects of electronics and signal processing, design of instrumentation, sensors, imaging systems and neural interfaces, and the application of biomedical technology to the measurement, control and rehabilitation of tissue and organ function. The Mechanical concentration provides training in the fundamental aspects of solid, fluid, and computational mechanics, design and modeling of biomedical devices such as artificial implants, and prostheses and the application of biomechanical principles toward assessment and restoration of tissue and organ function. The Premedical concentration is designed for students who plan to seek admission to medical school. In addition to providing core training in biomedical engineering, the Premedical concentration ensures that students meet the general requirements for admission to medical school.

The curriculum is designed to provide all graduates with the analytical and design skills required to formulate and solve problems at the interface of engineering, medicine and the life sciences. Required courses in the humanities and social sciences provide students with an awareness of social, ethical and environmental issues related to their profession. The curriculum has been carefully designed with the prerequisite structure in mind so that students have to draw from previously acquired knowledge to complete the upper level course requirements successfully. The curriculum includes two or three technical electives selected by the student based on their individual professional interests. The curriculum places a special emphasis on written and oral communication skills. Many of the Biomedical Engineering courses, as well as the capstone design project, include a requirement for a written term paper and oral presentation on a course-related topic related to the class.

Advanced Writing and Communication Skills
Biomedical Engineering students satisfy the University’s Advanced Writing and Communication Skills requirement by completing a set of classroom courses, laboratory courses and design courses where they learn effective oral, graphical and technical writing skills. Biomedical Engineering students acquire Advanced Writing and Communication skills in the following core courses:

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Design Experience
The biomedical engineering design experience is integrated in the curriculum throughout the four years of study, starting in the freshman year with the Introduction to Biomedical Engineering course. Each semester includes classroom or laboratory courses which place a heavy emphasis on theoretical and practical biomedical engineering design concepts. In the second semester of the junior year, students complete a 3 credit-hour course which covers the principles of biomedical engineering design, from problem identification and design conception to implementation and testing, including regulatory aspects. The design experience culminates in the senior year with a yearlong capstone Senior Design Project. The Senior Design Project is typically completed by teams of two to four students who build on their knowledge and previous design experience to solve one major design problem which integrates the various components of the curriculum.

Teaching and Design Laboratories
The Department of Biomedical Engineering houses several teaching laboratories which provide students hands-on experience in core areas of the curriculum, including cell and tissue engineering, tissue mechanics, medical instrumentation, measurements, and optics and physiology, among
others. In particular, the Ben-Josef Cell and Tissue Laboratory provides undergraduate and graduate students a unique opportunity to gain hand-on experience in the field of cell and tissue engineering, biomaterials and tissue mechanics. The Department also houses a state-of-the-art Scanning Electron Microscope and 3D printer which are used by students in their design and research projects. In addition, students have access to the College of Engineering's maker space and Johnson & Johnson 3D Printing Center of Excellence Collaborative Laboratory. The facility provides access to a wide variety of advanced 3-D printers and fabrication equipment, and has a full-time engineer/scientist available for training purposes. Students can use the facility for their design projects.

Undergraduate Research and Internships
Biomedical Engineering students are strongly encouraged to gain research or professional experience through internships. Most undergraduate students conduct research in laboratories at the Department of Biomedical Engineering and at the School of Medicine, or are hired as interns by the local biomedical industry.

Degree Programs
The department offers one degree program with four concentrations: Electrical, Mechanical, Biomaterials and Tissue, and Premed. A list of the core science and engineering courses common to all four concentrations is provided below, followed by a tabular listing of the course requirements for the degree Bachelor of Science in Biomedical Engineering for each concentration.

Dual Major
The College of Engineering offers a dual major in Biomedical Engineering for students that are majoring in another engineering Department. In order to obtain the dual major in Biomedical Engineering, the student will have to obtain, in parallel, a major in one of the fundamental engineering programs, plus 24 credit hours of course work, including 19 credit hours of required course work and 5 credit hours of elective course work from the lists given below. Of this total of 24 credit hours, at least 12 have to be at the level of 400 and above.

The required courses for the dual major are:

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The electives are to be chosen from the BME course list.

Departmental Honors
Upon request departmental honor is noted in a student’s diploma and transcript upon fulfillment of the requirements specified in the College Bulletin.

BME 100. Introduction to Biomedical Engineering for Summer Scholars. 3 Credit Hours.
This introductory course is designed to expose high school students to biomedical engineering. The program is designed for the exemplary high school student interested in applied mathematics and science. The students will be provided with an understanding and some hands-on experience on topics relative to the discipline of Biomedical Engineering. The course content changes throughout the 3-week duration and includes topics on lasers, medical imaging, biomaterials, bioelectricity and biomechanics. The students will be able to understand the challenges associated with the design, testing and FDA clearance of biomedical devices and the importance of the scientific methods in engineering. The laboratory and field trip experiences will deal with the design and testing of a bioelectric device. Summer Scholar Students only.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

BME 110. Introduction to Innovation: Learning About Innovation by Innovating. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to diverse methods and tools that promote and nurture student creativity, entrepreneurship, team-work, and skills for creating business plans that consider ethical, global and financial issues. Students will learn to use the Maker Space facility to implement their design ideas.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
BME 111. Introduction to Engineering I. 3 Credit Hours.
Use of engineering tools for problem solving are discussed. Topics include the use of computer techniques for data acquisition, analysis, presentation, software design, computer aided drafting, and development of design skills through several design and building competitions. Introduction to professional ethics and intellectual property rights, the use of MATLAB, AutoCAD, and programming in C++.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 112. Introduction to Biomedical Engineering. 2 Credit Hours.
Introduction to Engineering II provides an introduction to biomedical engineering analysis, design, and manufacturing processes. Ethics, Regulatory Factors, and Biomedical Design Tools (mechanical, electrical, and computer tools) are introduced. Students will also be given lectures from both Biomedical Engineering researchers and industrial professionals concerning their experiences and the current trends within the field. Hands on experience is provided.
Prerequisite: BME 111.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 123. Explorations in Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to engineering for non-engineers with emphasis on real-world engineering systems and services which are changing the way we live, communicate, learn, play, and care for ourselves, our communities and our planet. Students will learn how to use modern tools to observe and design simple engineering systems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 211. Introduction to Programming for Biomedical Engineers. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide a comprehensive introduction to programming using MATLAB. The students will learn MATLAB functions for importing, analyzing, visualizing and exporting data, numerical computation, modeling and solving biomedical engineering problems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 265. Medical Systems Physiology. 3 Credit Hours.
Human physiological processes from a bioengineering and medical point of view. Pertinent aspects of anatomy, biophysics, biochemistry, and disease mechanisms are also included.
Prerequisite: BIL 150. And CHM 121.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 266. Human Physiology Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
This course provides a series of laboratory experiments to assist students to learn human physiology through noninvasive measurements by using the Powerlab Physiology Data Acquisition station. Following introductory lectures in the lab, students will assemble measurement probes, connect different devices, collect data under normal and stimulating conditions, and perform data analysis. Lab report is required for each experiment.
Prerequisite: Or Corequisite: BME 265.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 302. Cellular Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Cellular engineering addresses issues related to understanding and manipulating cell structure-function relationships. This course is intended to bridge between cell biologists and engineers, to understand quantitatively cell biological aspects. Central to biomaterial and tissue engineering is our use of cells and our understanding of their interactions with their environment. It is important to understand how cells respond to external signals from their substrata or their milieu, how they move, and what they need in order to perform their desired function. Students are provided with an introduction to engineering principles and modeling at the cellular level. Of particular interest are cytomechanics, receptor/ligand binding, genetic engineering, enzyme kinetics, and metabolic pathway engineering.
Prerequisite: BIL 150. And CHM 121.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
BME 303. Cell Engineering Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
The principles of cell engineering will be presented in a hands-on laboratory experience. General techniques learned will include sterile methods, cell culture techniques, cell imaging, DNA cloning and cell transfection, microcontact printing. Cell engineering topics include cell cycle/metabolism, adhesion, signal transduction, and assessment and fabrication of 2D culture substrates.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 151.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 305. Biomedical Technology. 3 Credit Hours.
Non-mathematical introduction to technical and clinical aspects of biomedical engineering. Biomedical signals and instrumentation, sensors, transducers, physiological measurements, laboratory instrumentation, implants, cardiac assist devices, radiology, ultrasound, CT, MRI, transmission, and scanning electron microscopy. Field trips to clinical and research laboratories are included. Open only to non-BME students.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and CHM 121.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 310. Mathematical Analysis in Biomedical Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Mathematical modeling of physiological and other biomedical engineering systems and devices. Basic engineering principles and mathematical tools are covered for rigorous understanding of physiological regulation and control in biosystems.
Prerequisite: MTH 311.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 312. Biomedical Statistics and Data Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will provide a comprehensive introduction to biostatistical models and methods, with applications in clinical trials research, observational studies, physiology, genomics and public health. Various examples will be solved using MATLAB and the results will be compared and discussed. A brief introduction to R will be provided.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 320. The Evolution of Technology. 3 Credit Hours.
Organized and taught by an interdisciplinary team, this innovative course is designed for juniors and seniors. An experimental elective, the course uses multimedia to explore the ways in which innovation is driven by the needs of society and individuals, and nurtured by improvements in tools and production. Five broad subject areas will receive special attention: survival, communication, transportation, entertainment and medicine.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 330. Foundations of Medical Imaging. 3 Credit Hours.
Physical and biological principles of medical imaging, including ultrasound, X-ray, nuclear, magnetic resonance, electrical impedance and optical imaging. Propagation and interaction of ultrasonic waves, light waves, X-ray photons, and nuclear radiation in hard and soft biological tissue.
Corequisite: BME 310.
Prerequisite: PHY 222. And PHY 223. Or Pre/Corequisite: BME 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 335. Biomaterials. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the field of Biomaterials. Review of materials science for four main types of biomaterials: ceramics, metals, polymers, and composites. Lectures on special topics given by guest lecturers who are active in their specific areas, under supervision of the instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
BME 375. Fundamentals of Biomechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of solid and fluid mechanics to describe the mechanical behavior of human motion, mechanical behavior of soft and hard biological tissues, cells and biofluids. Review of fundamental concepts and techniques of mechanics (stress, strain, constitutive relations). Focus on mechanical properties of specific tissues, including tendon, skin, smooth muscle, heart muscle, cartilage, and bone. Cellular and biofluid mechanics will be presented.
Prerequisite: MTH 311. And PHY 221.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 395. Undergraduate Research in Biomedical Engineering. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Research and/or design projects consisting of an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BME 399. Cooperative Education. 1 Credit Hour.
Practical application of classroom theory through alternating semester or summer employment with firms offering positions consistent with the student's field of study. May be repeated.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BME 401. Biomedical Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the clinical problem-based design for undergraduate biomedical engineering students. Focus will be on need identification, concept generation, prototype development and testing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 402. Senior Design I. 2 Credit Hours.
This course deals with the introduction phase of an individual or group project for seniors. Need identification, screening, technical and economic feasibility, proof of concept development and killer experiment will be performed by students working on teams. Scheduled individual or group report presentations are required.
Prerequisite: BME 401.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 403. Senior Design II. 1 Credit Hour.
This course deals with the completion phase of an individual or group project for seniors. Concepts on projects related to the hypotheses/testing protocols, design limitations (constraints), and validation of the design in Biomedical Engineering will be discussed. Scheduled individual or group report presentations are required.
Prerequisite: BME 402.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 440. Biomedical Measurements. 4 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the principles of measurements in physiological and biological systems, as well as a discussion of measurable parameters, transducers, sensors, signal conditioning, and processing. Laboratory experiments are conducted in parallel with the course.
Prerequisite: ECE 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 450. Biomedical Transport Phenomena. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of transport phenomena in biological systems including diffusion, osmosis, convection, electrophoresis, and transport with binding. Applications to cell electrophysiology and drug delivery. Introduction to physiological fluid flow in tissues.
Prerequisite: BME 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
BME 460. Introduction to Physiological Fluid Mechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
The role of transport processes in biological systems, mathematical modeling of physiological fluid transport, conservation of mass and momentum rheology of blood flow in large and small vessels, approximation methods for the analysis of complex physiological flow, fluid flow in the circulation and tissue. Basic engineering principles and mathematical tools are covered for rigorous understanding of physiological fluid flow. 
Prerequisite: BME 310 and PHY 222.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 470. Biomedical Signal Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Time and frequency description, analysis and processing of biophysical and physiological signals. This course covers analytical and computational tools for measuring, manipulating and interpreting signals fundamental to biomedical engineering. Fourier analysis, Fourier transform, data acquisition, averaging, digital filter design, discrete Fourier transform, correlation, convolution, coherence are discussed. 
Prerequisite: BME 211.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 480. Biomedical Instrumentation. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis and design of systems and electronic circuits in biomedical instrumentation including modeling and simulation of dynamic measurement systems and implementation of analog signal processing. The functional principles, operation, clinical context and technological trends of medical instrumentation systems used in clinical and research applications will be discussed. 
Prerequisite Or Corequisite: BME 440.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 506. Computer Aided Design in Biomedical Engineering. 1 Credit Hour. 
Laboratory course for computer based two and three dimensional drawing and design based on ProEngineer. Parametric design, parts, features, assemblies for complex modeling. Applications in biomedical engineering design. 
Prerequisite: BME 112. And BME 211.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 507. LabView Applications for Biomedical Engineering. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory course for computer based instrumentation and design based on Labview. Virtual instrumentation, data acquisition and display, GPIB instrument control, biomedical applications in biosignal recording, and monitoring are discussed.
Prerequisite: BME 112. And BME 211.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 510. Introduction to Medical Robotics. 3 Credit Hours. 
This course will discuss the basic principles of robotics and focus on its medical applications. The course integrates previously learned math, programming and imaging knowledge into an application platform to enable students to understand fundamentals of robotics methods in biology and medicine and to train students to build a robotics prototype through hands-on projects.
Prerequisite: BME 211. And BME 310. And BME 330.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BME 512. Regulatory Control of Biomedical Devices. 3 Credit Hours.
Regulatory agencies and requirements, Food and Drug Administration, 510(k) and premarket approval (PMA), international regulatory requirements, ISO 9000 series, CE, UL, product and process validation, quality engineering, quality improvement programs, rapid prototyping, packaging and sterilization, and project management are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
BME 513. Biomedical Systems Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides students with an understanding and appreciation of Biomedical Systems Engineering with emphasis on current day industrial project management and product development processes. The components of Systems Engineering to be presented include: functional system analysis, requirements analysis, translation of functions and requirements into a system and product architecture, and, finally, testing methods to verify the biomedical product meets all design requirements. Decision methodology, alternative concept analysis, trade-off studies, integration of human factors, manufactureability, reliability, maintainability, feasability demonstration, and safety are all addressed as part of the product design system. The entire product development life cycle will be analyzed with relevant concepts from initial market evaluation, to requirement development, through final product manufacturing and product launch. The regulatory environment for biomedical devices will also be presented for both US FDA and international compliance. The lectures will provide detailed notes on the subjects; other articles as handouts or additional readings will also be assigned.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BME 520. Medical Imaging Systems: X-ray and CT. 3 Credit Hours.
Engineering and scientific principles of medical imaging systems. The physics concepts and engineering implementations for different medical imaging modalities are discussed. Topics include imaging fundamentals, radiographic imaging (X-ray) system, and computed tomography (CT) system.
Prerequisite: ECE 201. And BME 211. And BME 330.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BME 521. Medical Imaging Systems: MRI, NMI and Ultrasound. 3 Credit Hours.
Engineering and scientific principles of medical imaging systems. The physics concepts and engineering implementations for different medical imaging modalities are discussed. Topics include magnetic resonance imaging (MRI) system, nuclear medicine imaging (NMI) system, and ultrasound imaging system.
Prerequisite: ECE 201. And BME 211. And BME 330.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 522. Scanning Electron Microscopy for Engineers. 3 Credit Hours.
Physics of transmission and scanning electron microscopy including x-ray spectroscopic analysis. Students will learn to independently operate and use the SEM for imaging in its role in research and engineering. Each student will be responsible for several imaging assignments and an independent research project related to their field of interest.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 523. Neurosensory Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Biophysics of neural communication, quantitative electroencephalography and evoked potentials, sleep, seizure, anesthesia and intraoperative monitoring, neural stimulation, neural signal processing, cochlear and visual implants.
Prerequisite: BME 265 and BME 470.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 524. Neuromotor Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Advances in Neural Engineering have led to improved medical-device designs with novel functions. This course focuses on the fundamental engineering approaches, technical principles, neurophysiology, and applications of neuroprosthetics. We will cover Neural Engineering theory and applications from the perspectives of electronics design, neural signal analysis, and neurophysiology.
Prerequisite: BME 265 and BME 470.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 525. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Research and/or design projects consisting of an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
BME 526. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Research and/or design projects consisting of an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 535. Advanced Biomaterials. 3 Credit Hours.
Applications of biomaterials in different tissue and organ systems. Relationships between physical and chemical structure of materials and biological system responses are discussed as well as choosing, fabricating, and modifying materials for specific biomedical applications.
Prerequisite: BME 335.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 540. Microcomputer-Based Medical Instrumentation. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles and design of microcomputer-based biomedical instruments, analog and digital signal conversion, microcomputer hardware and software design, algorithm development for medical applications, medical signal processing with microcomputers, software safety in life support systems, and current applications are discussed.
Prerequisite: ECE 315. And ECE 304. Or ECE 211.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BME 541. Medical Electronic Systems Laboratory. 2 Credit Hours.
Laboratory course for BME 540/640. Design of medical instruments integrated with microcomputers and telemetry devices.
Pre/Corequisite: BME 540. Or BME 640.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 545. Biomedical Optical Instruments. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to geometrical optics, light sources, detectors, and fiber optics with an emphasis on engineering aspects and medical applications. Fiber-optic delivery systems for medical applications, optics of the eye and visual instruments, and optical instruments used in medicine (microscopes, endoscopes, ophthalmic instruments) are discussed. Hands-on sessions in the laboratory are included.
Prerequisite: PHY 222. And PHY 223. And MTH 311.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BME 546. Medical Applications of Lasers. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of geometrical optics, fiber optics, wave optics, laser physics, and technology. Medical laser systems, optical properties of tissue, light propagation in tissue, laser-tissue interactions, and surgical applications of lasers are also covered. Hands-on sessions in the laboratory are included.
Prerequisite: PHY 222. And PHY 223. And MTH 311.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 555. Fundamentals of Computational Neuroscience. 3 Credit Hours.
Major concepts include neural signaling and communication from the single neuron to system of neural ensembles and the role of neural computation in engineering applications. Theory and principles of information processing in the brain are presented. Experimental data and computer simulations are used to provide real examples for students experimentation.
Prerequisite: BME 265 and Corequisite: BME 470.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 565. Principles of Cellular and Tissue Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to cellular and tissue engineering. Current therapeutic approaches for lost/damaged tissue or organ function, tissue engineering strategies to replace/repair tissue or function: infusion of cells, production and delivery of tissue-inducing substances, cells placed on or within biomaterial scaffolds, examples of tissue engineering applications: skin, heart muscle, blood vessels, and blood.
Prerequisite: BME 302. And BME 335.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
BME 566. Cell and Tissue Engineering Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
The principles of cell and tissue engineering will be presented in a hands-on laboratory experience. General techniques learned will include sterile methods, cell culture techniques and integration of cells within biomaterials. Cell engineering topics include cell cycle/metabolism, adhesion, signal transduction, and assessment. Tissue engineering topics include fabrication, biomaterials/scaffolds and cell integration, and functional assessment. Pre/Corequisite: BME 565 Or BME 302.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 567. Tissue Engineering Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
The principles of tissue engineering will be presented in a hands-on laboratory experience. General techniques learned will include hydrogel spectroscopy analysis, swelling tests, permeability tests, rheological tests, cell culture techniques, cell imaging, cell culture in hydrogels. Cell & Tissue engineering topics include cell cycle/metabolism, adhesion, biomaterials synthesis and characterization, biocompatibility.
Prerequisite: BME 302 and BME 303. And Corequisite: BME 335 or BME 565.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 570. Advanced Biomedical Signal Processing. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an overview of advanced topics in biomedical signal processing with an emphasis on practical applications. Topics include quantitative description, analysis, on-line and real-time processing of biophysical and physiological signals (cardiovascular, neural, sensory, muscular, respiratory and other) using adaptive, learning, pattern recognition and data dimension reduction methods.
Prerequisite: BME 470.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 571. Introduction to Biosignal Processing Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory course in conjunction with BME 570 course. Corequisite: BME 570.
Prerequisite: BME 570. Or Corequisite: BME 570.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 575. Tissue Mechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
Applications of linear and nonlinear viscoelastic concepts to the biomedical characteristics of biological tissues and structures at small and large deformations of blood flow, experimental methods of analysis, artificial organs, and life-support systems.
Prerequisite: BME 375. And BME 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BME 581. Radiation Biology and Physics. 3 Credit Hours.
The principles, methods, and results of radiation biology with physics applications in radiation therapy will be introduced in the course. The course will focus on mechanisms of radiation and biological system interaction, biological aspects of the foundation of radiation therapy, and mathematical models for radiobiological analysis.
Prerequisite: BME 265.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BME 582. Radiation Therapy Physics. 3 Credit Hours.
The principles and instrumentation of radiation dosimetry with focus on the applications in radiation therapy will be introduced in this course. The course will emphasize radiation dose computation algorithms and applications in treatment dose planning. The course will also cover a categorized dosimetric analysis of radiation therapy to different clinical conditions.
Prerequisite: BME 310. Or Pre/Corequisite: BME 581.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
BME 583. Radiation Protection. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers radiation safety principles for all areas of clinical medical physics, including regulatory requirements for personnel, equipment and facilities and detailed structural shielding design requirements for medical facilities. The student will become proficient in practical aspects of radiation safety objectives and regulatory requirements in clinical practice, including those for patients, members of the general public and staff. Students will learn the principles for designing and installing structural shielding in clinical facilities that satisfies both regulatory requirements and clinical needs. Prerequisite: BME 581. Or Pre/Corequisite: BME 582.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BME 585. Immunoengineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Immunoengineering is a novel interdisciplinary field that combines biomaterial science and bioengineering design with immunology to develop cutting edge technology for the prevention, rapid diagnosis and treatment of infectious diseases, cancer, autoimmune and inflammatory diseases. The goal of this course is to provide a basic background in immunology that will allow understanding the need for immunoengineering and providing the tools to be able to design novel vaccines, anti-inflammatory agents, and immunotherapy. Application of biomaterials for immunoengineering applications will be reviewed through lectures, reading assignments and journal clubs. This course will provide valuable knowledge of an emerging field that will impact both the academic and industrial world. Prerequisite: BME 335.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 587. Finite Element Analysis for Engineers. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the finite-element method. Hands-on applications of FEMLAB software to the analysis of structural, thermal, chemical, electromagnetic, optical, and fluid flow problems. Prerequisite: MTH 311.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 595. Current Trends in Regenerative Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
This team-taught course provides background, clinically-relevant applications and ethical aspects of regenerative medicine as it applies to multiple types of cell, tissues and organs. The course is divided into modules focused on one application of regenerative medicine and taught by an expert in that specific topic area. The course includes hands-on demonstrations of key techniques and problem-based group projects.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 599. Cooperative Education.. 1 Credit Hour.
Practical application of classroom theory through alternating semester or summer employment with firms offering positions consistent with the student's field of study. Course may be repeated. Periodic reports and conferences are required.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

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Introduction

Biomedical engineering is a multidisciplinary field that addresses problems at the interface of engineering, medicine, and the life sciences. Examples include the design of medical devices, implants and prostheses; the development of new biomaterials or drug delivery systems; the engineering of cells and tissues; the design of optical and laser systems for diagnostic and therapy; the development of medical imaging systems and algorithms for medical image processing; and the acquisition, interpretation and use of physiological signals to assess and control physiological function, such as the use of brain signals to control movement in brain computer interfaces. Biomedical engineering has an impact on virtually all fields of medicine.

The Department of Biomedical Engineering at the University of Miami was formally created in 1979 as a graduate program. The four-year undergraduate program leading to the B.S. degree in BME was established approximately ten years later to address the need for professional biomedical engineers. The undergraduate BME program at the University of Miami was the first of its kind in Florida, with the first class of B.S.B.E. students graduating in 1993. It has been continuously accredited by the Engineering Accreditation Commission (EAC) of the Accreditation Board of Engineering and Technology (ABET) since 1997. The Department of Biomedical Engineering also offers graduate courses leading to the Master of
Science and Doctor of Philosophy degrees and it includes a graduate program in Medical Physics. The PhD program in Biomedical Engineering is also a degree-granting program of the University’s MD/PhD program. In addition, qualified undergraduate students may apply for the combined BS/MS program (details are provided following the curricula for the BS degrees).

Graduates of the biomedical engineering undergraduate program find employment in industry or continue their studies either in graduate school or in a professional school in medicine and other health-related disciplines (such as dentistry, optometry, orthotics), law or business.

Some special features of the program include the small class size and open-door policy of the faculty, which facilitates student-faculty interaction. The Department has very strong ties with the University of Miami Miller School of Medicine and with industry. Undergraduate students have a wide range of research and internship opportunities in some of the leading research laboratories in their respective field. The Department strongly encourages undergraduate student participation in research and professional activities.

**Program Description**

**Curriculum**

The two educational objectives of the Biomedical Engineering program are achieved via the implementation of a curriculum with four parallel concentrations which include a common core and concentration-specific courses. The core curriculum is designed to provide a broad foundation in the basic sciences and in engineering. Concentration-specific courses provide the depth required to be proficient engineers.

The four concentrations are:

- Biomaterials and Tissue (B)
- Electrical (E),
- Mechanical (M),
- Premedical (P)

The Biomaterials and Tissue concentration provides training in the fundamental aspects of cell and tissue biology, design of biomaterial scaffolds and implants, and the application of tissue engineered constructs toward repair, restoration, and regeneration of damaged cells, tissues and organs. The Electrical concentration provides training in the fundamental aspects of electronics and signal processing, design of instrumentation, sensors, imaging systems and neural interfaces, and the application of biomedical technology to the measurement, control and rehabilitation of tissue and organ function. The Mechanical concentration provides training in the fundamental aspects of solid, fluid, and computational mechanics, design and modeling of biomedical devices such as artificial implants, and prostheses and the application of biomechanical principles toward assessment and restoration of tissue and organ function. The Premedical concentration is designed for students who plan to seek admission to medical school. In addition to providing core training in biomedical engineering, the Premedical concentration ensures that students meet the general requirements for admission to medical school.

The curriculum is designed to provide all graduates with the analytical and design skills required to formulate and solve problems at the interface of engineering, medicine and the life sciences. Required courses in the humanities and social sciences provide students with an awareness of social, ethical and environmental issues related to their profession. The curriculum has been carefully designed with the prerequisite structure in mind so that students have to draw from previously acquired knowledge to complete the upper level course requirements successfully. The curriculum includes two or three technical electives selected by the student based on their individual professional interests. The curriculum places a special emphasis on written and oral communication skills. Many of the Biomedical Engineering courses, as well as the capstone design project, include a requirement for a written term paper and oral presentation on a course-related topic related to the class.

**Advanced Writing and Communication Skills**

Biomedical Engineering students satisfy the University’s Advanced Writing and Communication Skills requirement by completing a set of classroom courses, laboratory courses and design courses where they learn effective oral, graphical and technical writing skills.

**Design Experience**

The biomedical engineering design experience is integrated in the curriculum throughout the four years of study, starting in the freshman year with the Introduction to Biomedical Engineering course. Each semester includes classroom or laboratory courses which place a heavy emphasis on theoretical and practical biomedical engineering design concepts. In the second semester of the junior year, students complete a 3 credit-hour course which covers the principles of biomedical engineering design, from problem identification and design conception to implementation and testing, including regulatory aspects. The design experience culminates in the senior year with a yearlong capstone Senior Design Project. The Senior Design Project is typically completed by teams of two to four students who build on their knowledge and previous design experience to solve one major design problem which integrates the various components of the curriculum.

**Teaching and Design Laboratories**

The Department of Biomedical Engineering houses several teaching laboratories which provide students hands-on experience in core areas of the curriculum, including cell and tissue engineering, tissue mechanics, medical instrumentation, measurements, and optics and physiology, among others. In particular, the Ben-Josef Cell and Tissue Laboratory provides undergraduate and graduate students a unique opportunity to gain hands-on experience in the field of cell and tissue engineering, biomaterials and tissue mechanics. The Department also houses a state-of-the art Scanning Electron Microscope and 3D printer which are used by students in their design and research projects. In addition, students have access to the College
of Engineering’s maker space and Johnson & Johnson 3D Printing Center of Excellence Collaborative Laboratory. The facility provides access to a wide variety of advanced 3-D printers and fabrication equipment, and has a full-time engineer/scientist available for training purposes. Students can use the facility for their design projects.

**Undergraduate Research and Internships**

Biomedical Engineering students are strongly encouraged to gain research or professional experience through internships. Most undergraduate students conduct research in laboratories at the Department of Biomedical Engineering and at the School of Medicine, or are hired as interns by the local biomedical industry.

**Degree Programs**

The department offers one degree program with four concentrations: Electrical, Mechanical, Biomaterials and Tissue, and Premed. A list of the core science and engineering courses common to all four concentrations is provided below, followed by a tabular listing of the course requirements for the degree Bachelor of Science in Biomedical Engineering for each concentration.

**Dual Major**

The College of Engineering offers a dual major in Biomedical Engineering for students that are majoring in another engineering Department. In order to obtain the dual major in Biomedical Engineering, the student will have to obtain, in parallel, a major in one of the fundamental engineering programs, plus 24 credit hours of course work, including 19 credit hours of required course work and 5 credit hours of elective course work from the lists given below. Of this total of 24 credit hours, at least 12 have to be at the level of 400 and above.

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| ENG 107 English Composition II: Science and Technology               | 3            |
| MTH 162 Calculus II                                                 | 4            |

## Mathematical and Science Courses

| BIL 150 General Biology                                             | 4            |
| BIL 151 General Biology Laboratory                                 | 1            |
| BIL 160 Evolution and Biodiversity                                 | 4            |
| BIL 161 Evolution and Biodiversity Laboratory                      | 1            |
| BME 312 Biomedical Statistics and Data Analysis                    | 3            |
| CHM 113 Chemistry Laboratory I                                     | 1            |
| CHM 121 Principles of Chemistry                                    | 4            |
| CHM 205 Chemical Dynamics Laboratory                               | 1            |
| CHM 221 Introduction to Structure and Dynamics                     | 4            |
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### Mission

The mission of the biomedical engineering program is to prepare students to become knowledgeable and skilled engineers with an understanding of the ethical and other professional aspects of biomedical engineering. Design skills and an ability to work both independently and as part of a team are emphasized.
Goals
The educational objectives of the program are to graduate engineers who will apply their knowledge, technical skills, and ability to solve problems at the interface of engineering and life sciences. Within a few years after graduation they will be:

1. Working as professionals in biomedical engineering or related fields.
2. Continuing their education to advance their careers through professional development activities or through the pursuit of advanced degrees.

Student Learning Outcomes
1. An ability to identify, formulate, and solve complex engineering problems by applying principles of engineering, science, and mathematics.
2. An ability to apply engineering design to produce solutions that meet specified needs with consideration of public health, safety, and welfare, as well as global, cultural, social, environmental, and economic factors.
3. An ability to communicate effectively with a range of audiences.
4. An ability to recognize ethical and professional responsibilities in engineering situations and make informed judgments, which must consider the impact of engineering solutions in global, economic, environmental, and societal contexts.
5. An ability to function effectively on a team whose members together provide leadership, create a collaborative and inclusive environment, establish goals, plan tasks, and meet objectives.
6. An ability to develop and conduct appropriate experimentation, analyze and interpret data, and use engineering judgment to draw conclusions.
7. An ability to acquire and apply new knowledge as needed, using appropriate learning strategies.

B.S./M.S. in Biomedical Engineering
Overview
The Department of Biomedical Engineering offers a dual-degree program that culminates with students receiving both Bachelor of Science and Master of Science (BS/MS) in Biomedical Engineering concurrently. This program is available only to qualified students enrolled in the undergraduate program in Biomedical Engineering at the University of Miami. This program is intended to give qualified Biomedical Engineering students the opportunity to acquire both a baccalaureate degree (BSBE) and a Master of Science (MSBE) degree in five years rather than the 4 plus 2 years (approximately) that is traditionally expected. The two degrees are awarded simultaneously when the combined requirements have been met for both degrees.

- Juniors from any of the four BME Concentrations who have maintained at least a 3.0 CGPA have the option to apply for admission to the combined BS-MS in Biomedical Engineering program.
- Those who are accepted into this accelerated program must maintain at least a 3.0 CGPA and a minimum of a 3.0 GPA for the final 30 credit hours to meet the requirements of the Graduate School.
- The participants complete BME 705 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=BME%20705) in lieu of BME 402 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=BME%20402)/BME 403 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=BME%20403).
- Up to 6 credit hours of Technical electives earned during the fourth year can be counted toward the 30 credit hours required for the MS degree. If their schedule allows, students may be able to complete an additional 3 credits of graduate classes during their fourth year.
- Students must be registered for a minimum of 12 undergraduate credit hours per semester in their fourth year.
- Students can register for a maximum of 6 graduate credit hours in each semester of their fourth year.
- If a student needs to withdraw from the BS/MS BME program then all the requirements for the specific BS BME Concentration must be completed for graduation with the BS BME degree.

Admission Requirements
The dual BS/MS program is available only to qualified undergraduate students enrolled in the Department of Biomedical Engineering, in any of the four Concentrations (Electrical, Mechanical, Biomaterials and Tissue, PreMed). Typically, students must have undergraduate student status and a cumulative G.P.A. of at least 3.0 at the time of application.

Undergraduate students must take the Graduate Record Examination (GRE) before the end of their classification as a senior and attain a combined score of more than 300 on the verbal and quantitative portions. Students must meet all other pertinent graduate school and College of Engineering requirements.

Qualified students must apply prior to the beginning of final exams in the second semester of their junior year. Students are strongly advised to apply to the BS/MS program as early as possible in their junior year to facilitate academic advising and course selection in the second semester of their junior year. Before submitting an application, interested students should discuss the program and the possibility of entering the program with an academic advisor.

The College of Engineering Office of Admission will carefully review academic credentials for admission into the program and will notify students of their acceptance into the program. All admitted students will have a special advising appointment with Dr. Narasimhan, Assistant Dean for Undergraduate Studies, to discuss academic issues specific to the BS/MS program.
Curriculum Guidelines

In the dual-degree BS/MS program in the Department of Biomedical Engineering, the first four years of the curriculum are altered as follows:

- The 3 credits of Senior Design Project (BME 402/BME 403) are eliminated.
- In Semester I of the senior year, one 3-credit Undergraduate Technical Elective is replaced with BME 705 (MS Design Project I).
- In Semester II of the senior year, one 3-credit Undergraduate Technical Elective is replaced with one 3-credit Graduate Technical Elective.

Graduate Technical Electives taken in the senior year must be chosen from the BME graduate course offerings, with the approval of their academic advisor. The credits of Graduate Technical Electives completed in the fourth year are counted toward the 30 credits required for the MS degree.

Students admitted in the dual degree BS/MS program can take a maximum of six (6) graduate credits per semester in their senior year, for a maximum of twelve (12) graduate credits per year, without incurring additional costs if they are full-time undergraduate students during this period. Students should register for courses towards their graduate degree as "G" credits and not as "U" credits. These registrations must be completed prior to taking courses. Retroactive add/drops will not be processed.

To register for graduate credits during their senior year, students must be in senior status and must complete and submit the Graduate School's "Application for Undergraduates to Take Graduate Coursework (https://www.grad.miami.edu/policies-and-forms/forms/)", form. This form must accompany the Add/Drop and/or Course Request form to ensure that students are registered with the correct registration status.

In the Senior year, students must be registered for a minimum of 12 undergraduate credits each semester to maintain full-time status as an undergraduate student. After completing the senior year, students must register as graduate students.

BS/MS Design Project (BME 705/706)

In lieu of the 3-credit senior design project (BME 402/BME 403) students enrolled in the dual-degree BS/MS program register for 6 credits of Master Design Project (BME 705/BME 706). The 3 credits of BME 705 satisfy the undergraduate senior design requirements, in which students complete a year-long capstone design project that follows the same guidelines and format as BME 402/BME 403. Students enroll in BME 705 during the first semester of their senior year and receive their final project grade at the end of their senior year. The 3 credits of BME 706 satisfy the non-thesis Master’s project requirement. Students enroll in BME 706 during the first semester of their fifth year. The BME 706 project can be a continuation of the student's BME 705 project, or an entirely new project. The format and guidelines for BME 706 are described in the MS section of the bulletin.

Graduation Requirements

Students accepted into the dual degree program must maintain at least a 3.0 Cumulative GPA, and meet all other pertinent Graduate School requirements, including a minimum of 3.0 GPA in the credits applied toward the MS degree.

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BSBE/MSBE (Biomaterials and Tissue Concentration)

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- BIL 151 \ General Biology Laboratory \ 1
- ECE 201 \ Electrical Circuit Theory \ 3
- MTH 311 \ Introduction to Ordinary Differential Equations \ 3
- PHY 223 \ University Physics III \ 3
- PS/HA Cognate \ 3

**Spring**
- BME 211 \ Introduction to Programming for Biomedical Engineers \ 3
- BME 265 \ Medical Systems Physiology \ 3
- BME 266 \ Human Physiology Laboratory \ 1
- BME 310 \ Mathematical Analysis in Biomedical Engineering \ 3
- ECE 203 \ Electrical Circuits Laboratory \ 1
- PHY 225 \ University Physics III Lab \ 1
- PS/HA Cognate \ 3

**Credit Hours** 17

### Junior Year

**Fall**
- BME 312 \ Biomedical Statistics and Data Analysis \ 3
- BME 375 \ Fundamentals of Biomechanics \ 3
- BME 450 \ Biomedical Transport Phenomena \ 3
- ECE 202 \ Electronics I \ 3
- ECE 211 \ Logic Design \ 3
- PS/HA Cognate \ 3

**Spring**
- BME 330 \ Foundations of Medical Imaging \ 3
- BME 335 \ Biomaterials \ 3
- BME 401 \ Biomedical Design \ 3
- BME 440 \ Biomedical Measurements \ 4
- ECE 315 \ Digital Design Laboratory \ 1
- PS/HA Cognate \ 3

**Credit Hours** 18

### Senior Year

**Fall**
- BME 470 \ Biomedical Signal Analysis \ 3
- BME 507 \ LabView Applications for Biomedical Engineering \ 1
- BME 512 \ Regulatory Control of Biomedical Devices \ 3
- Undergraduate Technical Elective \ 3
- BME 705 \ Senior Design Project \ 3
- Graduate Course \ 3

**Spring**
- BME 480 \ Biomedical Instrumentation \ 3
- BME 540 \ Microcomputer-Based Medical Instrumentation \ 3
- BME 541 \ Medical Electronic Systems Laboratory \ 2
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Technical Lab Elective is selected from BME 395, BME 506, BME 507, or BME 567.

Can be replaced with an Advanced Bioscience Elective chosen from BIL 250, BIL 255, BIL 268, CHM 222 or BMB 401. Note that CHM 222 is a pre-requisite for BMB 401. Students should verify admission requirements of their medical school of interest to verify Adv. Bioscience requirements, e.g. organic chemistry II, biochemistry, or both.

Can be replaced with a science lab that complements the Advanced Bioscience Elective, see footnote 4 (e.g., CHM or BIL lab).

Graduate courses are 600 or 700 level courses chosen from the BME course offerings with the approval of the advisor. Up to 6 credits of graduate courses can be taken in other engineering disciplines.

Students may be able to register for this additional graduate class if their course load allows.

† Students planning on taking the MCAT should take BMB 401 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=BMB%20401) as their first Adv. Bioscience Elective.

Civil, Architectural and Environmental Engineering

http://www.cae.miami.edu

Dept. Code: CAE

The department offers three undergraduate degrees:

- Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering,
- Bachelor of Science in Architectural Engineering, and
- Bachelor of Science in Environmental Engineering.

Civil Engineering
Civil engineers are leaders in the planning, design, construction, and operation of systems that are essential to modern life. These systems include: buildings, highways, airports, pipelines, bridges, dams, irrigation systems, drainage systems, water-supply and distribution systems, and wastewater collection and treatment works. Civil engineers are employed by government agencies, public utility companies, private consulting firms, construction companies, architectural firms, and universities.

Architectural Engineering
Architectural engineers are leaders in the planning, design, construction, and operation of engineered systems for commercial, industrial, and institutional buildings and other facilities. These engineered systems include electrical, communications and control, lighting, heating, ventilating, air conditioning, fire protection, plumbing, acoustic, and structural components. Architectural engineers are employed by consulting firms, construction companies, facility management companies, HVAC equipment manufacturers, architectural firms, government agencies, and universities.

Environmental Engineering
Environmental engineers are leaders in the application of engineering principles to improve and maintain the environment for the protection of human health, for the protection of nature's beneficial ecosystems, and for environment-related enhancement of the quality of human life. Environmental engineers are employed by government agencies, consulting firms, and universities.

Advanced Writing and Communication Skills
Civil, Architectural, and Environmental Engineering students satisfy the University’s Advanced Writing and Communication Skills requirement by completing a set of classroom courses, laboratory courses and design courses where they learn effective oral, graphical and technical writing skills.

Civil, Architectural, and Environmental Engineering students acquire Advanced Writing and Communication skills in the following core courses:

- CAE 111 - Introduction to Engineering
- CAE 212 - Structures Laboratory (Civil and Architectural Engineering)
- CAE 345 - Environmental Laboratory (Environmental Engineering)
- CAE 371 - Geotechnical Laboratory (Civil and Architectural Engineering)
- CAE 402 - Professional Engineering Practice
CAE 100. Introduction to Civil, Architectural, and Environmental Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
This introductory course is designed to expose high school students to a variety of specific disciplines within the civil engineering arena to assist them in making informed decisions about possible college majors. The program is designed for the exemplary high school student interested in applied mathematics and science. All students enrolled in this course will gain experience in problem solving, engineering mechanics, computer simulation, and laboratory activity. The course content changes throughout the 3-week duration and includes topics on civil engineering, environmental engineering, and architectural engineering. The students will be provided with an understanding and some hands-on experience on topics relative to the disciplines of civil, architectural, and environmental engineering. Via an introduction to several case histories, the students will be able to understand the challenges associated with the design and construction and importance of the scientific methods in engineering. The laboratory and field trip experiences will deal with bridge building, material testing, water purification, and building systems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

CAE 111. Introduction to Engineering I. 3 Credit Hours.
Use of engineering tools for problem solving. Computer techniques for data acquisition, analysis and presentation, software design, and computer aided drafting are covered. Development of design skills is achieved through several design and building competitions. Introduction to professional ethics and intellectual property rights, MATLAB, AutoCAD, and programming in C++ is also included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CAE 112. Introduction to Engineering II. 2 Credit Hours.
Hands-on applications of various surveying instruments for leveling, angles and distance measurements, and other engineering applications. Hands on application of Geographic Information Systems, including ArcView and extensions.
Prerequisite: CAE 111.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 115. Introduction to Engineering II (Surveying). 1 Credit Hour.
Hands on application of various surveying instruments. Leveling, angles and distance measurements.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 210. Mechanics of Solids I. 3 Credit Hours.
Vectors, force systems, equilibrium, analysis of frames, machines, trusses for internal forces, friction, centroids, moment of inertia, and shear and bending moment diagrams are discussed. This course may be offered in the Flipped Classroom format, which emphasizes discussion-based learning.
Prerequisite: Engineering Program - PHY 221 And MTH 151 Or 161 Or 171. Non-Engineering Program - PHY 101 Or 103 Or 160 Or 201 And MTH 130 Or 141 Or 161 Or 171.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CAE 211. Mechanics of Solids II. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamental material behavior including stresses, strains, and deformations associated with axial, bearing, flexural, shear, thermal, and torsional loading. Composite beams, elastic buckling of columns, combined loading, Mohr’s Circle, and statically indeterminate analysis of axial members is also included.
Prerequisite: CAE 210.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CAE 212. Structural Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory techniques, tests for tension, compression, shear, bending, and torsion are discussed. Models, similitudes, buckling of columns, and review of current research are also included. Laboratory 3 hours.
Pre or Corequisite: CAE 211 and IEN 311.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
CAE 213. Behavior of Structural Systems I. 3 Credit Hours.
The course begins with a review of basic structural principles. From this basis, analysis and design of simple axial loaded structural systems and members is covered. Through the use of project based learning the students are introduced to the principles of statics using both graphical and calculated methods. Concurrent and non-concurrent systems are defined and analysis of concurrent systems is covered in this course. Structural systems based on concurrent forces are covered including cable suspension structures, concrete shells, trusses, fan like structures and membrane structures. The requirements of building codes are included in the lectures. The class concludes with discussion of structural materials and failure modes accompanied with a visit to the Civil/Architectural Engineering Laboratory.
Prerequisite: ARC 231.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CAE 240. Environmental Pollution. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of contemporary environmental issues. Introduction to engineering approaches for protecting and cleaning up the environment, techniques for assessing the impact of human activity on the environment, strategies for pollution control and implementation of environmental mitigation measures.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 310. Structural Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of statically determinate and indeterminate structures for internal forces, external reactions, displacements, including influence lines.
Prerequisite: CAE 211.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CAE 313. Behavior of Structural Systems II. 3 Credit Hours.
Upon completion the students will understand the application of fundamental methods of structural frame systems and their place in architectural design. The bending action of beams, including shear and moment diagrams and shear and bending stress calculations are covered. Structural material design for steel, concrete, wood and masonry are covered as separate topics. They will also understand the integration of basic elements into structural systems that resist both gravity and lateral loads. The course allows students to develop foundation and framing systems.
Prerequisite: CAE 213.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 320. Concrete Structures. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include design of concrete beams, columns, structural systems one-way slabs, and isolated footings by ultimate design methods.
Pre or Corequisite: CAE 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CAE 321. Steel Structures. 3 Credit Hours.
Design of tension, compression, flexural members, and beam columns using load and resistance factor design are discussed. Introduction to design and detailing of welded and bolted connections is also included.
Pre or Corequisite: CAE 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 330. Fluid Mechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
Properties of fluids, gas systems, pressure distribution in static fluids, and hydrostatic forces on plane and curved surfaces are discussed. Kinematics and dynamics of fluid motion, dimensional analysis and similitude, flow in closed conduits, pumps, design of water distribution systems, and an introduction to flow in open channels is also included.
Prerequisite: CAE 211. And PHY 222.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
CAE 340. Introduction to Environmental Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Environmental mass and energy balances, introduction to environmental chemistry, air pollution, water pollution, sustainable solid waste management, risk assessment, and global atmospheric change are discussed.
Prerequisite: MTH 162, and CHM 121 or CHM 151.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CAE 345. Environmental Laboratory and Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Laboratory-based course focusing on the analysis of environmental samples including water, wastewater, air, and solids. Basic analytical techniques and quality control are also included as well as an introduction to advanced analytical measurements.
Prerequisite: CHM 112 And CAE 340.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 350. Transportation Engineering I. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MTH 211 and Requisite: Junior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CAE 361. Building Information Modeling I. 3 Credit Hours.
The course prepares students to utilize AutoCAD and Building Information Modeling (BIM) in a coordinated, integrated and consistent approach for the Architecture, Engineering and Construction (AEC) Industry. The basics of AutoCAD drafting and usage are covered in the first five weeks of the course. The remaining time is dedicated to high-quality 4 dimensional BIM modeling, including 3D modeling of buildings and building components, embedded cost-estimating and scheduling for the construction process. Basics of REVIT Structure and MEP are also covered.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CAE 370. Geotechnical Engineering I. 3 Credit Hours.
Soil composition and classification, excavation, grading, fill compaction, stress distribution in soils, one-dimensional flow of water through soil, laboratory, and field permeability, effective stress concept, calculation of consolidation, field settlement, bearing capacity, and design and analysis of shallow foundations are discussed.
Prerequisite: CAE 211. And Corequisite: CAE 371.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 371. Geotechnical Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Evaluation of physical and mechanical properties of soils, and preparation of reports. Three hours.
Prerequisite: ENG 107. And IEN 311. And Corequisite: CAE 370.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CAE 380. Electrical and Illumination Systems for Buildings. 3 Credit Hours.
Typical electrical systems for buildings including electrical circuits, protective devices and code requirements. Illumination and lighting design.
Prerequisite: PHY 223.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 381. Building Mechanical Systems I: Hvac Fundamentals. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MAE 303 and Corequisite: CAE 330.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
CAE 395. Undergraduate Research. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Designed for the undergraduate student who wishes to engage in research. Subject and credit to be arranged with the instructor.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 399. Internship. 1 Credit Hour.
Practical application of classroom theory through employment with firms offering positions consistent with the student's field of study. Courses may be repeated.
Components: IND.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CAE 400. Preparation for FE Exam. 1 Credit Hour.
Review of material in preparation for the Fundamentals of Engineering (FE) exam ination. For credit only.
Requisite: Senior Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 402. Professional Engineering Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of engineering economics and economic evaluation of engineering projects. A discussion of professional practice issues including the philosophy and methodology of engineering, professional licensure and ethics. Discussion of the business aspects of engineering including business organization, management, contracts and legal issues. Engineering leadership in the formulation of public policy.
Requisite: Senior Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CAE 403. Senior Design Project I - Engineering Design. 3 Credit Hours.
A two semester comprehensive design project applying the knowledge acquired during earlier coursework and implementing the pedagogy of life-long learning. Team projects incorporate interdisciplinary design skills, engineering standards and realistic constraints. The faculty coordinator working with practicing design professionals provide consultation, guidance and recommendations on aspects such as problem definition, evaluation of design alternatives and approaches. The course progresses along the customary design sequence of pre-design, schematic design and design development phases established in Civil, Architectural and Environmental Engineering practice.
Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CAE 404. Senior Design Project II - Construction Documents. 3 Credit Hours.
The second semester of a two semester comprehensive design project applying the knowledge acquired during earlier coursework and implementing the pedagogy of life-long learning. Team projects incorporating interdisciplinary design skills, engineering standards and realistic constraints. The faculty coordinator working with several practicing design professionals provide consultation, guidance, and recommendations on aspects of preparing the construction documents required for project procurement and construction. Using the designs produced in CAE 403 the course develops the drawings, specifications and calculations required for a comprehensive construction documents package.
Prerequisite: CAE 403.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CAE 421. Timber Structural Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Engineering properties of timber, design of tension, compression, and flexural members are covered. The design and detail of connections and hardware, and the design of timber systems and heavy timber construction is also included. Prerequisite: CAE 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 430. Water-Resources Engineering I. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic principles of open channel flow. Computation of water surface profiles. Design of hydraulic structures, design of lined and unlined open channels, and design of sanitary sewer systems. Introduction to hydrology and analysis of hydrologic data. Rainfall characteristics and peak runoff models.
Prerequisite: CAE 330.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
CAE 440. Water Quality Control Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Physical, Chemical and Biological Transformations; Water and Wastewater Treatment Processes; Water Treatment Plant Design; Wastewater Treatment Plant Design; Case Studies
Prerequisite: CAE 330. And CAE 340.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 450. Transportation Engineering II. 3 Credit Hours.
Transportation system planning and design. Advanced geometric design for highway and railway/transit. Human, vehicle, and environmental factors affecting the design, operation, and safety of transportation systems. Planning and design of both landside/airside aspects of airport facilities. Water port and multi-modal facilities design.
Prerequisite: CAE 350.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 460. Construction Management. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the management of construction projects including legal considerations as well as the techniques of management science applied to construction. The course includes engineering methods of cost and time estimating, and exercises in applications of engineering economics, network planning techniques, including CPM and PERT are introduced. The management principles of time and cost control are also explored. Computer application of project management tools are included.
Requisite: Senior Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 470. Foundations and Earth Retaining Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Natural soil deposits and subsoil exploration. Geotechnical analysis and design of shallow and deep foundations. Theories of lateral earth pressure. Design and analysis of earth-filled retaining systems.
Prerequisite: CAE 330. And CAE 370. And CAE 371.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CAE 480. Plumbing and Life Safety for Buildings. 3 Credit Hours.
Design of Building environmental systems including domestic cold and hot water systems, sanitary storm and special waste systems, fuel gas systems, building life safety systems and architectural acoustics.
Prerequisite: CAE 330.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CAE 481. Building Mechanical Systems II: HVAC Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Applies engineering principles to the design of heating, ventilating, and air conditioning (HVAC) systems for buildings. Covers air distribution systems, air handling units, coils and heat exchangers, water distribution systems, and primary systems.
Prerequisite: CAE 381. And CAE 330.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CAE 510. Structural Mechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of stress and deformation of solids. Application to systems in the elastic and inelastic range. Topics include beams of special geometry and support, stress concentrations, stresses in elastic foundations, torsion, energy methods, failure theories, and brittle fracture.
Prerequisite: CAE 211. And CAE 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 511. Advanced Structural Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
General methods of indeterminate analysis. Elements of energy method in indeterminate analysis of axial, flexural torsional, and composite members. Basic flexural and stiffness methods and matrix development are also included.
Prerequisite: CAE 211. And CAE 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
CAE 520. Advanced Design of Concrete Structures. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis and design of reinforced concrete elements in the context of the current ACI Building Code; beams subjected to combined loading, flat plates, flat slabs, slender columns, connections, and concrete building systems are included. Prerequisite: CAE 310. And CAE 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 521. Advanced Design of Steel Structures. 3 Credit Hours.
Steel framing systems, design of members and connections of braced and rigid frames, design for torsion, and design of steel-concrete composite members are discussed. Prerequisite: CAE 310. And CAE 321.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CAE 522. Design of Prestressed Concrete Structures. 3 Credit Hours.
Materials and systems for prestressing, design of prestressed concrete members for flexure and shear, camber, deflection, and crack control are discussed. Design of continuous beams, compression members, two-way concrete floor systems, and the loss of prestress are also included. Prerequisite: CAE 310. And CAE 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 523. Design of Masonry Structures. 3 Credit Hours.
Masonry construction. Design of flexural and compression members, bearing walls, shear walls, diaphragms, and connections of masonry structures. Arches, vaults, and buttresses are also included. Prerequisite: CAE 310. And CAE 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 525. Timber Structural Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Engineering properties of timber, design of tension, compression, and flexural members are covered. The design and detail of connections and hardware, and the design of timber systems and heavy timber construction is also included. Prerequisite: CAE 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 530. Water Resources Engineering II. 3 Credit Hours.
Runoff models, routing models, water-quality models, and evapotranspiration models. Design of storm water management systems. Principles of groundwater flow. Design of wells and wellfields for public water supply. Legal regulatory, and economic components of water-resources management systems. Comprehensive design project. Prerequisite: CAE 430.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CAE 531. Surface-Water Hydrology. 3 Credit Hours.
Rainwater characteristics, abstraction processes, surface-runoff, routing, and water-quality models. Design of stormwater-management systems, evapotranspiration, and regional water-management is also included as well as case studies. Prerequisite: CAE 430.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 532. Ground-Water Hydrology. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
CAE 533. Water-Quality Control in Natural Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Water quality regulations, fate and transport processes, water-quality control in rivers, lakes, wetlands, oceans, and ground water.
Pre or Corequisite: CAE 430. And CAE 440.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 540. Environmental Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Kinetics, equilibrium, acid-base, oxidation-reduction, and reaction chemistry applied to water and wastewater engineering.
Prerequisite: CHM 112.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 541. Engineering Systems for Disease Control and Bioremediation. 3 Credit Hours.
Classification of microorganisms. Microbial agents of infectious diseases and modes of disease transmission. Control of pathogens through water and waste treatment, food protection, and insect control. Microbial ecology and bioremediation systems. Laboratory exercises in microbiology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 542. Solid and Hazardous Waste Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Solid-waste characteristics, recycling, incineration, hazardous waste characteristics, prevention, and physical and chemical treatment are covered. Design projects are also included.
Prerequisite: CAE 340.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 543. Air Pollution Control Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of air pollution and air quality; properties and control of particulates, volatile organic compounds, carbon monoxide, sulfur oxides, and nitrogen oxides; motor vehicle emissions; health and aesthetic effects (acid rain, visibility), laws and regulations, meteorology and pollutant transport in the atmosphere; indoor air pollution.
Prerequisite: MAE 303. And CAE 330. Or MAE 309.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 560. Sustainable Construction. 3 Credit Hours.
Pre or Corequisite: CAE 403. Or CAE 404.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 561. Computer Aided Architectural Engineering Design. 3 Credit Hours.
The course prepares students to utilize Building Information Modeling (BIM) and Building Performance Analysis (BPA) in a coordinated, integrated and consistent approach in the Architecture, Engineering and Construction (AEC) Industry. The basics of high-quality 5 dimensional BIM modeling are covering including 3D modeling of buildings and building components, imbedded cost-estimating and the phasing the construction process. Basics of REVIT Structure and MEP are also covered. BPAC components covered include climate analysis, daylighting, wind and airflow analysis, solar radiation analysis and whole building energy analysis. Upon completion student will receive a PBA certification from Autodesk.
Requisite: Junior Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CAE 570. Advanced Foundation Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CAE 470.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
CAE 581. Energy-Efficient Building Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Concepts and methods of energy-efficient building design and sustainable performance. Topics cover building envelope, mechanical, power and lighting, and service water heating systems. Computer-based energy simulation methods and building energy standards are emphasized.
Prerequisite: CAE 481.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 582. Building Energy Modeling and Simulation. 3 Credit Hours.
Modeling and analysis of building energy performance using state-of-art whole building energy simulation programs. Topics include dynamic simulation of heating and cooling loads in buildings, modeling of building equipment and control system, and integrated simulation of equipment and building loads.
Pre-Co-requisite: CAE 581.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 590. Special Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Sub-titles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title "Special Topics."
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 595. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

B.S. in Architectural Engineering

Overview
The Architectural Engineering curriculum provides an integrated educational experience in mathematics, basic sciences, humanities, social sciences, engineering sciences, and architectural engineering design. The Architectural Engineering program integrates design applications across the curriculum, beginning with building construction and architectural design in the sophomore year, and continuing with structural, building mechanical and electrical systems design, and construction management in the junior and senior years. The curriculum culminates with a major comprehensive design experience that includes applications from the major specialty areas of architectural engineering.

Graduate study is offered leading to the degree of Master of Science in Architectural Engineering (p. 2244). For detailed information on graduate studies, see the Graduate Studies Bulletin.

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B.S. in Civil Engineering

Civil Engineering Curriculum

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**Credit Hours:** 16

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#### Fall
- CAE 211: Mechanics of Solids II 3
- CAE 212: Structural Laboratory 1
- IEN 311: Applied Probability and Statistics 3
- PHY 223: University Physics III 3
- PHY 225: University Physics III Lab 1
- MTH 211: Calculus III 3
- HA Cognate 2 3

**Credit Hours:** 17

### Spring
- CAE 310: Structural Analysis 1 3
- MTH 311: Introduction to Ordinary Differential Equations 3
- CHM 151: Chemistry for Engineers 3
- CHM 153: Chemistry Laboratory for Engineers 1
- Basic Science Elective 2 3
- HA Cognate 2 3

**Credit Hours:** 16

### Junior Year

#### Fall
- CAE 320: Concrete Structures 1 3
- CAE 330: Fluid Mechanics 3
- CAE 340: Introduction to Environmental Engineering 1 3
- CAE 350: Transportation Engineering I 1 3
- MAE 303: Thermodynamics 3
- PS Cognate 2 3

**Credit Hours:** 18

### Spring
- CAE 321: Steel Structures 1 3
- CAE 370: Geotechnical Engineering I 1 3
- CAE 371: Geotechnical Laboratory 1 1
- CAE 430: Water-Resources Engineering I 1 3
- CAE 440: Water Quality Control Systems 1 3
- CAE 450: Transportation Engineering II 1 3

**Credit Hours:** 16

### Senior Year

#### Fall
- CAE 403: Senior Design Project I - Engineering Design 1 3
- CAE 470: Foundations and Earth Retaining Systems 1 3
- CEN Design Elective 3 3
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1. Only offered once a year.

2. To be selected from approved lists of People and Society (https://cognates.miami.edu/explore/People%20&%20Society/) (PS)/Humanities and Arts (https://cognates.miami.edu/explore/Arts%20&%20Humanities/) (HA) cognates and Biology Electives. Students take a minimum of 3 courses (9 credit hours) in HA cognate and 3 courses in PS Cognate (9 credit hours).

3. Co-requisite CAE 212 not required for EnE majors.

4. CAE 540, CAE 533 and CAE 542 offered on a 3-semester rotation. Students must take these three courses.

* Note: students must select the RSMAS course from the list of required (non-elective) courses in either the Ocean Engineering Track or the Marine Policy Track. A minor in Marine Science will be awarded for 15 credit hours of MSC, OCE or other RSMAS courses provided these include MSC 111, MSC 301 and at least 6 credit hours at the 300 level or higher. Required courses in the track count towards the 6 credit hours at the 300 level or higher.

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Select one elective from any MSC course or any RSMAS 500-level course

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**Mission**

The mission of the Department of Civil, Architectural, and Environmental Engineering is to:

- Provide high-quality undergraduate and graduate education in civil, architectural, and environmental engineering that will prepare graduates for professional careers and a lifetime of learning;
- Conduct high-quality research that will advance the body of knowledge and improve the quality of human life;
- Serve the engineering profession and society through active involvement in professional organizations and contribution of professional expertise.

**Goals**

The educational objectives of the Environmental Engineering Program are to have graduates who within the first several years following graduation are either

1. Working as a professional in an area closely related to the water environment, or
2. Pursuing a graduate or professional degree.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

1. An ability to identify, formulate, and solve complex engineering problems by applying principles of engineering, science, and mathematics.
2. An ability to apply engineering design to produce solutions that meet specified needs with consideration of public health, safety, and welfare, as well as global, cultural, social, environmental, and economic factors.
3. An ability to communicate effectively with a range of audiences.
4. An ability to recognize ethical and professional responsibilities in engineering situations and make informed judgments, which must consider the impact of engineering solutions in global, economic, environmental, and societal contexts.
5. An ability to function effectively on a team whose members together provide leadership, create a collaborative and inclusive environment, establish goals, plan tasks, and meet objectives.
6. An ability to develop and conduct appropriate experimentation, analyze and interpret data, and use engineering judgment to draw conclusions.
7. An ability to acquire and apply new knowledge as needed, using appropriate learning strategies.
B.S.in Architectural Engineering/Master of Architecture

Overview

A six-year dual-degree program leading to a Bachelor of Science in Architectural Engineering and a Master of Science in Architecture is available. The program is open to exceptional students who are admitted to the graduate program at the end of their junior year. Upon completion of this program, graduates are eligible for professional registration as both an engineer and an architect. The course requirements for the BSAE/MArch program are shown in the Plan of Study.

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#### Arts and Humanities Cognate

3 Courses Embedded in Curriculum

#### People and Society Cognate

3 Courses

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### Plan of Study

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Second Semester

CAE 404  Senior Design Project II - Construction Documents  3
ARC 609  Architecture Design  6
Architecture Elective  3
PS Cognate  3

Credit Hours  15

Year Six
First Semester

ARC 699  Directed Research  3
ARC 652  Management of Professional Practice  3
History of Architecture Elective  3
Architecture Elective  3
PS Cognate  3

Credit Hours  15

Second Semester

CAE 581  Energy-Efficient Building Design (ARC Elective)  3
ARC 610  Architecture Design Degree Project  6
Architecture Elective  3

Credit Hours  12

Total Credit Hours  203

Note: ARC 292 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?search=arc+292) or ARC 293 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?search=arc+293), ARC 267 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?search=arc+267), and ARC 268 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?search=arc+268) are required to satisfy the Humanities and Arts (HA) cognate in Architecture: Design and Theory.

Footnotes
1  Shared BSAE/M.Arch Curriculum
2  M.Arch Curriculum
*  To be selected from a People and Society (PS) Cognate
$  Only offered one per year.

B.S./M.S. in Architectural Engineering

This 5-Year program is open to students who are admitted to the graduate program at the end of their junior year. Students applying for this program should have a minimum grade point average of 3.0, and score more than 310 on the Graduate Record Examination. The course requirements for the MS portion of the five-year BS/MS programs can be met as follows:

Senior Year
First Semester

Graduate Level Course  3
Graduate Level Course  3

Credit Hours  6

Second Semester

CAE 604  Master’s Design Project  3
Graduate Level Course  3

Credit Hours  6

Graduate Year
First Semester

Graduate Level Course  3
Graduate Level Course  3
Graduate Level Course  3

Credit Hours  9
**B.S./M.S. in Civil Engineering**

This 5-Year program is open to students who are admitted to the graduate program at the end of their junior year. Students applying for this program should have a minimum grade point average of 3.0, and score more than 310 on the Graduate Record Examination.

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**B.S. in Environmental Engineering/M.S. in Civil Engineering**

This 5-Year program is open to students who are admitted to the graduate program at the end of their junior year. Students applying for this program should have a minimum grade point average of 3.0, and score more than 310 on the Graduate Record Examination.

The course requirement for the MS portion of the five-year BS/MS programs can be met as follows:

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### Minor in Architectural Engineering

**Curriculum Requirements**

A minor in Civil, Architectural, and Environmental Engineering requires 15 credit hours passed with a grade of C or higher. Students are required to satisfy the prerequisites for all courses, and are required to complete the core course, CAE 210 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?search=cae+210), plus an additional 12 or 13 credit hours within an area of specialization. The additional credits required for minors in civil, architectural, and environmental engineering are as follows:

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### Minor in Civil Engineering

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Minor in Environmental Engineering

Curriculum Requirements

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Total Credit Hours: 15

¹ Two of the selected courses must add up to 6 credit hours

Electrical and Computer Engineering

https://ece.coe.miami.edu/index.html

Dept. Code: ECE

Introduction

Electrical and Computer Engineering are complementary disciplines that are at the forefront of the continuing development and evolution of our modern technological society. Electrical and computer engineers have initiated and contributed to the development of such important and diverse areas as integrated electronics and photonics, telecommunication systems and computer networks, computer hardware and software, image processing and computer vision, automation and robotics, electrical power generating and transmission systems, as well as participated in the development of significant applications to biotechnology. These technologies have significantly transformed how our evolving society will live, learn, work, communicate and do business in the 21st century and are critical to the development of a sustainable world economy. It is an exciting and challenging discipline offering a variety of rewarding career paths. The Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering offers a number of innovative academic and research programs to help prepare students to achieve a variety of career goals.

The Department offers two undergraduate degree programs as well as two five year BS/MS degree programs:

- Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering degree program (B.S.E.E.)
- Bachelor of Science in Computer Engineering degree program (B.S.Cp.E.)
- Bachelor of Science in Computer Engineering/Master of Science in Electrical and Computer Engineering (B.S.Cp.E./M.S.E.C.E.)
- Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering/Master of Science in Electrical and Computer Engineering (B.S.E.E./M.S.E.C.E.)

The Electrical Engineering and the Computer Engineering degree programs are accredited by the Engineering Accreditation Commission of ABET, http://www.abet.org

In addition, the Department offers graduate courses leading to the:

- Degree of Master of Science in Electrical and Computer Engineering (M.S.E.C.E.), and the
- Doctor of Philosophy degree (Ph.D).

For further information see the Bulletin of the Graduate School (p. 2203).

Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering (B.S.E.E.)

This degree program endeavors to achieve its objectives by imparting to its students the fundamental principles underlying modern electrical engineering, along with the necessary skills and experiences to apply standard practices, methodologies and available tools for solving electrical
engineering problems. The major areas of Electrical Engineering include electronics, analog and digital circuits, microprocessors, communications and control systems. The design sequence is spread throughout the educational experience curricula, culminating in the two-semester senior design project. Graduates are expected to keep pace with this rapidly evolving discipline. To this end, the faculty stresses the importance of continued education and life-long professional development by trying to instill in their students a sense of excitement for the prospects of this evolving technology, tempered by a strong sense of responsibility and concern for its potential impacts on society.

**Degree Program**

The Electrical Engineering degree program has three options:

1. Electrical Engineering Option (p. 1127)
2. Audio Engineering Option (p. 1130)
3. Electrical Engineering Pre-Med Option (p. 1133)

These options require specialized courses as well as the 49 Engineering Credit Hours required in the accredited Electrical Engineering degree program.

**Double Degree Program - B.S.E.E. & B.S.B.E.**

A BME student who satisfies the requirement of the Bachelor of Science in Biomedical Engineering (B.S.B.E.) degree with electrical orientation as described in this Bulletin may also qualify for the B.S.E.E. degree by taking the following additional courses:

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<td>ECE 336</td>
<td>Discrete-Time Signals and Systems</td>
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Select one ECE Design Elective: 3

Select two EE Core Electives: 6

Select three ECE Electives: 9

Senior Project (ECE Faculty as co-sponsor):

Total Credit Hours: 35

**Bachelor of Science in Computer Engineering (B.S.Cp.E.)**

Computer engineering is a rapidly changing and evolving discipline driven by new technological developments and marketplace conditions. To adequately train students to meet the challenges of the future and to assume leadership roles in the practice of computer engineering, the department offers an up-to-date curriculum that reflects new technological developments that have the potential for significantly impacting professional practice in the industry. The curriculum is constantly updated to incorporate new technological, scientific and economic developments.

Alternatively, students can earn a Bachelor of Science in Computer Engineering under the Software Engineering option, which is primarily focused on the systematic and disciplined development of software systems. This option focuses on the application of computer engineering and computer science principles and practices to the creation, operation, and maintenance of software applications and systems.

**Degree Program**

This degree program endeavors to achieve its objectives by imparting to its students the fundamental principles underlying modern computer engineering, along with the necessary skills and experiences to apply standard practices, methodologies and modern tools for solving computer engineering problems.

The computer engineering design sequence is spread throughout the curriculum, culminating in a two semester senior design project.

Graduates are expected to keep pace with this rapidly-evolving discipline. To this end, the faculty stress the importance of continued education and life-long professional development, by trying to instill in the students a sense of excitement for the prospects of this evolving technology, tempered by a strong sense of responsibility and concern for its potential impacts on society.

The Computer Engineering degree program has three options:

1. Computer Engineering Option (p. 1143)
2. Software Engineering Option (p. 1146)
3. Computer Engineering Pre-Med Option (p. 1149)
These options require a common engineering core, which is followed by specialized courses in each area along with elective courses.

**Dual Majors**

Computer Engineering or Electrical Engineering students who want to do additional majors or minors must meet with their academic advisor to plan out their course work.

Computer Engineering students wanting to do Computer Science as a second major must:

1. Have an additional 6 advisor-approved technical credit hours beyond that required for the CE major,
2. Complete an approved two semester sequence of courses with laboratory in Biology, Chemistry, Physics, or Geological Sciences (may also count towards Basic Science requirements),
3. Take PHI 115 (may also count towards Cognate requirements).

**Five-Year Dual B.S./M.S. Degrees**

**Purpose**

Intended for exceptional students to acquire both a Bachelor of Science and a Master of Science degree simultaneously, in five years rather than the 4 plus 2 years (approximately) it normally requires.

**Requirements**

You must be an undergraduate student in the College of Engineering (CoE). A master's degree is considered the first professional degree in engineering. The Admission Committee will carefully review academic credentials for admission into our M.S. program. Students should discuss the program and possibility of entering with an academic adviser. Completed applications are due prior to the beginning of the final exams in your junior year.

Get the application form (it is different for US students and International students) from the CoE Office of Research and Graduate Studies, fill it out and then return it to the same office. The application fee is waived for currently enrolled students in the CoE.

Take the GRE Examination before the end of your senior year and attain a combined score of more than 1000 on the Verbal and Quantitative portions. You must have a cumulative GPA of at least 3.0 at the time of application.

For further information about admission into the graduate school see the Bulletin of the Graduate School (p. 2203).

For more detailed information about the CoE Five-Year programs, please refer to the College of Engineering Bulletin section (p. 1050). The Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering has two Five-Year degree programs, B.S.Cp.E./M.S.E.C.E. and B.S.E.E./M.S.E.C.E. Each of these programs has two options listed below.

The B.S.Cp.E./M.S.E.C.E. program has two options:

1. Computer Engineering Option (p. 1152)
2. Software Engineering Option (p. 1155)

The B.S.E.E./M.S.E.C.E. program has two options:

1. Audio Engineering Option (p. 1139)
2. Electrical Engineering Option (p. 1136)

**Departmental Laboratories**

The Department maintains a variety of well-equipped laboratories and computers adequate for undergraduate instruction and graduate research. The laboratories and computer facilities include:

- Computer Vision and Image Processing Laboratory
- Digital Audio and Speech Processing Laboratory
- Digital Signal Processing Laboratory
- Digital Systems Design Laboratory
- Electronics Laboratory
- Electro-Optics and Micro-Devices Laboratory
- Embedded Systems Laboratory
- Fortinet Cyber Security Laboratory
- Information Technology Laboratory
- Microprocessor Laboratory
Departmental Electives

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| Select any 300-level or above ECE course in consultation with, and with the approval of, the academic advisor. Additionally, one elective course may be selected from the following computer science courses: | |
| CSC 317                          | Data Structures and Algorithm Analysis | 3      |
| CSC 427                          | Theory of Computing                  | 3      |
| CSC 518                          | Interpreters and Compiler Theory     | 3      |
| CSC 529                          | Introduction to Computer Graphics    | 3      |
| CSC 540                          | Algorithm Design and Analysis        | 3      |
| CSC 555                          | Multimedia Systems                   | 3      |

| **Software Engineering (SE) Technical Electives** | | |
| Select any 300-level or above ECE course in consultation with, and with the approval of, the academic advisor. Additionally, one elective course may be selected from the following computer science courses: | |

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- Multimedia Laboratory (Arnold Center for Confluent Media Studies)
- Networks Laboratory
- Optics and Fiber Communications Laboratory
- Underwater Imaging Laboratory
Advanced Writing and Communication Skills

Electrical and Computer Engineering students satisfy the University's Advanced Writing and Communication Skills requirement by completing a set of classroom, laboratory, and design procedures where they learn effective oral, graphical and technical writing skills. Electrical and Computer Engineering students acquire Advanced Writing and Communication skills in the following core courses: ECE 212, ECE 481 and ECE 482.

Internship Program

The Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering encourages its students to take advantage of the College of Engineering Internship Cooperative Program with Industry.

Students may pursue an internship either on a part-time or a full-time arrangement. Students who wish to intern full-time for one semester or for twelve weeks in the summer may apply to earn as much as 3 credit hours that could be applied to their degree requirement as a Technical Elective. Students interested in such a possibility need to submit a proposal to the ECE Department describing the type of work they expect to accomplish approved by the industrial supervisor. If the proposal is approved the student will be assigned a Faculty Supervisor and will be able to register under ECE 499. At the end of the Internship Program, the student is expected to submit to the ECE Department a technical report with comments from the student industrial supervisor. The Faculty advisor will review the report and submit the appropriate grade for ECE 499.

NOTE 1: An ECE course for which another ECE course is a prerequisite may not be taken unless the student has completed the ECE prerequisite course with a grade of C- or better.

NOTE 2: All ECE courses at the 300 level or above must be taken at UM.

Departmental Honors

See College of Engineering (p. 1044) section.

ECE 100. Introduction to Electrical and Computer Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to Electrical and Computer Engineering (ECE) for high school students interested in science and technology. The course covers important thematic units of the discipline: electronics, digital design, computer programming and signal processing. Emphasis on hands-on experience in the use of laboratory instrumentation, circuit construction and computer simulation.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ECE 101. Introduction to Mobile Computing. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to Mobile Computing for high school students interested in application development for mobile systems. The course provides a hands-on approach to the design, development and testing of mobile applications using the latest modern tools. Students start with the basic components used to build applications and continue to more advanced features of mobile devices such as digital cameras, location services, multimedia and more. A strong emphasis is placed on hands-on experience to demonstrate the concepts, culminating in a working mobile application.
Requisite: Summer Scholars Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ECE 110. Introduction to Innovation: Learning About Innovation by Innovating. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to diverse methods and tools that promote and nurture student creativity, entrepreneurship, team-work, and skills for creating business plans that consider ethical, global and financial issues. Students will learn to use the Maker Space facility to implement their design ideas.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ECE 111. Introduction to Engineering I. 3 Credit Hours.
Use of engineering tools and computer techniques for problem solving, data acquisition, analysis, presentation, software design, and computer aided drafting. Development of design skills through several design and building competitions is included as well as an introduction to professional ethics, intellectual property rights, the use of MATLAB, AutoCAD, and programming in C++.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 112. Introduction to Engineering II. 2 Credit Hours.
Course is designed to provide first-year undergraduate students with an introduction to some key electrical and computer engineering concepts and topics by discussing their roles in some of the commonly used electrical and computer engineering systems. Numerical examples, circuit simulations, and computer programming are introduced through the use of MATLAB, microcontroller programming languages, and PSpice. Hands-on experience are provided through a project where the students design, assemble, program, and test a microcontroller-based mobile robot with a variety of sensing devices. Should be taken as a freshman only; otherwise to be replaced by a technical elective.
Prerequisite: ECE 111.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 118. Introduction to Programming. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to computing, problem solving, program design, C++ language fundamentals, and software engineering principles. Software design projects are included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 123. Explorations in Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to engineering for non-engineers with emphasis on real-world engineering systems and services which are changing the way we live, communicate, learn, play, and care for ourselves, our communities and our planet. Students will learn how to use modern tools to observe and design simple engineering systems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 201. Electrical Circuit Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of DC-AC circuit laws, including steady state and transient analysis. Lecture, 3 hours.
Prerequisite: MTH 162.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 202. Electronics I. 3 Credit Hours.
Semiconductor physics and devices. Diodes, bipolar-junction transistors (BJT). Introduction to field-effect transistors (FETs) and Operational Amplifiers. Emphasis on dc and ac analysis of electronic circuits. Use of CAD tools such as PSpice.
Prerequisite: ECE 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECE 203. Electrical Circuits Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory work employing the techniques of circuit theory to physical components, devices, and circuits. Use of electronic computing techniques to relate analytical and empirical investigations. Laboratory, 3 hours.
Prerequisite: ECE 201.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECE 204. Electrical Circuits Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory work employing the techniques of circuit theory to physical components, devices, and circuits. Use of electronic computing techniques to relate analytical and empirical investigations. Laboratory, 3 hours.
Prerequisite: ECE 201.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
ECE 205. Principles of Electrical Engineering--I. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of DC and AC Circuits and a survey of Electrical Machinery and Electronics. Not open to students with credits in ECE 201. Lecture, 3 hours.
Prerequisite: MTH 162.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 206. Circuits, Signals, and Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
This course teaches the basics of continuous-time signals and systems with an emphasis on circuits as motivating examples. Topics include signals and linear time-invariant systems, convolution, stability, Laplace Transform, transfer function, poles and zeros, s-domain circuit analysis, feedback control, Fourier Series and Transform, Bode plots, analog filters.
Pre-requisite: ECE 201 And MTH 311.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECE 211. Logic Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Boolean algebra and its applications in analysis and design of logic circuits. Introduction to SSI and MSI circuits as building blocks, memory elements, and analysis and synthesis of synchronous and asynchronous sequential systems are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECE 212. Processors: Hardware, Software, and Interfacing. 3 Credit Hours.
Architecture and operation of modern microprocessor based computer systems and microcontrollers. Assembly language and applications with hands on experience. Lecture, 3 hours; laboratory, 3 hours.
Prerequisite: ECE 118 and ECE 211/304.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECE 218. Data Structures. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of Programming with emphasis on C++ and the skills required of a capable programmer. Essential data structures and algorithms, and introducing algorithm analysis. Basic sorting, searching, and data management. Dynamic and static memory management. Object oriented programming.
Prerequisite: ECE 118.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 301. Electromagnetic Field Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Vector analysis, static and time-varying fields, Maxwell's equations, propagation of electromagnetic waves, and transmission line theory and applications are discussed.
Prerequisite: PHY 223 and MTH 210.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 302. Electronics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: ECE 305 Or ECE 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECE 303. Electronics Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory course in conjunction with courses ECE 202 and 302.
Prerequisite: ECE 203 or 204. Or Pre/Corequisite: ECE 302 or 306.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
ECE 304. Logic Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Boolean algebra and its applications in analysis and design of logic circuits. Introduction to SSI and MSI circuits as building blocks, memory elements, and analysis and synthesis of synchronous and asynchronous sequential systems are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECE 305. Electronics I. 3 Credit Hours.
Semiconductor physics and devices. Diodes, bipolar-junction transistors (BJT). Introduction to field-effect transistors (FETs) and Operational Amplifiers. Emphasis on dc and ac analysis of electronic circuits. Use of CAD tools such as PSpice.
Prerequisite: ECE 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 306. Electronics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: ECE 202 or 305.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECE 307. Circuits, Signals, and Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
This course teaches the basics of continuous-time signals and systems with an emphasis on circuits as motivating examples. Topics include signals and linear time-invariant systems, convolution, stability, Laplace Transform, transfer function, poles and zeros, s-domain circuit analysis, feedback control, Fourier Series and Transform, Bode plots, analog filters.
Prerequisite: ECE 201 and MTH 311.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 308. Linear Control Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to system theory, transfer function and state variable modeling of linear continuous time systems, root locus, Bode plot, Nyquist criterion, analysis and controller design using root locus and frequency domain techniques, proportional-integral-derivative controllers.
Prerequisite: ECE 206/307 and ECE 303/311 and MTH 210.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 310. Introduction to Engineering Probability. 3 Credit Hours.
Axioms of probability, discrete and continuous random variables, probability density functions. Expectation, conditioning, independence, functions of random variables, characteristic functions, multiple random variables. Sums of random variables, limit theorems, probability bounds, convergence concepts. Introduction to statistical analysis, estimation, and hypothesis testing. Cross-listed with IEN 310.
Prerequisite: MTH 162 and Requisite: Junior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 311. Electronics Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory course in conjunction with courses ECE 305 and 306.
Prerequisite: ECE 203 or 204. Or Pre/Corequisite: ECE 302 or 306.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECE 312. Processors: Hardware, Software, and Interfacing. 3 Credit Hours.
Architecture and operation of modern microprocessor based computer systems and microcontrollers. Assembly language and applications with hands on experience. Lecture, 3 hours; laboratory, 3 hours.
Prerequisite: ECE 118 and ECE 211/304.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
ECE 315. Digital Design Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Familiarization with properties and use of logic gates, flip-flops, digital standard components, and programmable logic devices. Design and implementation of combinational and synchronous digital systems and Computer Aided Engineering (CAE) tools for design and simulation of digital systems are also included.
Prerequisite: ECE 304 Or ECE 211.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECE 316. Structured Digital Design. 1 Credit Hour.
VHDL (VHSIC (very high speed integrated circuits) hardware description language) introduction and syntax. Functional and behavioral models of VHDL for design, testing, and simulation of digital circuits and programmable logic devices. Design and implementation of combinational and sequential digital systems using VHDL is also included.
Prerequisite: ECE 315.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECE 318. Algorithms. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of the programming sequence. Object oriented programming with C++, emphasizing the skills required of a professional programmer. Essential data structures and algorithms: trees, graphs, hash tables, parsing and text processing. Advanced sorting and data management algorithms. Advanced features of C++; effective programming with C.
Prerequisite: ECE 218.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 322. Systems Programming. 3 Credit Hours.
Practical hands-on experience with UNIX systems programming and administration. Programming using C and shell scripting languages. File systems features, multiprocessing, inter-process communication, and systems programming fundamentals are discussed.
Prerequisite: ECE 218.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 336. Discrete-Time Signals and Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides the basics connecting continuous-time (CT) and discrete-time (DT) signal processing, and an introduction to discrete-time signals and systems and applications. Topics include communication, sampling, discrete-time linear time-invariant (LTI) signals and systems, difference equations, z Transform, transform domain analysis of DT systems, DT Fourier transform (DTFT), digital filters, applications to audio, and image processing.
Prerequisite: ECE 307 Or ECE 206.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 368. Internet Computing I. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles and practices used in creating interactive Internet sites. Extensive object oriented programming in Java is taught. Use of eXtensible Markup Language (XML) to provide content description. Use of GUI components and graphics to create web based applications.
Prerequisite: ECE 218.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 395. Undergraduate Research in Electrical and Computer Engineering. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Research and/or design projects consisting of an individual investigation of real-world contemporary problems. Offered by special arrangement and under the supervision of a faculty member.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECE 399. Cooperative Education. 1 Credit Hour.
Practical application of classroom theory through alternating semester or summer employment with firms offering positions consistent with the student’s field of study. Course may be repeated.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
ECE 404. Communication Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to digital communication, including binary and M-ary baseband and bandpass modulation over additive white Gaussian noise channels. Optimal receivers, pulse shaping for bandlimited channels, synchronization, multiple access. Prerequisite: ECE 336 and ECE 310 or IEN 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 405. Solid-State Electronics. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of semiconductor electronics, energy bands of semiconductors, Fermi level, carrier distribution, and transport mechanisms are discussed. Application of semiconductor theory to various junction and field effect devices are included. Prerequisite: ECE 301 and PHY 223.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 412. Software Engineering and Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 413. Software Design and Verification. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 414. Computer Organization and Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Hardware structure, organization and design of computers. Design of computer arithmetic and control units, data, and instruction paths. Modern hardware description language (HDL) based design methodology. Register transfer level design of computers and digital systems. Algorithmic state machine (ASM) charts, instruction set architecture, control unit implementation, microprogramming, memory organization, pipelining, I/O system organization and high speed arithmetic units are discussed. Prerequisite: ECE 312 or ECE 212.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 415. Senior Project I. 1 Credit Hour.
Topics cover tasks in project planning including scheduling, documentation, communication (written and oral), financial constraints, and ethics. Students are required to present project proposals to serve as the basis for the follow-up course, ECE 416. Requisite: Senior Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 416. Senior Project II. 2 Credit Hours.
The capstone design course for Electrical Engineering majors. An electrical system is designed, implemented, and documented. Prerequisite: ECE 415.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 417. Embedded Microprocessor System Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of microcomputer system design, scientific methods for quantifying system performance, embedded controller applications using high level languages, and debugging strategies. Lecture, 1 hour; laboratory, 3 hours. Prerequisite: ECE 218. And ECE 315. And ECE 414.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ECE 418. Senior Project Planning. 1 Credit Hour.
The creative process of devising a product to meet customers' needs, including an overview of the design process, analysis of requirements, project planning, scheduling, evaluation, and documentation. Students are required to present project proposals to serve as the basis for the follow-up senior design project.
Requisite: Senior Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 419. Senior Project. 2 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this course is to integrate the student's knowledge in hardware, software, and project management. A major digital system is designed, implemented, debugged, and documented.
Prerequisite: ECE 418.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 421. Computer Operating Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
The design and implementation of operating systems. Virtual memory and memory management, resource allocation, device drivers, process creation, control, communications and scheduling, file systems, data protection, security, parallel processing and time-sharing. The class includes a significant operating system implementation project.
Prerequisite: ECE 318.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 436. Digital Signal Processing. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics include finite length transforms (e.g., discrete Fourier transform, discrete sine and cosine transforms) and their fast computation, finite impulse response (FIR) and infinite impulse response (IIR) digital filter design, digital filter structures, finite wordlength effects on filter performance, and multirate signal processing fundamentals.
Prerequisite: ECE 336.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 437. Real-Time Digital Signal Processing Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Digital signal processing hardware for real-time operation, software development tools, instruction set, and DSP experiments with audio and speech application are discussed.
Prerequisite: ECE 436. Or Corequisite: ECE 436.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 454. Digital System Design and Testing. 3 Credit Hours.
Functional building blocks and concepts of control and timing in digital design. Descriptive techniques for digital systems and design for testability.
Prerequisite: ECE 315 and 316. Corequisite: ECE 455.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 455. Design-for-Testability Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Project laboratory demonstrating the techniques necessary to design, implement, and debug and test a large system. The process is carried through from conceptual design, implementation, integration, simulation, and synthesis on a FPGA chip.
Prerequisite: ECE 454. Or Corequisite: ECE 454.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 467. Database Design and Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Database systems design, modeling, implementation, management methodologies, and techniques. Different database systems are addressed including relational, object-oriented, object-relational, and distributed database systems. Internet (WWW) technology, data warehousing, and online analytical processing applications of database management systems and hands-on experience with commercial database systems is also included.
Prerequisite: ECE 322 or CSC 322.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
ECE 470. Network Client-Server Programming. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to server-client systems and programming. Advanced server-client design and implementation based on distributed component object model in Windows and UNIX.
Prerequisite: ECE 218.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 481. Senior Project I. 1 Credit Hour.
The creative process of devising a product to meet customers’ needs including an overview of the design process, analysis of requirements, project planning, scheduling, evaluation, and documentation. Students are required to present project proposals to serve as the basis for the follow-up senior design project.
Requisite: Senior Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 482. Senior Project II. 2 Credit Hours.
The capstone design course for Electrical Engineering and Computer Engineering majors. A major electrical and/or computer engineering system is designed, implemented, and documented.
Pre-requisite: ECE 481.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 499. Senior-Junior Cooperative Education. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Analysis and design experience obtained in industry or government. Approved project jointly supervised and assessed by department faculty and external partner. Note: A maximum of three credits could be used to satisfy degree requirement as Technical Elective. See Bulletin for more information.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECE 500. Engineering Analytical Techniques. 3 Credit Hours.
Complex variables, analytic functions, power series, residue theorem, conformal mappings, series solution, Bessel functions, Legendre polynomials, singular value decomposition, vector, and matrix norms are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 502. Engineering Acoustics. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to basic principles of acoustics, methods of sound measurement, physiological, psychological acoustics, the acoustics of the major classes of musical instruments and speech, fundamentals of transducers, architectural acoustics, and the effects and control of noise are covered.
Prerequisite: ECE 336.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 503. Laser Communications. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of optics, optical fibers, electro-optics, light wave propagation in free space and anisotropic media, and waveguides are discussed. Communication devices including lasers, detectors, electro-optic modulators, optical fiber communication links are covered. The course includes seven hands-on experiments.
Prerequisite: PHY 222 and PHY 223 and ECE 301 or equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 504. Fundamentals of Optical Imaging. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to optical imaging, optical coherence tomography imaging, fiber endoscope imaging, and spectral imaging. Learn grating diffraction, interferometer, and optical spectrometer. The course includes ten hands-on experiments. Gain system level understanding of optical coherence tomography and spectral imaging.
Prerequisites: ECE 301 or BME 545.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ECE 505. Semiconductor Photonic Devices. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of semiconductor electronics: energy bands of semiconductors; Fermi level; carrier distribution and transport mechanisms. Application of semiconductor theory to various junction and field effect devices.
Prerequisite: ECE 302, 306, 405.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 506. Microfabrication. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of operation, properties and applications of semiconductor devices, junction, metal-semiconductor, metal-oxide-semiconductor, optoelectronic, bulk-effect, and charge-coupled are covered.
Prerequisite: ECE 505.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 511. Computability, Complexity, and Algorithms. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced programming techniques: dynamic programming, fast data retrieval and sorting, enumerators, data structures, and data management. The limits of software engineering, computability and models of computation, complexity analysis.
Prerequisite: ECE 318.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 512. Software Engineering and Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: ECE 318.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 513. Software Design and Verification. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: ECE 412/512.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 514. Computer Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
Computer data and instruction types, survey of existing architectures, and the interaction between hardware and software sub-systems are discussed. Advanced topics in computer architecture.
Prerequisite: ECE 414.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

ECE 519. Design of Computing Languages. 3 Credit Hours.
Major features of modern programming languages with emphasis on design and software efficiency. Interaction between language design and the design of its compiler are included.
Prerequisite: ECE 218.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 521. Computer Operating Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
The design and implementation of operating systems. Virtual memory and memory management, resource allocation, device drivers, process creation, control, communications and scheduling, file systems, data protection, security, parallel processing and time-sharing. The class includes a significant operating system implementation project.
Prerequisite: ECE 318.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ECE 532. VLSI Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of MOS Technology in VLSI. System data, control flow, structures, design, layout, maskmaking, fabrication, packaging, and testing of VLSI chips are discussed. Highly concurrent Very Large Scale Integration computational systems are also covered.
Prerequisite: ECE 202. Or ECE 305. And ECE 211. Or ECE 304.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 533. Random Signals and Noise. 3 Credit Hours.
Probability models, Bayes' theorem, Limit theorems of Laplace and Poisson, functions of random variables, Central limit theorem, conditional expectation and estimation, Stochastic processes, stationarity and ergodicity, cross-spectral analysis, filtering, and prediction are discussed.
Prerequisite: ECE 310. Or IEN 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 534. Communication Networks. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of digital communications, Local Area Networks (LANs), Wide Area Networks(WANs), Open systems Intercommunication (OSI), Internet reference models, internet architecture and protocols, packet switching and routing, and network performance are discussed.
Prerequisite: ECE 212. Or ECE 312. And ECE 310. Or IEN 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 537. Principles of Artificial Intelligence. 3 Credit Hours.
Search techniques, game trees, use of heuristics, logic, representation of knowledge, algorithms for automated reasoning including automated reasoning under imperfect information, some advanced approaches to AI-Problems such as planning.
Prerequisite: ECE 218.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 538. Introduction to Digital Image Processing. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: ECE 206. Or ECE 307. And MTH 210.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 539. Digital Communications. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles for the analysis and design of digital communications systems. Nyquist sampling, signal space representation, digital modulation techniques and optimal receiver design, ISI channels, error control coding, convolutional codes, Viterbi decoder, and wireless applications.
Prerequisite: ECE 404.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 540. Digital Speech and Audio Processing. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to human speech production, hearing, and perception. Digital speech and audio signal analysis in time and frequency, speech and audio coding, speech synthesis and recognition, language modeling, design of systems for human-machine interaction are also covered.
Prerequisite: ECE 336.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 542. MEMS: Sensors and Electronics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce the fundamentals of Microelectromechanical Systems (MEMS). An introductory foundation of MEMS concepts will be established through lectures on sensors, actuators, readout electronics, and noise. Physical principles of electromechanical, piezoresistive, capacitive, and piezoelectric sensing will be introduced. Based on these design and analysis principles the course will focus on commercial applications such as accelerometers, biochemical sensors, RF components, microfluidics, and optical devices. Sensor electronics will be discussed with a focus on integration with Complementary Metal Oxide Semiconductor (CMOS) technology.
Prerequisite: Permission of Instructor OR ECE 532.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
ECE 543. BioNanotechnology. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction on the fundamentals of nanotechnology with a focus on Biomedical Applications. A foundation of nanotechnology concepts will be established through lectures on nanometry with quantum physics basics, nano manufacturing tools, physical, chemical properties of nanomaterials. Application of these principles in electronics, magnetics, mechanics and optics will be discussed. Use of these nanoengineering principles and concepts to focus on biomedical technology applications such as biosensors, biomaterials, biomimetics and therapeutics
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 548. Machine Learning. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals approaches to classifier induction, probabilistic and instance-based approaches, linear and polynomial classifiers, neural networks, decision trees, boosting techniques, performance evaluation, cluster analysis, reinforcement learning, fundamentals of computational learning theory.
Prerequisite: ECE 218. Or MTH 309.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 553. Neural Networks. 3 Credit Hours.
Artificial neural network algorithms and structures, learning process, perceptron, least-mean-square algorithms, multilayer perceptron, error backpropagation, radial-basis function networks, the Hopfield network, and self-organizing systems are discussed.
Prerequisite: ECE 218. Or MTH 309.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 562. Wireless and Cellular Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
Wireless Channel Characterization: path loss, shadowing, fading, frequency- selective channels, Doppler spread, and delay spread. Diversity techniques: frequency, time and space diversity. Multiple Antenna Systems: space-time coding, beamforming and layered space-time system. Digital Modulation: adaptive modulations and Orthogonal Frequency Division Multiplexing (OFDM). Cellular Concept: frequency reuse, co-channel interference and handoff. Multiple Access Methods: Frequency Division Multiple Access (FDMA), Time Division Multiple Access (TDMA), Code Division Multiple Access (CDMA) and random access. CDMA: spreading codes, RAKE receiver, multiuser detection and power control.
Prerequisite: ECE 404.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 564. Wireless Networks. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction of wireless channels and network. Introduction of medium access control: Frequency Division Multiple Access (FDMA), Time Division Multiple Access (TDMA), Code Division Multiple Access (CDMA) and Carrier Sense Multiple Access. Wireless data networks: IEEE 802.11 (WiFi), IEEE 802.16 (WiMax) and Bluetooth. Wireless network layer: mobile IP and mobile ad-hoc networks. Wireless transport layer: mobile TCP. Wireless Cellular systems: network structure and call processing of GSM and CDMA systems.
Pre or Corequisite: ECE 534.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 567. Database Design and Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Database systems design, modeling, implementation, management methodologies, and techniques. Different database systems are addressed including relational, object-oriented, object-relational, and distributed database systems. Internet (WWW) technology, data warehousing, and online analytical processing applications of database management systems and hands-on experience with commercial database systems is also included.
Prerequisite: ECE 322 or CSC 322.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
ECE 570. Network Client-Server Programming. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to server-client systems and programming. Advanced server-client design and implementation based on distributed component object model in Windows and UNIX.
Prerequisite: ECE 218.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 572. Object-Oriented and Distributed Database Management Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 574. Agent Technology. 3 Credit Hours.
Agent definition and applications, agent modeling, theories, agent representation using KIF (Knowledge Interchange Format), agent behavior, ethical and emotional agents, agent communication languages (KQML (Knowledge Query and Manipulation Language)), agent development environments and tools, agent systems (cooperative agents, interface agents, information age nts, learning agents, believable agents, agents for workgroups, mobile agents), and agent case studies are covered.
Prerequisite: ECE 537 Or ECE 637.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 576. Internet and Intranet Security. 3 Credit Hours.
Security issues and applications for securing internet and intranet-based information exchange. Secure information models, security tools, security services, security protocols, electronic commerce, virtual private networks, firewalls, and security versus cost tradeoffs are covered.
Prerequisite: ECE 218 or CSC 322 or equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 577. Data Mining. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the general principles of inferring useful knowledge from large data sets. Data mining algorithms, including inferring rules, linear regression, decision trees, association rules, and predictive models. Evaluation of data mining algorithms, including training, testing, prediction, comparison, cost, and cross-validation. Data mining applications.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 579. Mobile Computing. 3 Credit Hours.
Mobile computing and proxy architectures, mobile web protocols, mobile user interfaces, applications, systems-ware adaptations, mobile databases, transactions, data synchronization, privacy, authentication, and security are covered.
Prerequisite: ECE 368.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 581. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 582. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 583. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.
ECE 584. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ECE 590. Special Topics in Information Technology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Lecture courses in selected areas of specialization within Information Technology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 594. Special Topics in Computer Engineering. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Lecture courses in selected areas of specialization within Computer Engineering.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 595. Special Topics in Computer Engineering. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Lecture courses in selected areas of specialization within Computer Engineering.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
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ECE 596. Special Topics in Computer Engineering. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Lecture courses in selected areas of specialization within Computer Engineering.
Components: LEC.
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Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 597. Special Topics in Electrical Engineering. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Lecture courses in selected areas of specialization within Electrical Engineering.
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Lecture courses in selected areas of specialization within Electrical Engineering.
Components: LEC.
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ECE 599. Special Topics in Electrical Engineering. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Lecture courses in selected areas of specialization within Electrical Engineering.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

B.S. in Electrical Engineering

Overview

Electrical Engineering is concerned with the design, analysis and implementation of a variety of systems, components and devices, primarily of an electrical or electronic nature, which form the cornerstone of our complex and technologically oriented society. For example, this ranges from small-scale integrated electronics and photonics systems and devices, the technological drivers of the information technology revolution, to large-scale electrical power systems and power generators, which supply the nation's energy needs and form the basis for sustained economic growth.

Furthermore, Electrical engineering also involves the design of micro and nano devices, integrated circuits, hardware, and large-scale systems for telecommunications and networking that engender our increasingly networked life. Therefore, electrical engineering is a vast and rich discipline involved in the design of systems, components, and devices for a variety of applications and areas such as portable electronics (e.g., cell phones), communications and networks, biomedical sensing and medical systems, energy harvesting, next generation displays, lasers, optical and wireless transmission, audio/video compression and recognition, radar and tracking/guidance systems, and remote sensing systems.

The University of Miami's electrical engineering curriculum is focused on the fundamentals of the discipline, in the first two years building a firm foundation in mathematics, basic science, and basic engineering principles such as basic circuits, electronics, software and programming, computer hardware, and signal and system analysis. The students build upon this foundation through more advanced courses and focused specialization, culminating in a capstone major design experience. We continually update our curriculum and laboratories to incorporate new scientific and
technological developments, and industry practices. Our graduates have gone on to successful careers in industry, or to graduate school in science and engineering, as well as law school, business school, and medical school.

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### Sophomore Year

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- **ECE 218** Data Structures 3
- **MTH 311** Introduction to Ordinary Differential Equations 3
- **HA Cognate (Humanities and Arts Elective)** 3
- **PHY 223** - University Physics III (Substitutes PHY 207) 3
- **PHY 225** - University Physics III Lab 1

#### Spring
- **ECE 202** Electronics I 3
- **ECE 203** Electrical Circuits Laboratory 1
- **ECE 206** Circuits, Signals, and Systems 3
- **ECE 211** Logic Design 3
- **MTH 210** Introduction to Linear Algebra 3
- **CHM 151** Chemistry for Engineers 3
- **CHM 153** Chemistry Laboratory for Engineers 1

#### Credit Hours
16

### Junior Year

#### Fall
- **ECE 301** Electromagnetic Field Theory 3
- **ECE 302** Electronics II 3
- **ECE 303** Electronics Laboratory 1
- **ECE 315** Digital Design Laboratory 1
- **ECE 336** Discrete-Time Signals and Systems 3
- **ECE 310 or IEN 310** Introduction to Engineering Probability 3
- **PS Cognate (People and Society Elective)** 3

#### Spring
- **ECE 212** Processors: Hardware, Software, and Interfacing 3
- **ECE 316** Structured Digital Design 1
- **EE Core Elective** 3
- **EE Core Elective** 3
- **ECE Elective** 3
- **PS Cognate (People and Society Elective)** 3

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17

### Senior Year

#### Fall
- **ECE 481** Senior Project I 1
- **ECE Elective** 3
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- **ECE Design Elective** 3
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- **PS Cognate (Adv. PS Elective)** 3

#### Spring
- **ECE 482** Senior Project II 2
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1. See description of electives under the Departmental Electives Section.
2. Offered only in the Fall semester.

Mission

The mission of the Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering is to achieve and maintain, through a continuous improvement process, excellence in undergraduate and graduate education, research, and service to the community and the nation. We endeavor to accomplish this by providing high-quality education and research programs which will impart the requisite knowledge and skills to our students enabling them to assume leadership roles in contributing to the advancement of the underlying electrical and computer engineering technologies which sustain the current world economy, to promote a strong commitment to life-long learning, to prepare them for a variety of alternative career paths and to participate as responsible citizens in a rapidly changing and shrinking global community.

Program Educational Objectives

We expect that our alumni will exhibit the following:

1. Successful careers in dynamic and multidisciplinary fields with the ability to apply engineering practices within societal, global, and environmental contexts in an ethical manner.
2. Continuous professional improvement through life-long learning including successful admission and completion of graduate studies of the highest standard.

Student Learning Outcomes

1. An ability to identify, formulate, and solve complex engineering problems by applying principles of engineering, science, and mathematics.
2. An ability to apply engineering design to produce solutions that meet specified needs with consideration of public health, safety, and welfare, as well as global, cultural, social, environmental, and economic factors.
3. An ability to communicate effectively with a range of audiences.
4. An ability to recognize ethical and professional responsibilities in engineering situations and make informed judgments, which must consider the impact of engineering solutions in global, economic, environmental, and societal contexts.
5. An ability to function effectively on a team whose members together provide leadership, create a collaborative and inclusive environment, establish goals, plan tasks, and meet objectives.
6. An ability to develop and conduct appropriate experimentation, analyze and interpret data, and use engineering judgment to draw conclusions.
7. An ability to acquire and apply new knowledge as needed, using appropriate learning strategies.

B.S. in Electrical Engineering - Audio Engineering Option

Audio Engineering at the University of Miami was established 1992. The program brings together faculty expertise from Electrical and Computer Engineering and from the Frost School of Music. It uniquely meets the needs of industry, training professionals with solid foundations in technical areas where sound and acoustics play a key role. Students gain theoretical knowledge from engineering and music, along with analytical, technical and design skills that can only be acquired with an engineering degree.

The Audio Engineering option curriculum combines traditional electrical engineering areas such as electronics, digital systems, microprocessors and digital signal processing with audio studies in acoustics, digital speech and audio, and acoustic transducers. Students work in modern laboratory facilities where they can experiment with electronics, digital design, microprocessors, audio recording, audio synthesis and acoustics. UM Audio Engineering graduates are audio-specialized electrical engineers who are highly sought-after by the industry.

During its 27 successful years, Audio Engineering at UM has produced an impressive group of alumni successful careers in music, gaming and entertainment, telecommunications, the analog and digital electronics, computer and software industries, and in the biomedical systems and instrumentation industry. Many have pursued graduate degrees at other top universities. The program implements continuous improvements, including innovative teaching and hands-on audio engineering design projects, as well as ever-deeper links with industry.

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2. Recommended a cognate that includes a Musicology Elective.
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Note that MMI 504 could be substituted for MMI 436.

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Electrical Engineering - Pre-Med Option
Our Department offers a pre-medical option that allows motivated students to obtain the rigorous education of a bachelors degree in electrical engineering while simultaneously completing the basic science requirements necessary for applying to medical or dental school. Much of the excitement in engineering involves applications of electrical and computer engineering to problems in health, such as the development of nano-scale biosensors, or the signal processing analysis of DNA sequences. The pre-med option allows students to learn the fundamentals of Electrical and Computer Engineering while preparing them for entry into either medical school, advanced graduate study, or industry.

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**B.S./M.S. in Electrical Engineering**

This is a structured and integrated program of 151 credit hours. Students may pursue this program from either of the undergraduate option available for Electrical Engineering Majors. It includes two required courses, ECE 715 and ECE 716, as well as the selection of advanced technical electives.

Note the following:

- At least 30 credit hours must be at the graduate (600 or 700) level. Of these, at least 12 credit hours must be at 700 level. More specifically, in addition to ECE 715 (M.S. Design Project I) and ECE 716 (M.S. Design Project II), at least 6 credit hours must be in courses open to graduate students only (700 level).
- Interested ECE Juniors with cumulative GPA above 3.0 may declare their intent to participate by submitting an official application to the Departmental Graduate Committee for admission into the M.S.E.C.E. portion of the program.
- A student wishing to drop out of the five-year program without the M.S.E.C.E. degree could receive the B.S.E.E. degree after completing all its requirements, including the senior design project.
- All students must take the Graduate Record Examination (G.R.E.) before beginning their fifth-year courses.
- To qualify for the M.S.E.C.E. degree, students must meet all the pertinent Graduate School requirements, including an acceptable G.R.E. score and a minimum of 3.0 GPA in the 30 credit hours applied towards the M.S.E.C.E. degree.
- The student is awarded both the B.S.E.E. and the M.S.E.C.E. degrees after the requirements for both degrees are satisfied.

For more information about the BS/MS Program please refer to the College of Engineering Section (p. 1050).

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3. Should be taken as Graduate (G) courses.

**Suggested Plan of Study**

The first three years are the same as in the undergraduate B.S.E.E. program with 97 credit hours. The remaining 55 credit hours shown below should include at least ten graduate courses which should include ECE 715, ECE 716, and at least two more courses at the 700 level.

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This is a structured and integrated program of 152 credit hours. Students may pursue this program from either of the undergraduate option available for Electrical Engineering Majors. It includes two required courses, ECE 715 and ECE 716, as well as the selection of advanced technical electives.

Note the following:

- At least 30 credit hours must be at the graduate (600 or 700) level. Of these, at least 12 credit hours must be at 700 level. More specifically, in addition to ECE 715 (M.S. Design Project I) and ECE 716 (M.S. Design Project II), at least 6 credit hours must be in courses open to graduate students only (700 level).
- Interested ECE Juniors with cumulative GPA above 3.0 may declare their intent to participate by submitting an official application to the Departmental Graduate Committee for admission into the M.S.E.C.E. portion of the program.
- A student wishing to drop out of the five-year program without the M.S.E.C.E. degree could receive the B.S.E.E. degree after completing all its requirements, including the senior design project.
- All students must take the Graduate Record Examination (G.R.E.) before beginning their fifth-year courses.
- To qualify for the M.S.E.C.E. degree, students must meet all the pertinent Graduate School requirements, including an acceptable G.R.E. score and a minimum of 3.0 GPA in the 30 credit hours applied towards the M.S.E.C.E. degree.
- The student is awarded both the B.S.E.E. and the M.S.E.C.E. degrees after the requirements for both degrees are satisfied.

For more information about the BS/MS Program please refer to the College of Engineering Section (p. 1050).

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See description of electives under the Departmental Electives Section.
Recommended a cognate that includes a Musicology Elective.
Offered only in the Fall semester.
Should be taken as Graduate (G) courses.
Note that MMI 504 could be substituted for MMI 436.

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## Minor in Electrical Engineering

### Requirements

Students must follow these guidelines in order to qualify for this minor:

- No more than 6 credits hours may be taken outside the ECE department.
- Students must maintain a minimum 2.0 grade point average in all ECE courses taken.

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1. See description of electives under the Departmental Electives Section.
2. Recommended a cognate that includes a Musicology Elective.
3. Offered only in the Fall semester.
4. Should be taken as Graduate (G) courses.
5. Note that MMI 504 could be substituted for MMI 436.
• Students with a major in Computer Engineering wishing to add a minor in Electrical Engineering must take 6 Electrical Engineering course credit hours in addition to those needed to satisfy their degree requirements.

**Curriculum Requirements**

Students wishing to minor in Electrical Engineering should satisfy a 15 credit hour requirement specified as follows:

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**B.S. in Computer Engineering**

**Overview**

Computer engineering is concerned with the characterization, design, analysis and implementation of hardware, software and the overall architecture of computers and computer systems, and with the development of applications enabled by such configurations. This ranges from embedded microprocessors and associated software supporting a variety of familiar devices, to large-scale distributed computer systems interconnected by high-speed telecommunication networks controlled by sophisticated communication protocols. Since modern electronic computing systems are digital in nature, the program provides in-depth coverage of a range of topics dealing with digital information processing systems. Among the topics covered are digital system design, computer organization and architecture, operating systems, software engineering, programming, data structures, algorithms, database systems, microprocessor-based systems, and embedded systems.

The department also offers electives in digital communications, computer networks, wireless and mobile networks, very large scale integration (VLSI), microelectronics, nanotechnology, application specific integrated circuits (ASIC), microelectromechanical systems (MEMS), image processing and computer vision, artificial intelligence, machine learning, data mining, agent technology, and cybersecurity (application, information, network, systems security etc.).
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Mission
The mission of the Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering is to achieve and maintain, through a continuous improvement process, excellence in undergraduate and graduate education, research, and service to the community and the nation. We endeavor to accomplish this by providing high-quality education and research programs which will impart the requisite knowledge and skills to our students enabling them to assume leadership roles in contributing to the advancement of the underlying electrical and computer engineering technologies which sustain the current world economy, to promote a strong commitment to life-long learning, to prepare them for a variety of alternative career paths and to participate as responsible citizens in a rapidly changing and shrinking global community.

Program Educational Objectives
We expect that our alumni will exhibit the following:
1. Successful careers in dynamic and multidisciplinary fields with the ability to apply engineering practices within societal, global, and environmental contexts in an ethical manner.
2. Continuous professional improvement through life-long learning including successful admission and completion of graduate studies of the highest standard.

Student Learning Outcomes
1. An ability to identify, formulate, and solve complex engineering problems by applying principles of engineering, science, and mathematics.
2. An ability to apply engineering design to produce solutions that meet specified needs with consideration of public health, safety, and welfare, as well as global, cultural, social, environmental, and economic factors.
3. An ability to communicate effectively with a range of audiences.
4. An ability to recognize ethical and professional responsibilities in engineering situations and make informed judgments, which must consider the impact of engineering solutions in global, economic, environmental, and societal contexts.
5. An ability to function effectively on a team whose members together provide leadership, create a collaborative and inclusive environment, establish goals, plan tasks, and meet objectives.
6. An ability to develop and conduct appropriate experimentation, analyze and interpret data, and use engineering judgment to draw conclusions.
7. An ability to acquire and apply new knowledge as needed, using appropriate learning strategies.

B.S. in Computer Engineering - Software Engineering Option
Software Engineering is concerned primarily with the systematic and disciplined approach to developing software systems. It requires the application of both computer engineering and computer science principles and practices to the creation, operation, and maintenance of software systems and applications. The Software Engineering Option of the Bachelor of Science in Computer Engineering degree at the University of Miami is a unique interdisciplinary program developed and administered collaboratively by the Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering and the Department of Computer Science.

This Option prepares students for successful careers in software engineering. Software systems are becoming increasingly complex, and emerging technologies are pushing the boundaries of reusable components and software quality assurance. To prepare students to meet these challenges, this Option establishes a solid foundation of software system fundamentals, coupled with strong hands-on experience and an understanding of professional practice and conduct.

In addition to the core curriculum in software engineering, students are introduced to the paradigms of real-time, adaptive, and collaborative software systems, through a wide range of technical elective courses from both the Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering and the Department of Computer Science. Students may also use courses from other departments with academic advisor approval. The technical electives allow students to apply the knowledge they have gained to different application areas. This provides valuable hands-on experience in contemporary application areas, which enhances the students’ potential career development opportunities.
Students pursuing the Software Engineering Option of the Bachelor of Science in Computer Engineering degree must earn at least 15 credit hours in Computer Science as part of their degree requirements.

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| ECE 413 | Software Design and Verification                | 3            |
| ECE 421 | Computer Operating Systems                      | 3            |
| or CSC 421 | Principles of Computer Operating Systems | 3            |
| ECE 467 | Database Design and Management                  | 3            |
| or CSC 423 | Database Systems            | 3            |
| ECE 470 | Network Client-Server Programming               | 3            |

#### Other Courses

**Computer Science Credit Hours**

| CSC 317 | Data Structures and Algorithm Analysis         | 3            |
| CSC 419 | Programming Languages                          | 3            |

**Math & Basic Science Credit Hours**

32

**General Education Credit Hours**

24

**Total Credit Hours**

127

### Suggested Plan of Study

#### Freshman Year

**Fall**

| ECE 111 | Introduction to Engineering I                   | 3            |
| ECE 118 | Introduction to Programming                     | 3            |
| ENG 105 | English Composition I                           | 3            |
| MTH 151 | Calculus I for Engineers                        | 5            |

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1  See description of electives under the Departmental Electives Section.
2  With advisor approval.
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* Students must earn at least 15 credit hours in Computer Science (CSC)
** Students must have at least 32 credit hours of Math and Science

Mission

The mission of the Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering is to achieve and maintain, through a continuous improvement process, excellence in undergraduate and graduate education, research, and service to the community and the nation. We endeavor to accomplish this by providing high-quality education and research programs which will impart the requisite knowledge and skills to our students enabling them to assume leadership roles in contributing to the advancement of the underlying electrical and computer engineering technologies which sustain the current world economy, to promote a strong commitment to life-long learning, to prepare them for a variety of alternative career paths and to participate as responsible citizens in a rapidly changing and shrinking global community.

Program Educational Objectives

We expect that our alumni will exhibit the following:
1. Successful careers in dynamic and multidisciplinary fields with the ability to apply engineering practices within societal, global, and environmental contexts in an ethical manner.
2. Continuous professional improvement through life-long learning including successful admission and completion of graduate studies of the highest standard.

Student Learning Outcomes

1. An ability to identify, formulate, and solve complex engineering problems by applying principles of engineering, science, and mathematics.
2. An ability to apply engineering design to produce solutions that meet specified needs with consideration of public health, safety, and welfare, as well as global, cultural, social, environmental, and economic factors.
3. An ability to communicate effectively with a range of audiences.
4. An ability to recognize ethical and professional responsibilities in engineering situations and make informed judgments, which must consider the impact of engineering solutions in global, economic, environmental, and societal contexts.
5. An ability to function effectively on a team whose members together provide leadership, create a collaborative and inclusive environment, establish goals, plan tasks, and meet objectives.
6. An ability to develop and conduct appropriate experimentation, analyze and interpret data, and use engineering judgment to draw conclusions.
7. An ability to acquire and apply new knowledge as needed, using appropriate learning strategies.

Computer Engineering - Pre-Med Option

Our Department offers a pre-medical option that allows motivated students to obtain the rigorous education of a bachelors degree in computer engineering while simultaneously completing the basic science requirements necessary for applying to medical or dental school. Much of the excitement in engineering involves applications of electrical and computer engineering to problems in health, such as the development of nano-scale biosensors, or the signal processing analysis of DNA sequences or the development and/or use of new hardware and software tools to better serve both medical professionals and patients. With the rapid advancement and application of technology in the medical field, the pre-med option ensures that students learn and understand the fundamentals of Electrical and Computer Engineering while preparing them for entry into either medical school, advanced graduate study, or industry.
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1. See description of electives under the Departmental Electives Section.
2. CE Core Elective is selected from ECE 302 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=ECE%20302), ECE 454 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=ECE%20454)/ECE 455 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=ECE%20455), ECE 412 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=ECE%20412)
3. Advanced Bioscience Elective is to be chosen from BMB 260 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=BMB%20260), BIL 250 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=BIL%20250), BIL 255 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=BIL%20255), BIL 268 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=BIL%20268), or BMB 401 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=BMB%20401), in consultation with their academic advisor. Students should verify admission requirements of their medical school of interest to verify Adv. Bioscience requirements.
4. Students in the Premed Concentration are highly encouraged to choose cognates that include PSY 110 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=PSY%20110) and SOC 101 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=SOC%20101)
5. Offered only in the Fall semester.

Mission

The mission of the Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering is to achieve and maintain, through a continuous improvement process, excellence in undergraduate and graduate education, research, and service to the community and the nation. We endeavor to accomplish this by providing high-quality education and research programs which will impart the requisite knowledge and skills to our students enabling them to assume leadership roles in contributing to the advancement of the underlying electrical and computer engineering technologies which sustain the current world economy, to promote a strong commitment to life-long learning, to prepare them for a variety of alternative career paths and to participate as responsible citizens in a rapidly changing and shrinking global community.

Program Educational Objectives

We expect that our alumni will exhibit the following:

1. Successful careers in dynamic and multidisciplinary fields with the ability to apply engineering practices within societal, global, and environmental contexts in an ethical manner.
2. Continuous professional improvement through life-long learning including successful admission and completion of graduate studies of the highest standard.

Student Learning Outcomes

1. An ability to identify, formulate, and solve complex engineering problems by applying principles of engineering, science, and mathematics.
2. An ability to apply engineering design to produce solutions that meet specified needs with consideration of public health, safety, and welfare, as well as global, cultural, social, environmental, and economic factors.
3. An ability to communicate effectively with a range of audiences.
4. An ability to recognize ethical and professional responsibilities in engineering situations and make informed judgments, which must consider the impact of engineering solutions in global, economic, environmental, and societal contexts.
5. An ability to function effectively on a team whose members together provide leadership, create a collaborative and inclusive environment, establish goals, plan tasks, and meet objectives.
6. An ability to develop and conduct appropriate experimentation, analyze and interpret data, and use engineering judgment to draw conclusions.
7. An ability to acquire and apply new knowledge as needed, using appropriate learning strategies.

B.S./M.S. in Computer Engineering

This is a structured and integrated program of 154 credit hours. Students may pursue this program from either of the undergraduate options available for Computer Engineering Majors. It includes two required courses, ECE 715 and ECE 716 as well as the selection of advanced technical electives.

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| MTH 210  | Introduction to Linear Algebra                     | 3            |
| MTH 309  | Discrete Mathematics I                             | 3            |
| MTH 311  | Introduction to Ordinary Differential Equations    | 3            |
| PHY 221  | University Physics I                               | 3            |
| PHY 222  | University Physics II                              | 3            |
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## Suggested Plan of Study

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**B.S./M.S. in Computer Engineering - Software Engineering Option**

This is a structured and integrated program of 155 credit hours. Students may pursue this program from either of the undergraduate options available for Computer Engineering Majors. It includes two required courses, ECE 715 and ECE 716 as well as the selection of advanced technical electives.
• At least 30 credit hours must be at the graduate (600 or 700) level. Of these, at least 12 credit hours must be at 700 level. More specifically, in addition to ECE 715 (M.S. Design Project I) and ECE 716 (M.S. Design Project II), at least 6 credit hours must be in courses open to graduate students only (700 level).

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**Minor in Computer Engineering**

**Requirements**

Students must follow these guidelines in order to qualify for this minor:

- No more than 6 credits hours may be taken outside the ECE department.
- Students must maintain a minimum 2.0 grade point average in all ECE courses taken.
- Students with a major in Electrical Engineering wishing to add a minor in Computer Engineering must take 6 Computer Engineering course credit hours in addition to those needed to satisfy their degree requirements.

**Curriculum Requirements**

Students wishing to minor in Computer Engineering must satisfy 18 credits hours specified as follows:

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**Engineering Science**

**Introduction**

The curricula in the engineering sciences have been designed to prepare a student to fill the gap between the pure and applied sciences. The programs have been planned to enable the graduate to meet, work, and communicate with scientists and engineers at all levels of research and development, design and production, sales and distribution and to participate in the rapid and efficient translation of the latest scientific discoveries into technological achievements.

The general curriculum outlined below has been developed to give the student a firm foundation in the engineering sciences supported by a thorough grounding and facility in mathematics, physics and chemistry. In addition, each student will choose an area of specialization in at least one of
the Engineering fields of architectural, civil, biomedical, electrical, industrial, or mechanical, and mathematics, chemistry or physics. By being well grounded in both the basic and applied sciences, the student, upon graduation, will be well prepared to assume responsibilities in his/her field of specialization or continue his/her professional development through graduate studies.

The engineering science program is intended primarily for students who expect to pursue graduate studies, and it will not satisfy the licensure requirements for professional engineering registration.

Premedical Studies: When BIL 150 and BIL 160 are added to the course sequence for engineering science, basic premedical requirements are satisfied. Additional specific courses, such as genetics or biochemistry, may be required for admission to certain medical schools. For optimum timing and course selection students who combine premedical studies and engineering science should consult the faculty advisor for engineering science and the Coordinator, Committee on Premedical Studies.

Because of the nature of the curriculum and its goals, the student must maintain a B average. The degree of Bachelor of Science Engineering Science is awarded upon successful completion of the program.

The required curriculum for the degree of Bachelor of Science in Engineering Science (General Concentration) is shown below as is a typical premed curriculum. A Professional Chemistry Concentration in the Engineering Science Program is available (the Professional Chemistry Program, approved by the American Chemical Society, is also available in the College of Arts and Sciences).

**Mission Statement**

The mission of the Engineering Science program is to provide excellent undergraduate and graduate education in engineering that will prepare graduates to meet Societies changing needs and aspirations.

**Educational Objectives**

The objectives of the Engineering Science program are to educate engineers who:

- have a sound background in the fundamentals of engineering science grounded in mathematics, physics and chemistry
- have abilities and knowledge expected by graduate programs
- are prepared to enter graduate programs with a strong background in pure science

### B.S. in Engineering Science

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**Credit Hours**

- Junior Year: 17
- Senior Year: 13
- Total Credit Hours: 124

1. You must complete a minimum of 1 PS cognate and 1 HA cognate to be selected from the list of available cognates. Each cognate should be a minimum of three courses (9 credit hours).
2. Applied electives are advanced courses selected in coordination with the Faculty Advisor and require his/her approval.
3. Technical Electives are advanced courses in mathematics, science or engineering, approved by the Faculty Advisor, as appropriate for individual objectives.

**Industrial Engineering**

https://ien.coe.miami.edu/index.html

Dept. Code: IEN
Overview

Industrial Engineering combines science and technical knowledge with human sciences to design, plan, and analyze systems that involve people, materials, money, energy, equipment, and other resources. Industrial engineers work with personnel in research and development, accounting, engineers in other disciplines, maintenance, human resources, and production to increase organizational productivity, improve quality, reduce health care costs, conserve energy, develop public transportation systems, and improve industrial safety conditions. Industrial engineering distinguishes itself from other engineering professions because it has applications in manufacturing, service, commercial, and governmental activities. It is the major branch of engineering concerned not only with technology, but with people, making industrial engineers a prime source of management talent.

Through consultation with his/her academic advisor, a student is assisted in choosing electives which will prepare him/her for a degree of specialization compatible with his/her future goals. The available concentrations are Engineering Management and Manufacturing. Specific courses required in each concentration are described in Degree Programs Section.

The Department of Industrial Engineering offers graduate programs leading to the:

- Master of Science in Industrial Engineering
- Master of Science in Environmental Health and Safety
- MSIE/MBA Weekend Executive Program (in conjunction with the School of Business)
- Master of Science in Management of Technology (in conjunction with the School of Business)

The Department also offers:

- a Ph.D. program in Ergonomics
- a Ph.D. in Industrial Engineering.

For further information, see the Bulletin of the Graduate School (p. 2283).

Bachelor of Science in Industrial Engineering

The curriculum includes required courses in mathematics and the physical sciences that ensure a firm scientific background while advanced departmental courses provide specialization. Required courses in the people and society - humanities and arts give students the social, ethical and ecological awareness needed in their profession. The courses are designed with the prerequisite structure in mind so that students have to draw from previously acquired knowledge to successfully complete upper level course requirements.

The engineering design experience is interwoven in the curriculum throughout the students' four years of study.

- Starting with IEN 111 Introduction to Engineering I and IEN 112 Introduction to Engineering II, an introduction to Engineering graphics, Auto CAD, MATLAB, C++, advanced Excel and Access are given.
- The students then move on to take IEN 201 Methods Analysis and Work Measurement where they perform work measurement projects in industry, write reports, and make oral presentations to management. In the Spring of their Junior year, the students take IEN 363 Project Management for Engineers and they are exposed to techniques and tools in project management such as use of network flow and MS Project.
- Students take IEN 361 Industrial Cost Analysis and IEN 380 Engineering Economy where they become aware of the impact of productivity on the economic and social well-being of industry and countries. The students are also introduced to basic models of decision making such as the formulation and evaluation of an economic strategy.
- IEN 406 Computer-Aided Manufacturing introduces the students to product design in manufacturing and modern concepts of CAD/CAM/ Automation.
- IEN 441 Deterministic Models in Operations Research focuses on the formulation of linear programming problems and solutions by the simplex method. Related topics include sensitivity analysis, duality theory and network programming. Engineering applications are emphasized.
- IEN 442 Stochastic Models in Operations Research focuses on basic concepts and techniques of random processes that are used to develop models for a variety of engineering and managerial problems. Topics include the Poisson Process, Markov chains, renewal theory, queueing models, and reliability.
- IEN 465 Production and Inventory Control provides a thorough treatment of modern production and inventory management policies, and their ramifications on supply chain management.
- Theory and applications of decision support systems in industrial engineering are covered in IEN 524 Decision Support Systems in IE. The topics include the study of model-based data-based, knowledge-based, and communication-based decision support systems.
- In IEN 557 Ergonomics and Human Factors Engineering both laboratory projects and real-world projects are designed, discussed, and conducted.
- Industry based projects are embedded into several other courses such as IEN 512 Statistical Quality Control and Quality Management, IEN 547 Computer Simulation Systems, and IEN 568 Materials Handling and Facilities Planning.
- IEN 494 Senior Project is a capstone project course where the students pool all of their knowledge and previous design experience into one major project integrating all components of the curriculum together. These projects are usually industry-based. Students prepare written and oral presentations. These presentations are made before top management or engineers of the organization where the projects were conducted in the presence of the faculty representatives from the department.
Real world projects are an integral part of most junior and senior level courses. In these courses, communication is emphasized through requirements for oral presentation and written technical reports. This experience provides the graduates with valuable industrial experience and communications skills while studying at the University of Miami.

The teaching laboratories meet current program needs and are constantly being improved. Equipment and experiments are geared to provide instruction in the areas of production system design, work methods and measurement, human factors engineering, manufacturing processes, computer applications in industrial engineering and operations research.

**Advanced Writing and Communication Skills:** Industrial Engineering students satisfy the University’s Advanced Writing and Communication Skills requirement by completing a set of classroom courses, laboratory courses and design courses where they learn effective oral, graphical and technical writing skills. Industrial Engineering students acquire Advanced Writing and Communication skills in the following core courses:

- IEN 111 Introduction to Engineering I
- IEN 201 Methods Analysis and Work Measurement
- IEN 351 Industrial Safety Engineering
- IEN 363 Project Management for Engineers
- IEN 380 Engineering Economy
- IEN 494 Senior Project
- IEN 512 Statistical Quality Control and Quality Management
- IEN 547 Computer Simulation Systems
- IEN 557 Ergonomics and Human Factors Engineering
- IEN 568 Materials Handling and Facilities Planning

**Industrial Engineering Concentrations**

- Engineering Management Concentration
- Manufacturing Engineering Concentration
- Pre-Medical Concentration

**Five-Year Bachelor of Science in Industrial Engineering and Master of Science in Industrial Engineering (Five-Year BSIE/MSIE Program)**

This program is specifically designed for those students who want to pursue their graduate study as soon as they complete their undergraduate study in Industrial Engineering. The special conditions for this Five-Year BSIE/MSIE Program are as follows:

1. The student must declare his/her intent to participate before the end of the Junior year by submitting an official application to the department graduate committee for admission into the MSIE portion of the program. Exceptions to this rule must be approved by the department faculty.
2. A student wishing to withdraw from the Five-Year Program without the MSIE degree must complete all the requirements for the BSIE program, including the IEN 494 Senior Project in order to get his/her BSIE degree.
3. To qualify for the MSIE degree, the student must meet all the pertinent Graduate School requirements, including an acceptable score on the GRE (Graduate Record Examination) and a minimum of 3.0 GPA.
4. The student is awarded both the BSIE and MSIE degrees at the end of the fifth year when all undergraduate and graduate requirements are satisfied.

**Dual B.S./M.S. Degrees in Industrial Engineering**

- B.S./M.S. in Industrial Engineering - Five Year Dual Degree (p. 1179)
- Industrial Engineering - Engineering Management Concentration - Five Year Program (p. 1182)Program

**IEN 111. Introduction to Engineering I. 3 Credit Hours.**

Use of engineering tools and computer techniques for problem solving, data acquisition, analysis, presentation, software design, and computer aided drafting. Development of design skills through several design and building competitions. Introduction to professional ethics, intellectual property, ethics, intellectual property rights, and an introduction to use of MATLAB, AutoCAD, and programming in C++.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
IEN 112. Introduction to Engineering II. 2 Credit Hours.
Continuation of IEN 111. An overview of Industrial Engineering concepts and issues important to the design and operation of industrial and service systems. Students will learn the use of software tools developed to enhance the Industrial Engineer's ability such as database management, high level programming languages, electronic spreadsheets, and computer graphics.
Prerequisite: IEN 111.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 201. Methods Analysis and Work Measurement. 3 Credit Hours.
Design of improved methods for doing work based on effective human effort. Time standardization of productive operations by work measurement, predetermined time systems, and activity sampling are discussed. Tools and charts for methods analysis are discussed and use of Microsoft Vision is emphasized and reviewed.
Prerequisite: IEN 112.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

IEN 306. Manufacturing Processes. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic and applied sciences in processing of materials. Effects of processing on the manufactured parts, selection of processing methods, and their relation with material properties. Contemporary and non-traditional processes used in manufacturing are also covered.
Prerequisite: CHM 121 or CHM 151 and PHY 221.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

IEN 310. Introduction to Engineering Probability. 3 Credit Hours.
Axioms of probability, discrete and continuous random variables, probability density functions, cumulative distribution function, expectation, conditioning, independence, functions of random variables, sums of random variables, introduction to statistical analysis, estimation, and hypothesis testing. Cross-listed with EEN 310.
Prerequisite: MTH 162 and Requisite: Junior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

IEN 311. Applied Probability and Statistics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers fundamental probability concepts, random variables, mathematical expectation, discrete and continuous probability distributions, sampling distributions, point and interval estimation, hypothesis testing, and simple linear regression and correlation. The use of Minitab, a statistical software application, is emphasized. Examples are drawn from various disciplines.
Prerequisite: MTH 162.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

IEN 312. Applied Statistical Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
Linear regression, multiple regression, analysis of variance, and design of experiments are discussed. Cross-listed with MAS 312.
Prerequisite: IEN 310 or ECE 310 or IEN 311 or MAS 311 or equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 351. Industrial Safety Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic principles of accident prevention and safety engineering approach to the design of mechanical equipment, facilities, and manufacturing processes. Analysis and design of fire prevention procedures and accident control procedures in industry are included.
Requisite: Junior Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
IEN 360. Productivity Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Definitions and scope of productivity engineering and management. The productivity cycle. Productivity measurement, evaluation, improvement--
discussion and examples. Productivity planning and improvement through the application of industrial and systems engineering techniques.
Discussion of individual techniques with examples. Application potential of the course in real life situations.
Prerequisite: MTH 162.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 361. Industrial Cost Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of financial statements and cost factors in manufacturing and service systems. Cost accounting methods, job order costing and process
costing approaches. Deterministic and probabilistic estimates of cost.
Prerequisite: MTH 162. And IEN 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 363. Project Management for Engineers. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will help students develop a basic understanding of the key concepts, theories, tools, and methodologies of project management.
Students will be introduced to the different phases of managing projects from conception to termination with particular emphasis on planning,
scheduling, resource allocation, monitoring and control. The course will utilize a case-study-based approach in analyzing the techniques and methods
of project management.
Requisite: Junior Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 372. Emerging Technologies and the Creation of Technological Innovations. 3 Credit Hours.
A variety of emerging technologies will be discussed (nanotechnology, energy technologies, information technologies, biotechnologies, etc). The
process of utilization in innovations will be covered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

IEN 380. Engineering Economy. 3 Credit Hours.
Engineering Economy Fundamentals. Interest and money-time relationship, methods of making economic decisions, risk and uncertainty, sensitivity
analysis, selections among multiple alternatives, depreciation, benefit-cost analysis, replacement studies, minimum cost analysis, and related topics.
Prerequisite: MTH 162.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 399. Internship. 1 Credit Hour.
Practical application of classroom theory through employment with firms offering positions consistent with the student’s field of study. Course may
be repeated.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

IEN 406. Computer-Aided Manufacturing. 3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive view of manufacturing with a focus on design, automation, and the use of computers in manufacturing. The topics include
computer-aided design, communications, programmable logic controllers, CNC machining, industrial robots, process planning, and computer-
integrated manufacturing. Laboratory projects are an integral part of the course.
Prerequisite: CHM 121 or CHM 151 and PHY 221.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

IEN 407. Product Design for Manufacturing. 3 Credit Hours.
The different phases of engineering design process. Guided Iteration Methodology for product design. Topics include design for manufacturing (DFM),
best practices of product realization, solid modeling using SolidWorks, quality in design, issues in patents, liability and ethics. Engineering design
specifications, evaluation methods for design alternatives.
Prerequisite: IEN 406.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
IEN 441. Deterministic Models in Operations Research. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to deterministic mathematical models with applications to operational problems. Topics include the methodology of operations research, mathematical programming, game theory, network flow-theory, and dynamic programming. Cross-listed with MAS 441.
Prerequisite: MTH 210.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 442. Stochastic Models in Operations Research. 3 Credit Hours.
Probabilistic models in operations research. Topics include probabilistic inventory models, queuing theory, Markov chains, and probabilistic dynamic programming. Cross-listed with MAS 442.
Prerequisites: IEN 310 or ECE 310 or IEN 311 or MAS 311 and IEN 441 or MAS 441.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 465. Production and Inventory Control. 3 Credit Hours.
Production and inventory management techniques such as forecasting methods, inventory control subject to both known and uncertain demand, aggregate planning, introduction to scheduling, materials requirement planning (MRP), just-in-time (JIT) manufacturing, and introduction to scheduling are covered.
Prerequisite: IEN 310 or ECE 310 or IEN 311 or MAS 311 or equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 494. Senior Project. 3 Credit Hours.
Integration of Industrial Engineering principles and techniques in the design and improvement of production and service systems. Course includes preparation of project proposal, data collection, analysis, reporting, and formal presentations.
Prerequisite: IEN 547. And Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

IEN 501. Manufacturing Analysis and Design I. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of Production Systems stressing diagnosis of problems associated with work measurement, manufacturing methodologies, and their interaction with cost factors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

IEN 502. Manufacturing Analysis and Design II. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of production systems stressing diagnosis of problems of quality and production control, utilizing quantitative techniques and analytical methods.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

IEN 505. Robotics. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of robotics including kinematics and dynamics, trajectory planning, sensors and actuators, robotic vision, and case studies. Building your own robot is an integral part of hands-on laboratory exercises. Matlab controltoolbox and image analysis toolbox will be extensively used for design and analysis.
Prerequisite: IEN 406.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 507. Design of Manufacturing Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
State-of-the-art techniques and tools relevant to the design, analysis, and control of modern manufacturing systems. Topics include modeling of manufacturing systems, tools for manufacturing system analysis, manufacturing system planning and scheduling, and lean manufacturing systems.
Prerequisite: IEN 465.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
IEN 509. Automated Assembly. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of automated assembly including parts transfer systems and feeders, parts orientation and grasping techniques, product design for automated assembly (DFA), assembly robots, and performance and economics of assembly systems.
Prerequisite: IEN 406.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 512. Statistical Quality Control and Quality Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course addresses the concepts, theories, tools and methodologies employed in the management and improvement of quality. The course examines many of the advance topics in statistical quality control including control charts and process capability studies, acceptance sampling, as well as Quality Function Deployment (QFD) and introduction to reliability. Also covered in the course are Lean Six Sigma methodology, tools and concepts.
Prerequisite: IEN 311 or MAS 311 or IEN 312 or MAS 312.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 513. Quality Management in Service Organizations. 3 Credit Hours.
Course examines the issues of quality and productivity management in the service sector. Topics covered include the development and use of questionnaires, service industry applications of quality such as in banking, insurance, healthcare, transportation, government, public utilities, and retail trade.
Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 516. Introduction to Applied Data Analytics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on some of the most commonly-used data analytics models and covers the basics of data analytics using the open source software R (which is one of the fastest growing open source software platforms). Specific course topics include Data Preprocessing and Cleaning, Fundamentals of R (for basic data analytics tasks), Regression Analysis, Discriminant Analysis & Classification, Segmentation/Clustering, Model Tuning/Selection, Performance Measurement in Data Analytics, and Decision Making with Data. This course provides hands-on skills to engineering graduate students with performing statistical data analysis and decision-making utilizing common types of data sets.
Prerequisite: IEN 442 And IEN 312.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 524. Decision Support Systems in Industrial Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory and application of decision support systems in industrial engineering. Topics include the study of model-based, data-based, knowledge-based, and communication-based decision support systems. Emphasis is placed on the selection process of the appropriate systems for various decision problems in industrial environments.
Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 547. Computer Simulation Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Computer simulation and the development of simulation models. Application of discrete and continuous system simulation languages to systems studies is also included.
Prerequisites: IEN 442 or MAS 442.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 548. Games and Decision Making. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers fundamentals of decision theory and game theory. The course is research oriented and a significant part of the grading will be based on students’ research. Topics include optimization with multiple variables, constrained optimization, Lagrange relaxation, utility theory, decision making under uncertainty, simultaneous move (Nash) games, sequential decision making, sequential (Stackelberg) games, games with imperfect information, contracting and coordination, and bargaining. This course is composed of lectures, in-class discussions and problem solving, homework assignments, and research paper assignments.
Prerequisite: IEN 310. And IEN 441.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
IEN 554. Applied Computational Biomechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will become familiarized with current tools in the field of computational biomechanics for applications in ergonomics, sports performance, simulations of occupational activities and human movement in general. Through the presentation of case studies and the completion of assignments, students will gain hands-on experience on full-body simulation environments (e.g., OpenSim), biomechanically oriented finite elements packages (e.g., FEBio), and software for reconstruction of human anatomy from medical images (Seg3D).
Prerequisite: IEN 557. Or BME 375.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 557. Ergonomics and Human Factors Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of human capacities and limitations with emphasis on human performance in system design. Topics include design of displays and controls, workload, job design, human information processing, anthropometry, workplace design, biomechanics, task analysis, and research techniques in human factors engineering. Lecture, 3 hours.
Prerequisite: IEN 312 or MAS 312.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

IEN 568. Materials Handling and Facilities Planning. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis and design of production and service facilities, emphasis on material handling requirements. Capacity requirements, facility location, layout, storage systems and warehousing are discussed.
Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 570. Engineering Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Integrating engineering discipline into the social and economic considerations of managing systems. Tools and techniques used by engineering managers including engineering project life cycle, role playing, communication, decision-making in engineering management, and managing change in engineering organizations are discussed.
Prerequisite: IEN 311 or MAS 311 or IEN 312 or MAS 312.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 571. Engineering Entrepreneurship. 3 Credit Hours.
The conversion of technological know-how and engineering theories into business enterprises. The role of technology in creating wealth, connecting technology with market, the role and characteristics of entrepreneurs, starting a business and the business plan, innovation, industrial and service organizations, and the new business environment.
Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 572. Management of Technological Innovation. 3 Credit Hours.
Engineering, Science and Management Principles contributing to the development of a successful framework for Managing technology with an organization, nationally or internationally. The process of technological innovations, technological planning and forecasting, and socio-economic changes. Prerequisite: Senior or graduate standing.
Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

IEN 590. Special Topics in Industrial Engineering. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Sub-titles describing the topics are shown in parentheses in the class schedule, following the title "Special Topics".
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
IEN 594. Master’s Capstone Design Project. 0-3 Credit Hours.
A capstone design project for students in the five-year BSIE/MSIE program. Integration of Industrial Engineering principles and techniques in the design and improvement of production and service systems is emphasized. Offered for students in this program only.
Prerequisite: IEN 547. Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 595. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

IEN 596. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

IEN 599. Cooperative Education. 1 Credit Hour.
Practical application of classroom theory through alternating semester or summer employment with industries offering positions consistent with the student’s field of study. Course may be repeated. Periodic reports and conferences are required.
Components: LEC.
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MISSION

The Department of Industrial Engineering's mission is to provide contemporary and relevant industrial and systems engineering education and research; impart knowledge and skills necessary to design and to improve a variety of manufacturing and service processes; promote life-long learning; and contribute to emerging societal needs.

GOALS

The major goal of the Industrial Engineering program at the University of Miami is to prepare graduates to contribute to the economy by virtue of employment in a variety of industries: manufacturing (heavy and light, traditional and high technology) and service (health care, retail, transportation, logistics, government, consulting, banking, and insurance). In striving to achieve this goal, the objective of the faculty is to provide all graduates with the mathematical, scientific, and design tools required to formulate problems accurately, generate alternative solutions, evaluate those alternatives, and present the best solutions to clients or decision makers in a fashion that facilitates decision-making processes. In addition, superior students are prepared for graduate studies and research. Within the first several years following graduation from the Industrial Engineering program, graduates are expected to be:

1. Working as professionals by adding value in any one of the following sectors:
   - Service
   - Government
   - Consulting
   - Retail
   - Manufacturing

2. Pursuing or holding a graduate degree and/or developing professionally through continuing education, licensure, certification and seminars in a new area or their chosen areas of expertise.

STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES

1. An ability to identify, formulate, and solve complex engineering problems by applying principles of engineering, science, and mathematics.
2. An ability to apply engineering design to produce solutions that meet specified needs with consideration of public health, safety, and welfare, as well as global, cultural, social, environmental, and economic factors.
3. An ability to communicate effectively with a range of audiences.
4. An ability to recognize ethical and professional responsibilities in engineering situations and make informed judgments, which must consider the impact of engineering solutions in global, economic, environmental, and societal contexts.

5. An ability to function effectively on a team whose members together provide leadership, create a collaborative and inclusive environment, establish goals, plan tasks, and meet objectives.

6. An ability to develop and conduct appropriate experimentation, analyze and interpret data, and use engineering judgment to draw conclusions.

7. An ability to acquire and apply new knowledge as needed, using appropriate learning strategies.

Industrial Engineering - Engineering Management Concentration

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1 To be selected from lists of approved People and Society (PS)/Humanities and Arts (HA) (or applicable cognates). Students take a minimum of 3 courses (9 credit hours) in HA cognate and 3 courses in PS Cognate (9 credit hours).

2 Advanced Bioscience Elective is to be chosen from BIL 250, BIL 255, BIL 268, MIC 301, CHM 202, or BMB 402. Students should verify admission requirements of their medical school of interest to verify Adv. Bioscience requirements, e.g. organic chemistry II, biochemistry, or both.

3 Technical or Science Elective Lab is selected from a science lab complementing the Adv Bioscience Elective (e.g., CHM or BIL lab).

* Students planning on taking the MCAT should take BMB 401 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=BMB%20401) Biochemistry for the Biomedical Sciences as their first Adv. Bioscience Elective.

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1. HA Elective
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Minor in Industrial Engineering

A student majoring in another discipline who chooses to take a minor in Industrial Engineering must complete 15 credit hours of coursework consisting of the courses listed below. A minimum of 12 credits must be taken at the University of Miami and IEN 201 must be taken at the University of Miami. In addition, you must achieve a minimum GPA of 2.5 for the courses in the minor.

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Substitutions may be accepted with the permission of the Department Chairman except for IEN 201.

Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering

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Dept. Code: MAE

Introduction

Engineering is the art of applying the knowledge of science for the benefit of humanity. Mechanical Engineering is the most broadly based area of engineering. It is concerned with the analysis, design, development and application of equipment for such diverse fields as energy conversion, transportation, production machinery, consumer goods, and environmental control. Today’s advanced technology is largely a result of the skill of mechanical engineers who are heavily represented in most fields of modern industry.

Because of the varied careers and opportunities which are available to the Mechanical Engineering graduates, the curriculum emphasizes education in the fundamentals of the physical, mathematical, and engineering sciences, including materials science, solid mechanics, fluid mechanics and thermodynamics. These basic subjects are followed by courses in their application to the design and analysis of engineering devices and systems. Computers are utilized for analysis and design throughout the curriculum.

Aerospace Engineering is concerned with the analysis, design and development of a wide variety of aircraft and space vehicles and systems. The undergraduate aerospace engineering program is designed to provide a broad based foundation in aeronautics and astronautics, including topics such as aerodynamics, propulsion, aerospace structures and materials, flight dynamics, control and performance.
In the junior and senior years, the student is assisted in choosing technical electives in preparation for a degree of professional specialization or for further study in engineering, law, business or medicine. With the aid of an advisor and the concurrence of the department chairman, the student may select courses compatible with a variety of career goals.

The department offers two undergraduate degrees:

• Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering and
• Bachelor of Science in Aerospace Engineering.

Within the Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering program, sequences of courses are available to provide advanced knowledge in such traditional areas as electromechanical design, heat transfer, solid mechanics, fluid mechanics, and materials science. There are concentrations in:

• Aerospace Engineering and
• Internal Combustion Engines.

**Advanced Writing and Communication Skills**

Mechanical & Aerospace Engineering students satisfy the University’s Advanced Writing and Communication Skills requirement by completing a set of classroom courses, laboratory courses and design courses where they learn effective oral, graphical and technical writing skills. Mechanical & Aerospace Engineering students acquire Advanced Writing and Communication skills in the following core courses:

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**Graduate Studies**

Graduate programs leading to the degrees of Master of Science and Doctor of Philosophy are offered by the Department with options in various engineering and interdisciplinary fields. Detailed information is available in the Bulletin of the Graduate School (p. 2295).

**Dual B.S./M.S. Degrees in Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering**

• B.S. in Aerospace Engineering and B.S. in Mechanical Engineering Dual Degree (p. 1207)
• B.S. and M.S. in Mechanical Engineering (p. 1204)

**MAE 100. Introduction to Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.**

Basic principles of automobile engines and engine efficiency. Introduction to robots and controls. Basic concepts of solar engineering and solar energy utilization. Principles of fuel cells and hydrogen energy. Introduction to aerospace engineering excluding the aspects of aerodynamics, propulsion and flight dynamics. Introduction to Aerodynamics of air planes and rockets.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Summer.

**MAE 111. Introduction to Engineering I. 3 Credit Hours.**

Use of engineering tools and computer techniques for problem solving. Data acquisition, analysis, presentation, software design, and computer aided drafting are covered. Development of design skills through several design and building competitions. Introduction to professional ethics and intellectual property rights. Introduction to use of MATLAB, AutoCAD, and programming in C++.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.
MAE 112. Introduction to Engineering II. 2 Credit Hours.
Introduction to engineering design and the design process. Course topics include safety, reliability, human and environmental factors, economic analysis, and cost estimation. Professional ethics, product liability, solid modeling, machine shop orientation, and practice are also included. Group design projects.
Prerequisite: MAE 111.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAE 202. Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
Discussion of motion description and analysis, application of Newton’s laws, energy, and momentum principles to mechanical systems. Introduction to mechanical vibrations. Corequisite: PHY 205.
Prerequisite: CAE 210.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAE 207. Mechanics of Solids II. 3 Credit Hours.
Discussion of displacements, instability, flexural, shear, torsional, and principle stresses. Introduction to statically indeterminate analysis.
Prerequisite: CAE 210.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAE 241. Measurements Laboratory. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to experimental mechanical engineering. Basic principles of measurement, data interpretation, and uncertainty analysis are covered. Laboratory exercises in mechanical engineering areas are included.
Prerequisite: IEN 311 And ENG 107 Or Corequisite: MAE 207.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAE 301. Engineering Materials Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the physics and chemistry of the solid state including the structure and properties of metals, polymers, and ceramics. Corequisite: PHY 207.
Prerequisite: PHY 223 (207).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAE 302. Mechanical Behavior of Materials. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of metallurgy and mechanics to the study of the plastic deformation and fracture of metals, ceramics, and plastics.
Prerequisite: MAE 207.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAE 303. Thermodynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
Thermodynamic properties of materials; the first and second laws of thermodynamics; application to thermodynamic processes; introduction to heat transfer.
Prerequisite: PHY 222 (206) and MTH 162 or MTH 172.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAE 309. Fluid Mechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include fluid statics, fluid flow concepts, dynamics of inviscid and viscous fluids, closed and open channel flow, and compressibility effects.
Prerequisite: CAE 210 and PHY 222 (206).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MAE 310. Heat Transfer. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of elementary methods of solution to heat transfer problems involving steady and unsteady state conduction, radiation, and convection. Introduction of meaningful experimental data is also included.
Prerequisite: MAE 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAE 341. Mechanical Design I. 3 Credit Hours.
Concepts and software for kinematics, solid modeling, and project management. Fundamentals of mechanical design: stresses in and failure of mechanical elements. Individual and group design projects.
Prerequisite: MAE 202 and MAE 207.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 342. Mechanical Design II. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of the design process and creativity in design. Topics include design and reliability of gears, shafts, etc. Individual and group design projects are included.
Prerequisite: MAE 341.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 351. Mechanics Laboratory. 0-2 Credit Hours.
Exercises in the experimental determination of the mechanical properties of materials and the static and dynamic characteristics of mechanical and structural elements. Lecture, 1 hour; laboratory, 3 hours.
Prerequisite: MAE 302.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 362. Computer Analysis of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering Problems. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of physical systems behavior using discrete models. Topics include numerical analysis, solid modeling, and software evaluation. Students solve engineering problems using student-developed and existing software.
Prerequisite: MAE 111, MAE 341 and MTH 211. Corequisite: MAE 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 371. Aerodynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
Course discusses the history of flight. Topics include fundamental variables, the atmosphere, basic equations, their approximations, compressibility, viscosity, flow regimes potential flow, and aerodynamics of airfoil and wing.
Prerequisite: MAE 309.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 399. Cooperative Education. 1 Credit Hour.
Practical application of classroom theory through alternating semester or summer employment with firms offering positions consistent with the student's field of study. Course may be repeated.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAE 404. Experimental Engineering Laboratory. 0-2 Credit Hours.
Experimental analysis of problems in fluid mechanics, thermodynamics, and other areas of engineering. Lecture, 1 hour; laboratory, 3 hours.
Prerequisite: MAE 303 and MAE 309 and MAE 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MAE 408. Heating, Ventilating, and Air Conditioning. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles and procedures for the analysis and design of heating, ventilating and air conditioning (HVAC) systems, including moist air properties and conditioning processes, heating and cooling load calculations, building energy consumption, thermal comfort, and indoor air quality. Not available for students having taken MAE 405.
Prerequisite: MAE 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 412. System Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include dynamic modeling of mechanical and thermo-fluid systems. Laplace transforms, transfer functions, energy concepts, causality, linearity, linear graph models, energy transducing system elements, frequency domain methods.
Prerequisite: ECE 201 or ECE 205 and MAE 202 and MAE 309.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 415. Automatic Control. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to system theory, transfer functions, and state space modeling of physical systems. Course topics include stability, analysis and design of PID, Lead/Lag, other forms of controllers in time and frequency domains, root locus Bode diagrams, gain and phase margins, Nichols chart, Nyquist criterion, and systems with time delay.
Requisite: Senior Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 420. Applied Thermodynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MAE 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 440. Introduction to Capstone Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Lectures and classroom discussion of the design process including product safety and manufacturability. Students are required to initiate the process of designing, fabricating, testing and analyzing the data from a design project chosen by the students. The students are required to form groups to accomplish the desired objectives of the design project.
Prerequisite: MAE 303 and MAE 309.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 441. Design of Fluid and Thermal Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include thermal and fluid systems design fundamentals, piping systems, selection of pumps, piping system design practices, classification of heat exchanges. Basic design methods of heat exchange equipment is also included.
Prerequisite: MAE 309 and MAE 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAE 442. Capstone Design Project-I. 1 Credit Hour.
Lectures and classroom discussions cover (i) legal, ethical, and societal responsibilities of engineers, (ii) design factors such as product safety, reliability, life cycle costs, and manufacturability, and (iii) other aspects such as global market, contemporary issues, and continuous learning process. Students are required to select group design projects from the breadth of mechanical engineering activity and present project to serve as the basis for MAE 443.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAE 443. Capstone Design Project-II. 2 Credit Hours.
Continuation of the Capstone Design Project-I course. A mechanical system is designed, implemented, documented, and presented.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MAE 444. Capstone Aerospace Design Project-I. 3 Credit Hours.
Lectures and classroom discussions cover (i) legal, ethical and societal responsibilities of engineers, (ii) design factors such as product safety, reliability, life cycle costs and manufacturability, and (iii) other aspects such as global market, contemporary issues and continuous learning process. Students are required to select group design projects from the breadth of aerospace engineering activity and present project proposals to serve as the basis for MAE 445.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAE 445. Capstone Aerospace Design Project-II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of the Capstone Aerospace Design Project-I course. An aerospace system/subsystem is designed, implemented, documented and presented.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAE 446. Aircraft Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Concepts of aircraft design emphasizing on design layout including the airfoil geometry selection, propulsion integration, configuration layout, payload and landing gear system. Corequisite: MAE 471.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 470. Introduction to Aerospace Structures. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include mechanics of thin-walled aerospace structures, load analysis, virtual work, energy principles, stability of aerostructures, and finite element methods.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 471. Flight Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include aerodynamic performance, stability, control, propulsion systems, and structures. Case Studies of Aerospace Systems are also included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 472. Design of Aerospace Structures. 3 Credit Hours.
Design Philosophy and principles of aerospace structures. Detailed design of wing box structure, fuselage, landing gear mechanism, fasteners and structural joints. Application of composite materials.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 490. Undergraduate Research. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAE 501. Methods of Engineering Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of engineering systems in equilibrium and motion. Examples considered from mechanical, electrical, thermal and fluids engineering. Mathematical theory and computer methods for obtaining numerical solutions are developed for various cases involving discrete and continuous systems. Lecture, 3 hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 502. Vibrations. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic theory of free and forced vibrations of mechanical systems with and without damping. Applications to systems with one and several degrees of freedom are included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MAE 503. Internal Combustion Engines. 3 Credit Hours.
Course discusses engine types, characteristics, and operation. Topics include performance factors, fuel combustion, power cycles, knock and engine variables, exhaust emissions, fuel metering, compressors, and turbines.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 505. Design for Manufacturability. 3 Credit Hours.
Manufacturing concerns at design stage. Design theory and methodology. Statistical considerations in geometric dimensioning, tolerances, reliability-based design, and quality control. Producibility, design for assembly, and value engineering. Life cycle costs and optimum design using nonlinear programming and Taguchi approaches. Hands on projects on machine tools.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAE 506. Nuclear Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include a review of neutron physics, chain reactions, reactor theory, steady state operation, and reactor kinetics. Control, long term reactivity changes, materials, heat transfer, and shielding are also included. Lecture, 3 hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAE 507. Advanced Mechanics of Solids. 3 Credit Hours.
Courses discusses the basic elements of elasticity, plasticity, and viscoelasticity. Application to mechanical systems at rest and in motion are included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 508. Intermediate Heat Transfer. 3 Credit Hours.
Course discusses steady and unsteady heat transfer by conduction, convective heat transfer in laminar and turbulent fluid flow, natural convection, and heat transfer by radiation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 509. Turbomachinery Aero-thermodynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic concepts of turbo machinery principle and thermo aerodynamic design, including gas-turbine engine cycles, compressor and turbine cascade, energy transfer in turbomachines, velocity diagrams, design and prediction of axial-flow compressors and turbines, radial-flow turbomachines, etc. Prerequisite: MAE 371 And MAE 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 510. Fundamentals of Solar Energy Utilization. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals basic to the design and performance analysis of thermal systems for the capture and utilization of Solar Energy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 512. Intermediate Fluid Mechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include conservation of mass, momentum, and energy, potential flow, viscous laminar and turbulent flows, the Reynolds analogy, and Boundary-layer approximations. Gas dynamics are also discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 514. Advanced Internal Combustion Engines Experimental Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Experimental mechanical engineering as it pertains to internal combustion engines. The principal measurements necessary to analyze the operation of an internal combustion engine are covered. Emphasis is placed on experiment planning, data interpretation, and error analysis.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MAE 516. Introduction to Composite Materials. 3 Credit Hours.
Course provides an introduction to composite materials and terminology. Topics include advantages offered by composite materials, current aerospace, automotive, and bio-mechanics applications, experimental results, analytical models, and effects of impact and fatigue loads. The environment’s impact on composite materials’ performance and design procedures are discussed. Case studies examining composite materials as efficient replacements are also included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAE 521. Exhaust Emission Control. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include automotive emissions, air pollution, combustion of homogeneous mixtures, emission control systems, Federal emission standards, and emission instrumentation and measurement. Lecture, 2 hours; Laboratory, 3 hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 528. Fuel Cells. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to fuel cells, thermodynamics of fuel cells, electrochemical kinetics in fuel cells, transport phenomena in fuel cells, introduction to various types of fuel cells.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 539. Heating, Ventilating and Air Conditioning System Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include basic HVAC systems, multizone systems, dual-duct systems, terminal reheat systems, variable air volume systems, induction and induction reheat systems, special applications, hydronic systems, unitary and heat pump systems, hydronic heat recovery systems, cooling and heating load calculation duct and piping design, overall system design, and integration.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 540. Energy Conversion. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include energy conversion, utilization, present and projected consumption of energy, thermodynamic principles, nuclear energy, fission and fusion reactions, hydroelectric power, and solar energy. Alternative energy sources, the hydrogen economy, and the energy-environment-economy system are also discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 551. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAE 552. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAE 570. Aero Propulsion. 3 Credit Hours.
Definition of the atmosphere, propulsion basics, rocket fundamentals, turbine fundamentals, gas turbine cycles, component matching, math and computer models, aircraft missions, cycle section, reliability, and durability are analyzed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 590. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Subtitles describing the topics will be shown in parentheses in the class schedule, following the “Special Topics.”
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MAE 591. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Subtitles describing the topics will be shown in parentheses in the class schedule, following the "Special Topics."
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAE 592. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Subtitles describing the topics will be shown in parentheses in the class schedule, following the "Special Topics."
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAE 599. Cooperative Education. 1 Credit Hour.
Practical application of classroom theory through alternating semester or summer employment with industries offering positions consistent with the student's field of study. Course may be repeated. Periodic reports and conferences are required.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

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Mission

The mission of the Department of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering is to provide excellent undergraduate education in aerospace engineering and undergraduate and graduate education in mechanical engineering that will prepare graduates to meet Society’s changing needs and aspirations.

The mission of the Mechanical Engineering program is to provide excellent undergraduate education in Mechanical Engineering that will prepare graduates to meet society's changing needs and aspirations.

Goals

The educational objectives of the undergraduate Mechanical Engineering (B.S.M.E.) Program are to prepare graduates, within a few years after graduation, to be:

• working as a professional or as an entrepreneur in an area related to mechanical engineering, and/or
• exhibiting lifelong learning by pursuing or having completed a graduate or professional degree and/or demonstrated professional development.
Student Learning Outcomes

1. An ability to identify, formulate, and solve complex engineering problems by applying principles of engineering, science, and mathematics.
2. An ability to apply engineering design to produce solutions that meet specified needs with consideration of public health, safety, and welfare, as well as global, cultural, social, environmental, and economic factors.
3. An ability to communicate effectively with a range of audiences.
4. An ability to recognize ethical and professional responsibilities in engineering situations and make informed judgments, which must consider the impact of engineering solutions in global, economic, environmental, and societal contexts.
5. An ability to function effectively on a team whose members together provide leadership, create a collaborative and inclusive environment, establish goals, plan tasks, and meet objectives.
6. An ability to develop and conduct appropriate experimentation, analyze and interpret data, and use engineering judgment to draw conclusions.
7. An ability to acquire and apply new knowledge as needed, using appropriate learning strategies.

Mechanical Engineering - Aerospace Engineering Concentration

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The mission of the aerospace engineer is to design and manufacture payload carrying vehicles to travel distances at the lowest cost in the shortest period of time. The training of the aerospace engineer is by demand multidisciplinary and by spirit pioneering. It includes aerodynamics, propulsion, advanced materials, structures, controls, robotics, electronics and computer usage.

An option has been developed to allow students at the University of Miami to have a concentration of courses in Aerospace Engineering. This concentration in aerospace is built on the existing accredited degree program in Mechanical Engineering.

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PHY 221 | University Physics I | 3
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CAE 210 | Mechanics of Solids I | 3
ENG 107 | English Composition II: Science and Technology | 3
MTH 162 | Calculus II | 4
PHY 222 | University Physics II | 3
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### Mechanical Engineering - Internal Combustion Engines Concentration

http://www.coe.miami.edu/dept-mac/

This program is designed to acquaint the mechanical engineering student with the fundamental science and engineering underlying the design of both conventional and high performance internal combustion engines and the fundamentals of emission formation in combustion systems, automobile mechanisms and structures including vibrations and noise. Included are studies of conventional fuels and synthetic fuels of the future such as hydrogen and methanol.

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HA Cognate (HA Elective) 1 3
PS Cognate (PS Elective) 1 3
Credit Hours 18
Spring
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MAE 443 Capstone Design Project-II 2
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- MAE 111: Introduction to Engineering I  
- ENG 105: English Composition I  
- MTH 151: Calculus I for Engineers  
- PHY 221: University Physics I  

Credit Hours: 14

**Spring**  
- MAE 112: Introduction to Engineering II  
- CAE 210: Mechanics of Solids I  
- ENG 107: English Composition II: Science and Technology  
- MTH 162: Calculus II  
- PHY 222: University Physics II  
- PHY 224: University Physics II Lab  

Credit Hours: 16

#### Sophomore Year

**Fall**  
- MAE 207: Mechanics of Solids II  
- IEN 311: Applied Probability and Statistics  
- MTH 211: Calculus III  
- PHY 223: University Physics III  
- PHY 225: University Physics III Lab  
- HA Cognate (HA Elective) \(^1\)  

Credit Hours: 16

**Spring**  
- MAE 202: Dynamics  
- MAE 241: Measurements Laboratory  
- CHM 151: Chemistry for Engineers  
- CHM 153: Chemistry Laboratory for Engineers  

Credit Hours: 16

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### Junior Year

#### Fall
- **MAE 302**  Mechanical Behavior of Materials  3
- **MAE 303**  Thermodynamics  3
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### Mission

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### Goals

The educational objectives of the undergraduate Aerospace Engineering (B.S.A.S.E.) Program are to prepare graduates, within a few years after graduation, to be:
• working as a professional or as an entrepreneur in an area related to aerospace engineering, and/or
• exhibiting lifelong learning by pursuing or having completed a graduate or professional degree and/or demonstrated professional development.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

1. An ability to identify, formulate, and solve complex engineering problems by applying principles of engineering, science, and mathematics.
2. An ability to apply engineering design to produce solutions that meet specified needs with consideration of public health, safety, and welfare, as well as global, cultural, social, environmental, and economic factors.
3. An ability to communicate effectively with a range of audiences.
4. An ability to recognize ethical and professional responsibilities in engineering situations and make informed judgments, which must consider the impact of engineering solutions in global, economic, environmental, and societal contexts.
5. An ability to function effectively on a team whose members together provide leadership, create a collaborative and inclusive environment, establish goals, plan tasks, and meet objectives.
6. An ability to develop and conduct appropriate experimentation, analyze and interpret data, and use engineering judgment to draw conclusions.
7. An ability to acquire and apply new knowledge as needed, using appropriate learning strategies.

### B.S./M.S. - Mechanical Engineering

The five-year BS/MS program leads to both the B.S. degree and the M.S. degree in Mechanical Engineering in five years. The program is intended for exceptional students who are admitted to the graduate program in their junior year. Students applying for this program must have a grade point average of at least 3.0 and must attain a score of 300 or more on the Graduate Record Examination (taken before the fifth year).

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B.S. in Aerospace Engineering and B.S. in Mechanical Engineering Dual Degree

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Introduction

The Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science was established in 1943 as the Marine Laboratory of the University of Miami. It has grown from its modest beginnings in a boathouse to be one of the nation’s leading institutions for oceanographic and atmospheric research and education.

Originally a tropical marine biological facility, the Marine Laboratory initiated a program of studies leading to the Master of Science degree in 1949. In 1953, laboratory and classroom buildings were constructed on the School’s present campus on Virginia Key, and in the late fifties, the Marine Laboratory expanded its staff and developed its oceanographic capabilities in response to the increased interest in scientific research in the United States. It became the Institute of Marine Science in 1961. Ocean-going research vessels were acquired, and additional buildings were constructed to accommodate new wide-ranging projects. In 1969, the Institute, now a School, was named for Dorothy H. and Lewis Rosenstiel in recognition of a major contribution, made through the Rosenstiel Foundation, to encourage progress in the marine and atmospheric sciences at the University of Miami. In 1977, the Rosenstiel School and College of Arts and Sciences joined together to establish an undergraduate Marine and Atmospheric Science program based on the Coral Gables campus. The degree granting authority for this program was formally transferred to the Rosenstiel School in 2008.

Today the Rosenstiel School has a faculty of over 80 who conduct sponsored research while offering studies leading to the Bachelor of Science, Bachelor of Arts, Master of Arts, Master of Science, Master of Professional Science and Doctor of Philosophy degrees.

Government agencies and private organizations support basic and applied research at the Rosenstiel School. Graduate and undergraduate students are an integral part of the research effort, and research programs, many multidisciplinary in nature, provide the environment within which professors and students interact.

The Rosenstiel School has modern laboratory facilities and a state-of-the-art catamaran, named the F. G. WALTON SMITH, in honor of the founder of the Rosenstiel School.
Mission
The Rosenstiel School strives to be in the forefront of basic and applied research as it applies to the ocean, atmosphere, and global environment, with particular emphasis on subjects of societal significance. Our goal is to provide excellence in graduate and undergraduate education and research training and to be a strong force towards improved environmental understanding and management.

Academic Policies

Admission
Applications for incoming freshmen are processed and reviewed by the Office of Admission. Enrollment in the RSMAS Undergraduate Program is selective and highly competitive. Admission decisions are based on the secondary school record, SAT/ACT score, counselor’s evaluation and the applicant’s essay.

Student Responsibilities
Students of the Rosenstiel School are responsible for planning their own programs and for meeting degree requirements. It is the student’s responsibility to understand and fully comply with all the provisions set forth in this Bulletin and written changes to their program of study.

Academic Progress
The Rosenstiel School will review each student’s record at the end of each semester. All students in the RSMAS Undergraduate Program must maintain a cumulative grade point average of 2.5 or better in order to remain in the program. Only those courses passed with a grade of C- or better may be applied to the major or minor.

Honors
Honors may be earned by students who have an overall 3.5 GPA, have successfully completed MSC/GSC/ATM 412 with a written senior thesis, and have presented a poster or oral presentation of their research at a public forum such as the RSMAS Undergraduate Research Forum. MSC/GSC/ATM 412 requires completion of a minimum of 3 credits in MSC/GSC/ATM 411 or equivalent research experience approved by the program director.

Degree Programs
The Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science offers degree programs at both the undergraduate and graduate levels for students interested in marine and/or atmospheric and/or geological sciences as a career.

Undergraduate Degree Programs
The Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science offers both Bachelor of Science/Bachelor of Science in Marine and Atmospheric Science and Bachelor of Arts/Bachelor of Arts in Marine Affairs undergraduate degree options. Bachelor of Science options include Geological Sciences, Marine Biology and Ecology, Marine Science (double major), Meteorology, and Oceanography. Bachelor of Arts options include Geological Sciences and Marine Affairs.

The Bachelor of Science degree programs are meant for students planning to continue with graduate and professional studies or for those who will pursue a technical career in government, research, or private industry. The Bachelor of Arts degree programs are designed for students planning either non-technical careers with government agencies or private industries or graduate studies in such areas as business, law, economics, political science, education, or communication.

In cooperation with the graduate program, courses of study culminating in a Master of Science or Master of Professional Science are also available.

Graduate Degree Programs
Graduate courses in the marine and atmospheric sciences are offered through the Graduate School and the Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science and are listed under the Rosenstiel School graduate program entries in the Bulletin.

Courses at the 500-level may be taken for undergraduate credit with junior standing and departmental consent. These courses are listed in the course section of the undergraduate bulletin.

Requirements for Graduation
In addition to satisfying the course requirements for the different undergraduate majors, students are expected to satisfy the School’s General Education Requirements. General Education Requirements stress breadth of knowledge and the cultivation of intellectual abilities essential for the acquisition of knowledge. Courses taken for the major and minor may also be used to satisfy the General Education Requirements.

Areas of Proficiency

A) English Composition
Students must complete ENG 105 and either ENG 106 or ENG 107, or their approved equivalents, typically in the first year of residence. Students with an appropriate score on the Advanced Placement [AP] language or literature examinations, or with an appropriate score on the International
Baccalaureate [IB] higher level English examination, may earn 6 credits in English 105 and English 106. Those with an appropriate score on the SAT/V or ACT/E exams may be exempted from English 105.

**B) Communication across the Curriculum**

Students in the Rosenstiel School will, as part of their major curriculum, take courses designed to provide students with the skills required for effective communication, both written and oral, within the discipline.

**C) Mathematics**

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² Students must earn a letter grade of C- or higher in Calculus I and II. Meteorology majors must earn a letter grade of C or higher in both Calculus I and Calculus II.

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**Areas of Knowledge**

As described under the section General Education Requirements under General University Information, students must complete one cognate in each of three the Areas of Knowledge:

1. Arts and Humanities,
2. People and Society (Social Sciences) and

All undergraduate students in the Rosenstiel School will fulfill their STEM cognate requirement through their major requirements. Students in Marine Affairs will fulfill their People and Society cognate requirement through their minor. Students in Marine Science may elect to fulfill the People and
Society cognate requirement with a Marine Policy cognate. Students in Meteorology may elect to fulfill the People and Society cognate requirement with a Broadcast Meteorology cognate. Cognates integrating Study Abroad courses are also available. See program advisors for details.

**Foote Fellow Requirements**

**Cognates**
Foote Fellows are exempt from cognate requirements.

**English**
Foote Fellows with (ACT English score 18-31; or SAT Evidence-Based Reading and Writing or Critical Reading score 430-690; or TOEFL iBT Writing score 18 or above) will be required to take English Composition I and II. Foote Fellows with (ACT English score 32 or above; or SAT Evidence-Based Reading and Writing or Critical Reading score 700 or above) will be required to take English Composition II (ENG 107). Only those Foote Fellows with sufficient scores on AP/IB examinations are exempt from the English composition requirement.

**Mathematics**
All Foote Fellows must complete math requirements as specified by their program.

**Exempt courses must be replaced by courses at the 200-level or higher.**

### Atmospheric Science - Meteorology

**Dept. Code:** ATM

**Meteorology**
Meteorology is the study of the atmosphere, including climate and climate variability, weather forecasting, cloud and precipitation physics, tropical dynamics, severe weather and hurricanes. Atmospheric scientists use computer models and sophisticated observing systems to describe and understand the atmosphere. The curriculum emphasizes math and physics basics, providing a strong foundation for an intensive study of meteorology. The curriculum, conforming to the recommendations of the American Meteorological Society, prepares students for graduate school and for jobs in industry and government.

The Rosenstiel School offers a Bachelor of Science in Marine and Atmospheric Science with a major in Meteorology. The major includes a minor in Mathematics with an adequate MTH GPA.

Although Meteorology is a single major program, students often combine Meteorology with a second major in such diverse fields as Mathematics, Marine Science, or Broadcast Journalism. Interested students should read the information below and contact the Rosenstiel Undergraduate office (Ungar 210A or 305-284-2180) for details.

**Double Major Options**

**Mathematics**
The double major in Meteorology and Mathematics is intended for students who anticipate graduate study in Atmospheric Science and require a strong background in Mathematics. Interested students may find more information on the B.S.M.A.S. in Meteorology and Mathematics here (p. 1224).

**Marine Science**
The double major in Meteorology and Marine Science is intended for those students who wish to have a truly interdisciplinary career in atmospheric and marine science. Interested students may find more information on the B.S.M.A.S. in Meteorology and Marine Science here (p. 1294).

**Broadcast Journalism**
The double major in Meteorology and Broadcast Journalism is designed for Meteorology majors interested in Broadcast Meteorology. Students interested in adding Broadcast Journalism as a second major should review the School of Communication (p. 932) page for additional requirements.

**ATM 102. Introduction to Weather and Climate. 3 Credit Hours.**
The structure, physics, dynamics and thermodynamics of the atmosphere. Weather, weather forecasting, climate and climate change.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall.
ATM 103. Survey of Modern Meteorology. 3 Credit Hours.
Dynamics and thermodynamics of the atmosphere as they relate to contemporary issues in meteorology. Overview of numerical weather prediction techniques and new technologies for monitoring weather and climate. Open to all RSMAS majors and minors.
Requisite: Major or Minor in the Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science and Pre/Corequisite: MTH 108 or higher (MTH 108. Or MTH 113. Or MTH 140. Or MTH 141. Or MTH 161. Or MTH 171).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 243. Weather Forecasting. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of physical principals to weather forecasting. Use interpretation of computer-generated forecast guidance products of the U.S. Weather Service.
Prerequisite: ATM 103 or MSC 103 and MTH 108 or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ATM 244. Tropical Weather and Forecasting. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to tropical weather systems, with an emphasis on hurricanes, and syntheses of observational data and numerical model predictions to create forecasts
Prerequisite: ATM 103 and ATM 243.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 265. Atmospheric Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
ATM 265 is focused on those aspects of environmental chemistry of most relevance to meteorology students. The class fulfills the American Meteorological Society (AMS) chemistry expectations for a Bachelor’s Degree in Meteorology, and in addition, addresses further recommendations from the AMS. AMS expects knowledge of atomic structure and chemical bonding, and, of the properties of gases. Recommended ‘beyond the basics’ goals include air quality and environmental science applications.
Prerequisite: ATM 103.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ATM 303. Meteorological Instrumentation and Observation. 3 Credit Hours.
Techniques for measuring meteorological variables at the ground and in the free atmosphere.
Prerequisite: ATM 103, and PHY 101 or PHY 205 or PHY 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ATM 305. Atmospheric Thermodynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
Equation of state; water vapor and moist air thermodynamics; phase changes and latent heat; buoyancy and atmospheric convection; thermodynamic diagrams.
Prerequisite: PHY 201 or PHY 205.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 306. Advanced Principles in Broadcasting Meteorology. 3 Credit Hours.
Broadcast meteorology including the production of professional weather briefings and weather news for on camera delivery. Emphasis on accurately communicating complex meteorological concepts, use of computer graphics, and on-camera delivery.
Prerequisite: ATM 103 and ATM 243.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 307. Introduction to the Physics of Climate. 3 Credit Hours.
The Physical mechanisms which govern the earth’s climate and climate variability.
Prerequisite: ATM 305 or MSC 305.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
ATM 321. Scientific Programming in the Atmospheric Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to scientific programming in a linux environment using the FORTRAN 90/95 language with specific applications to Meteorology.  
Prerequisites: CSC 120.  
Prerequisite: CSC 120 or MSC 203.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Spring.

ATM 371. Readings in Atmospheric Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.  
Library research with faculty supervision. Bibliography to be submitted in preparation for laboratory and/or field research project. (No more than 6 credits in total from ATM371, ATM411, and ATM412 can be counted towards any of the RSMAS major or minor requirements with no more than 3 credits from each course.)  
Components: DIS.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ATM 405. Atmospheric Dynamics I. 3 Credit Hours.  
Derivation and scaling of the equations of atmospheric motion; hydrostatic and geostrophic balance; circulation and vorticity.  
Prerequisite: ATM 305 (or MSC 305) and MTH 310 or MTH 211.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Spring.

ATM 406. Atmospheric Dynamics II. 3 Credit Hours.  
Baroclinic and barotropic instability; boundary layer dynamics; mathematical principles of numerical weather prediction; maintenance of the general circulation.  
Prerequisite: MSC 405 or ATM 405.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 407. Weather Analysis. 4 Credit Hours.  
Three-dimensional analysis of synoptic-scale weather systems; application of the fundamental laws of atmospheric dynamics to observed weather patterns; practical questions of worldwide data exchange and display.  
Prerequisite: ATM 305 or MSC 305.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 409. Cloud Physics, Radiation, and Remote Sensing. 3 Credit Hours.  
Atmospheric radiation; absorption and scattering principles of remote sensing of the atmosphere; cloud microphysics; nucleation, coalescence, ice crystal growth, atmospheric electricity and lightning.  
Prerequisite: ATM 305.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Spring.

ATM 411. Research in Atmospheric Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.  
Individual, independent research projects with faculty supervision. A formal written report is required that satisfies signed contract with faculty supervisor.  
Requisite: Junior or Senior Standing.  
Components: THI.  
Grading: SUS.  
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ATM 412. Undergraduate Thesis in Atmospheric Science. 1 Credit Hour.  
Students will write a formal thesis summarizing the results of independent research carried out under faculty supervision. ATM 411 AND Senior Standing.  
Components: THI.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
ATM 511. Geophysical Fluid Dynamics I. 3 Credit Hours.
The basic equations of state, continuity, and motion. Topics include wave motions, group velocity, theory of stratified fluids and internal waves turbulence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 532. Broadcast Meteorology. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will learn the proper techniques involved in preparing and presenting a complete and professional weathercast with a heavy emphasis on communication skills, computer graphics, and on-camera delivery.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ATM 533. Atmospheric Boundary Layer. 3 Credit Hours.
The boundary layer is the lowest 1-2 km of the atmosphere, where we live. It is necessary to understand boundary layer processes to pursue research in clouds and radiation, weather and climate, air/sea/land interaction, and chemistry of the lower atmosphere. In this course, students will learn the basic physical concepts, from observational, theoretical and modeling perspectives.
Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ATM 534. Introduction to Atmospheric Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the basic principles of atmospheric chemistry. Concepts taught will include gas phase reactions, the production and destruction of ozone, aerosol size and composition.
Requisite: Senior Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ATM 536. Hurricanes. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is intended to provide a broad overview of tropical cyclones, starting from the basic structure, dynamics and thermodynamics, then expanding through to observations, modeling, forecasting and impacts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ATM 537. Natural Hazards: Atmosphere and Ocean. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide students with an understanding of natural hazards in both the atmosphere and ocean. In the atmosphere, we will explore both weather events such as storms and hurricanes and tornadoes as well as longer term phenomena such as monsoons and excess rainfall in the tropics. Oceanographically, the course will address hazards such as storm surge and flooding, rogue waves, rip currents, and tsunamis that occur on short time scales as well as the longer terms effects such as sea level rise and the impacts of El Niño and La Niña oceanographic conditions on weather conditions. Thus, the course focus is on hazards and their impacts around the globe.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ATM 553. Climate Change. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of the physical processes which regulate the earth's climate and response to forcing.
1 year of Calculus 1 year Physics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 554. Climate Variability. 3 Credit Hours.
This class will cover the physical mechanisms that govern the earth's climate and climate variability. It is intended for beginning graduate students in marine and atmospheric science, and upper-level undergraduate physical science students.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
ATM 562. Advanced Weather Forecasting. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will learn the skills needed in researching and preparing a professional weather forecast. There is a plethora of forecast resources available online. Students will learn about using these forecast resources and share resources of their own. Specifically, we will cover topics such as the basics of atmospheric meteorology, large and small scale weather forecasting, operational weather forecasting, tropical weather, severe weather, nor’easters, lake effect snow, oscillations and various other weather phenomena. During the course of the semester a couple of Guest speakers in various parts of the field will visit to discuss relevant topics.
Prerequisite: ATM 243 and ATM 305 and ATM 405.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 563. Mesoscale Meteorology and Severe Storms. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include the structure and dynamics of clouds, thunderstorms, and mesoscale convective systems, radar and satellite observations of clouds and precipitation, severe storms forecasting, mesoscale disturbances, frontal and orographic clouds, and precipitation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ATM 581. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics related to Atmospheric Sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ATM 582. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics related to Atmospheric Sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ATM 583. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics related to Atmospheric Sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ATM 584. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics related to Atmospheric Sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ATM 585. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics related to Atmospheric Sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

B.S.M.A.S. in Meteorology
Meteorology
The Bachelor of Science degree program prepares students for further graduate studies as well as for non-academic professional applications. The program follows standards established by the American Meteorological Society (AMS), emphasizing a math and physics background for understanding the physical processes governing the motion and composition of the atmosphere.
Undergraduate students are encouraged to work with the faculty and are able to earn course credit and senior theses by conducting research under the supervision of leading scientists in their field. Research encompasses atmospheric dynamics, climate science, boundary-layer processes, cloud processes, and remote sensing. Focus areas include hurricanes (modeling, data assimilation and field observations), tropical meteorology, atmosphere-ocean coupling, climate, and climate change. Many faculty are active in fieldwork.
The Bachelor of Science degree program is meant for students planning to continue with graduate studies in atmospheric science, or for those who will pursue a technical career in this area in government or private industry.
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2. 500-level courses are open to undergraduates but typically offered on the RSMAS campus. For Broadcast Meteorology double-majors and minors, the electives may be taken from the School of Communications.
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- ATM 406 Atmospheric Dynamics II 3
- ATM 407 Weather Analysis 4
- Elective #10 3
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**Credit Hours** 13

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- ATM 409 Cloud Physics, Radiation, and Remote Sensing 3
- Elective #12 3
- Elective #13 3
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**Credit Hours** 12

**Total Credit Hours** 120

*14 elective courses include:
  - 3 Arts and Humanities Cognate courses
  - 3 People and Society Cognate courses

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The educational mission of the BS degree in Meteorology at the University of Miami is to graduate students with the ability and desire to integrate knowledge of meteorology into their future careers.

**Goals**

This program strives to provide the rigor, flexibility, depth and integration to enable students to:

- Pursue a course of study that provides both depth and breadth in Meteorology and related science courses.
- Prepare themselves for public and private sector employment, graduate school, and successful careers.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Meteorology students will be able to apply concepts from physics to the atmosphere of a rotating planet, to solve basic problems.
- Students will be able to apply the basic concepts of thermodynamics to the atmosphere.
- Students will learn the structure and chemistry of the troposphere and stratosphere and apply this to air quality and environmental science applications.

**B.S.M.A.S. in Meteorology and Marine Science**

**Marine Science/Meteorology**

The Marine Science/Meteorology degree is a Bachelor of Science degree (BSMAS) that is designed to give students a strong background in the physical aspects of climate, as well as the interaction of the ocean and the atmosphere. The Meteorology curriculum follows the program guidelines established by the American Meteorological Society.

Undergraduate students are encouraged to work with the faculty and are able to earn course credit by conducting independent research under the supervision of leading scientists in their field. Research encompasses atmospheric dynamics, climate science, boundary-layer processes, cloud processes, and remote sensing. Focus areas include hurricanes (modeling, data assimilation and field observations), tropical meteorology, atmosphere-ocean coupling, climate, and climate change. Many faculty are active in fieldwork.

The Bachelor of Science double major in Marine Science/Meteorology prepares students for admission to graduate programs and for careers in teaching and research as well as for technical careers in government and private industries concerned with the oceans.
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Select 9 credit hours of approved electives in Marine Science

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| Arts and Humanities Cognate Courses | 9 |
| People and Society Cognate Courses | 9 |
| **Total Credit Hours** | **123-124** |

1. At least 6 of which must be at the 300-level or higher. MSC 204 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=MSC%20204) does not satisfy the MSC elective requirement but does satisfy the Statistics requirement.

2. Principles of Chemistry must be passed with a grade of “C-” or higher.

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The educational mission of the BS degree in Marine Science at the University of Miami is to graduate students with the ability and desire to integrate knowledge of marine science into their future careers.

Goals
Students completing this double major will be able to master a broad set of fundamental scientific knowledge in Marine Science and Meteorology, acquire valuable technical skills and learn how to apply this knowledge to real-world problems, in a time of changing climate and increasing stress on Earth’s resources and environment. The program will provide the rigor, flexibility, depth and integration to enable students to:

• Design and pursue their course of study that meets requirements of a double major in Marine Science and Meteorology
• Learn from the diverse and outstanding group of professors and researchers who are experts in their fields and have active research programs
• Undertake active research experiences, which will allow them to gain a strong understanding of the scientific process and provide them with a set of valuable experimental and computational skills
• Prepare themselves for graduate school and for successful careers in public and private industries.

Student Learning Outcomes
• Students will demonstrate an ability to communicate effectively.
• Students will develop analytical and quantitative skills to allow critical data analysis.
• Students will be able to do carry out supervised research in the field of marine science.
• Meteorology students will be able to apply concepts from physics to the atmosphere of a rotating planet, to solve basic problems.
• Students will be able to apply the basic concepts of thermodynamics to the atmosphere.

* 6 elective courses must include:
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Students will learn the structure and chemistry of the troposphere and stratosphere and apply this to air quality and environmental science applications.

**B.S.M.A.S. in Meteorology and Mathematics**

**Meteorology and Mathematics**

The Bachelor of Science degree program prepares students for further graduate studies as well as for non-academic professional applications. The program follows standards established by the American Meteorological Society (AMS), emphasizing a math and physics background for understanding the physical processes governing the motion and composition of the atmosphere.

Undergraduate students are encouraged to work with the faculty and are able to earn course credit and senior theses by conducting research under the supervision of leading scientists in their field. Research encompasses atmospheric dynamics, climate science, boundary-layer processes, cloud processes, and remote sensing. Focus areas include hurricanes (modeling, data assimilation and field observations), tropical meteorology, atmosphere-ocean coupling, climate, and climate change. Many faculty are active in fieldwork.

The Bachelor of Science degree program is meant for students planning to continue with graduate studies in atmospheric science, or for those who will pursue a technical career in this area in government or private industry.

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Mission

The mission of the Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science is to deepen our collective knowledge of our planet through cutting-edge scientific research on the oceans, atmosphere, geology, biota, and the human dimension, while training the next generation of scientists. We transfer the knowledge gained to our students, the national and international scientific community, and to policymakers and the public.

The educational mission of the BS degree in Meteorology at the University of Miami is to graduate students with the ability and desire to integrate knowledge of meteorology into their future careers.

Goals

Students completing this double major will be able to master a broad set of fundamental scientific knowledge in Meteorology and Mathematics, acquire valuable technical skills and learn how to apply this knowledge to real-world problems, in a time of changing climate and increasing stress on Earth’s resources and environment. The program will provide the rigor, flexibility, depth and integration to enable students to:

- Pursue a course of study that provides both depth and breadth in Meteorology and Mathematic courses.
- Prepare themselves for public and private sector employment, graduate school, and successful careers.
Students should gain substantial problem solving and critical reasoning skills, and they should develop an understanding of the conceptual underpinnings of mathematics and meteorology.

### Student Learning Outcomes

- Meteorology students will be able to apply concepts from physics to the atmosphere of a rotating planet, to solve basic problems.
- Students will be able to apply the basic concepts of thermodynamics to the atmosphere.
- Students will learn the structure and chemistry of the troposphere and stratosphere and apply this to air quality and environmental science applications.
- Students will acquire a solid understanding of advanced material within a mathematics "specialty path" which synthesizes and extends their lower-division work. The path is selected by the individual student depending on his/her particular interests.

### Minor in Climate Science and Policy

**Curriculum Requirements**

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** Students with a Meteorology major cannot use ATM 307 towards the minor.

*** Students from a program without a statistics requirement must also take an approved course in statistics increasing this to an 18 credit hour minor.

**** Only those courses passed with a grade of “C-” or higher may be applied to the minor. Courses used towards a minor must be above and beyond those used for the major. The Climate Science and Policy minor fulfills the requirements of the People and Society or STEM cognate.

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Approved 500-level classes offered by the Rosenstiel School

**Total Credit Hours**

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**Geological Sciences**

**Dept. Code: GSC**

Geological Sciences

Geological Sciences is concerned with Planet Earth, its origin, evolution, structure, internal and surface processes, mineral resources, environmental preservation, global dynamics, paleoclimate reconstruction, and life history. Geologists use their knowledge of chemistry, biology, physics and mathematics to solve Earth problems.

Geological Sciences undergraduates are prepared for careers in industry as well as graduate study in geosciences, the environmental sciences, and marine sciences. Career paths include research and teaching, as well as employment in the petroleum and mineral industries and in industries and government organizations concerned with energy resources, geodynamics, the marine environment, conservation, and climate change.

**Major Options**

There are three undergraduate degree options pertaining to the Geological Sciences: 1) the double major Bachelor of Science in Marine Science and Geological Sciences, 2) the Bachelor of Science in Geological Sciences, and 3) the Bachelor of Arts in Geological Sciences. Students often combine majors in the Geological Sciences with a second major or minor in diverse fields such as Anthropology, Mathematics, or Ecosystem Science and Policy. Interested students should read the information below and contact the Rosenstiel Undergraduate office (Ungar 210A or 305-284-2180) for details.

- Bachelor of Science (B.S.) in Geological Science
- Bachelor of Science (B.S.M.A.S.) Marine Science/Geological Sciences
- Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) in Geological Sciences
- Five-year Master of Science Program (M.S.)

**5 Year B.S./M.S. Program in Geological Sciences and Marine Geosciences**

A 5-year B.S. /M.S. in Geological Sciences and Marine Geosciences allows qualified students to complete a master's degree in one year of study beyond the B.S. By the beginning of their junior year students should have obtained a graduate faculty advisor, selected an approved topic for research, and begun work on their senior thesis as preparation for the M.S. In the senior year, students will increase their focus on graduate courses and work closely with their graduate faculty advisor.

Applicants must be high school seniors in the top 10% of their class, have a minimum SATI composite score of 1420 or ACT score of 31 and an unweighted GPA of 3.75. In addition to the regular Application for Admission to the University, the applicant must complete a separate application form. The application form and supporting materials must be submitted no later than November 1st of the applicant's senior year. A review of completed applications will begin by the end of November.

For further information and application forms please visit this website (https://admissions.miami.edu/undergraduate/academics/dual-degree-program/).

**GSC 101. Origin and Evolution of Planet Earth. 3 Credit Hours.**
The origin of the elements and the evolution of the universe. The formation and early evolution of the solar system. The differentiation of the earth into core, mantle, and crust. Origin of the oceans and atmosphere.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**GSC 102. Evolution of the Biosphere. 3 Credit Hours.**
The physical basis of life. The origin, early evolution, history of life on Earth. Emphasis on major crises and innovations, including the evolution of modern man.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.
GSC 103. Evolution of the Modern Earth's Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GSC 105. The Global Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
Anthropogenic effects on the Earth's environment compared to analogous natural events.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GSC 106. Geological Influences on Society. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GSC 107. Natural Disasters: Hollywood vs. Reality. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will explore the causes, effects and societal responses to disasters. We will look at a variety of natural hazards and related disasters including flooding, volcanoes, landslides, earthquakes, hurricanes, tsunami and drought. Using excerpted segments of "disaster films" in conjunction with scientific treatments, we can identify the causes, frequency, consequences, risks, and public perceptions of natural hazards.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GSC 108. The Geologic Record. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of the rock record to determine the geologic history using knowledge of rocks, minerals, fossils, and stratigraphy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GSC 109. Our Geoheritage: Geology of America’s National Parks. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to introduce the student to the geologic setting and geological processes that have contributed to the formation and evolution of America's national parks. The concept of a national park, an American concept, provides a sense of place, and as such contributes to our collective geoheritage. For international students, this course will introduce them to diverse environmental settings, physiography, and tectonic forces that have similarly affected all the landmasses of Earth. This course will focus on the fundamental geological processes that have collaborated to form the U.S. national parks.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GSC 110. The Earth System. 4 Credit Hours.
Interactions among the major components of the Earth System - the geosphere, the hydrosphere, the atmosphere, and the biosphere.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GSC 111. Earth System History. 4 Credit Hours.
Earth History, beginning with earliest origins and surveying major steps in the evolution of the geosphere, atmosphere, hydrosphere, and biosphere.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GSC 222. Earth’s Climate Past and Future. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide undergraduate students majoring in geological sciences, as well as enthusiastic non-majors, with the foundation to better understand climate change on geological to human timescales. The natural processes that control the earth's climate will be discussed, with special attention to the climate of the Holocene, and the potential influence climate may have played on human civilizations. Finally, the expected climate shifts and feedbacks will be discussed based on the outcome of climate models for the next century.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
GSC 230. Reef Systems Through Time. 3 Credit Hours.
Interacting geological, physical, chemical, biological, and climatic processes that define a reeval setting and system. Field trips included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GSC 231. Field Studies in Earth Systems. 2 Credit Hours.
Field Study of Earth systems through geologic time. Hands-on investigation of the geologic record to reveal Earth's past environments, climates, and life.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GSC 240. Introduction to Marine Geology. 3 Credit Hours.
Learn about the origin, structure and evolution of the ocean basins and their margins, including interpretation of the paleo-archives hidden on the seafloor. The course material is necessarily broad, covering marine geography, plate tectonics, active and passive margins, coastal and ocean processes, sediment processes, continental margin and seafloor resources, and climate and ocean history and interactions. Our approach will be interdisciplinary, requiring integration of chemical, physical and biological systems, as well as geologic processes. A special emphasis will be placed on learning to read the sediment record as an archive of information on biologic and climate evolution.
Prerequisite: GSC 110 or GSC 111.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GSC 260. Earth Materials. 4 Credit Hours.
Physical and optical properties of common rock-forming minerals and their occurrence in igneous, metamorphic, sedimentary rocks, and ore deposits. Lecture, 3 hours; laboratory, 4 hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GSC 309. Microbes and the Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide students in geology, biology and environmental science a fundamental understanding of the role microbes play in shaping the Earth and its environments as well as the basic principles and approaches to studying these interactions in both modern and ancient settings. The metabolic diversity displayed by microbial communities makes them an integral component of global elemental cycles. In this regard, microorganisms have shaped our planet over the past 4 billion years and continue to do so in a very prominent way. The goal of this course is to learn about microbial diversity and metabolism, and the ability of microbes to shape and influence the environment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GSC 311. Field Studies in Geologically Active Landscapes. 2 Credit Hours.
Field studies in volcanic and other tectonically active areas, with attention to driving processes and human impacts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GSC 360. Depositional and Diagenetic Systems. 4 Credit Hours.
Sedimentary processes, sedimentology, and sedimentary diagenesis. Physical, biological and chemical sedimentation in Earth’s surficial environments. Paleoenvironmental and diagenetic history reconstruction using petrologic, hand specimen, and field methods. Cyclicity in sedimentary systems. Lecture, 3 hours; field/ laboratory, 3 hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GSC 371. Readings in Geological Sciences. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Library research with faculty supervision. Bibliography to be submitted in preparation for laboratory and/or field research project. (No more than 6 credits in total from GSC371, GSC411, and GSC412 can be counted towards any of the RSMAS major or minor requirements with no more than 3 credits from each course.)
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
GSC 380. Paleontology and Stratigraphy. 4 Credit Hours.
Biostratigraphy, paleoecology, taphonomy, micro- and macro-evolutionary processes, and physical and chemical methods used for stratigraphic
correlation. Major groups of invertebrate phyla comprising the bulk of the fossil record. Lecture, 3 hours; laboratory, 2 hours.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Spring.

GSC 401. Senior Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
Field and laboratory studies conducted in conjunction with an approved academic environmental or industrial research laboratory or agency.

Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GSC 410. Environmental Geochemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Natural distribution of the elements on earth, and how this is being changed. Radioactivity and energy, greenhouse warming and ozone depletion,
water and waste and other environmental problems.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GSC 411. Research in Geological Sciences. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual, independent research projects with faculty supervision. A formal written report is required.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
 Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GSC 412. Thesis in Geological Sciences. 1 Credit Hour.
Students will write a formal thesis summarizing the results of independent research carried out under faculty supervision.

Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GSC 420. Geophysics. 3 Credit Hours.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Spring.

GSC 424. Origin and Geology of the Galapagos Islands. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the origin and geology of volcanic oceanic islands, using the Galapagos Islands as a natural laboratory. Though all share a
common origin in, plate tectonic theory, each island presents a host of environments that originate in the processes of volcanic action, erosion and
hydrology. Individual islands therefore develop distinctive ecosystems within which organisms interact and evolve. The emphasis of this course will be
to lay out the underlying geological processes that have led to the formation of the islands and to their present state, and to explore through daily field
excursions a wide suite of volcanic features displayed on Isabela Island.
Prerequisite: GSC 110.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GSC 440. Petrology. 4 Credit Hours.
Genesis and classification of igneous and metamorphic and sedimentary rocks, field relationships of rock assemblages and results of recent
laboratory investigations. Identification of common rock types in hand specimens and by thin-section and X-ray diffraction techniques. Lecture, 3
hours; laboratory, 3 hours.
Prerequisite: GSC 260.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Spring.

GSC 462. Earth's Ancient Atmospheres, Climates, and Sea Levels. 3 Credit Hours.
The Earth's atmospheres, climates, and sea level from the early Pre-Cambrian to present. Focus is placed on how the study of Earth's past is relevant
to both modern and future climate change.
Prerequisite: GSC 110 and GSC 111.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Spring.
GSC 480. Structural Geology. 4 Credit Hours.
Behavior of rock materials; analysis, description and classification of geologic folds, faults, joints; analysis of rock fabrics; tectonic and geologic history of continents and continental margins. Lecture, 2 hours; laboratory, 2 hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GSC 482. Field Methods. 2 Credit Hours.
Field and laboratory exercises in mapping; interpretation of aerial and satellite imagery, coring, rock description, and stratigraphic interpretation. Course meets most Saturdays.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GSC 550. Hydrogeology. 3 Credit Hours.
Explore the cycling of water in the Earth’s hydrosphere with a focus on geological, physical and chemical aspects of surface and sub-surface reservoirs and processes. Topics include climate change and other challenges facing the hydrologist in ensuring adequate availability and quality of water through exploring and developing new resources and managing and protecting existing ones.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GSC 561. Communicating Geoscience. 2 Credit Hours.
Evaluate the scientific works of others, both oral and written, and work on developing the skills to clearly and concisely present your own work and ideas as a geoscientist. Discuss career opportunities and prepare to move forward toward a career in the Earth sciences.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GSC 580. Summer Field Geology. 4 Credit Hours.
An intensive four-week summer field laboratory study of modern geological processes and ancient rock sequences. Mapping, description and interpretation of rock and structural sequences, paleoenvironmental reconstruction, interpretation of tectonic history. Reports required. Touring course. Travel fee required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

GSC 581. Summer Field Environmental Geology. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

GSC 582. Field Studies. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Conducted field trips to selected geological sites in the United States and abroad. Report required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

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Goals
In a time of increasing stress on Earth’s resources, land, oceans and environment, we strive to train our students in both the fundamentals of the Geological Sciences and natural systems and also the global environmental stresses facing Earth and society. In addition to the basic classroom and hands-on education in the various aspects of the Geological Sciences, we focus on preparing our undergraduate students in three critical areas: extensive field training and research to give students competence in dealing with the complexities of the real world; training in written and oral communication to give them competence in sharing their accumulating knowledge with their peers and also with the public; and an understanding of how increased human population and resource use is affecting Earth’s climate, environment and future character.

Student Learning Outcomes
- Students will demonstrate a strong knowledge base in the basics of geological sciences materials, history and processes (as provided in our GSC 110, 111, and 260 courses).
- Students will demonstrate a competent knowledge base in the following advanced sub-disciplines of geological sciences: sedimentology, stratigraphy, structural geology, paleontology/paleoecology, geochemistry, geophysics, and petrology.
- Students will demonstrate research competence in supervised research projects through course, employment, and/or a Senior Thesis.
- Students will demonstrate a competence in application of their geological sciences knowledge to field research applications, including mapping, sequence analysis, paleo-environmental reconstruction, structural/tectonic history, and process reconstruction.
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- ENG 105 English Composition I 3
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3. Approved minors are Anthropology (p. 161), Biology (p. 226), Chemistry (p. 244), Climate Science and Policy (p. 1227) Computer Science (p. 283), Ecosystem Science and Policy (p. 327), Mathematics (p. 469), Marine Policy (p. 1260), Marine Science (p. 1310), Meteorology (p. 1228), and Physics (p. 578).

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- **CHM 121**
  - Principles of Chemistry
  - 4
- **CHM 113**
  - Chemistry Laboratory I
  - 1
- **Minor Course #2**
  - 3
- **PS Course #1**
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#### Spring
- **GSC 440**
  - Petrology
  - 4
- **MSC 204**
  - Environmental Statistics
  - 3
- **HUM Course #2**
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- **Elective #1**
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#### Credit Hours
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### Junior Year

#### Fall
- **GSC 360**
  - Depositional and Diagenetic Systems
  - 4
- **PHY 201**
  - University Physics I for the Sciences
  - 4
- **PHY 106**
  - College Physics Laboratory I
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- **Minor Course #3**
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#### Spring
- **GSC 231**
  - Field Studies in Earth Systems
  - 2
- **GSC 380**
  - Paleontology and Stratigraphy
  - 4
- **GSC 482**
  - Field Methods
  - 2
- **PHY 202**
  - University Physics II for the Sciences
  - 4
- **PHY 108**
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- **PS Course #2**
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#### Summer
- **GSC 580**
  - Summer Field Geology
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#### Credit Hours
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### Senior Year

#### Fall
- **MGS 514**
  - Geophysics
  - 3
- **GSC 561**
  - Communicating Geoscience
  - 2
- **Minor Course #4**
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#### Spring
- **GSC 480**
  - Structural Geology
  - 4
- **GSC 411**
  - Research in Geological Sciences
  - 3
- **MGS 513**
  - Introductory Geochemistry
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The educational mission of the BS degree in Geological Sciences at the University of Miami is to graduate students with the ability and desire to integrate knowledge of geological science into their future careers.

Goals
In a time of increasing stress on Earth’s resources, land, oceans and environment, we strive to train our students in both the fundamentals of the Geological Sciences and natural systems and also the global environmental stresses facing Earth and society. In addition to the basic classroom and hands-on education in the various aspects of the Geological Sciences, we focus on preparing our undergraduate students in three critical areas: extensive field training and research to give students competence in dealing with the complexities of the real world; training in written and oral communication to give them competence in sharing their accumulating knowledge with their peers and also with the public; and an understanding of how increased human population and resource use is affecting Earth’s climate, environment and future character.

Student Learning Outcomes
• Students will demonstrate a strong knowledge base in the basics of geological sciences materials, history and processes (as provided in our GSC 110, 111, and 260 courses).
• Students will demonstrate a competent knowledge base in the following advanced sub-disciplines of geological sciences: sedimentology, stratigraphy, structural geology, paleontology/paleoecology, geochemistry, geophysics, and petrology.
• Students will demonstrate research competence in supervised research projects through course, employment, and/or a Senior Thesis.
• Students will demonstrate a competence in application of their geological sciences knowledge to field research applications, including mapping, sequence analysis, paleo-environmental reconstruction, structural/tectonic history, and process reconstruction.
• Students will demonstrate the ability to communicate their scientific knowledge and findings orally and in writing both at the professional scientific level and in lay terms.

B.S.M.A.S. in Marine Science / Geological Sciences

Marine Science/Geological Sciences
The Marine Science/Geological Sciences degree is a Bachelor of Science degree (BSMAS) that is designed to give students a strong background in the study of the origin of the Earth and its oceans, and the ongoing processes of geophysical and geochemical change.

Undergraduate students are encouraged to work with the faculty and are able to earn course credit by conducting independent research under the supervision of leading scientists in their field. Research at UM focuses on carbonate sedimentology of the Florida reef tract, stable isotope geochemistry and micropaleontology of deep ocean cores to reconstruct paleoclimate, tectonic processes (volcanoes and earthquakes), and the impact of rising sea level on coastal systems.

The Bachelor of Science double major in Marine Science/Geological Sciences prepares students for admission to graduate programs and for careers in teaching and research as well as for technical careers in government and private industries concerned with the oceans.

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One course in Geological Sciences may fulfill requirements in both Marine Science and Geological Sciences.

Principles of Chemistry must be passed with a grade of "C-" or higher.

Calculus I must be passed with a grade of "C-" or higher.

Option 1 is recommended for Physics.

### Suggested Plan of Study

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* 6 elective courses must include:
  - 3 Arts and Humanities Cognate courses
  - 3 People and Society Cognate courses

1 Students must take one laboratory from MSC 232 or MSC 302.

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**Goals**

Students completing this double major will be able to master a broad set of fundamental scientific knowledge in Marine Science and Geology, acquire valuable technical skills and learn how to apply this knowledge to real-world problems, in a time of increasing stress on Earth’s resources and environment. The program will provide the rigor, flexibility, depth and integration to enable students to:

- Design and pursue their course of study that meets requirements of a double major in Marine Science and Geology.
- Learn from the diverse and outstanding group of professors and researchers who are experts in their fields and have active research programs.
- Undertake active research experiences, which will allow them to gain a strong understanding of the scientific process and provide them with a set of valuable experimental and computational skills.
- Prepare themselves for graduate school and for successful careers in public and private industries.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Students will demonstrate an ability to communicate effectively.
- Students will develop analytical and quantitative skills to allow critical data analysis.
- Students will be able to do carry out supervised research in the field of marine science.
Minor in Geological Sciences

Overview
The Geological Sciences minor introduces student to the study of the Earth and its ocean, and the ongoing processes of geophysical and geochemical change.

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* The minor in Geological Sciences consists of 17 credit hours in courses numbered 110 or higher.
** A minimum grade of "C-" must be earned in each course with an overall GPA of 2.0.

Marine Affairs

Dept. Code: MSC

Marine Affairs
The ocean is acquiring an ever-increasing significance as an avenue of worldwide commerce and communication and as a source of food, energy, minerals and fuels. As nations and private concerns become more involved in the ocean, the need increases for qualified professionals to deal with the social, cultural, economic, and legal complexities of marine affairs. In order to meet this need, the Rosenstiel School offers a Bachelor of Arts degree with a major in Marine Affairs combined with a required minor or additional major in Anthropology, Economics, Ecosystem Science and Policy, Geography, International Studies, Latin American Studies, Political Science, an approved field within the Miami Herbert Business School, or approved field within the School of Education and Human Development. Students in the School of Communication may include Marine Affairs as a second major. This program is designed for students who wish to prepare themselves for graduate studies and careers in ocean related areas of business, policy, management, law, and communication.

5 Year BA/MPS Program in Marine Ecosystems and Society
The Rosenstiel School offers a 5 year BA/Master of Professional Science (MPS) Program in Marine Ecosystems and Society. This program enables qualified Marine Affairs students to earn a Bachelor of Arts in Marine Affairs in four years with the opportunity to earn a Master of Professional Science in Marine Ecosystems and Society in one additional year. Conditional acceptance to the graduate Marine Ecosystems and Society program is based on the student's GPA at the end of the sophomore year. Students must then apply for acceptance to the graduate program at the Rosenstiel School during their junior year.

MSC 101. Survey of Oceanography. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the oceans and their significance to mankind, encompassing geological, physical, chemical, and biological processes; man's role in and on the sea, including fisheries, pollution, and ocean management. Not for major or minor.
NOT FOR ANY MSC STUDENT MAJOR OR MINOR.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MSC 102. Introduction to Weather and Climate. 3 Credit Hours.
The structure, physics, dynamics and thermodynamics of the atmosphere. Weather, weather forecasting, climate and climate change. Not for major or minor.
NOT FOR ANY MSC STUDENT MAJOR OR MINOR.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MSC 103. Survey of Modern Meteorology. 3 Credit Hours.
Dynamics and thermodynamics of the atmosphere as they relate to contemporary issues in meteorology. Overview of numerical weather prediction techniques and new technologies for monitoring weather and climate. Open to all RSMAS majors and minors.
Requisite: Major or Minor in the Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science and Pre/Corequisite: MTH 108 or higher (MTH 108. Or MTH 113. Or MTH 140. Or MTH 141. Or MTH 161. Or MTH 171).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 104. Molecules of Life. 3 Credit Hours.
Molecules of Life explores the modern science of biological molecules, which occurs at the intersection of chemistry, biology, and medicine. We examine the major molecular components of the cell--proteins, nucleic acids, lipids, etc.--and illustrate the role of chemical principles in understanding their structure and function. Not for major or minor.
NOT FOR ANY MSC STUDENT MAJOR OR MINOR.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 105. Shark Behavioral Ecology & Conservation Semester. 3 Credit Hours.
SUMMER SCHOLARS PROGRAM ONLY. In this course, students will learn core concepts in shark behavioral ecology and key aspects of shark biology needed for the holistic understanding and study of shark behavioral ecology and conservation. NOT FOR MAJOR OR MINOR.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

MSC 106. Marine Mammal Biology and Conservation. 3 Credit Hours.
SUMMER SCHOLARS PROGRAM ONLY. The purpose of this class is to provide an introductory overview of basic biological concepts relevant to marine mammal taxonomy, physiology, natural history, behavior, and threats/conservation. This class will be dynamic, involving lectures, discussions, review of primary literature, career guidance, guest lectures, videos/movies, and field trips. NOT FOR MAJOR OR MINOR.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

MSC 107. Life in the Sea. 3 Credit Hours.
Lectures provide an introduction to the plants and animals of the sea, including plankton, nekton and the benthos, with anthropogenic impacts. Not for major or minors.
NOT FOR ANY MSC STUDENT MAJOR OR MINOR.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 108. Environmental Oceanography. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will focus on environmental issues facing the oceans today, including global climate destabilization, the impact of population growth on coastal environments, marine pollution, and the state of marine fisheries. An active learning approach will be adopted, with emphasis on case studies and critical analysis. Marine environmental issues will be presented in self-contained analytical exercises. Basic math needed to quantify environmental issues will be introduced. Information and questions on sustainability will be integrated throughout the course and students will be asked to think critically about these pressing concerns. Not for major or minor.
NOT FOR ANY MSC STUDENT MAJOR OR MINOR.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 111. Introduction to Marine Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Geological, physical, chemical and biological processes of the world’s oceans. The role of the oceans in global dynamics and man's role in and on the sea, including fisheries, pollution and ocean management. Enrollment limited to Marine Science/Marine Affairs majors and minors. Lecture and discussion, 3 hours. Field trips.
Requisite: Marine Science Major or Minor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSC 112. Introduction to Marine Science Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory and field exercises to accompany Marine Science.
Pre/Corequisite: MSC 111. And Marine Science Major or Minor.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 115. Tropical Marine Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
A field and lecture study of selected marine environments around South Florida, with emphasis on the interaction between organisms and the geological, physical, and chemical environment. Summer Scholars Program Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Summer.

MSC 121. Ocean Currents. 3 Credit Hours.
Ocean Currents will be a comprehensive, multi-disciplinary course on the history, geography, socio-economics, and physics of ocean currents. The importance of ocean currents to socioeconomics, weather, climate, transport of fish larvae and pollutants, distribution of plankton and fish, military operations, and shipping will be illustrated using many examples. The history of ocean current observations, detailed maps of ocean circulation and its variability, and the evolution of instruments, and theories from ancient to modern times will be detailed. The discovery and the most important observations of the major ocean currents will be discussed. There will be also lectures on modern ocean circulation theory. NON-MSC MAJORS ONLY For non- MSC majors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSC 172. Special Topics in Marine Science. 2-6 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in class schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSC 180. Seminar in Marine Science. 1 Credit Hour.
Seminar in current research as conducted by Marine Science faculty and graduate students. This course is intended as an introduction for first year students to contemporary research topics.
Pre/Corequisite: MSC 111.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
 Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSC 190. Studies in Marine Science. 1-5 Credit Hours.
For transfer courses taken at other institutions that have no direct equivalents at UM
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MSC 191. Studies in Marine Policy. 1-5 Credit Hours.
For transfer courses taken at other institutions that have no direct equivalents at UM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MSC 203. Foundations of Computational Marine Science. 4 Credit Hours.
The course provides a basic introduction to Computational Marine Science. The course will use Python as a programming language and will illustrate its use in problem solving and exploratory data analysis in the Marine Sciences. Programming topics covered include the language syntax and construct, variables, flow control, functions, software design and object-oriented programming.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 204. Environmental Statistics. 3 Credit Hours.
This introductory course provides an overview of parametric and nonparametric statistics with an emphasis on applications in the analysis of environmental data. (Not open to students with credit in BIL311 or equivalent).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSC 205. Mathematical Methods for Marine Science. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is meant to provide students with the mathematical tools required to pursue advanced topics in Marine Science. Not available for credit for students with major or minor in Mathematics.
Prerequisite: MTH 162 Or MTH 172 And MSC 111.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 215. Chemical Oceanography. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the chemistry of the oceans. Descriptive chemical oceanography of the components of ocean waters (metals, gases, organic compounds and nutrients). Biogeochemical cycles in oceanic systems.
Prerequisite: MSC 111 and (CHM 112 or CHM 121).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSC 216. Chemical Oceanography Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Chemical and physical methods in chemical oceanography. Analytical and instrumental techniques used to determine density, salinity, chlorinity, dissolved oxygen, nutrients and components of the carbonate system. Corequisite: MSC 215.
Pre/Corequisite: MSC 215 and Prerequisite: CHM 113.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSC 217. Physical and Chemical Processes in Coastal Ecosystems. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is primarily intended for students enrolled in the Marine Affairs program to serve as an introduction to the role of physical and chemical processes in estuarine and coastal ecosystems in the context of the management of estuarine and coastal waters. Students will provide reviews of case studies in preparation for future management decisions that will require knowledge of coastal physical and chemical processes. Prerequisites: MSC 111 AND MSC 230.
Prerequisite: MSC 111 and MSC 230 and (CHM 111 or CHM 121).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 218. Biological Oceanography. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will examine energy flow in marine ecosystems, the biogeochemical cycles that control them, the wide variety of types of communities and ecosystems in different parts of the ocean, and the changes they have undergone over geological timescales.
Prerequisite: MSC 111.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 220. Climate and Global Change. 3 Credit Hours.
The Earth's climate system and the role of natural and anthropogenic processes in shaping climate change.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSC 222. The Earth's Climate: Past and Future. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide undergraduate students majoring in geological sciences, as well as enthusiastic non-majors, with the foundation to better understand climate change on geological to human timescales. The natural processes that control the earth's climate will be discussed, with special attention to the climate of the Holocene, and the potential influence climate may have played on human civilizations. Finally, the expected climate shifts and feedbacks will be discussed based on the outcome of climate models for the next century.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSC 230. Introduction to Marine Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: (BIL 150 or BIL 160) and (CHM 111 or CHM 121).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSC 232. Introduction to Marine Biology Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Ecology, physiology, and behavior of marine organisms in south Florida marine habitats.
Pre/Corequisite: MSC 230. or BIL 230. and Prerequisite: BIL 151 or BIL 161.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 240. Introduction to Marine Geology. 3 Credit Hours.
The principal marine geological environments of the world, their substrate, their sediments, their flora and fauna, and their evolution through time.
Prerequisite: GSC 110 Or GSC 111 Or permission of instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 300. Water Resources: History, Management, and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of the issues and problems surrounding the management of aquatic resources in the broadest sense including water quality of natural waters, drinking water, water pollution, water quantity and supply issues, watershed management, wetland protection, and coastal management.
We will explore the available strategies to wisely manage the various aquatic resources, policy options and their socio-economic aspects, legal frameworks, and institutional arrangements.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSC 301. Introduction to Physical Oceanography. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of the laws of physics to the study of the properties and circulation of the world's oceans and atmosphere.
Prerequisite: MSC 111. And MTH 162. Or MTH 172.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSC 302. Introduction to Physical Oceanography Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory exercises and field work on basic fluid mechanics applicable to the ocean. These include buoyant convection and double diffusion, methods for measuring flows, gravity wave experiments in the lab and field, diffusion studies and rotating tank investigations as an analog for planetary flows.
Prerequisite: MSC 301 or ATM 405. Or Co-requisite: MSC 301 or ATM 405.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 310. Living Resources of the Ocean. 3 Credit Hours.
Marine fish and shellfish of major commercial and recreational value: biology, techniques of harvesting, and resource management.
Prerequisite: MSC 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 313. Coastal Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic doctrines and public policy related to the use and regulation of the United States coastal zone and seabed.
Junior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 314. Ocean Law. 3 Credit Hours.
The principles of international ocean law regarding ocean management; ocean delimitation and issues of environmental ocean regulation within international legal framework.
Junior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MSC 316. Global Primary Production. 3 Credit Hours.
Photosynthesis supports the vast majority of life on planet earth. This course reviews the magnitude and the processes that shape primary production in terrestrial, oceanic, and freshwater habitats. It includes the fate of primary production in the earth's biomes, and the role of terrestrial and aquatic productivity in regulating, and responding to, variable climate.
Prerequisite: BIL 160.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSC 317. Earth’s Biogeochemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Outstanding features of planet Earth, including its vast oceans, climate and atmosphere, are strongly impacted by life. Scientists investigate these impacts, such as ocean acidification, variable atmospheric CO2 concentrations, coastal anoxia, and permafrost melting, through their biogeochemical dynamics. The first part of the course covers the relevant microbial and chemical reactions that occur in the atmosphere, on land, in freshwaters and in the oceans. The second part links this mechanistic understanding to a large-scale, synthetic view of global biogeochemical cycles. These are considered in the context of global change.
Prerequisite: CHM 112 or CHM 121.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSC 318. Ecological Genetics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide a thorough understanding of genetics (allele frequencies, heritability, recombination, QTL, the effect of migration and demography). Pre-requisites: BIL150/151 AND BIL160/161
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 160 and BIL 151 or BIL 152 or BIL 153 and BIL 161 or BIL 162.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 319. Research Fundamentals. 1 Credit Hour.
Research Fundamentals will provide an introduction to academic research methods including basic laboratory techniques, data analysis, and scientific communication. Students will read the primary literature and both analyze data and communicate results using multiple formats. The course emphasizes active learning (discussions, working with peers, writing, etc.) and is directed toward early stage undergraduate students interested in pursuing research.
Pre/Corequisite: MSC 111.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 321. Scientific Programming in the Atmospheric Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to scientific programming in a linux environment using the FORTRAN 90/95 language with specific applications to Meteorology.
Prerequisite: CSC 120.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 323. Invertebrate Zoology. 4 Credit Hours.
Biology of invertebrates, with emphasis on tropical and subtropical marine forms. Field work and combined lecture-laboratory sessions.
Prerequisite: MSC 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 324. Biology of Fishes. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics on the ecology and physiology of fishes. Lectures on reproduction, respiration, osmoregulation, sense systems, hormonal control.
Prerequisite: MSC 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSC 325. Biological Oceanographic Techniques. 3 Credit Hours.
Field sampling for plankton biomass and productivity; benthic biomass, and of selected physical parameters. Applications of molecular techniques and remote sensing to oceanographic problems.
Prerequisite: MSC 230.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MSC 326. Marine Genomics. 4 Credit Hours.
This course integrates lectures, discussions and research on genomics to understand the demography and evolutionary processes affecting populations. This research intensive course uses genomic data to better understand the health of species and ecological communities. This course is part of Saltwater Semester so that students can be actively involved in intensive research. As part of the Saltwater Semester, students are required to enroll in four of the 4-credit Saltwater Semester courses (16 credits) where each course meets for 3 weeks at the Marine campus.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 160 And MSC 230 Or BIL 230 And Corequisite: MSC 463 and MSC 466 and MSC 467.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 328. Introduction to Aquaculture. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide an introduction to the field of aquaculture, which represents one of the fastest growing industries in food production in the worlds and is a field that offers exciting job opportunities in science, business, marketing, resource management, and socioeconomics. This course will provide students with a sound background in aquaculture prior to engaging in higher-level courses in this field.
Prerequisites: MSC 111 and MSC 230 or Co-requisite: MSC 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MSC 329. Marine Vertebrate Zoology. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will be a comprehensive examination of the form and function of the vertebrate lineage of marine animals from early chordates to the evolution of cartilaginous and bony fish and the emergence of tetrapods, those that evolved from marine ancestors and have since returned to the seas. A comparative point of view will be used to assess the anatomy and physiology of each taxonomic group as well as behavioral and ecological adaptations related to their life history. Specifically, the course will cover the emergence of the vertebrate body plan and the evolution of fish from agnathans through modern teleosts, as well as the tetrapod lineage of marine reptiles, marine birds, and marine mammals. We will examine critical points in vertebrate evolution where genome-wide duplication events occurred as well as instances of convergent evolution in various lineages.
Prerequisite: MSC 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MSC 333. Ocean Human Health. 3 Credit Hours.
The focus of this course is on the present, future, and potential effects of oceanic processes and marine organisms on human health and wellbeing and on human impacts on the marine environment.
Prerequisite: MSC 230 or BIL 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 340. Ocean Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of ocean policy issues in US fisheries, marine conservation and marine protected areas, marine pollution, coastal management and regulation of offshore oil and gas activities.
Prerequisite: MSC 111 and MSC 313 or MSC 314 and Junior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 341. Sunken Ships and Submerged Sites: An Introduction to Underwater Archaeology. 3 Credit Hours.
The course serves to provide an overview of underwater archaeology, covering general concepts, methods, field techniques, time periods and their associated unique sites and discoveries, as well as an introduction to professional application in preservation, management, and how popular media plays a role in public education and outreach. Note: There is no SCUBA diving component to this class.
Prerequisite: MSC 111 AND Junior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 342. Decision Making and the Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
A basic, critical appreciation of interdisciplinary decision theory as applied to natural resources management. Specific goals include comprehension of: decision making under uncertainty, evolutionary social science, managing common pool resources, and behavioral economics.
Junior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MSC 345. Economics of Natural Resources and the Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive overview of the economics of national, international, and global environmental problems. A unifying theme throughout is sustainable development defined as "maximizing the net benefits of economic development while maintaining the services and quality of natural resources over time". We will use economic reasoning to examine causes and consequences of environmental and resource problems, and measures for dealing with them.
Prerequisite: ECO 211.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 346. Climate Science and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
The scientific evidence for, and the projected consequences of, climate change. The political and geo-engineering responses to the problem.
Prerequisite: MSC 111. Or ATM 103. Or ECS 111. And Requisite: Junior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 347. Polar Science and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will address the physical, chemical, and biological properties of the polar oceans, atmosphere, and coastal regions. The interactions between ocean, ice, atmosphere, and land will be discussed in detail, not only in terms of local relationships, with cross-disciplinary linkages, but also with emphasis on the influence the Polar Regions exert on the global climate, biogeochemical cycles, ecosystems and local human populations.
Prerequisite: MSC 111 and MSC 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 350. Survey of Marine Mammals. 3 Credit Hours.
The biology, physiology, natural history, behavior, and conservation of marine mammals.
Prerequisite: MSC 230 or BIL 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 351. Climate, Oceanography, and Biogeography of the Galapagos. 3 Credit Hours.
This course and its companion describe the climate, oceanography of the Galapagos Islands, and explore the ways the physical environment has influenced biodiversity on the islands. This field intensive course sequence is part of the Galapagos semester abroad program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 352. Biophysical Dynamics in the Ocean: Biogeography and Evolution of the Galapagos. 3 Credit Hours.
Course expands aspects of bio-physical description of the Galapagos in comparison with other systems. Emphasis on identification of flow regimes in various settings based on winds and buoyancy forcing and characterization of the resulting biological niches. Analysis focuses on scales and components of the resulting biogeography. Biological aspects covered include bioenergetics and reproduction in relation to their role in evolution. This field intensive course sequence is part of the Galapagos semester abroad program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 355. Limnology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an introduction to the physical, chemical, and biological properties of freshwater ecosystems. It is intended as an upper level course for juniors and seniors. It emphasizes the ecological process of lakes, rivers, and to less extent, streams. The role of watershed processes is considered in the context of management of rivers and estuaries. Case studies integrate the scientific understanding of freshwater ecosystem function with management decisions. Applied aspects of freshwater systems are included.
Prerequisite: MSC 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MSC 364. Life in Moving Fluids. 3 Credit Hours.
The physical characteristics of air and water are described in relation to various flow phenomena that play a part in life functions. Adaptations of form and function reflect the very different properties of the media (air and water) of terrestrial and aquatic life. Energy conversion and transfer limit form and function and enable a wide variety of survival strategies.
Prerequisite: MSC 230 Or BIL 360.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 365. Tropical Coastal Ecosystems: Lab and Field Methods. 1 Credit Hour.
This course will provide students with the theory and application of field sampling methods used to document status and trends in the health of coral reef, seagrass, and mangrove ecosystems. Students will learn about sampling theory, sampling methods, sampling equipment, and species identifications using a combination of classroom and field activities. This 1-credit course is designed as a companion to MSC 366 where theory detailed in this class is put to practice to design and execute a targeted, small-scale sampling program for the coastal ecosystems found in South Florida. Lectures will be complemented with field activities to be carried out at sites around Key Biscayne and at the UM Broad Key station.
Pre/Corequisite: MSC 366.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 366. Tropical Coastal Ecosystems. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide a comprehensive background on the ecology, conservation, and restoration of the three main tropical coastal ecosystems: Mangroves, Seagrasses, and Coral Reefs. The first part of the course will consist of a review of ecological theory, followed by lectures on the dynamics of the three ecosystems, including diversity, community structure, stress ecology, management tools, and novel restoration paradigms. Classes will be complemented by student presentations, in-class activities, and media-outreach projects. Readings for this class will include a required textbook and papers from the primary literature. Grades will be based on exams, quizzes, in-class projects, and student presentations.
Prerequisite: MSC 230 or BIL 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 370. Current Research in Marine Biology: Seminars and Discussion. 2 Credit Hours.
These discussions and seminars comprising a 2 cr course provide well-prepared undergraduate students interested in marine research with an introduction to graduate student-presented science in the specialization of marine biology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSC 371. Readings in Marine Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Library research with faculty supervision. Bibliography to be submitted in preparation for laboratory and/or field research project. (No more than 6 credits in total from MSC371, MSC411, and MSC412 can be counted towards any of the RSMAS major or minor requirements with no more than 3 credits from each course.)
Permission of Instructor.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSC 372. Special Topics in Marine Science. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in class schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSC 373. Writing the GRFP and Graduate School Applications. 1 Credit Hour.
Writing the GRFP (graduate research fellow proposal) and Graduate School Applications is a practical course for undergraduate students interested in applying to graduate school next year or in the future. We will review NSF guidelines for the GRFP and both discuss and implement the steps for this proposal and graduate school applications. Basic tips on writing will be covered. Students will write a two page research statement and three page personal statement for the GRFP and then will modify these statements to use in graduate school applications. Students will be involved in reading and providing constructive criticisms to their fellow classmates. (No more than 3 credits in total from MSC370-level courses can be counted towards the MSC major or minor requirements).
Requisite: Junior or Senior Standing.
Components: DIS.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MSC 380. Field Studies in Marine and Aquatic Science. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Field course to selected marine, estuarine and/or aquatic sites in the United States and abroad. Travel fee may be required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSC 381. Marine Field Ornithology. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Waterbirds such as seabirds, shorebirds, and wading birds are key components of the marine ecosystem, including pelagic, coastal, and estuarine communities. As ecological indicators waterbird abundance provides a proxy for the health of these environments. Waterbirds have also served as important model systems for studies of behavior, evolutionary biology, and ecological theory. This course will provide an introduction to waterbird biology and conservation, including a variety of different field trips to waterbird communities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSC 390. Advanced Studies in Marine Science. 1-5 Credit Hours.
For transfer courses taken at other institutions that have no direct equivalents at UM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MSC 391. Advanced Studies in Marine Policy. 1-5 Credit Hours.
For transfer courses taken at other institutions that have no direct equivalents at UM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MSC 401. Ocean Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to the mathematical description of fluid flows in the ocean. Topics covered include a review of vector calculus, conservation equations, the Euler and Navier-Stokes equations, flow kinematics, Eulerian and Lagrangian descriptions of fluid flows, vorticity dynamics, rotation effects including the Coriolis force and geostrophy, wind forcing, an introduction to turbulence, surface gravity waves, stratification and internal waves.
Prerequisite: MTH 162 and PHY 202 or PHY 221 or equivalent and Pre/Corequisite: MSC 301 and MTH 211 or MTH 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 402. Ocean Acidification. 3 Credit Hours.
Ocean Acidification is the ongoing decrease in the pH of the Earth's oceans, caused by the uptake of carbon dioxide (CO2) from the atmosphere. In this course students will learn about its impacts on important biogeochemical and biological processes.
Prerequisites: MSC 215 and MSC 216 and Pre or Corequisite: MSC 218.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 403. Marine Environmental Toxicology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide an introduction to the principles of environmental toxicology with an emphasis on marine ecosystems, considering a variety of different classes of toxicants, how they can impact marine organisms, the scientific methods used to assess impacts, and the regulatory frameworks used to monitor and manage their release to the environment.
Prerequisite: BIL 255 and (CHM 112 or CHM 121).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 404. Marine Organismal and Environmental Health. 1 Credit Hour.
This 1-credit course will complement salt water semester courses. (Must have taken MSC403 or MSC333 and either MSC466 or MSC326 and MSC463). Students will be required to collect and analyze samples, interpret their findings and present them in a formal laboratory report due two weeks after the trip. Students will also be required to give a presentation they have prepared before the trip and attend two seminars on Marine Organismal and Environmental Health topics.
Pre/Corequisite: MSC 327 or MSC 333 or MSC 403 or MSC 466 or MSC 326 and MSC 463.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MSC 405. Observational Oceanography. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to measurement systems and data analysis techniques that are commonly used by oceanographers. Sensors and data types to be discussed include shipboard observations (CTD [conductivity-temperature-depth], ADCP [acoustic Doppler current profiler] and others), moored instrumentation, gliders, submerged floats, surface drifters, and satellite measurements. The use of most types of instrumentation that are discussed will be demonstrated in a laboratory setting and/or at sea. (Several one-day instructional cruises on the R/V Walton Smith are anticipated during the semesters that this course is offered. Students enrolled in this course are expected to participate on one of those cruises.) Basic oceanographic data analysis is also discussed, including use of computational tools to access archived oceanographic data sets. Prerequisite: MSC 204 and MSC 215 or Pre/Corequisite: MSC 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 406. Tropical Marine Ecology: Sampling, Monitoring, and Restoration Methods. 4 Credit Hours.
This course integrates lectures, discussions and authentic research on the ecology, conservation, and restoration of the three main tropical coastal ecosystems found in South Florida: Mangroves, Seagrasses, and Coral Reefs. This research intensive course focuses on the application of field sampling methods and integrate ecological theory to define the health and success of coastal ecosystems. This course is part of Saltwater Semester so that students can be actively involved in intensive research. As part of the Saltwater Semester, students are required to enroll in four of the 4-credit Saltwater Semester courses (16 credits) where each course meets for 3 weeks at the Marine campus. Prerequisite: MSC 230 Or BIL 230 And MSC 232 And Corequisite: MSC 407 and MSC 408 and MSC 409.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 407. Molecular Ecology and Physiology of Reef Coral Symbioses. 4 Credit Hours.
Reef corals require an intracellular symbiont to succeed. This course integrates lectures and molecular genetic research to quantify this symbiotic relationship. Students will be involved in research to define and quantify coral-symbionts interactions and how these interactions influence coral physiology and success. This course is part of Saltwater Semester so that students can be actively involved in intensive research. As part of the Saltwater Semester, students are required to enroll in four of the 4-credit Saltwater Semester courses (16 credits) where each course meets for 3 weeks at the Marine campus. Prerequisite: MSC 230 Or BIL 230 And Corequisite: MSC 406 and MSC 408 and MSC 409.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 408. Climate Change: Limits of Marine invertebrate Adaptability. 4 Credit Hours.
This course integrates lectures, discussions and authentic research on the effect of global climate change on the success of marine invertebrates. Students will be involved in research to understand how the predicted changes in the ocean environment (temperature, oxygen, and pH) affects the ability for marine organisms to acclimatize and adapt to these environments. This course is part of Saltwater Semester so that students can be actively involved in intensive research. As part of the Saltwater Semester, students are required to enroll in four of the 4-credit Saltwater Semester courses (16 credits) where each course meets for 3 weeks at the Marine campus. Prerequisite: MSC 230 Or BIL 230 And MSC 232 And BIL 255 And Corequisite: MSC 406 and MSC 407 and MSC 409.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 409. Coral Immunology and Microbiology. 4 Credit Hours.
This course integrates lectures, discussions and authentic research on coral immunology and microbiology for students to learn how the coral immune response and the coral associated microbes affect coral success. This research-intensive course integrates coral microbiome analysis with immunology assays to generate data on coral wellbeing. This course is part of Saltwater Semester so that students can be actively involved in intensive research. As part of the Saltwater Semester, students are required to enroll in four of the 4-credit Saltwater Semester courses (16 credits) where each course meets for 3 weeks at the Marine campus. Prerequisite: MSC 230 Or BIL 230 And MSC 232 And Corequisite: MSC 406 and MSC 407 and MSC 408.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 410. Marine Conservation Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Nature of marine biodiversity, what threatens it, and what can be done to recover the biological integrity of estuaries, coastal seas, and oceans. Topics include: distinctive aspects of marine populations and ecosystems; threats to marine biological diversity, singly and in combination; place-based management of marine ecosystems; and the human dimensions of marine conservation. Junior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MSC 411. Research in Marine Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual, independent research projects with faculty supervision. A formal written report is required. (No more than 6 credits in total from MSC371, MSC411, and MSC412 can be counted towards the MSC major or minor requirements.)
Requisite: Junior or Senior Standing.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MSC 412. Undergraduate Thesis in Marine Science. 1 Credit Hour.
Students will write a formal thesis summarizing the results of independent research carried out under faculty supervision.
MSC 411 AND Senior Standing.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MSC 415. Coral Reef Science and Management. 3 Credit Hours.
The interdisciplinary nature of coral reef science and management: biological, environmental, ecological and socioeconomic aspects of coral reef science, coral reef management problems and approaches at local to global scales, and the implications of climate change for coral reef science and management.
Prerequisite: MSC 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 417. Marine Biota and Biogeochemical Cycles. 3 Credit Hours.
The distribution of dissolved particulate materials in the sea is not uniform in time or space. Variability in these reflects the diverse biological sources, transformations, and sinks of chemical constituents in the sea. This course focuses on the role of marine organisms in marine biogeochemical cycling, with particular emphasis on the marine carbon and the nutrients. We visualize and query the ocean system using publicly available global ocean data sets and the application Ocean Data View. The material is presented as a capstone bringing together the physical, chemical and biological dynamics of the ocean as a single system.
Prerequisite: MSC 215.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 418. Climate Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Climate Law evaluates the interactions between climate and the law, with an emphasis on existing laws and the gaps in current legislation related to the climate environment. The course will analyze court cases, domestic and foreign laws, treaties, and international conventions. In addition, the course will examine how climate manipulation requires an international model for the future.
Prerequisite: ATM 220 or MSC 220 and Requisite: Junior or Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MSC 419. Microbial Geochemistry of the Ocean. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of how microbes respond to and modify the chemistry of the ocean, focusing on the geochemical consequences and signatures of microbial activity in the ocean. Microbes form the base of the food chain and are responsible for essential chemical transformations that control important processes on Earth, including the production of atmospheric oxygen, and the consumption of carbon dioxide and transformation to organic carbon which fuels the rest of life in the ocean. This course will build a quantitative framework for understanding the chemical inputs and outputs of microbial metabolism, and the role these microbial processes play in controlling chemical fluxes in the ocean. This will address how biological origins, metabolic reworking, and physical phase influence the distribution and fluxes of organic matter in the marine carbon cycle on both short and long timescales.
Prerequisite: MSC 111 and MSC 215 and BIL 150 or BIL 160.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 420. Political Ecology of the Galapagos. 3 Credit Hours.
This field course in the Galapagos National Park offers a rare chance to examine the human interactions in this highly politicized landscape of conservation. Students practice the political ecology approach for doing ethnographic field work and explore how it can lead to wiser resource management. Part of UGalapagos semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSC 421. Terrestrial Biology and Adaptations of the Galapagos. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will examine the terrestrial plant and animal life of Isabela Island, discuss the biology and how it adapted to life on Isabela. Through field and laboratory exercises we will explore the power of organisms’ DNA in shaping life into unique forms like those famously present in today's Galapagos. Part of UGalapagos semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 422. Marine Ecology of the Galapagos. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on marine ecosystems of the Galapagos, emphasizing near-shore environments. Topics will include how the unique location and oceanography of the Galapagos have shaped the species composition of resident and migrant marine animals. The role of genetic drift, local habitat characteristics and natural selection on marine ecosystems will be examined. This is a field intensive course with time spent in intertidal, near-shore and off-shore island environments. Part of UGalapagos semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 423. Marine Conservation Biology and Fisheries of the Galapagos. 3 Credit Hours.
The Galápagos are located in a uniquely productive area of the sea, which has allowed the development of rich and unique marine biota. The first week of the course will carry the students through the dynamic, climatic, and oceanographic circumstances that determine the unique character of the Galapagos. The second week will cover scientific evaluation of the threats to the marine biodiversity of the Galapagos, focusing on sharks, penguins, sea turtles and other at-risk species and habitats. Part of UGalapagos semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 424. Origin and Geology of the Galapagos Islands. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will explore the origin and geology of volcanic oceanic islands, using the Galapagos Islands as a natural laboratory. Though all share a common origin in plate tectonic theory, each island presents a host of environments that originate in the processes of volcanic action, erosion and hydrology. Individual islands therefore develop distinctive ecosystems within which organisms interact and evolve. The emphasis of this course will be to lay out the underlying geological processes that have led to the formation of the islands and to their present state, and then to explore the ways the physical environment has influenced adaptation and biodiversity. Part of UGalapagos semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSC 425. Galapagos Community-Based Research and Service. 2 Credit Hours.
Individual, civic engagement activities identified in consultation with the people, national park and local government of Puerto Villamil, Isla Isabela, as part of the marine science semester program in the Galapagos Islands. Student research and service is faculty supervised and concluded by submission of a formal written report. This course may not be counted towards the MSC elective requirement for majors or minors.
Components: PRA.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSC 426. Research in Microbial Genomics. 4 Credit Hours.
This course integrates lecture and laboratory studies to focus on the structure, function, evolution, mapping and editing of microbial genomes belonging to the three domains of life; Archaea, Bacteria and Eukarya. Prerequisites: BIL 150 and BIL 151 and BIL160 and BIL161 and BIL 250.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 427. Field experience in the Galapagos. 2 Credit Hours.
Three week Summer I field course explores the flora, fauna, geology, and society of the Galapagos Islands. Prerequisite: MSC 111 or ECS 111 or Permission of Instructor.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.
MSC 432. Comparative Ecology of Terrestrial and Marine Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
A comparison of various biotic and abiotic controls on terrestrial and marine ecosystems is undertaken. The course stresses proximate mechanisms and underlying evolutionary processes. Analysis methods and models of various ecosystems are compared and critiqued. Issues involved in sustainability and conservation of resources are discussed in relation to agriculture, fisheries and forestry. The importance of biodiversity and climate change in the future of ecosystems is stressed.
Prerequisite: MTH 162. And BIL 330. Or ECS 232.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MSC 460. Spatial Applications in Marine Science. 3 Credit Hours.
The concepts and marine applications of Geographic Information Systems. Every class period will entail short class lectures and hands on computer based GIS exercise on marine science related issues. Students will learn how to use ArcGIS Desktop or Arc Pro.
Prerequisite: MSC 111 and MSC 112 and Requisite: Junior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSC 462. Marine Biomedicine. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will cover diverse bioactive molecules that are derived from marine sources ranging from sponges to sharks. The isolation and characterization of these compounds as well as their potential application in clinical medicine and human health will be reviewed. The class will also cover marine-derived factors used in biotechnology and marine animal models used in biomedical research with an emphasis on marine immunology.
Prerequisite: BIL 255 and (CHM 112 or CHM 121).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MSC 463. Conservation Genomics. 4 Credit Hours.
This course integrates lectures, discussions and research on genetics and genomics to understand population biology, conservation, and susceptibility of endangered species to extinction and the effect of invasive species on natural communities. This research intensive course sequences genomes and uses the data to better understand the health of species and ecological communities. This course is part of Saltwater Semester so that students can be actively involved in intensive research. As part of the Saltwater Semester, students are required to enroll in four of the 4-credit Saltwater Semester courses (16 credits) where each course meets for 3 weeks at the Marine campus.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 160 And MSC 230 Or BIL 230 And Corequisite: MSC 326 and MSC 466 and MSC 467.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 464. Marine Comparative Immunology Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
The laboratory course will cover immunology techniques used in the assessment of immune function and immune reactivity in diverse marine taxa from sponges to fish to mammals.
Prerequisite or Co-requisite: MSC 465.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 465. Marine Comparative Immunology. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will cover immune function in diverse marine taxa from sponges to fish and the evolution of innate and adaptive immune mechanisms from a comparative point of view, with an emphasis on shark and fish immunology. Adaptations related to living in a microbe-rich marine environment will be highlighted. Potential applications of research findings will be addressed with respect to conservation and aquaculture. The role of invertebrate and vertebrate models in the study of the evolution of the immune system and applications for human health and medicine will be discussed.
Prerequisite: BIL 255.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 466. Experimental Physiology. 4 Credit Hours.
This course integrates lectures, discussions and research. Topics will include homeostasis, interactions with the external environment, and life with limited oxygen and water. Lectures will be highly discussion-based; students will be expected to read primary research articles as suggested by the professor before lecture to foster participation in those discussions and form hypotheses about accompanying laboratory. Each lab will be written up as a formal laboratory report (i.e., Introduction, Materials and Methods, Results and Discussion). This course is part of Saltwater Semester so that students can be actively involved in intensive research. As part of the Saltwater Semester, students are required to enroll in four of the 4-credit Saltwater Semester courses (16 credits) where each course meets for 3 weeks at the Marine campus.
Prerequisite: BIL 255 And Corequisite: MSC 326 and MSC 463 and MSC 467.
Components: HRK.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MSC 467. Marine Animal Neurophysiology and Behavior. 4 Credit Hours.
This course integrates lectures, discussions and research on neural and endocrine systems in marine animal models, and how these systems work
together to control elements of physiology, sensation and perception of the environment and behavior. This course is part of Saltwater Semester so
that students can be actively involved in intensive research. As part of the Saltwater Semester, students are required to enroll in four of the 4-credit
Saltwater Semester courses (16 credits) where each course meets for 3 weeks at the Marine campus.
Prerequisite: BIL 230 Or MSC 230 And BIL 255 And Corequisite: MSC 326 and MSC 463 and MSC 466.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

B.A. in Marine Affairs

Marine Affairs
Marine Affairs prepares students to contribute to the policy development and management of marine resources through integration of scientific,
economic and social perspectives. Research at UM focuses on aquaculture, fisheries management, political ecology, natural resource economics,
coastal zone management, marine spatial planning and marine protected areas, coastal and ocean law, and marine cultural resources.

This program is designed for students who wish to prepare themselves for graduate studies and careers in marine policy, political ecology, marine
resource economics, management and conservation of marine resources, environmental impact analysis, marine cultural resources, marine
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Courses in approved minor: 15

**Electives**

**Arts and Humanities Cognate Courses** 9

**Additional Electives** 32

Total Credit Hours: 120-123

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1. At least 6 of which must be at the 300-level or higher. MSC 204 does not satisfy the MSC elective requirement but does satisfy the Statistics requirement.
2. General Biology BIL 150 and Evolution and Biodiversity BIL 160 must be passed with a grade of "C-" or higher.
3. Chemical Problem Solving and Principles of Chemistry must be passed with a grade of "C-" or higher.
4. Students placed into CHM 121 should replace the requirement of CHM 110 with 3 credits of electives.

* 500-level courses offered through the graduate Marine Ecosystems and Society program at the Rosenstiel School may be taken by Junior or Senior students with permission.

### Suggested Plan of Study

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1. Students who meet the requirements for CHM 121 should take it their first semester instead of CHM 110.
2. Students who are placed directly into CHM 121 their first term should take 3 credits of electives instead.

**Mission**

The mission of the Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science is to deepen our collective knowledge of our planet through cutting-edge scientific research on the oceans, atmosphere, geology, biota, and the human dimension, while training the next generation of scientists. We transfer the knowledge gained to our students, the national and international scientific community, and to policymakers and the public.

The educational mission of the BA degree in Marine Affairs at the University of Miami is to graduate students with the ability and desire to integrate knowledge of marine affairs into their future careers.

**Goals**

This program strives to provide the rigor, flexibility, depth and integration to enable students to:

- Pursue a course of study that provides both depth and breadth in marine affairs and related science and policy courses.
- Prepare themselves for public and private sector employment, graduate school, and successful careers.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Students will demonstrate an ability to communicate effectively.
- Students will demonstrate an overall knowledge and understanding of the core concepts in Marine Affairs.
- Students will be able to successfully integrate important concepts in marine affairs to address a real-world issue in marine policy and marine resource management.
Minor in Marine Policy

Overview

The Marine Policy minor introduces the student to the field of marine policy, which includes coastal and ocean law and policy, conservation, and natural resource economics.

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* Students majoring in the RSMAS Undergraduate Program should replace MSC 111 and MSC 112 with one additional elective, and all electives must be above and beyond those used for the major.

** Courses within this minor require at least one requisite. Students should review all courses and requirements before planning your studies and declaring the minor. Plan your courses accordingly as requisites must be met for enrollment and completion of minor.

*** Only those courses passed with a grade of “C-” or higher may be applied to the minor. The Marine Policy minor fulfills the requirements of the People and Society or STEM cognate.

Marine Biology and Ecology

Dept. Code: MBE

Marine Biology and Ecology

The Bachelor of Science in Marine Biology and Ecology teaches fundamental concepts and precepts in ecology, physiology and organismal-environmental interactions. The educational goals are to understand the range of significant biological concepts from the molecular biology of DNA to how species interactions are affected by environmental change. These educational goals are enhanced by active research experiences that catalyze a student’s understanding of the scientific process. This program is designed for students with a strong interest in academic research, graduate school,
and professional careers that require critical thinking skills. For these high performing students, this program will develop competencies with which to successfully advance their careers.

While it is not required, there is enough flexibility in the Bachelor of Science in Marine Biology and Ecology program to allow students to do a minor or even a second major in the College of Arts and Sciences or other Schools. Students wishing to do a second major should review these disciplines for additional requirements.

**MBE 504. Biology of Marine Mammals. 3 Credit Hours.**
The purpose of this class is to introduce students to the biology, evolution, taxonomy, physiology, natural history, behavior, conservation, and management of marine mammals.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

**MBE 505. Marine Mammal Disease and Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course will cover the basics (theory and application) of marine mammal disease and medicine. Applications will focus on the medical management of managed care and wild populations.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

**MBE 506. Procedures in Marine Mammal Health and Disease. 1 Credit Hour.**
The aim of this course is to provide the student with more in-depth exposure and study of various practical health related techniques/skills that are integral to marine mammal health and disease assessment. While the procedures are most applicable to marine mammals in managed care, several of the procedures can be adapted and/or are used in study of wild marine mammals. Health and disease assessment procedures will be divided into the following five categories/areas: physical examination and behavioral assessment; multimodal and advanced diagnostics (eg., electrocardiogram, ultrasound, etc.); sample collection (types, procedures); clinical pathologic (eg., hematology, biochemistry, serology) interpretation; gross and histopathologic necropsy techniques and interpretation.

Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

**MBE 507. Marine Mammal Applied Behavior Analysis and Managed Care. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course involves a thorough examination of specific aspects of marine mammal managed care and conservation programs, with an emphasis on behavior management, analysis, and modification as a basis for adaptive response to changing environments both in-situ and ex-situ. Coursework will also focus on health management and assessment, emergency handling and transportation, government regulations, and wildlife conservation.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

**MBE 514. Tropical Marine Biology. 3 Credit Hours.**
In this intensive one-week field course, students are introduced to the ecology, biology, and interconnections of all of South Florida's major marine habitats through a combination of lectures and field excursions from UM's remote private island research station in the Florida Keys.

Requisite: Senior Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

**MBE 515. Tropical Marine Ecology. 3 Credit Hours.**
Marine ecology with emphasis on tropical ecosystems and local habitats. Physical environmental and biotic adaptations, population, and community ecology are discussed. Field exercises in mangrove, sea grass, and coral reef ecosystems are also included.

Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MBE 518. Reef Coral Biology, Ecology, and Conservation. 3 Credit Hours.
Scleractinian (stony) corals are the principal builders of contemporary coral reefs and their unique biology underpins the ecological success of reef ecosystems in the world's shallow tropical seas. This class covers the physiology and ecology of these critical organisms, the environmental factors governing their health, and their biotic interactions with other species. Examples of topics covered include algal symbiosis, calcification, reproduction, taxonomy, microbial ecology, competition with macroalgae, and herbivory, with insights at all levels from molecules to ecosystems. A special focus is on the decline of coral reefs due to anthropogenic stressors including climate change and coral bleaching, diseases, nutrient pollution, overfishing, and ocean acidification.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MBE 521. Field Techniques and Instrumentation in Tropical Marine Ecology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the instrumentation and field techniques commonly used to characterize the structure and function of the three dominant ecosystems in the tropics and subtropics, i.e. coral reefs, seagrass beds and mangroves.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MBE 522. Marine Microbial Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of the function of microbes in the ocean from a chemical perspective, building a quantitative understanding of cellular needs and metabolic functions, and the role these microbial processes play in controlling chemical fluxes and biogeochemical cycles in the ocean.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MBE 529. Population Genetics and Genomics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to population genetics, which examine the evolutionary processes that affect genomes of natural populations: mutation, genetic drift, natural selection, and gene flow.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MBE 532. Marine Mammal Research Techniques. 3 Credit Hours.
The goal of this course is to provide an overview of the field of marine mammal research (historic, current, and future), hands-on training in applied research skills relevant to the field of marine mammalogy, as well as an understanding of the biological and ecological significance of captive and wild research and contributions to management and conservation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MBE 535. Practical Computing for Biologists. 3 Credit Hours.
Practical Computing for Biologists is a problem-centric course that provides resources for biologists to analyze the increasingly complex data sets generated by new technologies. Flexible, scalable tools will be covered to accomplish a diversity of tasks using open source software. Topics will include: regular expressions, command line operations, Python programming, and bioinformatics pipelines. Exercises relevant to the students’ needs will be used to illustrate and develop new skills. After doing several assigned homework problems, students will have an opportunity to develop a bioinformatic analysis on their own data set.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MBE 539. Oceanic Productivity. 3 Credit Hours.
History, methods, and current topics relevant to studies of marine primary production. Magnitude and fate of primary production in the sea is essential to understand secondary production, the success of fisheries recruitment, and global climate.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MBE 542. Oceans and Human Health. 3 Credit Hours.
The objective of this interdisciplinary course is to provide students with introductory knowledge of the broad and relatively young field of Oceans and Human Health. The focus is the present, future, and potential effects of oceanic processes and aquatic organisms on human health, and vice versa. These diverse factors reflect the physical, chemical, biotic and social processes which require an integration of information and knowledge from the medical, marine and social sciences. The course covers harmful algal blooms, marine microbes, and global climate change as well as an overview of coastal impacts and remedies (e.g., drugs from the sea and marine models) through a series of coordinated lectures and case studies on human health, physical environment, and oceanographic processes. Prerequisite: Permission of instructor.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MBE 550. Analytical Techniques in Marine Biology. 2 Credit Hours.
Theory and applications of selected analytical techniques necessary to conduct quantitative research in marine biology (e.g., electrophoresis, metabolite assays, enzyme assays, radioisotope methodology). One hour lecture followed by three hour laboratory per week.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MBE 570. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics related to Marine Biology and Fisheries.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MBE 571. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics related to Marine Biology and Fisheries.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MBE 572. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics related to Marine Biology and Fisheries.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MBE 574. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics related to Marine Biology and Fisheries.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MBE 576. Diseases of Marine Organisms. 3 Credit Hours.
Infectious, genetic, and environmentally induced diseases of marine fishes and invertebrates as well as diagnostic methods, cellular, and molecular pathology. Lecture, 3 hours.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MBE 578. Evolutionary Genetics. 3 Credit Hours.
A Graduate course that presents an overview from "New Evolutionary Synthesis" (1900) to Evolutionary Genomics. The critical points to emphasize is the importance of standing genetic variation, the role of neutral evolutionary process versus evolution by natural selection and how a evolution perspective provides meaning insights into the biology.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MBE 586. Fish Physiology. 3 Credit Hours.
Ecology, dispersal, and modes of life of fishes. Adaptations by larvae and adults to various habitats are covered as well as the effects of man on fish faunas and the importance of fishes to various ecological systems. Lecture, 3 hours.

Requisite: Senior Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
B.S.M.A.S. in Marine Biology and Ecology

Marine Biology and Ecology

The Marine Biology & Ecology degree is a Bachelor of Science degree (BSMAS) and is designed to give students a strong background in biology and quantitative skills, as well as research experience in biomedicine, genomics, evolution, physiology, microbiology, immunology, and ecology. The strength of the Marine Biology & Ecology program is the opportunity for undergraduates to fully participate in the research with Marine Biology and Ecology diverse faculty. These research opportunities provide skills to excel in medicine, graduate school, and other diverse fields.

Curriculum Requirements

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**Marine Biology**

Select one of the following: 3

- BIL 330 Ecology
- MSC 366 Tropical Coastal Ecosystems
- MSC 422 Marine Ecology of the Galapagos

Select one of the following: 3

- BIL 250 Genetics
- MSC 318 Ecological Genetics

Select one of the following: 3-4

- MSC 323 Invertebrate Zoology
- MSC 329 Marine Vertebrate Zoology
- Approved Upper-level animal diversity course

Select one of the following: 3-4

- GSC 111 Earth System History
- MSC 215 Chemical Oceanography
- MSC 216 and Chemical Oceanography Laboratory
- MSC 301 Introduction to Physical Oceanography
- MSC 302 and Introduction to Physical Oceanography Lab
- MSC 424 Origin and Geology of the Galapagos Islands.

Select 12 credit hours of approved electives in Marine Science 1 12

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Option #1

- MTH 161 Calculus I
| or MTH 171 | Calculus I |
| MTH 162 | Calculus II |
| or MTH 172 | Calculus II |

**Option #2**

| MTH 140 | Calculus Concepts with Foundations A |
| MTH 141 | Calculus Concepts with Foundations B |
| MTH 162 | Calculus II |

Select one of the following:

- MSC 204  Environmental Statistics
- MTH 224  Introduction to Probability and Statistics

Select one of the following options: 5

**Option 1:**

- PHY 201  University Physics I for the Sciences
- PHY 106  College Physics Laboratory I
- PHY 202  University Physics II for the Sciences
- PHY 108  College Physics Laboratory II

**Option 2:**

- PHY 221  University Physics I
- PHY 222  University Physics II
- PHY 223  University Physics III
- PHY 224  University Physics II Lab
  or PHY 225  University Physics III Lab

**Option 3:**

- PHY 101  College Physics I
- PHY 106  College Physics Laboratory I
- PHY 102  College Physics II
- PHY 108  College Physics Laboratory II

**Electives**

- Arts and Humanities Cognate Courses 9
- People and Society Cognate Courses 9
- 300+ Level Elective 3
- Additional Electives 6

**Total Credit Hours** 121-127

1. Must be at the 300-level or higher. MSC 204 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=MSC%20204) does not satisfy the MSC elective requirement but does satisfy the Statistics requirement.

2. Biological Science electives include but are not limited to BIL, BMB, MBE, MIC, MSC, and NEU. For the Biology dual major, at least one BIL elective must be a CAPSTONE course.

3. Principles of Chemistry must be passed with a grade of "C-" or higher.

4. Calculus I must be passed with a grade of "C-" or higher.

5. Option 1 is recommended for Physics.

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**Suggested Plan of Study**

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* 9 elective courses must include:
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  - 1 Course (3 credits) at the 300+ level

1 Recommended electives to take for the Marine Biology and Ecology major.

**Mission**

The mission of the Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science is to deepen our collective knowledge of our planet through cutting-edge scientific research on the oceans, atmosphere, geology, biota, and the human dimension, while training the next generation of scientists. We transfer the knowledge gained to our students, the national and international scientific community, and to policymakers and the public.

**Goals**

The MBE departmental major curriculum will provide the rigor, flexibility, depth and integration to enable students to:

- Design their course of study that provides both depth and breadth in marine biology and ecology and science related courses.
- Undertake active research experiences, which will allow them to gain a strong understanding of the scientific process.
- Learn from the diverse and outstanding group of professors, researchers, and classmates.
- Prepare themselves for the public and private sector employment, graduate school, and successful careers.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

Students completing the MBE departmental major will be able to:

- Master a broad set of fundamental biological knowledge including how to search for, understand, and synthesize primary scientific literature, and understand how fundamental biological principles relate to the marine environment.
- Solve problems competently by identifying the relevant features of the problem and developing a strategy to solve the problem.
- Use computers and computational approaches to acquire and process data as well as use software to analyze data.
- Understand and synthesize the objectives of research experiments, properly conduct experiments, and appropriately record, analyze, and communicate the results.
- Effectively communicate the concepts, results, and implications of their laboratory experiments and independent research both orally and in the written form to experts in the field, scientists in other disciplines, and the general public.

**Marine Science**

**Dept. Code: MSC**

**Marine Science**

Marine Science is an interdisciplinary program dealing with the study of the world's oceans, their biological, chemical and physical constituents, the influence of oceanic resources on human society, and the conservation and future development of these resources in changing Earth's climate.

The Bachelor of Science double major in Marine Science prepares students for admission to graduate programs and for careers in teaching and research as well as for technical careers in government and private industries concerned with the oceans. The Bachelor of Science in Marine Science is a full double major program that requires a major in Marine Science through the Rosenstiel School and a second major in one of the sciences through the College of Arts and Sciences, RSMAS, or the College of Engineering. Common second majors are Biology, Chemistry, Computer Science, Geological Sciences, Meteorology, Microbiology & Immunology, and Physics. Required courses for these combinations are listed within the major tab.

Second majors in Applied Physics, Biochemistry, Engineering (all disciplines), and Mathematics may be taken. Students interested in adding a second major in one of these disciplines should review the Applied Physics (p. 558), Biochemistry (p. 189), Engineering (all disciplines) (p. 1044), or
Mathematics (p. 462) pages for additional requirements. Each of the areas of concentration constitutes a rigorous program requiring 120-130 credit hours for graduation.

**MSC 101. Survey of Oceanography. 3 Credit Hours.**
Introduction to the oceans and their significance to mankind, encompassing geological, physical, chemical, and biological processes; man's role in and on the sea, including fisheries, pollution, and ocean management. Not for major or minor.
NOT FOR ANY MSC STUDENT MAJOR OR MINOR.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**MSC 102. Introduction to Weather and Climate. 3 Credit Hours.**
The structure, physics, dynamics and thermodynamics of the atmosphere. Weather, weather forecasting, climate and climate change. Not for major or minor.
NOT FOR ANY MSC STUDENT MAJOR OR MINOR.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

**MSC 103. Survey of Modern Meteorology. 3 Credit Hours.**
Dynamics and thermodynamics of the atmosphere as they relate to contemporary issues in meteorology. Overview of numerical weather prediction techniques and new technologies for monitoring weather and climate. Open to all RSMAS majors and minors.
Requisite: Major or Minor in the Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science and Pre/Corequisite: MTH 108 or higher (MTH 108. Or MTH 113. Or MTH 140. Or MTH 141. Or MTH 161. Or MTH 171).
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

**MSC 104. Molecules of Life. 3 Credit Hours.**
Molecules of Life explores the modern science of biological molecules, which occurs at the intersection of chemistry, biology, and medicine. We examine the major molecular components of the cell--proteins, nucleic acids, lipids, etc.--and illustrate the role of chemical principles in understanding their structure and function. Not for major or minor.
NOT FOR ANY MSC STUDENT MAJOR OR MINOR.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

**MSC 105. Shark Behavioral Ecology & Conservation Semester. 3 Credit Hours.**
SUMMER SCHOLARS PROGRAM ONLY. In this course, students will learn core concepts in shark behavioral ecology and key aspects of shark biology needed for the holistic understanding and study of shark behavioral ecology and conservation. NOT FOR MAJOR OR MINOR.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Summer.

**MSC 106. Marine Mammal Biology and Conservation. 3 Credit Hours.**
SUMMER SCHOLARS PROGRAM ONLY. In this course, students will learn core concepts in shark behavioral ecology and key aspects of shark biology needed for the holistic understanding and study of shark behavioral ecology and conservation. NOT FOR MAJOR OR MINOR.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Summer.

**MSC 107. Life in the Sea. 3 Credit Hours.**
Lectures provide an introduction to the plants and animals of the sea, including plankton, nekton and the benthos, with anthropogenic impacts. Not for major or minor.
NOT FOR ANY MSC STUDENT MAJOR OR MINOR.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.
MSC 108. Environmental Oceanography. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will focus on environmental issues facing the oceans today, including global climate destabilization, the impact of population growth on coastal environments, marine pollution, and the state of marine fisheries. An active learning approach will be adopted, with emphasis on case studies and critical analysis. Marine environmental issues will be presented in self-contained analytical exercises. Basic math needed to quantify environmental issues will be introduced. Information and questions on sustainability will be integrated throughout the course and students will be asked to think critically about these pressing concerns. Not for major or minor.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 111. Introduction to Marine Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Geological, physical, chemical and biological processes of the world's oceans. The role of the oceans in global dynamics and man's role in and on the sea, including fisheries, pollution and ocean management. Enrollment limited to Marine Science/Marine Affairs majors and minors. Lecture and discussion, 3 hours. Field trips. Requisite: Marine Science Major or Minor.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSC 112. Introduction to Marine Science Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory and field exercises to accompany Marine Science. Pre/Corequisite: MSC 111. And Marine Science Major or Minor.

Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 115. Tropical Marine Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
A field and lecture study of selected marine environments around South Florida, with emphasis on the interaction between organisms and the geological, physical, and chemical environment. Summer Scholars Program Only.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

MSC 121. Ocean Currents. 3 Credit Hours.
Ocean Currents will be a comprehensive, multi-disciplinary course on the history, geography, socio-economics, and physics of ocean currents. The importance of ocean currents to socioeconomics, weather, climate, transport of fish larvae and pollutants, distribution of plankton and fish, military operations, and shipping will be illustrated using many examples. The history of ocean current observations, detailed maps of ocean circulation and its variability, and the evolution of instruments, and theories from ancient to modern times will be detailed. The discovery and the most important observations of the major ocean currents will be discussed. There will be also lectures on modern ocean circulation theory. NON-MSC MAJORS ONLY

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSC 172. Special Topics in Marine Science. 2-6 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in class schedule.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSC 180. Seminar in Marine Science. 1 Credit Hour.
Seminar in current research as conducted by Marine Science faculty and graduate students. This course is intended as an introduction for first year students to contemporary research topics. Pre/Corequisite: MSC 111.

Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSC 190. Studies in Marine Science. 1-5 Credit Hours.
For transfer courses taken at other institutions that have no direct equivalents at UM

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
MSC 191. Studies in Marine Policy. 1-5 Credit Hours.
For transfer courses taken at other institutions that have no direct equivalents at UM.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.

MSC 203. Foundations of Computational Marine Science. 4 Credit Hours.
The course provides a basic introduction to Computational Marine Science. The course will use Python as a programming language and will illustrate its use in problem solving and exploratory data analysis in the Marine Sciences. Programming topics covered include the language syntax and construct, variables, flow control, functions, software design and object-oriented programming.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

MSC 204. Environmental Statistics. 3 Credit Hours.
This introductory course provides an overview of parametric and nonparametric statistics with an emphasis on applications in the analysis of environmental data. (Not open to students with credit in BIL311 or equivalent).
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

MSC 205. Mathematical Methods for Marine Science. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is meant to provide students with the mathematical tools required to pursue advanced topics in Marine Science. Not available for credit for students with major or minor in Mathematics.
**Prerequisite:** MTH 162 Or MTH 172 And MSC 111.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

MSC 215. Chemical Oceanography. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the chemistry of the oceans. Descriptive chemical oceanography of the components of ocean waters (metals, gases, organic compounds and nutrients). Biogeochemical cycles in oceanic systems.
**Prerequisite:** MSC 111 and (CHM 112 or CHM 121).
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

MSC 216. Chemical Oceanography Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Chemical and physical methods in chemical oceanography. Analytical and instrumental techniques used to determine density, salinity, chlorinity, dissolved oxygen, nutrients and components of the carbonate system. Corequisite: MSC 215.
**Pre/Corequisite:** MSC 215 and **Prerequisite:** CHM 113.
**Components:** LAB.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

MSC 217. Physical and Chemical Processes in Coastal Ecosystems. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is primarily intended for students enrolled in the Marine Affairs program to serve as an introduction to the role of physical and chemical processes in estuarine and coastal ecosystems in the context of the management of estuarine and coastal waters. Students will provide reviews of case studies in preparation for future management decisions that will require knowledge of coastal physical and chemical processes. **Prerequisites:** MSC 111 AND MSC 230.
**Prerequisite:** MSC 111 and MSC 230 and (CHM 111 or CHM 121).
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

MSC 218. Biological Oceanography. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will examine energy flow in marine ecosystems, the biogeochemical cycles that control them, the wide variety of types of communities and ecosystems in different parts of the ocean, and the changes they have undergone over geological timescales.
**Prerequisite:** MSC 111.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.
MSC 220. Climate and Global Change. 3 Credit Hours.
The Earth's climate system and the role of natural and anthropogenic processes in shaping climate change.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSC 222. The Earth's Climate: Past and Future. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide undergraduate students majoring in geological sciences, as well as enthusiastic non-majors, with the foundation to better understand climate change on geological to human timescales. The natural processes that control the earth's climate will be discussed, with special attention to the climate of the Holocene, and the potential influence climate may have played on human civilizations. Finally, the expected climate shifts and feedbacks will be discussed based on the outcome of climate models for the next century.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSC 230. Introduction to Marine Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: (BIL 150 or BIL 160) and (CHM 111 or CHM 121).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSC 232. Introduction to Marine Biology Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Ecology, physiology, and behavior of marine organisms in south Florida marine habitats.
Pre/Corequisite: MSC 230. or BIL 230. and Prerequisite: BIL 151 or BIL 161.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 240. Introduction to Marine Geology. 3 Credit Hours.
The principal marine geological environments of the world, their substrate, their sediments, their flora and fauna, and their evolution through time.
Prerequisite: GSC 110 Or GSC 111 Or permission of instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 300. Water Resources: History, Management, and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of the issues and problems surrounding the management of aquatic resources in the broadest sense including water quality of natural waters, drinking water, water pollution, water quantity and supply issues, watershed management, wetland protection, and coastal management. We will explore the available strategies to wisely manage the various aquatic resources, policy options and their socio-economic aspects, legal frameworks, and institutional arrangements.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSC 301. Introduction to Physical Oceanography. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of the laws of physics to the study of the properties and circulation of the world's oceans and atmosphere.
Prerequisite: MSC 111. And MTH 162. Or MTH 172.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSC 302. Introduction to Physical Oceanography Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory exercises and field work on basic fluid mechanics applicable to the ocean. These include buoyant convection and double diffusion, methods for measuring flows, gravity wave experiments in the lab and field, diffusion studies and rotating tank investigations as an analog for planetary flows.
Prerequisite: MSC 301 or ATM 405. Or Co-requisite: MSC 301 or ATM 405.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MSC 310. Living Resources of the Ocean. 3 Credit Hours.
Marine fish and shellfish of major commercial and recreational value: biology, techniques of harvesting, and resource management.
Prerequisite: MSC 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 313. Coastal Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic doctrines and public policy related to the use and regulation of the United States coastal zone and seabed.
Junior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 314. Ocean Law. 3 Credit Hours.
The principles of international ocean law regarding ocean management; ocean delimitation and issues of environmental ocean regulation within international legal framework.
Junior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 316. Global Primary Production. 3 Credit Hours.
Photosynthesis supports the vast majority of life on planet earth. This course reviews the magnitude and the processes that shape primary production in terrestrial, oceanic, and freshwater habitats. It includes the fate of primary production in the earth's biomes, and the role of terrestrial and aquatic productivity in regulating, and responding to, variable climate.
Prerequisite: BIL 160.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSC 317. Earth's Biogeochemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Outstanding features of planet Earth, including its vast oceans, climate and atmosphere, are strongly impacted by life. Scientists investigate these impacts, such as ocean acidification, variable atmospheric CO2 concentrations, coastal anoxia, and permafrost melting, through their biogeochemical dynamics. The first part of the course covers the relevant microbial and chemical reactions that occur in the atmosphere, on land, in freshwaters and in the oceans. The second part links this mechanistic understanding to a large-scale, synthetic view of global biogeochemical cycles. These are considered in the context of global change.
Prerequisite: CHM 112 or CHM 121.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSC 318. Ecological Genetics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide a thorough understanding of genetics (allele frequencies, heritability, recombination, QTL, the effect of migration and demography). Pre-requisites: BIL150/151 AND BIL160/161
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 160 and BIL 151 or BIL 152 or BIL 153 and BIL 161 or BIL 162.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 319. Research Fundamentals. 1 Credit Hour.
Research Fundamentals will provide an introduction to academic research methods including basic laboratory techniques, data analysis, and scientific communication. Students will read the primary literature and both analyze data and communicate results using multiple formats. The course emphasizes active learning (discussions, working with peers, writing, etc.) and is directed toward early stage undergraduate students interested in pursuing research.
Pre/Corequisite: MSC 111.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 321. Scientific Programming in the Atmospheric Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to scientific programming in a linux environment using the FORTRAN 90/95 language with specific applications to Meteorology.
Prerequisite: CSC 120.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MSC 323. Invertebrate Zoology. 4 Credit Hours.
Biology of invertebrates, with emphasis on tropical and subtropical marine forms. Field work and combined lecture-laboratory sessions.
Prerequisite: MSC 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 324. Biology of Fishes. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics on the ecology and physiology of fishes. Lectures on reproduction, respiration, osmoregulation, sense systems, hormonal control.
Prerequisite: MSC 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSC 325. Biological Oceanographic Techniques. 3 Credit Hours.
Field sampling for plankton biomass and productivity; benthic biomass, and of selected physical parameters. Applications of molecular techniques and remote sensing to oceanographic problems.
Prerequisite: MSC 230.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSC 326. Marine Genomics. 4 Credit Hours.
This course integrates lectures, discussions and research on genomics to understand the demography and evolutionary processes affecting populations. This research intensive course uses genomic data to better understand the health of species and ecological communities. This course is part of Saltwater Semester so that students can be actively involved in intensive research. As part of the Saltwater Semester, students are required to enroll in four of the 4-credit Saltwater Semester courses (16 credits) where each course meets for 3 weeks at the Marine campus.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 160 And MSC 230 Or BIL 230 And Corequisite: MSC 463 and MSC 466 and MSC 467.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 328. Introduction to Aquaculture. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide an introduction to the field of aquaculture, which represents one of the fastest growing industries in food production in the world and is a field that offers exciting job opportunities in science, business, marketing, resource management, and socioeconomics. This course will provide students with a sound background in aquaculture prior to engaging in higher-level courses in this field.
Prerequisites: MSC 111 and MSC 230 or Co-requisite: MSC 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MSC 329. Marine Vertebrate Zoology. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will be a comprehensive examination of the form and function of the vertebrate lineage of marine animals from early chordates to the evolution of cartilaginous and bony fish and the emergence of tetrapods, those that evolved from marine ancestors and have since returned to the seas. A comparative point of view will be used to assess the anatomy and physiology of each taxonomic group as well as behavioral and ecological adaptations related to their life history. Specifically, the course will cover the emergence of the vertebrate body plan and the evolution of fish from agnathans through modern teleosts, as well as the tetrapod lineage of marine reptiles, marine birds, and marine mammals. We will examine critical points in vertebrate evolution where genome-wide duplication events occurred as well as instances of convergent evolution in various lineages.
Prerequisite: MSC 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MSC 333. Ocean Human Health. 3 Credit Hours.
The focus of this course is on the present, future, and potential effects of oceanic processes and marine organisms on human health and wellbeing and on human impacts on the marine environment.
Prerequisite: MSC 230 or BIL 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 340. Ocean Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of ocean policy issues in US fisheries, marine conservation and marine protected areas, marine pollution, coastal management and regulation of offshore oil and gas activities.
Prerequisite: MSC 111 and MSC 313 Or MSC 314 and Junior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
**MSC 341. Sunken Ships and Submerged Sites: An Introduction to Underwater Archaeology. 3 Credit Hours.**
The course serves to provide an overview of underwater archaeology, covering general concepts, methods, field techniques, time periods and their associated unique sites and discoveries, as well as an introduction to professional application in preservation, management, and how popular media plays a role in public education and outreach. Note: There is no SCUBA diving component to this class.
Requisite: MSC 111 AND Junior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

**MSC 342. Decision Making and the Environment. 3 Credit Hours.**
A basic, critical appreciation of interdisciplinary decision theory as applied to natural resources management. Specific goals include comprehension of: decision making under uncertainty, evolutionary social science, managing common pool resources, and behavioral economics.
Junior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

**MSC 345. Economics of Natural Resources and the Environment. 3 Credit Hours.**
A comprehensive overview of the economics of national, international, and global environmental problems. A unifying theme throughout is sustainable development defined as "maximizing the net benefits of economic development while maintaining the services and quality of natural resources over time". We will use economic reasoning to examine causes and consequences of environmental and resource problems, and measures for dealing with them.
Prerequisite: ECO 211.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

**MSC 346. Climate Science and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.**
The scientific evidence for, and the projected consequences of, climate change. The political and geo-engineering responses to the problem.
Prerequisite: MSC 111. Or ATM 103. Or ECS 111. And Requisite: Junior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

**MSC 347. Polar Science and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.**
The course will address the physical, chemical, and biological properties of the polar oceans, atmosphere, and coastal regions. The interactions between ocean, ice, atmosphere, and land will be discussed in detail, not only in terms of local relationships, with cross-disciplinary linkages, but also with emphasis on the influence the Polar Regions exert on the global climate, biogeochemical cycles, ecosystems and local human populations.
Prerequisite: MSC 111 and MSC 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

**MSC 350. Survey of Marine Mammals. 3 Credit Hours.**
The biology, physiology, natural history, behavior, and conservation of marine mammals.
Prerequisite: MSC 230 or BIL 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

**MSC 351. Climate, Oceanography, and Biogeography of the Galapagos. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course and its companion describe the climate, oceanography of the Galapagos Islands, and explore the ways the physical environment has influenced biodiversity on the islands. This field intensive course sequence is part of the Galapagos semester abroad program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

**MSC 352. Biophysical Dynamics in the Ocean: Biogeography and Evolution of the Galapagos. 3 Credit Hours.**
Course expands aspects of bio-physical description of the Galapagos in comparison with other systems. Emphasis on identification of flow regimes in various settings based on winds and buoyancy forcing and characterization of the resulting biological niches. Analysis focuses on scales and components of the resulting biogeography. Biological aspects covered include bioenergetics and reproduction in relation to their role in evolution. This field intensive course sequence is part of the Galapagos semester abroad program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MSC 355. Limnology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an introduction to the physical, chemical, and biological properties of freshwater ecosystems. It is intended as an upper level course for juniors and seniors. It emphasizes the ecological process of lakes, rivers, and to less extent, streams. The role of watershed processes is considered in the context of management of rivers and estuaries. Case studies integrate the scientific understanding of freshwater ecosystem function with management decisions. Applied aspects of freshwater systems are included.
Prerequisite: MSC 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSC 364. Life in Moving Fluids. 3 Credit Hours.
The physical characteristics of air and water are described in relation to various flow phenomena that play a part in life functions. Adaptations of form and function reflect the very different properties of the media (air and water) of terrestrial and aquatic life. Energy conversion and transfer limit form and function and enable a wide variety of survival strategies.
Prerequisite: MSC 230 Or BIL 360.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 365. Tropical Coastal Ecosystems: Lab and Field Methods. 1 Credit Hour.
This course will provide students with the theory and application of field sampling methods used to document status and trends in the health of coral reef, seagrass, and mangrove ecosystems. Students will learn about sampling theory, sampling methods, sampling equipment, and species identifications using a combination of classroom and field activities. This 1-credit course is designed as a companion to MSC 366 where theory detailed in this class is put to practice to design and execute a targeted, small-scale sampling program for the coastal ecosystems found in South Florida. Lectures will be complemented with field activities to be carried out at sites around Key Biscayne and at the UM Broad Key station.
Pre/Corequisite: MSC 366.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 366. Tropical Coastal Ecosystems. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide a comprehensive background on the ecology, conservation, and restoration of the three main tropical coastal ecosystems: Mangroves, Seagrasses, and Coral Reefs. The first part of the course will consist of a review of ecological theory, followed by lectures on the dynamics of the three ecosystems, including diversity, community structure, stress ecology, management tools, and novel restoration paradigms. Classes will complemented by student presentations, in-class activities, and media-outreach projects. Readings for this class will include a required textbook and papers from the primary literature. Grades will be based on exams, quizzes, in-class projects, and student presentations.
Prerequisite: MSC 230 or BIL 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 370. Current Research in Marine Biology: Seminars and Discussion. 2 Credit Hours.
These discussions and seminars comprising a 2 cr course provide well-prepared undergraduate students interested in marine research with an introduction to graduate student-presented science in the specialization of marine biology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSC 371. Readings in Marine Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Library research with faculty supervision. Bibliography to be submitted in preparation for laboratory and/or field research project. (No more than 6 credits in total from MSC371, MSC411, and MSC412 can be counted towards any of the RSMAS major or minor requirements with no more than 3 credits from each course.)
Permission of Instructor.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSC 372. Special Topics in Marine Science. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in class schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MSC 373. Writing the GRFP and Graduate School Applications. 1 Credit Hour.
Writing the GRFP (graduate research fellow proposal) and Graduate School Applications is a practical course for undergraduate students interested in applying to graduate school next year or in the future. We will review NSF guidelines for the GRFP and both discuss and implement the steps for this proposal and graduate school applications. Basic tips on writing will be covered. Students will write a two page research statement and three page personal statement for the GRFP and then will modify these statements to use in graduate school applications. Students will be involved in reading and providing constructive criticisms to their fellow classmates. (No more than 3 credits in total from MSC370-level courses can be counted towards the MSC major or minor requirements).
Required: Junior or Senior Standing.
Components: DIS.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 380. Field Studies in Marine and Aquatic Science. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Field course to selected marine, estuarine and/or aquatic sites in the United States and abroad. Travel fee may be required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSC 381. Marine Field Ornithology. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Waterbirds such as seabirds, shorebirds, and wading birds are key components of the marine ecosystem, including pelagic, coastal, and estuarine communities. As ecological indicators waterbird abundance provides a proxy for the health of these environments. Waterbirds have also served as important model systems for studies of behavior, evolutionary biology, and ecological theory. This course will provide an introduction to waterbird biology and conservation, including a variety of different field trips to waterbird communities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSC 390. Advanced Studies in Marine Science. 1-5 Credit Hours.
For transfer courses taken at other institutions that have no direct equivalents at UM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MSC 391. Advanced Studies in Marine Policy. 1-5 Credit Hours.
For transfer courses taken at other institutions that have no direct equivalents at UM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MSC 401. Ocean Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to the mathematical description of fluid flows in the ocean. Topics covered include a review of vector calculus, conservation equations, the Euler and Navier-Stokes equations, flow kinematics, Eulerian and Lagrangian descriptions of fluid flows, vorticity dynamics, rotation effects including the Coriolis force and geostrophy, wind forcing, an introduction to turbulence, surface gravity waves, stratification and internal waves.
Prerequisite: MTH 162 and PHY 202 or PHY 221 or equivalent and Pre/Corequisite: MSC 301 and MTH 211 or MTH 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 402. Ocean Acidification. 3 Credit Hours.
Ocean Acidification is the ongoing decrease in the pH of the Earth's oceans, caused by the uptake of carbon dioxide (CO2) from the atmosphere. In this course students will learn about its impacts on important biogeochemical and biological processes.
Prerequisite: MSC 215 and MSC 216 and Pre or Corequisite: MSC 218.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 403. Marine Environmental Toxicology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide an introduction to the principles of environmental toxicology with an emphasis on marine ecosystems, considering a variety of different classes of toxicants, how they can impact marine organisms, the scientific methods used to assess impacts, and the regulatory frameworks used to monitor and manage their release to the environment.
Prerequisite: BIL 255 and (CHM 112 or CHM 121).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MSC 404. Marine Organismal and Environmental Health. 1 Credit Hour.
This 1-credit course will complement salt water semester courses. (Must have taken MSC403 or MSC333 and either MSC466 or MSC326 and MSC463). Students will be required to collect and analyze samples, interpret their findings and present them in a formal laboratory report due two weeks after the trip. Students will also be required to give a presentation they have prepared before the trip and attend two seminars on Marine Organismal and Environmental Health topics.
Pre/Corequisite: MSC 327 or MSC 333 or MSC 403 or MSC 466 or MSC 326 and MSC 463.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 405. Observational Oceanography. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to measurement systems and data analysis techniques that are commonly used by oceanographers. Sensors and data types to be discussed include shipboard observations (CTD [conductivity-temperature-depth], ADCP [acoustic Doppler current profiler] and others), moored instrumentation, gliders, submerged floats, surface drifters, and satellite measurements. The use of most types of instrumentation that are discussed will be demonstrated in a laboratory setting and/or at sea. (Several one-day instructional cruises on the R/V Walton Smith are anticipated during the semesters that this course is offered. Students enrolled in this course are expected to participate on one of those cruises.) Basic oceanographic data analysis is also discussed, including use of computational tools to access archived oceanographic data sets.
Prerequisite: MSC 204 and MSC 215 or Pre/Corequisite: MSC 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 406. Tropical Marine Ecology: Sampling, Monitoring, and Restoration Methods. 4 Credit Hours.
This course integrates lectures, discussions and authentic research on the ecology, conservation, and restoration of the three main tropical coastal ecosystems found in South Florida: Mangroves, Seagrasses, and Coral Reefs. This research intensive course focuses on the application of field sampling methods and integrate ecological theory to define the health and success of coastal ecosystems. This course is part of Saltwater Semester so that students can be actively involved in intensive research. As part of the Saltwater Semester, students are required to enroll in four of the 4-credit Saltwater Semester courses (16 credits) where each course meets for 3 weeks at the Marine campus.
Prerequisite: MSC 230 Or BIL 230 And MSC 232 And Corequisite: MSC 407 and MSC 408 and MSC 409.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 407. Molecular Ecology and Physiology of Reef Coral Symbioses. 4 Credit Hours.
Reef corals requires an intracellular symbiont to succeed. This course integrates lectures and molecular genetic research to quantify this symbiotic relationship. Students will be involved in research to define and quantify coral-symbionts interactions and how these interactions influences coral physiology and success. This course is part of Saltwater Semester so that students can be actively involved in intensive research. As part of the Saltwater Semester, students are required to enroll in four of the 4-credit Saltwater Semester courses (16 credits) where each course meets for 3 weeks at the Marine campus.
Prerequisite: MSC 230 Or BIL 230 And Corequisite: MSC 406 and MSC 408 and MSC 409.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 408. Climate Change: Limits of Marine invertebrate Adaptability. 4 Credit Hours.
This course integrates lectures, discussions and authentic research on the effect of global climate change on the success of marine invertebrates. Students will be involved in research to understand how the predicted changes in the ocean environment (temperature, oxygen, and pH) affects the ability for marine organisms to acclimatize and adapt to these environments. This course is part of Saltwater Semester so that students can be actively involved in intensive research. As part of the Saltwater Semester, students are required to enroll in four of the 4-credit Saltwater Semester courses (16 credits) where each course meets for 3 weeks at the Marine campus.
Prerequisite: MSC 230 Or BIL 230 And MSC 232 And BIL 255 And Corequisite: MSC 406 and MSC 407 and MSC 409.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 409. Coral Immunology and Microbiology. 4 Credit Hours.
This course integrates lectures, discussions and authentic research on coral immunology and microbiology for students to learn how the coral immune response and the coral associated microbes affect coral success. This research-intensive course integrates coral microbiome analysis with immunology assays to generate data on coral wellbeing. This course is part of Saltwater Semester so that students can be actively involved in intensive research. As part of the Saltwater Semester, students are required to enroll in four of the 4-credit Saltwater Semester courses (16 credits) where each course meets for 3 weeks at the Marine campus.
Prerequisite: MSC 230 Or BIL 230 And MSC 232 And Corequisite: MSC 406 and MSC 407 and MSC 408.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MSC 410. Marine Conservation Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Nature of marine biodiversity, what threatens it, and what can be done to recover the biological integrity of estuaries, coastal seas, and oceans. Topics include: distinctive aspects of marine populations and ecosystems; threats to marine biological diversity, singly and in combination; place-based management of marine ecosystems; and the human dimensions of marine conservation.
Junior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 411. Research in Marine Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual, independent research projects with faculty supervision. A formal written report is required. (No more than 6 credits in total from MSC371, MSC411, and MSC412 can be counted towards the MSC major or minor requirements.)
Requisite: Junior or Senior Standing.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MSC 412. Undergraduate Thesis in Marine Science. 1 Credit Hour.
Students will write a formal thesis summarizing the results of independent research carried out under faculty supervision.
MSC 411 AND Senior Standing.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MSC 415. Coral Reef Science and Management. 3 Credit Hours.
The interdisciplinary nature of coral reef science and management: biological, environmental, ecological and socioeconomic aspects of coral reef science, coral reef management problems and approaches at local to global scales, and the implications of climate change for coral reef science and management.
Prerequisite: MSC 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 417. Marine Biota and Biogeochemical Cycles. 3 Credit Hours.
The distribution of dissolved particulate materials in the sea is not uniform in time or space. Variability in these reflects the diverse biological sources, transformations, and sinks of chemical constituents in the sea. This course focuses on the role of marine organisms in marine biogeochemical cycling, with particular emphasis on the marine carbon and the nutrients. We visualize and query the ocean system using publicly available global ocean data sets and the application Ocean Data View. The material is presented as a capstone bringing together the physical, chemical and biological dynamics of the ocean as a single system.
Prerequisite: MSC 215.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 418. Climate Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Climate Law evaluates the interactions between climate and the law, with an emphasis on existing laws and the gaps in current legislation related to the climate environment. The course will analyze court cases, domestic and foreign laws, treaties, and international conventions. In addition, the course will examine how climate manipulation requires an international model for the future.
Prerequisite: ATM 220 or MSC 220 and Requisite: Junior or Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MSC 419. Microbial Geochemistry of the Ocean. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of how microbes respond to and modify the chemistry of the ocean, focusing on the geochemical consequences and signatures of microbial activity in the ocean. Microbes form the base of the food chain and are responsible for essential chemical transformations that control important processes on Earth, including the production of atmospheric oxygen, and the consumption of carbon dioxide and transformation to organic carbon which fuels the rest of life in the ocean. This course will build a quantitative framework for understanding the chemical inputs and outputs of microbial metabolism, and the role these microbial processes play in controlling chemical fluxes in the ocean. This will address how biological origins, metabolic reworking, and physical phase influence the distribution and fluxes of organic matter in the marine carbon cycle on both short and long timescales.
Prerequisite: MSC 111 and MSC 215 and BIL 150 or BIL 160.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MSC 420. Political Ecology of the Galapagos. 3 Credit Hours.
This field course in the Galapagos National Park offers a rare chance to examine the human interactions in this highly politicized landscape of conservation. Students practice the political ecology approach for doing ethnographic field work and explore how it can lead to wiser resource management. Part of UGalapagos semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSC 421. Terrestrial Biology and Adaptations of the Galapagos. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will examine the terrestrial plant and animal life of Isabela Island, discuss the biology and how it adapted to life on Isabela. Through field and laboratory exercises we will explore the power of organisms' DNA in shaping life into unique forms like those famously present in today's Galapagos. Part of UGalapagos semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 422. Marine Ecology of the Galapagos. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on marine ecosystems of the Galapagos, emphasizing near-shore environments. Topics will include how the unique location and oceanography of the Galapagos have shaped the species composition of resident and migrant marine animals. The role of genetic drift, local habitat characteristics and natural selection on marine ecosystems will be examined. This is a field intensive course with time spent in intertidal, near-shore and off-shore island environments. Part of UGalapagos semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 423. Marine Conservation Biology and Fisheries of the Galapagos. 3 Credit Hours.
The Galápagos are located in a uniquely productive area of the sea, which has allowed the development of rich and unique marine biota. The first week of the course will carry the students through the dynamic, climatic, and oceanographic circumstances that determine the unique character of the Galapagos. The second week will cover scientific evaluation of the threats to the marine biodiversity of the Galapagos, focusing on sharks, penguins, sea turtles and other at-risk species and habitats. Part of UGalapagos semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 424. Origin and Geology of the Galapagos Islands. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will explore the origin and geology of volcanic oceanic islands, using the Galapagos Islands as a natural laboratory. Though all share a common origin in plate tectonic theory, each island presents a host of environments that originate in the processes of volcanic action, erosion and hydrology. Individual islands therefore develop distinctive ecosystems within which organisms interact and evolve. The emphasis of this course will be to lay out the underlying geological processes that have led to the formation of the islands and to their present state, and then to explore the ways the physical environment has influenced adaptation and biodiversity. Part of UGalapagos semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSC 425. Galapagos Community-Based Research and Service. 2 Credit Hours.
Individual, civic engagement activities identified in consultation with the people, national park and local government of Puerto Villamil, Isla Isabela, as part of the marine science semester program in the Galapagos Islands. Student research and service is faculty supervised and concluded by submission of a formal written report. This course may not be counted towards the MSC elective requirement for majors or minors.
Components: PRA.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSC 426. Research in Microbial Genomics. 4 Credit Hours.
This course integrates lecture and laboratory studies to focus on the structure, function, evolution, mapping and editing of microbial genomes belonging to the three domains of life: Archaea, Bacteria and Eukarya.
Prerequisites: BIL 150 and BIL 151 and BIL 160 and BIL 161 and BIL 250.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 427. Field experience in the Galapagos. 2 Credit Hours.
Three week Summer I field course explores the flora, fauna, geology, and society of the Galapagos Islands.
Prerequisite: MSC 111 or ECS 111 or Permission of Instructor.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.
MSC 432. Comparative Ecology of Terrestrial and Marine Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
A comparison of various biotic and abiotic controls on terrestrial and marine ecosystems is undertaken. The course stresses proximate mechanisms and underlying evolutionary processes. Analysis methods and models of various ecosystems are compared and critiqued. Issues involved in sustainability and conservation of resources are discussed in relation to agriculture, fisheries and forestry. The importance of biodiversity and climate change in the future of ecosystems is stressed.
Prerequisite: MTH 162. And BIL 330. Or ECS 232.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MSC 460. Spatial Applications in Marine Science. 3 Credit Hours.
The concepts and marine applications of Geographic Information Systems. Every class period will entail short class lectures and hands on computer based GIS exercise on marine science related issues. Students will learn how to use ArcGIS Desktop or Arc Pro.
Prerequisite: MSC 111 and MSC 112 and Requisite: Junior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSC 462. Marine Biomedicine. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will cover diverse bioactive molecules that are derived from marine sources ranging from sponges to sharks. The isolation and characterization of these compounds as well as their potential application in clinical medicine and human health will be reviewed. The class will also cover marine-derived factors used in biotechnology and marine animal models used in biomedical research with an emphasis on marine immunology.
Prerequisite: BIL 255 and (CHM 112 or CHM 121).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MSC 463. Conservation Genomics. 4 Credit Hours.
This course integrates lectures, discussions and research on genetics and genomics to understand population biology, conservation, and susceptibility of endangered species to extinction and the effect of invasive species on natural communities. This research intensive course sequences genomes and uses the data to better understand the health of species and ecological communities. This course is part of Saltwater Semester so that students can be actively involved in intensive research. As part of the Saltwater Semester, students are required to enroll in four of the 4-credit Saltwater Semester courses (16 credits) where each course meets for 3 weeks at the Marine campus.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 160 And MSC 230 Or BIL 230 And Corequisite: MSC 326 and MSC 466 and MSC 467.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 464. Marine Comparative Immunology Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
The laboratory course will cover immunology techniques used in the assessment of immune function and immune reactivity in diverse marine taxa from sponges to fish to mammals.
Prerequisite or Co-requisite: MSC 465.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 465. Marine Comparative Immunology. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will cover immune function in diverse marine taxa from sponges to fish and the evolution of innate and adaptive immune mechanisms from a comparative point of view, with an emphasis on shark and fish immunology. Adaptations related to living in a microbe-rich marine environment will be highlighted. Potential applications of research findings will be addressed with respect to conservation and aquaculture. The role of invertebrate and vertebrate models in the study of the evolution of the immune system and applications for human health and medicine will be discussed.
Prerequisite: BIL 255.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 466. Experimental Physiology. 4 Credit Hours.
This course integrates lectures, discussions and research. Topics will include homeostasis, interactions with the external environment, and life with limited oxygen and water. Lectures will be highly discussion-based; students will be expected to read primary research articles as suggested by the professor before lecture to foster participation in those discussions and form hypotheses about accompanying laboratory. Each lab will be written up as a formal laboratory report (i.e., Introduction, Materials and Methods, Results and Discussion). This course is part of Saltwater Semester so that students can be actively involved in intensive research. As part of the Saltwater Semester, students are required to enroll in four of the 4-credit Saltwater Semester courses (16 credits) where each course meets for 3 weeks at the Marine campus.
Prerequisite: BIL 255 And Corequisite: MSC 326 and MSC 463 and MSC 467.
Components: HRK.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MSC 467. Marine Animal Neurophysiology and Behavior. 4 Credit Hours.
This course integrates lectures, discussions and research on neural and endocrine systems in marine animal models, and how these systems work together to control elements of physiology, sensation and perception of the environment and behavior. This course is part of Saltwater Semester so that students can be actively involved in intensive research. As part of the Saltwater Semester, students are required to enroll in four of the 4-credit Saltwater Semester courses (16 credits) where each course meets for 3 weeks at the Marine campus.
Prerequisite: BIL 230 Or MSC 230 And BIL 255 And Corequisite: MSC 326 and MSC 463 and MSC 466.
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B.S.M.A.S in Marine Science / Biology
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**Option 1:**
- **PHY 201** University Physics I for the Sciences
- **PHY 106** College Physics Laboratory I
- **PHY 202** University Physics II for the Sciences
- **PHY 108** College Physics Laboratory II

**Option 2:**
- **PHY 221** University Physics I
- **PHY 222** University Physics II
- **PHY 223** University Physics III
- **PHY 224** University Physics II Lab
  or **PHY 225** University Physics III Lab

**Option 3:**
- **PHY 101** College Physics I
- **PHY 102** College Physics II
- **PHY 106** College Physics Laboratory I
- **PHY 108** College Physics Laboratory II

### Electives

- **Arts and Humanities Cognate Courses** 9
- **People and Society Cognate Courses** 9

**Total Credit Hours** 122-123

1. At least 6 of which must be at the 300-level or higher. MSC 204 does not satisfy the MSC elective requirement but does satisfy the Statistics requirement.
2. The electives must include at least one lab or field based course. One advanced biology course may fulfill requirements in both Biology and Marine Science.
3. Principles of Chemistry must be passed with a grade of “C-” or higher.
4. Calculus I must be passed with a grade of “C-” or higher.
5. Option 1 is recommended for Physics.

### Suggested Plan of Study

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* 6 elective courses must include:
  * 3 Arts and Humanities Cognate courses
  * 3 People and Society Cognate courses

1 Students must take one laboratory from MSC 216, MSC 302.
2 Recommended elective to take for the Marine Science/Biology major.
3 Student will need to take 2 additional elective credits in MSC if the course can be counted for Biology only and not also Marine Science.
Mission
The mission of the Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science is to deepen our collective knowledge of our planet through cutting-edge scientific research on the oceans, atmosphere, geology, biota, and the human dimension, while training the next generation of scientists. We transfer the knowledge gained to our students, the national and international scientific community, and to policymakers and the public.

The educational mission of the BS degree in Marine Science at the University of Miami is to graduate students with the ability and desire to integrate knowledge of marine science into their future careers.

Goals
Students completing this double major will be able to master a broad set of fundamental scientific knowledge in Marine Science and Biology, acquire valuable technical skills and learn how to apply this knowledge to real-world problems, in a time of increasing stress on marine environment. The program will provide the rigor, flexibility, depth and integration to enable students to:

- Design and pursue their course of study that meets requirements of a double major in Marine Science and Biology.
- Learn from the diverse and outstanding group of professors and researchers who are experts in their fields and have active research programs.
- Undertake active research experiences, which will allow them to gain a strong understanding of the scientific process and provide them with a set of valuable experimental and computational skills.
- Prepare themselves for graduate school and for successful careers in public and private industries.

Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will demonstrate an ability to communicate effectively.
- Students will develop analytical and quantitative skills to allow critical data analysis.
- Students will be able to do carry out supervised research in the field of marine science.

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- GSC 110  The Earth System
- GSC 111  Earth System History
- MSC 424  Origin and Geology of the Galapagos Islands.

MTH 161  Calculus I  4
or MTH 171  Calculus I

MTH 162  Calculus II  4
or MTH 172  Calculus II

MTH 210  Introduction to Linear Algebra  3
MTH 309  Discrete Mathematics I  3
MTH 311  Introduction to Ordinary Differential Equations  3

MSC 204  Environmental Statistics  3
or MTH 224  Introduction to Probability and Statistics

Select one of the following options: 10

Option 1:
- PHY 201  University Physics I for the Sciences
- PHY 106  College Physics Laboratory I
- PHY 202  University Physics II for the Sciences
- PHY 108  College Physics Laboratory II

Option 2:
- PHY 221  University Physics I
- PHY 222  University Physics II
- PHY 223  University Physics III
- PHY 224  University Physics II Lab
  or PHY 225  University Physics III Lab

Electives

Arts and Humanities Cognate Courses  9
People and Society Cognate Courses  9
300+ Level Elective  3
Total Credit Hours  120-121

**Suggested Plan of Study**

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**B.S.M.A.S. in Marine Science / Chemistry**

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The Bachelor of Science double major in Marine Science/Chemistry prepares students for admission to graduate programs and for careers in teaching and research as well as for technical careers in government and private industries concerned with the oceans.

**Curriculum Requirements**

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**Other Required Courses**

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Any 500-level Chemistry course as described for Chemistry BS majors

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At least 6 of which must be at the 300-level or higher. MSC 204 does not satisfy the MSC elective requirement but does satisfy the Statistics requirement.

CHM 401 also fulfills an MSC elective requirement.

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## Suggested Plan of Study

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| MSC 216 | Chemical Oceanography Laboratory | 1 |
| GSC 111 | Earth System History | 4 |
| ENG 107 | English Composition II: Science and Technology | 3 |
| MTH 162 | Calculus II | 4 |
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| CHM 320 | Instrumental Methods in Chemistry and Biochemistry | 2 |
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Marine Science/Geological Sciences

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- BIL 150 & BIL 151 General Biology and General Biology Laboratory | 5 |
- BIL 160 & BIL 161 Evolution and Biodiversity and Evolution and Biodiversity Laboratory |
- CHM 121 Principles of Chemistry | 4 |
- CHM 113 Chemistry Laboratory I | 1 |
- ENG 105 English Composition I | 3 |
- or ENG 106 English Composition II: Science and Technology | 3 |
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- GSC 380 Paleontology and Stratigraphy | 4 |
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**Option 1:**  
- PHY 201: University Physics I for the Sciences  
- PHY 106: College Physics Laboratory I  
- PHY 202: University Physics II for the Sciences  
- PHY 108: College Physics Laboratory II

**Option 2:**  
- PHY 221: University Physics I  
- PHY 222: University Physics II  
- PHY 223: University Physics III  
- PHY 224: University Physics II Lab  
  or PHY 225: University Physics III Lab

**Option 3:**  
- PHY 101: College Physics I  
- PHY 102: College Physics II  
- PHY 106: College Physics Laboratory I  
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### Electives

- Arts and Humanities Cognate Courses: 9 credit hours
- People and Society Cognate Courses: 9 credit hours

**Total Credit Hours:** 124-125

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1. At least 6 of which must be at the 300-level or higher. MSC 204 does not satisfy the MSC elective requirement but does satisfy the Statistics requirement.
2. One course in Geological Sciences may fulfill requirements in both Marine Science and Geological Sciences.
3. Principles of Chemistry must be passed with a grade of “C-” or higher.
4. Calculus I must be passed with a grade of “C-” or higher.
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## Suggested Plan of Study

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**Mission**

The mission of the Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science is to deepen our collective knowledge of our planet through cutting-edge scientific research on the oceans, atmosphere, geology, biota, and the human dimension, while training the next generation of scientists. We transfer the knowledge gained to our students, the national and international scientific community, and to policymakers and the public.

The educational mission of the BS degree in Marine Science at the University of Miami is to graduate students with the ability and desire to integrate knowledge of marine science into their future careers.

**Goals**

Students completing this double major will be able to master a broad set of fundamental scientific knowledge in Marine Science and Geology, acquire valuable technical skills and learn how to apply this knowledge to real-world problems, in a time of increasing stress on Earth’s resources and environment. The program will provide the rigor, flexibility, depth and integration to enable students to:

- Design and pursue their course of study that meets requirements of a double major in Marine Science and Geology.
- Learn from the diverse and outstanding group of professors and researchers who are experts in their fields and have active research programs.
- Undertake active research experiences, which will allow them to gain a strong understanding of the scientific process and provide them with a set of valuable experimental and computational skills.
- Prepare themselves for graduate school and for successful careers in public and private industries.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Students will demonstrate an ability to communicate effectively.
- Students will develop analytical and quantitative skills to allow critical data analysis.
- Students will be able to do carry out supervised research in the field of marine science.

**B.S.M.A.S. in Marine Science / Meteorology**

**Marine Science/Meteorology**

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### Goals

Students completing this double major will be able to master a broad set of fundamental scientific knowledge in Marine Science and Meteorology, acquire valuable technical skills and learn how to apply this knowledge to real-world problems, in a time of changing climate and increasing stress on Earth's resources and environment. The program will provide the rigor, flexibility, depth and integration to enable students to:

- Design and pursue their course of study that meets requirements of a double major in Marine Science and Meteorology
- Learn from the diverse and outstanding group of professors and researchers who are experts in their fields and have active research programs
- Undertake active research experiences, which will allow them to gain a strong understanding of the scientific process and provide them with a set of valuable experimental and computational skills
- Prepare themselves for graduate school and for successful careers in public and private industries.

### Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will demonstrate an ability to communicate effectively.
- Students will develop analytical and quantitative skills to allow critical data analysis.
- Students will be able to do carry out supervised research in the field of marine science.
- Meteorology students will be able to apply concepts from physics to the atmosphere of a rotating planet, to solve basic problems.
- Students will be able to apply the basic concepts of thermodynamics to the atmosphere.
- Students will learn the structure and chemistry of the troposphere and stratosphere and apply this to air quality and environmental science applications.

### B.S.M.A.S. in Marine Science / Microbiology and Immunology

**Marine Science/Microbiology and Immunology**

The Marine Science/Microbiology and Immunology degree is a Bachelor of Science degree (BSMAS) that is designed to give students a strong background in molecular and cellular aspects of microbial pathogenesis and immune defenses. The ocean, which is teeming with microbes, is explored to highlight the complex biological interactions between microbes and their hosts and the environmental factors that influence these relationships. This program is ideal for students interested in the relationship between the ocean and human health and medicine as well as those interested in pursuing a pre-medical or pre-veterinary track.
Undergraduate students are encouraged to work with the faculty and are able to earn course credit by conducting independent research under the supervision of leading scientists in their field. Research encompasses ocean and human health, medicine, and molecular and cellular aspects of microbial pathogenesis and immune defenses.

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MSC 216    Chemical Oceanography Laboratory ²    1
BMB 401    Biochemistry for the Biomedical Sciences    4
MSC Course
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Elective # 6

Credit Hours

Total Credit Hours

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B.S.M.A.S. in Marine Science / Physics

Marine Science/Physics

The Marine Science/Physics degree is a Bachelor of Science degree (BSMAS) that is designed to give students a strong background in the study of the spatial and temporal variability in the ocean. Measurements from current meters, profilers and satellites are used to develop models of ocean circulation, water and heat transport, and effects of circulation patterns on the biology and chemistry of the ocean.

Undergraduate students are encouraged to work with the faculty and are able to earn course credit by conducting independent research under the supervision of leading scientists in their field. Research at UM focuses on ocean/atmosphere interactions, remote sensing, biophysical interactions, and the ocean's effect on weather and climate.

The Bachelor of Science double major in Marine Science/Physics prepares students for admission to graduate programs and for careers in teaching and research as well as for technical careers in government and private industries concerned with the oceans.

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- GSC 110 | The Earth System
- GSC 111 | Earth System History
- MSC 424 | Origin and Geology of the Galapagos Islands.
- MTH 161 | Calculus I
  - or MTH 171 | Calculus I
- MTH 162 | Calculus II
  - or MTH 172 | Calculus II
- MTH 210 | Introduction to Linear Algebra
- MTH 211 | Calculus III
  - or MTH 310 | Multivariable Calculus
- MTH 311 | Introduction to Ordinary Differential Equations
- MSC 204 | Environmental Statistics
  - or MTH 224 | Introduction to Probability and Statistics

Select one of following:

- MSC 203 | Foundations of Computational Marine Science
- RSM 521 | Object-Oriented Programming and Agent-Based Modelling
- CSC 120 | Computer Programming I
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- Arts and Humanities Cognate Courses: 9
- People and Society Cognate Courses: 9

**Total Credit Hours:** 120-122

1. At least 6 of which must be at the 300-level or higher. MSC 204 does not satisfy the MSC elective requirement but does satisfy the Statistics requirement.
2. Principles of Chemistry must be passed with a grade of "C-" or higher.
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**Suggested Plan of Study**

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**Sophomore Year**

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**Junior Year**  
**Fall**  
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PHY 350 Intermediate Electricity and Magnetism 3  
PHY 360 Introduction to Modern Physics 3  
Elective #3 3  

**Credit Hours** 16  

**Spring**  
MSC 215 Chemical Oceanography 3  
MSC 216 Chemical Oceanography Laboratory 1  
PHY 321 Thermodynamics and Kinetic Theory 3  
PHY 340 Classical Mechanics I 3  
MSC 204 Environmental Statistics 3  
Elective #4 3  

**Credit Hours** 16  

**Senior Year**  
**Fall**  
MSC Course 3  
MSC Course 3  
PHY 362 Modern Physics Honors Seminar 1  
PHY 540 Classical Mechanics II 3  
PHY 560 Quantum Mechanics and Modern Physics I 3  
Elective #5 3  

**Credit Hours** 16  

**Spring**  
MSC Course 3  
MSC Course 3  
PHY 351 Intermediate Electricity and Magnetism II 3  
Elective #6 3  

**Credit Hours** 12  

**Total Credit Hours** 122  

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Marine Science with a Second Major

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The Bachelor of Science in Marine Science is a full double major program that requires a major in Marine Science through the Rosenstiel School and a second major in one of the sciences. Approved second majors in Applied Physics, Biochemistry, Engineering (all disciplines), and Mathematics may be taken. Students interested in adding a second major in one of these disciplines should review the Applied Physics (http://bulletin.miami.edu/undergraduate-academic-programs/arts-sciences/physics/physics-applied-physics-bs/), Biochemistry (http://bulletin.miami.edu/undergraduate-academic-programs/arts-sciences/biochemistry-molecular-biology/biochemistry-molecular-biology-nutrition-bs/), Engineering (all disciplines) (http://bulletin.miami.edu/undergraduate-academic-programs/engineering/), or Mathematics (http://bulletin.miami.edu/undergraduate-academic-programs/arts-sciences/mathematics/mathematics-ba-bs/) pages for additional requirements. Each of the areas of concentration constitutes a rigorous program requiring 120-130 credit hours for graduation.

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3. At least 6 of which must be at the 300-level or higher. MSC 204 does not satisfy the MSC elective requirement but does satisfy the Statistics requirement. Three credits may double count for both MSC and the second major if approved by advisor.
4. Principles of Chemistry must be passed with a grade of "C-" or higher.
5. Calculus I must be passed with a grade of "C-" or higher.
6. Option 1 or 2 is recommended for Physics. Option 2 (University Physics) is required for Engineering and Applied Physics.
7. MSC 203 or RSM 521 is required for Applied Physics, Engineering, and Mathematics.
8. Students should review the Applied Physics (p. 558), Biochemistry (p. 189), Engineering (all disciplines) (p. 1044), or Mathematics (p. 462) page for the second major requirements and credits needed.

Suggested Plan of Study - Marine Science/Biochemistry

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Total Credit Hours: 127-128

* 7 elective courses must include:
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1 A total of 6 elective credits in BMB, including at least 2 elective credits in a BMB lab course, must be taken per the Biochemistry Requirements from the following: BMB 145, BMB 245, BMB 402, or BMB 545. BMB 402 is a sample BMB lab course.

** Students interested in adding a second major in Biochemistry should review the Biochemistry (p. 189) page for the official requirements needed. This is a suggested plan of study only.

### Suggested Plan of Study - Marine Science/Mathematics (Applied Analysis)

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Elective #3

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MSC 215 Chemical Oceanography 3
MSC 216 Chemical Oceanography Laboratory 1
MSC Course 3
MTH 512 Elementary Complex Analysis 3
Elective #4 3
Elective #5 3

Credit Hours 15

Senior Year

Fall
MSC Course 3
MTH 433 Advanced Calculus 3
MTH 513 Partial Differential Equations I 3
Elective #6 3
Elective #7 3

Credit Hours 16

Spring
MSC Course 3
MSC Course 3
MTH 461 Survey of Modern Algebra 3
MTH 514 Partial Differential Equations II 3

Credit Hours 12

Total Credit Hours 120

* 7 elective courses must include:
  • 3 Arts and Humanities Cognate courses
  • 3 People and Society Cognate courses
  • MSC 203 or RSM 521 is required for Applied Physics, Engineering, and Mathematics.

** Students interested in adding a second major in Mathematics should review the Mathematics (http://bulletin.miami.edu/undergraduate-academic-programs/arts-sciences/mathematics/mathematics-ba-bs/) page for the official requirements needed. This is a suggested plan of study only.

Mission

The mission of the Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science is to deepen our collective knowledge of our planet through cutting-edge scientific research on the oceans, atmosphere, geology, biota, and the human dimension, while training the next generation of scientists. We transfer the knowledge gained to our students, the national and international scientific community, and to policymakers and the public.

The educational mission of the BS degree in Marine Science at the University of Miami is to graduate students with the ability and desire to integrate knowledge of marine science into their future careers.

Goals

Students completing this double major will be able to master a broad set of fundamental scientific knowledge, acquire valuable technical skills and learn how to apply this knowledge to real-world problems, in a time of increasing stress on Earth’s resources and environment. The program will provide the rigor, flexibility, depth and integration to enable students to:

• Design and pursue their course of study that meets requirements of a double major.
• Learn from the diverse and outstanding group of professors and researchers who are experts in their fields and have active research programs.
• Undertake active research experiences, which will allow them to gain a strong understanding of the scientific process and provide them with a set of valuable experimental and computational skills.
• Prepare themselves for graduate school and for successful careers in public and private industries.

Student Learning Outcomes
Students will demonstrate an ability to communicate effectively.
Students will develop analytical and quantitative skills to allow critical data analysis.
Students will be able to carry out supervised research in the field of marine science.

Minor in Marine Science

Overview
The Marine Science minor introduces the student to the study of the world's oceans: their physical and biological constituents, the influence of oceanic resources on human society and the conservation and future development of those resources.

Curriculum Requirements

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* Students majoring in the RSMAS Undergraduate Program should replace MSC 111 and MSC 112 with an additional elective, and all electives must be above and beyond those used for the major.

** Most courses within this minor require at least one Science requisite. Students should review all courses and requirements before planning your studies and declaring the minor.

*** At least 6 of which must be at the 300-level or higher.

**** Only those courses passed with a grade of “C-” or higher may be applied to the major or minor. The Marine Science minor fulfills the requirements of the STEM cognate.

Oceanography

Dept. Code: OCE

Oceanography

The BSMAS in Oceanography is designed to give students a broad overview of the ocean sciences (physical, chemical, biological and geological oceanography, and ocean-atmosphere interactions as they relate to weather and climate) and specialized knowledge in one or more subdisciplines. Students are encouraged, but not required, to complete a second major in Chemistry, Physics, Biology, Geological Sciences, Meteorology, Mathematics, Computer Science or Engineering.

OCE 503. Physical Oceanography. 3 Credit Hours.

Introduction to properties of seawater, instruments and methods, heat budget, general ocean circulation, formation of water masses, dynamics of circulation, regional oceanography, waves, tides, and sea level. A mathematical and problem solving course for majors in MPO.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OCE 508. Introduction to Ocean Systems Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.

This course will provide a survey introduction to various aspects of ocean systems engineering. This is a required course for all students enrolled in the Master of Science (non-thesis) in Ocean Engineering Program. It is intended to be taught in the first term of their studies, before they have fully refined their courses. It could also be of interest to graduate students in OCE and upper level undergraduate engineering, marine science or mathematics majors who are seeking to inform themselves on the breadth of study in ocean engineering.

Prerequisite: Senior Standing and Prerequisites: MTH 211 and MTH 311 and PHY 102 or PHY 202 or PHY 206.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
OCE 509. Coastal Physics and Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Course addresses linear wave theory, wave statistics, wave generation, tides, wind-driven currents, nearshore circulation, sediment transport by waves and currents, bedforms, bedload, and suspended load. Other topics include longshore and cross-shore transport, equilibrium beach profiles, coastal processes models, Pelnard-Considere model for shoreline change, and Escoufier model for inlet stability.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OCE 511. Geophysical Fluid Dynamics I. 3 Credit Hours.
The basic equations of state, continuity, and motion. Topics include wave motions, group velocity, theory of stratified fluids and internal waves turbulence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OCE 512. Marine Organic Geochemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Broad introduction to the chemical constituents comprising organic matter in marine environments. This course will address how biological origins, dietary and detrital reworking, and physical phase influence the distribution and fluxes of organic matter in the marine carbon cycle, on both short and long timescales. Topics will address both the water column and sediments, in open-ocean and coastal environments. Students may choose topics of specific interest to their research for presentations and writing assignments (subject to instructor approval). The first half of the course will focus on the chemistry and physical phases of organic matter; the second half will focus on discussing the application of organic geochemical tools to environmental questions via the primary literature.
Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OCE 522. Marine Microbial Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of the function of microbes in the ocean from a chemical perspective, building a quantitative understanding of cellular needs and metabolic functions, and the role these microbial processes play in controlling chemical fluxes and biogeochemical cycles in the ocean.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OCE 531. Ocean Data Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Useful and widely used ocean data analysis techniques are discussed. Topics covered include: a review of statistical concepts and linear algebra; time series analysis; least squares and regression techniques; principal component analysis; optimization and inverse methods; and simple models of ocean processes. Computational methods are emphasized. Choice of the material covered is dictated in part by student interests.
Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

OCE 536. Hurricanes. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is intended to provide a broad overview of tropical cyclones, starting from the basic structure, dynamics and thermodynamics, then expanding through to observations, modeling, forecasting and impacts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OCE 537. Natural Hazards: Atmosphere and Ocean. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide students with an understanding of natural hazards in both the atmosphere and ocean. In the atmosphere, we will explore both weather events such as storms and hurricanes and tornadoes as well as longer term phenomena such as monsoons and excess rainfall in the tropics. Oceanographically, the course will address hazards such as storm surge and flooding, rogue waves, rip currents, and tsunamis that occur on short time scales as well as the longer terms effects such as sea level rise and the impacts of El Niño and La Niña oceanographic conditions on weather conditions. Thus, the course focus is on hazards and their impacts around the globe.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
OCE 542. Physics of Remote Sensing I - Passive Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Course discusses basic physical principles of remote sensing with emphasis on optical and passive systems. Topics include orbital dynamics, sampling issues, fundamental laws of electromagnetic waves, passive remote sensing in the visible, infrared and microwave parts of the electromagnetic spectrum, a survey of satellite sensors and summary of the derived geophysical variables.
Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OCE 543. Physics of Remote Sensing II - Active Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Course discusses basic physical principles of remote sensing with emphasis on active and radar systems. Topics include electromagnetic theory, radar equation, antenna theory and pulse compression, radar scattering physics; sea surface processes relevant to radar imaging, scatterometry, synthetic aperture radar (SAR), altimetry, HF Doppler radar, marine radar, satellite orbits, brief overview of passive remote sensing techniques.
Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OCE 551. Applied Ocean Acoustics and Marine Mammals. 3 Credit Hours.
The objective of this course is to provide a basis in the fundamental of sound in the sea and on the effects of sound on marine mammals.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OCE 575. Fluid Mechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
The equations governing the dynamics of homogeneous fluids are derived. The concepts of deformation rates, vorticity, stream function, and ideal fluid flow are introduced and demonstrated in applications describing flows in the marine environment. Semi-empirical methods for analyzing viscous flows, boundary layers, and turbulence are presented. Eddy viscosity and more advanced turbulence closure schemes are discussed in the context of coastal circulation, bottom boundary layers and sediment transport.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OCE 576. Wave Propagation in the Ocean Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of vector analysis, basic principles of fluid mechanics, equations of surface gravity waves, linear dispersion relation, phase and group velocity, wave dispersion, orbital motions, wave refraction, diffraction, reflection, ray tracing, frequency and wavenumber spectra, fundamentals of wave modeling, action balance equation, wave generation, wave dissipation, wave-wave interaction, wave-current interaction, Stokes drift, internal waves.
Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OCE 582. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

OCE 583. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

OCE 584. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics of Marine and Atmospheric Chemistry.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
OCE 586. Applied Remote Sensing. 3 Credit Hours.
Provides a detailed overview of applications of passive remote sensing using visible, infrared and microwave radiometers. Orbit and satellite characteristics are discussed. Hands-on data processing and analysis using readily accessible image processing software is included. Access to satellite data archives is explained. Students are also expected to attend Physics of Remote Sensing I - Passive Systems, and Physics of Remote Sensing II - Active Systems, which focus on the theory of remote sensing. The companion course, Applied Radar Remote Sensing, is offered in the spring semesters.
Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OCE 587. Applied Radar Remote Sensing. 3 Credit Hours.
This course complements Physics of Remote Sensing II with additional lectures and exercises tailored specifically to the needs of MPS students. Topics covered: Active vs. passive remote sensing, satellite station operations, how to work with satellite radar images, imaging geometry and sampling characteristics, introduction to IDL, hands-on SAR data analysis examples, hands-on marine radar data analysis.
Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

B.S.M.A.S. in Oceanography

Oceanography

The BSMAS in Oceanography is designed to give students a broad overview of the ocean sciences (physical, chemical, biological and geological oceanography, and ocean-atmosphere interactions as they relate to weather and climate) and specialized knowledge in one or more subdisciplines. Students are encouraged, but not required, to complete a second major in chemistry, physics, biology, geological sciences, meteorology, mathematics, computer science or engineering.

Undergraduate students are encouraged to work with the faculty and are able to earn course credit by conducting independent research under the supervision of leading scientists in their field. Research foci include air-sea interaction and remote sensing, biogeochemical cycles in the ocean, large-scale ocean dynamics, and biophysical interactions.

The Bachelor of Science degree program is meant for students planning to continue with graduate studies in ocean science, as preparation for professional school or as preparation for a technical career in government or private industry.

Curriculum Requirements

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### Total Credit Hours

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### Sample Plan of Study

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#### Sophomore Year

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¹ Recommended for supplemental science courses and additional electives as needed.

² MSC 220 can be used towards People and Society cognates while also fulfilling three credits of MSC electives.

³ Recommended for MSC elective.

**Mission**

The mission of the Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science is to deepen our collective knowledge of our planet through cutting-edge scientific research on the oceans, atmosphere, geology, biota, and the human dimension, while training the next generation of scientists. We transfer the knowledge gained to our students, the national and international scientific community, and to policymakers and the public.

The educational mission of the BS degree in Oceanography at the University of Miami is to graduate students with the ability and desire to integrate knowledge of oceanography into their future careers.

**Goals**

Students completing the BSMAS in Oceanography will have acquired a broad overview of physical, chemical and biological oceanography, meteorology and earth history. In addition students will have a firm foundation in basic sciences including mathematics, physics, chemistry and biology, and will have familiarity with modern scientific computational and data analysis tools. Integration and mastery of these tools gives students the skills to:

- Have a firm understanding of the scientific process.
- Contribute to active research projects led by professors and researchers who are experts in their fields.
- Prepare students for graduate school or for successful careers in industry or public workplaces.
Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will demonstrate an ability to communicate effectively, both verbally and in writing.
- Students will acquire analytical and quantitative skills that will provide a basis for both critical thinking and quantitative data analysis.
- Students will have the skills to perform supervised research in oceanography.

Music

https://www.frost.miami.edu/index.html

Phillip and Patricia Frost School of Music

Introduction
The University of Miami Frost School of Music awards three types of undergraduate degrees within fourteen major programs.

- Bachelor of Music
  - Instrumental Performance (MIP) (p. 1337)
  - Keyboard Performance (MKP) (p. 1366)
  - Vocal Performance (MVP) (p. 1490)
  - Studio Jazz Instrumental (MSJI) (p. 1460)
  - Studio Jazz Vocal (MSJV) (p. 1460)
  - Music Education (MED) (p. 1377)
  - Music Therapy (MTY) (p. 1377)
  - Theory and Composition (MTC) (p. 1451)
  - Media Writing and Production (MWP) (p. 1410)
  - Music Business and Entertainment Industries (MBEI) (p. 1418)
  - Musicianship, Artistry Development, and Entrepreneurship (MADE) (p. 1425)
  - B.M. in Professional Studies (MPRO) (p. 1431)

- Bachelor of Science
  - Music Engineering (MUE) (p. 1435)

- Bachelor of Arts
  - Music (MUS) (p. 1327)

Mission
The Frost School of Music seeks to transform lives through the study and performance of music, and to enhance music’s future as the result of the most innovative and relevant curricula in higher education. The Frost School of Music is devoted to excellence and a culture of collegiality, in which a diversity of people, musical styles, and careers are valued. The Frost School of Music is a community of musicians committed to advanced musicianship for all Frost students across a broad array of majors and programs. The Frost School of Music seeks to elevate the community through intensive, sustained outreach to under-served populations. The Frost School of music strives to enhance the cultural richness of the University of Miami, South Florida and throughout the world as the result of world class performance, scholarship and research.

Accreditation
The Frost School of Music has been a member of the National Association of Schools of Music since 1939. The requirements for entrance and for graduation as set forth in this bulletin are in accordance with the principles of this association.

Goals
The primary goals are:

1. to provide music majors with a high quality education,
2. to provide opportunities for other university students to increase their musical skill, understanding, and appreciation,
3. to provide the music faculty with opportunities for creative activity and scholarly inquiry, and
4. to serve as an educational and cultural resource for the university, South Florida, and global communities.

Admissions

Admission to the Frost School of Music

Students admitted to the Frost School of Music must successfully complete a dual admission process. In addition to the general requirements for admission to the University, the undergraduate student must meet the following requirements of the Frost School of Music:
1. Submit a Frost School of Music Application to the Frost School of Music Admission Office.
2. Submit an Application for Undergraduate Study to the University Office of Undergraduate Admission.
3. Demonstrate performance proficiency by auditioning on campus, at designated regional audition centers, or by recording. Appropriate faculty committees will evaluate the audition.
4. After being admitted to the university each student will be required to participate in placement auditions and exams in theory and music performance. These examinations will be given immediately prior to the fall semester.
5. Transfer students who are admitted to the university will receive a tentative evaluation of their previous work from the office of Admission. Validation of credit hours in music will be based on the results of auditions and placement examinations discussed above. The Associate Dean for Undergraduate Studies of the Frost School of Music determines which transferred courses will meet specific requirements for graduation.
6. Admission is granted in Fall semesters only.

Students who are admitted to the Frost School of Music must begin a program of specialized requirements in music during their first semester.

Admission to the University (Undergraduate Students)

Application forms and bulletins for undergraduate students may be secured from the University of Miami web site (http://www.miami.edu). The University Office of Admission receives and processes all undergraduate applications, evaluates credentials, and mails letters of acceptance to applicants who qualify for entrance. Because of the university’s selective admissions policy and limited enrollment only those applicants are accepted who present evidence of intellectual promise, unusual talent and potential, and strong personal qualifications. Admission as a transfer student requires a 3.0 grade point average from the previous institution. The University Office of Admission and the Frost School of Music determine admission to the university. Prospective students should make formal application for admission in the fall of the senior year in high school.

New Student Placement

New students will participate in an ensemble placement audition and music theory placement assessment during Frost Orientation. These auditions and assessments will determine the student’s appropriate ensemble and music theory placement. Further information on placement materials and procedures will be communicated before Frost Orientation.

Attendance

Regular and punctual class attendance is vital for all students. Each instructor will announce during the first meeting of a class the penalties for non-attendance and for missed quizzes and examinations, since these vary. Any student may be dropped from a course or receive a lowered grade for unauthorized absences which are exceed those permitted without penalty by the instructor. It is the student’s responsibility to know the instructor’s policies regarding examinations, penalties for absences, or late or missed work. See the UM Academic Bulletin for detailed policy. A student who is ill should sign a release at the UM Health Service Clinic authorizing the doctor to discuss with the faculty that the student was indeed ill and visited the clinic. The student must request that the faculty contact the Health Center. No notes are given to students. If a student needs to miss more than two consecutive class days due to illness or other emergency, the Dean’s Office should be notified and faculty will be sent a memo.

Preparation and Class Participation

The School of Music values the presence and participation in class of the student as essential elements of the learning experience. Courses are experiential and participatory. The value of the course lies in preparing for, listening to, and participating in all class experiences. It is impossible for a student to make up a missed class with outside resources. Therefore, it is expected that students attend every class, arriving on time. Please see the grading policy for attendance.

80% Attendance Rule

The School of Music maintains a firm 80% policy regarding attendance. That is, a student who fails to attend at least 80% of class sessions does not qualify as having completed the course and will not receive a passing grade. Instructors determine the attendance and grading policy for their course as stated in the syllabus. The individual course attendance requirements may exceed the minimum 80% attendance rule.

Academic Probation and Failed Course Policies

Students Who Fail to Successfully Complete a Music Course

Students who fail to successfully complete any music course, including zero credit forums, after the second enrollment will be dismissed from the Frost School of Music. Courses required for the degree must be taken at the next available opportunity and may not be dropped during the second enrollment.

Grading Criteria:

1. Experiential Music Curriculum Core Courses (48 credits) must be passed with a grade of a “C” or higher ("C-" = failing), Program forums must be passed with a grade of CR ("NC"=failing).
2. MED courses must be passed with a grade of "C" or higher for Music Education and Music Therapy majors;
3. Primary lessons must be passed with a grade of "B-" or higher; and
4. All other music courses will be failing with a grade of "F"
**Academic Probation**

In addition to the University of Miami academic probation guidelines, a Frost School of Music student is subject to Academic Probation if she/he:

1. Fails to make satisfactory progress towards completion of degree; or
2. Earns an overall Term GPA below a 2.7.

A student who remains on probationary status after two consecutive semesters shall be subject to dismissal:

- Semester One = Probation One;
- Semester Two = Probation Two; and
- Semester Three = Dismissal

The decision to dismiss shall be made by the Academic Standards Committee (ASC) of FSOM. If the decision is made not to dismiss, the student shall remain on Academic Probation. Dismissal Procedures are outlined in the Frost School of Music Undergraduate Student Handbook.

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**Lessons**

**Primary Lessons**

Primary lessons are for two (2) credit hours and must be taken on the student’s primary instrument, unless otherwise approved. Students enrolled in primary lessons are required to perform a jury at the end of each semester. If a student wishes to take lessons on a secondary instrument, they must follow the procedures in the ‘secondary lesson’ section below.

There are two levels of undergraduate private lessons:

- Level 1 (VO1) - Undergraduate freshman and sophomores, typically four semesters.
- Level 3 (VO3) - Undergraduate juniors and seniors, typically four semesters.

The number of lessons required for graduation is outlined in the curriculum of each degree program found in the UM Academic Bulletin. Transfer students enrolled in Level 1 for their first semester will be placed at the appropriate level of study after their first jury.

Students earning a grade of "C+" or lower in lessons will be placed on probation for one semester. Following probation, an additional grade of "C+" or lower in lessons will result in dismissal from the Frost School of Music.

**Secondary Lessons**

Secondary lessons are available to FSOM and non-music students, pending studio approval, for one (1) credit hour. Students who wish to enroll in a secondary lesson must first receive approval from the applicable department and submit the Private Lessons Form, located on the FSOM Undergraduate Forms webpage.

There is a non-refundable $300 secondary lesson fee required for each semester in which a secondary lesson is taken. This fee must be paid in full before enrollment. For further instructions please contact the Office of Undergraduate Studies.

**Summer Lessons**

Should a summer lesson be available, it will not fulfill degree requirements for FSOM academic programs.

**Juries**

A jury is designed to evaluate a student’s musicianship and technical progress in their principal lesson. Juries are typically evaluated by a panel of performance faculty at the end of each semester. Repertoire and technical requirements are assigned by the student’s private instructor. A portion of the final grade may be determined by studio class participation, recital attendance, or other requirements specific to the student’s program of study.

**Ensembles**

**Performing Ensembles**

Ensembles provide music learning and performing experience for all students on the University of Miami campus through rehearsals and public concerts. Membership in each of these performing ensembles is based on auditions. Not all ensembles meet degree requirements. Please refer to the FSOM Undergraduate Student Handbook for detailed information regarding ensembles. Please see the course catalog for a complete list of all ensembles.

**Instrumental Ensembles**

- Accompanying
- American Music Ensemble (Songwriters)
- Avant Garde Ensemble
• “Band of the Hour” Marching Band
• Bluegrass Ensemble
• Blues Ensemble
• Brass Chamber Music
• Brass Choir
• Clarinet Choir
• Classical Guitar Ensemble
• Concert Jazz Band
• Contemporary Music Ensemble
• E.C.M. Ensemble
• Electronic Music Ensemble
• Flute Choir
• Funk/Fusion Ensemble
• Horace Silver Ensemble
• Ibis Ensemble
• Jazz Band III
• Jazz Bass Ensemble
• Jazz Guitar Ensemble
• Jazz Keyboard Ensemble
• Jazz Saxophone Ensemble
• Laptop Ensemble
• Mallet Ensemble
• Monk/Mingus Ensemble
• Percussion Chamber Music
• Salsa Ensemble
• Saxophone Ensemble
• Small Contemporary Ensemble
• Small Jazz Ensembles
• String-Keyboard Chamber Music
• Studio Jazz Band
• Studio Rhythm Section
• Symphonic Winds
• Symphony Orchestra
• Trombone Choir
• Tuba Ensemble
• University Band
• Wind Ensemble
• Woodwind Chamber Music

Vocal Ensembles
• Frost Chorale
• Jazz Vocal I-III
• Musical Theatre Workshop
• Opera Theater
• Symphonic Choir
• Women's Choir

Enrollment

Forums
Students must successfully complete a program forum each semester in residence. Program forums must be passed with a “CR” in order to be approved for graduation. The grade of a “NC” is considered failing. Please refer to the FSOM Undergraduate Student Handbook for detailed information regarding forums and studio classes.
Auditing
Students are not permitted to audit music courses.

Graduation Requirements
The general requirements for graduation from the University of Miami are described in the General Information section of the Academic Bulletin. These general requirements are included in the list of requirements for majors in the Frost School of Music. Students must satisfy all degree requirements in order to graduate. The student should consult his/her advisor regularly and review the Degree Progress Report available in CaneLink under Academic Requirements to ensure that these requirements are met. The Dean must approve changes or deviations from the printed requirements in writing. Degree requirements may be satisfied by successfully completing a course, an approved substitution for the course, an approved transfer course, or waiver from the course as a result of demonstrating the required competency through testing.

Candidates for degrees must complete all requirements of the University and the Frost School of Music with a minimum “C” average (2.0) or better and at least 120 credits. Students may not graduate with an "I" or "NG" in any course.

Transfer Credits
Transfer Student Credit Evaluation
FSOM music course transfer equivalencies will be determined prior to Frost Orientation. Transfer Students will receive a pre-registration advising via email before enrolling in courses. If official transcripts are not received by the University, or if transfer credits are not correctly labeled, this process may be delayed. Please contact Eva Alonso at fsomundergrad@miami.edu (eva.alonso@miami.edu) for further information.

Other Music Transfer Credits
If you have previously earned music credit at another institution and wish to receive transfer equivalencies, please complete the Transfer Credit Equivalency Form (http://www.miami.edu/frost/index.php/frost/programs/undergraduate_studies/undergraduate_forms/) and return it to Eva Alonso in PLF 108 N.

Non-UM Programs (Summer, Study Abroad, and Term)
Students currently enrolled in the Frost School of Music who wish to Study Abroad must complete the Non-UM Program Request Form (https://registrar.miami.edu/_assets/pdf/new-site/Forms-1/Non-UM%20Program%20Application.0.1.pdf) through the Registrar’s Office. If you wish to take summer courses away and earn college credit, please bring a completed Transfer Credit Equivalency Form (http://www.miami.edu/frost/index.php/frost/programs/undergraduate_studies/undergraduate_forms/), along with the course description from the Non-UM Program, to the Undergraduate Studies Office. If you wish to transfer in a non-music course you must get the equivalency approved by the department in which the course lives (i.e. ENG 105 equivalency will need to be approved by the English Department). After the form is complete, please bring the form to the Office of Undergraduate Studies for final approval and processing.

If you have earned 56 credits or more, courses must be taken at a NASM or regionally accredited institution (four-year college or university). The last 45 credits prior to graduation must be in residence at the University of Miami.

Dual Degrees
Dual degrees have more stringent requirements than "double majors." The only courses that may count for both degrees are the general education requirements (ENG 105 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=ENG%20105) and ENG 106 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=ENG%20106), Math, People and Society cognate, and STEM cognate). For each degree a student must have a different major and minor, if a minor is required. The major for one degree may not be a minor for the other degree.

Music Opportunities for Non-Music Majors
Select music courses are available to students not enrolled in a music degree program. A list of courses is available on the music website (forms), https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/undergraduate/current-students/

Minors for Non-Music Students
- General Music Minor (p. 1501) (Satisfies the Arts and Humanities Area of Knowledge) - Audition Required
- Dance Minor (p. 1501) (Satisfies the Arts and Humanities Area of Knowledge) - Audition Required
- Music Business and Entertainment Industries Minor (p. 1450) (Satisfies the People and Society Area of Knowledge) - No Audition Required

Students interested in the Minor in General Music must successfully pass an ensemble placement (if participating in an ensemble) or primary instrument audition (if enrolling in private lessons). Please contact the appropriate faculty member listed on the Ensemble Contact List or the...
Secondary Lesson Audition Contact List (located on the Undergraduate Forms Webpage (http://www.miami.edu/frost/index.php/frost/programs/undergraduate_studies/undergraduate_forms/)) to inquire about audition materials and to schedule your audition.

Once you have received confirmation that you have passed the audition, request that the designated faculty member sign the bottom of the Declaration of Music Minor Form (http://www.miami.edu/frost/index.php/frost/programs/undergraduate_studies/undergraduate_forms/) or the Declaration of Dance Minor Form (http://www.miami.edu/frost/index.php/frost/programs/undergraduate_studies/undergraduate_forms/). For students declaring the General Music Minor, submit your completed Declaration of Music Minor Form to the Undergraduate Studies Office and declare your chosen music minor through your primary school. For students declaring the Minor in Dance, submit your completed Declaration of Dance Minor Form (http://www.miami.edu/frost/index.php/frost/programs/undergraduate_studies/undergraduate_forms/) to Prof. Carol Kaminsky, c.kaminsky@miami.edu and declare your chosen music and/or dance minor through your primary college or school.

Cognates
All cognates that include courses offered by FSOM satisfy the Arts & Humanities Area of Knowledge. Please see a list of all applicable cognates below:

- World of Music (https://cognates.miami.edu/AT_0001/) (AT_0001)
- Creative Arts in Therapy: Integrating Music and Dance into Counseling and Healthcare (https://cognates.miami.edu/AT_0099/) (AT_0099)
- The Arts in Education: Contextual Connections (https://cognates.miami.edu/AT_0010/) (AT_0010)
- Western Civilization: Historical Approaches (https://cognates.miami.edu/AT_0011/) (AT_0011)
- Music Performance and Understanding (https://cognates.miami.edu/AT_0102/) (AT_0102)
- Music and Movement (https://cognates.miami.edu/AT_0101/) (AT_0101)

Secondary Lessons
Secondary lessons are available to FSOM and non-music students, pending studio approval, for one (1) credit hour per semester. Students who wish to enroll in a secondary lesson must first receive approval from the applicable department and submit the Private Lessons Form, located on the FSOM Undergraduate Forms (http://www.miami.edu/frost/index.php/frost/programs/undergraduate_studies/undergraduate_forms/) webpage, to the Office of Undergraduate Studies. There is a $300 secondary lesson fee required for each semester in which a secondary lesson is taken. This fee must be paid in full (cash or check payable to the University of Miami) before enrollment. For further instructions, please visit the Office of Undergraduate Studies. The Secondary Lesson Contact List is located on the Undergraduate Forms Webpage (http://www.miami.edu/frost/index.php/frost/programs/undergraduate_studies/undergraduate_forms/).

Ensembles
Non-music students may request to audition for any ensemble in the Frost School of Music. Students may enroll in ensembles upon approval of applicable faculty and ensemble instructor. If course is restricted to majors only in CaneLink, please send proof of faculty approval to the Office of Undergraduate Studies and a registration permission code will be created.

General Education
General Education Requirements
Music students are expected to meet the university general education requirements, detailed in the academic bulletin, in order to ensure that they have acquired essential intellectual skills. Music students are encouraged to engage in a range of academic disciplines.

English and Mathematics Requirements
Students requiring ENG 105, ENG 106, or MTH 101 must enroll in these classes during the first year in residence and are not permitted to drop the courses.

Course and Cognate Requirements

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Areas of Knowledge

To discover cognates offered by UM, please visit the Cognate Search Engine (https://cognates.miami.edu/). To declare a cognate and/or minor, students must submit a Minor and/or Cognate Declaration Form (http://www.miami.edu/frost/index.php/frost/programs/undergraduate_studies/undergraduate_forms/) to the Office of Undergraduate Studies.

Arts and Humanities
All Frost School of Music students satisfy the Arts and Humanities Area of Knowledge, upon successful completion of the BM, BS, or BA music degree requirements.

People and Society
Students enrolled in the following degree programs must satisfy their People and Society Area of Knowledge with a cognate, minor, or major: MIP, MKP, MVP, MSJI, MSJV, MTC, MWP, MUE, and MPRO.

The following degree programs satisfy the People and Society Area of Knowledge upon successful completion of the required minor:

- MED Music Education with required minor in Education;
- MTY Music Therapy with required minor in Psychology;
- MBEI Music Business and Entertainment Industries with required minor in Business, Communication or Entertainment, if the minor is designated as People and Society; and
- MUS Bachelor of Arts in Music required minor outside of music may fulfill this requirement if the minor is in the People and Society Area of Knowledge.

Please note that a minor in Music Business and Entertainment Industries satisfies the People and Society Area of Knowledge.

Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM)
Students enrolled in the following degree programs must satisfy their STEM Area of Knowledge through a cognate, minor, or major: MIP, MKP, MVP, MSJI, MSJV, MED, MTY, MTC, MWP, MBEI, MADE, and MPRO.

The following degree programs satisfy the STEM cognate upon successful completion of the required minor:

- MUE Music Engineering with required minor in Electrical Engineering or Computer Engineering;
- MBEI Music Business and Entertainment Industries with required minor in Business, Communication or Entertainment, if the minor is designated as STEM;
- MUS Bachelor of Arts in Music required minor outside of music may fulfill this requirement if the minor is in the STEM area of knowledge.

Advanced Writing and Communication Skills
All students are required to successfully complete 3 Advanced Communications and Writing courses. Student degree requirements will include courses that meet the desired communication outcomes in evaluated and revised writing, speaking, stage presence, and audience engagement.

All music students will successfully complete:

1. A required musicology course, which will include substantial evaluated and revised writing components.
2. A Senior recital or culminating project, which will include evaluated communication skills in attracting an audience, engaging an audience during performance, and preparing program notes or similar media as appropriate to the medium/venue.
3. One required course in their major which will include discipline specific communication skills.

Assessment
There will be at least 2 specific assessments in each Advanced Communications Skills course for communications or writing equivalent to 4000 words, evaluated and revised.

Experiential Music Core Requirement (EMC)
The EMC Core courses are common to all Frost School of Music students regardless of degree program. The EMC core courses empower students to become internal musicians as they develop deep knowledge in music and a high level of musical skills. As a community of musicians, all students interact with their peers whose diverse interests strengthen their music making abilities.
Additional courses for Principal Instrument Lesson & Studio Class and Ensembles may be required for the major.

All EMC core courses must be successfully completed with a grade of "C" or higher. A grade of a "C-" is considered failing. Program forums must be successfully completed with a grade of "CR" A grade of "NC" is considered failing.

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Foote Fellow General Education Requirements

The Foote Fellows Honors Program recognizes the most educationally accomplished incoming students at the University of Miami. Foote Fellows have distinguished themselves both in and out of the classroom, are self-motivated, and think independently. Admission to the Foote Fellows Honors Program is by invitation.

Within the curricular framework of their school or college, Foote Fellows enjoy maximum freedom to explore a multitude of educational resources. Many Foote Fellows leverage this opportunity to take additional majors and/or minors and to study abroad.

At each of the nine undergraduate schools at the University of Miami, a dedicated advisor helps Foote Fellows chart their academic path and attain access to distinctive learning opportunities and educational guidance, such as special school-based seminars, faculty-mentored research, networking opportunities, and off-campus internships.

In addition, Foote Fellows have access to opportunities outside their school. Special Foote Fellow lectures are held throughout the academic year. “Books That Matter,” a rigorous, multidisciplinary seminar in reading and analyzing significant works of nonfiction, is offered to Foote Fellows. In their junior and senior years, Foote Fellows are invited to join advanced, interdisciplinary, and integrative seminars taught by leading faculty members from across the University. Foote Fellows also benefit from focused advising regarding post-baccalaureate distinguished fellowships and awards, support and information about co-curricular opportunities from a dedicated program manager, and networking events with other Foote Fellows from all disciplines.

To graduate with the Foote Fellows Honors Program distinction, Foote Fellow students must achieve a minimum GPA of 3.5 by the completion of the final semester.

Eligibility for the Foote Fellows Honors Program transcript distinction for each student is determined by the lower of two GPAs:

1. UM cumulative graduation GPA
2. Combination GPA (UM cumulative graduation GPA + Transfer GPA)

The Foote Fellows Honors Program reflects the educational vision of former University of Miami President Edward T. Foote, who retired in 2000 after serving the University for twenty years.

Foote Fellows in the Frost School of Music have freedom within the General Education requirements as described below. However, Foote Fellow students are still required to accumulate twenty seven (27) total credit hours in non-music coursework to meet graduation requirements.

### BA, MIP, MKP, MVP, MTC, MWP, MSJI, MSJV, MADE, MPRO

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Advanced Writing and Communication Skills (3 courses) are incorporated into the EMC core courses and Courses in the Major.

Total Credit Hours: 27

### MBEI: Music Business & Entertainment Industries with a Required Minor in Business or Communication

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Music Education with Minor in Education

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Music Therapy with Minor in Psychology

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Total Credit Hours: 18

Music Engineering & Technology with Required Minor in Electrical or Computer Engineering

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Total Credit Hours: 19

Bachelor of Arts in Music (MUS)

Dept. Code: MCY

Undergraduate students who are interested in musicology, music history or ethnomusicology are encouraged to enroll in the Bachelor of Arts in Music degree, through which they can pursue these and related subjects within a liberal arts music curriculum. There is no undergraduate degree in musicology.

MCY 101. The World of Music. 1-3 Credit Hours.
For all new music majors, a novel introduction to music now and then, here and there; its ideas, its relations to other arts, and its role in human life.
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Typically Offered: Spring.
MCY 121. Hip-Hop History, Culture, and Globalization. 3 Credit Hours.
A critical history and analysis of the hip-hop culture in the U.S. and beyond. The course will cover major historical periods hip-hop in the U.S. beginning in the 1970's through its global impact in the 21st century. The course will also include analysis of technology, gender, race, sexuality, religion and politics related to hip-hop culture.
Requisite: Must not be in School of Music.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MCY 124. The Evolution of Jazz. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the origin, development, and styles of jazz music and its exponents. This course is not for music majors. Music majors should enroll in MSJ 113 and MSJ 213.
Requisite: Must not be in School of Music.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MCY 125. African-American Gospel Music. 3 Credit Hours.
This course surveys the stylistic evolution of African-American gospel music from the nineteenth-century folk spiritual to twenty-first century commercial genres. The focus is on the contributions of some of gospel music’s most influential figures, including Thomas Dorsey, Sallie Martin, William Herbert Brewster, Mahalia Jackson, James Cleveland, Shirley Caesar, Andraé Crouch, Fred Hammond, Kirk Franklin, and others.
Requisite: Must not be in School of Music.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MCY 127. Evolution of Rock. 3 Credit Hours.
Rock music from its sources to the present. Aural recognition of rock styles and selected performing artists are included. This course is not for music majors. Music majors should enroll in MCY 311.
Requisite: Must not be in School of Music.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MCY 131. Understanding Music. 3 Credit Hours.
A general introduction to the musical elements and the history of music from antiquity to the present. Primarily focuses on classical music, but also includes exposure to pop, jazz, and music traditions. This course is not for music majors. Music majors should enroll in MCY 140 and MCY 141.
Requisite: Must not be in School of Music.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MCY 140. Experiencing Music. 3 Credit Hours.
A broad introduction to musical elements, genres, periods, styles, and composers in the jazz, folk, popular, and world music traditions.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MCY 141. European Musical Traditions. 3 Credit Hours.
A broad introduction to musical elements, genres, periods, styles, and composers in the classical music tradition.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MCY 221. Anglo-American Song Traditions. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the origins, development, and styles of Anglo-American song traditions from English and Irish folk ballads, to shape-note and Sacred Harp hymnody, to early folk, country and bluegrass. Areas to be explored include the development of an American cultural identity and the political and socio-economic influences on the content and musical styles.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MCY 222. African-American Song Traditions. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the origins, development, and styles of African American song traditions from early plantation songs, shouts, hollers, and spirituals, to the development of blues traditions, to gospel. Areas to be explored include the development of an African American cultural consciousness and the political and socio-economic influences on the content and musical styles.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MCY 311. Modern American Pop Music. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the development of popular music in the United States from the 1950s to the early 21st century. Explores influential songwriters and performers, as well as the emergence of new technologies and musical styles in their social and cultural contexts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MCY 313. Music of Latin America. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the music of Latin America, with special emphasis on Mexico, Brazil, Argentina, the Andes, and the Caribbean. Covers folk, popular, and classical music traditions. Open to non-music majors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MCY 324. Music in Hebrew Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the folk, traditional, liturgical, and art music of the Jews. Particular attention is given to music on Jewish subjects, music employing traditional Jewish resources, and music by contemporary Jewish and Israeli composers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MCY 333. Introduction to Cuban Music. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of Cuban Music from the early European settlement to the present. Course addresses African and Caribbean influences and the amalgamation into new national styles, as well as current musical activity on the island and in expatriate communities.
Prerequisite: MCY 131 or equivalent music course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MCY 335. Music and Peacebuilding: Local and Global Perspectives. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the role of music in conflict prevention and resolution, as well as violence in Miami and across the globe. This is a CIVIC service learning course. Students will work with a local service partner to gain hands on experience in peacebuilding.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MCY 341. Music of the Mediaeval, Renaissance, and Baroque Periods. 3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive, in-depth study of the musical styles and genres of the Mediaeval, Renaissance, and Baroque Eras., Important musical figures of these periods and analytical studies of important pieces of music from these periods are addressed.
Prerequisites: MTC 140 + 141 + 240 + 241 or Equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

MCY 342. Music of the Classical, Romantic, and Modern Periods. 3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive, in-depth study of the musical styles and genres of the Classical, Romantic, and Modern Eras of important musical figures of these periods, and analytical studies of important pieces of music from these periods.
Prerequisites: MTC 140 + 141 + 240 + 241 or Equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

MCY 493. Special Projects in Musicology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member's area of expertise and student's area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MCY 494. Special Topics in Musicology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member's expertise and students' areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MCY 520. History and Literature of the Wind Band. 3 Credit Hours.
An historical survey of wind band literature, the evolution of the military band, the wind band, and the wind orchestra.
Requisite: Music Majors, Upperclass Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MCY 521. Symphonic Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of orchestral music from the end of the seventeenth century to the present.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only Requisite: upperclassmen or permission of instructor Prerequisite: MCY 141 or MCY 342.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MCY 522. Operatic Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
The history and literature of opera from the end of the sixteenth century to the present.
Requisite: Music Majors, Upperclass Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MCY 524. Classical Music of the Twentieth and Twenty-First Centuries. 3 Credit Hours.
Music of the 20th and 21st centuries in the Western Art Music tradition, with emphasis on developments since 1945 in Europe and the Americas focusing on modernist, avant-garde, and postmodernist composers and works.
Requisite: Music Majors And Upperclass Status And MCY 141 or MCY 342.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MCY 525. Art Song Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of the solo vocal literature from the 16th century to the present, with particular emphasis on the 19th-century French and German repertoire.
Requisite: Music Majors, Upperclass Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MCY 526. Keyboard Literature I. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of keyboard literature from its beginning to approximately 1750 emphasizing changes in styles of writing and expression, development of techniques suited to the primary instruments in use (including the early organ, clavichord, harpsichord and fortepiano), ornamentation both specified and improvised, forms, and ideas for interpretation based on historical sources.
Requisite: Music Majors, Upperclass Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MCY 527. Keyboard Literature II. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of solo keyboard literature from approximately 1750 to the present emphasizing changes in styles of writing and expression, development of technique suited to the primary instruments in use (including the clavichord, harpsichord, fortepiano and modern piano), embellishment both specified and improvised, forms, and ideas for interpretation based on historical sources (including facsimiles, printed scores, written records and sound recordings, particularly those by the composers themselves).
Requisite: Music Majors, Upperclass Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MCY 529. Music of the Baroque Period. 3 Credit Hours.
Literature and history of music from the end of the sixteenth to the middle of the eighteenth centuries.
CRS: Music Majors Only, Upper Class Standing or Permission of Instructor. and Prerequisite: MCY 141 or MCY 342.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
MCY 530. Music of the Classical Period. 3 Credit Hours.
The musical styles which developed between the mid-eighteenth century and the nineteenth century. 
CRS: Music Majors Only, Upper Class Standing or Permission of Instructor. and Prerequisite: MCY 141 or MCY 342.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  

MCY 532. History of Chamber Music. 3 Credit Hours. 
Styles and forms in chamber music literature from the seventeenth century to the present. 
Requisite: Music Majors Only.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.  

MCY 533. Music of the Romantic Period. 3 Credit Hours. 
The musical styles which developed during the nineteenth century.  
CRS: Music Majors Only, Upper Class Standing or Permission of Instructor. and Prerequisite: MCY 141 or MCY 342.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  

MCY 537. Music in the United States. 3 Credit Hours. 
A survey of music in the United States from the 19th century through the 20th century. The course explores some of the diverse ways that peoples from differing backgrounds have created and used music to express notions of themselves, their cultures, and this country.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Spring.  

MCY 538. Music, Gender, and Sexuality. 3 Credit Hours. 
An exploration of music from around the world from the perspective of women. We will examine the roles women have played, and still play, as creators and performers in art music and popular music traditions. Representations of women and gender ideologies will also be discussed.  
Requisite: Upperclass Status or Permission from Instructor.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Spring.  

MCY 540. Music and Religion. 3 Credit Hours. 
Music and Religion are fundamental aspects of human existence, evidence of which goes back some 30,000 years. This seminar course will explore musical and religious experiences in human history and the use of music within major religious traditions. It will include specific study of some of the major monuments of sacred music of the western classical tradition.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall.  

MCY 553. Miami's Musical Heritage. 3 Credit Hours. 
A study of the musical traditions and practices of the various cultures that are part of Miami's unique multi-ethnic society.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.  

MCY 554. Music Cultures of the World. 3 Credit Hours. 
A study of music culture of the region including the music of folk societies, popular artists, and classical musicians. Open to non-majors.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.  

MCY 562. Music of Argentina and Brazil.. 3 Credit Hours. 
An in-depth study of Argentine and Brazilian musical cultures covering folk, popular, and classical traditions. Open to non-majors.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Spring.  

MCY 564. Seminar in Latin American Music Collections. 3 Credit Hours. 
Examines Latin American music materials at the Cuban Heritage Collection and Special Collections at the Richter Library. Focuses on interpreting original documents and acquiring archival techniques.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall.
MCY 583. History of the American Musical Theatre. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the development of musical theatre from its European opera and operetta background to an indigenous American art form. The areas to be explored include the rise and fall of various genre of musical shows, integration of story, song and dance, important producers, directors, lyricists, composers, and new fields such as director-choreographer. The development of an American cultural consciousness and political and socio-economic trends of various decades that greatly influenced the content and form of musical shows is also examined.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MCY 593. Special Projects in Musicology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member’s area of expertise and student’s area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MCY 594. Special Topics in Musicology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member’s expertise and students’ areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MCY 7. B.A. in Music Forum. 0 Credit Hours.
Forum for this major will provide programs on and discussion of the role of the musical arts in society for people in a wide range of careers.
Components: FOR.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

B.A.M. Bachelor of Arts in Music

Introduction
The Bachelor of Arts in Music degree is a non-professional degree designed for talented musicians who wish to pursue a broad liberal arts education. Curriculum flexibility affords students the opportunity for a variety of pre-professional studies, including premedical and pre-legal. A minor outside the Frost School of Music is required. Students in the BA in Music program must earn a minimum 2.5 GPA each semester to remain in the program.

The mission of the Bachelor of Arts in Music is to provide students with the highest quality education possible in music, a broad education in the liberal arts, and in-depth study in an academic area outside of the Frost School of Music.

Educational Objectives
• Students will acquire a thorough knowledge of music theory and music history, and develop advanced competence in musical performance.
• They will develop the ability to think, speak, and write clearly with the capacity to explain and defend their views effectively and rationally based on substantive knowledge of the liberal arts.
• The student will acquire competency in a selected non-music academic area that includes a broad understanding of the area and contemporary thought within the area.

Advanced Writing and Communication Skills

Courses
All students are required to successfully complete 3 Advanced Writing and Communication Skills (AWC) courses. Student degree requirements will include courses that meet the desired communication outcomes in evaluated and revised writing, speaking, stage presence, and audience engagement.

All BA in Music students will successfully complete:
1. MCY 341, which will include substantial evaluated and revised writing components.
2. MCY or MTC 300+, which will include evaluated communication skills in attracting an audience, engaging an audience during performance, and preparing program notes or similar media as appropriate to the medium/venue.
3. MCY or MTC 300+, which will include discipline specific communication skills.

Assessment
There will be at least 2 specific assessments in each Advanced Communications Skills course for communications or writing equivalent to 4000 words, evaluated and revised.
## Degree Requirements

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Total credits for courses in the major = 45

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1. EMC core courses require a grade of "C" or higher. Lessons require a grade of "B-" or higher.

**Suggested Plan of Study**

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Minor in General Music

Mission

The mission of the Bachelor of Music Degree (BAM) in Music at the Frost School of Music is to 1) provide students the highest quality of education available in their principal academic program as instrumentalists and Vocalists within the areas of Instrumental and Vocal Performance, Commercial Music, Studio Music and Jazz, Composition, Music Education, Music Therapy though the diversity of programs offered at the Frost School of Music; 2) The objective of BAM is to enhance the development of musicianship that could serve as the foundation for graduate degree auditions, national/international competitions, and entry-level careers as musicians; 3) The Bachelor of Arts in Music program also aims to stimulate student awareness and artistic creativity within the fields of music composition as well as music ensemble performance, while providing students public performance opportunities in a supportive and encouraging environment. In addition, the requirement that students acquire a Minor Degree or a second Major within the University of Miami system enables them to present as a musician who excels in another academic area as well. The discipline and academic rigor endemic to achieving excellence in diverse fields equips FROST BAM students to better confront the challenges when entering the competitive professional world of employment as well.

Goals

• Students will acquire a thorough knowledge of music theory and music history, and develop advanced competence in musical performance.
• They will develop the ability to think, speak, and write clearly with the capacity to explain and defend their views effectively and rationally based on substantive knowledge of the liberal arts.
• The student will acquire competency in a selected non-music academic area that includes a broad understanding of the area and contemporary thought within the area.

Student Learning Outcomes

• Students will demonstrate intellectual/scholarly aptitude and oral skills in interdisciplinary discussions.
• Students will demonstrate mastery of their secondary area of study (minor, double major, or dual degree) outside of music and connectivity to their music studies. This includes writing proficiency through PowerPoint and musical aptitude through performance on their primary or secondary instrument.
• Students will be able to improvise and sight-read music in styles outside their normal performance practice. For example, a classical violist improvising over jazz chord charts, or a guitarist in the contemporary program sight reading orchestrated parts to support a soloist. Some students also arrange music for each “jam” session on a volunteer basis (assessed informally).

Minor in General Music

(Audition Required)

Any student wishing to declare a minor in music must audition on an instrument and be approved by the Frost School of Music as a minor. The approval form is available here (https://my.frost.miami.edu/undergraduate/forms/) or in the Office of Undergraduate Studies.

A $350 fee per semester is assessed for private instrument and/or vocal instruction and must be paid prior to enrolling. Please note that private lessons may not be available on all instruments. Studio space varies from year to year.

A music minor requires 15 credit hours, 12 of which must be earned at the University of Miami.

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1 Complete exactly 2 courses from the following:
MTC 110  
Music Theory Skills II (AP Music Theory Score of 5 satisfies this requirement.)

Complete exactly 1 course from the following:  

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Total Credit Hours: 15

1. Students who receive AP credit for MTC 109 and MTC 110 must complete a minimum of 12 credits towards the Music minor.
2. Lessons are not mandatory for the minor; however, Music electives for the General Music minor are limited to courses for non-majors only unless approved by the FSOM Associate Dean of Undergraduate Studies.

Instrumental Performance (MIP)

Dept. Code: MIP

The Department of Instrumental Performance offers a bachelor of music performance degree and a performer’s certificate in 17 traditional instruments: flute, oboe, clarinet, saxophone, bassoon, horn, trumpet, trombone, euphonium, tuba, percussion, violin, viola, violoncello, double bass, guitar, and harp.

Bachelor of Music: Instrumental Performance (MIP)

The purpose of the Bachelor of Music in Performance Degree is to

1. Provide the highest quality of education possible in the areas of musicianship that will lead toward a professional performance career or graduate study as a classical artist.
2. To provide performance opportunities that integrate the skills learned in music and other classes and to foster creativity and research.
3. To provide audition skills and repertoire as well as the skills for building and managing the non-performance aspects of a professional career.

Educational Objectives

- Students will develop musicianship skills and technique that will lead toward a professional career as a solo classical performer or graduate study.
- Students will be able to sight-read and prepare musical performances without assistance.
- Students will develop musicianship skills and technique for working within an ensemble leading towards a professional career or graduate study as a classical performer. Ensemble requirements will vary by applied area.
- Students will develop skills for fostering a professional career or graduate study as a classical performer.
- Students will have a broad knowledge of music literature in their applied area as well as an understanding of stylistic and theoretical principles of the various musical and historical periods.

Certificates

- Instrumental Performance (p. 1365)

MIP OB1. Oboe. 2 Credit Hours.


Requisite: Frost School of Music only.

Components: LSN.

Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP 0B3. Oboe. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 1. Brass Forum. 0 Credit Hours.
An informal recital setting and performance class for brass principals and majors with guest and faculty presentations.
Components: FOR.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 101. Classical Large Ensemble Placeholder. 1 Credit Hour.
Ensemble placeholder course for new students to enroll in before ensemble placement auditions during Frost Orientation. Please note, you will have to drop this course and enroll in your correct ensemble when receive your official ensemble placement from your studio professor or Dr. Rob Carnochan.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 102. Classical Chamber Ensemble Placeholder. 1 Credit Hour.
Ensemble placeholder course for new students to enroll in before ensemble placement auditions during Frost Orientation. Please note, you will have to drop this course and enroll in your correct ensemble when receive your official ensemble placement from your studio professor.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 120. Class Guitar I for Non-Music Majors. 1 Credit Hour.
Classical Guitar I is a hands-on, introductory course designed to understand the foundations of classical and acoustic guitar music and its different techniques.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 121. Class Guitar I for Jazz Majors. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 130. Afro-Caribbean Hand Drumming, Level I. 1 Credit Hour.
The study of hand drumming techniques used to perform the music of Africa and the new world African music that originated in the islands of the Caribbean and the countries of Central and Latin America. This class is taught in a workshop format.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 131. Afro-Caribbean Hand Drumming, Level II. 1 Credit Hour.
The study of hand drumming techniques used to perform the music of Africa and the new world African music that originated in the islands of the Caribbean and the countries of Central and Latin America. Level II is a performance ensemble.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 135. Percussion Contemporary Chamber Music. 1 Credit Hour.
Mandatory for all classical percussionists, this course focuses on the contemporary unconduted chamber music repertoire. The goal is for students to develop and use an advanced listening/communicating skill set, while playing music with others. This course also targets to improve students’ capabilities in contemporary music interpretation and performance.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 138. Trombone Choir. 1 Credit Hour.
The study and performance of literature for small and large trombone ensembles.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP 140. Flute Choir. 1 Credit Hour.
Reading, rehearsing, and performing the flute choir repertoire (duets, trios, quartets, quintets).
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 141. Saxophone Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
The study and performance of classical and jazz literature for small saxophone ensembles.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 142. Chamber Music Placeholder. 1 Credit Hour.
Temporary placeholder course for student ensemble assignments process. Please note, once you have received your assignment, you will need to drop this course and enroll within the designated course section provided to you.
Requisite: Frost School of Music Students Only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 143. Chamber Music. 1 Credit Hour.
Exploring the chamber music repertoire as represented by various combinations of instruments.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 169. Band of the Hour Pep Band. 1 Credit Hour.
To attain the highest possible performance standard with a diverse and eclectic repertoire of music in the Athletic Band medium. To perform at UM Basketball games, volleyball games, and various community and charity events. Instrumentation will include piccolos, all types of saxophones, Trumpets, F Horns, Trombones, Euphoniums, Tubas, Drum Set, and Electric Bass.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 170. Marching Band. 1 Credit Hour.
The "Band of the Hour" Marching Band is open to all qualified undergraduate and graduate students, regardless of major. The band performs at all home Miami Hurricane football games and selected away games.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 171. Symphonic Winds. 2 Credit Hours.
Symphonic Band is a large wind band that performs significant repertoire for wind and percussion instruments. It is open to all qualified undergraduate and graduate students, regardless of major.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 172. University Band. 1 Credit Hour.
University Band is a large ensemble offering students the opportunity to play standard repertoire of the wind band. This group is open to all wind and percussion players throughout the university, regardless of major.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MIP 174. Brass Choir. 1 Credit Hour.
Major works for Brass Choir are studied. Special emphasis is given to orchestral repertoire.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP 176. Wind Ensemble. 2 Credit Hours.
This course offers performance opportunities for qualified wind and percussion players. Repertoire includes significant literature written for the small and large wind band.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 180. Symphony Orchestra. 2 Credit Hours.
The Symphony Orchestra performs significant repertoire for large orchestra. It is open to all qualified undergraduate students by audition.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 181. Instrumental Conducting I. 2 Credit Hours.
This course provides practical procedures and materials for beginning instrumental conducting students. Students demonstrate basic conducting patterns, preparations, and releases in all meters.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 182. Instrumental Conducting II. 2 Credit Hours.
This course provides practical procedures and materials for advancing instrumental conducting students. Students demonstrate refined skill in conducting musical styles and independence of gestures.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MIP 190. Symphony Orchestra, Wind Ensemble and Ensemble Ibis. 2 Credit Hours.
Frost Symphony Orchestra (FSO), Frost Wind Ensemble (FWE), and Ensemble Ibis (EI) are the premiere large ensembles that perform significant repertoire for strings, winds, and percussion. They are open to all qualified undergraduate and graduate students at the Frost School of Music and University of Miami by way of a successful audition. Following placement auditions, decisions will be made by the faculty to determine which ensembles each student will be assigned. These decisions will be based on the student's ability and educational need, as well as the need of the specific repertoire programmed for each ensemble throughout the season.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 191. Tuba Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
The study and performance of compositions and/or transcriptions written for an ensemble of tubas and/or euphoniums.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 192. Classical Guitar Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
This course focuses on sightreading, rhythm recognition, and ensemble performance through the study of exercises, scales, and diverse repertoire.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 2. Guitar Forum. 0 Credit Hours.
An informal recital setting and performance class for guitar principals and majors with guest and faculty presentations.
Components: FOR.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 220. Class Guitar II for Non-music Majors. 1 Credit Hour.
Classical Guitar II is a hands-on course for students with previous guitar playing experience designed to further explore and understand the guitar, its repertoire, and techniques.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP 270. Leadership and Instructional Strategies for Marching Band. 1 Credit Hour.
This one-credit elective course is designed to give practical teaching experience to those undergraduates who are interested in an instructional/leadership position within a Marching Band program. The students learn of the roles and responsibilities of the positions of Drum Major (student conductor), wind and percussion section leaders, and Auxiliary Captain (choreography instructors with the dance line and flag corps). This course involves an extensive series of interactive workshops in which the student leaders/instructors will have the opportunity to teach a vast amount of physical and musical skills.
Prerequisite: MIP 170.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MIP 281. Instrumental Conducting III. 1 Credit Hour.
This course provides a synthesis of the skills demonstrated in Instrumental Conducting I and II while developing error detection skills in common performance errors.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 282. Instrumental Conducting IV. 1 Credit Hour.
Students demonstrate knowledge of instruments, instrumentation of the wind band and orchestra, and analyze scores for conception, interpretation, rehearsal, and performance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MIP 307. Classical Improvisation. 2 Credit Hours.
Introduce students to the process of improvisation in all styles of classical music.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 308. Skills Lab VI: Composition as Applied Improvisation. 2 Credit Hours.
Moving from the world of improvisation to composition, this course re-focuses musical expression into written form encompassing pre-tonal, tonal and post-tonal techniques through analysis, written improvisation, and model-composition.
Prerequisite: MTC 211 or MTC 240.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MIP 399. Junior Recital. 1 Credit Hour.
A public recital of one half-hour or more. Course is required of all instrumental performance majors.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 407. Basic Conducting and Arranging. 2 Credit Hours.
This course in basic conducting and arranging is designed to acquaint the student by application, with the basic beat, patterns (symmetrical and asymmetrical), preparatory beats, releases, dynamics, fermati, tempo changes, elementary score study and rehearsal techniques. Elements of practical arranging will be explored as students arrange excerpts for their specific skills ensemble that address areas of conducting technique.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 408. Skills Lab VIII: Culminating Project. 2 Credit Hours.
In this class students will create, perform, and produce a culminating concert event that will incorporate all the various skills they have acquired over the course of the Experiential Music Curriculum. The music for this performance will be written (or arranged), played, and conducted by the students in the skills ensemble, and it will require skills in improvisation, technology, and promotion that have been learned in the previous Skills Ensemble classes. The instructor will work in a consultative and guidance role to help the students develop and produce this performance.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MIP 493. Special Projects in Instrumental Performance or Conducting. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member's area of expertise and student's area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MIP 494. Special Topics in Instrumental Performance or Conducting. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member's expertise and students' areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MIP 499. Senior Recital. 1 Credit Hour.
A public recital of one hour or more. Required of all performance majors.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 5. Percussion Forum. 0 Credit Hours.
An informal recital setting and performance class for Percussion principals and majors with guest and faculty presentations.
Components: FOR.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 540. Reed Making and Maintenance for Oboe and Bassoon. 0 Credit Hours.
One Hour weekly class detailing and experiencing the processing of cane and making if reeds for oboe and bassoon, and the maintenance of those instruments.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 541. Bassoon Repertoire and Pedagogy. 2 Credit Hours.
Solo and small ensemble literature of the bassoon since 1600.
Requisite: Music Majors, Upperclass Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 542. Clarinet Repertoire and Pedagogy. 2 Credit Hours.
Solo and small ensemble literature of the clarinet since 1600.
Requisite: Music Majors, Upperclass Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 543. Flute Repertoire and Pedagogy. 2 Credit Hours.
Solo and small ensemble literature of the flute since 1600.
Requisite: Music Majors, Upperclass Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 544. Oboe Repertoire and Pedagogy. 2 Credit Hours.
Solo and small ensemble literature of the oboe since 1600.
Requisite: Music Majors, Upperclass Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 545. Brass Repertoire and Pedagogy. 2 Credit Hours.
Solo and small ensemble literature of brass instruments since 1600.
Requisite: Music Majors, Upperclass Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MIP 546. Percussion Repertoire and Pedagogy. 2 Credit Hours.
Solo and small ensemble literature of percussion instruments since 1600.
Requisite: Music Majors, Upperclass Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MIP 547. Saxophone Repertoire and Pedagogy. 2 Credit Hours.
Solo and small ensemble literature of the saxophone since 1600.
Requisite: Music Majors, Upperclass Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 548. Guitar Repertoire and Pedagogy. 2 Credit Hours.
Solo and small ensemble literature of the guitar since 1600.
Requisite: Music Majors, Upperclass Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 549. String Repertoire and Pedagogy. 2 Credit Hours.
An exploration of teaching string playing. Areas covered include problem-solving and communication techniques, and practical considerations in establishing a teaching studio. Students participate in hands-on teaching opportunities. Prerequisite: Advanced standing in Music and permission of instructor.
Requisite: Music Majors, Upperclass Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 550. Bach Cello Suites. 1 Credit Hour.
The study and performance of the six suites for unaccompanied cello of Johann Sebastian Bach.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MIP 580. Orchestral Audition Preparation. 1 Credit Hour.
The study of the more difficult excerpts from the orchestral literature for violin, viola, violoncello, or double bass. Course may be repeated for credit.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 593. Special Projects in Instrumental Performance or Conducting. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member’s area of expertise and student’s area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MIP 594. Special Topics in Instrumental Performance or Conducting. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member’s expertise and students’ areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MIP 7. String Forum. 0 Credit Hours.
An informal recital setting and performance class for string principals and majors with guest and faculty presentations.
Components: FOR.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 9. Woodwind Forum. 0 Credit Hours.
An informal recital setting and performance class for woodwind principals and majors with guest and faculty presentations.
Components: FOR.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP BA1. Bassoon. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for bassoon students. Technical Requirements: Method Books by Giampieri, Jancourt, Milde (Vol. 1).
Repertoire: Vivaldi Concerto, Bourdeau - Premier solo, Galliard, Handel, Marcello, Nino Rota Procaccini.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP BA3. Bassoon. 2 Credit Hours.
Repertoire: Bach, Bozza, Eigar, Jean Jean, Hindemith, Mozart, Flament.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP BAD. Bassoon. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Method Books by Giampieri, Jancourt, Milde (Vol. 1). Repertoire: Bourdeau - Second Solo, David, Domenico, Dubois, Fasch, Kozeluh, Pierne, Telemann, Vivaldi.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP BAS. Secondary Bassoon. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CD1. Conducting. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for conducting students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CD3. Conducting. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for conducting students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CDC. Conducting. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CDD. Conducting. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CDF. Conducting. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP CDG. Conducting. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CDH. Conducting. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CDS. Secondary Conducting. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CL1. Clarinet. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CL2. Clarinet. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for clarinet students. Technical Requirements: Same as previous semesters as well as Jean Jean 16 or 18 Etudes, and Opperman Advanced Velocity Studies. Repertoire: Poulenc, Stravinsky, Bernstein, Brahms.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CLC. Clarinet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Same as previous semesters as well as Cavillini Caprices, and Opperman Intermediate Velocity Studies. Repertoire: Weber, Hindemith, Burgmuller.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CLD. Clarinet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Same as previous semesters as well as Cavillini Caprices, and Opperman Intermediate Velocity Studies. Repertoire: Weber, Hindemith, Burgmuller.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CLF. Clarinet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Same as previous semesters as well as Jean Jean 16 or 18 Etudes, and Opperman Advanced Velocity Studies. Repertoire: Poulenc, Stravinsky, Bernstein, Brahms.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP CLG. Clarinet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Same as previous semesters as well as Opperman Virtuoso Velocity Studies. Repertoire: Debussy, Rozsa, Muczynski, Berg.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CLH. Clarinet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Same as previous semesters as well as Opperman Virtuoso Velocity Studies. Repertoire: Debussy, Rozsa, Muczynski, Berg.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CLS. Secondary Clarinet. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP DB1. Double Bass. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for double bass students. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP DB3. Double Bass. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for double bass students. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP DBC. Double Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP DBD. Double Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP DBF. Double Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP DBG. Double Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP DBH. Double Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP DBS. Secondary Double Bass. 1 Credit Hour.
1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP EU1. Euphonium. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP EU2. Euphonium. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP EU3. Euphonium. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP EU4. Euphonium. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. ½-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Development of embouchure, breathing, and articulation. Appropriate major and minor scales. Repertoire: Bordogni-Rochut, Peters, Jones, Vivaldi.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP EU5. Euphonium. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. ½-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Development of embouchure, breathing, and articulation. Appropriate major and minor scales. Repertoire: Fink Stevens, Maxime-Alphones, Jacob, Hartley.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP EU6. Euphonium. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. ½-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Development of embouchure, breathing, and articulation. Appropriate major and minor scales. Repertoire: Charlier, Bozza, Uber, Horovitz Bellstedt; band and orchestral excerpts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP EUS. Secondary Euphonium. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FH1. French Horn. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FH3. French Horn. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for French horn students. Technical Requirements: Continued transposition study, further skills development, scales and arpeggios. Studies by Bach, Maxime-Alphonse, Gallay; Belloli; orchestral repertoire. Repertoire: Mozart, Strauss, Hindemith, Dukas, Chabier.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FHC. French Horn. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FHD. French Horn. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. ½-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Continue transposition study. Further skills development, scales and arpeggios. Studies by Bach, Maxime-Alphonse, Gallay; Belloli; orchestral repertoire. Repertoire: Mozart, Strauss, Rachmaninoff, Glazounov.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FHF. French Horn. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. ½-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Continued transposition study, further skills development, scales and arpeggios. Studies by Bach, Maxime-Alphonse, Gallay; Belloli; orchestral repertoire. Repertoire: Mozart, Strauss, Hindemith, Dukas, Chabier.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FHG. French Horn. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP FHH. French Horn. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FHS. Secondary French Horn. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FL1. Flute. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FL3. Flute. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FLC. Flute. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Taffanel - Gaubert 17 Daily Exercises, Andersen, Op. 41; Moyse - De la Sonorite, Tone Development through Interpretation. Repertoire: Telemann Fantasies, CPE Bach Sonata, Faure Fantasie Chaminade Concertino.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FLD. Flute. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FLF. Flute. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP FLG. Flute. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FLH. Flute. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FLS. Secondary Flute. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP GUJ. Guitar. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for guitar students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP GU3. Guitar. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for guitar students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP GUC. Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP GUD. Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP GUF. Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP GUG. Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP GUH. Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP GUS. Secondary Guitar. 1 Credit Hour.
1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP HA1. Harp. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for harp students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP HA3. Harp. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for harp students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP HAC. Harp. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP HAD. Harp. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP HAF. Harp. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP HAG. Harp. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP HAH. Harp. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP HAS. Secondary Harp. 1 Credit Hour.
1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP OBC. Oboe. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP OBF. Oboe. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP OBG. Oboe. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP OBH. Oboe. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP OBS. Secondary Oboe. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP PE1. Percussion. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP PE2. Percussion. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP PE3. Percussion. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP PEC. Percussion. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP PED. Percussion. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP PEG. Percussion. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Development of advanced technical etudes and repertory on marimba, vibraphone, snare drum, timpani, multi-percussion, and orchestral excerpts. At least one piece at the final recital has to be a concerto-like composition performed with piano or percussion ensemble.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP PEH. Percussion. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Development of advanced technical etudes and repertory on marimba, vibraphone, snare drum, timpani, multi-percussion, and orchestral excerpts. At least one piece at the final recital has to be a concerto-like composition performed with piano or percussion ensemble.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP PES. Secondary Percussion. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP SA1. Saxophone. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for saxophone students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP SA3. Saxophone. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for saxophone students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP SAC. Saxophone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP SAD. Saxophone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP SAF. Saxophone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP SAG. Saxophone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP SAH. Saxophone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP SAS. Secondary Saxophone. 1 Credit Hour.
1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP TB1. Trombone. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for trombone students. Technical Requirements: Development of embouchure, breathing, articulation, sound, and slide technique. Appropriate major and minor scales. Works by Arban, Blazhevich, Pares, Rochut, Tyrell, and others. Solo literature as appropriate for the student's abilities.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TB3. Trombone. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for trombone students. Technical Requirements: Continuation of technical development including upper register, advanced slide technique, and refined articulation. Works as previously listed, followed by Masson and Bitsch. Solo literature as appropriate for the student's abilities, and continuation of selected orchestral excerpts.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TBC. Trombone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Continuation of previous aspects of technical development. Works as previously listed, followed by Blume, and solo literature as appropriate for the student's abilities. Introduction of orchestral excerpts as both literature and as an aid to technical and musical development.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TBF. Trombone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Continuation of technical development including upper register, advanced slide technique, and refined articulation. Works as previously listed, followed by Masson and Bitsch. Solo literature as appropriate for the student's abilities, and continuation of selected orchestral excerpts.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TBG. Trombone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Further development of all technical aspects of performance. Works by Masson and Bitsch, and solo literature geared towards recital performance.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP TBS. Secondary Trombone. 1 Credit Hour.
1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Development of embouchure, breathing, articulation, sound, and slide technique. Appropriate major and minor scales. Works by Arban, Blazhevich, Pares, Rochut, Tyrell, and others. Solo literature as appropriate for the student's abilities.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TP1. Trumpet. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TP3. Trumpet. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for trumpet students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TPC. Trumpet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TPD. Trumpet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TPF. Trumpet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TPG. Trumpet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TPH. Trumpet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TPS. Secondary Trumpet. 1 Credit Hour.
1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Development of embouchure, breathing, and articulation. Appropriate major and minor scales. Repertoire: Arban, Clarke, Hering, Schlossberg; orchestral excerpts.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP TUA. Tuba. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TUB. Tuba. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TUC. Tuba. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Development of embouchure, breathing, and articulation. Appropriate major and minor scales. Repertoire: Vasiliev, Kopprash, Gallay, Frankenpohl, Nelhybel, Bernstein. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TUD. Tuba. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Development of embouchure, breathing, and articulation. Appropriate major and minor scales. Repertoire: Vasiliev, Kopprash, Gallay, Frankenpohl, Nelhybel, Bernstein. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TUE. Tuba. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Development of embouchure, breathing, and articulation. Appropriate major and minor scales. Repertoire: Cimera, Maenz, Broughton, Persichetti, orchestral excerpts. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TUG. Tuba. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Development of embouchure, breathing, and articulation. Appropriate major and minor scales. Repertoire: Cimera, Maenz, Broughton, Persichetti, orchestral excerpts. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TUA. Secondary Tuba. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP VA1. Viola. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for viola students. Technical Requirements: Right hand and left hand position evaluation and adjustment if necessary. Scales and etudes as assigned. Repertoire: Solo literature appropriate for level and major.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VA3. Viola. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2-4 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Scales and etudes as assigned. Repertoire: Solo literature appropriate for level and major. Solo literature appropriate for level and major.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VAC. Viola. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Scales and etudes as assigned. Repertoire: Solo literature appropriate for level and major. Solo literature appropriate for level and major.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VAD. Viola. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Scales and etudes as assigned. Repertoire: Solo literature appropriate for level and major. Solo literature appropriate for level and major.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VAF. Viola. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Scales and etudes as assigned. Repertoire: Solo literature appropriate for level and major. Solo literature appropriate for level and major.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VAG. Viola. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Scales and etudes as assigned. Repertoire: Solo literature appropriate for level and major. Solo literature appropriate for level and major.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VAH. Viola. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Scales and etudes as assigned. Repertoire: Solo literature appropriate for level and major. Solo literature appropriate for level and major.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VAS. Secondary Viola. 1 Credit Hour.
1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Right hand and left hand position evaluation and adjustment if necessary. Scales and etudes as assigned. Repertoire: Solo literature appropriate for level and major.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP VC1. Violoncello. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for violoncello students. Technical Requirements: Development of basic bow strokes, vibrato, and position changes. Appropriate major scales and arpeggios. Etudes as needed. Repertoire: Vivaldi Sonatas, Saint-Saens Concerto, Hayden C Major Concerto, Beethoven Sonata 1 or 2, Bach Suite 1 or 2.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VC3. Violoncello. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VCC. Violoncello. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: All major and minor scales and arpeggios. Etudes as needed. Repertoire: Lalo Concerto, Boccherini B-flat, Beethoven or Brahms Sonatas, Bach Suite No. 3.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VCD. Violoncello. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: All major and minor scales and arpeggios. Etudes as needed. Repertoire: Lalo Concerto, Boccherini B-flat, Beethoven or Brahms Sonatas, Bach Suite No. 3.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VCF. Violoncello. 1 Credit Hour.
1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Development of basic bow strokes, vibrato, and position changes. Appropriate major scales and arpeggios. Etudes as needed. Repertoire: Vivaldi Sonatas, Saint-Saens Concerto, Hayden C Major Concerto, Beethoven Sonata 1 or 2, Bach Suite 1 or 2.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VN1. Violin. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LSN.
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MIP VN3. Violin. 2 Credit Hours.

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MIP VNC. Violin. 1-2 Credit Hours.

Components: LSN.
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MIP VND. Violin. 1-2 Credit Hours.

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MIP VNF. Violin. 1-2 Credit Hours.

Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VNG. Violin. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Flesch Scale System, Schradieck School of Technic, Sevcik Shifting Studies, Sevcik Trill Studies. Repertoire: J. S. Bach, Beethoven, Ysaye, Franck, Faure, Paganini, Brahms, Bartok.

Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VNH. Violin. 1-2 Credit Hours.

Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VNS. Secondary Violin. 1 Credit Hour.

Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

B.M. in Instrumental Performance
Advanced Writing and Communication Skills

Courses
All students are required to successfully complete 3 Advanced Writing and Communication Skills (AWC) courses. Student degree requirements will include courses that meet the desired communication outcomes in evaluated and revised writing, speaking, stage presence, and audience engagement.
All Instrumental Performance students will successfully complete:

1. MCY 341 Music of the Medieval, Renaissance, and Baroque Periods, which will include substantial evaluated and revised writing components.
2. MIP XXX Private Lesson Level 3 Senior Recital, which will include evaluated communication skills in attracting an audience, engaging an audience during performance, and preparing program notes or similar media as appropriate to the medium/venue.
3. MIP 541-549 Pedagogy and Repertoire, which will include discipline specific communication skills.

**Assessment**

There will be at least 2 specific assessments in each Advanced Communications Skills course for communications or writing equivalent to 4000 words, evaluated and revised.

**Curriculum Requirements**

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Advanced Writing and Communication Skills (3 courses) see description below

Total General Education credits = 27

**Experiential Music Curriculum Core Courses MIP**

Complete 8 semesters of one of the following:

MIP 1    Brass Forum          0
MIP 2    Guitar Forum          0
MIP 5    Percussion Forum      0
MIP 7    String Forum          0
MIP 9    Woodwind Forum        0
MIP XX1 (Level 1) Principal Instrument Lesson & Studio Class (semesters 1-4, 2 credit hours) 8
MIP XX3 (Level 3) Principal Instrument Lesson & Studio Class (semesters 5-6, 2 credit hours) 4
MTC 140 & MTC 107 Experiential Musicianship I and Skills Lab I 4
MTC 141 & MTC 108 Experiential Musicianship II and Skills Lab II 4
MTC 240 & MTC 207 Experiential Musicianship III and Skills Lab III 4
MTC 241 & MTC 208 Experiential Musicianship IV and Skills Lab IV 4
MKP 140   Keyboard Studies I      1
MKP 141   Keyboard Studies II     1
MCY 140   Experiencing Music      3
MCY 341   Music of the Mediaeval, Renaissance, and Baroque Periods (AWC) 3
MMI 250   Essential Technologies for Musicians 3
MMI 310   Music Business and Entrepreneurship for Musicians 3
MIP XXX   Large Ensembles (3 semesters of 1 credit hour) 3
MIP XXX   Chamber Ensembles (3 semesters of 1 credit hour) 3

**Courses in the MIP Major**

MIP XX3 (Level 3) Principal Instrument Lesson & Studio Class (semesters 7-8, 2 credit hours) 4
MIP XXX    Large Ensembles (5 semesters of 1 credit hour) 5
MIP XXX  Chamber Ensembles (5 semesters of 1 credit hour)  5
MIP 307  Skills Lab V: Classical Improvisation  2
MIP 308  Skills Lab VI: Composition as Applied Improvisation  2
MIP 407  Skills Lab VII: Basic Conducting/Arranging  2
MIP 408  Skills Lab VIII: Culminating Project  2
MKP 240  Keyboard Studies III  2
MKP 241  Keyboard Studies IV  2
MTC 311  Analysis and Experience  3
MTC 312  20th and 21st Century Techniques  3
MTC 313  18th Century Counterpoint  3
MTC 416  Orchestration  3
MCY 342  Music of the Classical, Romantic, and Modern Periods  3
Complete exactly one of the following:  2
MIP 541  Bassoon Repertoire and Pedagogy (AWC)
MIP 542  Clarinet Repertoire and Pedagogy (AWC)
MIP 543  Flute Repertoire and Pedagogy (AWC)
MIP 544  Oboe Repertoire and Pedagogy (AWC)
MIP 545  Brass Repertoire and Pedagogy (AWC)
MIP 546  Percussion Repertoire and Pedagogy (AWC)
MIP 547  Saxophone Repertoire and Pedagogy (AWC)
MIP 548  Guitar Repertoire and Pedagogy (AWC)
MIP 549  String Repertoire and Pedagogy (AWC)
Non-Music Elective  3
Total Credit Hours  121

1  EMC core courses require a grade of "C" or higher. Lessons require a grade of "B-" or higher.

### Suggested Plan of Study

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**Credit Hours:** 15

#### Year Four Total Credit Hours

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### B.M. in Instrumental Performance
Mission
The mission of the Bachelor of Music in Performance Degree is to

1. Provide the highest quality of education possible in the areas of musicianship that will lead toward a professional performance career or graduate study as a classical artist.
2. To provide performance opportunities that integrate the skills learned in music and other classes and to foster creativity and research.
3. To provide audition skills and repertoire as well as the skills for building and managing the non-performance aspects of a professional career.

Goals
- Students will develop musicianship skills and technique that will lead toward a professional career as a solo classical performer or graduate study.
- Students will be able to sight-read and prepare musical performances without assistance.
- Students will develop musicianship skills and technique for working within an ensemble leading towards a professional career or graduate study as a classical performer. Ensemble requirements will vary by applied area.
- Students will develop skills for fostering a professional career or graduate study as a classical performer.
- Students will have a broad knowledge of music literature in their applied area as well as an understanding of stylistic and theoretical principles of the various musical and historical periods.

Student Learning Outcomes
- Students will develop instrumental Technique necessary for acceptance into elite level graduate study institutions and for fostering a professional career as classical instrumentalists.
- Students will develop instrumental Expression necessary for acceptance into elite level graduate study institutions and for fostering a professional career as classical instrumentalists.
- Students will develop effective Communication skills related to performance and pedagogy through effective writing or presentation. These skills are necessary for acceptance into elite level graduate study institutions and for fostering a professional career as classical instrumentalists.

Certificate in Instrumental Performance
Audition Required—Music Majors Only
Performance Certificates may be awarded to music majors, in non-performance degrees: MED, MTY, MTC, MWP, MBEI, MUE, and MUS, who meet the achievement level and standards of a music performance major on a single instrument as offered by the following degree programs: MIP, MVP, MKP, MSJI, and MSJV.

Any student wishing to declare a Performance Certificate must audition on an instrument or voice and be approved by the appropriate department. In addition to the Experiential Music Curriculum Core Courses, the following requirements must be met in one of the following tracks: MIP, MVP, MKP, or MSJ. The Music Performance Certificate requires approval by designated departmental faculty.

The appropriate performance level must be achieved as determined by the designated departmental faculty or the certificate will not have been earned, even if all courses have been successfully completed. The Music Performance Certificate will be awarded upon successful completion of all coursework and final approval of the designated departmental faculty.

* Students who will enroll in a required internship (i.e. student teaching) in their 8th semester may petition the department to perform the senior recital and satisfy the Principal Instrument Lesson & Studio Class degree requirements in their 7th semester.

** This program is not eligible for federal or state financial aid. Contact the Office of Student Financial Assistance and Employment (https://finaid.miami.edu/) for further assistance.

Curriculum Requirements

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The Department of Keyboard Performance offers a bachelor of music performance degree and a performer's certificate in piano. It is a dynamic center for music scholarship. Regardless if a student is more versed in classical or contemporary repertoire, the performance and academic opportunities are exceptional and for all areas of keyboard study.

**Bachelor of Music: Keyboard Performance (MKP)**

The purpose of the Bachelor of Music in Keyboard Performance Degree: A degree from the Frost School of Music in Keyboard Performance will ensure a broad comprehensive training for a student in a performance-intensive environment. Degree programs incorporate performance, music research, pedagogy, and professional skills to cultivate students for a professional life in music. Graduates may seek careers as concert performers, collaborative pianists/accompanists, and/or as artist teachers.

**Educational Objectives**

Private lessons are taught with individual student goals in mind, and direction in academics and career pursuits are a priority for the entire faculty. We take pride in the reputation of our keyboard faculty for not only their distinguished concert careers, but also their dedication as inspiring teachers and mentors.

**Certificates**

- Keyboard Performance (p. 1376)

**MKP 0R1. Organ. 2 Credit Hours.**


Requisite: Frost School of Music only.

Components: LSN.

Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**MKP 0R3. Organ. 2 Credit Hours.**


Requisite: Frost School of Music only.

Components: LSN.

Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**MKP 111. Non-Major Class Piano I. 1 Credit Hour.**

This course is designed for the adult beginner who has an interest in playing keyboard instruments for pleasure. Students with no previous musical or keyboard experience learn the fundamentals of music theory and apply them to playing the keyboard at the beginning level.

Components: LAB.

Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**MKP 112. Non-Major Class Piano II. 1 Credit Hour.**

Designed for the adult beginner who has an interest in playing keyboard instruments for pleasure, this course builds on the concepts introduced in MKP 111. Students continue to learn the fundamentals of music theory and apply them to playing the keyboard.

Components: LAB.

Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MKP 140. Keyboard Studies I. 1 Credit Hour.
Major and minor five finger patterns, beginning repertoire, major scales and arpeggios, basic chord progressions, for types of triads, dominant seventh chords, beginning sight reading, harmonization, transposition, and improvisation skills.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MKP 141. Keyboard Studies II. 1 Credit Hour.
Minor scales and arpeggios, modal scales, five types of seventh chords and inversions, and more extensive chord progressions. Study of repertoire and the development of sight-reading, harmonization, transposition, and improvisation skills are continued.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MKP 185. Musical Theatre Accompanying. 1 Credit Hour.
A class designed to improve the skills of pianists with a particular interest in musical theatre piano accompaniment. Students will study in a classroom setting.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 186. Vocal Accompanying I. 1 Credit Hour.
Pianists will attend seminars where the principles of accompanying classical and musical theatre singers are addressed. Students are assigned to accompany applied voice lessons and ensembles.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 187. Vocal Accompanying II. 1 Credit Hour.
Pianists attend seminars where the principles of accompanying classical and musical theatre singers are addressed. Students are assigned to accompany applied voice lessons and ensembles.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 189. Accompanying, Level I. 1 Credit Hour.
Development of sightreading skills and score preparation.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 190. Accompanying, Level II. 1 Credit Hour.
Progressive development of individual vocal/instrumental and ensemble accompanying, sightreading, score reading, and improvising from a lead sheet.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 191. Accompanying, Level III. 1 Credit Hour.
Progressive development of all types of accompaniment skills including; clef and score reading, transposition; possible recital, opera theater, choral ensemble, and/or orchestral accompanying.
Prerequisite: MKP 190.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MKP 220. Computers, Keyboards, and Music. 2 Credit Hours.
An introduction to basic computing skills for the musician that explores computers, keyboards, and other MIDI- (Musical Instrument Digital Interface) related instruments as tools for the musician. Topics include electronic keyboards, computer hardware and software, MIDI sequencing, computer-assisted musical notation, and teaching strategies using new technologies. Students gain hands-on experience while completing projects in each of the above areas.
Prerequisite: MKP 102.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 240. Keyboard Studies III. 2 Credit Hours.
Dominant seventh arpeggios, secondary dominates, and work more extensively with chord progressions. Students also learn Theme and Variation form, Sonata form, and characteristics of the musical style periods. Study of repertoire and the development of sight-reading, harmonization, and the improvisation skills are continued. Transposition of instrumental music to concert pitch, and beginning choral and instrumental score reading are introduced. Students will continue playing major and minor scales at an increased level of difficulty.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MKP 241. Keyboard Studies IV. 2 Credit Hours.
Diminished seventh arpeggios, augmented, and Neapolitan sixth chords, Three-Part Rondo forms, extended chord structures, and a variety of chord Progressions that modulate. Study of repertoire and the development of sight-reading, harmonization, transposition, and improvisation skills are continued. Choral and instrumental score reading, modal scales, and major and minor scales are performed at an increased level of difficulty.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MKP 399. Junior Recital. 1 Credit Hour.
A public recital of one half-hour or more. Course is required of all performance majors.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 493. Special Projects in Keyboard Performance or Pedagogy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member's area of expertise and student's area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MKP 494. Special Topics in Keyboard Performance or Pedagogy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member's expertise and students' areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MKP 499. Senior Recital. 1 Credit Hour.
A public recital of one hour or more. Course is required of all performance majors.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 547. Keyboard Pedagogy. 3 Credit Hours.
Methods and materials for teaching keyboard instruments with a focus on private lesson instruction. Topics include teacher profile, general teaching considerations, the business of teaching, the beginning student, second- and third-year students, teaching materials, and an introduction to new technology in piano teaching.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MKP 548. Intermediate to Advanced Repertoire. 3 Credit Hours.
A class dedicated to a survey and discussion of a wide range of teaching materials including teaching exercises, etudes, and performance literature, both well-known and underappreciated. Topics include reference literature and web resources, piece assigning considerations and leveling, and detailed discussion of selected materials with specific teaching and remedial strategies. Annotated bibliography with MIDI-file attachments of incipits to be submitted at the end of the semester for a grade.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MKP 549. Keyboard Pedagogy II: Keyboard Pedagogy Diagnostics. 3 Credit Hours.
1st class of each week: round-table discussion of private teaching strategies using video taped performance excerpts of students at various levels.
2nd class of each week: a focus on a wide range of teaching repertoire covering intermediate to advanced levels with an emphasis on problem prevention and solving.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MKP 550. Keyboard Pedagogy III: Practice Strategies. 3 Credit Hours.
Focus on practice strategy at the keyboard using Philip Johnston’s Practice Revolution as a springboard for discussion. Topics also include recent findings and leading researchers in cognitive neuroscience and “brain-based learning,” as well as resources available for musician wellness and injury prevention.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 589. Keyboard Accompanying Program in Salzburg, Austria. 0 Credit Hours.
Course is conducted at Salzburg College, Austria. Students receive comprehensive and intensive coaching in piano and accompanying from Dr. Posnak and other internationally acclaimed guest artists. Piano students study piano (2 cr.) and accompanying (1 cr.).
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: AUD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MKP 593. Special Projects in Keyboard Performance or Pedagogy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member’s area expertise and student’s area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MKP 594. Special Topics in Keyboard Performance or Pedagogy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty to faculty member’s expertise and students’ areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MKP 6. Piano Forum. 0 Credit Hours.
A non-credit performance class for all piano majors and principals. Majors are required to perform once each semester with the approval of the applied teacher.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: FOR.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP HC1. Harpsichord. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for harpsichord students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MKP HC3. Harpsichord. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for harpsichord students
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP HCC. Harpsichord. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP HCD. Harpsichord. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP HCF. Harpsichord. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP HCG. Harpsichord. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP HCH. Harpsichord. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP HCS. Secondary Harpsichord. 1 Credit Hour.
1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP ORC. Organ. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Gleason, Method of Organ Playing: selected exercises from Manual Technique, Pedal Exercises and Scales. Repertoire: Gleason, Method of Organ Playing: selected Compositions for Manuals and Pedals; intermediate-level works by Bach, Mendelssohn, Franck, and others; Additional hymn playing techniques.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP ORD. Organ. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Gleason, Method of Organ Playing: selected exercises from Manual Technique, Pedal Exercises and Scales. Repertoire: Gleason, Method of Organ Playing: selected Compositions for Manuals and Pedals; intermediate-level works by Bach, Mendelssohn, Franck, and others; Additional hymn playing techniques.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MKP ORF. Organ. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP ORG. Organ. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Nilson, A System of Technical Studies in Pedal Playing for the Organ; selected exercises. Repertoire: Selected works by composers from all style periods, with an emphasis on the French Romantic and Modern French schools. Advanced service-playing techniques.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP ORH. Organ. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Nilson, A System of Technical Studies in Pedal Playing for the Organ; selected exercises. Repertoire: Selected works by composers from all style periods, with an emphasis on the French Romantic and Modern French schools. Advanced service-playing techniques.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP ORS. Secondary Organ. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Gleason, Method of Organ Playing: selected exercises from Manual Technique and Pedal Technique. Repertoire: Gleason, Method of Organ Playing: Compositions for Manuals, Studies and Compositions for Manuals and Pedal; selected chorale preludes and smaller-scale preludes and fugues by Bach, Buxtehude, Brahms, and others; basics of hymn playing.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP PI1. Piano. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for piano students. Technical Requirements: To show a comprehensive foundation in basic/advanced keyboard skills. Repertoire: Appropriate repertoire as required.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP PI3. Piano. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for piano students. Technical Requirements: Complete Junior Recital as required. Repertoire: Appropriate repertoire as required.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP PIC. Piano. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: To show a comprehensive foundation in basic/advanced keyboard skills. Repertoire: Appropriate repertoire as required.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MKP PID. Piano. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: To show a comprehensive foundation in basic/advanced keyboard skills. Repertoire: Appropriate repertoire as required. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP PIF. Piano. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Complete Junior Recital as required. Repertoire: Appropriate repertoire as required. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP PIG. Piano. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Complete Senior Recital as required. Repertoire: Appropriate repertoire as required. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP PIH. Piano. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Complete Senior Recital as required. Repertoire: Appropriate repertoire as required. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP PIS. Secondary Piano. 1 Credit Hour.
1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: To show a comprehensive foundation in basic/advanced keyboard skills. Repertoire: Appropriate repertoire as required. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

B.M. in Keyboard Performance
Advanced Writing and Communication Skills

Courses
All students are required to successfully complete 3 Advanced Writing and Communication Skills (AWC) courses. Student degree requirements will include courses that meet the desired communication outcomes in evaluated and revised writing, speaking, stage presence, and audience engagement.

All keyboard performance students will successfully complete:

1. MCY 341 Music of the Medieval, Renaissance, and Baroque Periods, which will include substantial evaluated and revised writing components.
2. MKP XXX Private Lesson Level 3 Senior Recital, which will include evaluated communication skills in attracting an audience, engaging an audience during performance, and preparing program notes or similar media as appropriate to the medium/venue.
3. MKP 547 Keyboard Pedagogy, which will include discipline specific communication skills.

Assessment
There will be at least 2 specific assessments in each Advanced Communications Skills course for communications or writing equivalent to 4000 words, evaluated and revised.
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### Mission

The mission of the Bachelor of Music degree in Keyboard Performance is to:

- Provide students the highest quality of education available in the areas of piano performance and musicianship that will provide the foundation for a successful teaching career at an institution or private studio, and which could also lead toward a professional performance career as a classical pianist
- Stimulate the student’s awareness and artistic creativity in the field of piano performance
- Provide students public performance opportunities in a supportive and encouraging environment
- Provide students performance skills necessary for careers in teaching, success at national/international piano competitions, and to further their skills in performance
- Provide students a learning environment for developing as performing musicians
- Instruct students in developing their playing technique, musical knowledge, and performing personalities in order for them to share these insights with their future students
- Introduce and educate students in the vast amount of literature available for the classical piano

### Goals

#### Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will develop solid memorization skills necessary to achieve a higher success rate at graduate auditions and other important performance settings. By acquiring such skills, students will develop greater freedom in performance and interpretive expression as well as a deeper understanding of the pianistic repertoire.
- Students will develop technical pianistic skills necessary for acceptance into a variety of graduate study institutions offering a MM in performance and for fostering a professional career as solo pianists.
- Students will develop musicianship skills and knowledge of a large selection of the piano repertory necessary for acceptance into a variety of graduate study institutions offering a MM in performance and for fostering a professional career as solo pianists.

### Certificate in Keyboard Performance

#### Audition Required-Music Majors Only

Performance Certificates may be awarded to music majors, in non-performance degrees: MED, MTY, MTC, MWP, MBEI, MUE, and MUS, who meet the achievement level and standards of a music performance major on a single instrument as offered by the following degree programs: MIP, MVP, MKP, MSJI, and MSJV.

Any student wishing to declare a Performance Certificate must audition on an instrument or voice and be approved by the appropriate department. In addition to the Experiential Music Curriculum Core Courses, the following requirements must be met in one of the following tracks: MIP, MVP, MKP, or MSJ. The Music Performance Certificate requires approval by designated departmental faculty.

The appropriate performance level must be achieved as determined by the designated departmental faculty or the certificate will not have been earned, even if all courses have been successfully completed. The Music Performance Certificate will be awarded upon successful completion of all coursework and final approval of the designated departmental faculty.
* Students who will enroll in a required internship (i.e. student teaching) in their 8th semester may petition the department to perform the senior recital and satisfy the Principal Instrument Lesson & Studio Class degree requirements in their 7th semester.

** This program is not eligible for federal or state financial aid. Contact the Office of Student Financial Assistance and Employment (https://finaid.miami.edu/) for further assistance.

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### Music Education and Music Therapy (MED) & (MTY)

Dept. Code: MED

The Department of Music Education and Music Therapy offers two degree programs,

- Music Education (MED)
- Music Therapy (MTY).

**MED 10. Mus Therapy Forum. 0 Credit Hours.**
The course provides a weekly forum for sharing information about issues, current developments, and other matters related to music therapy as a field of study and as a profession.

Components: FOR.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**MED 149. Functional Techniques in Music Therapy I. 2 Credit Hours.**
Students acquire functional guitar skills while learning repertoire and techniques for leading and accompanying music therapy experiences.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**MED 15. Mus Edu Forum. 0 Credit Hours.**
The course provides a weekly forum for sharing information about issues, current developments, and other matters related to music education as a field of study and as a profession. The course is required for all undergraduate MED majors during each semester, except during the semester of the internship. Components: FOR.
Components: FOR.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**MED 159. Introduction to Music Therapy. 3 Credit Hours.**
An overview of the field of music therapy, including history, theory and clinical practice. Includes field observations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

**MED 240. Woodwind Techniques. 1 Credit Hour.**
Course provides group instruction in woodwind instruments with emphasis on basic skills of performance as well as the appropriate teaching techniques, methods, and materials necessary for public school pedagogy.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MED 241. Brass Techniques. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in brass instruments with emphasis upon basic skills of performance as well as the appropriate teaching techniques, methods, and materials necessary for public school pedagogy.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 242. Percussion Techniques. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in percussion (snare drum, mallet-keyboard percussion, timpani, drum set, and small accessory instruments) with emphasis upon basic skills of performance as well as the appropriate teaching techniques, methods, and materials necessary for public school pedagogy.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 243. String Techniques. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in percussion (snare drum, mallet-keyboard percussion, timpani, drum set, and small accessory instruments) with emphasis upon basic skills of performance as well as the appropriate teaching techniques, methods, and materials necessary for public school pedagogy.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 244. Vocal Techniques. 1 Credit Hour.
Class instruction in fundamentals of singing, breath control, tone production, and solo singing for music majors.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 245. Folk and Modern Instrumental Techniques. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in folk and modern instruments, including but not limited to guitar, ukulele, recorder, and drums, with emphasis on basic skills of performance and classroom uses, as well as the appropriate teaching techniques, methods, and materials.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 249. Functional Techniques in Music Therapy II. 2 Credit Hours.
Students acquire functional piano skills while learning repertoire and techniques for leading and accompanying music therapy experiences. Vocal skills are also emphasized.
Prerequisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MED 259. Music Therapy Pre-Practicum. 2 Credit Hours.
Students will learn a treatment-planning model for clinical practice. Topics include: assessment, goal setting, intervention design and data collection.
Prerequisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 340. Marching Band Fundamentals. 1 Credit Hour.
A study of all types of marching band activities and methods of presentation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MED 359. Music Therapy Practicum 1A. 2 Credit Hours.
Structured clinical experience in music therapy under supervision of a music therapist in varying health-related settings. Focus of the 1A practicum is to observe and assist the on-site music therapist and to engage in limited co-leading.
Prerequisite: MED 259.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MED 360. Music Therapy Practicum 1B. 2 Credit Hours.
Structured clinical experience in music therapy under supervision of a music therapist in varying health-related settings. Focus of the 1B practicum is to observe and assist the on-site music therapist and to co-lead for half of all sessions.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MED 361. Music Therapy Practicum 2A. 2 Credit Hours.
Structured clinical experience in music therapy under supervision of a music therapist in varying health-related settings. Focus of the 2A practicum is to observe and assist the on-site music therapist and to co-lead for 60% of all sessions.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 362. Music Therapy Practicum 2B. 2 Credit Hours.
Structured clinical experience in music therapy under supervision of a music therapist in varying health-related settings. Focus of the 2B practicum is to observe and assist the on-site music therapist and to co-lead for 75% of all sessions.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 363. Music Therapy Practicum 3A. 2 Credit Hours.
Structured clinical experience in music therapy under supervision of a music therapist in varying health-related settings. Focus of the 3A practicum is to independently design and lead all sessions.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 364. Music Therapy Practicum 3B. 1 Credit Hour.
Structured clinical experience in music therapy under supervision of a music therapist in varying health-related settings. Focus of the 3B practicum is to independently design and lead all sessions.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 430. Teaching Jazz/Popular Music in Secondary Schools. 2 Credit Hours.
A survey of materials, methods, and techniques for instructing jazz and popular music in secondary schools. Review of standard literature, program organization, and in-class performance is emphasized. Designed specifically for music education majors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MED 433. Seminar for Teaching Associates.. 2 Credit Hours.
Discussion of teaching, rehearsal techniques, and the organization and presentation of music materials related to the internship experiences. Course is required of all Music Education majors. To be taken in conjunction with Internship, MED 471.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 471. Internship in Music Education (Elementary School). 6 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive program in observation and supervised teaching in an elementary school music setting for a full semester under the guidance of school and university personnel.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 473. Internship in Music Education (Secondary School). 6 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive program in observation and supervised teaching in an elementary school music setting for a full semester under the guidance of school and university personnel.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MED 475. Internship in Music Education. 12 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive program in observation and supervised teaching in elementary, middle, or secondary school music settings for a full semester under
the guidance of school and university personnel.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 493. Special Projects in Music Education and music therapy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member's area of expertise and student's area of interest. This course includes a culminating
project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MED 494. Special Topics in Music Education and Music Therapy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member's expertise and students' areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MED 542. Teaching General Music (K-5). 3 Credit Hours.
Curriculum, methods, and materials designed for elementary music, K-6. Observation, planning, and teaching experience are emphasized.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MED 543. Teaching Instrumental Music. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of elementary and secondary instrumental music instruction including program organization, teaching techniques, materials, and field
experiences of music instruction in schools.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 544. Teaching Modern Music (7-12). 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide students with fundamentals of teaching vocal music at the secondary (middle and high school) level. Focus will be placed
on presenting effective and ethical instruction to all learners; developing a foundation of appropriate pedagogy and practice; building strategies for
classroom management; and working in diverse populations. Students will be guided through activities and materials necessary for a successful
student teaching experience in vocal music.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 545. Music in Rehabilitation. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of development and functioning for neurologically-based sensorimotor behavior. Survey of disabilities and diseases that typically result in
sensorimotor deficits is deficits is included. Demonstration and practice of therapeutic techniques for sensorimotor deficits are also covered.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MED 546. Music in Psychotherapy. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey and practical application of music as therapy in the treatment of psychiatric disorders and in promoting mental health.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 548. Music for Special Learners. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed for music educators who will be working in schools with children and youth who have various disabilities. The purpose of this
course is to acquaint students with the characteristics of children and youth with disabilities, and introduce adaptive strategies in music education,
K-12, for instructing children and youth with disabilities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MED 549. Teaching Vocal Music. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide students with fundamentals of teaching general music at the secondary (middle and high school) level. Focus will be placed on developing 21st Century musical curricula across a variety of musical disciplines; engaging students through several instructional paradigms; and for presenting instruction using conventional educational strategies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 551. Music Therapy Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to help music therapy students: 1) integrate research findings into their clinical and/or educational practice, 2) implement research techniques into their work (e.g., through data collection or scholarly writing), and 3) become familiar with research procedures.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MED 559. Internship in Music Therapy. 3 Credit Hours.
Course provides students with a six month opportunity as a music therapy intern in an approved training facility.
Components: PRA.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MED 560. Internship in Music Therapy II. 0 Credit Hours.
This Course provides students with a six month opportunity as a music therapy intern in an approved training facility.
Components: PRA.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MED 562. Psychology of Music I. 3 Credit Hours.
Psychological foundations of music with an emphasis on problems of perception, experimental esthetics, functional music, and measurement and diagnosis of musical ability and achievement. Related literature of experimental investigation is reviewed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 575. Preschool Music Workshop. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Workshop is designed to prepare class members to initiate, administer, and teach music programs for preschool children. Materials which address the teacher, the child, and the parent are used. The daily schedule includes demonstration classes with children, lectures, and active participation of and discussion with class members. Emphasis is placed on working with a planning guide for teachers which offers articles on the major areas of the curriculum and clear, succinct statements focusing on the central issues of each lesson.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MED 576. Music and Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of development in cognitive, communication, and musical domains. Survey of developmental disabilities most commonly found in child populations is included as well as demonstration and practice of therapeutic techniques for cognitive and communication deficits.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 581. Teaching Classroom Guitar I. 2 Credit Hours.
This class is designed for students and teachers, guitarist or non-guitarist, who wish to initiate, enhance, and teach guitar in a multi-level classroom setting. The course includes demonstration classes with elementary and secondary students. Topics include organization and teaching performance materials in a hands-on setting.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

MED 593. Special Projects in Music Education and Music Therapy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member's area of expertise and student's area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
B.M. in Music Education with Minor in Education

Introduction

The Bachelor of Music in Music Education with Minor in Education degree program prepares undergraduate music students to become outstanding music educators who are certified by the Florida Department of Education (FL-DOE) to teach music in the schools of Florida and, through reciprocity agreements with other state DOEs, throughout the United States. A basic premise of the Bachelor of Music Education degree program is that music teachers must be both strong musicians and skilled educators; thus, competency as a performing and creating musician is as important as having strong foundations in pedagogy (both theory and practice).

We believe our series of music education techniques and methods courses provide students with a broad foundation in teaching music through the lifespan (childhood through adulthood), as well as across a wide array of educational settings and musical contexts. This sequence incorporates ideas drawn from theory, research, and the practical experiences of the faculty and other successful practitioners. We also believe that students must be able to build themselves to meet their professional goals by developing a specialization in an area of music teaching through music education emphasis area electives.

Program Goals

• Help students develop the musical and teaching competencies necessary to enable them to demonstrate the generic and subject area competencies and the Florida Educational Accomplished Practices (FEAP) for becoming successful music teachers.
• Enable students to apply the musical and instructional skills developed in the program (and reinforced during field experience and student teaching) to teach music in a wide array of contexts.
• Help students to develop the skills and desire to continue music-making as a lifetime endeavor both personally and professionally.
• Help students develop skills in integrating information from the diverse professional literature into their teaching.

Educational Objectives

• Students must demonstrate generic competencies required by the university in general education courses.
• Students must demonstrate competencies related to the core Professional Education courses required by the State of Florida in Teaching and Learning (TAL) courses.
• Students must demonstrate musical competencies related to the requirements of the Bachelor of Music degree.
• Students must demonstrate teaching competencies related to the core courses in the music education.

The Music Education curriculum is designed to prepare students to teach music in a wide array of contexts, including (K-12) public & private schools. All Music Education majors must perform at a high level either vocally or on an instrument. Students must successfully complete the Florida General Knowledge Examination (FGKE) to be admitted to teacher candidacy and to graduate.

All students must develop knowledge of and performance ability on wind, string, and percussion instruments as well as, vocal skills to assure effective use of the voice in teaching.

Admission to and/or retention in the music education curriculum leading to Florida Teacher Certification requires that students be formally screened with respect to specific criteria. Following are the Requirements for Admission to Teacher Candidacy and for Admission to Associate Teaching:

MED 594. Special Topics in Music Education and Music Therapy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member's expertise and students' areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
Admission to Teacher Candidacy

1. Acceptance as a major in the music education program.
3. Completion of 45 credit hours. (Transfer students must have at least 12 credit hours earned at the University of Miami.)
4. Successful completion of TAL 305 and TAL 404 (C or higher).
5. No grade less than a C in TAL & MED courses.
6. 2.5 minimum GPA in music courses.
7. Required Background Check completed through Miami-Dade Public Schools Office.
8. Completion of a successful Field Experience Requirement.

Admission to Student Teaching

1. Approval of MED faculty members.
2. Completion of 90 credit hours.
3. Completion of at least three-fourths of the courses in the teaching major, verified by advisor.
4. Admission to Teacher Candidacy through the Undergraduate Associate Dean’s Office in the School of Education & Human Development.
5. Completion of a C or better in all MED & TAL courses
6. 2.5 minimum GPA in TAL and music courses.
7. Completion of pre-internship field experiences with above-average evaluations.

Curriculum Requirements

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**Total credits for EMC Core courses = 48**

**Courses in the MED Major**

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**Total credits for courses in the major = 61-62**

**Total Credit Hours** 127-128

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1. **MED, TAL and EMC courses require a grade of “C” or higher. Lessons require a grade of “B-” or higher.**

2. **MED 475 Internship in Music Education (12 credits) can be substituted for MED 471 & MED 473**
Advanced Writing and Communication Skills

Courses
All students are required to successfully complete 3 Advanced Writing and Communication Skills (AWC) courses. Student degree requirements will include courses that meet the desired communication outcomes in evaluated and revised writing, speaking, stage presence, and audience engagement.

All Music Education students will successfully complete:

1. MCY 341 Music of the Medieval, Renaissance, and Baroque Periods, which will include substantial evaluated and revised writing components.
2. MED 471 & MED 473 Internship in Music Education (Elementary & Secondary) or MED 475 Internship in Music Education, which will include evaluated communication skills in attracting an audience, engaging an audience during performance, and preparing program notes or similar media as appropriate to the medium/venue.
3. MED 542 Teaching General Music, one required course in their major which will include discipline specific communication skills.

Assessment
There will be at least 2 specific assessments in each Advanced Communications Skills course for communications or writing equivalent to 4000 words, evaluated and revised.

Suggested Plan of Study

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- MED 242  Percussion Techniques
- MED 243  String Techniques
- MIP 181 or MVP 181  Instrumental Conducting I or Choral Conducting I
- TAL 103  Psychological Foundations of Education
- TAL 305  Classroom and Behavior Management
- TAL 306  Teacher Preparation Seminar I
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- MED 240  Woodwind Techniques
- MED 241  Brass Techniques
- MED 242  Percussion Techniques
- MED 243  String Techniques
- MED 245  Folk and Modern Instrumental Techniques
- MIP 182 or MVP 182  Instrumental Conducting II or Choral Conducting II
- TAL 404  Content Area Literacy in the Secondary Classroom
| STEM Cognate |                                                 | 3       |
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Mission

The mission of the Bachelor of Music degree program in Music Education at the Frost School of Music is to:

- Help students develop the musical and teaching competencies necessary to enable them to demonstrate the generic and subject area competencies and the Florida Educational Accomplished Practices (FEAP) for becoming successful music teachers.
- Enable students to apply the musical and instructional skills developed in the program (and reinforced during field experience and student teaching) to teach music in a wide array of contexts.
- Help students to develop the skills and desire to continue music-making as a lifetime endeavor both personally and professionally.
- Help students develop skills in integrating information from the diverse professional literature into their teaching.

Goals

- Students must demonstrate generic competencies required by the university in general education courses.
- Students must demonstrate competencies related to the core Professional Education courses required by the State of Florida in Teaching and Learning (TAL) courses.
- Students must demonstrate musical competencies related to the requirements of the Bachelor of Music degree.
- Students must demonstrate teaching competencies related to the core courses in the music education.

Student Learning Outcomes

- Students in the Bachelor of Music Education program will demonstrate the ability to plan effective instruction.
- Students in the Bachelor of Music Education program will demonstrate the ability to deliver effective instruction.
- Students in the Bachelor of Music Education program will demonstrate effective communication and writing skills.
B.M. in Music Therapy with Minor in Psychology

Introduction

The music therapy program provides students with the opportunity to develop comprehensive musicianship as well as clinical knowledge and skills within a rich musical, scholarly and communicative environment. Music therapy majors must demonstrate musical proficiency, either vocally or instrumentally, and must acquire musical competency on guitar, piano, voice and percussion.

Graduates of this program are prepared for careers as professional music therapists in a variety of health care and educational settings. Furthermore, graduates are eligible to take the Board Certification Exam in music therapy, leading to the credential, Music Therapist Board Certified (MT-BC). The music therapy curriculum is approved by the American Music Therapy Association, and is based on the clinical and research paradigm known as Neurologic Music Therapy.

To remain in the Music Therapy program, students must earn a minimum 2.5 GPA each semester. Additionally, music therapy core courses must be completed with a grade of C or higher. All internship applications must include a written letter of recommendation from a music therapy faculty member.

Educational Objectives

The music therapy program is designed to address three primary objectives:

- Comprehensive musicianship: through intensive music study and performance experiences, students will articulate knowledge of music structure and style, produce aesthetically pleasing musical performances, and modify music for specific contexts.
- Knowledge of human behavior: by studying both theory and scientific evidence, students will develop an in-depth understanding of the systems of the human body, the intricacies of human behavior, as well as developmental norms and deviations in each domain of functioning.
- Knowledge of Music Therapy: students will engage in rigorous exploration of the theories and scientific evidence that support the use of music in a therapeutic context. Following the neurologic music therapy approach, all techniques learned in this program are based on scientific evidence regarding music perception and behavior. Furthermore, students have ample opportunity to establish and refine their therapeutic skills through five semesters of clinical practice in addition to a six-month, full-time clinical internship. Internship applications must include a written letter of recommendation from music therapy faculty member.

The Music Therapy Equivalency Program

The equivalency program is designed for the individual who has already completed a bachelor's degree in a related discipline, including the following courses:

- Music Theory I, II, III and IV; Music History I and II; Conducting, Arranging, Applied Lessons (6 semesters), Performing Ensembles (6 semesters), Piano Competency (4 semesters of either lessons or group piano) and Introduction to Psychology.

Beyond these courses, the program consists of 50 credit hours that can be completed in two years, followed by a six-month clinical internship. All internship applications must include a written letter of recommendation from a music therapy faculty member. Please contact the Music Therapy Program Director for a listing of the 50 credit hours.

If any of the prerequisite courses have not yet been completed, they can be taken at the University of Miami. Taking these additional courses, however, may lengthen the amount of time required to complete the equivalency program. In certain situations, alternate courses from other universities can substitute for the required courses. Depending on the nature of the course, this decision will be made by the undergraduate dean, in consultation with the Music Therapy Program Director.

In order to determine exactly how many credits are required to complete the equivalency program, the student should obtain official transcripts for their previous degree and meet with the music therapy program director. Following completion of the course and internship, students are then eligible to sit for the music therapy board certification exam and can become professional members of the American Music Therapy Association (AMTA). For students wishing to pursue graduate studies in music therapy, the equivalency program can be combined with the master's degree in music therapy.

Curriculum Requirements

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Total General Education credits = 18

**Experiential Music Curriculum Core Courses MTY**

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Total credits for EMC Core courses = 48

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Total credits for courses in the major = 58

Total Credit Hours: 124-125

1. EMC and MED courses require a grade of "C" or higher. Lessons require a grade of "B-" or higher.

2. Students enrolling in MED 560 Music Therapy Internship II are considered full-time. Health insurance is mandatory. International students must apply for CPT (Curricula Practical Training). This course confers full-time status for undergraduate students and fulfills a degree requirement for the Bachelor of Music Therapy degree program.

Advanced Writing and Communication Skills

Courses
All students are required to successfully complete 3 Advanced Writing and Communication Skills (AWC) courses. Student degree requirements will include courses that meet the desired communication outcomes in evaluated and revised writing, speaking, stage presence, and audience engagement.

All Music Therapy students will successfully complete:

1. MCY 141 Musical Trends and Traditions, which will include substantial evaluated and revised writing components.
2. MED 363 Senior Practicum, which will include evaluated communication skills in attracting an audience, engaging an audience during performance, and preparing program notes or similar media as appropriate to the medium/venue.
3. MED 551 Music Therapy Research Methods, which will include discipline specific communication skills.

Assessment
There will be at least 2 specific assessments in each Advanced Communications Skills course for communications or writing equivalent to 4000 words, evaluated and revised.

Suggested Plan of Study

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| UMX 100     | The University of Miami Experience               | 0            |
| Ensemble    |                                                  | 1            |
| **Spring**  |                                                  | **17**       |
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| MKP 141 or MSJ 104 | Keyboard Studies II  
or Jazz Piano II | 1            |
| MTC 141, MSJ 141,  
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| ENG 106     | English Composition II                           | 3            |
| MTH 101     | Algebra for College Students                     | 3            |
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or MMI 207 | Skills Lab III  
or Skills Lab III  
or Skills Lab III: American Song Traditions | 1            |
| MED 244 or MVP 250 | Vocal Techniques  
or Lyric Diction for Singers - English and Italian | 1-2          |
| PSY 110     | Introduction to Psychology                       | 3            |
| DAN 290     | Introduction to Dance-Movement Therapy           | 2            |
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or MMI 208 | Skills Lab IV  
or Skills Lab IV  
or Skills Lab IV: American Song Traditions | 1            |
| MED 259     | Music Therapy Pre-Practicum                       | 2            |
| MED 359     | Music Therapy Practicum 1A                       | 2            |
| PSY 230     | Child and Adolescent Development                 | 3            |
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*Students enrolling in MED 560 Music Therapy Internship II are considered full-time. Health insurance is mandatory but can be waived depending on visa status. International students must apply for CPT (Curricula Practical Training). This course confers full-time status for undergraduate students and fulfills a degree requirement for the Bachelor of Music Therapy degree program.*
Mission

The mission of the Bachelor of Music degree program in Music Therapy at the Frost School of Music is to prepare students to develop: a) advanced and functional musicianship, b) music therapy clinical knowledge, and c) music therapy clinical skill. The preparation of students’ academic, professional, and interpersonal therapeutic abilities will satisfy the required standards of practice of an entry level practitioner as required by the American Music Therapy Association. The Frost program seeks to recruit and retain highly qualified students to study and gain entry-level clinical skill for music therapy practice and employment and to prepare them for graduate study.

Goals

The music therapy program is designed to address three primary objectives:

- Comprehensive musicianship: through intensive music study and performance experiences, students will articulate knowledge of music structure and style, produce aesthetically pleasing musical performances, and modify music for specific contexts.
- Knowledge of human behavior: by studying both theory and scientific evidence, students will develop an in-depth understanding of the systems of the human body, the intricacies of human behavior, as well as developmental norms and deviations in each domain of functioning.
- Knowledge of Music Therapy: students will engage in rigorous exploration of the theories and scientific evidence that support the use of music in a therapeutic context. Following the neurologic music therapy approach, all techniques learned in this program are based on scientific evidence regarding music perception and behavior. Furthermore, students have ample opportunity to establish and refine their therapeutic skills through five semesters of clinical practica in addition to a six-month, full-time clinical internship. Internship applications must include a written letter of recommendation from music therapy faculty member.

Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will demonstrate functional music skills for clinical practice.
- Students will demonstrate effective treatment planning to include assessment of various diagnoses, setting of goals and objectives, designing therapeutic music experiences, accurate data collection of behavior, and ability to articulate client progress through both verbal and written means.
- Students will demonstrate effective clinical practice skills including the ability to facilitate client response through appropriate music interventions.

Music Media and Industry (MMI)

Department code: MMI.

The Department of Music Media and Industry offers degree programs in the following areas:

- B.M. in Music Business Entertainment Industries with a Business, Communications, or Entertainment-Related Minor.
- B.M. in Musicianship, Artistry Development, and Entrepreneurship with a Minor in Music Business and Entertainment Industries.
- B.M. in Professional Studies
- B.S. in Music Engineering Technology with a Minor in Computer or Electrical Engineering
- B.M. in Media Writing and Production

Minors

- Creative American Music Minor (p. 1449)
- Media Writing and Production Minor (p. 1450)
- Music Business and Entertainment Industries Minor (p. 1450)

MMI 102. Record Company Practicum. 1 Credit Hour.
The course focuses on practical techniques and procedures employed by record companies.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 107. Skills Lab I. 1 Credit Hour.
A Contemporary Performance musical skills ensemble focusing on ear training, transcription, notation, and interactive musicianship for songwriters.
Co-Requisite: MMI 140 must pass with a 2.0.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MMI 108. Skills Lab II. 1 Credit Hour.
A Contemporary Performance musical skills ensemble focusing on ear training, transcription, notation, and interactive musicianship for songwriters.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 13. Music Engineering Forum. 0 Credit Hours.
A weekly forum for all Music Engineering Technology and Audio Engineering majors, both undergraduate and graduate. Presentations include faculty lectures, guest lectures by industry professionals, as well as dissemination of information pertaining to audio studios and laboratories.
Requisite: Plan of Music Engineering.
Components: FOR.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 139. Small Contemporary Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
A performing ensemble of student-generated contemporary musical repertoire.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 14. Music Industry Forum. 0 Credit Hours.
A weekly forum for all Music Industry majors, both graduate and undergraduate, for the purpose of updating current teaching material with the latest developments, presentations of guest speakers from the industry, lectures, and reports from faculty on current employment opportunities.
Components: FOR.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 140. Experiential Musicianship I. 3 Credit Hours.
The first of a two-course sequence in music theory, with an overall focus on musicianship for the Contemporary Music student. The course emphasizes theoretical and analytical skills, as well as the connection between analysis and other musical experiences in listening and performance. The student will display a written understanding of the basic building blocks of music, through its more advanced constructions and functions.
Corequisite: MMI 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 141. Experiential Musicianship II. 3 Credit Hours.
MMI 141 is the second in a two-course sequence in music theory and musicianship for the Contemporary Music Student. As with MMI 140, the course emphasizes analytical skills and the connections between analysis and other musical experiences in listening and performance.
Pre-requisite: MMI 140 And Co-requisite: MMI 108 must pass with 2.0.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 15. Made Forum. 0 Credit Hours.
The course provides a weekly forum for sharing information about issues, current developments, and other matters related to the contemporary music industry as a field of study and as a profession. The course is required for all undergraduate MADE majors during each semester.
Requisite: Must have a Plan of MADE.
Components: FOR.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 151. Desktop Audio Production. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to MIDI technology and computer based tools for music production.
Requisite: Plan of MUE or MEC.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MMI 160. Ensemble Recording Workshop I. 3 Credit Hours.
Assisting recording and sound reinforcement engineers in the assigned performance ensemble in both rehearsal and performance. Students also perform in a studio ensemble where they act as both recording engineer and musician.
Requisite: Plan of MUE or MEC.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 161. Ensemble Recording Workshop II. 3 Credit Hours.
Students are responsible for the audio needs of an assigned ensemble in both rehearsal and performance. Lectures address audio equipment and practices. Students also perform in a studio ensemble where they act as the recording engineer and musician. Open to MUE majors only.
Prerequisite: MMI 160. Requisite: Plan of MUE or MEC.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 17. Media Writing and Production Forum. 0 Credit Hours.
This course provides a weekly forum for sharing information about issues, current developments, and other matters related to commercial music composition and production as a field of study and as a profession. The course is required for all undergraduate MWP majors during each semester.
Components: FOR.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 171. Music Engineering Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: MBEI Or MBEI Majors Or MBEI Minors only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 172. Audio Design Workshop III. 1 Credit Hour.
Digital audio system design and architecture including analog-digital conversion, digital I/O hardware specifications, audio effects processors and digital audio recorder alignment techniques. Students design and troubleshoot audio projects including A/D converters, S/PDIF I/O, and DAT recorders. Open to MUE and EAN Majors only.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 173. Introduction to the Music Business. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides students with an overview of the music business and related entrepreneurial fundamentals. Music business topics explored include copyright, publishing, the record business, licensing, the live music industry, and arts administration. Entrepreneurial topics explored include starting a business, accounting and marketing basics, and securing funding.
Requisite: MBEI Major or MBEI Minors only and Sophomore Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 178. Entertainment Industry Survey. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of the entertainment industry. Concentration on the legal, marketing and financial aspects of different areas of the industry including film, television, music, broadcasting, cable, publishing, video games, sports, performing arts, and theme parks.
Requisite: MBEI Or MBEC Majors Or MBEI Minors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 201. Introduction to Music Recording. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview study of the theory and practice of music recording, with emphasis on modern recording studio practices. Topics include physics of sound, psychoacoustics, studio design, microphones, loudspeakers, consoles, signal processing, digital audio, MIDI, and synchronization.
Requisite: Must have a plan of MUE or MEC or EAN.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MMI 207. Skills Lab III: American Song Traditions. 1 Credit Hour.
A learning ensemble focusing on the various Anglo-American song traditions from English and Irish folk ballads, through Hymnodies, Old-Time, Bluegrass, Western Swing and Newgrass.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 208. Skills Lab IV: American Song Traditions. 1 Credit Hour.
A learning ensemble focusing on the various African-American song traditions from early plantation songs, shouts, hollers, and spirituals, to the development of blues traditions, to gospel.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 240. Experiential Musicianship III. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of melodic, harmonic and rhythmic language in jazz and contemporary music using analysis and aural dictation. MMI 207 Skills Lab III, keyboard lab accompanies this course.
Corequisite: MMI 207 SKILLS LAB III.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 241. Experiential Musicianship IV. 3 Credit Hours.
The continuation of MSJ 140/MMI 240 focused on the study of the diminished chord, extensions, modes and upper structure triads. A keyboard lab accompanies this course.
Corequisite: MMI 208 SKILLS LAB IV.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 250. Essential Technologies for Musicians. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic MIDI and digital audio principles from set-up to final mix, recording of live Instruments using basic microphone techniques, MIDI sequencing, software synthesizers, basic editing, and audio looping.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 259. Digital Audio and MIDI Production. 3 Credit Hours.
Weekly lab focused on Pro Tools proficiency and the intricacies of audio technology relating to a modern producer/film composer. Topics include Digital Audio definitions and uses, Pro Tools understanding, shortcuts, and proficiency, and MIDI.
Requisite: MADE_BM or MWPD_BM majors only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 260. Virtual Orchestration. 3 Credit Hours.
Weekly lab focused on the creation of sample-based orchestral mock-ups. Particular emphasis is placed on technical considerations as they apply to MIDI programming, sample selection, and mixing.
Requisite: MADE_BM or MWPD_BM majors only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 261. Media Writing I: Music for Media. 3 Credit Hours.
Project-based lecture course designed to provide students the opportunity to compose and realize a varied array of music projects for media applications including music branding "logos" radio/television ID packages, and 30-second television ads. Particular emphasis is placed on thechnical considerations, aesthetic issues and the psychology of music as they relate to advertising on radio and television.
Prerequisite: MMI 282 (or MTC 204).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MMI 262. Media Writing II: Video Game Scoring. 3 Credit Hours.
Project based seminar/workshop designed to provide students the opportunity to gain the skills, knowledge and experience necessary to produce a variety of musical works for use in video games. Students will also be instructed in the concepts and subtleties of using a DAW (Digital Audio Workstation) specifically designed for video games.
Prerequisite: MMI 282 (or MTC 204).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 273. Artist Development and the Live Entertainment Industry. 3 Credit Hours.
Views of the live entertainment industry from the perspective of the performing artist, artist manager, talent agent, attorney, and concert promoter. Consideration is given to the interpersonal, business, and contractual relationships and their impact on the performing artist's career. Strategies for career development are addressed and the ground rules of publicity, public relations, and promotion explored and applied in practical situations through special individual and team projects.
Prerequisites: MMI 173 or MMI 178 or MMI 310. Requisite: MBEI and MBEC majors and MBEI minors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 274. Introduction to Music Copyright Law. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides a study of the current U.S. copyright law as it applies to musical compositions and sound recordings. This course includes analysis of the modern practices of music licensing for both digital and physical uses as well as copyright acquisition. Students will study the various rights of the copyright owner, what can be protected by copyright, and the duration of copyright. They will learn the formalities of music copyright including registration and notice. Current music copyright infringement cases are reviewed along with defenses to infringement and remedies for infringement. The course also covers international copyright protection and music copyright as it applies to digital technologies and distribution.
Prerequisite: MMI 173 or MMI 310 And Requisite: MBEI or MBEC Majors Or MBEI Minors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 280. Synthestration. 3 Credit Hours.
Weekly lab focused on Sound Design/synthesis as it applies to the modern producer. Topics include different synthesis techniques, different waves, modulation controls, signal flow as it applies to modular synthesis, hardware synths vs "softsynths," and FX processing common to synth instruments.
Requisite: MADE_BM or MWPD_BM majors only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 281. Production I: Recording and Production Techniques. 3 Credit Hours.
Project based seminar/workshop designed to provide students the opportunity to gain the skills and knowledge to properly record acoustic audio into a DAW (Digital Audio Workstation). Particular emphasis will be placed on the proper use and implementation of microphones, microphone cables, direct boxes, microphone pre-amplifiers and consoles. In addition, students will be versed in the basics of acoustics, signal flow and basic mixing techniques within a DAW.
Pre/Corequisite: MMI 141 Or MTC 141.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 282. Production II: Audio Processing and Critical Listening. 3 Credit Hours.
Project-based practicum course designed to provide students the opportunity to explore, discover and articulate the elements needed to successfully model and emulate music of any genre by examining popular music of selected decades. Particular emphasis is placed on critical listening, the understanding of signal flow and processing, and the skills required to properly apply each of these concepts in order to enhance the commercial viability of their final projects.
Prerequisite: MMI 281 (or MTC 203).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 307. Skills Lab V: American Pop. 1 Credit Hour.
A learning ensemble focusing on American Popular Music from the late-1950s to the late-1970s. Students will develop a portfolio of original songs in modern American styles.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MMI 308. Skills Lab VI: American Pop. 1 Credit Hour.
A learning ensemble focusing on American Popular Music from the 1980s to the present. Students will develop a portfolio of original songs in modern American styles.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 310. Music Business and Entrepreneurship for Musicians. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides students with an overview of the music business and related entrepreneurial fundamentals. Music business topics explored include copyright, publishing, the record business, licensing, the live music industry, and arts administration. Entrepreneurial topics explored include starting a business, accounting and marketing basics, and securing funding.
Requisite: Frost School of Music and Prerequisite: MMI 141 or MSJ 141 or MTC 141.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MMI 315. Contemporary Songwriting I. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores modern songwriting techniques, song lyric theory, song form, melodic development, pop harmony and rhythm & grooves. Students will analyze a variety of recordings by top modern songwriters. Students will compose and record a number of original songs for the course.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 320. Contemporary Lyric Writing. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores modern lyric writing techniques, song lyric theory, and song form. Students will analyze a variety of lyrics by top modern songwriters, focusing on their use of literary devices, imagery and metaphors. Students will compose a number of original lyrics for the course.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 361. Acoustics. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the theoretical principles of acoustics. Principle topics include basic properties, acoustical phenomena, superposition, Fourier Theorem, symmetry, vibrating strings and columns, and musical instruments; a study of architectural acoustics such as growth and decay, absorption coefficients, normal modes, diffusion, isolation, and mass law; design applications such as structural techniques and materials, live end-dead end, room geometry, tuning, TDS and other measurement techniques.
Prerequisites: MTH 112, PHY 102 or PHY 205. Requisite: Plan of MUE and MEC.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 363. Media Writing III: Film Scoring Foundations. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminar in the aesthetics and psychology of mood music, sound-film synchronization, timing techniques, and scoring procedures. Analysis and performance of student projects is included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 364. Media Writing IV: Film Scoring Extensions. 3 Credit Hours.
Adaptation of previous semester's techniques to television scripts and performed music. Pre-recording, direct recording, and dubbing procedures are included as well as preparation and performance of complete film cues. Each student is required to conduct his/her project.
Prerequisite: MMI 363 (or MTC 511).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 378. Music Business Agreements. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the legal agreements between different parties in the music business, such as record companies, recording artists, music producers, and licensees. Emphasis is placed on the different ways of contractually addressing intellectual property ownership and usage, compensation, and exclusive services.
Prerequisite: MMI 173 or MMI 178 or MMI 310 and MMI 274. Requisite: MBEI and MBEC Majors and MBEI Minors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MMI 383. Production III: Audio Editing. 3 Credit Hours.
Project-based practicum course designed to provide students the opportunity to compose, record and reproduce a wide variety of music projects that combine the use of pre-existing as well as new musical elements. Particular emphasis is placed on technical considerations, aesthetic issues, and the commercial viability of the end product.
Prerequisite: MMI 262 (or MTC 304).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 384. Production IV: Mixing and Mastering. 3 Credit Hours.
Weekly lab focused on mixing and mastering music for commercial release. Topics include psychoacoustics, a variety of audio effects and their uses in a mix, how rooms and equipment affect your ability to listen critically, and loudness requirements for commercial releases. Students will be mixing 1 song a week, with increased level of difficulty as new subjects are introduced.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 401. Audio Electronics. 3 Credit Hours.
An introductory course in audio electronics theory and professional audio applications such as recording studio equipment and audio effects design. Coursework includes basic electronic components and theories, passive filtering, transformers, operational amplifiers, vacuum tubes, non-linear elements including diodes and JFETs, graphic, parametric and shelving equalizers, compressors, limiters, gates, microphone preamps, analog effects including reverb, flanging, and chorusing. Students will design custom audio circuits and use computer simulations to understand theory of operation. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 410. Music Engineering Capstone Project. 3 Credit Hours.
Students in MMI 410 propose and execute a project that represents the Culmination of their learning experiences in the Music Engineering Program. Students meet as a group with a faculty member of record each week to Discuss project topics and assess progress. The course concludes with a public Presentation of the final project.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 420. Music Industry Capstone Project. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will apply the knowledge and skills acquired in their courses to develop a Business Plan for a Music Business venture. Students will identify a segment of the industry, analyze aspects associated with a SWOT analysis, income, cost, expenses, and develop a marketing plan for the venture. The course will provide students an inside view of the business operations while enhancing their conceptual understanding of the structures and interrelationships of the diverse music ventures in the music business ecosystem. Requisite: Senior Status And MBEI Majors Only.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 436. Audio Postproduction. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic audio for video and film postproduction, including the study of time code, synchronization, electronic editing, video and film transports, dolby stereo, equipment interfacing, and future developments. Prerequisite: MMI 201 and Requisite: MUE and EAN Majors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 445. Senior Project/Portfolio. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is the capstone of the Creative American Music Program. Students will develop a portfolio of recordings of original songs. Students will also be required a public performance of their original songs. Requisite: Senior Status and MWP majors or MADE majors or CAM minors only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MMI 454. Entertainment Industry Practicum. 1 Credit Hour.
Practical experience in an entertainment industry organization.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 455. Music Business Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
Practical experience in different areas of the music business under the supervision of professional firms and the university.
Requisite: MBEI Majors Only.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 456. Internship in Entertainment Industries II. 0 Credit Hours.
Continuation of MMI 455.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MMI 460. Recital Recording and Sound Reinforcement (Recording Services). 1 Credit Hour.
Practical experience in live concert recording, editing and mastering, and sound reinforcement, under supervision of professional on-campus engineers.
Requisite: MUEE_BS Plan Code Only. Permission of Instructor for other Plan Codes.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 465. Internship in Music Engineering. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Practical experience in the music engineering industry such as work in a recording studio, broadcast company, hardware or software manufacturer, under professional supervision.
Requisite: Plan of MUE or MEC.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MMI 493. Special Projects in Music Media and Industry. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member's area expertise and student's area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MMI 494. Special Topics in Music Media and Industry. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty to faculty member's expertise and students' areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MMI 501. Transducer Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Course covers the fundamentals of electromagnetism and audio transducer theory including loudspeaker and microphone systems. Classical electro-acoustical analysis of transducers including acoustic suspension, bass-reflex, transmission line, electrostatic and horn loudspeakers, dynamic, ribbon and condenser pressure, and pressure-gradient microphones. Students use computer-aided design programs and Thiele-Small parameterization to model loudspeakers and measure loudspeaker responses. Open to MUE and EAN Majors only.
Prerequisite: MMI 501. Requisite: Plan of MUE and EAN.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MMI 502. Audio Signal Processing I. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the theory and practice of digital audio topics including discrete time sampling, quantization, dithering, PCM, A/D and D/A conversion, digital filtering, oversampling, modulation codes, timebase, error correction codes, magnetic storage, DAT, and optical storage. Requisite: MUE and EAN majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 503. Audio Signal Processing II. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the theory and practice of digital audio topics including fiber optics and networks, compact disc, interconnection, psychoacoustics, low bit-rate perceptual coding, MPEG, digital audio broadcasting, sigma-delta conversion, noise shaping, digital video, and emerging technologies. Open to MUE and EAN Majors only. Prerequisite: MMI 502. Requisite: Plan of MUE and EAN.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 504. Audio Signal Processing III. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory, design, and development of computer audio synthesizers and analyzers. Students implement software synthesizers including analog and physical modeling, wave-table, wave-shaping, and FM designs. Classical and modern theories of timbre and time-frequency analysis are included. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MMI 505. Current Trends in Music Engineering I. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory, design and development of audio signal processing techniques. Topics include DSP architectures, systems design, algorithm development, and applications. DSP development tools used to write, debug, and test programs including time-domain based effects such as reverb, chorus, flanging, and digital delay as well as frequency-domain projects such as FIR, IIR, and FFT filters and vocoders. Prerequisite: MMI 504. Requisite: Plan of MAU and EAN.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 506. Current Trends in Music Engineering II. 3 Credit Hours.
MMI 506 addresses current technologies, skills, and techniques employed in a specific aspect of the audio technology and/or music technology fields.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MMI 508. Current Trends in Music Engineering III. 3 Credit Hours.
MMI 508 addresses current technologies, skills, and techniques employed in a specific aspect of the audio technology and/or music technology fields.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MMI 510. Computational Psychoacoustics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course deals with the fundamentals of audition in human biological systems, including auditory sensory transduction, cochlear processes, neural pathways, cortical organization, and auditory illusions, with specific applications to perceptual data reduction techniques and auditory displays.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MMI 511. Current Trends in Music Engineering IV. 3 Credit Hours.
MMI 511 addresses current technologies, skills, and techniques employed in a specific aspect of the audio technology and/or music technology fields. Prerequisite: ECE 118.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MMI 520. Audio Technology for Musicians. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction and overview of audio technology with emphasis on music recording, production equipment, and techniques. Topics include microphones, loudspeakers, mixing consoles, interconnection, amplifiers, digital processing, time code, and surround sound. Open to non-MUE majors. 
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 521. Timbral Ear Training. 3 Credit Hours.
Students in this course will accomplish four primary goals: 1) instantaneous discernment of ISO frequency regions and critical bands; 2) aural identification of audio-processing techniques, artifacts, and problems; 3) development of critical thinking skills and competence in current audio listening test methodologies; and 4) successful completion of a comprehensive bank of critical listening “golden ears” tests
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MMI 530. Entrepreneurship for Musicians. 3 Credit Hours.
Course explores a wide range of options for musicians who want to pursue music business careers in their regional music markets. Students examine opportunities in performance, recording, composition, education, and more. Emphasis is placed on the packaging of musical skills in the marketplace and on the financial management of a small proprietary music business. As a result, the student musician will be prepared to make career decisions with foresight and planning.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 531. Recording Engineering Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
Students in MMI 531 will accomplish three primary goals: 1) understanding historical trends in the audio recording industry, particularly those involving key technological advances; 2) understanding and appreciating recent advances in sound recording technologies and methods; and 3) development of critical thinking, research, writing, and presentation skills.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MMI 532. Arts Leadership. 3 Credit Hours.
Course explores critical concepts of leadership, decision-making, and teamwork in wide-ranging arts presentation settings. Through experiential learning, students practice and acquire the knowledge and skills vital for effective navigation through the dynamic arts industry.
Requisite: MBEI Or MBEC Or MADE Majors Or MBEI Minor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 537. Recorded Music Operations. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides a study of the activities involved in commercially exploiting recorded music. The course includes an analysis of activities involved in the production, manufacturing, distribution, and marketing of a recorded music product; as well as related royalty accounting, mechanical licensing and master-use licensing activities.
Prerequisite: MMI 173 or MMI 310 and MMI 274 and Requisite: MBEI or MBEC or MADE Majors or MBEI Minor only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 543. Music Marketing. 3 Credit Hours.
Students learn how to fulfill demand and influence consumer behavior through effective marketing techniques. The course provides the students with information on the latest technologies being employed to reach and communicate with target consumers.
Requisite: MBEI or MBEC or MADE Majors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MMI 545. Music Placement and Exploitation. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an in-depth study of the creative and business aspects involved with the discovery, placement and exploitation of music in the current entertainment business. Students explore the processes of how music is placed in television, film, commercials, video games, with new media and recording artists. This course covers the roles of the various players in the music placement business and studies creative approaches, negotiation techniques and licensing practices. The DIY music creator, both the songwriter and recording artist, and their music representative will learn how to prepare, package, present, place and exploit their music as well as how to build a fan base. Students will learn how to locate resources for licensable music, offer creative options, select and license appropriate music, combine music with a variety of media, negotiate with a variety of rights holders, and generate license requests, agreements, and cue sheets.
Prerequisite: MMI 173 or MMI 310 and MMI 274 and MMI 573 or Requisite: MBEI or MBEC or MADE Majors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 573. Music Publishing. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an in-depth study of the creative and business aspects, concepts and practices of the music publishing industry. The course covers the acquisition, exploitation, administration and protection of songs in the contemporary music publishing business. Students will also study the income sources, royalty rates and payment procedures currently used in the music industry as they apply to musical compositions. Music publishing agreements currently used for the acquisition and administration of songs are reviewed in-depth. Foreign music publishing issues are explored and reviewed as related to domestic music publishing.
Prerequisite: MMI 173 or MMI 310 and MMI 274.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MMI 580. Advanced Analysis of Current Topics in the Music Business. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides students with in-depth study of advanced topics in the music business, including recent developments in the areas of music licensing, copyright, international markets, live music, artist development, data management, and others. Particular focus is placed on ways to meet the current challenges facing the industry.
Prerequisite: MBEI Or MBEC Or MADE Majors Or MBEI Minor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 593. Special Projects in Music Media and Industry. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member’s area expertise and student’s area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MMI 594. Special Topics in Music Media and Industry. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty to faculty member’s expertise and students’ areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MMI CB1. Contemporary Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits; 1/2 hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Basic grooves and bassline construction. Analysis of different styles of rock, pop, rhythm & blues, and funk music. Introduction to acoustic, six-string electric, and fretless electric basses. Knowledge of beginning functional harmony and sight-reading skills will also be addressed.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CB3. Contemporary Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
One hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits; 1/2 hour less for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical requirements: Analysis of classic rhythm sections recorded throughout the last 50 years, including concentration on important and influential drummers in different styles of rock, pop, R&B, funk, latin, and jazz idioms. Live performance skills and studio techniques. Studies in jazz and modal harmony. Introduction to improvisation.
Prerequisite: MMI CBD.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MMI CBB. Contemporary Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
One hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2 hour less for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical requirements: Basic grooves and bassline construction. Analysis of different styles of rock, pop, rhythm & blues, and funk music. Introduction to acoustic, six-string electric and fretless electric basses. Knowledge of beginning functional harmony and sight-reading skills will also be addressed.
Prerequisite: MMI CBA.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CBC. Contemporary Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
One hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2 hour less for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical requirements: Analysis of important bass players and styles, including Carol Kaye, James Jamerson, Larry Graham, Jack Bruce and others. Studies in intermediate harmony and introduction to standard American popular repertoire. Sight-reading, chart reading, and basic rhythm section arranging.
Prerequisite: MMI CBB.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CBD. Contemporary Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
One hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2 hour less for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical requirements: Analysis of important bass players and styles, including Carol Kaye, James Jamerson, Larry Graham, Jack Bruce and others. Studies in intermediate harmony and introduction to standard American popular repertoire. Sight-reading, chart reading, and basic rhythm section arranging.
Prerequisite: MMI CBC.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CBF. Contemporary Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
One hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2 hour less for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical requirements: Analysis of classic rhythm sections recorded throughout the last 50 years, including concentration on important and influential drummers in different styles of rock, pop, R&B, funk, latin, and jazz idioms. Live performance skills and studio techniques. Studies in jazz and modal harmony. Introduction to improvisation.
Prerequisite: MMI CBE.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CBG. Contemporary Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
One hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2 hour less for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical requirements: Advanced jazz harmony and improvisation. World music and odd meter studies, including non-traditional styles and grooves. Advanced concepts of recording and performance, including starting and working within the context of an original band project. Elements of professionalism in the music business.
Prerequisite: MMI CBF.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CBH. Contemporary Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
One hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2 hour less for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical requirements: Advanced jazz harmony and improvisation. World music and odd meter studies, including non-traditional styles and grooves. Advanced concepts of recording and performance, including starting and working within the context of an original band project. Elements of professionalism in the music business.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CD1. Contemporary Drumset. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Sticking techniques, basic hand/foot patterns. Analysis of rock, pop, rhythm and blues, Latin and jazz styles. Basic chart reading.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MMI CD3. Contemporary Drumset. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Tools to enhance soloing and executing grooves. Transcription/analysis of important drumset artists in major styles. Basic studio performance techniques, and relationship to singer/songwriter. Basic jazz performance elements. Basic world music rhythms.
Prerequisite: MMI CDD.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CDB. Contemporary Drumset. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Sticking techniques, basic hand/foot patterns. Analysis of rock, pop, rhythm and blues, Latin and jazz styles. Basic chart reading.
Prerequisite: MMI CDA.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CDC. Contemporary Drumset. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Advanced sticking techniques, advanced hand/food patterns. Transcription/analysis of important drumset artists in major styles. Advanced chart reading.
Prerequisite: MMI CDB.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CDD. Contemporary Drumset. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Advanced sticking techniques, advanced hand/food patterns. Transcription/analysis of important drumset artists in major styles. Advanced chart reading.
Prerequisite: MMI CDC.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CDF. Contemporary Drumset. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Tools to enhance soloing and executing grooves. Transcription/analysis of important drumset artists in major styles. Basic studio performance techniques, and relationship to singer/songwriter. Basic jazz performance elements. Basic world music rhythms.
Prerequisite: MMI CDE.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CDG. Contemporary Drumset. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Tools to enhance soloing and executing grooves. Transcription/analysis of important drumset artists in major styles. Basic studio performance techniques, and relationship to singer/songwriter. Basic jazz performance elements. Basic world music rhythms.
Prerequisite: MMI CDF.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CDH. Contemporary Drumset. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MMI CDG.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MMI CG1. Contemporary Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CG3. Contemporary Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CGB. Contemporary Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Beginning pop harmony. Beginning accompanying. Rock/pop Improvisation. Analysis of rock, pop, rhythm and blues, Latin and jazz styles. Basic chart reading. Basic acoustic and electric guitar techniques. Prerequisite: MMI CGA.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CGC. Contemporary Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Advanced harmony. Advanced accompanying. Transcription/analysis of important guitar artists in major styles. Advanced chart reading and capoing techniques. Beginning alternate tunings. Prerequisite: MMI CGB.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CGD. Contemporary Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Advanced harmony. Advanced accompanying. Transcription/analysis of important guitar artists in major styles. Advanced chart reading and capoing techniques. Beginning alternate tunings. Successful completion of Level D to move to Level E. Prerequisite: MMI CGC.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CGF. Contemporary Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CGG. Contemporary Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MMI CGH. Contemporary Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MMI CGG.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CK1. Contemporary Keyboard. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Beginning Gospel harmony (triads in all inversions), basic add-nine pop harmony. Beginning accompanying. Analysis of rock, pop, rhythm and blues, Latin, and jazz styles. Basic chart reading.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CK3. Contemporary Keyboard. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Beginning pop improv. Beginning functional jazz harmony (thirds and sevenths). Basic jazz performance elements. Transcription/analysis of important keyboard artists in major styles. Basic studio performance techniques and relationship to singer/songwriter. Keyboard equipment, maintenance, patch libraries and sound editors.
Prerequisite: MMI CKD.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CKB. Contemporary Keyboard. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Beginning Gospel harmony (triads in all inversions), basic add-nine pop harmony. Beginning accompanying. Analysis of rock, pop, rhythm and blues, Latin, and jazz styles. Basic chart reading.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CKC. Contemporary Keyboard. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Advanced Gospel harmony. Advanced accompanying. Transcription/analysis of important keyboard artists in major styles. Advanced chart reading.
Prerequisite: MMI CKB.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CKD. Contemporary Keyboard. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Advanced Gospel harmony. Advanced accompanying. Transcription/analysis of important keyboard artists in major styles. Advanced chart reading.
Prerequisite: MMI CKC.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CKF. Contemporary Keyboard. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Beginning pop improv. Beginning functional jazz harmony (thirds and sevenths). Basic jazz performance elements. Transcription/analysis of important keyboard artists in major styles. Basic studio performance techniques and relationship to singer/songwriter. Keyboard equipment, maintenance, patch libraries and sound editors.
Prerequisite: MMI CKE.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MMI CKG. Contemporary Keyboard. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MMI CKF.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CKH. Contemporary Keyboard. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MMI CKG.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CM3. Contemporary Media. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MMI CMD.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CMB. Contemporary Media. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MMI CMA.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CMC. Contemporary Media. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MMI CMB.
Components: LSN.
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Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CMD. Contemporary Media. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MMI CMC.
Components: LSN.
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Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CMF. Contemporary Media. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MMI CME.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CMG. Contemporary Media. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MMI CMF.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CMH. Contemporary Media. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MMI CMG.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MMI CV1. Contemporary Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Warm-ups, Cool downs and introductory exercises for breath management. Attack in phonation, registration, resonance, articulation, coordination, microphone technique, key selection and vocal hygiene and maintenance. Beginning chart writing. Repertoire of original and contemporary songs in various styles as prescribed by the voice teacher.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CV3. Contemporary Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Demonstrate evidence of upper range extension with fully supported sound and appropriate modification of resonators, ability to self-prepare a song, advance knowledge of music styles and historical periods of contemporary music, effective communication of original songs. Advanced chart writing. Intermediate improvisation and ornamentation. Repertoire of original and contemporary songs in various styles as prescribed by the voice teacher.
Prerequisite: MMI CVD.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CVB. Contemporary Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Warm-ups, Cool downs and introductory exercises for breath management. Attack in phonation, registration, resonance, articulation, coordination, microphone technique, key selection and vocal hygiene and maintenance. Beginning chart writing. Repertoire of original and contemporary songs in various styles as prescribed by the voice teacher.
Prerequisite: MMI CVA.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CVC. Contemporary Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Basic knowledge of musical styles and historical periods of contemporary music, effective communication of songs in a variety of contemporary styles. Intermediate chart writing. Beginning improvisation and ornamentation. Repertoire of original and contemporary songs in various styles as prescribed by the voice teacher.
Prerequisite: MMI CVB.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CVD. Contemporary Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Basic knowledge of musical styles and historical periods of contemporary music, effective communication of songs in a variety of contemporary styles. Intermediate chart writing. Beginning improvisation and ornamentation. Repertoire of original and contemporary songs in various styles as prescribed by the voice teacher.
Prerequisite: MMI CVC.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CVF. Contemporary Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Demonstrate evidence of upper range extension with fully supported sound and appropriate modification of resonators, ability to self-prepare a song, advance knowledge of music styles and historical periods of contemporary music, effective communication of original songs. Advanced chart writing. Intermediate improvisation and ornamentation. Repertoire of original and contemporary songs in various styles as prescribed by the voice teacher.
Prerequisite: MMI CVE.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MMI CVG. Contemporary Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Demonstrate perfect facility in required contemporary styles, ability to evaluate performances critically and coherently, facility with register changes in upper range, polished and artistic performance with accuracy in pitch, rhythm, good posture, breath management, phonation, resonance, and microphone technique. Advanced chart writing and studio vocal arranging techniques. Advanced improvisation and ornamentation. Repertoire of original and contemporary songs in various styles as prescribed by the voice teacher.
Prerequisite: MMI CVF.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CVH. Contemporary Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Demonstrate perfect facility in required contemporary styles, ability to evaluate performances critically and coherently, facility with register changes in upper range, polished and artistic performance with accuracy in pitch, rhythm, good posture breath management, phonation, resonance, and microphone technique. Advanced chart writing and studio vocal arranging techniques. Advanced improvisation and ornamentation. Repertoire of original and contemporary songs in various styles as prescribed by the voice teacher.
Prerequisite: MMI CVG.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CX1. Contemporary Performance Instruction. 2 Credit Hours.
1-Hour Lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, ½ hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Applied instrument/ voice instruction in contemporary, popular music performance. Freshman/Sophomore level.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CX3. Contemporary Performance Instruction. 2 Credit Hours.
1-Hour Lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, ½ hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Applied advanced instrument/ voice instruction in contemporary, popular music performance. Junior/Senior level.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CXS. Secondary Contemporary Performance Instruction. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons. Additional lessons on an instrument that is not a principal instrument of the student. No juries or auditions needed. Taken in addition to the required 2 credit lessons. Does not count towards required lessons. Must be approved by private instructor.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

B.M. in Media Writing and Production

The Bachelor of Music in Media Writing and Production (MWP) is a program designed to provide the highest level of preparation for qualified composers and producers for media. Successful students will complete diverse writing (composing, scoring, producing) assignments, as well as develop technical and practical skills in the recording studio. In addition, students will increase their knowledge of current trends in the music industry.

Prospective students should furnish evidence of outstanding writing and production creativity, as well as basic digital audio workstation (DAW) and music notation skills.

Students must maintain a minimum GPA of 2.70 to remain in the MWP Program.

Advanced Writing and Communication Skills

Courses
All students are required to successfully complete 3 Advanced Writing and Communication Skills (AWC) courses. Student degree requirements will include courses that meet the desired communication outcomes in evaluated and revised writing, speaking, stage presence, and audience engagement.
All music students will successfully complete:

1. MCY 141 Musical Trends and Traditions, which will include substantial evaluated and revised writing components (MWP Majors will take this or another equivalent course depending on their area of emphasis)
2. MCY XXX (200 level or higher), which will include discipline specific communication skills.

3. MMI 445 Senior Project/Portfolio/Business Plan, This course is the capstone for both the MWP programs. Students will develop and compile a portfolio of creative works that showcase their individual artistry, including but not limited to recordings, videos, songs, scores, and/or other applicable media elements.

Assessment
There will be at least 2 specific assessments in each Advanced Communications Skills course for communications or writing equivalent to 4000 words, evaluated and revised.

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Total Credit Hours = 121

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1. EMC core courses require a grade of "C" or higher. Lessons require a grade of "B" or higher.
2. Students in conjunction with an advisor, can construct a MWP major with a Media Writing emphasis or Production emphasis. These areas of emphasis are notated on the UM transcript as a Media Writing and Production major.
3. MWP majors with a Media Writing emphasis are strongly encouraged to add a minor in Music Composition with the approval of the MTC Department Chair: [http://bulletin.miami.edu/undergraduate-academic-programs/music/music-theory-composition/music-composition-minor/](http://bulletin.miami.edu/undergraduate-academic-programs/music/music-theory-composition/music-composition-minor/).

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- **MCY 141** European Musical Traditions 3
- **MMI 259** Digital Audio and MIDI Production 3
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- **Ensemble** 1

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**Year Two**

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- **MMI 281** Production I: Recording and Production Techniques 3
- **Approved Music Elective** 3
- **Ensemble** 1
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- **MMI 280** Synthestration 3
- **MMI 282** Production II: Audio Processing and Critical Listening 3
- **MTC/MMI/MSJ Orchestration Elective** 3
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- **MMI 383** Production III: Audio Editing 3
- **Approved Music Elective** 3
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### Media Writing & Production Major/Production Emphasis with Creative American Music (CAM)

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# Mission

The Commercial Music & Production (MWP) degree program is designed to prepare undergraduate students for the many issues facing today’s commercial music writers and producers. In this specialized program, successful students complete diverse compositional assignments, develop technical and practical skills in the recording studio, and acquire an understanding of the music industry.

# Goals

## Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will demonstrate the ability to plan, prepare, produce, and execute a live performance of original contemporary commercial music and arrangements.
- Students will demonstrate the ability to compose, record, edit, and prepare for distribution original contemporary/commercial music and arrangements.
- Students will demonstrate the ability to compose, score, orchestrate, record, and edit, original music for visual media such as film, video, and games.

# B.M. in Music Business Entertainment Industries

## Introduction

The Bachelor of Music in Music Business and Entertainment Industries is a professional degree program designed to prepare qualified musicians for careers in the business management, financial, legal, and artistic areas of the music industry. Music, business, and music business courses are combined in an interdisciplinary curriculum, which includes a minor in Marketing, Business Law, Management, Finance, Business Technology, Public Relations, or other approved business-related area. For curriculum requirements see Minors for Non-Business Students. (p. 689)
Students must maintain a minimum GPA of 2.70 to remain in the MBEI Program.

Please see below for additional goals and degree requirements.

**Educational Objectives**

- Students will have a conceptual understanding of the structures and inter-relationships of the music and entertainment industries.
- Students will acquire knowledge and understanding of the vocabulary and terminology associated with the music and entertainment industries.
- Students will be able to comprehend and apply basic music publishing procedures including copyright administration, mechanical licensing and royalties distribution.
- Students will know how to promote and sell a music industry product.
- Students will have an understanding of the performing artist as a major economic factor in the marketplace.
- Students will develop a set of skills applicable to the music industry including: financial and project management, create and enact marketing and promotional plans, the ability to write basic agreements and licenses, and copyright management and administration.

**Degree Requirements with a Business, Communication, or Entertainment-Related Minor**

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Select one of the following 3 AWC courses:

- ENG 230  Advanced Professional Communication (AWC)
- COS 333  Business Communication (AWC)
- ENG 331  Legal Writing (AWC)

**Additional Requirements**

- Minor Course (approved minor required) 3
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- Business Elective (may satisfy minor course requirement) 3
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Total credits for courses in the major = 54

Total Credit Hours 123

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1. **EMC core courses require a grade of "C" or higher. Lessons require a grade of "B-" or higher.**

**Advanced Writing and Communication Skills**

**Courses**

All students are required to successfully complete 3 Advanced Writing and Communication Skills (AWC) courses. Student degree requirements will include courses that meet the desired communication outcomes in evaluated and revised writing, speaking, stage presence, and audience engagement.

All music students will successfully complete:

1. MCY 141 Musical Trends and Traditions, which will include substantial evaluated and revised writing components.
2. MMI 537 Recorded Music Operations, which will include evaluated communication skills in attracting an audience, engaging an audience during performance, and preparing program notes or similar media as appropriate to the medium/venue.
3. ENG 230 Advanced Business Communications, COS 333 Business Communication, or ENG 331 Legal Writing which will include discipline specific communication skills.
Assessment
There will be at least 2 specific assessments in each Advanced Communications Skills course for communications or writing equivalent to 4000 words, evaluated and revised.

Suggested Plan of Study with a Required Minor in Business, Communication, or Entertainment

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### Notes:

1. Required for Music Business Agreements.
Mission
The mission of the Music Business and Entertainment Industries Program is to prepare students for careers in the music business profession, specifically in the areas involving music publishing, and the record business. This is accomplished through courses in music business, music, and business, as well as the general education areas of English and STEM.

Goals
• Students will have a conceptual understanding of the structures and inter-relationships of the music and entertainment industries.
• Students will acquire knowledge and understanding of the vocabulary and terminology associated with the music and entertainment industries.
• Students will be able to comprehend and apply basic music publishing procedures including copyright administration, mechanical licensing and royalties distribution.
• Students will know how to promote and sell a music industry product.
• Students will have an understanding of the performing artist as a major economic factor in the marketplace.
• Students will develop a set of skills applicable to the music industry including: financial and project management, create and enact marketing and promotional plans, the ability to write basic agreements and licenses, and copyright management and administration.

Student Learning Outcomes
• Students will demonstrate knowledge of the fundamentals of the music publishing industry, including licensing, royalties, publishing agreements, and how a song catalog is commercially exploited.
• Students will demonstrate knowledge of the fundamentals of the recorded music industry, including how content is created, distributed, and marketed, and how recording agreements are structured.
• Students will demonstrate knowledge of the fundamentals of music copyright, including how it applies to musical works and sound recordings, copyright infringement, the length of copyright protection, and international treatment of music copyrights.

B.M. in Musicianship, Artistry Development, and Entrepreneurship
The MADE major allows the freedom and flexibility for students to focus on their preferred areas of emphasis, with outcomes that lead toward a viable career of their own choosing.

Educational Objectives
Upon graduation, students will have:
• a highly competitive skill set in musicianship, artistry, and entrepreneurship, including performing, writing, arranging/orchestration, recording, musical direction, marketing and promotion, copyright management and administration, as well as the ability to write basic agreements and licenses;
• a diverse and applied understanding of the music industry;
• the ability to create and execute a sound business plan, as well as a portfolio/EPK that best showcases their brand identity.
• a minor in Music Business and Entertainment Industry.

Curriculum Requirements with a Music Business and Entertainment Industry Minor

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1. **EMC core courses require a grade of “C” or higher. Lessons require a grade of “B-” or higher**

### Advanced Writing and Communication Skills

**Courses**

All students are required to successfully complete 3 Advanced Writing and Communication Skills (AWC) courses. Student degree requirements will include courses that meet the desired communication outcomes in evaluated and revised writing, speaking, stage presence, and audience engagement.
All music students will successfully complete:

- MCY 141 Musical Trends and Traditions, which will include substantial evaluated and revised writing components.
- MMI 445 Senior Project/Portfolio, this course is the capstone for both the CAM and MADE programs. Students will develop and compile a portfolio of creative works that showcase their individual artistry, including but not limited to recordings, videos, songs, scores, and/or other applicable media elements. Students will also be required to organize a public performance/showcase their works. Requisite: MADE Major or CAM Minor
- COS 333 Business Communication or ENG 200+ course (recommended courses ENG 230 or ENG 331)

**Assessment**

There will be at least 2 specific assessments in each Advanced Communications Skills course for communications or writing equivalent to 4000 words, evaluated and revised.

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- **MMI XX3**: Principal Instrument/Voice Lesson & Studio Class (2 credit hours)
- **MMI 307**: Skills Lab V: American Pop (1 credit hour)
- **MTC/MSJ/MMI Approved Orchestration Elective** (3 credit hours)
- **MMI 320**: Contemporary Lyric Writing (1 credit hour)
- **MCY 311**: Modern American Pop Music (3 credit hours)
- **Choose one of the following**:
  - **MMI 378**: Music Business Agreements (required minor)
  - **MMI 530**: Entrepreneurship for Musicians
  - **MMI 537**: Recorded Music Operations
  - **MMI Elective**

**Ensemble** (1 credit hour)

**Credit Hours**: 16

### Spring
#### Fall
- **MMI 15**: Made Forum (0 credit hours)
- **MMI XX3**: Principal Instrument/Voice Lesson & Studio Class (2 credit hours)
- **MMI 308**: Skills Lab VI: American Pop (1 credit hour)
- **Approved Elective** (3 credit hours)
- **Choose one of the following**:
  - **MMI 378**: Music Business Agreements (required minor)
  - **MMI 530**: Entrepreneurship for Musicians
  - **MMI 537**: Recorded Music Operations
  - **MMI Elective**

**STEM Cognate** (3 credit hours)
**Ensemble** (1 credit hour)

**People and Society Cognate** (3 credit hours)

**Credit Hours**: 16

### Year Four
#### Fall
- **MMI 15**: Made Forum (0 credit hours)
- **MMI XX3**: Principal Instrument/Voice Lesson & Studio Class (2 credit hours)
- **MMI 543**: Music Marketing (3 credit hours)
- **ENG XXX**: ENG 200+ or COS 333 (recommended courses ENG 230 or ENG 331) (3 credit hours)
- **STEM Cognate** (3 credit hours)
- **Choose one of the following**:
  - **MMI 378**: Music Business Agreements (required minor)
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Mission

The Bachelor of Music in Musicianship, Artistry Development & Entrepreneurship is a professional degree program designed to provide the highest level of preparation for qualified performers and creatives to thrive in all aspects of the contemporary music industry.

Goals

Upon graduation, students will have:

- A highly competitive skill set in musicianship, artistry, and entrepreneurship, including performing, writing, arranging/orchestration, recording, musical direction, marketing and promotion, copyright management and administration, as well as the ability to write basic agreements and licenses;
- A diverse and applied understanding of the music industry;
- The ability to create and execute a sound business plan, as well as a portfolio/EPK that best showcases their brand identity.
- A minor in Music Business and Entertainment Industry.

Student Learning Outcomes

B.M. in Professional Studies

The Bachelor of Music in Professional Studies will allow students to work closely with an advisor to develop individual goals and design a personalized program of study. While most music degree programs are highly prescriptive, the MPRO will allow students to tailor the curriculum to match their diverse personal and professional goals, as well as adjust to the rapidly changing music industry.

Students will select approved electives with the assistance of a guidance committee consisting of their assigned Faculty Advisor(s), Senior Academic Advisor, and the Associate Dean for Undergraduate Studies.

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- MTC 241, MSJ 241, or MMI 241: Experiential Musicianship IV 3
- MTC 208, MSJ 208, or MMI 208: Skills Lab IV 1
- Approved Music Elective (emphasis area) 3
- STEM Cognate 3
- Ensemble 1

**Total Credit Hours:** 16

### Year Three
#### Fall
- Forum (in assigned area) 0
- Principal Instrument/Voice Lesson & Studio Class 2
- MCY 341 or 141: Music of the Mediaeval, Renaissance, and Baroque Periods or European Musical Traditions 3
- Elective 3
- Approved Music Elective (emphasis area) 3
- People & Society Cognate 3
- Ensemble 1

**Total Credit Hours:** 15

### Spring
- Forum (in assigned area) 0
- Principal Instrument/Voice Lesson & Studio Class 2
- MCY/MTC 300+ Elective 3
- Approved Music Elective 3
- Approved Music Elective (emphasis area) 3
- STEM Cognate 3
- Ensemble 1

**Total Credit Hours:** 15

### Year Four
#### Fall
- Forum (in assigned area) 0
- Principal Instrument/Voice Lesson & Studio Class 2
- MMI 310: Music Business and Entrepreneurship for Musicians 3
- Elective 3
- Approved Music Elective 3
- People & Society Cognate 3
- Ensemble 1

**Total Credit Hours:** 15

### Spring
- Forum (in assigned area) 0
- Principal Instrument/Voice Lesson & Studio Class 2
- MCY/MTC 300+ Elective (AWC) 3
- Elective 3
- Approved Music Elective 3
- STEM Cognate 3
Mission

Goals

Student Learning Outcomes

• Students will demonstrate and develop advanced competence in Music Performance on their instrument.
• Students will develop proficiency in ensemble performance skills necessary for participation and functionality as a professional.
• Students will develop the technological proficiency necessary for an entry-level career in the music profession.

B.S. in Music Engineering Technology

Introduction

The mission of the Music Engineering Technology program is to:

1. Provide the highest quality education in the field of music engineering.
2. Promote advancements in the fidelity and creativity of music recording, production and reproduction.
3. Promote advancements in the invention, design and implementation of audio hardware and software.

The goals of the Music Engineering Technology program are to:

1. Further enhance the program’s national and international stature.
2. Obtain teaching infrastructure and resources needed to provide contemporary education in the field of music engineering technology.
3. Ensure that curricular offerings are current and able to educate students in new and future theory and practice.
4. To help graduates find professional career positions.

Educational Objectives

• Understanding the theoretical basis of sound recording, processing and reproduction.
• Understanding the practice techniques used in sound recording, processing and reproduction.
• Designing and implementing original audio hardware and/or software.
• Understanding the principles of computer science (Bachelor of Music) or electrical engineering (Bachelor of Science).

The Music Engineering Technology curriculum is designed for musicians interested in pursuing a career in music recording, audio hardware and software design, and related professions in the audio, audio-video, multimedia, and internet industries. The program is interdisciplinary in nature; it includes courses in music, music engineering, computer science, electrical engineering, and mathematics. This program includes a minor in Electrical Engineering or a double major in Computer Science. Freshman students are expected to enroll in calculus, which carries a prerequisite of Trigonometry and Analytical Geometry. Prospective students are expected to have a strong background in music performance and in mathematics.

Curriculum Requirements with Computer Engineering Minor

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ECE 212  Processors: Hardware, Software, and Interfacing (required minor)  3
ECE 218  Data Structures (required minor)  3
ECE 318  Algorithms (required minor)  3
ECE 412  Software Engineering and Architecture (either will satisfy required minor)  3
or ECE 413  Software Design and Verification
Total credits for courses in the major = 62

Total Credit Hours  130

1  EMC core courses require a grade of "C" or higher. Lessons require a grade of "B- or higher.
2  MMI 460 Recital Recording and Sound Reinforcement must be taken a minimum of 3 times to satisfy the Advanced MUE elective requirement.
3  Must complete calculus by end of sophomore year.
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Total credits for courses in the major = 60

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Advanced Writing and Communication Skills

Courses

All students are required to successfully complete 3 Advanced Writing and Communication Skills (AWC) courses. Student degree requirements will include courses that meet the desired communication outcomes in evaluated and revised writing, speaking, stage presence, and audience engagement.

All music students will successfully complete:

1. MCY 141 Musical Trends and Traditions, which will include substantial evaluated and revised writing components.
   MMI 410 Music Engineering Capstone Project, which will include evaluated communication skills in attracting an audience, engaging an audience during performance, and preparing program notes or similar media as appropriate to the medium/venue.
   MMI 401 Audio Electronics, which will include discipline specific communication skills.

Assessment

There will be at least 2 specific assessments in each Advanced Communications Skills course for communications or writing equivalent to 4000 words, evaluated and revised.

Plan of Study with Computer Engineering Minor

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| ENG 106 | English Composition II | 3 |
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- MCY 140 Experiencing Music
- MMI 151 Desktop Audio Production
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- MMI 13 Music Engineering Forum
- Principal Instrument/ Voice Lesson & Studio Class
- MCY 141 European Musical Traditions
- MMI 172 Audio Design Workshop III
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- MMI 503 Audio Signal Processing II
- ECE 412 or 413 Software Engineering and Architecture (Either required to satisfy minor) or Software Design and Verification

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- MMI 310 Music Business and Entrepreneurship for Musicians

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- Provide the highest quality education in the field of music engineering.
- Promote advancements in the fidelity and creativity of music recording, production and reproduction.
- Promote advancements in the invention, design and implementation of audio hardware and software.

**Goals**

- Understanding the theoretical basis of sound recording, processing and reproduction.
- Understanding the practice techniques used in sound recording, processing and reproduction.
- Designing and implementing original audio hardware and/or software.
- Understanding the principles of computer science (Bachelor of Music) or electrical engineering (Bachelor of Science).

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Students will use problem solving skills to find a solution to a music engineering problem.
- Students will demonstrate theoretical understanding and practical techniques utilized in sound recording, processing and reproduction.
- Students will demonstrate understanding of electrical and computer engineering concepts and applications.

**Minor in Creative American Music**

*(Audition required, music majors only)*

**The Bruce Hornsby Creative American Music Program**

The Bruce Hornsby Creative American Music Program is designed to develop the creative skills of talented performing songwriters by immersing them in the diverse traditions that form the foundation of modern American songwriting. This rigorous approach will require students to become intimate, both in understanding and practice, with the vast and varied legacy that is American music. The CAM Program is open to all Frost School of Music students by audition. Those who successfully complete the program will earn a minor in Creative American Music. A minor in Creative American Music requires 17 credit hours.

**Contemporary Performance as Primary Instrument or Voice**

Contemporary Performance accommodates talented songwriters, singers, and instrumentalists who are not classical or jazz musicians. Contemporary instruments include Guitar (Electric and Acoustic), Voice, Electric Bass, Keyboard, Media (Alternate Controllers/Electronic Producers), Strings (Fiddle, Electric Violin, etc.) and Percussion (incl. Drums). Songwriters may apply to the Creative American Music Program. Contemporary Performance is available to students in the following majors: Musicianship, Artistry Development, and Entrepreneurship; Music Business and Entertainment Industries; Music Engineering Technology; Media Writing and Production; Music Education; Music Composition; Music Therapy; Professional Studies; and the Bachelor of Arts in Music. Pre-screening and audition are required.

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MBEI with CAM minor plan of study (p. 1421)
A minor in Media Writing and Production is intended for students who are pursuing majors in other fields within the Frost School of Music. The curriculum in Media Writing and Production is designed for those students intending to pursue a career as a writer and/or producer, as well as pursuing a graduate degree in Media Writing and Production. Students interested in this minor are required to submit a writing/production portfolio to the program director for approval before declaring the minor. This minor fulfills the Arts & Humanities Area of Knowledge.

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Choose either a Media Writing Emphasis or a Production Emphasis (9 credits)

#### Media Writing Emphasis

Choose 9 credits from the following:

- MMI 260 Virtual Orchestration
- MMI 262 Media Writing II: Video Game Scoring
- MMI 363 Media Writing III: Film Scoring Foundations
- MMI 364 Media Writing IV: Film Scoring Extensions

#### Production Emphasis

Choose 9 credits from the following:

- MMI 280 Synthestration
- MMI 282 Production II: Audio Processing and Critical Listening
- MMI 383 Production III: Audio Editing
- MMI 384 Production IV: Mixing and Mastering

Total Credit Hours 15

### Minor in Music Business and Entertainment Industries

#### Curriculum Requirements

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Choose 2 from the following options:

- MMI 378 Music Business Agreements
- MMI 537 Recorded Music Operations
  - or MMI 580 Advanced Analysis of Current Topics in the Music Business

Total Credit Hours 12

**Non-Music Students (No Audition Required)**

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**Music Theory and Composition (MTC)**

Dept. Code: MTC

The Department of Music Theory-Composition

- Music Theory-Composition (MTC)

**MTC 101. Composition I. 2 Credit Hours.**
Course covers elementary principles of composition; class performance of composition projects is also included. Required of theory-composition majors.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

**MTC 102. Composition II. 2 Credit Hours.**
Continuation of MTC 101.
Prerequisite: MTC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

**MTC 107. Skills Lab I. 1 Credit Hour.**
Chamber-music ensemble (vocal or instrumental) for intensive work on aural skills (transcription, sight-singing, etc.), analysis of literature in and through performance, and improvisation, with focus on music of the Baroque and Classical periods.

Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

**MTC 108. Skills Lab II. 1 Credit Hour.**
Chamber-music ensemble (vocal or instrumental) for intensive work on aural skills (transcription, sight-singing, etc.), analysis of literature in and through performance, and improvisation, with focus on music of the Baroque and Classical periods.
Pre or Corequisite: MTC 141.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

**MTC 109. Music Theory Skills I. 3 Credit Hours.**
A first course in music theory and musicianship for non-music majors; covers basic literacy, fundamentals, tonal harmony, and elements of musical form in a wide variety of traditional and contemporary styles and genres. Includes intensive training in aural and singing skills.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

**MTC 110. Music Theory Skills II. 3 Credit Hours.**
Course is designed for students deficient in the knowledge of the basic fundamentals of music. Includes the study of notation, keys, scales, and chord construction. Credits do not count toward music degree requirements.
Prerequisite: MTC 109.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

**MTC 111. Music Theory I. 1-3 Credit Hours.**
Introduction to basic concepts of melody, harmony, rhythm, and formal structure through analysis and writing. Topics include intervals, scales, elementary melodic and four-part writing, phrase structure and cadences, and diatonic harmony. Laboratory. MTC 121.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MTC 12. Composition Forum. 0 Credit Hours.
A weekly forum for all Music Theory/Composition majors, both undergraduate and graduate. Course involves guest lectures by visiting composers and performers, presentations of faculty compositions, and group discussions of important compositional and theoretical issues.
Components: FOR.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTC 140. Experiential Musicianship I. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of tonal harmony, voice leading, and elements of musical form, covering diatonic procedures and basic modulation, using the chorales of J.S. Bach, with other repertoire, as models for composition.
Corequisite: Must Pass MTC 107 with a C or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTC 141. Experiential Musicianship II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of MTC 140, enlarging the study of tonal harmony and voice leading, covering harmony of the Classical period and sectional musical forms through small rondo and compound ternary, culminating in a large independent model-composition project for each student.
Corequisite: MTC 108.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTC 148. Electronic Music Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
An in-depth study and performance of electroacoustic music compositions.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTC 182. Composition Workshop. 1 Credit Hour.
A variety of composition concepts and problems are dealt with through assignments and projects with special emphasis on practical considerations.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTC 197. Studio Rhythm Section. 1 Credit Hour.
A performing ensemble of student-generated contemporary musical repertoire.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTC 199. Ensemble Ibis for New Music. 1 Credit Hour.
Ensemble Ibis is the new music ensemble at the Frost School of Music which performs music of the late 20th and 21st centuries and performs 3 to 4 concerts per year.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTC 201. Composition III. 2 Credit Hours.
Principles of composition with special emphasis on stylistic considerations.
Prerequisite: MTC 102.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTC 202. Composition IV. 2 Credit Hours.
Continuation of MTC 201.
Prerequisite: MTC 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MTC 207. Skills Lab III. 1 Credit Hour.
Chamber-music ensemble for intensive work on aural skills (transcription, sight-singing, sight-reading, etc.), analysis of literature excerpts in performance, and improvisation, with focus on tonal music of the Classical period and the nineteenth century.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTC 208. Skills Lab IV. 1 Credit Hour.
Chamber-music ensemble for intensive work on aural skills (transcription, sight-singing, sight-reading, etc.), analysis of literature excerpts in performance, and improvisation, with focus on selected music of the twentieth century.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTC 240. Experiential Musicianship III. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of MTC 141; study of advanced tonal harmony, voice leading, and larger musical forms, based primarily on music of the Classical period and the nineteenth century.
Pre or Corequisite: MTC 141.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTC 241. Experiential Musicianship IV. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of MTC 240; study of materials and techniques in composition of music from the early and middle twentieth century, based on works by Debussy, Stravinsky, Schoenberg, Bartok, and other models.
Prerequisite: MTC 240.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTC 301. Composition V. 2 Credit Hours.
Individual compositional projects with an emphasis on smaller formal structure.
Prerequisite: MTC 202.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTC 302. Composition VI. 2 Credit Hours.
Individual compositional projects including all media with an emphasis on extended formal structures.
Prerequisite: MTC 301.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTC 311. Analysis and Experience. 3 Credit Hours.
Musical analysis and its relationship to listening and performance. An introduction to musical aesthetics is also included.
Prerequisite: MTC 241.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTC 312. 20th and 21st Century Techniques. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of twentieth century compositional resources. Topics include Impressionism, expanded tonal resources, Neo-classicism, serialism, post-serialism, aleatoric procedures, minimalism, and other recent trends.
Prerequisite: MTC 241.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTC 313. 18th Century Counterpoint. 3 Credit Hours.
Two-part keyboard counterpoint in the style of J. S. Bach, beginning with a modified species approach and including composition of dance-suite movements and inventions. Introduction to three-part writing is also included.
Prerequisite: MTC 240.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MTC 401. Composition VII. 2 Credit Hours.
Individual compositional projects including all media with an emphasis on advanced problems in composition.
Prerequisite: MTC 302.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTC 402. Composition VIII. 1 Credit Hour.
Advanced Composition. Continuation of MTC 401.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTC 404. Live Performance Musical Direction. 3 Credit Hours.
Project-based practicum course in collaboration with other Performance department, designed to provide students the opportunity to prepare music for a live concert and serve as Musical Director (MD) thereof. Particular emphasis is placed on musical material (repertoire, arrangements, score/parts preparation), rehearsal techniques, and real-time/live performance direction/conducting.
Prerequisite: MTC 403.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTC 416. Orchestration. 3 Credit Hours.
The uses and possibilities of orchestral instruments as well as scoring for various instrumental groups, including the symphony orchestra.
Prerequisite: MTC 240, or MSJ 240, or MMI 240.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTC 452. Media Production Project Lab. 2 Credit Hours.
Laboratory component to MTC 404. Course can only be taken concurrently with MTC 404.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTC 493. Special Projects in Music Theory and Composition. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member’s area of expertise and student’s area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Requisites: Undergrad Music Students Only and Dean’s Approval and Signature.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTC 494. Special Topics in Music Theory and Composition. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty to faculty member’s expertise and students’ areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTC 499. Senior Recital. 1 Credit Hour.
A public recital of original compositions required of all Music Composition majors.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTC 501. The Aesthetics of Music. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey of thought and discourse about the nature, roles, values, experiences, and meanings of music. Variety of perspectives, including those of the listener, performer, and composer are addressed. Application to musical interpretation and criticism is included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MTC 505. Analysis and History of Electroacoustic and Acousmatic Music. 2 Credit Hours.
Course examines electroacoustic and acousmatic music from both a historical/literature and analytical perspective. Analytical techniques with a focus on an ecological analysis approach will be conducted as well as a survey of electroacoustic, acousmatic, and digital music.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTC 506. Digital Editing and Sequencing. 3 Credit Hours.
Computers as control devices for music synthesis and digital manipulation of pre-recorded sounds. Topics include interfacing sequencing software with software synthesizers, performance techniques, and sound design using samples.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTC 507. Studio Licensing. 2 Credit Hours.
Licensing for access to Digital Arts and Media Writing Studios. Topics covered include digital audio recording and editing, sound synthesis/design, audio signal processing, sound analysis and spatial placement of sound. Course includes studio-use qualifying exams.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTC 515. Choral Arranging. 3 Credit Hours.
Arranging for choir and vocal groups with and without instrumental accompaniment in all styles.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTC 516. Advanced Orchestration. 3 Credit Hours.
Scoring for the symphonic orchestra with an emphasis on recent techniques.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTC 517. Analysis of Popular Music Since 1950. 3 Credit Hours.
Course examines popular music in the second half of the Twentieth Century from a music analytical perspective. Critical skills needed for this analysis are identified and developed. Analytical techniques for understanding the determination and utilization of musical elements and structures in contemporary popular music are applied. Various contemporary genres and some precursors are examined and particular stylistic determinants of their compositional and performance models are discussed.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTC 518. Advanced Counterpoint. 3 Credit Hours.
Three-voice fugal writing in Bach's style, followed by compositional projects in a variety of twentieth-century contrapuntal styles.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTC 521. Multimedia for Musicians. 3 Credit Hours.
Presents an overview and introduction to the creation of multimedia projects for presentation on the Web. Focus is placed on building websites, and the creation of multimedia content for online delivery. Software tools for the manipulation of digital media, including audio and video, are utilized in the realization of course projects.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTC 567. Electronic and Computer Music Seminar. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced techniques and applications in electronic and computer music. Topics may include electronic projects in composition, performance, research, programming, or other as approved by instructor.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MTC 593. Special Projects in Music Theory and Composition. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member’s area expertise and student’s area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTC 594. Special Topics in Music Theory and Composition. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member’s expertise and students’ areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

B.M. in Music Theory and Composition

Introduction
The Bachelor of Music in Composition is designed to:

1. Provide students with a learning environment conducive to the pursuit, fostering, development, and exchange of ideas and information, particularly as it pertains to music composition and performance.
2. To provide student access to varied composition communities.
3. To continue to build upon the Frost School of Music’s reputation as an innovative, forward-thinking, and first-rate center for advanced study.
4. To maintain the highest educational, professional, and ethical standards.

Goals of the program are:

1. To provide students with training to be fluent in basic compositional skills.
2. To help students understand various directions that are available to composers in the 21st century.
3. To help students perform and realize their music.

The curriculum in Composition is designed for those students intending to pursue a career as a composer and/or to pursue graduate degrees in Composition. Prospective students are expected to furnish evidence of compositional ability.

Educational Objectives
- Students develop basic compositional skills of varying lengths and genres.
- Students compose works utilizing various compositional techniques and styles.
- Students compose works for varied instrumentation and/or media.

Advanced Writing and Communication Skills

Courses
All students are required to successfully complete 3 Advanced Writing and Communication Skills (AWC) courses. Student degree requirements will include courses that meet the desired communication outcomes in evaluated and revised writing, speaking, stage presence, and audience engagement.

All Music Theory and Composition students will successfully complete:

1. MCY 341 Music of the Medieval, Renaissance, and Baroque Periods, which will include substantial evaluated and revised writing components.
2. MTC 402 Composition VIII, which will include evaluated communication skills in attracting an audience, engaging an audience during performance, and preparing program notes or similar media as appropriate to the medium/venue.
3. MTC 311 Analysis and Experience which will include discipline specific communication skills.

Assessment
There will be at least 2 specific assessments in each Advanced Communications Skills course for communications or writing equivalent to 4000 words, evaluated and revised.
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Minor in Music Composition

The mission of the Bachelor of Music in Composition program is to:

- Provide students with a learning environment conducive to the pursuit, fostering, development, and exchange of ideas and information, particularly as it pertains to music composition and performance.
- To provide student access to varied composition communities.
- To continue to build upon the Frost School of Music’s reputation as an innovative, forward-thinking, and first-rate center for advanced study.
- To maintain the highest educational, professional, and ethical standards.

Goals

- To provide students with training to be fluent in basic compositional skills.
- To help students understand various directions that are available to composers in the 21st century.
- To help students perform and realize their music.

Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will develop basic compositional skills of varying lengths and genres.
- Students will have works performed in concerts, recitals, and reading sessions.
- Students will demonstrate the ability to compose for a variety of instruments.

Minor in Music Composition

A minor in music composition is primarily intended for students in the Frost School of Music who are pursuing majors in other fields within the Frost School. Students interested in this minor are required to submit a portfolio to the chair of the department for approval before declaring the minor. The minor consists of 15 credit hours.

Curriculum Requirements

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Studio Music and Jazz (MSJI) & (MSJV)

Dept. Code: MSJ

The Department of Studio Music and Jazz includes two programs, instrumental and vocal.

Introduction

The mission of the Studio Music and Jazz Performance Program is to:

- Prepare jazz instrumentalists to enter the music profession or graduate school.
- Identify, recruit, and retain high quality students who seek to pursue studio/jazz performance as a career.
• Foster faculty creativity and performance which serves as a role model for students.
• Develop, and revise courses in jazz improvisation, jazz arranging/composition and provide on and off campus performance opportunities.
• Produce in our on campus facility, recordings for the Down Beat Student Music Awards, compact disks, radio and Internet broadcast.
• Provide a platform of learning that includes performance, composition/arranging, technology, conducting, scholarship and production.

Educational Objectives
• Students will develop musical performance skills necessary to make them competitive in the jazz world.
• Students will develop performance skills in a variety of large and small ensembles that allow a student to participate in the professional jazz world.
• Students will develop the skills necessary to play in a chamber setting emphasizing spontaneous interaction and improvisation.
• Students will develop the skills necessary to play in large jazz ensembles emphasizing the development of ensemble skills necessary in a reading situation.
• Students will perform a senior recital of sixty-minute duration that demonstrates their capabilities in the jazz idiom.
• Students will develop the skills necessary to arrange and compose in a variety of styles appropriate to the jazz and contemporary music field.

Certificates
• Jazz Performance (p. 1489)

MSJ 101. Large Jazz Ensemble Placeholder. 1 Credit Hour.
Ensemble placeholder course for new students to enroll in before ensemble placement auditions during Frost Orientation. Please note, you will have to drop this course and enroll in your correct ensemble when receive your official ensemble placement from your studio professor.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 103. Jazz Piano I. 1 Credit Hour.
First level of four jazz piano courses that cover the rudiments of jazz piano, consisting of group instruction covering basic piano voicings, voice leading, and functional harmony at the keyboard. This series of courses will cover typical jazz chord progressions such as II V I in major and minor, as well as learning jazz standards using various approaches on the piano.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 104. Jazz Piano II. 1 Credit Hour.
Second level of four jazz piano courses that cover the rudiments of jazz piano, consisting of group instruction covering basic piano voicings, voice leading, and functional harmony at the keyboard. This series of courses will cover typical jazz chord progressions such as II V I in major and minor, as well as learning basic jazz standard using various approaches on the piano.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 107. Skills Lab I. 1 Credit Hour.
Chamber music performance of selected repertoire with a concentration in Bebop and the music of Charlie Parker, Dizzy Gillespie, and Thelonius Monk, along with secondary figures from the Bebop era, 1945-1955. Additional repertoire from a list of American standards will also be assigned. Class sessions will cover historical/stylistic performance practice, aural skills (transcription, analysis, sight-reading, etc.), and Jazz arranging for small ensembles.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 108. Skills Lab II. 1 Credit Hour.
Chamber music performance of selected repertoire with a concentration in Jazz and popular music in America in the 1950's, including the repertoire of prominent popular music composers such as George Gershwin, Cole Porter, Richard Rodgers, and others. Class sessions will cover historical/stylistic performance practice, aural skills (transcription, analysis, sight-reading, etc.), and Jazz arranging for small ensembles.
Corequisite: MSJ 141.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
**MSJ 111. Jazz Vocal Techniques I. 1 Credit Hour.**
Analysis and application of singing styles and attendant skills, techniques and repertoire required in performance and recording of jazz, popular music, and other current idioms.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

**MSJ 113. Analysis and Evolution of Jazz Styles I. 3 Credit Hours.**
An overview of the musical styles and genres of the late nineteenth and early twentieth century leading to the development of Jazz music. Then an in-depth study of early Jazz in America and its innovators, including Louis Armstrong, Jelly Roll Morton, and Duke Ellington. Also, a survey of the major style periods of Modern Jazz from 1945 to the present, including prominent artists from each style period.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

**MSJ 124. Introduction to Jazz Improvisation. 3 Credit Hours.**
Introduction to the harmonic, melodic, and rhythmic techniques of Jazz Improvisation.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**MSJ 125. Introduction to Jazz Vocal Improvisation. 3 Credit Hours.**
Introduction to the harmonic, melodic, and rhythmic techniques of Jazz Improvisation.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

**MSJ 134. E.C.M. Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.**
This ensemble performs music typical of the contemporary European jazz styles such as those characterized by the Edition of Contemporary Music (E.C.M.) Recording Company.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**MSJ 136. Small Jazz Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.**
Group instruction in the various styles of contemporary jazz. Students will acquire improvisational skills while learning repertoire and performance techniques and strengthen compositional and arranging skills by contributing original compositions and arrangements to the ensemble's repertoire.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**MSJ 137. Small Jazz Ensemble I. 1 Credit Hour.**
This course is a continuation of MSJ136: Small Jazz Ensemble. Group instruction in the various styles of contemporary jazz. Students will acquire improvisational skills while learning repertoire and performance techniques and strengthen compositional and arranging skills by contributing original compositions and arrangements to the ensemble's repertoire.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**MSJ 139. Small Jazz Vocal Ensemble. 2 Credit Hours.**
A group consisting of 1 to 6 vocalists and 3 to 6 instrumentalists to gain experience in jazz solo and ensemble performance in a small group setting. Exploration of traditional and contemporary jazz literature will be emphasized. Performance of original music by ensemble members is also encouraged.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ 140. Experiential Musicianship I. 3 Credit Hours.
Experiential Musicianship I covers the fundamentals of jazz theory and performance. The class is keyboard based. Material includes the basics of melody, harmony and rhythm in the tradition of the jazz art form. Specific topics include chord construction, chord voicings, progressions, voice leading, rhythmic interpretation and aural recognition.
Co-requisite: MSJ 107 and must pass with a C or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 141. Experiential Musicianship II. 3 Credit Hours.
Experiential Musicianship II is a continuation of Exp. Mus. I. Material includes a more in depth study of chord/scale theory, polyrhythmic studies, expansion of keyboard skills via increasingly longer or complicated progressions, aural recognition and transcription.
Co-requisite: MSJ 108.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 142. Small Jazz Ensemble II. 1 Credit Hour.
This ensemble focuses on sectional playing, blend, and musical interpretation. Students will be required to perform in sections of four to eight trombones with a rhythms section. The literature also requires the student to improvise. Students are encouraged to write for the ensemble.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 143. Small Jazz Ensemble III. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in the various styles of contemporary jazz. Students will acquire improvisational skills while learning repertoire and performance techniques, and strengthen compositional and arranging skills by contributing original compositions and arrangements to the ensemble's repertoire.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 144. Small Jazz Ensemble IV. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in the various styles of contemporary jazz. Students will acquire improvisational skills while learning repertoire and performance techniques, and strengthen compositional and arranging skills by contributing original compositions and arrangements to the ensemble's repertoire.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 145. Small Jazz Ensemble V. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in the various styles of contemporary jazz. Students will acquire improvisational skills while learning repertoire and performance techniques, and strengthen compositional and arranging skills by contributing original compositions and arrangements to the ensemble's repertoire.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 146. Small Jazz Ensemble VI. 1 Credit Hour.
Freshmen level group that focuses on the music of Charlie Parker, Dizzy Gillespie, and Thelonius Monk. Issues of modern jazz harmony and rhythm as well as cultivating Bebop vocabulary for improvisation are discussed.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 147. Small Jazz Ensemble VII. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in the various styles of contemporary jazz. Students will acquire improvisational skills while learning repertoire and performance techniques, and strengthen compositional and arranging skills by contributing original compositions and arrangements to the ensemble's repertoire.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ 150. Studio Jazz Band. 2 Credit Hours.
This ensemble performs music in the recent big band tradition, from leaders such as Duke Ellington, Count Basie, Buddy Rich, Bob Brookmeyer, and Thad Jones. The group performs on campus with an emphasis on studio recording.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 151. Concert Jazz Band. 2 Credit Hours.
The Concert Jazz Band is the premiere big band at the Frost School of Music. Students are required to perform at an advanced level, and work with a variety of guest artists. Requirements include the ability to sight read difficult material, and to improvise in various styles.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 153. Jazz Band III. 1 Credit Hour.
Big Band designed for freshmen and sophomores to gain experience with classic Big Band repertoire.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 155. Monk/Mingus Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
This ensemble is dedicated to the study and performance of the music of the influential jazz composers Charles Mingus and Thelonius Monk.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 156. Funk/Fusion Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
Small jazz ensemble focusing on contemporary electric jazz/rock/fusion/Latin styles. Emphasis is placed on original compositions by the members of the ensemble. The most common instrumentation is bass, drums, piano/synthesizer, guitar, and saxophone.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 158. Frost Sextet. 1 Credit Hour.
An advanced ensemble dedicated to the performance of original and standard repertoire in the jazz idiom.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 159. Rhythm and Blues Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
Mid-level ensemble for both instrumentalists and vocalists designed to familiarize students with classic Rhythm and Blues material from the 50's, 60's, and 70s, while preparing for a series of concerts throughout the semester. Students are guided through the process of putting a working band together and preparing it for performances and recordings, including what is expected of and from instruments, vocalists, producers, promoters, and other industry personnel.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 160. Avant Garde Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
This ensemble offers students the opportunity to develop the "free form" improvisation in either the bebop based style of Ornette Coleman or the fusion oriented style as typified by Bill Laswell.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MSJ 162. Jazz Saxophone Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
An ensemble dedicated to the study of jazz and contemporary repertoire for the saxophone Quartet/quintet. Skills addressed include sight-reading, intonation and blend, phrasing, rhythmic accuracy, may include rhythm section accompaniment depending on availability. 
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSJ 164. Contemporary Rhythm Section Techniques I. 1 Credit Hour.
Introduces students to various styles of rhythm section playing—from swing and modern Jazz through Rock, Funk, R&B, and other commercial styles of music. Concepts of sound, groove, balance and blend, repertory, and accompaniment are also discussed.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 165. Contemporary Rhythm Section Techniques II. 1 Credit Hour.
Fundamentals of rhythm section playing for guitarists, pianists, bassists, and drummers. It covers a variety of contemporary styles within the rock, jazz, Latin, and pop idioms. Students are grouped into ensembles which perform in class weekly.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 166. Small Jazz Ensemble Lab. 0 Credit Hours.
Performance Lab designed to work in conjunction with all of the 140 level ensembles. Provides and environment in which students are required to perform on a regular rotating schedule throughout the semester. These performances are critiqued by the institution and other faculty, as well as students, in order to nurture a critical but positive atmosphere.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 167. Salsa Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
An ensemble of instrumentalists and singers performing a wide variety of Salsa and Latin jazz styles with emphasis on improvisation.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 169. Jazz Guitar Ensemble I. 1 Credit Hour.
A small instrumental ensemble comprised of five electric guitars which perform with bass and drums in a wide variety of contemporary jazz styles.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 170. Jazz Guitar Ensemble II. 1 Credit Hour.
A small instrumental ensemble comprised of five electric guitars which perform with bass and drums in a wide variety of contemporary jazz styles.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 171. Jazz Guitar Ensemble III. 1 Credit Hour.
A small instrumental ensemble comprised of five electric guitars which perform with bass and drums in a wide variety of contemporary jazz styles.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ 172. Jazz Guitar Ensemble (Workshop I). 1 Credit Hour.
A small instrumental reading ensemble, comprised of four to eight electric guitars, which studies a variety of contemporary jazz styles. Requires: Frost School of Music only.
**Components:** LAB.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

MSJ 173. Jazz Guitar Ensemble (Workshop II). 1 Credit Hour.
A small instrumental reading ensemble, comprised of four to eight electric guitars, which studies a variety of contemporary jazz styles. Requires: Frost School of Music only.
**Components:** SEM.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

MSJ 195. Jazz Vocal Ensemble I. 2 Credit Hours.
A choir of 12 to 16 voices, with rhythm section, which perform a wide variety of jazz and pop styles. Requires: Frost School of Music only.
**Components:** ENS.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

MSJ 196. Jazz Vocal Ensemble II. 2 Credit Hours.
A choir of 12 to 16 voices, with rhythm section, which perform a wide variety of jazz and pop styles. Requires: Frost School of Music only.
**Components:** ENS.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

MSJ 197. Jazz Vocal Ensemble III. 1 Credit Hour.
A choir of 12 to 16 voices, with rhythm section, which perform a wide variety of jazz and pop styles. Requires: Frost School of Music only.
**Components:** ENS.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

MSJ 203. Jazz Piano III. 1 Credit Hour.
Third level of four jazz piano courses that cover the rudiments of jazz piano, consisting of group instruction covering basic piano voicings, voice leading, and functional harmony at the keyboard. This series of courses will cover typical jazz chord progressions such as II V I in major and minor, as well as learning basic jazz standard using various approaches on the piano.
**Components:** LAB.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

MSJ 204. Jazz Piano IV. 1 Credit Hour.
Fourth level of four jazz piano courses that cover the rudiments of jazz piano, consisting of group instruction covering basic piano voicings, voice leading, and functional harmony at the keyboard. This series of courses will cover typical jazz chord progressions such as II V I in major and minor, as well as learning basic jazz standard using various approaches on the piano.
**Components:** LAB.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

MSJ 207. Skills Lab III. 1 Credit Hour.
Chamber music performance of selected repertoire with a concentration in the music of Miles Davis in the 1950’s. Additional repertoire from a list of American standards will also be assigned. Class sessions will cover historical/stylistic performance practice, aural skills (transcription, analysis, sight-reading, etc.) and Jazz arranging for small ensembles. Requires: Frost School of Music only.
**Components:** LAB.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.
MSJ 208. Skills Lab IV. 1 Credit Hour.
Chamber music performance of selected repertoire from the Hard Bop period (1955-1962) including Blue Note artists. Additional repertoire from a list of American standards will also be assigned. Class sessions will cover historical/stylistic performance practice, aural skills (transcription, analysis, sight-reading, etc.) and Jazz arranging for small ensembles.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 211. Jazz Vocal Techniques III. 1 Credit Hour.
Course provides performance experience in the Rock/Funk and Rock Ballad idioms that require strong vocal projection and presentation.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 212. Jazz Vocal Techniques IV. 1 Credit Hour.
Advanced techniques for the Jazz/Pop Vocalist in live performance.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 213. Analysis and Evolution of Jazz Styles II. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of the musical styles and genres of the middle and late twentieth century encompassing the evolution of Modern Jazz music including an in-depth study of each period of Modern Jazz and its innovators. Also included is a survey of the major style periods of Rock music from 1945 to the present with prominent artists from each style period.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 220. Basic Drumset Styles and Techniques (Part 1). 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the basic sticking, swing, backbeat drumset techniques, basic world drumset styles, and chart reading.
Requisites: Undergrad Music Students Only and Dean's Approval and Signature.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 240. Experiential Musicianship III. 3 Credit Hours.
Experiential Musicianship III continues to build on skills acquired in the previous two semesters. Material includes continued development of keyboard skills and aural recognition through expansion of repertoire, modal and non-dominant/tonic harmonic schemes, basslines and counterpoint, harmonization of melodies, and re-harmonization of basic progressions and transcription.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 241. Experiential Musicianship IV. 3 Credit Hours.
Experiential Musicianship IV culmination of the four level sequence. Students are expected to understand and aurally recognize advanced harmonic, melodic, and rhythmic material. New material may include Latin and other straight-eight rhythms, multi-voice counterpoint, advanced re-harmonization, and improvising at the keyboard. Keyboard skills run concurrent with Jazz Arranging II techniques (MSJ520).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 242. Jazz Percussion Techniques. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in jazz, contemporary, and ethnic drumset/percussion techniques with emphasis on basic skills for performance and recording. Additionally, appropriate teaching techniques, methods, and materials necessary for public school pedagogy will be covered. Course may be repeated for credit.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 3. Jazz Forum. 0 Credit Hours.
A weekly meeting of jazz students and faculty for performance, master classes, clinics presented by students, faculty and guest artists.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: FOR.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ 320. Basic Drumset Styles and Techniques (Part 2). 1 Credit Hour.
This course is a continuation of MSJ 220. It explores advanced sticking, swing, backbeat drum set techniques, advanced world drum set styles, and chart reading.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 340. Jazz Skills III. 3 Credit Hours.
Jazz Skills III continues to build on skills acquired in the previous two semesters. Material includes continued development of keyboard skills and aural recognition through expansion of repertoire, modal and non-dominant/tonic harmonic schemes, bass lines and counterpoint, harmonization of melodies, and re-harmonization of basic progressions and transcription.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 341. Jazz Skills IV. 3 Credit Hours.
Jazz Skills IV is the culmination of the four-level Jazz Skills sequence. Students are expected to understand and aurally recognize advanced harmonic, melodic, and rhythmic material. New material may include Latin and other straight-eighth rhythms, multi-voice counterpoint, advanced re-harmonization, and improvising at the keyboard. Keyboard skills run concurrent with Jazz Arranging II techniques (MSJ 520).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 342. Technology Skills. 3 Credit Hours.
Recording projects combining acoustic instruments with software based instruments in a Digital Audio Workstation. Studio recording techniques including microphone placement will be demonstrated in a lab environment. Projects will be based on student compositions and/or arrangements. Post production will include mixing, mastering and CD manufacturing.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 371. Jazz Improvisation I. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of jazz harmony with emphasis on simple chord progressions, altered scales, and modes.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 372. Jazz Vocal Improvisation I. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of jazz harmony with emphasis on complex harmonic progressions and tunes.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 381. Jazz Rehearsal Techniques. 2 Credit Hours.
This course provides practical procedures and materials for beginning instrumental conducting students with an emphasis on the direction of large jazz ensembles.
Prerequisite: MSJ 241 And Requisite: MSJI or MSJV Majors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 430. Applied Jazz Instruction. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Advanced private study in the jazz idiom. Topics may include improvisation, theory, and composition, at the discretion of the teacher. Students must have completed five semesters on the principal instrument. Permission of both course instructor and principal instrument teacher/advisor required.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MSJ 431. Applied Jazz Instruction 2. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Advanced private study in the jazz idiom. Topics may include improvisation, theory, and composition, at the discretion of the teacher. Students must have completed five semesters on the principal instrument. Permission of both course instructor and principal instrument teacher/advisor required.
Prerequisite: MSJ 430.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MSJ 493. Special Projects in Studio Music and Jazz. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member's area expertise and student's area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MSJ 494. Special Topics in Studio Music and Jazz. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty to faculty member's expertise and students' areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MSJ 499. Senior Recital. 1 Credit Hour.
A public recital of one hour or more. Course is required of all performance majors.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 509. Jazz Composition I. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of advanced composition techniques as applied to the Jazz idiom, making extensive use of analysis of established compositions and compositional methods. Both the individual and interactive characteristics of melody, harmony, rhythm, and form will be stressed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 510. Jazz Composition II. 2 Credit Hours.
This course is a continuation of MSJ 500 with an emphasis on melody writing, reharmonization techniques, pentatonic/blues composition, and an introduction to advanced harmonic materials.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 516. Jazz Vocal Arranging. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis and techniques of jazz vocal writing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 519. Advanced Modern Arranging I. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced arranging and composition for the Jazz and studio ensemble.
Prerequisite: MSJ 241.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 520. Advanced Modern Arranging II. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced arranging and composition for the Jazz and studio ensemble.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 522. Introduction to Midi Sequencing and Digital Workstations. 2 Credit Hours.
An introduction to Midi Sequencing with hands-on experience working with a computer sequencing workstation. Topics include sequencing, quantizing, editing, mixing, and effects processing.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 560. Advanced Jazz Improvisation Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of fundamentals and introduction of advanced topics in jazz harmony and scale resources for improvisation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MSJ 565. Advanced Improvisation I. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of advanced Jazz improvisation performance and practice techniques. Utilization of non-traditional harmonic motion, advanced chord scale relationships, and motivic development will be stressed, with the goal of musicality in improvisation. Enrollment open to seniors or graduate MSJ majors (or permission of instructor).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 566. Advanced Improvisation II. 3 Credit Hours.
Refinement of improvisation concepts leading towards the establishment of a personal style of playing. Open only to senior or graduate majors in Studio Music and Jazz.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 593. Special Projects in Studio Music and Jazz. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member’s area expertise and student’s area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MSJ 594. Special Topics in Studio Music and Jazz. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty to faculty member’s expertise and students’ areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MSJ JAR. Applied Jazz Arranging. 1 Credit Hour.
Applied Jazz Arranging level R is the sixth level of DMA private jazz arranging lessons. Applied Jazz Arranging level R is the sixth level of DMA private jazz arranging lessons. Emphasis is placed on developing an individual approach to arranging and orchestration and more exploration of small and large jazz ensembles and writing for strings in a jazz setting. Contemporary models are examined from both the classical and jazz repertoire.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JB1. Jazz Bass. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Basic techniques, sight-reading. Major, minor, diminished, and whole tone scales. Chord structure and analysis. Bass line construction, basis of walking lines. Voice leading for bass lines and improvisation. Etudes and studies in all styles. Repertoire: Standards and Jazz.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JB3. Jazz Bass. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Previous materials in addition to advanced harmonic applications. Expanding traditional improvisational vocabulary. Creating original vocabulary.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JBC. Jazz Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Previous materials in addition to solo bass techniques. Advanced arpeggios and scales. Pentatonic theory and applications. Improvisational vocabulary (traditional).
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ JBD. Jazz Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Previous materials in addition to solo bass techniques. Advanced arpeggios and scales. Pentatonic theory and applications. Improvisational vocabulary (traditional). Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JBF. Jazz Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Previous materials in addition to advanced harmonic applications. Expanding traditional improvisational vocabulary. Creating original vocabulary. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JBG. Jazz Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Previous materials in addition to recital preparation. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JBH. Jazz Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Previous materials in addition to recital preparation. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JBS. Secondary Jazz Bass. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JD1. Jazz Drumset. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Sticking technique, basic hand/foot patterns. Analysis of styles, history of drum set. Rhythm section interaction. Basic transcription, chart reading. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JD3. Jazz Drumset. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Advanced jazz styles and comping, odd note groupings, advanced chart reading, advanced hand/foot patterns. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JDC. Jazz Drumset. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Advanced analysis or major drum set artists. Advanced transcription. Soloing over form using motives, dynamics, and subdivision, comping patterns. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ JDD. Jazz Drumset. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Advanced analysis or major drum set artists. Advanced transcription.Soloing over form using motives, dynamics, and subdivision, comping patterns.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JDF. Jazz Drumset. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Advanced jazz styles and comping, odd note groupings, advanced chart reading, advanced hand/foot patterns.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JDG. Jazz Drumset. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Displacement, metric modulation, preparation for recital, developing an individual voice.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JDH. Jazz Drumset. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Displacement, metric modulation, preparation for recital, developing an individual voice.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JDS. Secondary Jazz Drumset. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JG1. Jazz Guitar. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Left and right hand development. Basic fretboard theory including arpeggios, voice leading (2 string studies), blues and bebop scales. Accompanying: 3-note voicings. Introduction to transcription. Application of the concepts studied to basic repertoire.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JG3. Jazz Guitar. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Works by Bach, Galbraith and others. Building of standard/jazz repertoire including works by Arlen, Porter, Kern, Parker, Ellington, etc. Improvisation and harmonic studies based on the foregoing. Eartraining as required. Use of Jamey Aebersold play-along series.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JGC. Jazz Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Further development of repertoire and continuation of technical studies. Improvisation using arpeggios with tension substitutions. Application of major and melodic minor modes. More advanced transcriptions and refinement of time feel.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ JGD. Jazz Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Further development of repertoire and continuation of technical studies. Improvisation using arpeggios with tension substitutions. Application of major and melodic minor modes. More advanced transcriptions and refinement of time feel. 
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JGF. Jazz Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Works by Bach, Galbraith and others. Building of standard/jazz repertoire including works by Arlen, Porter, Kern, Parker, Ellington, etc. Improvisation and harmonic studies based on the foregoing. Eartraining as required. Use of Jamey Aebersold play-along series. 
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JGG. Jazz Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. More advanced repertoire (works by Corea, Hancock, etc.). Continued expansion of harmonic concepts and exploration of chord voicings and applications. Use of Aebersold series. Assistance with senior recital preparation. 
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JGH. Jazz Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. More advanced repertoire (works by Corea, Hancock, etc.). Continued expansion of harmonic concepts and exploration of chord voicings and applications. Use of Aebersold series. Assistance with senior recital preparation. 
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JGS. Secondary Jazz Guitar. 1 Credit Hour.
1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Left and right hand development. Basic fretboard theory including arpeggios, voice leading (2 string studies), blues and bebop scales. Accompanying: 3-note voicings. Introduction to transcription. Application of the concepts studied to basic repertoire. 
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JP1. Jazz Piano. 2 Credit Hours.
Students will expand and refine application of fundamental chord voicings, chord-scale relationships, be-bop and blues vocabulary, and develop a strong rhythmic base. Solo piano and ensemble/accompaniment formats will be addressed. Technique will be evaluated to identify areas in need of improvement. Methods will include: transcription, analysis, composition of single lines and arrangements, tune learning, and various improvisation exercises. 
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ JP3. Jazz Piano. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technique: Selected exercises from the Dohnanyi or Pishna exercise books. Augmented scales and modes of major in all keys, in both hands and in at least two octaves with a swing (triplet) subdivision. Introduction to modal harmony and sideslipping through study of plateau modal compositions (tunes with long sections of the same modality.) Pentatonic scales in all keys. Literature: Blues in the stride solo piano format. Analysis and transcription of artists who played in this style such as Tatum, Johnson, Smith, and Peterson. Memorization of at least two tunes per lesson in at least three key centers, at least 75% of which should be tunes in the "American standard" format featuring composers such as Berlin, Porter, Kahn, Gershwin, etc. All of the above to be performed both with bass accompaniment and in solo piano format with sections in stride style. Introduction to the Bill Evans piano style through performance of his transcribed piano pieces.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JPC. Jazz Piano. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Students will expand and refine knowledge of chord voicings, chord scale relationships, and rhythmic integrity in swing and other styles. Modal, chromatic, and non-traditional harmonic concepts will be introduced. Advanced rhythmic approaches to improvisation and accompaniment will be explored. Expressive aspects of performance will be addressed. Technique will be evaluated to identify areas in need of improvement. Methods will include: transcription, analysis, composition of single lines and arrangements, tune learning, and various improvisation exercises.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JPD. Jazz Piano. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technique: Arpeggiation of major, minor, diminished and augmented seventh chords, in both hands and in at least two octaves with a swing (triplet) subdivision. Introduction to melodic harmonization through practice of "Shearing Style" and "Drop Two" scaler exercises. Introduction of the ii-V7-I chord progression in all keys as applied to tunes which have a harmonic rhythm of two changes per bar such as Confirmation (Parker) and in Your Own Sweet Way (Brubeck). Literature: Study of the "I Got Rhythm" chord progression. Memorization of at least two tunes per lesson in their original key, at least 75% of which should be tunes in the "American standard" format featuring composers such as Berlin, Porter, Kahn, Gershwin, etc. All of above to be performed with bass accompaniment, or in solo piano format. Study, performance and analysis of transcribed solos such as those found in the Omnibook (Parker). Introduction to solo piano format through study of transcribed pieces.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JPF. Jazz Piano. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technique: Selected exercises from the Dohnanyi or Pishna exercise books. Augmented scales and modes of major in all keys, in both hands and in at least two octaves with a swing (triplet) subdivision. Introduction to modal harmony and sideslipping through study of plateau modal compositions (tunes with long sections of the same modality.) Pentatonic scales in all keys. Literature: Blues in the stride solo piano format. Analysis and transcription of artists who played in this style such as Tatum, Johnson, Smith, and Peterson. Memorization of at least two tunes per lesson in at least three key centers, at least 75% of which should be tunes in the "American standard" format featuring composers such as Berlin, Porter, Kahn, Gershwin, etc. All of the above to be performed both with bass accompaniment and in solo piano format with sections in stride style. Introduction to the Bill Evans piano style through performance of his transcribed piano pieces.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ JPG. Jazz Piano. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technique: Selected exercises from the Dohnanyi or Pishna exercise books. Augmented scales and modes of major in all keys, in both hands and in at least two octaves with a swing (triplet) subdivision. Introduction to modal harmony and sideslipping through study of plateau modal compositions (tunes with long sections of the same modality.) Pentatonic scales in all keys. Literature: Blues in the stride solo piano format. Analysis and transcription of artists who played in this style such as Tatum, Johnson, Smith, and Peterson. Memorization of at least two tunes per lesson in at least three key centers, at least 75% of which should be tunes in the "American standard" format featuring composers such as Berlin, Porter, Kahn, Gershwin, etc. All of the above to be performed both with bass accompaniment and in solo piano format with sections in stride style. Introduction to the Bill Evans piano style through performance of his transcribed piano pieces.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JPH. Jazz Piano. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technique: Selected exercises from the Dohnanyi or Pishna exercise books. Augmented scales and modes of major in all keys, in both hands and in at least two octaves with a swing (triplet) subdivision. Pentatonic scales in all keys. Literature: Blues in the stride solo piano format. Analysis and transcription of artists who played in this style such as Tatum, Johnson, Smith, and Peterson. Memorization of at least two tunes per lesson in at least three key centers, at least 75% of which should be tunes in the "American standard" format featuring composers such as Berlin, Porter, Kahn, Gershwin, etc. All of the above to be performed both with bass accompaniment and in solo piano format with sections in stride style. Introduction to the Bill Evans piano style through performance of his transcribed piano pieces.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JPS. Secondary Jazz Piano. 1 Credit Hour.
Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week. Students will expand and refine application of fundamental chord voicings, chord-scale relationships, be-bop and blues vocabulary, and develop a strong rhythmic base. Solo piano and ensemble/accompaniment formats will be addressed. Technique will be evaluated to identify areas in need of improvement. Methods will include: transcription, analysis, composition of single lines and arrangements, tune learning, and various improvisation exercises.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JS1. Jazz Saxophone. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for jazz saxophone students. Technical Requirements: Introduction to principals of saxophone acoustics; introduction to tone production, intonation, tonal color, and blend; basic technique, chords and scale studies; jazz phrasing; establishment of a "tune list" (repertoire); study of improvised Solos through transcription; major scales full range, thirds, diatonic seventh chords in level A and in level B, melodic minor scales full range, thirds, diatonic seventh chords.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JS3. Jazz Saxophone. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for jazz saxophone students. Technical Requirements: Continuation of tone and technique as needed; augmented scale; rhythmic exercises from drum methods; continue extended range studies; a cappella improvisation; studies in melodic/rhythmic development.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JSC. Jazz Saxophone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Continuation of earlier levels as needed; diminished scales; pentatonic scales/patterns; extended range exercises; application of melodic minor/pentatonic scales; chromatic scale extensions; tritone substitutions.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ JSD. Jazz Saxophone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Continuation of earlier levels as needed; diminished scales; pentatonic scales/patterns; extended range exercises; application of melodic minor/pentatonic scales; chromatic scale extensions; tritone substitutions.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JSF. Jazz Saxophone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Continuation of tone and technique as needed; augmented scale; rhythmic exercises from drum methods; continue extended range studies; a cappella improvisation; studies in melodic/rhythmic development.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JSG. Jazz Saxophone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Recital Preparation. Building of repertoire; concentration on selected influential composers: Ellington, Shorter, Hancock, Miller, Silver, Jobim, Golson, Lieberman, etc. Review of teaching methods, materials. Advanced technique studies: Bozza Etudes Caprices, Lacour 8 Difficult studies. Topics of interest as decided by student in consultation w/ teacher. Total 80 tunes (minimum) by end of H level.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JSH. Jazz Saxophone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Recital Preparation. Building of repertoire; concentration on selected influential composers: Ellington, Shorter, Hancock, Miller, Silver, Jobim, Golson, Lieberman, etc. Review of teaching methods, materials. Advanced technique studies: Bozza Etudes Caprices, Lacour 8 Difficult studies. Topics of interest as decided by student in consultation w/ teacher. Total 80 tunes (minimum) by end of H level.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JSS. Secondary Jazz Saxophone. 1 Credit Hour.
1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Introduction to principals of saxophone acoustics; introduction to tone production, intonation, tonal color, and blend; basic technique, chords and scale studies; jazz phrasing; establishment of a "tune list" (repertoire); study of improvised Solos through transcription; major scales full range
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ TB1. Jazz Trombone. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for jazz trombone students. Technical Requirements: Daily routine/classical etudes. Major, melodic minor, diminished scales, Dorian and Mixolydian modes, dominant 7th arpeggios, minor 7th arpeggios. All major and minor 3rds followed by respective dominant 7ths.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ TB3. Jazz Trombone. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for jazz trombone students. Technical Requirements: Previous material, in addition to standard tunes (2 per week). 251 licks in major and minor. Diminished patterns.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ TBC. Jazz Trombone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Previous material in addition to blues and rhythm changes in 12 keys. Voice Leading (3rds and 7ths). Transcription techniques/assigned transcriptions. Standard tunes (1 per week).
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ TBD. Jazz Trombone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Previous material in addition to blues and rhythm changes in 12 keys. Voice Leading (3rds and 7ths). Transcription techniques/assigned transcriptions. Standard tunes (1 per week).
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ TBF. Jazz Trombone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Previous material, in addition to standard tunes (2 per week). 251 licks in major and minor. Diminished patterns.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ TBG. Jazz Trombone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Previous material in addition to augmented scales and patterns. Pentatonic scales and patterns. Recital preparation.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ TBH. Jazz Trombone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Previous material in addition to augmented scales and patterns. Pentatonic scales and patterns. Recital preparation.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ TBS. Secondary Jazz Trombone. 1 Credit Hour.
1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Daily routine/classical etudes. Major, melodic minor, diminished scales, Dorian and Mixolydian modes, dominant 7th arpeggios, minor 7th arpeggios. All major and minor 3rds followed by respective dominant 7ths.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ TP1. Jazz Trumpet. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ TP3. Jazz Trumpet. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for jazz trumpet students. Technical Requirements: Continuation of range studies in addition to advanced etudes such as Bitsch and Charlier. Advanced jazz repertoire. Diminished and augments scales. Studio techniques.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ TPC. Jazz Trumpet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Continuation of basic skills in addition to range studies utilizing the Wedge breath. Transcribing jazz trumpet solos. A cappella blues in all keys.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ TPD. Jazz Trumpet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Continuation of basic skills in addition to range studies utilizing the Wedge breath. Transcribing jazz trumpet solos. A cappella blues in all keys.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ TPF. Jazz Trumpet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Study of advanced jazz repertoire. Diminished and augments scales. Studio techniques.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ TPG. Jazz Trumpet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Study of advanced jazz repertoire. Recital preparation.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ TPH. Jazz Trumpet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Study of advanced jazz repertoire. Recital preparation.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ TPS. Secondary Jazz Trumpet. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ VB1. Jazz Vibraphone. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ VB3. Jazz Vibraphone. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ VBS. Secondary Jazz Vibraphone. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the undergraduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ VO1. Jazz Voice. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ VO3. Jazz Voice. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for jazz voice students. Repertoire: 15 Songs, continuation of standard repertoire at more advance and complex level, including bebop, original material, modal tunes and selections of harmonic and melodic complexity with improvisation.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ VOC. Jazz Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Repertoire: 24 Songs: 16 selections from Swing, Ballad, Jazz Waltz and Latin idioms. 4 Rock/Funk/R&B arrangements in coordination with MSJ 301. Mini-Concert (4 song set) Note: Sophomore proficiency.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ VOD. Jazz Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Repertoire: 24 Songs: 16 selections from Swing, Ballad, Jazz Waltz and Latin idioms. 4 Rock/Funk/R&B arrangements in coordination with MSJ 301. Mini-Concert (4 song set) Note: Sophomore proficiency.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ VOF. Jazz Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Repertoire: 15 Songs, continuation of standard repertoire at more advance and complex level, including bebop, original material, modal tunes and selections of harmonic and melodic complexity with improvisation.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ VOG. Jazz Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Repertoire: 15 Songs, same styles as above, Recital preparation, review of repertoire list and audition preparation.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ VOH. Jazz Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Repertoire: 15 Songs, same styles as above, Recital preparation, review of repertoire list and audition preparation.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
B.M. in Studio Music and Jazz Instrumental

Dept. Code: MSJ

The instrumental curriculum in Studio Music and Jazz is designed for interested and qualified students who desire to continue to develop to the highest degree their background and skills in the performance of studio music and jazz. Admission to this major pre-supposes musical training in jazz on the principal instrument.

Advanced Writing and Communication Skills

Courses

All students are required to successfully complete 3 Advanced Writing and Communication Skills (AWC) courses. Student degree requirements will include courses that meet the desired communication outcomes in evaluated and revised writing, speaking, stage presence, and audience engagement.

All Studio Jazz Instrumental students will successfully complete:

1. MCY 141 Musical Trends and Traditions, which will include substantial evaluated and revised writing components.

2. MSJ XXX Private Lesson Level 3 Senior Recital, which will include evaluated communication skills in attracting an audience, engaging an audience during performance, and preparing program notes or similar media as appropriate to the medium/venue.

3. MSJ 213 Analysis & Evolution of Jazz Styles II, which will include discipline specific communication skills.

Assessment

There will be at least 2 specific assessments in each Advanced Communications Skills course for communications or writing equivalent to 4000 words, evaluated and revised.

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### Suggested Plan of Study - Studio Music and Instrumental

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Mission
The mission of the Studio Music and Jazz Performance Program is to:

- Prepare jazz instrumentalists to enter the music profession or graduate school.
- Identify, recruit, and retain high quality students who seek to pursue studio/jazz performance as a career.
- Foster faculty creativity and performance which serves as a role model for students.
- Develop, and revise courses in jazz improvisation, jazz arranging/composition and provide on and off campus performance opportunities.
- Produce in our on campus facility, recordings for the Down Beat Student Music Awards, compact disks, radio and Internet broadcast.
- Provide a platform of learning that includes performance, composition/arranging, technology, conducting, scholarship and production.

Goals
- Students will develop musical performance skills necessary to make them competitive in the jazz world.
- Students will develop performance skills in a variety of large and small ensembles that allow a student to participate in the professional jazz world.
- Students will develop the skills necessary to play in a chamber setting emphasizing spontaneous interaction and improvisation.
- Students will develop the skills necessary to play in large jazz ensembles emphasizing the development of ensemble skills necessary in a reading situation.
- Students will perform a senior recital of sixty-minute duration that demonstrates their capabilities in the jazz idiom.
- Students will develop the skills necessary to arrange and compose in a variety of styles appropriate to the jazz and contemporary music field.

Student Learning Outcomes
- Students will develop proficiency in instrumental performance skills necessary to be competitive in the jazz and contemporary music professions.
- Students will develop proficiency in ensemble performance skills necessary for participation and functionality in the jazz and contemporary music professions.
- Students will develop proficiency in improvisation, composition, arranging, and interaction skills necessary for successful performance within the jazz idiom and a variety of styles appropriate to the jazz and contemporary music profession.
- Students will develop the technological proficiency necessary for a career in the jazz and contemporary music profession.

B.M. in Studio Music and Jazz Voice
Dept Code: MSJ
The vocal curriculum in Studio Music and Jazz is designed for interested and qualified vocalists who desire to continue to develop to the highest degree their backgrounds and skills in the performance of studio music (recording), jazz, and contemporary pop music. Admission to this major presupposes music training in jazz.
Advanced Writing and Communication Skills

Courses
All students are required to successfully complete 3 Advanced Writing and Communication Skills (AWC) courses. Student degree requirements will include courses that meet the desired communication outcomes in evaluated and revised writing, speaking, stage presence, and audience engagement.

All Studio Jazz Vocal students will successfully complete:

1. MCY 141 Musical Trends and Traditions, which will include substantial evaluated and revised writing components.

2. MSJ VO3 Private Lesson Senior Recital, which will include evaluated communication skills in attracting an audience, engaging an audience during performance, and preparing program notes or similar media as appropriate to the medium/venue.

3. MSJ 213 Analysis & Evolution of Jazz Styles II, which will include discipline specific communication skills.

Assessment
There will be at least 2 specific assessments in each Advanced Communications Skills course for communications or writing equivalent to 4000 words, evaluated and revised.

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**Suggested Plan of Study**

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Mission

The mission of the Studio Music and Jazz Performance Program is to:

- Prepare jazz instrumentalists to enter the music profession or graduate school.
- Identify, recruit, and retain high quality students who seek to pursue studio/jazz performance as a career.
- Foster faculty creativity and performance which serves as a role model for students.
- Develop, and revise courses in jazz improvisation, jazz arranging/composition and provide on and off campus performance opportunities.
- Produce in our on campus facility, recordings for the Down Beat Student Music Awards, compact disks, radio and Internet broadcast.
- Provide a platform of learning that includes performance, composition/arranging, technology, conducting, scholarship and production.

Goals

- Students will develop musical performance skills necessary to make them competitive in the jazz world.
- Students will develop performance skills in a variety of large and small ensembles that allow a student to participate in the professional jazz world.
- Students will develop the skills necessary to play in a chamber setting emphasizing spontaneous interaction and improvisation.
- Students will develop the skills necessary to play in large jazz ensembles emphasizing the development of ensemble skills necessary in a reading situation.
- Students will perform a senior recital of sixty-minute duration that demonstrates their capabilities in the jazz idiom.
- Students will develop the skills necessary to arrange and compose in a variety of styles appropriate to the jazz and contemporary music field.

Student Learning Outcomes

- Jazz Vocal students will demonstrate an exceptional level of fluidity, fluency and facility in their vocal technique by the time they graduate.
- Jazz Vocal students will demonstrate an exceptional level in their improvisational structure by indicating the harmonic scheme, phrasing of melodic musical statement and creative use of compositional and stylistic components.
- Jazz Vocal students will demonstrate an exceptional level in their interpretation of jazz literature. Interpretation will be appropriate, relevant, and complimentary beyond the expectations of the musical task.

Certificate in Jazz Performance

Audition Required-Music Majors Only

Performance Certificates may be awarded to music majors, in non-performance degrees: MED, MTY, MTC, MWP, MBEI, MUE, and MUS, who meet the achievement level and standards of a music performance major on a single instrument as offered by the following degree programs: MIP, MVP MKP, MSJI, and MSJV. Any student wishing to declare a Performance Certificate must audition on an instrument or voice and be approved by the appropriate department. In addition to the Experiential Music Curriculum Core Courses, the following requirements must be met in one of the following tracks: MIP, MVP, MKP, or MSJ. The Music Performance Certificate requires approval by designated departmental faculty. The appropriate performance level must be achieved as determined by the designated departmental faculty or the certificate will not have been earned, even if all courses have been successfully completed. The Music Performance Certificate will be awarded upon successful completion of all coursework and final approval of the designated departmental faculty.

* Students who will enroll in a required internship (i.e. student teaching) in their 8th semester may petition the department to perform the senior recital and satisfy the Principal Instrument Lesson & Studio Class degree requirements in their 7th semester.

Students may enroll in the MSJ or Performer’s Certificate in Jazz Studies. Students may not earn both credentials.

*This program is not eligible for federal or state financial aid. Contact the Office of Student Financial Assistance and Employment (https://finaid.miami.edu/) for further assistance.

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Minor in Studio Music and Jazz Instrumental (Music Majors Only)

A 12 credit hour minor is available for students enrolled in the Frost School of Music whose primary instrument is jazz. Students may enroll in the MSJ minor or Performer's Certificate in Jazz Studies (by audition only). Students may not earn both credentials.

Permission of the studio teacher is required.

Curriculum Requirements

The following courses must be taken to fulfill the requirement of this minor:

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Vocal Performance (MVP)

Dept. Code: MVP

The Department of Vocal Performance offers a bachelor of music degree in vocal performance.

Certificates

- Vocal Performance (p. 1500)

**MVP 101. Choir Ensemble Placeholder. 1 Credit Hour.**

Ensemble placeholder course for new students to enroll in before ensemble placement auditions during Frost Orientation. Please note, you will have to drop this course and enroll in your correct ensemble when receive your official ensemble placement from Dr. Karen Kennedy.

Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

**MVP 144. Vocal Techniques for Non-Majors. 1 Credit Hour.**

Class instruction in fundamentals of singing, breath control, tone production, diction, and solo singing for non-music majors. Basic music reading skills are taught.

Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**MVP 147. Men's Chorale. 1 Credit Hour.**

This ensemble is open to the entire university community. Students will work on all aspects of choral singing, including skills in basic musicianship. This ensemble presents two or three concerts per semester.

Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

**MVP 148. Bella Voce. 1 Credit Hour.**

This ensemble is open to the entire university community. Students will work on all aspects of choral singing, including skills in basic musicianship. This ensemble presents two or three concerts per semester.

Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MVP 167. Music Theatre Workshop. 1 Credit Hour.
Participation in a fully-staged production or supervised classwork and projects which integrate the skills of the musical theatre singer/actor.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 180. Symphonic Choir. 1 Credit Hour.
Study and performance of choral literature appropriate for large choir, including choral orchestral masterworks.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 181. Choral Conducting I. 2 Credit Hours.
This course provides practical procedures and materials for beginning conducting students. Students demonstrate basic conducting patterns, preparations, and releases in all meters.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MVP 182. Choral Conducting II. 2 Credit Hours.
This course provides practical procedures and materials for advanced conducting students. Students demonstrate refined skills in conducting musical styles and independence of gesture. A strong emphasis is placed on conducting of mixed meters.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MVP 184. Chamber Singers. 1 Credit Hour.
An ensemble of eighteen to twenty undergraduate and graduate students, the ensemble performs challenging chamber choir repertoire from the Renaissance through the Twentieth Century.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 185. Frost Chorale. 2 Credit Hours.
This ensemble performs significant choral literature with an emphasis on music of the Twentieth-Century and on choral/orchestral works including opera. Open to all qualified undergraduate students, regardless of major.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 188. Opera Theater I. 1 Credit Hour.
Typically taken in the first semester of freshman year by vocal performance majors. Basic stage techniques will be studied and mastered. The learning process repertoire, basic acting and performance techniques will be addressed. Methods of communication of text and emotion will be studied and applied. Emphasis will be on solo repertoire with possible participation in fall opera production.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MVP 189. Opera Theater II. 1 Credit Hour.
Typically taken in the second semester of the first year by vocal performance majors. Further research, development and application of stage deportment, character development, acting skills, communication of emotion and text. Repertoire will include solo songs, arias and small ensembles and possible participation in spring opera production.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MVP 196. Singing for the Stage I-A. 1 Credit Hour.
The selection, learning process, and performance of Musical Theatre Songs with emphasis on tone production and style.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MVP 197. Singing for the Stage I-B. 1 Credit Hour.
Continuation of MVP 196.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MVP 205. Acting for Opera. 2 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to combine acting techniques with singing, dealing specifically with challenges presented to the singing actor and including musical styles and periods, period fashion and props, movement, and stage techniques for recitative, aria and ensemble performance.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MVP 206. Acting for Opera - Intermediate. 2 Credit Hours.
Course designed to continue to develop acting and character development skills for operatic performance.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MVP 250. Lyric Diction for Singers - English and Italian. 2 Credit Hours.
Designed for voice majors and principals, focus on pronunciation skills for singing in English and Italian. International Phonetic alphabet and rules for singers Italian languages will be applied to Art Song, Opera, and Oratorio.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MVP 252. Lyric Diction for Singers - German and French. 2 Credit Hours.
Designed for voice majors and principals, focus on pronunciation skills for singing in German and French. International Phonetic Alphabet and rules for singers. Italian languages will be applied to Art Song, Opera, and Oratorio.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MVP 288. Stagecraft & Acting for Opera. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is designed to equip students with the fundamental stagecraft and acting skills unique to operatic performing. Physical release and expression, coordination, mental agility, individual artistry, creativity and emotional availability are all critical to the successful singing actor in opera, and the work of this course is to build a solid foundation in these areas.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MVP 289. Opera Theater IV. 1 Credit Hour.
Typically taken in the 2nd semester, sophomore year by vocal performance majors. Course designed to continue to develop acting and character development skills and apply techniques learned in Opera Theater I, II, and III.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MVP 294. Singing for Actors. 1 Credit Hour.
The preparation of song literature and audition material for actors (can be repeated for credit).
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MVP 296. Singing for the Stage II-A. 1 Credit Hour.
Instruction in auditioning methods and materials for American musical theatre.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MVP 297. Singing for the Stage II-B. 1 Credit Hour.
Instruction in preparing vocal material for musical scenes drawn from American musical theatre.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MVP 388. Stagecraft & Acting for Opera. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is designed to equip students with the fundamental stagecraft and acting skills unique to operatic performing. Physical release and expression, coordination, mental agility, individual artistry, creativity and emotional availability are all critical to the successful singing actor in opera, and the work of this course is to build a solid foundation in these areas.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MVP 389. Opera Theater VI. 1 Credit Hour.
Typically taken in the 2nd semester, junior year by vocal performance majors. Course designed to continue to develop acting and character development skills and apply techniques learned in Opera Theater I-V.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MVP 399. Junior Recital. 1 Credit Hour.
A public recital of one half-hour or more. Course required of all Vocal Performance majors.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 415. Auditioning I. 2 Credit Hours.
Students prepare three to five audition pieces, photos, and resumes. Income tax, unions, opportunity, and methods of searching for and obtaining work is included. Course culminates in a seven to ten day trip to New York attending auditions.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MVP 416. Auditioning II. 2 Credit Hours.
Continuation of MVP 415.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MVP 431. Musical Theatre Styles I. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include creating a character through song and dialogue, making transition from songs in to and out of scenes, and becoming comfortable and familiar with the style and performance unique to musical theatre.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MVP 488. Stagecraft & Acting for Opera. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is designed to equip students with the fundamental stagecraft and acting skills unique to operatic performing. Physical release and expression, coordination, mental agility, individual artistry, creativity and emotional availability are all critical to the successful singing actor in opera, and the work of this course is to build a solid foundation in these areas.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MVP 489. Opera Theater VIII. 1 Credit Hour.
Typically taken by Vocal Performance majors in the 2nd semester, senior year. course designed to continue to develop acting and character development skills and apply techniques learned in Opera Theater I-VIII.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MVP 493. Special Projects in Vocal Performance or Choral Conducting. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member's area expertise and student's area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MVP 494. Special Topics in Vocal Performance or Choral Conducting. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty to faculty member's expertise and students' areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MVP 499. Senior Recital. 1 Credit Hour.
A public recital of one hour or more. Course is required of all performance majors.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 508. Choral Score Study. 2 Credit Hours.
In depth study of selected choral or choral/orchestral works related to literature being performed by university ensembles during the academic year.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MVP 538. Vocal Pedagogy. 2-3 Credit Hours.
Course covers methods and concepts in the teaching of singing. Emphasis is placed on psychological, physiological, and acoustical principles involved in voice production with practical application, observing and teaching individual and class voice in a supervised environment.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MVP 552. Vocal Performance Preparation. 1 Credit Hour.
Musical preparation of a wide range of assigned vocal literature from all periods for performance in forums, juries, and recitals. Special emphasis is on musical values, styles, translations of texts, diction, pronunciation of Italian, German, French, and English, and memorization.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MVP 580. Opera Production. 1 Credit Hour.
Operatic production for main stage production, scenes, and other productions. Open only to students that are cast in productions, as determined by audition and faculty decision. Typically taken by vocal performance majors.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 588. Voice Performance in Salzburg, Austria. 0 Credit Hours.
Course is conducted at Salzburg College, Austria. Students receive comprehensive and intensive vocal training from University of Miami faculty as well as distinguished guest artists. A class in vocal repertoire is also included.
Requisite: Must be in Salzburg Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: AUD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

MVP 593. Special Projects in Vocal Performance or Choral Conducting. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member's area expertise and student's area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MVP 594. Special Topics in Vocal Performance or Choral Conducting. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member’s expertise and students’ areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MVP 8. Voice Forum. 0 Credit Hours.
A weekly informal recital setting and performance class for voice principals and majors with guest artists, master classes, and faculty presentations. Required for all two, three, and four credit applied voice students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: FOR.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP VO1. Voice. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for voice students. Technical Requirements: Demonstrate a beginning concept of breath management, legato connection for moderate length phrases, clear articulation and projection of vowels and consonants in English, emotional connection to and communication of text, release of vibrato in sustained singing, and jury repertoire, language, and performance requirements (See Guidelines for Voice Study).
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP VO3. Voice. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for voice students. Technical Requirements: Demonstrate evidence of upper range extension with fully supported sound and appropriate modification of resonators, ability to self-prepare a song, knowledge of musical styles and historical periods of music, effective communication of song literature, an established warm-up regimen and technical exercises as prescribed by the voice teacher, and jury repertoire, language, and performance requirements (See Guidelines for Voice Study).
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP VOC. Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Demonstrate consistent breath support, firmly established legato line, evidence of musical phrasing, consistent vibrato, ability to execute technical exercises evenly throughout the range, and jury repertoire, language, and performing (See Guidelines for Voice Study).
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MVP VOD. Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Demonstrate consistent breath support, firmly established legato line, evidence of musical phrasing, consistent vibrato, ability to execute technical exercises evenly throughout the range, and jury repertoire, language, and performing (See Guidelines for Voice Study).
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP VOF. Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Demonstrate evidence of upper range extension with fully supported sound and appropriate modification of resonators, ability to selfPrepare a song, knowledge of musical styles and historical periods of music, effective communication of song literature, an established warm-up regimen and technical exercises as prescribed by the voice teacher, and jury repertoire, language, and performance requirements (See Guidelines for Voice Study).
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP VOG. Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Demonstrate perfect facility in required lyric languages, ability to evaluate performances critically and coherently, facility with register changes in upper range, polished and artistic performing with accuracy in pitch, rhythm, good posture, breath management, phonation, and resonance in addition to jury repertoire, language, and performance requirements (See Guidelines for Voice Study).
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP VOH. Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Demonstrate perfect facility in required lyric languages, ability to evaluate performances critically and coherently, facility with register changes in upper range, polished and artistic performing with accuracy in pitch, rhythm, good posture, breath management, phonation, and resonance in addition to jury repertoire, language, and performance requirements (See Guidelines for Voice Study).
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP VOS. Secondary Voice. 1 Credit Hour.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Demonstrate a beginning concept of breath management, legato connection for moderate length phrases, clear articulation and projection of vowels and consonants in English, emotional connection to and communication of text, release of vibrato in sustained singing, and jury repertoire, language, and performance requirements (See Guidelines for Voice Study).
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

B.M. in Vocal Performance

Dept Code: MVP

The Department of Vocal Performance offers a bachelor of music degree in vocal performance.

Advanced Writing and Communication Skills

Courses
All students are required to successfully complete 3 Advanced Writing and Communication Skills (AWC) courses. Student degree requirements will include courses that meet the desired communication outcomes in evaluated and revised writing, speaking, stage presence, and audience engagement.

All Vocal Performance students will successfully complete:
1. MCY 341 Music of the Medieval, Renaissance, and Baroque Periods which will include substantial evaluated and revised writing components.
2. MVP VO3 Private Lesson (Level 3) Senior Recital, which will include evaluated communication skills in attracting an audience, engaging an audience during performance, and preparing program notes or similar media as appropriate to the medium/venue.
3. MVP 538 Vocal Pedagogy, which will include discipline specific communication skills.

Assessment
There will be at least 2 specific assessments in each Advanced Communications Skills course for communications or writing equivalent to 4000 words, evaluated and revised.

Curriculum Requirements

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Experiential Music Curriculum Core Courses MVP

1. MVP 8 Voice Forum (8 semesters) 0
2. MVP VO1 (Level 1) Voice Lesson & Studio Class (semesters 1-4, 2 credit hours) 8
3. MVP VO3 (Level 3) Voice Lesson & Studio Class (semesters 5-6, 2 credit hours) 4
4. MTC 140 Experiential Musicianship I and Skills Lab I 4
5. MTC 107 Experiential Musicianship I and Skills Lab I 4
6. MTC 141 Experiential Musicianship II and Skills Lab II 4
7. MTC 108 Experiential Musicianship III and Skills Lab III 4
8. MTC 240 Experiential Musicianship IV and Skills Lab IV 4
9. MTC 207 Experiential Musicianship IV and Skills Lab IV 4
10. MKP 140 Keyboard Studies I 1
11. MKP 141 Keyboard Studies II 1
12. MCY 140 Experiencing Music 3
13. MCY 341 Music of the Mediaeval, Renaissance, and Baroque Periods (AWC) 3
14. MMI 250 Essential Technologies for Musicians 3
15. MMI 310 Music Business and Entrepreneurship for Musicians 3
16. MVP XXX Choral Ensembles (semesters 1-6, 1 credit hour) 6

Total credits for EMC Core courses = 48

Courses in the MVP Major

17. MVP XXX Choral Ensembles (semesters 7-8, 1 credit hour) 2
18. MVP XXX Opera Theater I-IV (4 semesters, 1 credit hour) 4
19. MVP VO3 (Level 3) Voice Lesson & Studio Class (semesters 7-8, 2 credit hours) 4
20. Junior & Senior recitals with lesson
21. MCY 342 Music of the Classical, Romantic, and Modern Periods 3
22. MCY 522 Operatic Literature 3
23. MCY 525 Art Song Literature 3
24. MKP 240 Keyboard Studies III 2
25. MKP 241 Keyboard Studies IV 2
26. MTC 311 Analysis and Experience 3
27. MVP 181 Choral Conducting I 2
28. MVP 250 Lyric Diction for Singers - English and Italian 2
MVP 252  Lyric Diction for Singers - German and French  2
MVP 538  Vocal Pedagogy (AWC)  2
MVP 552  Vocal Performance Preparation (1 credit class for 4 semesters)  4
MVP 580  Opera Production (1 credit class for 4 semesters)  4
ITA 101  Elementary Italian I  3
FRE 101  Elementary French I  3
GER 101  Elementary German I  3
Total credits for courses in the major = 50
Total Credit Hours 126

1  EMC core courses require a grade of "C" or higher. Lessons require a grade of "B-" or higher.

Suggested Plan of Study

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Certificate in Vocal Performance

Mission
The mission of the Bachelor of Music Degree in Vocal Performance is:

• To provide students the highest quality of education available in the areas of vocal performance and musicianship that will provide the foundation for continued academic work and which could also lead toward a professional performance career as a classical singer
• To stimulate the student’s awareness and artistic creativity in the field of vocal performance
• To provide students public performance opportunities in a supportive and encouraging environment
• To provide students performance skills necessary for graduate degree auditions, vocal competitions and chamber music careers.

Goals
Student Learning Outcomes

• Students will be able to sing solo, classical, vocal repertoire in at least four languages in their senior solo recital.
• Students will demonstrate breath management and tension release skills in singing for one jury performance at the end of each semester.
• Students will demonstrate proper alignment for singing classical repertoire.

Certificate in Vocal Performance
Audition Required-Music Majors Only

Performance Certificates may be awarded to music majors, in non-performance degrees: MED, MTY, MTC, MWP, MBEI, MUE, and MUS, who meet the achievement level and standards of a music performance major on a single instrument as offered by the following degree programs: MIP, MVP, MKP, MSJI, and MSJV. Any student wishing to declare a Performance Certificate must audition on an instrument or voice and be approved by the appropriate department. In addition to the Experiential Music Curriculum Core Courses, the following requirements must be met in one of the following tracks: MIP, MVP, MKP, or MSJ. The Music Performance Certificate requires approval by designated departmental faculty. The appropriate performance level must be achieved as determined by the designated departmental faculty or the certificate will not have been earned, even if all courses have been successfully completed. The Music Performance Certificate will be awarded upon successful completion of all coursework and final approval of the designated departmental faculty.

* Students who will enroll in a required internship (i.e. student teaching) in their 8th semester may petition the department to perform the senior recital and satisfy the Principal Instrument Lesson & Studio Class degree requirements in their 7th semester.

* This program is not eligible for federal or state financial aid. Contact the Office of Student Financial Assistance and Employment (https://finaid.miami.edu/) for further assistance.

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Minor in Dance
https://dance.frost.miami.edu/

Students intending to minor in dance are required to write a statement (150-300 words) explaining their motivation to minor in dance or submit a resume of their dance experience or video of themselves in dance performance or class for consideration. Send your statement, video or resume to Carol Kaminsky at c.kaminsky@miami.edu and approval from your advisor. All dance minors must maintain a grade point average of 3.0 in dance courses. There is no undergraduate major in dance.

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Nursing and Health Studies
http://www.miami.edu/sonhs

The School of Nursing and Health Studies (SONHS) is committed to academic excellence, the advancement of healthcare, and service to society. Opportunities are available for students to study and earn course credit in a variety of local and international settings.

Mission
The mission of the SONHS is to educate students and support faculty committed to excellence in nursing and health science. Through research, education and practice, the school will create and disseminate health knowledge and prepare culturally competent leaders to provide safe service to our community, the nation and the world.

Baccalaureate Degrees
The SONHS offers three baccalaureate degrees:
1. Bachelor of Science in Health Science (BSHS)
2. Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN)
3. Bachelor of Science in Public Health (BSPH)

Student Responsibilities

Students in the SONHS are responsible for fulfilling their degree requirements. Students are also responsible for complying with all provisions outlined in the Academic Bulletin and the Student Handbook.

Academic Bulletin and Student Handbook

In addition to the material listed in the Academic Bulletin, all SONHS students are held to the policies, procedures, and requirements listed in the most current Student Handbook (http://www.sonhs.miami.edu/academics/student-handbooks/) for their respective degree program. Please note the material included in the Student Handbook is subject to change throughout the academic year and may not be reflected in the Academic Bulletin. The Student Handbook contains the most current information. Consult an academic advisor in the Office of Student Services (OSS) (http://oss.sonhs.miami.edu/) for questions related to academic requirements and opportunities.

Accommodations Policy for Students with Disabilities

The SONHS adheres to standards of the Americans with Disabilities Act. Any student needing special accommodations should seek assistance through the Office of Disability Services (ODS) (http://umarc.miami.edu/arc/ODS.html), which is the primary on-campus resource responsible for the coordination of services for students with disabilities. Students must follow ODS’ policies, procedures, and timelines to request assistance. Please note ODS has strict deadlines to apply for accommodations; only students who are officially registered with ODS may be granted accommodations.

Financial Assistance

Students interested in obtaining financial assistance in the form of student loans, grants, etc. should contact the Office of Financial Assistance (http://www.miami.edu/admission/index.php/ofas/).

The SONHS also offers limited merit-based and need-based scholarships to continuing students. The types of scholarships available and the qualifications for them vary by semester. Continuing students who wish to be considered for the SONHS scholarships must apply for such scholarships through the SONHS General Scholarship Application. Calls for applications are e-mailed to continuing students once each semester to prompt students to apply who wish to be considered for a scholarship for the next term. Additional information on the SONHS scholarships as well as health science-, nursing-, and public health-related outside scholarships can be found on the SONHS Scholarships website (http://www.sonhs.miami.edu/admissions-and-financial-aid/financial-aid-and-community-scholarships/).

Facilities

The SONHS is located on the Coral Gables Campus. The four-story, Jerusalem-stone and stucco M. Christine Schwartz Center for Nursing and Health Studies opened in Fall 2006. The building features classrooms and clinical practice labs, conference rooms, a computer lab, and a simulation academy, all equipped with the latest technology. The spacious 53,000 square foot facility supports the work of more than 40 nurse-scientists and clinical educators, as well as approximately 1,100 undergraduate and graduate students enrolled in the SONHS’ health science, nursing, and public health programs.

In Fall 2017, the SONHS opened the new, state-of-the-art, 41,000 square foot, 5 story Simulation Hospital (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/simulation_hospital/). The Simulation Hospital is a one-of-a-kind facility, as it is one of the first education-dedicated simulation facilities located on a college campus. This new facility uses the latest simulation technology to provide SONHS students with the highest-quality healthcare education through a variety of simulated clinical environments. It also provides opportunities for public health-related simulation experiences and creates ample opportunities for inter-professional education (IPE).

Library resources for SONHS students are available at the Otto G. Richter Library (http://library.miami.edu/) on the Coral Gables Campus and the Louis Calder Memorial Library (http://calder.med.miami.edu/) on the Medical Campus.

Clinical experiences are offered in a variety of hospitals and health-related agencies in the community, including the University of Miami Hospital, Jackson Health System, Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center, Nicklaus Children's Hospital, and approximately 170 other community partners.

The Foote Fellows Honors Program (https://admissions.miami.edu/undergraduate/academics/honors-and-scholars-programs/foote-fellows/) at the University of Miami (UM) recognizes the most educationally accomplished incoming students. Throughout high school, Foote Fellows distinguished themselves both in and out of the classroom as self-motivated, independent-thinking individuals dedicated to the pursuit of knowledge. This program was built to reflect these ideals and to embody the educational vision of former University of Miami President, Edward T. Foote, who retired in 2000 after serving the University for twenty years.

Program Benefits and Opportunities

Foote Fellows in the School of Nursing and Health Studies (SONHS) are exempt from the Areas of Proficiency (e.g., English and mathematics), Areas of Knowledge (i.e., cognates), and Advanced Writing and Communication requirements. These exemptions provide Foote Fellows with unmatched
freedom and flexibility to explore a multitude of educational endeavors within the curricular framework of the SONHS. Many Foote Fellows leverage this opportunity to complete additional majors, minors, and/or cognates, study abroad, participate in research, etc.

SONHS Foote Fellows may be eligible to participate in various global initiatives (https://www.sonhs.miami.edu/academics/hemispheric-and-global-initiatives/), research experiences, civically-engaged or clinically-based courses, and academic lectures. They will be invited to join advanced, interdisciplinary Foote Fellow seminars taught by leading faculty members from across the University (e.g., "Books That Matter"). Furthermore, Foote Fellows receive focused advising by the Foote Fellow program coordinator on post-baccalaureate prestigious awards and fellowships. SONHS Foote Fellows should speak with the academic advisors located in the Office of Student Services (OSS) (https://www.sonhs.miami.edu/admissions-and-student-services/office-of-student-services/contact-oss/) to learn more about their academic and extracurricular opportunities.

**Admission Criteria**

Admission to the SONHS Foote Fellows program is by invitation only. To be considered for this program, health science, nursing, and public health students must have a weighted high school GPA of 4.5 or higher and a SAT score of 1300 or higher (verbal and math) or an ACT score of 30 or higher. Students must also submit a portfolio consisting of (a) an essay on their desire to contribute to decreasing health disparities, including a description of at least one health disparity and a plan for addressing it, (b) a historical account of their community service, volunteer, and leadership experience, and (c) a discussion of their short-term and long-term goals.

**Outcome Criteria**

Foote Fellows in the SONHS will maintain an undergraduate GPA of 3.5 or higher. The GPA used to make this determination is the UM-specific GPA or the Combined GPA (i.e., UM-specific and Transfer GPA combined), whichever is lower. Foote Fellows must also create a capstone portfolio that includes examples of (a) how they have addressed a health disparity throughout their program of study and of (b) the community service, volunteer, and leadership experiences they have participated in throughout their time at the University of Miami.

**Health Science**

**Academic Programs**

The University of Miami (UM) School of Nursing and Health Studies (SONHS) offers courses leading to the degree of Bachelor of Science in Health Science (BSHS). Baccalaureate education provides the foundation for further education in specialized health professional fields. All students who pursue the BSHS degree graduate with a health science major and one of the following pre-professional tracks:

1. General Track
2. Health Management and Policy Track
3. Pre-Medical Track
4. Pre-Occupational Therapy Track
5. Pre-Pharmacy Track
6. Pre-Physical Therapy Track

Students are encouraged to contact graduate programs directly to ascertain if there are specific course requirements they must complete above and beyond those included in their chosen pre-professional track.

**Admission**

Admission as a new freshman or transfer student to the BSHS program is handled through the Office of Undergraduate Admission (http://admissions.miami.edu/undergraduate/?utm_source=Mailers&utm_medium=Print&utm_campaign=FromPrint) and is open to applicants who meet the general requirements for admission to the UM.

In accepting students into the BSHS program, the UM does not in any way ensure admittance into professional graduate programs. Admission to professional graduate programs is dependent upon strong undergraduate academic performance and appropriate, well-rounded extracurricular experiences. Admission to these programs is determined independently by the school or program to which the student applies.

Applicants interested in any of the SONHS' baccalaureate programs are encouraged to speak with a representative from the SONHS' Office of Student Services (OSS) (https://www.sonhs.miami.edu/admissions-and-student-services/) and/or the UM's Office of Undergraduate Admission (http://admissions.miami.edu/undergraduate/?utm_source=Mailers&utm_medium=Print&utm_campaign=FromPrint).

**Academic Policies**

**Grades**

Students should refer to the Student Handbook (http://www.sonhs.miami.edu/academics/student-handbooks/) for more detailed information on the SONHS' policies related to grades, progression, and dismissal.

Undergraduate BSHS students must earn a C- or higher in each course for the major to progress.
When a course must be repeated, progression in the BSHS program may be altered in order for prerequisites to be met. Such alteration may lengthen the time required to complete the BSHS program.

**Grade Point Averages (GPAs)**

Students should refer to the Student Handbook (http://www.sonhs.miami.edu/academics/student-handbooks/) for more detailed information on the SONHS’ policies related to GPAs, progression, and dismissal.

**Requirements to Declare**

Current UM students who wish to switch into the BSHS program must possess a minimum 2.8 UM GPA to be considered for admission. Please note that the SONHS may have a waitlist to get into the BSHS program so meeting the minimum admission criteria for the BSHS program does not guarantee admission. Seats in the program are allocated from the waitlist to students based on a holistic review of all students on the waitlist but the following factors are strongly considered in each admission decision: (1) the availability of seats in a student's intended year of graduation, (2) the date in which a student added himself/herself to the waitlist, (3) the student's UM GPA, and (4) the feasibility of the student completing the desired degree on time. Questions about the BSHS waitlist should be directed to the academic advisors in the Office of Student Services (OSS) (https://www.sonhs.miami.edu/admissions-and-student-services/).

Incoming transfer students who plan to enter the BSHS program must possess a minimum 2.8 transfer GPA to be considered for admission.

**Requirements to Continue**

BSHS are strongly encouraged not to continue with the BSHS degree if they have less than a 2.5 UM GPA after 15 credits completed in the major.

**Requirements to Graduate**

Students enrolled in the BSHS program must complete their coursework with a minimum 2.0 UM GPA and a minimum 2.0 major GPA to graduate.

**Prerequisites and Corequisites**

Students must successfully complete all specified prerequisites with a C or higher before entering a nursing course or with a C- or higher before entering a health science or public health course. Students must also register for all required corequisites at the time of enrollment. If students enroll in a health science, nursing, or public health course without the proper prerequisite or corequisite, they may be dropped from the course at the discretion of the course instructor, Office of Student Services (OSS) (https://www.sonhs.miami.edu/admissions-and-student-services/), Associate Dean, or Dean. Students should consult an academic advisor in the Office of Student Services (OSS) (https://www.sonhs.miami.edu/admissions-and-student-services/) to discuss any questions related to course enrollment.

Note: All Health Science majors must take the anatomy and physiology lectures and labs offered through the SONHS (i.e., HCS 212/213 and HCS 215/216) as stated in their plan of study. No exceptions will be made to take other UM anatomy or physiology lectures or labs outside of the SONHS.

**Residency Requirements**

Undergraduate BSHS students must adhere to the general UM residency rules. At least half of the health science major must be taken in residence at the UM. Exceptions to the residency requirements may only be obtained through an appeal to the Undergraduate Academic Standing and Admissions Committee (UGASAC). Students should speak with an academic advisor in the Office of Student Services (OSS) (https://www.sonhs.miami.edu/admissions-and-student-services/) for more information on the residency requirements and on the UGASAC appeals process.

**Transfer Credit**

Students may transfer health science, nursing, or public health courses from other institutions to the UM with approval by the Office of Student Services (OSS) (https://www.sonhs.miami.edu/admissions-and-student-services/). Detailed course descriptions or syllabi must be presented to the Office of Student Services (OSS) (https://www.sonhs.miami.edu/admissions-and-student-services/) for transfer equivalency reviews.

**Degree Requirements**

Listed in this section are the degree requirements for the BSHS program.

The University of Miami’s General Education Requirements (GERs) consist of the Areas of Proficiency, Areas of Knowledge, and Advanced Writing and Communication Skills requirements. Through the completion of the GERs, graduates acquire essential intellectual skills and engage a range of academic disciplines. The GERs provide students with the opportunity to study methodologies and achievements in all areas of human inquiry and creative endeavor, and to cultivate abilities essential for the acquisition of knowledge. The GERs also allow students to create an integrative map for their academic careers, providing a context for more focused studies.

There are numerous ways students can create plans of study for the BSHS program. Students should feel empowered to use the information listed in the Academic Bulletin and the Student Handbook (http://www.sonhs.miami.edu/academics/student-handbooks/) to take charge of their education, pursue their own academic interests, and create their own, unique plans of study. Students should meet with an academic advisor in the Office of
Areas of Proficiency

The Areas of Proficiency requirements ensure students either possess or develop the ability to express themselves effectively, to use mathematics with facility, and to reason cogently.

English Composition

Good writing facilitates clear thinking, and clear thinking is the foundation of effective communication. The expectation is that students become adept at using the English language as an effective communication tool. Effective writing skills are representative of an educated person because they are instruments to advance ideas efficiently and persuasively.

Requirements

Students complete this requirement by completing ENG 105 and ENG 106 (Note: SAT or ACT verbal scores can be used to waive the ENG 105 requirement; credit will not be awarded for the waiver. Students who enter UM with credits for ENG 105 or ENG 106 may take ENG 208 to finish this requirement).

Outcomes

By completing the English Composition requirement, students will be able to:

1. gather information, synthesize data, compare various points of view, and present results in writing
2. develop the ability to read texts critically and to use textual evidence to support a sophisticated written argument
3. consider audience, tone, organization, and standard conventions in relationship to specific rhetorical tasks

Mathematics & Computer Science

In a world increasingly influenced by science and technology, it is important for students to acquire the capacity to use and understand essential mathematical applications. The mathematics requirement helps students learn to use quantitative methods to solve problems by emphasizing the manipulation, interpretation, and application of quantitative data.

Requirements

Students complete this requirement by completing a course in each of the following areas:

1. Calculus: MTH 141, MTH 161, or MTH 171
2. Computer Science: 1 CSC or BTE course
3. Statistics:
   a. Health Management and Policy Track: MAS 201 or other approved statistics course
   b. All other tracks: HCS 202 or other approved statistics course

Math placement criteria is established affected by the Department of Mathematics (http://www.math.miami.edu/undergraduate/aleks-math-placement/). The following items may affect students' math placement at the UM: SAT and ACT scores, ALEKS math placement scores, and AP, IB, dual enrollment, and transfer credits. Students should review the information listed on the Department of Mathematics (http://www.math.miami.edu/undergraduate/aleks-math-placement/) website and consult with an academic advisor in the Office of Student Services (OSS) (https://www.sonhs.miami.edu/admissions-and-student-services/) if they have any questions.

Outcomes

By completing the Mathematics requirement, students will be able to:

1. select quantitative tools appropriate for solving problems
2. use quantitative tools appropriate for solving problems
3. interpret quantitative data in an appropriate manner for solving problems

Areas of Knowledge (Cognates)

The Areas of Knowledge requirement is designed to help students understand and appreciate intellectual achievements in major areas of human inquiry and creative endeavor. The courses offered in the Areas of Knowledge provide a broad array of intellectual and cultural exploration. In satisfying these requirements, students examine creative expression in the arts, literature, and philosophy; study human development and behavior; and explore the mathematical, scientific, and technological world.

Students fulfill the Areas of Knowledge requirement by completing a specific "cognate" in three distinct areas: Arts & Humanities, People & Society, and Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM). Cognates are groups of "at least three related courses for at least 9 credits" focused on a specific topic. Majors and minors can be used to fulfill a cognate in its respective Area of Knowledge. Each cognate used to fulfill one of the Areas of Knowledge must have a different Responsible Academic Unit (RAU). Several cognates may include the same courses; however, one course cannot be used to complete multiple cognates. For more information on cognates, go to the "General Education Requirements" section of the Academic Bulletin or visit http://www.miami.edu/cognates/.
Arts & Humanities
Arts & Humanities cognates engage students in the study of the most enduring and influential works of art, imagination, and culture. Through study, creation, and performance, courses in this area enable students to understand the works of artists, musicians, novelists, philosophers, playwrights, poets, historians, and theologians. These courses cultivate the ability to interpret, critically evaluate, and experience the creative products of human culture and expression.

Requirements
Complete one Arts & Humanities cognate.

Outcomes
By completing the Arts & Humanities requirement, students will be able to:
1. critically evaluate and interpret the creative products of humanistic and artistic expression, applying appropriate vocabulary and concepts for their description and analysis
2. understand the creation and performance of art

People & Society
People & Society cognates help students understand and analyze the organization of society and the patterns of social change, in the past and in the contemporary world.

Requirements
Complete one People & Society cognate.

Outcomes
By completing the People & Society requirement, students will be able to:
1. analyze the organization of society
2. analyze patterns of social change

Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM)
STEM cognates develop students’ abilities to think critically about mathematical, scientific, and technological issues by understanding the processes and methods of scientific inquiry involved in experimentation, observation, and quantitative analysis. The STEM cognates nurture literacies that enable students to make informed decisions in an increasingly complex world.

Requirements
Complete one STEM cognate. The health science major may be used to fulfill this cognate area.

Outcomes
By completing the STEM requirement, students will be able to:
1. understand the use of quantitative tools, experimentation, and observation to analyze and solve mathematical, scientific, environmental, and technological problems
2. interpret quantitative data and draw useful conclusions

Major
Refer to the “Major Requirements” section below for information on the courses required for the BSHS program.

Minor
All students must complete a minor from the SONHS’ approved minors list. An approved second major from this list waives the minor requirement. See the Office of Student Services (OSS) (https://www.sonhs.miami.edu/admissions-and-student-services/) for details.

Advanced Writing and Communication Skills
The Advanced Writing and Communication Skills requirement empowers health science students to develop their communication skills, both written and verbal, enabling them to better articulate information relating to health science, nursing, and public health.

Requirements
To fulfill this requirement, students must complete five designated writing-intensive courses. Several health science requirements and/or electives may qualify as writing-intensive.

Health Science Courses that Require Formal Student Writing or Presentation
The following SONHS courses carry writing and presentation components and may count for the BSHS program:
Course | Writing Assignment | Student Presentations
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BPH 301 | Various papers | Various presentations
BPH 305 | Three reflective papers | Final student presentation
BPH 309 | Three reflective papers | Final student presentation
BPH 310 | Four reflective papers | Final student presentation
BPH 321 | Five reflective papers | Student presentations throughout class
BPH 490 | Five journal entries, final paper | Final student presentation

Outcomes
By completing the Advanced Writing and Communication Skills requirement, students will be able to:

1. effectively communicate information related to health science in both speech and in writing, using appropriate information sources, presentation formats, and technologies
2. demonstrate the necessary written and verbal communication skills to effectively carry out a career in healthcare

Plan for Assessment
Student Performance on Written Assignments and Presentations
In order to graduate from the BSHS program students must successfully pass two courses in English Composition (i.e., ENG 105 and ENG 106) as well as five writing-intensive courses with a grade greater than or equal to 70%. Grading of student written assignments and oral presentations are based on defined rubrics. These courses may be applied to the BSHS program as outlined in the major requirements. A number of elective courses in the BSHS curriculum also require students to submit significant written assignments and give oral presentations throughout the semester. Throughout the BSHS curriculum, students must demonstrate their ability to write and communicate accurately and with clarity in order to successful complete their courses.

Graduating Senior Survey (GSS) Responses for Questions Related to Written and Verbal Communication
Based on the results from the GSS, students believe their undergraduate coursework in the BSHS program significantly enhanced their written, oral, and formal presentation skills, which, in turn, allowed them to more effectively interact with various individuals and groups.

Electives
Students must earn a minimum of 120 credits to complete the BSHS degree. Students may need to take varying numbers of elective credits beyond the degree requirements listed above to reach the 120 credit threshold.

Major Requirements
Health science must be a student’s first major. There is no additional major offered in health science.

Visit the "TRACKS IN BSHS PROGRAMS" link to learn more about the major requirements for the SONHS’ BSHS programs, which are listed under the "OVERVIEW" section for each BSHS program.

Minor Requirements
There is no minor available in health science.

Classes Not Applicable Toward SONHS Degrees
The following courses do not count toward the 120 credits required of the BSHS degree: DAN 101-104, ENG 103, and MTH 099. Based on their ENG or MTH placement scores, students may need to complete ENG 103 or MTH 099 before enrolling in higher-level requirements. Even though the courses listed above cannot count toward graduation, they can count toward the 12 credits required to be considered a full-time student.

Senior Assessments
In line with the SONHS’ ongoing accreditation efforts, seniors with a major in the health science, nursing, and public health may be required to participate in general or major-specific senior assessments lasting up to several hours each. Scores on senior assessments will not affect students’ GPAs or ability to graduate, but failure to complete required assessments may delay or prevent students’ ability to graduate.

Research Experience
Students may participate in research experiences through the SONHS (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/research/) or the Office of Undergraduate Research and Community Outreach (https://ugr.miami.edu/) during their time at the UM. Students should speak with the academic advisors located in the Office of Student Services (OSS) (https://www.sonhs.miami.edu/admissions-and-student-services/) to learn more about the research opportunities available to them at the UM.
Required Coursework and Sample Plans of Study

Visit the "TRACKS IN BSHS PROGRAMS" link to learn more about the academic requirements for the SONHS' BSHS programs and to view sample graduation plans, which are listed under the "OVERVIEW" and "PLAN OF STUDY" sections, respectively, for each BSHS program.

HCS 200. Electrophysiology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is a survey of the basic principles of Public Health.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

HCS 202. Introductory Statistics in Health Care. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of descriptive and inferential statistics. Principles and methods of summarizing data including tables, graphs, percentile ranks, central tendency, variability, normal distribution. Basic concepts of probability, hypothesis testing, and analysis of variance. Examples and problems from nursing, health sciences and public health.
Corequisite: MTH 101. Or Requisite: ALEKS ≥ 55 or SAT Score ≥ 630 or ACT ≥ 28.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HCS 207. Introduction to Pharmacology. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the basic principles of therapeutic pharmacology. Special consideration of cultural beliefs and folk medicine included. Emphasis is on the understanding of the different classes of drugs and their application in various health care settings.
Prerequisites: BIL 150 and CHM 103 or 111 or 121 and HCS 212/215.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HCS 212. Human Anatomy. 3 Credit Hours.
Emphasis is on the understanding of the anatomical compartments of the human body and the ability to identify the bony skeleton, musculatures, blood vessels and internal organs of each compartment.
Prerequisite: BIL 150.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HCS 213. Human Anatomy Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory to accompany HCS 212.
Pre or Corequisite: HCS 212.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HCS 215. Principles of Systemic Physiology. 3 Credit Hours.
Emphasis is on the understanding of the Physiology and selected Pathophysiology of various organs and systems.
Prerequisite: HCS 212. And Pre or Corequisite: CHM 111 or CHM 121 or CHM 103 and CHM 113 or CHM 105.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HCS 216. Principles of Systemic Physiology Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory to accompany HCS 215
Pre or Corequisite: HCS 215.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HCS 217. Medical Terminology. 1 Credit Hour.
This course will assist the student in understanding the principles of medical word building in order to develop the extensive medical vocabulary used in health care professions. Students receive a thorough grounding in basic medical terminology through the study of root words, prefixes and suffixes. The course emphasizes correct pronunciation, spelling and use of medical terms.
Prerequisite: BIL 150.
Components: CLN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
HCS 352. Biological Principles of Public Health. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the biological basis and pathogenesis of diseases from a public health perspective and describes the impact on populations. This course also presents the basic scientific and biomedical concepts of modern public health problems and explores in depth mechanisms and models of the major categories of disease. The biologic principles presented in this course are foundations to developing and implementing public health disease prevention, control, or management programs.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HCS 355. Global Nutrition. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines nutrition related public health issues in the global setting. Nutrition related morbidity and mortality, etiologic factors, and population-focused strategies to address these issues are covered. Food relief and nutrition policies and programs at the local, national and international levels are examined. Current scientific research in international nutrition is reviewed from an epidemiological perspective.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HCS 402. Global Health Disparities Research. 3 Credit Hours.
This is a 4 week intensive educational experience that prepares students to be successful conducting supervised health disparities research as part of the MHIRT program at a foreign institution, disseminating findings, and applying to graduate school. The training program is broken into a preparation phase (3 weeks prior to leaving to their host country), and a dissemination phase (1 week after they return). Students will be working as a research assistant at a foreign site for eight weeks in between the preparation and dissemination phases of this training program. Students will learn about the influence of culture and healthcare policy on health and health disparities, research design, statistics, communicating research findings and careers in health disparities research.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HCS 461. Health Disparities Research Practicum. 1-4 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide opportunities for students across all levels of higher education to participate in health disparities research. Students will be mentored by a health disparities researcher with an active research project. Objectives will be established by the research mentor and the student according to educational level, interests and opportunities. Students will be incorporated into the research team and expected to attend project meetings. They will also be expected to participate in scholarly work that could contribute to the success of the project. Examples of scholarly work include co-authoring research papers and presentations, developing recruitment materials, assisting in compiling/developing data collection measures, or any other product deemed appropriate by the mentor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HCS 465. Public Health Statistics and Data Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to give students an opportunity to apply basic principles of statistics and data management in public health. Students will learn to use statistical techniques to answer questions relating to the morbidity and mortality of health conditions and the efficacy and effectiveness of public health interventions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HCS 487. Global Health Practicum. 3 Credit Hours.
Collaborative clinical venture between UM/SON and an International School of Nursing. Students will exchange supervised western clinical experiences, knowledge and skills for the care of clients and families in specialty areas, including MedSurg, Surgery, ICU and/or Emergency nursing units. Students will apply and synthesize basic science knowledge and skills that foster ethical, legal and culturally specific health care.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HCS 499. Selected Topics. 0-6 Credit Hours.
A selected topics course is offered as needed in order to present emerging issues or specialized topics that are not part of the regular curriculum.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BSHS - General Track

Program Overview

Overview

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The sample plan of study listed below is based on the following ENG and MTH placement information and major, minor, and cognate selections:

- **ENG placement:** ENG 105
- **MTH placement:** MTH 107
- **Major(s):** Health Science, General Track
- **Minor(s):** Chemistry
- **Cognates**
  - **Art & Humanities:** American Literature (RAU = English)
  - **People & Society:** Abnormal Psychology (RAU = Psychology)
  - **Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM):** Health Science major (RAU = Nursing & Health Studies)

### Sample Plan of Study

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Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will be able to demonstrate advanced knowledge in human anatomy.
- Students will be able to demonstrate knowledge of statistical analyses.
- Students will demonstrate knowledge related to the importance of nutrition in human health and well-being.

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**W** Course is designated as writing-intensive

**Mission**

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**Goals**

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Students will be able to demonstrate advanced knowledge in human anatomy.
- Students will be able to demonstrate knowledge of statistical analyses.
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**BSHS - Pre-Pharmacy Track**

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| Advanced Writing and Communication Skills*** | 0 |
| Electives**** | 12-11 |

**Total Credit Hours** 120

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## Advanced Writing and Communication Skills*****

* Credit Hours: 0

## Electives******

* Credit Hours: 23-7

## Total Credit Hours

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* The health science major may be used to fulfill this cognate area.

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****** The number of electives students take may vary due to differences in placement scores, transfer credits, course and cognate selections, etc.

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**This is only a sample.** There are numerous ways students can create plans of study for the Pre-Physical Therapy Track. Students should feel empowered to use the information listed in the Academic Bulletin and the Student Handbook (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/current_students/student_handbooks/) to take charge of their education, pursue their own academic interests, and create their own, unique plans of study.

The School of Nursing and Health Studies (SONHS) **recommends students create their own plan of study** that accounts for their ENG and MTH placement scores and incorporates their major, minor, and cognate interests. Once students draft their initial plan of study, they are encouraged to meet with an academic advisor in the Office of Student Services (OSS) (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/office_of_student_services/) to review their plan, address any questions or concerns, discuss areas for improvement, and brainstorm ways to integrate research experiences, study abroad opportunities, global initiatives, graduate school requirements, and career preparation experiences.

The sample plan of study listed below is based on the following ENG and MTH placement information and major, minor, and cognate selections:
- ENG placement: ENG 105
- MTH placement: MTH 107
- Major(s): Health Science, Pre-Physical Therapy Track
- Minor(s): Chemistry
- Cognates
  - Art & Humanities: American Literature (RAU = English)
  - People & Society: Foundations of Behavior for Prehealth Professions (RAU = Anthropology)
  - Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM): Health Science major (RAU = Nursing & Health Studies)

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**Nursing Accreditation**

The baccalaureate nursing program in the University of Miami’s (UM’s) School of Nursing and Health Studies (SONHS) is approved by the Florida Board of Nursing and accredited by the following:

Commission of Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE)
Academic Programs

Baccalaureate education is the primary foundation for professional nursing and is necessary for graduate study. The SONHS offers three baccalaureate options leading to the Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) degree:

1. **Accelerated BSN**: For students who hold a baccalaureate degree in a field other than nursing and who seek a one year nursing degree
2. **RN-to-BSN**: For students who possess a diploma or Associate's degree in nursing, who have successfully completed the Registered Nurse (RN) licensure exam, and who wish to finish their baccalaureate education within three to five semesters
3. **Traditional BSN**: For students who may not have any previous higher education experience and who seek a traditional four-year nursing degree

Admission

Students who possess a baccalaureate degree from a regionally-accredited institution in a field other than nursing and who wish to pursue a career in nursing may apply to the **Accelerated BSN** program. Applicants must meet specific admission criteria and complete specific clinical prerequisites (http://acceleratedbsn.sonhs.miami.edu/admissions/) before they may enter the Accelerated BSN program. Applications for the Accelerated BSN program are submitted through NursingCAS (http://www.nursingcas.org/) and are reviewed by the SONHS.

The **RN-to-BSN** program is designed to provide licensed RNs who have an Associate's degree or a nursing diploma with an opportunity to complete the remaining coursework needed to earn a BSN degree. Students interested in the RN-to-BSN program must meet specific admission criteria (http://rntobsn.sonhs.miami.edu/admissions/) and must apply through the Office of Undergraduate Admission (http://admissions.miami.edu/undergraduate/?utm_source=Mailers&utm_medium=Print&utm_campaign=FromPrint). All applications are reviewed by the SONHS.

Admission as a new freshman to the **Traditional BSN** program is handled through the Office of Undergraduate Admission (http://admissions.miami.edu/undergraduate/?utm_source=Mailers&utm_medium=Print&utm_campaign=FromPrint) and is open to applicants who meet the general requirements for admission to the UM. Students who wish to transfer into the Traditional BSN program must also meet general UM admission requirements. Additionally, students who wish to transfer directly into the clinical components of the Traditional BSN curriculum (i.e., the third year) must complete specific clinical prerequisites (http://bsn.sonhs.miami.edu/admissions/) as outlined by the SONHS. These transfer applicants will be considered for direct entry into clinical coursework as space allows. All transfer applications are handled through the Office of Undergraduate Admission (http://admissions.miami.edu/undergraduate/?utm_source=Mailers&utm_medium=Print&utm_campaign=FromPrint) and are reviewed by the SONHS. Only credits taken at regionally-accredited institutions are considered for transfer to the UM.

Applicants interested in any of the SONHS' baccalaureate programs are encouraged to speak with a representative from the SONHS' Office of Student Services (OSS) (https://www.sonhs.miami.edu/admissions-and-student-services/) and/or the UM's Office of Undergraduate Admission (http://admissions.miami.edu/undergraduate/?utm_source=Mailers&utm_medium=Print&utm_campaign=FromPrint).

Academic Policies

Technical Standards

Nursing education requires that the accumulation of scientific knowledge be accompanied by the simultaneous acquisition of skills and professional attitudes and behaviors. The nursing degrees awarded by the UM SONHS at the completion of the educational process certifies that the individual has acquired a base of knowledge and skills required for the practice of nursing at the respective undergraduate or graduate level. To this end, all courses in the curriculum must be completed successfully. In order to acquire the knowledge and skills to function in a variety of clinical situations and to render a wide spectrum of patient care, candidates for the undergraduate and graduate degrees in nursing must have abilities and skills in five areas:

1. Observation
2. Communication
3. Motor
4. Conceptual-Integrative
5. Behavioral-Social

Technological compensation can be made for some disabilities in certain of these areas, but a candidate should be able to perform in a reasonably independent manner and exercise independent judgment. Reasonable accommodations will be considered on a case by case basis for individuals who meet eligibility under applicable statutes. Any person expecting to need accommodations should request them prior to beginning the program, as some accommodations may not be considered reasonable and may impact an applicant's ability to complete all components of the program.

Observation

The candidate must be able to observe demonstrations and participate in didactic courses and simulated learning opportunities. A candidate must be able to observe a patient accurately at a distance and close at hand. Observation requires the use of common sense, as well as the functional use of the senses of vision, audition, olfaction, and palpation.
Communication
Candidates must communicate effectively using English in clinical and classroom settings. A candidate must be able to elicit information from patients, describe changes in mood, activity and posture, and perceive nonverbal communications. A candidate must be able to communicate effectively and sensitively with patients. Communication includes not only speech, but reading and writing. The candidate must be able to communicate effectively and efficiently with all members of the health care team in both immediate and recorded modes.

Motor
Candidates should have sufficient motor function to elicit information from patients by palpation, auscultation, percussion and other assessment techniques. A candidate should be able to perform nursing skills requiring the use of gross and fine motor skills (e.g. IV insertion, venous blood draw, urinary catheter insertion). A candidate should be able to execute motor movements reasonably required to provide nursing care and emergency response to patients. Examples of emergency responses reasonably required of nurses are cardiopulmonary resuscitation, medication administration, and application of pressure to stop bleeding. Candidates must perform actions which require the use of both gross and fine muscular movements, equilibrium, and functional use of the senses of touch and vision. Candidates should also be able to assist and/or participate in various lifting activities.

Conceptual-Integrative
These abilities include measurement, calculation, reasoning, analysis, synthesis, and retention of complex information. Critical thinking requires all of these intellectual abilities in order to provide optimal nursing care. In addition, the candidate should be able to comprehend three-dimensional relationships and to understand the spatial relationships of structures.

Behavioral-Social
Candidates must possess the emotional health required for the full use of their intellectual abilities, the exercise of good judgment, the prompt completion of all responsibilities attendant to the care of patients, and the development of mature, sensitive and effective relationships with patients. Candidates must be able to tolerate physically taxing workloads and to function effectively under stress in the classroom and clinical area. They must be able to adapt to changing environments, display flexibility and learn to function in the face of uncertainties inherent in the clinical environment. Compassion, integrity, concern for others, interpersonal skills, interest and motivation are all personal qualities that are assessed during the admissions and educational process.

Clinical Clearance
Before students can enter the clinical components of the undergraduate nursing curriculum, they must successfully complete a drug test and a background check. Students must have a background report without any infractions, regardless of how they were resolved or adjudicated. Accordingly, if a student's background report contains any infractions, regardless of how they were resolved or adjudicated, he/she may not be able to successfully complete the background check and he/she will be withdrawn from the nursing program.

Students must also provide current immunizations as outlined by the SONHS and obtain a Basic Life Support (BLS) for Healthcare Providers certification from the American Heart Association prior to entry into clinical coursework. The BLS certification must include content on Automated External Defibrillators (AEDs).

Refer to the Student Handbook (http://www.sonhs.miami.edu/academics/student-handbooks/) or speak with a representative in the OSS (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/office_of_student_services/) for more information.

Grades
Students should refer to the Student Handbook (http://www.sonhs.miami.edu/academics/student-handbooks/) for more detailed information on the SONHS' policies related to grades, progression, and dismissal.

Undergraduate nursing students must earn a C or higher in each clinical prerequisite and each nursing course to progress. A C- or below is considered a failure in a clinical prerequisite or a nursing course. Students are allowed to repeat only one failed clinical prerequisite and one failed nursing course. A student who fails only one clinical prerequisite and/or one nursing course, retakes the failed clinical prerequisite and/or failed nursing course, and receives a passing grade on the second attempt at a failed clinical prerequisite and/or a failed nursing course may progress through the program but the original failure is still counted as a failed course. Failure of two clinical prerequisites or two nursing courses with a grade of C- or below, or failure of the same clinical prerequisite or the same nursing course twice with a grade of C- or below, constitutes failure of two clinical prerequisites or two nursing courses, respectively, and the student will be dismissed from the nursing program.

When a nursing course must be repeated, progression in the nursing program will be altered in order for prerequisites to be met. Such alteration will lengthen the time required to complete the BSN program.

Students who repeat a clinical nursing course must repeat both the theoretical and clinical components of the course. Students are required to fulfill the course requirements in effect at the time of enrollment. No special courses will be created for students who repeat a course.

Withdraw Policy
All BSN students may not withdraw from more than two nursing courses during the length of the nursing program and cannot withdraw from the same nursing course twice. Students must adhere to the withdraw dates set by the University in the Academic Calendar.
Grade Point Averages (GPAs)

Students should refer to the Student Handbook (http://www.sonhs.miami.edu/academics/student-handbooks/) for more detailed information on the SONHS' policies related to GPAs, progression, and dismissal.

Requirements to Declare

Current UM students who wish to switch into the Traditional BSN program must possess a minimum 3.0 UM GPA and a minimum 2.75 clinical prerequisite GPA to be considered. Please note that the SONHS may have a waitlist to get into the Traditional BSN program so meeting the minimum admission criteria for the Traditional BSN program does not guarantee admission. Seats in the program are allocated from the waitlist to students based on a holistic review of all students on the waitlist but the following factors are strongly considered in each admission decision: (1) the availability of seats in a student’s intended year of graduation, (2) the date in which a student added himself/herself to the waitlist, (3) the student’s UM GPA, and (4) the feasibility of the student completing the desired degree on time. Questions about the Traditional BSN waitlist should be directed to the academic advisors in the OSS.

Incoming transfer students who plan to enter the Traditional BSN degree must possess a minimum 3.5 transfer GPA and a minimum 3.3 clinical prerequisite GPA to be considered for admission.

Requirements to Continue

Students who are enrolled in the Traditional BSN program and who are not yet enrolled in their clinical coursework (i.e., third or fourth year) are strongly encouraged not to continue with the nursing major if they have less than a 2.5 UM GPA and/or less than a 2.5 clinical prerequisite GPA after 15 credits in the clinical prerequisites and/or second year nursing courses.

Requirements to Progress into Clinical Coursework

Students who enter the Accelerated BSN program enter directly into clinical coursework. These students must possess a minimum 3.0 transfer GPA and a minimum 3.0 clinical prerequisite GPA to be considered for admission.

Current UM students enrolled in the Traditional BSN program must possess a minimum 3.0 UM GPA and a minimum 2.75 clinical prerequisite GPA to progress into their clinical coursework (i.e., third year). Students must also have completed a minimum of 60-63 total credits to be eligible to progress (Note: Only 57 credits are slated in the prescribed Plan of Study for students' clinical years. If students only have 60-62 completed credits at the time of progression, they will be required to complete additional elective credits during their last two years to reach the 120 credit requirement for the degree.).

Incoming transfer students who apply to transfer directly into the clinical components of the Traditional BSN degree (i.e., the third year) must possess a minimum 3.5 transfer GPA and a minimum 3.3 clinical prerequisite GPA to be considered for admission.

Requirements to Graduate

Students enrolled in the Accelerated BSN, RN-to-BSN, and Traditional BSN programs must complete their coursework with a minimum 2.0 UM GPA and a minimum 2.0 major GPA to graduate.

Prerequisites and Corequisites

Students must successfully complete all specified prerequisites with a C or higher before entering a nursing course or with a C- or higher before entering a health science or public health course. Students must also register for all required corequisites at the time of enrollment. If students enroll in a health science, nursing, or public health course without the proper prerequisite or corequisite, they may be dropped from the course at the discretion of the course instructor, OSS, Associate Dean, or Dean. Students should consult an academic advisor in the OSS (http://oss.sonhs.miami.edu/) to discuss any questions related to course enrollment.

Note: All Traditional BSN majors must take the anatomy and physiology lectures and labs offered through the SONHS (i.e., HCS 212/213 and HCS 215/216) as stated in their plan of study. No exceptions will be made to take other UM anatomy or physiology lectures or labs outside of the SONHS.

Residency Requirements

Undergraduate nursing students must adhere to the general UM residency rules. Once a student enrolls at the UM, all remaining clinical prerequisites must be completed at the UM unless special permission is obtained through an appeal to the Undergraduate Academic Standing and Admissions Committee (UGASAC). Additionally, all courses in the nursing major must be completed at the UM. Students should speak with an academic advisor in the OSS (https://www.sonhs.miami.edu/admissions-and-student-services/) for more information on the residency requirements and on the UGASAC appeals process.

Transfer Credit

Students may transfer health science, nursing, or public health courses from other institutions to the UM with approval by the OSS (https://www.sonhs.miami.edu/admissions-and-student-services/). Detailed course descriptions or syllabi must be be presented to the OSS (https://www.sonhs.miami.edu/admissions-and-student-services/) for transfer equivalency reviews.
Degree Requirements

Listed in this section are the degree requirements for the Traditional BSN program. The Accelerated BSN and RN-to-BSN requirements are listed under the "OVERVIEW" section of the "TRACKS IN BSN PROGRAMS" link for each of the respective programs.

The University of Miami's General Education Requirements (GERs) consist of the Areas of Proficiency, Areas of Knowledge, and Advanced Writing and Communication Skills requirements. Through the completion of the GERs, graduates acquire essential intellectual skills and engage a range of academic disciplines. The GERs provide students with the opportunity to study methodologies and achievements in all areas of human inquiry and creative endeavor, and to cultivate abilities essential for the acquisition of knowledge. The GERs also allow students to create an integrative map for their academic careers, providing a context for more focused studies.

All Areas of Proficiency, Areas of Knowledge, clinical prerequisites, and electives, except for the nursing major elective, must be completed prior to the clinical components of the Traditional BSN program (i.e., the third year). Students should meet with an academic advisor in the OSS (https://www.sonhs.miami.edu/admissions-and-student-services/) to discuss any questions related to degree, clinical prerequisite, or major requirements.

Areas of Proficiency

The Areas of Proficiency requirements ensure students either possess or develop the ability to express themselves effectively, to use mathematics with facility, and to reason cogently.

English Composition

Good writing facilitates clear thinking, and clear thinking is the foundation of effective communication. The expectation is that students become adept at using the English language as an effective communication tool. Effective writing skills are representative of an educated person because they are instruments to advance ideas efficiently and persuasively.

Requirements

Students complete this requirement by completing ENG 105 and ENG 106 (Note: SAT or ACT verbal scores can be used to waive the ENG 105 requirement; credit will not be awarded for the waiver. Students who enter UM with credits for ENG 105 or ENG 106 may take ENG 208 to finish this requirement).

Outcomes

By completing the English Composition requirement, students will be able to:

1. gather information, synthesize data, compare various points of view, and present results in writing
2. develop the ability to read texts critically and to use textual evidence to support a sophisticated written argument
3. consider audience, tone, organization, and standard conventions in relationship to specific rhetorical tasks

Mathematics

In a world increasingly influenced by science and technology, it is important for students to acquire the capacity to use and understand essential mathematical applications. The mathematics requirement helps students learn to use quantitative methods to solve problems by emphasizing the manipulation, interpretation, and application of quantitative data.

Requirements

Students complete this requirement by completing NUR 202.

Math placement criteria is established affected by the Department of Mathematics (http://www.math.miami.edu/undergraduate/aleks-math-placement/). The following items may affect students' math placement at the UM: SAT and ACT scores, ALEKS math placement scores, and AP, IB, dual enrollment, and transfer credits. Students should review the information listed on the Department of Mathematics (http://www.math.miami.edu/undergraduate/aleks-math-placement/) website and consult with an academic advisor in the OSS (https://www.sonhs.miami.edu/admissions-and-student-services/) if they have any questions.

Outcomes

By completing the Mathematics requirement, students will be able to:

1. select quantitative tools appropriate for solving problems
2. use quantitative tools appropriate for solving problems
3. interpret quantitative data in an appropriate manner for solving problems

Areas of Knowledge (Cognates)

The Areas of Knowledge requirement is designed to help students understand and appreciate intellectual achievements in major areas of human inquiry and creative endeavor. The courses offered in the Areas of Knowledge provide a broad array of intellectual and cultural exploration. In satisfying these requirements, students examine creative expression in the arts, literature, and philosophy; study human development and behavior; and explore the mathematical, scientific, and technological world.

Students fulfill the Areas of Knowledge requirement by completing a specific "cognate" in three distinct areas: Arts & Humanities, People & Society, and Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM). Cognates are groups of "at least three related courses for at least 9 credits" focused on a specific topic. Majors and minors can be used to fulfill a cognate in its respective Area of Knowledge. Each cognate used to fulfill one of the Areas of
Knowledge must have a different Responsible Academic Unit (RAU). Several cognates may include the same courses; however, one course cannot be used to complete multiple cognates. For more information on cognates, go to the "General Education Requirements" section of the Academic Bulletin or visit http://www.miami.edu/cognates/.

**Arts & Humanities**
Arts & Humanities cognates engage students in the study of the most enduring and influential works of art, imagination, and culture. Through study, creation, and performance, courses in this area enable students to understand the works of artists, musicians, novelists, philosophers, playwrights, poets, historians, and theologians. These courses cultivate the ability to interpret, critically evaluate, and experience the creative products of human culture and expression.

**Requirements**
Complete one Arts & Humanities cognate.

**Outcomes**
By completing the Arts & Humanities requirement, students will be able to:

1. critically evaluate and interpret the creative products of humanistic and artistic expression, applying appropriate vocabulary and concepts for their description and analysis
2. understand the creation and performance of art

**People & Society**
People & Society cognates help students understand and analyze the organization of society and the patterns of social change, in the past and in the contemporary world.

**Requirements**
Complete one People & Society cognate.

**Outcomes**
By completing the People & Society requirement, students will be able to:

1. analyze the organization of society
2. analyze patterns of social change

**Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM)**
STEM cognates develop students' abilities to think critically about mathematical, scientific, and technological issues by understanding the processes and methods of scientific inquiry involved in experimentation, observation, and quantitative analysis. The STEM cognates nurture literacies that enable students to make informed decisions in an increasingly complex world.

**Requirements**
Complete one STEM cognate. The nursing major may be used to fulfill this cognate area.

**Outcomes**
By completing the STEM requirement, students will be able to:

1. understand the use of quantitative tools, experimentation, and observation to analyze and solve mathematical, scientific, environmental, and technological problems
2. interpret quantitative data and draw useful conclusions

**Clinical Prerequisites**
Refer to the "Clinical Prerequisite Requirements" section below for information on the clinical prerequisites required for the Traditional BSN program.

**Major**
Refer to the "Major Requirements" section below for information on the courses required for the Traditional BSN nursing major.

**Advanced Writing and Communication Skills**
The Advanced Writing and Communication Skills requirement empowers nursing students to develop their communication skills, both written and verbal, enabling them to better articulate information relating to health science, nursing, and public health. Several designated writing-intensive courses are built into the nursing major to satisfy this requirement.

**Required Communication domains**
Students must communicate effectively using English in clinical and classroom settings. A student must be able to elicit information from patients, describe changes in mood, activity, and posture, and perceive nonverbal communications. A student must be able to communicate effectively and sensitively with patients. Communication includes not only speech, but reading and writing. Students must be able to communicate effectively and efficiently with all members of the healthcare team in both immediate and recorded modes. Throughout the curriculum students are expected to achieve skills in the following communication domains:
Therapeutic Communication
Therapeutic communication between the nurse and patient is a cornerstone of effective nursing care. This communication style is goal-oriented and focused on learning and promoting growth.

Example content: principles of therapeutic use of self; therapeutic communication techniques; health education/teaching; reflective journals

Technical Communication
Technical communication encompasses the specific methods used by the nursing profession to communicate information necessary for nursing practice.

Example content: use of clinical information systems (e.g., electronic health record, physician order entry); application of standardized health care terminology; use of data and data systems

Inter- and Intra-Professional Communication
Effective communication among all members of the healthcare team is essential for delivering high quality, safe patient care.

Example content: teamwork/cooperative learning; scopes of practice; conflict resolution; group dynamics and evaluation

Scholarly Written Communication
Scholarly writing is a formal means of communication in which the writer communicates synthesized knowledge about a topic while also demonstrating original thought and unique perspectives.

Example content: scholarly papers; research critiques; application of APA publication style

Scholarly Verbal Communication
Scholarly verbal communication is a formal way of speaking with the intended audience to provide and/or elicit information in a systematic manner. Primary methods of scholarly verbal communication involve verbal presentations/lectures and formal data gathering processes such as interviews.

Example content: scholarly presentations; key informant interviews

Minimal writing proficiency standards
Writing proficiency is evaluated throughout the BSN plan of study. Three primary categories of writing are required:

1. scholarly papers (NUR 400/NUR 401, NUR 440, and NUR 453)
2. patient care documentation (NUR 304, NUR 308, NUR 318, NUR 320, NUR 411, NUR 448, and NUR 453)
3. reflective journals (NUR 306 and NUR 453)

Each writing component is evaluated as part of the grading rubric for the associated course. Feedback and revisions are required.

Plan for assessment
Content to meet the required communication domains and minimal writing proficiency standards is provided across the curriculum. The table below outlines the specific communication domains covered in each course as well as the assessment/outcome criteria used to measure them. In addition to demonstrating skills across the five required communication domains, students must complete ENG 105 and ENG 106 or their equivalents to provide the foundation for the development of more advanced writing and communication skills.

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Electives
Students must earn a minimum of 120 credits to complete the Traditional BSN degree. Students may need to take varying numbers of elective credits beyond the degree requirements listed above to reach the 120 credit threshold.

Clinical Prerequisite Requirements
Accelerated BSN
All clinical prerequisites must be completed prior to matriculation into the Accelerated BSN program and within the last 10 years. The clinical prerequisites include:

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RN-to-BSN
Students must meet specific admission criteria (http://rntobsn.sonhs.miami.edu/admissions/) to be considered for the RN-to-BSN program. If admitted, any required coursework must be completed prior to matriculation.

Traditional BSN
All clinical prerequisites must be completed prior to the clinical components of the Traditional BSN program (i.e., the third year) and within the last 10 years. The clinical requirements include:

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Students can transfer equivalent clinical prerequisites to the UM as long as they comply with the general UM and the SONHS residency rules (see “Residency Requirements” section above). Students must provide the documentation listed in the "Transfer Credit" section above to the OSS (http://oss.sonhs.miami.edu/) for any health science, nursing, or public health transfer equivalency requests. For transfer equivalency reviews of any other clinical prerequisites, students must present any necessary documentation to the respective academic unit for their consideration.

Major Requirements
Nursing must be a student’s first major. There is no additional major offered in nursing.

Visit the "TRACKS IN BSN PROGRAMS" link to learn more about the major requirements for the SONHS’ BSN programs, which are listed under the "OVERVIEW" section for each BSN program.
Minor Requirements

BSN students are not required to complete a minor.

There is no minor available in nursing.

Classes Not Applicable Toward SONHS Degrees

The following courses do not count toward the 120 credits required of the BSN degree: DAN 101-104, ENG 103, and MTH 099. Based on their ENG or MTH placement scores, students may need to complete ENG 103 or MTH 099 before enrolling in higher-level requirements. Even though the courses listed above cannot count toward graduation, they can count toward the 12 credits required to be considered a full-time student.

Pre-immersion Course

Prior to enrollment in clinical nursing courses, students must complete a mandatory online pre-immersion course. The pre-immersion course is listed in students’ first term of clinical enrollment but it does not affect students’ GPAs. Failure to complete the pre-immersion course may delay entry into the clinical nursing courses. Information about the pre-immersion course will be provided to eligible students by the OSS.

Senior Assessments

In line with the SONHS’ ongoing accreditation efforts, seniors with a major in the health science, nursing, and public health may be required to participate in general or major-specific senior assessments lasting up to several hours each. Scores on senior assessments will not affect students’ GPAs or ability to graduate, but failure to complete required assessments may delay or prevent students’ ability to graduate.

HESI Exams

Mandatory HESI exams are required throughout the undergraduate nursing programs. For further details, refer to the Student Handbook (http://www.sonhs.miami.edu/academics/student-handbooks/).

RN Licensure Exam (NCLEX-RN)

Students who successfully complete the Accelerated BSN or Traditional BSN program at the SONHS are eligible to sit for the RN licensure exam referred to as the NCLEX-RN. For additional eligibility requirements, refer to the appropriate state board of nursing website.

Research Experience

Students may participate in research experiences through the SONHS (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/research/) or the Office of Undergraduate Research and Community Outreach (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/undergraduate_research_and_community_outreach/) during their time at the UM. Students should speak with the academic advisors located in the OSS (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/office_of_student_services/) to learn more about the research opportunities available to them at the UM.

Required Coursework and Sample Plans of Study

Visit the "TRACKS IN BSN PROGRAMS" link to learn more about the academic requirements for the SONHS’ BSN programs and to view sample graduation plans, which are listed under the "OVERVIEW" and "PLAN OF STUDY" sections, respectively, for each BSN program.

NUR 100. Introduction to Nursing. 3 Credit Hours.
This is an introductory course to explore the various roles and responsibilities of the professional nurse in American health care. Major issues within health care today will be discussed and the impact they have on professional nursing will be explored.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 200. Process of Health Promotion. 3 Credit Hours.
Healthcare: A process of health promotion, maintenance, rehabilitation, and preventative medicine.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

NUR 202. Introductory Statistics in Health Care. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of descriptive and inferential statistics. Principles and methods of summarizing data including tables, graphs, percentile ranks, central tendency, variability, normal distribution. Basic concepts of probability, hypothesis testing, and analysis of variance. Examples and problems from nursing and health sciences.
Corequisite: MTH 101. Or Requisite: ALEKS > or = 55 or SAT Score > or = 630 or ACT > or = 28.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
NUR 205. Personal Nutrition. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of nutrition integrated with cultural dietary patterns across the lifespan. Not for nursing majors or minors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 207. Introduction to Pharmacology. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the basic principles of therapeutic pharmacology. Special consideration of cultural beliefs and folk medicine included. Emphasis is on the understanding of the different classes of drugs and their application in various health care settings.
Prerequisites: BIL 150 and CHM 103 or 111 or 121 and HCS 212/215.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 300. Seminar in Inter-Professional Health Care. 1 Credit Hour.
This course will introduce the core competencies of inter professional collaborative practice using guidelines from the Institute of Medicine, Quality and Safety Education for Nurses and the Inter professional Education Consortium. Concepts of team based care will be discussed. The course will offer online activities as well as face-to-face team based activities with other healthcare professionals.
Requisite: Nursing Major and Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

NUR 301. Human Sexuality and Vulnerable Populations. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of human sexuality via multidisciplinary theoretical perspectives and research. Students will examine the complex relationships of the physiological, psychological, cultural, gender, religious, historical, and political aspects of human sexuality. Human sexuality in the context of health disparities will form the foundation for the course. WRITING COURSE
Prerequisite: BPH 206 or Requisite: Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 303. HIV/AIDS and Health Maintenance for Health Care Providers. 3 Credit Hours.
Definition, diagnosis, management, and care of diverse patient populations with HIV infection and AIDS. Course is presented and discussed from an interdisciplinary health care perspective.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 304. Adult Health I: Fundamentals of Nursing Practice. 6 Credit Hours.
This clinical course emphasizes the supervised application of health assessment skills, nursing process, and clinical nursing techniques in the clinical laboratory, community, and acute care settings.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NUR 305. Issues in Health Disparities. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will be an introduction to the general research on health systems and health disparities. Emphasis will be placed on social, biological, economic and social policy issues that impact on the health of minority populations. Concepts associated with epidemiology, poverty, racism, public policy and international politics will be explored. WRITING COURSE
Prerequisite: BPH 206 or Requisite: Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NUR 306. Principles of Nutrition. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of nutrition integrated with cultural dietary patterns for client adaptation across the lifespan.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
NUR 307. Pharmacology. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the basic principles of therapeutic pharmacology. Special consideration of cultural beliefs and folk medicine included.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NUR 308. Adult Health II. 7 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the nursing management of the client throughout the adult life cycle who experiences alterations and/or adaptations in physiologic defense mechanisms. Teaching strategies to be utilized include lecture, discussion, critical thinking exercises.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NUR 310. Global Health. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the concepts of global health and the critical links between public health and social and economic development. Determinants of health and patterns of disease and health outcomes across the globe are critically examined. The course reviews the determinants of health status in terms of biology, demography, epidemiology, culture, sociology, economics, and politics. Key concerns regarding reproductive health, child survival, nutrition, communicable diseases, and chronic diseases are examined. Health care delivery in developed vs. undeveloped regions of the world are emphasized.
Prerequisite: BPH 206.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 311. Theories and Concepts of Nursing. 2 Credit Hours.
An introductory nursing course explaining the philosophy of baccalaureate nursing using the major concepts of person, environment, health, and nursing with a multicultural focus.
Requisite: Nursing Major and Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 314. Health Assessment and Promotion. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to health assessment using a lifespan approach. Emphasis is on the development of data collection and basic decision-making using health assessment findings.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NUR 315. Pathophysiology. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of the physiologic and biologic manifestations of disease and disease processes. Emphasis is placed on physiology of altered health within the context of disruptions of structure and function of the human body as a whole.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NUR 317. Theories in Growth and Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of growth and development theories through the lifespan with a case study approach to issues commonly encountered nursing practice in a variety of clinical settings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

NUR 318. Women's Health Nursing. 4 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the use of the nursing process in the care of women and the care of mothers and newborns with an emphasis on health promotion, illness prevention and nursing clinical management of chronic and acute conditions.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
NUR 319. Contemporary Issues in Bioethics for Health Care. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will cover bioethical issues in the health care environment, including ethical principles, theories and decision making strategies. WRITING COURSE
Prerequisite: BPH 206.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 320. Child and Adolescent Health Nursing. 4 Credit Hours.
This course focuses in the use of the nursing process to develop and implement nursing management strategies for children and their families experiencing acute, chronic, and critical multi-system health alterations within a multicultural content. Use of the nursing process to expand and develop appropriate clinical interventions and a member of the health care team. Students will build on foundation skills in critical thinking, collaboration, and leadership in the provision of nursing care.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 350. Pathophysiology/Pharmacology for RN-to-BSN. 4 Credit Hours.
This course presents the study of the physiological and biologic manifestations of disease and disease processes, and introduces the basic principles of therapeutic pharmacology. Emphasis is placed on the physiology of altered health within the context of disruptions of structure and function of the human body as a whole. Special consideration of cultural beliefs and folk medicine is included.
Requisite: Must be in the RN to BSN program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 390. Advanced Placement Practice I for RN-to-BSN Students. 10 Credit Hours.
Nursing Management of the client throughout adulthood who experiences alterations and/or adaptations/maladaptations in physiologic defense mechanisms; complex alteration and/or adaptations in organ system function. The client in this course is identified as the individual, family or significant others. Course content emphasizes concepts of infection, the surgical client, immunity and altered cell growth, utilizing the nursing theories and the nursing process. Assists adult clients to adjust to multisystem alterations/adaptations/maladaptations in the endocrine, cardiovascular, respiratory, immunological and hemopoietic, nervous, musculoskeletal, digestive, and renal urinary systems. Specific models are utilized to enhance the teaching of critical thinking. Research findings are utilized to support nursing interventions.
Requisite: Must be in the RN to BSN program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 400. Theories, Research and Evidence-Based Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
Course emphasis is placed on developing an understanding of the research process and application of research findings in community-based practice in multicultural settings. Course focuses on the relationship between theory, research, practice, and the development of competencies to become an informed consumer of research. Writing Credit.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 401. Evidence-Based Nursing Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines evidence-based practice in nursing. Focuses on the research process; location, critical appraisal, and evaluation of evidence; application and evaluation of evidence-based practice changes; and quality improvement.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.
NUR 402. Global Health Disparities Research. 3 Credit Hours.
This is a 4 week intensive educational experience that prepares students to be successful conducting supervised health disparities research as part of the MHIRT program at a foreign institution, disseminating findings, and applying to graduate school. The training program is broken into a preparation phase (3 weeks prior to leaving to their host country), and a dissemination phase (1 week after they return). Students will be working as a research assistant at a foreign site for eight weeks in between the preparation and dissemination phases of this training program. Students will learn about the influence of culture and healthcare policy on health and health disparities, research design, statistics, communicating research findings and careers in health disparities research.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 403. Advanced Placement Practice II for RN-to-BSN Students. 10 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the nursing process in the care of pediatric clients and families, the obstetrical client, and women's health. Emphasis is on the use of the nursing process to assist clients to adapt to health alterations requiring care in secondary health care settings. This course covers care of the pediatric client and the childbearing client and women's health.
Requisite: Must be in the RN to BSN program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 405. Professionalism and Career Pathways. 3 Credit Hours.
This nursing course focuses on the assessment and development of a career pathway for registered nurses seeking a Bachelor's in the Science of Nursing professional nursing practice. There will be a focus on concepts of professionalism, roles in nursing, advanced practice, diversity, culture and a critical analysis of legal, ethical and political dimensions of nursing practice.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 406. Current Issues in Healthcare. 3 Credit Hours.
The focus of this course is to explore and understand current and emerging healthcare issues as well as discuss how nurses as members of interprofessional healthcare teams contribute to positive patient outcomes. Students will integrate their professional nursing practice experiences to enrich discussions of current and emerging healthcare issues.
Prerequisite: NUR 311. And NUR 314. And NUR 350. And NUR 400.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 408. Genetics and Healthcare. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of basic knowledge in genomics, understanding of social, cultural and psychological implications of genetic services, health prevention and promotion.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

NUR 411. Adult Health Ill. 5 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the adult experiencing complex multisystem alteration/adaptations in organ and system function. Emphasis is on the use of the nursing process to assist adult clients to adapt to system related insults.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
NUR 412. Epidemiology for Population-Based Care. 2 Credit Hours.
During this course students will examine the principles of epidemiology including, the historical evolution of epidemiology, the natural history of disease, epidemiologic models, and epidemiologic research. Health and disease is conceptualized as a complex interaction between individual relationships, community and socio-economic-politico level factors with unique considerations for target populations across the lifespan. The process of disease surveillance is discussed including trends in communicable and non-communicable disease as well as the measures of morbidity (e.g., incidence and prevalence) and mortality. Factors, or determinants of health, that contribute to distribution of disease in populations are discussed. The effect of health care policy and health economics on disease distribution is considered. How the interaction of the determinants of health, health care policy, and health economics contribute to health disparities is also examined. Disease surveillance and health promotion are examined from a global perspective. The impact of the environment on health is also discussed. Finally, introductory disaster management concepts are reviewed as they relate to the care of populations affected by disasters.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

NUR 414. Advanced Placement Practice III for RN-to-BSN Students. 10 Credit Hours.
Content emphasizes concepts and themes of families and communities and the use of the nursing process to assist in promoting and maintaining health. The behavioral health focusses on psychotherapeutic processes across the life span Emphasis is on planning nursing care for individuals, families and groups and p rofessional and therapeutic communication skills and techniques. Explores the influence of neuro-physiology and psychopharmacology on the development of psychiatric and mental health services and the evolution of the role of the psychiatric nurse.
Requisite: Must be in the RN to BSN program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 415. Perianesthesia Nursing. 3 Credit Hours.
The focus of this course is on the use of the nursing process to develop and implement nursing management strategies for patients and families undergoing a surgical and/or special procedure. Emphasis is placed on the use of a multicultural nursing perspective to plan and implement nursing interventions. This course highlights Perianesthesia nursing care of surgical patients.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 417. Pre-Immersion Course for Accelerated Option Students. 0 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to facilitate personal and professional success; this course introduces students to the purposes and processes of nursing. An emphasis is placed on study, communication, and critical thinking skills that support academic achievement. Students also examine the relationship between learning and motivation.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: DIL.
Grading: NON.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

NUR 418. Pre-Immersion for Traditional Option Students. 0 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to facilitate personal and professional success; this course introduces students to the purposes and processes of nursing. An emphasis is placed on study, communication, and critical thinking skills that support academic achievement. Students also examine the relationship between learning and motivation.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: NON.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 424. Math Essentials for BSN Students. 0 Credit Hours.
This course supports students with basic to advanced medical math concepts. Topics include calculating dosages, using scientific formulas and basic statistical principles.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
NUR 426. Leadership and Management in Nursing. 5 Credit Hours.
Analysis and synthesis of the application of professional concepts in a variety of multicultural health care delivery systems. Emphasis is placed on personal, professional, and organizational growth. Individualized and integrated clinical experiences are provided through direct clinical supervision by preceptors.
Requisite: Must be in the RN to BSN program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NUR 430. Leadership in Nursing. 3 Credit Hours.
Theoretical and applied concepts of transition to the nursing role within the healthcare setting are explored in this course. The focus is on practice issues and responsibilities in contemporary professional nursing practice. Emphasis is placed on the transition to practice and nursing care systems with increasing responsibility through discussion of practice theory and styles, empowering, mentoring, managing change and striving for excellence. Seminar discussion topics will focus on the issues of successful transition to the practice environment as new nurse.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

NUR 435. Clinical Express Undgr. 0-5 Credit Hours.
This course is an online orientation for clinical faculty at the School of Nursing and Health Studies. The content is specific to clinical instructors who will be supervising BSN nursing students at various clinical sites used by the School of Nursing and Health Studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NUR 440. Population Focused Nursing. 4 Credit Hours.
The focus is on population-focused nursing and community-oriented approaches to understanding and addressing major public health concerns across the life span. Emphasis is on assessing, planning, implementing and evaluating programs for a variety of communities both domestically and internationally. Health and disease is conceptualized as a complex interaction between individual, relationship, community and socio-economic-politic level factors. Epidemiology, sociology, behavioral sciences and nursing theory and practice are integrated throughout. Special attention is given to addressing the unique needs of vulnerable populations and cultural groups, the elimination of health disparities, and social justice.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 441. Public Health Nursing. 2 Credit Hours.
The focus of this course is on public health nursing and community-oriented approaches to addressing major public health concerns across the life span. Emphasis is on assessing, planning, implementing and evaluating programs for a variety of communities both domestically and internationally. Health and disease is conceptualized as a complex interaction between individual, relationship, community and socio-economic-politic level factors. Epidemiology, sociology, behavioral sciences and nursing theory and practice are integrated throughout. Special attention is given to addressing the unique needs of vulnerable populations and cultural groups, the elimination of health disparities, and social justice considering the population aggregate's determinants of health. Finally, the varying roles of the public health nurse are examined, including that of the public health nurse in disaster response.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

NUR 448. Psychiatric Mental Health Nursing. 4 Credit Hours.
The focus is on psychotherapeutic processes across the life span. Emphasis is on planning nursing care for individuals, families, and communities with a variety of psychiatric and mental health problems in various settings (inpatient, outpatient, community). Professional and therapeutic communication skills and techniques are important components of this course.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
NUR 453. Role Transition. 5 Credit Hours.
Theoretical and applied concepts of transition to the nursing role within the healthcare setting are integrated in this course. The course is a synthesis of previously learned knowledge, incorporating the components of physiological, psychological, and developmental concerns in the care of the client. Seminar discussion topics have a focus on the issues of successful transition to the practice environment as a nurse generalist, with the ability to exercise clinical reasoning and evidence-based practice.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

NUR 461. Health Disparities Research Practicum. 1-4 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide opportunities for students across all levels of higher education to participate in health disparities research. Students will be mentored by a health disparities researcher with an active research project. Objectives will be established by the research mentor and the student according to educational level, interests and opportunities. Students will be incorporated into the research team and expected to attend project meetings. They will also be expected to participate in scholarly work that could contribute to the success of the project. Examples of scholarly work include co-authoring research papers and presentations, developing recruitment materials, assisting in compiling/developing data collection measures, or any other product deemed appropriate by the mentor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 485. Global Health: Transcultural Nursing. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will use a hybrid model that includes an immersive experience in an international setting followed by online activities and face to face meetings. The University of Miami, School of Nursing and Health Studies will provide transcultural nursing experiences under different international healthcare systems. NUR 487 is designed to offer students the opportunity to develop an understanding of healthcare systems and care delivery models outside of the U.S. Academic and supervised clinical interactions will allow students to have a cultural clinical nursing experience. This course will allow students to apply and synthesize basic science knowledge and skills that foster ethical, legal and culture specific health care.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 487. International Health: Transcultural Nursing. 3 Credit Hours.
Collaborative clinical venture between the University of Miami, School of Nursing and an International School of Nursing. Students will exchange supervised western clinical experiences, knowledge and skills for the care of clients and families in specialty areas including Medical-Surgical, Surgery, Intensive Care and/or Emergency nursing units. This course will allow students to apply and synthesize basic science knowledge and skills that foster ethical, legal and culture specific health care.
Requisite: School of Nursing Health Studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 498. Selected Topics. 0-6 Credit Hours.
Special topics in nursing. Course titles and descriptions change semester-by-semester based on course content. This designation is used as needed. Credits can range from 0-6 credits.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 499. Selected Topics. 0-6 Credit Hours.
Special topics in nursing. Course titles and descriptions change semester-by-semester based on course content. This designation is used as needed. Credits can range from 0-6 credits.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 536. U.S. Health Care Crisis: Politics and Policies. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will explore key health policy issues within the U.S., along with the politics and interest groups which shape them. Fundamental concerns within the health care system such as: cost, quality and access to care will be analyzed. Major topics of discussion will include: Medicare, Medicaid, private insurance, the nursing shortage, and prescription drugs. The politics and policies surrounding issues such as bioethics, globalization, and infectious disease will also be considered.
Requisite: Junior Status and no IP Credit.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
Accelerated BSN

Students enrolled in the Accelerated BSN program must complete the following coursework as specified in the Plan of Study to earn the BSN degree through the School of Nursing and Health Studies (SONHS):

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** Chemistry is satisfied by CHM 103/CHM 105 or CHM 121/CHM 113.
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******** The number of electives students take may vary due to differences in placement scores, transfer credits, course and cognate selections, etc.

This is only a sample. There are numerous ways students can create plans of study for the Traditional BSN program. Students should feel empowered to use the information listed in the Academic Bulletin and the Student Handbook (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/current_students/student_handbooks/) to take charge of their education, pursue their own academic interests, and create their own, unique plans of study.

The School of Nursing and Health Studies (SONHS) recommends students create their own plan of study that accounts for their ENG and MTH placement scores and incorporates their major, minor, and cognate interests. Once students draft their initial plan of study, they are encouraged to meet with an academic advisor in the Office of Student Services (OSS) (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/office_of_student_services/) to review their plan, address any questions or concerns, discuss areas for improvement, and brainstorm ways to integrate research experiences, study abroad opportunities, global initiatives, graduate school requirements, and career preparation experiences.

The sample plan of study listed below is based on the following ENG and MTH placement information and major, minor, and cognate selections:

- **ENG placement:** ENG 105
- **MTH placement:** MTH 101
• Major(s): Nursing  
• Minor(s): None  
• Cognates  
  • Art & Humanities: World of Music (RAU = Music)  
  • People & Society: The Science of Human Development (RAU = Psychology)  
  • Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM): Nursing major (RAU = Nursing & Health Studies)

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Credit Hours  15

Spring
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Credit Hours  15

Senior Year
Fall
NUR 400    Theories, Research and Evidence-Based Practice (*)  3
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Credit Hours  14

Spring
NUR 430    Leadership in Nursing (*)  3
NUR 441    Public Health Nursing (*; C)  2
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Major Elective (*; ***)  3

Credit Hours  13

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## Mission

The mission of the School of Nursing and Health Studies (SONHS) is to educate students and support faculty committed to the art and science of nursing and health care studies through creating and disseminating health knowledge and developing culturally competent leaders to provide safe service to our community, the nation, and the world.

## Goals

### Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will demonstrate advanced knowledge of natural and behavioral sciences, arts, humanities and nursing science as a basis for cultural competence in nursing practice.
- Students will demonstrate the use of evidence-based research and scholarship findings in practice.
- Students will demonstrate effective interprofessional communication with others to improve patient outcomes in culturally diverse settings.
Public Health

Academic Programs
The University of Miami (UM) School of Nursing and Health Studies (SONHS) offers courses leading to the degree of Bachelor of Science in Public Health (BSPH). Baccalaureate education provides the foundation for further education in public health and specialized health professional fields. The program is currently undergoing the accreditation process with the Council on Education for Public Health.

Admission
Admission as a new freshman or transfer student to the BSPH program is handled through the Office of Undergraduate Admission (http://admissions.miami.edu/undergraduate/?utm_source=Mailers&utm_medium=Print&utm_campaign=FromPrint) and is open to applicants who meet the general requirements for admission to the UM.

Applicants interested in any of the SONHS' baccalaureate programs are encouraged to speak with a representative from the SONHS' Office of Student Services (OSS) (https://www.sonhs.miami.edu/admissions-and-student-services/) and/or the UM's Office of Undergraduate Admission (http://admissions.miami.edu/undergraduate/?utm_source=Mailers&utm_medium=Print&utm_campaign=FromPrint).

Academic Policies

Grades
Students should refer to the Student Handbook (http://www.sonhs.miami.edu/academics/student-handbooks/) for more detailed information on the SONHS' policies related to grades, progression, and dismissal.

Undergraduate BSPH students must earn a C- or higher in each course for the major to progress.

When a course must be repeated, progression in the BSPH program may be altered in order for prerequisites to be met. Such alteration may lengthen the time required to complete the BSPH program.

Grade Point Averages (GPAs)
Students should refer to the Student Handbook (http://www.sonhs.miami.edu/academics/student-handbooks/) for more detailed information on the SONHS' policies related to GPAs, progression, and dismissal.

Requirements to Declare
Current UM students who wish to switch into the BSPH program or add an additional major in public health must possess a minimum 2.8 UM GPA to be considered. Please note that the SONHS may have a waitlist to get into this program so meeting the minimum admission criteria for the program does not guarantee admission. Seats in the program are allocated from the waitlist to students based on a holistic review of all students on the waitlist but the following factors are strongly considered in each admission decision: (1) the availability of seats in a student's intended year of graduation, (2) the date in which a student added himself/herself to the waitlist, (3) the student's UM GPA, and (4) the feasibility of the student completing the desired degree on time. Questions about the waitlist should be directed to the academic advisors in the OSS.

Incoming transfer students who plan to enter the BSPH program must possess a minimum 2.8 transfer GPA to be considered for admission.

Requirements to Continue
BSPH are strongly encouraged not to continue with the BSPH degree if they have less than a 2.5 UM GPA after 15 credits completed in the major.

Requirements to Graduate
Students enrolled in the BSPH program must complete their coursework with a minimum 2.0 UM GPA and a minimum 2.0 major GPA to graduate.

Prerequisites and Corequisites
Students must successfully complete all specified prerequisites with a C or higher before entering a nursing course or with a C- or higher before entering a health science or public health course. Students must also register for all required corequisites at the time of enrollment. If students enroll in a health science, nursing, or public health course without the proper prerequisite or corequisite, they may be dropped from the course at the discretion of the course instructor, OSS, Associate Dean, or Dean. Students should consult an academic advisor in the OSS (http://oss.sonhs.miami.edu/) to discuss any questions related to course enrollment.

Residency Requirements
Undergraduate BSPH students must adhere to the general UM residency rules. At least half of the public health major and at least half of the public health minor must be taken in residence at the UM. Exceptions to the residency requirements may only be obtained through an appeal to the Undergraduate Academic Standing and Admissions Committee (UGASAC). Students should speak with an academic advisor in the OSS (https://www.sonhs.miami.edu/admissions-and-student-services/) for more information on the residency requirements and on the UGASAC appeals process.
Public health majors must complete at least 18 of the 33 credits required for the public health major in residence at the University of Miami School of Nursing and Health Studies. Public health majors can apply a maximum of 6 credits from study abroad programs toward their public health major. These study abroad credits will count as part of the remaining 15 of the 33 credits required of the major that are allowed to be taken outside of the University of Miami School of Nursing and Health Studies.

**Transfer Credit**

Students may transfer health science, nursing, or public health courses from other institutions to the UM with approval by the OSS (https://www.sonhs.miami.edu/admissions-and-student-services/). Detailed course descriptions or syllabi must be presented to the OSS (https://www.sonhs.miami.edu/admissions-and-student-services/) for transfer equivalency reviews.

**Degree Requirements**

Listed in this section are the degree requirements for the BSPH program.

The University of Miami’s General Education Requirements (GERs) consist of the Areas of Proficiency, Areas of Knowledge, and Advanced Writing and Communication Skills requirements. Through the completion of the GERs, graduates acquire essential intellectual skills and engage a range of academic disciplines. The GERs provide students with the opportunity to study methodologies and achievements in all areas of human inquiry and creative endeavor, and to cultivate abilities essential for the acquisition of knowledge. The GERs also allow students to create an integrative map for their academic careers, providing a context for more focused studies.

There are numerous ways students can create plans of study for the BSPH program. Students should feel empowered to use the information listed in the Academic Bulletin and the Student Handbook (http://www.sonhs.miami.edu/academics/student-handbooks/) to take charge of their education, pursue their own academic interests, and create their own, unique plans of study. Students should meet with an academic advisor in the OSS (https://www.sonhs.miami.edu/admissions-and-student-services/) to discuss any questions related to degree requirements and plans of study.

**Areas of Proficiency**

The Areas of Proficiency requirements ensure students either possess or develop the ability to express themselves effectively, to use mathematics with facility, and to reason cogently.

**English Composition**

Good writing facilitates clear thinking, and clear thinking is the foundation of effective communication. The expectation is that students become adept at using the English language as an effective communication tool. Effective writing skills are representative of an educated person because they are instruments to advance ideas efficiently and persuasively.

*Requirements*

Students complete this requirement by completing ENG 105 and ENG 106 (Note: SAT or ACT verbal scores can be used to waive the ENG 105 requirement; credit will not be awarded for the waiver. Students who enter UM with credits for ENG 105 or ENG 106 may take ENG 208 to finish this requirement).

*Outcomes*

By completing the English Composition requirement, students will be able to:

1. gather information, synthesize data, compare various points of view, and present results in writing
2. develop the ability to read texts critically and to use textual evidence to support a sophisticated written argument
3. consider audience, tone, organization, and standard conventions in relationship to specific rhetorical tasks

**Mathematics**

In a world increasingly influenced by science and technology, it is important for students to acquire the capacity to use and understand essential mathematical applications. The mathematics requirement helps students learn to use quantitative methods to solve problems by emphasizing the manipulation, interpretation, and application of quantitative data.

*Requirements*

Students complete this requirement by completing a course in each of the following areas:

1. **Mathematics**: MTH 107 or higher
2. **Statistics**: BPH 202 or other approved statistics course

Math placement criteria is established affected by the Department of Mathematics (http://www.math.miami.edu/undergraduate/aleks-math-placement/). The following items may affect students’ math placement at the UM: SAT and ACT scores, ALEKS math placement scores, and AP, IB, dual enrollment, and transfer credits. Students should review the information listed on the Department of Mathematics (http://www.math.miami.edu/undergraduate/aleks-math-placement/) website and consult with an academic advisor in the OSS (https://www.sonhs.miami.edu/admissions-and-student-services/) if they have any questions.
Outcomes
By completing the Mathematics requirement, students will be able to:

1. select quantitative tools appropriate for solving problems
2. use quantitative tools appropriate for solving problems
3. interpret quantitative data in an appropriate manner for solving problems

Social Science
Requirements
Students complete this requirement by completing PSY 110 and an additional approved social science course for a total of 6 credits.

Modern Language
Requirements
Students complete this requirement by completing one 3 credit Modern Language course at or above the 200 level.

Natural Science
Requirements
Students complete this requirement by completing BIL 150 and BIL 151, as well as CHM 103 and CHM 105 or CHM 121 and CHM 113 for a total of 9-10 credits.

Areas of Knowledge (Cognates)
The Areas of Knowledge requirement is designed to help students understand and appreciate intellectual achievements in major areas of human inquiry and creative endeavor. The courses offered in the Areas of Knowledge provide a broad array of intellectual and cultural exploration. In satisfying these requirements, students examine creative expression in the arts, literature, and philosophy; study human development and behavior; and explore the mathematical, scientific, and technological world.

Students fulfill the Areas of Knowledge requirement by completing a specific "cognate" in three distinct areas: Arts & Humanities, People & Society, and Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM). Cognates are groups of "at least three related courses for at least 9 credits" focused on a specific topic. Majors and minors can be used to fulfill a cognate in its respective Area of Knowledge. Each cognate used to fulfill one of the Areas of Knowledge must have a different Responsible Academic Unit (RAU). Several cognates may include the same courses; however, one course cannot be used to complete multiple cognates. For more information on cognates, go to the "General Education Requirements" section of the Academic Bulletin or visit http://www.miami.edu/cognates/.

Arts & Humanities
Arts & Humanities cognates engage students in the study of the most enduring and influential works of art, imagination, and culture. Through study, creation, and performance, courses in this area enable students to understand the works of artists, musicians, novelists, philosophers, playwrights, poets, historians, and theologians. These courses cultivate the ability to interpret, critically evaluate, and experience the creative products of human culture and expression.

Requirements
Complete one Arts & Humanities cognate.

Outcomes
By completing the Arts & Humanities requirement, students will be able to:

1. critically evaluate and interpret the creative products of humanistic and artistic expression, applying appropriate vocabulary and concepts for their description and analysis
2. understand the creation and performance of art

People & Society
People & Society cognates help students understand and analyze the organization of society and the patterns of social change, in the past and in the contemporary world.

Requirements
Complete one People & Society cognate. The public health major may be used to fulfill this cognate area.

Outcomes
By completing the People & Society requirement, students will be able to:

1. analyze the organization of society
2. analyze patterns of social change
Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM)

STEM cognates develop students’ abilities to think critically about mathematical, scientific, and technological issues by understanding the processes and methods of scientific inquiry involved in experimentation, observation, and quantitative analysis. The STEM cognates nurture literacies that enable students to make informed decisions in an increasingly complex world.

Requirements
Complete one STEM cognate.

Outcomes
By completing the STEM requirement, students will be able to:

1. understand the use of quantitative tools, experimentation, and observation to analyze and solve mathematical, scientific, environmental, and technological problems
2. interpret quantitative data and draw useful conclusions

Major
Refer to the "Major Requirements" section below for information on the courses required for the BSPH program.

Minor
BSPH students are not required to complete a minor.

Advanced Writing and Communication Skills

The Advanced Writing and Communication Skills requirement empowers public health students to develop their communication skills, both written and verbal, enabling them to better articulate information relating to health science, nursing, and public health.

Requirements
To fulfill this requirement, students must complete five designated writing-intensive courses. Several public health requirements and/or electives may qualify as writing-intensive.

Public health Courses that Require Formal Student Writing or Presentation

The following courses carry writing and presentation components and may count for the BSPH program:

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<td>Five journal entries, final paper</td>
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Outcomes
By completing the Advanced Writing and Communication Skills requirement, students will be able to:

1. effectively communicate information related to public health in both speech and in writing, using appropriate information sources, presentation formats, and technologies
2. demonstrate the necessary written and verbal communication skills to effectively carry out a career in healthcare

Plan for assessment

Student Performance on Written Assignments and Presentations

In order to graduate from the BSPH program students must successfully pass two courses in English Composition (i.e., ENG 105 and ENG 106) as well as five writing-intensive courses with a grade greater than or equal to 70%. The majority of public health courses include written assignments and student presentations as part of the course grade. Grading of student written assignments and oral presentations are based on defined rubrics. These courses may be applied to the BSPH program as outlined in the major requirements.

Graduating Senior Survey (GSS) Responses for Questions Related to Written and Verbal Communication

Based on the results from the GSS, students believe their undergraduate coursework in the BSPH program significantly enhanced their written, oral, and formal presentation skills, which, in turn, allowed them to more effectively interact with various individuals and groups.

Electives

Students must earn a minimum of 120 credits to complete the BSPH degree. Students may need to take varying numbers of elective credits beyond the degree requirements listed above to reach the 120 credit threshold.
Major Requirements

Public health can be a primary major or an additional major.

Coursework in the BSPH program is based on recommendations made by the Association for Prevention Teaching and Research (2008) for undergraduate course work in public health. Students are required to complete 33 credit hours of public health coursework, which includes 27 credit hours of core required courses and 6 credit hours of approved public health electives.

Visit the "MAJORS" link to learn more about the major requirements for the SONHS’ BSPH program, which are listed under the "OVERVIEW" section for the public health major.

Second Major Requirements

A second major in public health is available to all UM students. Students who pursue a second major in public health must complete the following courses:

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<td>BPH 322</td>
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<td>BPH 352</td>
<td>Biological Principles of Public Health</td>
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<td>BPH 465</td>
<td>Public Health Statistics and Data Management</td>
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Minor Requirements

The SONHS offers a minor in public health. The School also collaborated with the School of Communication to offer a minor health communication.

Visit the "MINORS" link to learn more about the minor requirements for the public health and health communication minors.

Classes Not Applicable Toward SONHS Degrees

The following courses do not count toward the 120 credits required of the BSPH degree: DAN 101-104, ENG 103, and MTH 099. Based on their ENG or MTH placement scores, students may need to complete ENG 103 or MTH 099 before enrolling in higher-level requirements. Even though the courses listed above cannot count toward graduation, they can count toward the 12 credits required to be considered a full-time student.

Senior Assessments

In line with the SONHS’ ongoing accreditation efforts, seniors with a major in the health science, nursing, and public health may be required to participate in general or major-specific senior assessments lasting up to several hours each. Scores on senior assessments will not affect students’ GPAs or ability to graduate, but failure to complete required assessments may delay or prevent students’ ability to graduate.

Bachelor of Science in Public Health (BSPH) and Master of Public Health (MPH)/Master of Science in Public Health (MSPH) 4+1 Program

The SONHS and the Graduate Programs in Public Health at the UM Miller School of Medicine have developed a Bachelor of Science in Public Health (BSPH) to a Master in Public Health (MPH) or Master of Science in Public Health (MSPH) 4 + 1 program. Please click here (p. 1562) for more information.

Research Experience

Students may participate in research experiences through the SONHS (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/research/) or the Office of Undergraduate Research and Community Outreach (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/undergraduate_research_and_community_outreach/) during
their time at the UM. Students should speak with the academic advisors located in the OSS (http://oss.sonhs.miami.edu/) to learn more about the research opportunities available to them at the UM.

**Required Coursework and Sample Plans of Study**

Visit the "MAJORS" link to learn more about the academic requirements for the SONHS' BSPH program and to view a sample graduation plan, which are listed under the "OVERVIEW" and "PLAN OF STUDY" sections, respectively, for the BSPH program.

**BPH 200. Basic Concepts Public Health. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course focuses on current health care issues and the health care system as well as the future direction of health care.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

**BPH 202. Introductory Statistics in Health Care. 3 Credit Hours.**
Application of descriptive and inferential statistics. Principles and methods of summarizing data including tables, graphs, percentile ranks, central tendency, variability, normal distribution. Basic concepts of probability, hypothesis testing, and analysis of variance. Examples and problems from nursing, health sciences, and public health.
Corequisite: MTH 101. Or Requisite: ALEKS ≥ 55 or SAT Score ≥ 630 or ACT > or = 28.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**BPH 206. Introduction to Public Health. 3 Credit Hours.**
Introduction to all aspects of public health, including health services administration, and policy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**BPH 208. Introductory Epidemiology. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course is a general introduction to epidemiology, definition of concepts and natural history of disease and levels of prevention. It also covers measures of morbidity and mortality. Epidemiologic aspects of infectious and chronic diseases.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**BPH 217. Medical Terminology. 1 Credit Hour.**
This course will assist the student in understanding the principles of medical word building in order to develop the extensive medical vocabulary used in health care professions. Students receive a thorough grounding in basic medical terminology through the study of root words, prefixes and suffixes. The course emphasizes correct pronunciation, spelling and use of medical terms.
Prerequisite: BIL 150.
Components: CLN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

**BPH 301. Human Sexuality and Vulnerable Populations. 3 Credit Hours.**
The study of human sexuality via multidisciplinary theoretical perspectives and research. Students will examine the complex relationships of the physiological, psychological, cultural, gender, religious, historical, and political aspects of human sexuality. Human sexuality in the context of health disparities will form the foundation for the course. WRITING COURSE.
Prerequisite: BPH 206 or Requisite: Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

**BPH 303. HIV/AIDS and Health Maintenance for Health Care Providers. 3 Credit Hours.**
Definition, diagnosis, management and care of diverse patient populations with HIV infection and AIDS. Presented and discussed from an interdisciplinary health care perspective.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

**BPH 305. Issues in Health Disparities. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course will be an introduction to the general research on health systems and health disparities. Emphasis will be paced on social, biological, economic, and social policy issues that impact on the health of minority populations. Concepts associated with epidemiology, poverty, racism, public policy, and international politics will be explored. WRITING COURSE.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
BPH 306. Principles of Nutrition. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of nutrition integrated with cultural dietary patterns for client adaptation across the lifespan.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BPH 309. Health and Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines health issues, scientific understanding of causes and possible future approaches to control of the major environmental health problems. Topics include how the body reacts to environmental pollutants; physical, chemical, and biological agents of environmental contamination; vectors for dissemination; susceptible populations; the scientific bases for policy decisions and emerging global environmental health problems.
Prerequisite: BPH 206.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BPH 310. Global Health. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the concepts of global health and the critical links between public health and social and economic development. Determinants of health and patterns of disease and health outcomes across the global are critically examined. The course reviews the determinants of health status in terms of biology, demography, epidemiology, culture, sociology, economics, and politics. Key concerns regarding reproductive health, child survival, nutrition, communicable diseases, and chronic diseases are examined. Health care delivery in developed vs. undeveloped regions of the world are emphasized.
Prerequisite: BPH 206.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BPH 317. Theories in Growth and Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of growth and development theories through the lifespan with a case study approach to issues commonly encountered nursing practice in a variety of clinical settings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BPH 319. Contemporary Issues in Bioethics for Health Care. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will cover bioethical issues in the health care environment including ethical principles, theories and decision making strategies.
Prerequisite: BPH 206.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BPH 321. Health Promotion and Disease Prevention. 3 Credit Hours.
The focus of this course is on the understanding and implementation of strategies aimed at promoting health and preventing disease. It also focuses on optimal health maintenance and wellness support for individuals, families, and communities. The content of the course includes health across the lifespan and resources associated with health promotion. Common health alternations will be discussed, as well as socio-cultural perceptions of health and illness.
Prerequisite: BPH 206.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BPH 322. Introduction to Health Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to the organization, delivery, and financing of health care in the United States. We will consider policy challenges created by the structure of the health care system, including access to care, quality of care, and cost growth. Major areas of focus will include public insurance programs, private insurance, the uninsured, health disparities, and implementation of health care reform legislation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
BPH 352. Biological Principles of Public Health. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the biological basis and pathogenesis of diseases from a public health perspective and describes the impact on populations. This course also presents the basic scientific and biomedical concepts of modern public health problems and explores in depth mechanisms and models of the major categories of disease. The biologic principles presented in this course are foundations to developing and implementing public health disease prevention, control, or management programs.
Prerequisites: BPH 206 and BIL 150 and BIL 151 and CHM 103 or CHM 111 or CHM 121 and CHM 105 or CHM 113.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BPH 355. Global Nutrition. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines nutrition related public health issues in the global setting. Nutrition related morbidity and mortality, etiologic factors, and population-focused strategies to address these issues are covered. Food relief and nutrition policies and programs at the local, national and international levels are examined. Current scientific research in international nutrition is reviewed from an epidemiological perspective.
Prerequisite: BPH 206.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BPH 365. Research Methods in Public Health. 3 Credit Hours.
This course utilizes fundamental epidemiological skills to apply concepts and practical issues related to conducting public health research. It covers key processes of research investigations such as the identification of gaps in the field, critical thinking, study design selection, research proposal development, quantitative and qualitative research methods, and best practices for the dissemination of research findings.
Prerequisite: BPH 208.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BPH 402. Global Health Disparities Research. 3 Credit Hours.
This is a 4 week intensive educational experience that prepares students to be successful conducting supervised health disparities research as part of the MHIRT program at a foreign institution, disseminating findings, and applying to graduate school. The training program is broken into a preparation phase (3 weeks prior to leaving to their host country), and a dissemination phase (1 week after they return). Students will be working as a research assistant at a foreign site for eight weeks in between the preparation and dissemination phases of this training program. Students will learn about the influence of culture and healthcare policy on health and health disparities, research design, statistics, communicating research findings and careers in health disparities research.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BPH 419. Contemporary Health Issues in South Florida. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide students with an in-depth look at public health topics relevant to communities in South Florida. Emphasis will be placed on the social, cultural, and policy issues that impact the health of vulnerable populations in our community. Interdisciplinary researcher knowledge and practice from the University of Miami and other relevant institutions will be highlighted.
Prerequisite: BPH 206.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BPH 461. Practicum in Health Disparities Research. 1-4 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide opportunities for students across all levels of higher education to participate in health disparities research. Students will be mentored by a health disparities researcher with an active research project. Objectives will be established by the research mentor and the student according to educational level, interests and opportunities. Students will be incorporated into the research team and expected to attend project meetings. They will also be expected to participate in scholarly work that could contribute to the success of the project. Examples of scholarly work include co-authoring research papers and presentations, developing recruitment materials, assisting in compiling/developing data collection measures, or any other product deemed appropriate by the mentor.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BPH 465. Public Health Statistics and Data Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to give students an opportunity to apply basic principles of statistics and data management in public health. Students will learn to use statistical techniques to answer questions relating to the morbidity and mortality of health conditions and the efficacy and effectiveness of public health interventions.
Prerequisites: BPH/HCS/NUR 202 and BPH 206.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BPH 487. Global Health Practicum. 3 Credit Hours.
Collaborative clinical venture between UM/SON and an International School of Nursing. Students will exchange supervised western clinical experiences, knowledge and skills for the care of clients and families in specialty areas, including MedSurg, ICU and/or Emergency nursing units. Students will apply and synthesize basic science knowledge and skills that foster ethical, legal, and culturally specific health care.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BPH 490. Field Practicum in Community Health. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides students with field experiences in community health. During the didactic portion of the course, students will be introduced to the basic principles and methods used in community health assessment, program development, program implementation, and evaluation. During the field experience component of the course students will work under the supervision of lead faculty to apply the knowledge and skills they obtained during their course of study to address a public health issue.
Prerequisite: BPH 206 and 208 and 321 and 465.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BPH 499. Selected Topics. 0-6 Credit Hours.
Offerings will vary by semester based upon student demand and availability of faculty.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

B.S.P.H. Bachelor of Science in Public Health /M.P.H. Master of Public Health Joint Degree
Bachelor of Science in Public Health/Master of Public Health (4+1 BSPH/MPH)
The University of Miami’s School of Nursing and Health Studies (SONHS) and the Department of Public Health Sciences (DPHS) offer a 4+1 program that combines a Bachelor of Science in Public Health (BSPH) and a Master of Public Health (MPH). SONHS academically-qualified juniors are eligible to apply to the MPH program. If accepted, students complete the combined bachelor’s and master’s degrees in 5 years.

Applicants must be enrolled in the BSPH program with the SONHS and apply separately into the 4+1 BSPH/MPH. Applicants must be in good academic standing as defined by the School of Nursing at the time of submission. Acceptance into the BSPH program does not in any way indicate or guarantee acceptance to the MPH degree program. The Graduate Record Exam (GRE) admissions requirement is waived for the BSPH students.

Accepted students take 12 credits of master’s level (600) Public Health courses during their undergraduate senior year, not to exceed 6 credits per semester. These 600 level credits count towards the MPH degree. Students must achieve a minimum GPA of 3.0 in the graduate level courses in order to matriculate into the MPH program. The summer following the completion of the BSPH degree, students may take 3 to 6 graduate-level credits at the 600 level Public Health courses and then take the required the following fall and spring semesters to complete the 45 credit MPH degree.

BSPH students must apply through SOPHAS during the undergraduate junior year by March 1 to start the program in the fall. Admission decisions regarding the entry of BSPH students into the MPH program are made solely by the Admissions Committee of the Department of Public Health Sciences.

BSPH students interested in pursuing the 4+1 program must meet with their undergraduate advisor to develop an academic plan. The advisor will also explain the policies and procedures of the program and link the student with the graduate program advisor.

Admission Requirements
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**Elective Courses**

Choose 12 credits of coursework in one or more of the following areas:

- EPH - 600 or 700 level courses not already listed
- BST - 600 or 700 level courses not already listed
- Biostatistics
- Environmental and Public Health (not already listed)
- Epidemiology and Population Health Sciences
- Health Services Policy and Research
- Prevention Science and Community Health

**Total Credit Hours**: 165-166

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* The public health major may be used to fulfill this cognate area.

** Students may choose an elective from the following courses: APY 205, BPH 301, BPH 303, BPH 306, BPH 317, BPH 319, BPH 355, BPH 365, BPH 402, BPH 419, BPH 461, BPH 487, BTE 450, BSL 460, COS 324, and SOC 480

*** Students must take at least five designated writing-intensive courses to complete this requirement; unless students choose to take additional credits to complete this requirement, it is highly recommended students select courses that are designated as writing-intensive and will double count toward this area and their other requirements.

**** The number of electives students take may vary due to differences in placement scores, transfer credits, course and cognate selections, etc.

1 The Capstone Field Experience and the Capstone Project are both vital components of the MPH program, and together form the Capstone Program. The Capstone Field Experience is designed to provide students with real world work experience in the field of public health. This experience places students in health-related settings (local, national, and international) to work on projects of mutual interest to both the field organization and the student. The Capstone Project is intended to build upon this fieldwork and is geared toward providing the student with an opportunity to apply public health academic theory and acquired skills to community health problems. Students are encouraged to build their Capstone Program in such a way that supports their academic and professional interests as they advance in their careers as public health professionals.

**BSPH degree**

This is only a sample. There are numerous ways students can create plans of study for the public health major. Students should feel empowered to use the information listed in the Academic Bulletin and the Student Handbook (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/current_students/student_handbooks/) to take charge of their education, pursue their own academic interests, and create their own, unique plans of study.

The School of Nursing and Health Studies (SONHS) recommends students create their own plan of study that accounts for their ENG, MTH, and modern language placements and incorporates their major, minor, and cognate interests. Once students draft their initial plan of study, they are encouraged to meet with an academic advisor in the Office of Student Services (OSS) (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/office_of_student_services/) to review their plan, address any questions or concerns, discuss areas for improvement, and brainstorm ways to integrate research experiences, study abroad opportunities, global initiatives, graduate school requirements, and career preparation experiences.

The sample plan of study listed below is based on the following ENG, MTH, and modern language placement information and major, minor, and cognate selections:

- **ENG placement**: ENG 105
- **MTH placement**: MTH 101
- **Modern Language placement**: SPA 101
• **Major(s):** Public Health
• **Minor(s):** None
• **Cognates**
  • **Art & Humanities:** Popular Culture (RAU = English)
  • **People & Society:** Public Health major (RAU = Nursing & Health Studies)
  • **Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM):** Biology and Chemistry for Pre-Health Sciences (RAU = Chemistry)

**MPH degree**

BSPH students will complete 12 of 45 graduate-level credits (6 in spring and 6 in fall) for the MPH during their senior year of undergraduate studies. This requires special permission from advisors and deans. The remaining MPH credits will be completed during the summer, fall, winter intersession, spring, and summer semesters immediately following graduation from the BSPH program.

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B.S.P.H. Bachelor of Science in Public Health / M.S.P.H. Master of Science in Public Health

Bachelor of Science in Public Health/Master of Public Health (4+1 BSPH/MSPH)

The University of Miami’s School of Nursing and Health Studies (SONHS) and the Department of Public Health Sciences (DPHS) offer a 4+1 program that combines a Bachelor of Science in Public Health (BSPH) and a Master of Science in Public Health (MSPH). SONHS academically-qualified juniors are eligible to apply to the MSPH program. If accepted, students complete the combined bachelor's and master's degrees in 5 years.

Applicants must be enrolled in the BSPH program with the SONHS and apply separately into the 4+1 BSPH/MSPH. Applicants must be in good academic standing as defined by the School of Nursing at the time of submission. Acceptance into the BSPH program does not in any way indicate or guarantee acceptance to the MSPH degree program. The Graduate Record Exam (GRE) admissions requirement is waived for the BSPH students.

Accepted students take 12 credits of master's level (600) Public Health courses during their undergraduate senior year, not to exceed 6 credits per semester. These 600 level credits count towards the MSPH degree. Students must achieve a minimum GPA of 3.0 in the graduate level courses in order to matriculate into the MSPH program. The summer following the completion of the BSPH degree, students may take 3 to 6 graduate-level credits at the 600 level Public Health courses and then take the required following fall and spring semesters to complete the 45 credit MSPH degree.

BSPH students must apply through SOPHAS during the undergraduate junior year by March 1 to start the MSPH program in the fall. Admission decisions regarding the entry of BSPH students into the MSPH program are made solely by the Admissions Committee of the Department of Public Health Sciences.

BSPH students interested in pursuing the 4+1 program must meet with their undergraduate advisor to develop an academic plan. The advisor will also explain the policies and procedures of the program and link the student with the graduate program advisor.

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** Students may choose an elective from the following courses: APY 205, BPH 301, BPH 303, BPH 306, BPH 317, BPH 319, BPH 355, BPH 365, BPH 402, BPH 419, BPH 461, BPH 487, BTE 450, BSL 460, COS 324, and SOC 480.
Students must take at least five designated writing-intensive courses to complete this requirement; unless students choose to take additional credits to complete this requirement, it is highly recommended students select courses that are designated as writing-intensive and will double count toward this area and their other requirements.

The number of electives students take may vary due to differences in placement scores, transfer credits, course and cognate selections, etc.

List of approved Method Courses - Select 2 courses from this list: BST 605, BST 625, BST 630, BST 692, EPH 604, EPH 644, EPH 647, EPH 651, EPH 656, EPH 703, EPH 705, EPH 722, EPH 727, EPH 751, EPH 752, EPH 772, EPH 774, EPH 776

After completion of core courses, the student may select courses to fit his/her own area of interest. This allows for personal tailoring of the academic program to fit the student’s individual needs and career goals.

The MSPH Thesis project requires an individual investigation of a current public health problem and allows the student to demonstrate competency in the development and implementation of a research question. Students will work closely with a faculty advisor and thesis project committee during their investigation. Formal MSPH Thesis project oral presentation is required.

BSPH degree

This is only a sample. There are numerous ways students can create plans of study for the public health major. Students should feel empowered to use the information listed in the Academic Bulletin and the Student Handbook (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/current_students/student_handbooks/) to take charge of their education, pursue their own academic interests, and create their own, unique plans of study.

The School of Nursing and Health Studies (SONHS) recommends students create their own plan of study that accounts for their ENG, MTH, and modern language placements and incorporates their major, minor, and cognate interests. Once students draft their initial plan of study, they are encouraged to meet with an academic advisor in the Office of Student Services (OSS) (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/office_of_student_services/) to review their plan, address any questions or concerns, discuss areas for improvement, and brainstorm ways to integrate research experiences, study abroad opportunities, global initiatives, graduate school requirements, and career preparation experiences.

The sample plan of study listed below is based on the following ENG, MTH, and modern language placement information and major, minor, and cognate selections:

- ENG placement: ENG 105
- MTH placement: MTH 101
- Modern Language placement: SPA 101
- Major(s): Public Health
- Minor(s): None
- Cognates
  - Art & Humanities: Popular Culture (RAU = English)
  - People & Society: Public Health major (RAU = Nursing & Health Studies)
  - Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM): Biology and Chemistry for Pre-Health Sciences (RAU = Chemistry)

MSPH degree

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**Major Elective (*) | 3**  

**Credit Hours | 14**

**Spring**

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**Credit Hours | 17**

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**Junior Year**

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**Elective | 3**  

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**Credit Hours | 15**

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| EPH 600 | Introduction to the Science Practice of Public Health | 3            |
| EPH 617 | Disease Prevention and Health Promotion | 3            |

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| EPH 621 | Fundamentals of Epidemiology | 3            |
| EPH 632 | U.S. Health Systems | 3            |

**Credit Hours | 21**
### Year One

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#### Total Credit Hours

| Credit Hours | 166 |

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### BSPH - Public Health

Students enrolled in the public health major must complete the coursework listed under curriculum requirements to earn the BSPH degree through the School of Nursing and Health Studies (SONHS). Students should meet with an academic advisor in the Office of Student Services (OSS) (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/office_of_student_services/) to discuss any questions related to their degree requirements.

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*** Students must take at least five designated writing-intensive courses to complete this requirement; unless students choose to take additional credits to complete this requirement, it is highly recommended students select courses that are designated as writing-intensive and will double count toward this area and their other requirements.

**** The number of electives students take may vary due to differences in placement scores, transfer credits, course and cognate selections, etc.

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**This is only a sample.** There are numerous ways students can create plans of study for the public health major. Students should feel empowered to use the information listed in the Academic Bulletin and the Student Handbook (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/current_students/student_handbooks/) to take charge of their education, pursue their own academic interests, and create their own, unique plans of study.

The School of Nursing and Health Studies (SONHS) **recommends students create their own plan of study** that accounts for their ENG, MTH, and modern language placements and incorporates their major, minor, and cognate interests. Once students draft their initial plan of study, they are encouraged to meet with an academic advisor in the Office of Student Services (OSS) (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/office_of_student_services/) to review their plan, address any questions or concerns, discuss areas for improvement, and brainstorm ways to integrate research experiences, study abroad opportunities, global initiatives, graduate school requirements, and career preparation experiences.

The sample plan of study listed below is based on the following ENG, MTH, and modern language placement information and major, minor, and cognate selections:

- **ENG placement:** ENG 105
- **MTH placement:** MTH 101
- **Modern Language placement:** SPA 101
- **Major(s):** Public Health
- **Minor(s):** None
- **Cognates**
Sample Plan of Study

Freshman Year

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Spring

| BPH 208   | Introductory Epidemiology | 3 |
| ENG 106   | English Composition II | 3 |
| MTH 107   | Precalculus Mathematics I | 3 |
| SPA 102   | Elementary Spanish II | 3 |
| Elective  | | 3 |
| **Total** | **15**       |

Sophomore Year

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| BPH 310   | Global Health (W) | 3 |
| CHM 121 & CHM 113 | Principles of Chemistry and Chemistry Laboratory I (counts for STEM cognate) | 5 |
| ENG 383   | The Literature of Science Fiction (W; counts for Arts & Humanities cognate) | 3 |
| PSY 240   | Abnormal Psychology | 3 |
| Elective  | | 3 |
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Junior Year

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| BPH 309   | Health and Environment (W) | 3 |
| BPH 322   | Introduction to Health Policy | 3 |
| Elective  | | 3 |
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| **Total** | **15**       |
**Senior Year**

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(W) = Course is designated as writing-intensive

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**Mission**

The Mission of the School of Nursing and Health Studies is to educate students and support faculty committed to excellence in the art and science of nursing and health studies through creating and disseminating health knowledge and developing culturally competent leaders to provide safe service to our community, the nation and the world. The University of Miami School of Nursing and Health Studies offers courses leading to the degree of Bachelor of Science in Public Health. Baccalaureate education provides the foundation for further education in Public Health and/or other specialized health professional fields.

**Goals**

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Students will be able to interpret quantitative and qualitative research findings in the medical, nursing, public health and social science literature.
- Students will demonstrate awareness of local health problems, determinants, and interventions in South Florida.
- Students will effectively communicate information related to public health.

**Health Communication Minor**

The School of Communication (SoC) in collaboration with the School of Nursing and Health Studies (SONHS) offers a minor in health communication, which is available to all students. Students must have a minimum of a 2.0 UM GPA to declare the minor and they must earn a C or higher in each course for the minor for it to count; a grade of C- or lower is not acceptable for the health communication minor. Students should meet with an academic advisor in the Office of Student Services (OSS) (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/office_of_student_services/) to discuss any questions related to their degree requirements.

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Public Health Minor

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GRADUATE ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

Mission

The mission of the Graduate School is to promote graduate education, scholarship, and research; to support individuals, departments, and programs in the pursuit of excellence; to foster innovative, multidisciplinary, and interdisciplinary activities; and to maintain high ethical and academic standards in graduate studies.

The standards of study and conduct in the Graduate School are high. They are not set and maintained by the Graduate School but rather by the faculty who determine the standards for their individual program. The Graduate School through its Council sets no course requirements for a degree. It does set certain general residence, grade and examination standards. Fundamentally the Graduate School delegates responsibility to the student and his/her program. Within this broad responsibility the recommendation for the degree rests with the Committee.

Architecture

http://www.arc.miami.edu

Introduction

The School of Architecture at the University of Miami offers:

- Master of Architecture I (3 year track)
- Master of Architecture I AP (Advanced Standing 2 year track)
- Master of Science in Architecture (Design and Research track)
- Master of Construction Management
- Executive Master of Construction Management
- Master of Real Estate Development + Urbanism
- Master of Urban Design
- Master of Professional Science in Urban Sustainability and Resilience with a track in Resilience (interdisciplinary program offered in collaboration with the College of Arts & Sciences, www.urb.miami.edu (https://urb.miami.edu))
- Master of Data Science with a track in Smart Cities (interdisciplinary program offered in collaboration with the College of Arts & Sciences, www.msdatasciences.miami.edu) (https://www.msdatascience.miami.edu)
- Dual Master Degrees
- Certificates

The School of Architecture’s location in Coral Gables within the Miami metropolitan area provides an outstanding laboratory for research and advanced study; the challenges of conservation and development are intense in one of the nation’s fastest growing urban areas. These challenges result in an increasing demand for skilled professionals.

Students have the opportunity to work with the faculty in the exploration of theoretical issues as well as in the resolution of practical problems. The School of Architecture values and sustains a creative, open and supportive environment, emphasizing personalized instruction in small classes and studio courses.

Accreditation

In the United States, most registration boards require a degree from an accredited professional degree program as a prerequisite for licensure. The National Architectural Accrediting Board (NAAB), which is the sole agency authorized to accredit professional degree programs in architecture offered by institutions with U.S. regional accreditation, recognizes three types of degrees: the Bachelor of Architecture, the Master of Architecture. A program may be granted an eight-year, three-year, or two-year term of accreditation, depending on the extent of its conformance with established educational standards.

Master of Architecture degree programs may require a pre-professional undergraduate degree in architecture for admission. However, the pre-professional degree is not, by itself, recognized as an accredited degree.

The University of Miami School of Architecture offers the following NAAB-accredited degree programs:

Bachelor of Architecture (171 undergraduate credits)
Master of Architecture I (105 graduate credits)
Master of Architecture I AP (60 graduate credits)
Admission Requirements

Applications are generally considered for entrance in the Fall semester only. Courses in all Master program's are sequenced to deliver a cohesive educational experience and students are expected to follow the established course sequences for their program. Students entering the program in Spring or Summer are not eligible to enter the course sequence at that time, but may take electives or other required courses. This will necessarily extend the duration of the program.

Applications start on November 1 until June 1 for entry in Fall and start on October 1 until December 1 for entry in Spring. Admission to the Graduate Program is subject to the rules, regulations and procedures of the Graduate School as stipulated in the University Graduate Bulletin. It is the responsibility of each student to understand these requirements and to ensure that they are met.

Please refer to our latest admission and portfolio requirements here (https://www.arc.miami.edu/admissions/admissions-and-portfolio-requirements/grad-requirements/) and see additional information for international students. (https://www.arc.miami.edu/admissions/admissions-and-portfolio-requirements/grad-requirements/international-admissions/)

Resources

- Jorge M. Perez Architecture Building (https://www.arc.miami.edu/resources/facilities/perez-architecture-center/)
- The Marion Manley Historic Buildings (https://www.arc.miami.edu/resources/facilities/manion-manley-buildings/)
- Thomas B. Murphy Design Studio (https://www.arc.miami.edu/resources/facilities/thomas-p-murphy-design-studio-building/)
- B.E. & W.R. Miller Build Lab (https://www.arc.miami.edu/resources/facilities/b-e-w-r-build-lab/)
- Paul Buisson Library (https://www.arc.miami.edu/resources/libraries/bradford-research-center/)
- CUCD (https://cucd.arc.miami.edu/)
- Fabrication Lab (https://www.arc.miami.edu/resources/labs-and-centers/fabrication-lab/)
- LU Lab (https://www.arc.miami.edu/resources/labs-and-centers/lu-lab/)
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- Model Shop (https://www.arc.miami.edu/resources/labs-and-centers/model-shop/)
- Photo Lab (https://www.arc.miami.edu/resources/labs-and-centers/photo-lab/)

Dual Degrees

- Bachelor of Science in Architectural Engineering (B.S.A.E)/Master of Architecture I (M.Arch)
- Master of Architecture (M.Arch I and I AP) and Master of Real Estate Development + Urbanism: 105 credits + 21 credits
- Master of Architecture (M.Arch I and I AP) and Master of Urban Design: 60 credits + 21 credits
- Master of Urban Design (M.U.D)/Master of Real Estate Development + Urbanism (MRED+U): 30 cr + 30 cr (min. 60 credits)

Certificates

Graduate students increasingly look to areas of concentration that can provide skill and knowledge bases for professional applications. Historic Preservation, Design for Health and Wellbeing, Sustainable and Resilient Design, Design for Health and Well-Being, Construction Management, Urban Design, and Real Estate Development prove to be rapidly growing areas of professional specialization as they engage critical areas of investigation in contemporary architecture. The graduate certificate programs address both the intellectual and academic needs of the School of Architecture, and the desire of the School to use its current curriculum as a platform to engage these specialized areas further.

Master of Architecture

The Master of Architecture program promotes a creative, open and supportive environment emphasizing advanced and personalized instruction through small class and studio courses. The School's resources are enhanced by the interdisciplinary opportunities offered by the other schools and colleges at the University of Miami. Located in the southeastern U.S. in close proximity to the Caribbean and Latin America, the School also participates in an international network to enable students and faculty to develop an understanding of architecture and culture in an increasingly globalized world. In addition, the School of architecture Rome Program offers graduate students an intensive experience in design, theory, and history of architecture with U-SoA faculty at the Schools private Rome studios.

U-SoA faculty are joined each year by internationally recognized visiting scholars and fellows. The diversity of faculty interests and experience offers opportunities for students in the selection of studios and in the exploration of diverse areas of professional concentration. Students immerse in contemporary challenges to address a variety of social, cultural, technological and programmatic contexts. Students are encouraged to get involved in various research projects located within the School's various labs, and to pursue a certificate in an area of professional concentration.

The Master of Architecture (M.Arch) program consists of the following two tracks:
**Master of Architecture I (3 year track)**
A 3 year program for students with non-pre-professional degrees (students who have an undergraduate degree in a discipline other than architecture (completion of 105 credits is required).

**Master of Architecture I AP (Advanced Standing 2 year track)**
A 2 year program for students with pre-professional degrees in architecture such as Bachelor of Architectural Studies, Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Design, Bachelor of Environmental Design, Bachelor of Fine Arts, Bachelor of Science (completion of 60 credits is required).

**Master of Construction Management/Executive Master of Construction Management**
Gain the technical knowledge and managerial skills you need to set yourself apart in the construction industry. The Master of Construction Management (M.C.M.) is an one year (three semesters), 36 credit program. It is designed to broaden your educational and career options to solve challenges in the industry and become future leaders of design and construction related organizations worldwide. The Executive Master of Construction Management (E.M.C.M.) is a 30 credit program designed for accomplished professionals in the design and construction industry who are ready to take their career to the next level.

**Master of Science in Architecture**
The Master of Science in Architecture (M.Sc.Arch.) is a one year, three semester program (completion of 36 credits is required). The program offers a critical and professional environment to investigate design strategies and design challenges in relation to the most pressing issues of the 21st century: resilient design, tropical and subtropical architectures, identity in a globalized world, health care design, housing design, conservation of the built environment and the effect of embedded technologies on design. The Master of Science in Architecture program is designed to provide a skills and knowledge base for professional application as well as future advanced doctoral study.

The School of Architecture offers two tracks:
- Architectural Design
- Architectural Studies

**Master of Urban Design**
The Master in Urban Design, is a three (optional four) semester program that provides students with a design experience investigating the guiding principles for building regions, cities and communities. Guided by the imperatives of sustainability and resilience, the program conceptualizes cities as an extension of the ecological transect across the natural to human habitat, providing students with a range of experiences from rural to urban.

**Master in Real Estate Development and Urbanism**
The Master of Real Estate Development + Urbanism is an immersive one-year interdisciplinary graduate program that combines coursework in real estate development, finance, market analysis, construction, architecture, urban design, law and entrepreneurship. The program draws on the strengths of the University of Miami’s Schools of Architecture, Business, Engineering, and Law to create a world-class program that blends the fundamentals of real estate development with livable community design. Students are immersed in one of the world’s most dynamic real estate markets through a rigorous curriculum enriched by a wide range of study tours, speaker series, the annual Real Estate Impact Conference, research initiatives and networking events. The prestigious MRED+U Advisory Board connects students with over 50 industry leaders who are directly engaged in the program as lecturers, mentors and advisors, providing internship and employment opportunities and access to dozens of cutting-edge projects from every real estate sector.

**Awards and Scholarships**
All students admitted full time may be eligible for partial tuition based scholarship support. The School of Architecture provides merit-based tuition scholarships to graduate students. Applicants to the Graduate Programs will be considered each semester for a limited number of merit-based assistantships within the School. Assistantships are an honors award available to a limited number of students.

American Institute of Architects Henry Adams Medal is awarded by the American Institute of Architects to the highest ranking graduating student for scholarship and excellence in architecture. American Institute of Architects Henry Adams Certificate awarded to the second highest ranking graduating student for scholarship and excellence in architecture.

Other honors, distinctions, and awards are presented annually for excellent student performance.
- Master of Architecture I (https://grad.arc.miami.edu/)(M.ARCH 3 year track)
- Master of Architecture I AP (https://grad.arc.miami.edu/)(M.ARCH with Advanced Standing 2 year track)
- Master of Science in Architecture - Architectural Design or Architectural Studies (M.Sc.Arch.) (https://grad.arc.miami.edu/)
- Master of Construction Management (M.C.M.) (https://mcm.arc.miami.edu/)
- Executive Master of Construction Management (E.M.C.M.) (https://mcm.arc.miami.edu/)
- Master of Real Estate Development + Urbanism (M.R.E.D.+U) (https://mredu.arc.miami.edu/)
- Master of Urban Design (M.U.D.) (https://www.arc.miami.edu/academics/graduate/master-of-urban-design/)
• Master of Professional Science in Urban Sustainability and Resilience (https://urb.miami.edu) with a track in Resilience (interdisciplinary program offered in collaboration with the College of Arts & Sciences, www.urb.miami.edu (https://urb.miami.edu/))
• Master of Data Science (https://www.msdatascience.miami.edu) with a track in Smart Cities (interdisciplinary program offered in collaboration with the College of Arts & Sciences, www.msdatasciences.miami.edu) (https://www.msdatascience.miami.edu/)

Certificates
Graduate students increasingly look to areas of concentration that can provide skill and knowledge bases for professional applications. Historic Preservation, Design for Health and Wellbeing, Sustainable and Resilient Design, Design for Health and Well-Being, Construction Management, Urban Design, and Real Estate Development prove to be rapidly growing areas of professional specialization as they engage critical areas of investigation in contemporary architecture. The graduate certificate programs address both the intellectual and academic needs of the School of Architecture, and the desire of the School to use its current curriculum as a platform to engage these specialized areas further.

• Historic Preservation Certificate (p. 1603)
• Classical Architecture Certificate (p. 1598)
• Sustainable and Resilient Design Certificate (p. 1607)
• Construction Management Certificate (p. 1599)
• Urban Design Certificate (p. 1609)
• Real Estate Development and Urbanism Certificate (p. 1605)
• Hospitality Design Certificate (p. 1603)
• Design for Health and Well-Being Certificate (p. 1601)

Certificates require 15 credits of one certificate related studio (6 cr) and related architecture electives (9 cr).

ARC 601. Urban Design Studio I. 6 Credit Hours.
Introduction to urban design principles and techniques, in the master planning of a new community. Emphasis on the sustainability of human settlements within the context of degradation of natural systems and resource depletion; regional environmental and infrastructure systems; transportation and traffic; transit-oriented development; land use, building, and thoroughfare types.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 602. Urban Design Studio II. 6 Credit Hours.
Design projects focusing on contemporary challenges and goals for existing settlements, including urban and suburban disinvestment and deterioration, urban redevelopment, social equity, resilience and adaptation to climate change, design for healthy communities and active living, and urban agriculture.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 603. Urban Design Studio III. 6 Credit Hours.
Urban design projects that deploy full range of techniques for regional control of urban growth. Application of advanced technologies, including smart cities, innovations in transportation and traffic engineering, energy generation and conservation, and emissions reduction.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ARC 604. Architecture Design and Theory I. 6 Credit Hours.
The inaugural design studio focuses on the role of architectural design as an integrative discipline. Using Miami as a laboratory and drawing from natural specimens, the studio will examine the relationship between nature, landscape and the built environment. It will use research and analysis, design thinking skills, ordering systems, site design, materials, methods, structure, light, space, and tectonics as a means of developing a meaningful design process. Components: STU.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ARC 605. Architecture Design and Theory II. 6 Credit Hours.
This introductory design studio focuses on the role of architectural design as a responsive discipline. The studio will look at how architectural form is informed by thoughtful consideration of materials and methods of construction, as well as programming and context. Situated in an urban environment rich in material, stylistic and typological history, the studio will challenge students to develop a careful reading of place while responding to urban context, topography, and other site requirements. By considering issues of precedent, composition, display, and identity, it will examine the production of meaning in architecture.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 606. Architectural Design and Theory III. 6 Credit Hours.
The Rome Design Studio operates as a form of design-based critical inquiry into issues of urban design, architecture, and the adaptive reuse and transformation of buildings and spaces. Drawing will be explored as a means of analysis, in order to observe and record the urban and architectural conditions of Rome. Students will discover the layers of Rome, combining archaeology with architecture and urban history. Coursework emphasizes a critical reassessment of the historic urban sites relative to questions of program, infrastructure, and cultural changes.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 607. Architecture Design and Theory IV. 6 Credit Hours.
Advanced Design Studio based course addressing more complex and ambitious topics related with the built environment, the ability to prepare and solve a program through design, materials, technique, technology, social human centered aspects of architecture, structure, architecture as light and space, site and context and environmental issues.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 608. Architecture Design. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Advanced Design Studio focusing on skills associated with making integrated architectural design decisions across multiple systems. Design decisions within a complex architectural project will focus on the consideration and broad integration of environmental stewardship, technical documentation, accessibility, site conditions, life safety, environmental systems, structural systems, and building envelope systems and assemblies.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 609. Architecture Design. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Specialization component: student and faculty select areas of in-depth study in housing, resiliency, healthcare, urban design, housing and hospitality, historic preservation etc.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 610. Architecture Design Degree Project. 6 Credit Hours.
The Architecture Design Degree Project studio offers two options: 1) an independent design research project (design thesis) on a topic selected and developed by the student, or 2) a graduate research studio. Design Thesis is an opportunity for each student, working with a faculty advisor, to define an individual position with regard to the discipline of Architecture. The graduate research studio, led by a faculty member, will investigate relevant or thematic issues of architecture. All graduating students will be required to present their Degree Project, comprising research, analysis and creative work, as a book.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 611. Visual Representation. 3 Credit Hours.
Issues covered in the course will deal with the illustration of ideas in architectural manner. Students are to use the skill of drawing and model-making, either by hand or on the computer, as their new language. Topics will include how to read, understand, and create design drawings, to draw from observations and analyze their subject matter, to be able to distinguish the relevance of a particular drawing and to structure how they present their information. Students will be instructed to properly craft their work in and outside of studio in an effort to see their work evolve and improve.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ARC 612. Advanced Visual Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Drawing as a means of analyzing and recording visual experience. Composition, form, light, color and drawing as a primary device in the mental registration of visual experience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 613. Advanced Visual Representation. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will learn to carefully evaluate space, color, depth, hierarchy, balance and scale in all architectural visual representation. The assignments will explore different media as it is used in the profession including but not limited to: diagrams, renderings, plans, elevations, sections, and axonometric. Through lectures and workshops, the course will provide a combination of both theoretical and practical lessons encompassing the fundamentals of architectural visual representation. The course will also include parallel lectures on typography, architectural graphic design, and verbal presentation. The lectures will be given by highly regarded industry professionals who will address the way that students can be aware of and understand typography, verbal presentation, and graphic design fundamentals as it relates to architecture. The class will consist of three parts. Part I introduces students to the fundamentals of 3d modeling and drafting as part of a representation workflow. The exercise will include both urban and building scales. Part II concentrates on understanding and dissecting more complex geometries through advance use of digital parametric software such as Grasshopper. Part III focuses on visual representation based on a studio project with emphasis on graphic techniques for final presentations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 614. Michelangelo. 3 Credit Hours.
Drawing as a form of research across mediums to understand historical research and interpretation of Michelangelo's work.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 615. Advanced Visualization Techniques. 3 Credit Hours.
Beginning at the urban scale, students will engage with the concept of mapping and the graphical representation of an urban environment. This will be done through site analysis and investigation of existing conditions for the neighborhood of Miami Beach, FL. After the urban analysis, students will transition into the building scale and analyze a "Lifeguard House" in Miami Beach. Students will be asked to rethink and redesign the lifeguard house using Rhino 3D. Each student will produce drawings including elevations, plans, sections, and exploded axonometric of their new design. Lastly, students will create a physical model using the laser cutter.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 616. Architectural Watercolor Renderings. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will use freehand drawing and watercolor painting as a vehicle to study and record the urban and architectural conditions of Coral Gables and other South Florida sites. Particular emphasis will be placed on the analytical potential of sketches (recording space, light, surfaces and color).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 617. Construction Documents. 3 Credit Hours.
Working drawings and specifications. Form, content and role of constituent parts of working drawings and specifications by using case studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 618. Documentation of Historic Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of preservation and restoration, research methods, measured drawings, surveying methods, and case studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ARC 619. Architecture and Color. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the theory and practice of color and its application to architectural design. Topics include color history from Newton through Alber, the relationship between color practice in science versus art, and the discipline of color in architecture from the Neoclassical movement through the Modern Movement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.
ARC 620. Responsible Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
A responsible architecture is one that takes into consideration aesthetics, ecology, sustainability, history, context (urban or otherwise), as well as the health, welfare, and joy of the people who occupy it. This course will address architecture from a distinctly humanist viewpoint, keeping in mind how man is inextricably connected to his environment, both architectural and natural. To focus on sustainability, typology, urbanism, or aesthetics alone would be to negate architecture’s interconnectedness. The creation of a responsible architecture requires this multi-layered approach.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 621. Housing, Infrastructure and Transportation. 3 Credit Hours.
Case studies in sustainable urban design. Survey and assessment of innovations in community design and building. Examples from the late nineteenth century to contemporary practice illuminate environmental, social, and economic goals and impacts in urban design.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 622. Urban Design History and Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Part I: Survey of housing theories and projects with emphasis on morphological context, typology and composition - focus on topics of modernity. Part II: Introduction to thoroughfare design and walkability principles; description of urban, suburban, rural and regional infrastructure.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 623. Urban Design Competition. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Intensive, collaborative urban design project, combining master planning and real estate development expertise, to be submitted to international peer reviewed competition. Project teams are comprised of students from several different degree programs, such as architecture, urban design, real estate development, business, and law.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 624. Select Topics in Interior Architecture Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles and technical components of interior design. Topics include interior volumetrics, finishes, furnishings and lighting.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 625. Landscape Arch Design I. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis and design of landscape spaces. Studies in historical precedent, gardens, parks, plazas, squares, and response to urban and architectural context.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 626. Landscape Arch Design II. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis and design of landscape spaces. Topics include ecological principles, landforms and plant materials.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 627. Architecture Photography. 3 Credit Hours.
Photography with emphasis on architectural subjects. Introduction to visual principles, photographic equipment, materials, and techniques.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 628. Historic Preservation. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic design principles for the rehabilitation of historic buildings and districts. Evaluating character-defining details; significance analysis; context of setting issues within historic districts; applying the Secretary of the Interior’s Standards for rehabilitation.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
ARC 629. Research in Design-Methods and Procedures. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of research methods and procedures to design issues. Historical, descriptive, analytic, experimental research methods; tools for data manipulation and communication.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 630. Building Technology I: Materials and Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
Material characteristics of enclosure and structural systems, case studies in traditional and modern building construction; Topics include properties of building materials: wood, masonry concrete, steel and glass construction techniques; on-site and off-site processes; exterior finishes, assemblies, detailing and basic building code concepts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 631. Building Technology II: Structural Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Structural systems: The tectonics, patterns and behavior of the elements of building structures. Topics: Equilibrium, stability, vertical and lateral loads, building envelope and financial considerations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 632. Building Structures I. 3 Credit Hours.
The structural behavior of simple frame structures. Topics include techniques to determine basic system layout and preliminary dimensioning of key subsystems and members.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ARC 633. Building Structures II. 3 Credit Hours.
The structural behavior of complex structures. Topics include prestressed systems, waffle and space trusses, curved structures and longspan buildings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

ARC 634. The Palazzo in Italian Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of the development of the Renaissance and Baroque palazzo in Rome and other important centers of art and culture. Emphasis on the socio-political context.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 635. Historic Italian Urbanism. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of Italian cities and towns from medieval to contemporary times, including a comparative analysis of history and form.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 636. Italian Gardens. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of Italian garden design during the Renaissance, Baroque and Mannerist periods. Emphasis on historical and political context.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 637. Research in Rome. 3 Credit Hours.
An exploration of Roman history, architecture and urban form through lectures, on site study and drawing assignments. Emphasis on chronological and spatial sequence of development.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 638. Interior Architecture Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles and technical components of interior design. Topics include activity, analysis, finishes, furniture, fixture, lighting, and acoustics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
ARC 639. Adaptation to Climate Change. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the phenomena and related discussion on the topic of climate change. Review of current scientific evidence, tactics for mitigation of emissions and other causal actions, followed by study of the adaptation required by changing conditions. Class assignments include creative proposals for adaptation action.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 640. Tropical Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
A discussion of tropical architecture and the theme of tropicalism. Research, analysis and documentation in drawing of selected case studies

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 641. Seminar on Town Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the lexicon of urbanism; analytical presentations of the concepts of region, town, neighborhood, corridor, district, and building type; interdisciplinary presentations, review, and criticism of current town and urban design projects.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 642. Seminar on Housing. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to domestic building typology; exploration of the concepts of low, medium, and high density housing with attention to social, environmental, and economic issues; presentations of current case studies.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 643. Seminar on Retrofit of Suburbia. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the critical reconstitution of the city; theory and history of the concepts of revitalization and redevelopment; presentations, review, and criticism of current case studies.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 644. The Architecture of Palladio. 3 Credit Hours.
On site study of the architecture and urbanism of Andrea Palladio. Emphasis on the artistic precedents of the Veneto Region.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 645. Urban Composition. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey and analytical review of urban rooms as the vessel of human activity in urban culture. Study of proportional and compositional aspects of urban rooms together with economic, social, and cultural factors. Readings and discussion format.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 646. Studies of Havana. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of the physical structure of a major city and its environments including an exploration of its history and iconographic themes, mapping and building studies.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 647. Architecture and Urban Identity. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of the relationship between architecture and urbanism focusing on the ways by which architecture provides urban identity and image of place. Case studies relating monuments, fabric and urban plans to their culture, time and place. Lecture and seminar format.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ARC 648. Seminar in Community Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of the contemporary context for the development of the physical environment. Examination of public, private and third sector implementation of building and community design. Format: guest speakers, readings, discussions, and seminar.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 649. Construction and Project Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Management of construction projects including legal considerations and techniques of management science applied to construction. Includes engineering methods of cost and time estimating, and exercises in applications of engineering economics, flow charts, tracking progress, construction contracts, indemnity agreements, and network planning techniques including CPM and PERT.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 650. Professional Lecture Series. 3 Credit Hours.
Real estate transactions and deal structuring from the development perspective. Using the case study method, the course explores the key components and the disciplines needed for successful real estate transactions and projects.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 651. Contemporary Theories of Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
Theoretical basis of modern architecture and different present currents and movements. Agrarianism, technism, orthodoxy, brutalism, scientism, revivalism, consumerism, rationalism, classicism.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 652. Management of Professional Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of the practice and the profession, legal and ethical concerns, business types and management practices, traditional and non-traditional practices and services, contracts and contractual relationships, disputes and risk management.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 653. Structural Design Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Relationship of structural systems to architectural design. Case studies in the ories of structure, form and construction.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 654. Architecture of South Florida. 3 Credit Hours.
History of architecture and human settlements. Studies of significant architectural landmarks and urban design of the South Florida Region, chronological growth of Miami, Miami Beach, Coral Gables, Key West and Palm Beach.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 655. 18th and 19th Century American Architecture and Architects. 3 Credit Hours.
The course concentrates on the development of early American architecture, Architects and Urbanism primarily but not exclusively to 17th, 18th and 19th centuries with particular emphasis on theoretical, technological and cultural developments in America.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 657. Design and Fabrication Techniques. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Design, construction and detailing of wood and other materials as applied to furnishings and interiors. Workshop includes research, exercises, documentation and a final project.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ARC 658. Theories of Landscape Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
Leading theories of landscape architecture which have influenced current considerations of nature, landscape and design, including concerns such as urban heat island effect, climate change resilience, and health impacts of landscape.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 659. Sustainability and LEED Exam Prep. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Study of U.S. Green Building Council standards for environmental efficacy in building and neighborhood design. Emphasis on fundamental knowledge of green building concepts, including transportation, energy, water and air quality. Includes preparation for LEED Accreditation Exam and registration for exam that provides the credential signifying expertise in green building and a LEED rating.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 660. Contemporary Latin American Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of Contemporary Latin American Architecture and Urbanism from the turn of the 20th Century to the present day. The work of some of the great figures on Latin American Modernism such as Niemeyer and Barragan, to contemporary figures such as Paulo Mendes da Rocha and Isay Weinfeld will be discussed. The influence of the Modern Movement in Europe and Le Corbusier will be reviewed. Large scale City Plans such as Lucio Costa's Plan for Brasilia and Roberto Burle-Marx's designs for Flamengo Park and Copacabana in Rio de Janeiro will be analyzed.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 661. Building Technology I: Materials and Methods.. 3 Credit Hours.
Material characteristics of enclosure and structural systems, case studies in traditional and modern building construction. Topics include properties of building materials: wood, masonry concrete, steel and glass construction tech- niques; on-site and off-site processes; exterior finishes; assemblies, detailing and basic building code concepts.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 662. Environmental Building Systems I. 3 Credit Hours.
Environmental and Safety Systems. Topics include mechanical - HVAC and conveyors; plumbing - fixtures and pipes; electrical - equipment and wiring design; safety systems - fire safety and emergency and signal systems.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ARC 663. Environmental Building Systems II. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles and applications of light and acoustics. Topics include natural and artificial light - planning for sunlight, problems and solutions for interior and exterior illumination; sound - properties, problems and solutions in new and existing spaces electrical equipment and wiring design.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 665. Computer Modeling. 3 Credit Hours.
Three-dimensional, computer modeling, and rendering. Lecture, problem solving exercises and laboratory.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 667. History of Architecture I. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies of the history of architecture and urban design. Focus on religious and secular monuments and their settings, domestic architecture and infrastructure, regional constructional and compositional traditions from prehistory to the end of the sixteenth century.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 668. History of Architecture II. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies of the history of architecture and urban design. Focus on religious and secular monuments and their settings, domestic architecture and infrastructure, regional constructional and compositional traditions from the end of the sixteenth century through to the present.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
ARC 669. Directed Readings. 3 Credit Hours.
A structured program of readings and essays organized by the student and his/her graduate supervisor constituting a preparation for graduate research in the student's chosen area of interest.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 670. Modern Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
History of architecture, landscape, and city design in the modern era.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 671. Ancient Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
History of architecture and human settlements. Western European prehistory, Egypt, Mesopotamia, Persia, Aegean and Mediterranean, Greece, Rome.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 672. Selected Topics in World Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
History of architecture and human settlements. Islamic Near East, North Africa, Hindu and Buddhist India, Nepal, S. E. Asia, China, Japan, Pre-Columbian America.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 673. Early Christian, Byzantine, and Medieval Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
History of architecture and human settlements. Early Christian and Byzantine architecture in Italy, the Near East, Greece, North Africa, Eastern Europe, Medieval architecture in Western Europe.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 674. Renaissance Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
History of architecture and human settlements. Renaissance and Baroque architecture in Italy, France, Spain and Portugal, Great Britain, Austria, Germany, and neighboring countries.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 675. Colonial Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
History of architecture and human settlements. Iberian and British Colonies from the 16th through the 19th centuries: North and South America, Caribbean, India and Africa.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 676. 19th and 20th Century Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
History of architecture and human settlements. America and Europe during the 19th and 20th centuries; cultural, technological and theoretical development.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 677. The Architecture of Alvar Aalto. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the architecture of Alvar Aalto through the analysis of selected buildings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 678. Italian Rationalist Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
History of Italian architecture and urban design between 1914 and 1950: cultural, technological, and theoretical developments; relationship between architecture, politics and propaganda; related survey of the period in other countries (France, German, Soviet Union).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
**ARC 679. An Introduction to Resilient Building and Community Design. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course introduces students to the relationships between climate, resiliency, architecture and urbanism; building awareness of the growing challenges and opportunities ahead, and the intersections between these disciplines. What does resilience mean in this broader context, and how should escalating stressors and shocks be addressed? Students learn about climate sciences, then research, document, and analyze evolving resilient design strategies, at the scale of buildings, neighborhoods and cities, in the end, applying those lessons to a given case study site; developing a holistic set of resilient design recommendations. During the course, students interact with specialists in the fields of architecture and urban design, as well as related fields, such as engineering, social, marine and environmental sciences, and/or policymakers, to better comprehend first-hand the interwoven scientific, social, environmental, and governmental ramifications to resilient design. Lastly, students learn the mechanics of participatory design methods employed to engage communities in related efforts.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**ARC 680. Professional Advancement, Internship + Research (PAIR). 3 Credit Hours.**
Research Component of PAIR program. Student, host office and faculty collaboratively develop a focused, in-depth research project related to the tasks the student is completing as part of the Internship Component of the PAIR program. Application and PAIR committee acceptance required prior to enrollment.

Components: RSC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**ARC 681. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.**
Group or individual investigations of significant architectural issues, offered by special arrangement only.

Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**ARC 682. Special Problems. 3-6 Credit Hours.**
Group or individual investigations of significant architectural issues, offered by special arrangement only.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**ARC 683. Special Problems. 3 Credit Hours.**
Group or individual investigations of significant architectural issues, offered by special arrangement only.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**ARC 684. Special Problems. 3 Credit Hours.**
Group or individual investigations of significant architectural issues, offered by special arrangement only.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**ARC 685. Special Problems. 3 Credit Hours.**
Group or individual investigations of significant architectural issues, offered by special arrangement only.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**ARC 686. Special Problems. 3 Credit Hours.**
Group or individual investigations of significant architectural issues, offered by special arrangement only.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**ARC 690. History of Cities. 3 Credit Hours.**
Historical overview of the origin and development of cities around the world. Emphasis on intentional form of settlements (the ideal) as well as response to economic and political imperatives such as trade and defense (the real).

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ARC 691. Housing and the Contemporary City. 3 Credit Hours.
Housing is a relatively new field and discipline, born of the complex interplay of urban development, building traditions, architectural innovation and basic human needs. The role of housing in building the city, and the role of the city in determining the shape and content of housing, will be the point of departure for this survey and seminar. The student is expected to gain an understanding of how building typology, history, urban traditions, site design, the functional issues of lifestyle and culture affect the critical issue of housing design. Simultaneously, an awareness of the role of housing design in the creation and articulation of urban space will be studied.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ARC 692. Cinema and Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
The class studies the relationship between architecture and cinema. Lectures, film screenings, and readings, explore the origin and development of filmic space with an emphasis on its relation to the real and poetic image of the city. The class analyzes selected films as they relate to, comment, criticize, and anticipate the development of contemporary concepts of space, urban space, interior space, etc.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 693. Computer Animation. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores the use of computer animation and advanced visualization techniques in architecture with emphasis on texture and lighting, spatial choreography and story-boarding.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 694. Geographic Information Systems in Urban Design. 0-3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of Geographic Information Systems (GIS) in urban design. Principles of GIS and their application to spatial analysis, data management and visualization.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 695. Interactive Multimedia in Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Integration of text, video, sound, and computer graphics to create an interactive electronic information medium.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 696. Advanced Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Subject matter offerings based upon student demand and availability of faculty. Subtitles describing the topics will be shown in the printed class schedule, following the title "Advanced Topics".

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 697. Designing for the Internet of Things. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines how current research and development in embedded computation bears on architecture, landscape, and urbanism. Students will explore the implications and impact of ubiquitous computing in its potential to change the way we conceive, construct, inhabit and interact with our buildings, landscapes, and cities.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 698. Introduction to Programming for Architects. 3 Credit Hours.
As digital tools continue to play an increasing role in the Architect's toolkit, it is becoming increasingly important that Architects not only understand how to use and navigate these tools but to customize and adapt them to their specific needs. Learning how to program allows Architects to start to fully utilize the potential in digital tools by maximizing the possibilities in not only 3D modeling and digital fabrication but in responsive architecture, embedded computation and animating spaces contributing to a more dynamic and potentially inter-connected built environment.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
ARC 699. Directed Research. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The course addresses the issues of design as research and pre-design. Students will develop research, write a thesis statement, select a site, prepare a site documentation and site analysis, and develop an architectural program for the thesis project, select pertinent case studies and diagram them. This work will be collected and presented as both a presentation and in book form. In addition, the course prepares students for an independent design project through thoughtful development of a thesis question, site and program. The preparation of the thesis question will require the development of basic research strategies and methods, and understanding of how to find an evaluate sources, the analysis and synthesis of information, the development of a research plan and a design method, and the written and oral presentation of these skills to an outside audience.
Components: RSC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 701. Masters Final Project. 6 Credit Hours.
Individually supervised projects. Required as a 6 credit course for all Master of Architecture in Computing students electing a final project.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 720. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis or final project for the master's degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in ARC 699 or ARC 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THE.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CMA 601. Fundamentals of Construction Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of Construction Management is an introductory-level, graduate course. This course is designed to provide students with introductory knowledge and basic skills they will need to understand and apply as they progress through the program. Students receive an overview of key topics that will be covered in greater detail through core courses and electives during subsequent terms. Each class session provides a primer on a specific area of vital importance, including scheduling, cost estimating and Project Management. Upon completion students will be familiar with basic concepts, terminology, and procedures associated with the industry, and well prepared to study these subjects in greater depth.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CMA 603. Critical Thinking and Communications in Design and Construction. 1 Credit Hour.
Critical thinking is the driver of effective communication. In general, critical thinking is the ability to deal with the contradictions and problems in a tumultuous environment in a reasoned, purposeful and productive way. Decisions are made using an approach that is fair, objective, accurate and based on information that is relevant to the situation. The pursuit of critical thinking equips leaders and managers think rationally, provide sound reasoning and develop a coherent argument. In this Course, students identify and use critical thinking skills, processes and techniques to effectively communicate their ideas.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CMA 610. Financial Management and Accounting for Construction. 2 Credit Hours.
Students in this course study the management of construction company and construction project finances. They learn the fundamentals of construction accounting and depreciation, prepare financial statements for a construction company, analyze company's financial health, conduct cost and profit center analysis, prepare and forecast cash flows, and use the technique of time value of money for economic decision making.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
CMA 620. Construction Project Controls. 2 Credit Hours.
Project Planning, Scheduling & Control is the process of coordinating numerous and often complex elements to erect a structure and satisfy the needs of a sophisticated owner. Study of methods for coordinating people, equipment, materials, money, and schedule to complete a project on time and within approved cost. Each phase of the work must be monitored and measured. You cannot control if you cannot measure and you cannot measure if you cannot count. It then becomes the goal of project controls to quantify and govern costs and the goal of the scheduling process to quantify and visualize the progress of the job and make the necessary changes to deliver a successful job.
Prerequisite: CMA 601.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CMA 630. Contract Documents. 2 Credit Hours.
Students in this class will gain a basic knowledge of construction contract documents including agreements, contracts, drawings and specifications, requests for information, change orders, and other documents that make up the body of Contract Documents associated with a given project. The course focuses on understanding the relationship between, contract documents and the construction process, as influenced by Project Delivery Methods We will explore contractual relationships, legal roles and responsibilities, and contract types.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CMA 632. Construction Risk Analysis and Control. 2 Credit Hours.
Construction Risk Management is an advanced-level, graduate course designed especially for disciplines involved in creating the built environment (e.g., architecture, urban planning, infrastructure-related engineering disciplines). The focus will be on identifying and managing risks at the project. A variety of risk analysis concepts, tools and methodologies will be utilized.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CMA 636. Legal Issues in Building Construction. 2 Credit Hours.
This course examines problems that can arise during the course of construction due to different interpretations by various project team members of contract document provisions and communications. These problems can significantly affect the risk, schedule and cost of a project. Students will be encouraged to work in small groups to identify, and to recommend specific actions to avoid and to minimize adverse impacts of, ambiguous contract provisions and project communications.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CMA 640. Virtual Design and Construction (VDC/BIM). 3 Credit Hours.
The building industry is rapidly adopting Virtual Design and Construction (VDC) and Building Information Models (BIM) throughout the project process; design, construction, and facilities management. VDC and BIM are increasingly becoming an umbrella term for a variety of software tools, design methods, and construction processes that allow for more automation, communication and integration between project participants. This course reflects on emerging technologies in the context of Project Management and Integrated Delivery, and includes modeling, visualization, 3D clash detection, digital site layout, 4D modeling, as-built model generation, and digital information management. This course will first introduce basic VDC and BIM concepts and review industry examples of how these concepts play out on design and construction projects.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CMA 642. Emerging Technologies in Design and Construction. 2 Credit Hours.
Technologies emerge in part to address the needs of society, improve sustainability and resiliency, and increase productivity and thus profit margins. There is an undeniable need for efficiency in managing the construction process, and emerging technologies offers perhaps the best opportunities to improve the construction process through better integration and efficiency. This course surveys cutting edge technologies in the construction industry and their applications in the design and construction process.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CMA 644. Sustainable Development. 2 Credit Hours.
This course provides the students with an understanding of the environmental and resource implications of construction activity within the context of sustainable development. It considers the theoretical and methodological basis of approaches designed to quantify the impacts associated with choices made at different stages of the construction life cycle, as well as tools designed to evaluate relative environmental and sustainability performance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
CMA 654. Introduction to Health and Safety. 1 Credit Hour.
Introduces occupational safety hazards associated with the construction industry. Emphasis placed on recognition, evaluation and control of safety hazards particularly as they relate to the Occupational Safety and Health Act.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

CMA 670. Construction Site Practicum (Materials and Methods Health and Safety). 2 Credit Hours.
This course allows students to participate in a supervised work program where they apply MCM coursework knowledge in a practical setting. Students will complete 2 rotations per term. Each rotation will be at a different job site and with a different corporate sponsor. Work is supervised by a SoA faculty member and a corporate sponsor. Students develop conceptual and professional skills related to their practice at a construction site, a minimum of 20 hours per week (140 hours per 7-week rotation). Students will also meet with their faculty supervisor 1 hour per week during the term to review progress. Satisfactory performance at the field placement and during on-campus class meetings must be demonstrated before students can proceed to the Professional Internship (CMA 674).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CMA 671. Construction Management Practicum (Project Management). 2 Credit Hours.
This course allows students to participate in a supervised work program where they apply MCM coursework knowledge in a practical setting. Students will complete 2 rotations per term. Each rotation will be at a different job site and with a different corporate sponsor. Work is supervised by a SoA faculty member and a corporate sponsor. Students develop conceptual and professional skills related to their practice at a construction office a minimum of 20 hours per week (140 hours per 7-week rotation). Students will also meet with their faculty supervisor 1 hour per week during the term to review progress. Satisfactory performance at the field placement and during on-campus class meetings must be demonstrated before students can proceed to the Professional Internship (CMA 673).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CMA 674. Capstone Project. 3 Credit Hours.
The Construction Management Capstone Project course introduces the methods and tools necessary to analyze a set of plans and specifications for an active Miami building project (or projects) and includes a comprehensive review and analysis of documentation requirements for the selected project(s). Students are paired with appropriate industry managers and work in small teams, utilizing knowledge acquired from their core courses to develop and draft a comprehensive, professional level project manual. Review of contract plans and documents as well as site visits and interaction with actual project team members are required. To be taken during the final term of study.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CMA 676. Interdisciplinary Design Studio/ Integrated Project Delivery. 3 Credit Hours.
Integrated Project Delivery is an alternative to the traditional design-bid-build approach. It is based on enhanced collaboration among design professionals, clients and the building team. These methods can reduce risk and improve the efficiency of the design and construction delivery process. Integrated practice and integrated project delivery are a response to pressures from building owners for a more efficient and predictable process for designing and constructing buildings, and to the increasing availability of advanced digital technologies such as Building Information Modeling. This is an active learning course. Students enrolled in this course will participate in the integrated Design Studio assuming the role of the Construction consultant providing guidance in the design process including; defining goals and standards, Project Costs, Project Schedule, Project Quality, Sustainability, and Performance. Prerequisite: CMA 640
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

CMA 680. Directed Studies. 1-4 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide further study through directed readings, directed research projects or seminars, or special class work related to research in a specific subject related to the construction industry not realizable through an existing course. Students must, in consultation with a faculty member, develop a detailed project proposal indicating the rationale, readings, scope, objectives, and methods prior to beginning the course. Each Directed Studies course is usually initiated in response to student interest and is limited to five or fewer students.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CMA 681. Special Topics in Construction. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Group or individual investigations of special topics and current issues relevant to the construction industry. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
CMA 682. Special Topics in Construction. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Explorations of special topics and current issues relevant to the construction industry. Teaching and learning methods vary depending on the subject matter.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CMA 684. Special Problems. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Explorations of special problems and current topics relevant to the construction industry. Teaching and learning methods vary depending on the subject matter.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CMA 690. Advanced Productivity and Lean Construction. 2 Credit Hours.
The course aims to provide an understanding of the modern concepts and methods in productivity and production system to improve construction practice with lean construction, as well as other tools and techniques for designing and implementing lean construction on projects.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

CMA 691. Quality Management and Performance. 1 Credit Hour.
Advanced construction management approaches to quality; process and productivity improvement in construction. Students use of case studies, exercises, and/or term projects to show application of management and quantitative concepts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CMA 692. Construction Forensics. 1 Credit Hour.
Construction failure, in its many forms, are both interesting and instructive and in the context of this course, students will study construction failures in their many forms.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

CMA 694. Codes, Standards and Regulations. 1 Credit Hour.
This course provides students with an awareness of different codes, standards, and regulations applicable to the construction industry, how to find the codes and what roles they play in design and construction. The course takes the student through the history of codes, standards, and regulations, their promulgation and their future.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CMA 701. Operating and Managing a Construction Organization. 3 Credit Hours.
Successfully managing a construction company is a multifaceted undertaking that requires knowledge of common business practices, accounting principles, regional economic conditions and expertise in the building process. This course leads students through the how-to's of running a successful, large, complex construction company. It analyzes how the industry actually works, including contractual relationships with clients in all types of projects from design/build to privatization. It covers the business fundamentals of running a construction company, including issues such as surety and insurance: various types of construction organizations, domestic and international; and company culture - inner-workings of a business that can mean the differences between success and failure.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CMA 702. Professional Leadership Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
This course will explore in a seminar format leaders and leadership situations. Industry leaders will share years of experience and tell their stories. It is an eclectic group who face diverse challenges. The key elements of leadership will be discussed and a framework for thinking about leadership created to provide focus for discussions. The goal will be to enhance students' understanding of and openness to growth as leaders. It is not to teach students to lead. It is to help them think more insightfully about the subject and gain an understanding of what they can do to become more effective.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
CMA 708. Preconstruction Services. 2 Credit Hours.
Pre-construction services grew out of construction cost estimating to encompass the other activities in planning a project with the intent to help deliver a satisfactory project that meets the owner’s objectives. The preconstruction team participates in design decisions, evaluations, studies, value engineering, value analysis, scheduling, constructability reviews, and more. The course covers the analysis of pre-construction services including, feasibility studies, conceptual estimating, scope definition, cost estimating & GMP, constructability & design review, value engineering, and bid review & comparison.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CMA 710. Construction Finance, Planning and Analysis. 2 Credit Hours.
This course is designed for industry professionals to enhance their skills in managing the finances of a construction organization and create a sustainable corporate enterprise. The emphasis is on accounting and managerial finance principles from the perspective of a company President or General Manager.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CMA 720. Advanced Planning and Scheduling. 2 Credit Hours.
In depth understanding of the theory and techniques associated with planning, analysis and control. This is a practice oriented, construction project-planning, management and control course emphasizing standard quantitative and qualitative techniques. The Planning, Management, and Control skills necessary to function effectively on complex projects share a common requirement for understanding scheduling, cost control, and their inter-relationship for ensuring successful project performance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

CMA 722. Case Studies in Risk Management. 2 Credit Hours.
Through the case studies and discussion, this course focuses on the safety practices mandated by government regulation and required by good business practice. Exposure analysis, risk management, risk transfer and the costs associated with each will be examined.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CMA 724. Human Resource Management. 1 Credit Hour.
This course uses case studies to discuss the variety of issues that contribute directly to organizational and professional development. Included are the strategies used to create working environments geared toward success on the job. Managing an organization’s people is often the most challenging and complex task required of a manager. It is also the responsibility, if executed well, that permits a person to rise to the senior level of management, or prevents a manager from rising to the senior level if done poorly. The objective of the course is to teach the basic principles of strategic human resource management—how an organization acquires, rewards, motivates, uses, and generally manages its people effectively.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CMA 726. Case Studies in Construction Management. 2 Credit Hours.
Case Studies in Construction Management uses case studies to analyze and integrate the various disciplines found in the development of the Built Environment from the perspective of Construction Management.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CMA 730. Managing Legal Issues in Building Construction. 2 Credit Hours.
This course is not intended to make lawyers out of Construction Management students. It is, rather, an effort to introduce those who might become involved in the construction industry to legal issues which are essential elements of construction projects. The course, which will be taught by practitioners and participants in the field, provides an overview of the legal issues which confront the construction executive from proposals and preconstruction services through post occupancy and warranty.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
CMA 734. Prevention and Resolution of Contract Disputes. 2 Credit Hours.
This course covers the variety of contractual relationships in the construction industry and the actions that may result in disputes. Emphasis is given to the steps required for rapid, cost-effective resolution of disputes. Resolution techniques such as negotiating, mediation, arbitration, and litigation are examined, and case studies requiring oral and written presentations are incorporated into the class sessions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CMA 740. Project Feasibility Analysis and Valuation. 2 Credit Hours.
This course provides students with the essential tools needed to analyze the feasibility of a real estate development project, including the process for determining the asset's valuation based on projected cash flows. For a construction organization, understanding how a client/owner evaluates project opportunities and forecasts asset performance furnishes valuable insight into the critical cost and revenue assumptions that drive a project's expected returns.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

CMA 799. Capstone Research. 2 Credit Hours.
This course will guide students in the development of their research topic. It integrates applied classroom and current industry practice and knowledge through observation and interpretation of realistic CM issues.
Components: RSC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CMA 801. Executive Capstone Project. 4 Credit Hours.
The executive program concludes with a 4 credit Capstone Project focused on the assessment of problem areas in a selected project or organization and applying knowledge gained to increase efficiency, eliminate errors and increase profitability.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

RED 601. Introduction to Real Estate Development and Urbanism. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of real estate development of urban places, including the many challenges of the development process such as analyzing market sectors and development opportunities, comprehending the development context of regulation, public policy and politics, raising investment capital, assembling land, program formulation, building types, construction management, marketing, and sales.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

RED 610. Financing Urban Real Estate Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Concepts and techniques for analyzing financial decisions in property development and investment including: real estate economics and investment performance measurement, leasing and property income streams, pro forma analysis, basics of equity and debt valuation, income tax and leverage considerations, mortgages, and deal structures. Emphasis financing individual projects.
ARRE_MREDU Academic Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

RED 612. Applied Real Estate Finance and Investments: 1. 2 Credit Hours.
This course builds a foundation for further study of real estate investments and development. This course provides for advanced application of theory and techniques for the analysis of horizontal and vertical development. Discounted cash flow models are developed and enhanced to address topics including multiple property types, staggered sellouts, and condominiums. Emphasis is placed on analysis where extreme data poverty or uncertain exist.
Requisite: ARRE_MREDU Program and Prerequisite: RED 610.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
RED 614. Applied Real Estate Finance and Investments: 2. 2 Credit Hours.
This course builds a foundation for further study of real estate investments and development. This course provides for advanced application of theory and techniques at the entity and deal-level. Discounted cash flow models are developed and enhanced to address topics including partnerships and waterfalls, income tax considerations and a greater exploration of a variety of public and private debt instruments. Emphasis is placed on analyzing the performance of a prospective development across the entire capital stack.
Requisite: ARRE_MREDU Program and Prerequisite: RED 608 and RED 610.
Components: LEC.
Grading: LEC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

RED 618. Technologies and Tools for Commercial Real Estate. 1 Credit Hour.
Students in the Technologies and Tools for Commercial Real Estate will learn basic skills for ARGUS Enterprise, REIS, Co-Star, Real Capital Analytics and/or the latest in Real Estate Technology and Tools. Students will be introduced to concepts of entering leases, budgets, market assumptions or valuation and yield parameters on a repetitive basis. The modules that are covered in the course include Valuation-Cash Flow, Portfolio Level Reporting and Sensitivity. Courses concentrate on practical applications of software and tools through interactive examples and case studies. Participants are exposed to a large cross section of software capabilities, fundamentals and unique nuances. Offered: Spring.
Prerequisite: RED 610.
Components: WKS.
Grading: LEC.
Typically Offered: Spring.

RED 620. Real Estate Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of law and the entitlement process, including contractual aspects of real estate development, finance, management and ethical issues and a real-world overview of the review and approvals process.
Components: LEC.
Grading: LEC.
Typically Offered: Fall.

RED 630. Real Estate Market Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Identification of critical market factors that determine development opportunities. Topics include business and construction cycles, regional and urban growth trends, commercial and industrial location theories, and advanced demographic analysis and projection techniques to project and analyze occupancy, rental growth, absorption, and competitive supply.
Components: LEC.
Grading: LEC.
Typically Offered: Fall.

RED 640. Charrette Training. 1 Credit Hour.
Intensive workshop and training in public outreach and participatory planning with emphasis on analysis of political context, appropriate communication technology, collaboration techniques, and design team management. Offered in conjunction with National Charrette Institute.
Components: LEC.
Grading: LEC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

RED 650. Complex Urban Real Estate Transactions. 3 Credit Hours.
Real estate transactions and deal structuring from the development perspective. Using the case study method, the course explores the key components and the disciplines needed for successful real estate transactions and projects.
ARRE_MREDU Academic Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: LEC.
Typically Offered: Spring.

RED 660. Urban Infill, Preservation, and Mixed Use Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Builds students’ competencies for infill and redevelopment practice focusing on: mixed-use development, transit oriented development, barriers and solutions for urban infill development, urban site analysis, repositioning of urban land, vacant and underutilized properties, long-term land leases, tax incentives, historic preservation, public-private partnerships, business improvement districts, tax increment financing, community (re)development districts, parking strategies, and urban housing types.
Components: LEC.
Grading: LEC.
Typically Offered: Spring.
RED 670. Construction and Project Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Management of construction projects including legal considerations and techniques of management science applied to construction. Includes engineering methods of cost and time estimating, and exercises in applications of engineering economics, flow charts, tracking progress, construction contracts, indemnity agreements, and network planning techniques including CPM and PERT.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

RED 680. Entrepreneurship in Real Estate Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Focuses on management and business practices for building new urban real estate firms capable of leading the industry and assuming competitive advantages over conventional models.
ARRE_MREDU Academic Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

RED 690. Case Studies in Real Estate Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Students integrate and apply their learning and skills to complex problem-solving involving a series of intensive real world cases of urban real estate development. Focuses on project feasibility and helps hone the required set of development skills.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

RED 699. Capstone: Real Estate Development and Urbanism Charrette. 1-3 Credit Hours.
An intensive real estate development and urban design studio in which students are part of a multi-disciplinary team on an urban development project. Focuses on comprehensive analysis, project planning, feasibility and program development through the application of advanced development skills in an urban context.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

Certificate in Classical Architecture

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(This certificate is not stand alone; it's part of a Master degree only.)
For thousands of years, the Classical tradition has lain at the heart of western architecture, resulting in an enduring language of design of universal appeal that is readily understood by the general public. The growing appreciation for classical and traditional architecture has meant that the demand for traditional buildings, in both the public and private realms, is greater today than it has been for 50+ years. This is reflected in the hiring preference (by many architectural firms) to obtain graduates whose portfolios demonstrate a skill set in this field, along with conventional modernist idioms.

It is our belief that giving students a training in classicism makes them better designers in all traditions, including modernism. The core of the certificate program is a studio in which the vocabulary (the orders) and the syntax (composition) of classical architecture are taught through a series of pedagogical exercises and esquisse (sketch) projects; in addition, students will take electives in history, theory, and documentary analysis.

The Certificate program engages the educational opportunities of two organizations: The Institute of Classical Architecture & Art (ICAA) and the Prince’s Foundation for the Built Environment. A New York City-based organization with 14 chapters nationwide including one in the Southeast (Atlanta), The ICAA is the leading national non-profit organization dedicated to advancing the practice and appreciation of the Classical tradition in architecture and the allied arts. The Prince’s Foundation for the Built Environment, a United Kingdom-based architecture school and trust, was founded by the Prince of Wales in order to promote a return of human values to architecture.

Certificate requires a total of 15 credits of core courses and related electives.

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Certificate in Construction Management

Overview

Growth in the construction industry is projected to outpace all other industries through 2030, creating a high demand for qualified professionals in the industry. The Certificate in Construction Management addresses the growing demand for professionals with the advanced knowledge, discipline, and skills needed to face the challenges of the construction industry and become future leaders of design and construction-related organizations worldwide. The certificate takes advantage of the culture and resources available at the School of Architecture as well as the Miami Herbert Business School and the School of Law. The Certificate in Construction Management prepares graduate architecture students for effective management leadership in the construction field. It provides a foundation for training in professional management of construction projects while focusing on three components that represent the functional areas of construction management:

- Management
- Project Controls
- Design and Construction Technology

Certificate requires a total of 15 credits of core courses and related electives.

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Certificate in Design for Health & Well-Being

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As a growing body of research demonstrates the significant impacts of the built environment on health and well-being, new systems of building certifications and demands for evidence-based decision-making have expanded beyond the field of healthcare buildings to include the full spectrum of urban, institutional, commercial, and residential design. At the same time, the field of healthcare design is addressing fundamental change. As healthcare systems are in the midst of realignments with population health and community-based care, these realignments are moving beyond the walls of acute care facilities to encompass wellness beginning with behaviors, which research is showing to be highly influenced by the environment.

The University of Miami Built Environment Behavior and Health Research Group, with faculty in the Department of Public Health Sciences and the School of Architecture, has conducted an ongoing program of funded research in this area of inquiry since 1999. In 2015, research group members Professor Joanna Lombard and Public Health Sciences Research Associate Professor Scott Brown were selected as Charter Members of one of eleven founding university teams selected by the American Institute of Architects (AIA), AIA Foundation, and the Association of Collegiate Schools of Architecture for the AIA Design + Health Research Consortium. The work of the research group has been widely disseminated to include informed public policy that has been integrated into both architecture and urban design studios in the School of Architecture.

Focusing more specifically on healthcare environments, in 2009, Professor Joanna Lombard initiated the School’s first Healthcare Design Studio and aligned with the School of Business, the first healthcare focused symposium, “Future Directions: Health Care and the Built Environment.” Over the last 9 years, subsequent studios and related colloquia have been associated with healthcare systems and urban environments, addressing the rapidly changing world of healthcare and engaging topical research in public health. Alumni from these studios have found positions around the United States working in this vanguard area of the intersection of health and well-being. Applying to building and healthcare design specifically, this intersection has extended to other larger issues of community design.

Certificate requires a total of 15 credits of core courses and related electives.

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Certificate in Historic Preservation

The Certificate in Historic Preservation program provides a unique opportunity for both undergraduate and graduate students at U-SoA to expand their knowledge of historic preservation while completing their professional degrees. The program builds on U-SoA’s strengths in history, urban design, community-building, and regionalism.

Miami and its region, including South Florida and the Caribbean, serve as an ideal laboratory for the program. A diversity of characteristics and threatened buildings, urban districts, and landscapes provide the context for exploring the evolving issues in historic preservation.

The Certificate Program stresses an interdisciplinary approach and allows specialization in areas of regional significance, such as tropical and subtropical architecture. Program resources include Miami’s professional community with its extensive experience in preservation in practice.

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Certificate in Hospitality Design

Overview

The hospitality industry is a foundational building block of modern urban centers. Hospitality has emerged in the last 10 years as a critical area of lifestyle innovation and brand development as well as a laboratory for the application of new ideas about resilience and sustainability. Supported by
the School's Real Estate Development + Urbanism program, the Certificate in Hospitality Design will provide a foundation in hospitality design training for interested graduate students.

Miami, as one of the major US hotel and hospitality markets, is well-suited as a center of research and practical application of hospitality design. Many local architectural firms specialize in hospitality design and export these services within the region and around the world.

Since its inception in 2014, the SoA Hotel Studio has consistently attracted students seeking to explore the specialized field of hospitality architecture. The Hospitality Studio engages the program and function of hotels, but also the very important role of hotels in responding to and enriching their context. Urban hotels and resort hotels present a set of critical issues that require inter-disciplinary approaches. Since 2016, the School has also offered a seminar in hospitality design. Together, these two courses have provided a foundation for further engagement and exploration of the field.

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Certificate in Real Estate Development and Urbanism

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The Certificate in Real Estate Development and Urbanism is designed to provide students with skills and experience to compete in the evolving world of urban real estate development. The curriculum is enriched by the University’s location in one of the nation’s most dynamic real estate markets, and by the School of Architecture faculty’s experience in livable community design. The certificate lays a foundation for training real estate industry professionals capable of tapping the power of the market to deliver development that offers a high quality of life for diverse populations to live, work, and pursue daily activities in walkable and sustainable neighborhoods and communities.

The Certificate will build on course offerings in the existing Master of Real Estate Development and Urbanism program, including real estate development, real estate finance, market analysis, real estate law, land use policies and codes, construction and project management, public private partnerships, sustainable development, and entrepreneurship. The existing curriculum incorporates case studies and materials on mixed-use development, urban infill, the redevelopment and repositioning of urban properties, historic preservation, and the integration of design, policy, management, and real estate development decision-making in shaping the built environment of communities.

There is a strong and increasing demand for graduates in architecture with both interdisciplinary skillsets and a foundational knowledge in real estate development, as well as knowledge of the interaction between real estate, architecture, construction, and urban design.

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Certificate in Sustainable & Resilient Design

Certificate in Sustainable and Resilient Design

Environmental impacts of building practices, climate change, and rising sea levels are changing the landscape of architecture as a profession. Architects play a central role in selecting material and technology strategies, as well as developing robust adaptation strategies by addressing material impacts and climate stressors in their designs. Research, innovation, and community outreach are central and connected aspects of sustainable and resilient building practices. South Florida is ground zero for issues of coastal resiliency in particular. SoA has developed a coastal resiliency curriculum that capitalizes on civic and scholarly partnerships and aims to better familiarize students with these and other inter-related design, planning, regulatory issues, and the responding strategies under development. SoA faculty have been awarded significant research grants by the National Endowment for the Arts, the National Science Foundation, the W. K. Kellogg Foundation, and the Knight Foundation, resulting in the publication of related findings that aim to foster solutions.

Certificate requires a total of 15 credits of core courses and related electives.

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### Executive Master of Construction Management

**Overview**

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To obtain detailed program admission information, please reference our website [https://mcm.arc.miami.edu](https://mcm.arc.miami.edu) or contact the Graduate Admission Office at Tel. 305-284-3060.

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Mission

The mission of Executive Master of Construction Management is to provide experienced construction professionals, a highly specialized practical curriculum embodied with real-world experience and taught by industry leaders to augment their practical knowledge of the industry and assist in advancing their careers into leadership positions at their organizations.

Goals

- To provide an integrative, flexible, and state of the art curriculum that prepares students with the knowledge, discipline and marketable skills, to become future leaders in design and construction-related organizations;
- To provide future construction professionals with the knowledge and quantitative skills required to understand, organize and control construction projects from conception to closeout;
- To expose participants to technical skills and knowledge in architecture, engineering, construction, and cutting-edge technology in support of planning, analyzing, and solving construction problems;
- To encourage our students, as future industry leaders, through the school’s culture and resources to address the critical social, economic, and environmental challenges facing the construction industry; and
- To encourage participants to make meaningful contributions to the shaping of the built environment.

Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will apply various management techniques and methods to efficiently and effectively plan and control construction projects.
- Students will adopt and integrate emerging technologies and innovations in Construction Management practices.
- Students will understand the value of and apply sustainable building practices to optimize the use of available resources.
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Master of Architecture

Master of Architecture I (3 year track)

The Master of Architecture I is a NAAB-accredited, 3 year (7 semesters) program intended for students holding undergraduate degrees in non-design fields. This STEM-designated professional degree program provides a well-grounded understanding of architecture as students immerse in contemporary challenges to address a variety of social, cultural, technological and programmatic contexts.

At the heart of the M.Arch I curriculum are Core Studios that introduce students to critical topics, imbue necessary skills, inspire critical thinking, examine the production of meaning in architecture, and foster an understanding of architecture as an integrative discipline. The Core Studios are carefully synchronized with core courses in drawing and visualization, history and theory, technology and systems, and practice.

The first year begins with an examination of the relationship between nature, landscape, and the built environment, and how architectural form is informed by a careful reading of place. A summer in the School's Rome studio is configured to provide an intensive, on-site experience balancing design, history, theory, and analysis through drawing. In order to make travel to Rome more accessible, the School covers the cost of travel and lodging for this trip.

During the second year, students engage design-based critical inquiry into more complex issues including technology, structural systems, environmental stewardship, building envelope systems, and social human-centered aspects of architecture. In the Integrative Studio, which systematically incorporates professionals into the studio environment, students emulate modes of practice by organizing a complex architectural project combining design considerations with complex building systems, while also demonstrating proficiency in technical documentation.

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Beyond the Core Studios, students are able to develop individual focus areas, for instance in advanced technology, design-build, and building construction, sustainability and resilience, urban design, historic preservation, and adaptive-use, healthcare, or hospitality. Students direct their trajectory following their interests, develop areas of professional concentration through certificates, and engage in critical research.

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**Master of Architecture I AP (2 year advanced standing track)**

The Master of Architecture I AP is a 2-year (4-semester program) for students holding a pre-professional degree in architecture or a closely-related field. This STEM-designated professional degree program provides an advanced platform for students to engage contemporary challenges and address a variety of social, cultural, technological and programmatic contexts.

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Graduate students increasingly look to areas of concentration that can provide skill and knowledge bases for professional applications. Historic Preservation, Design for Health and Wellbeing, Sustainable and Resilient Design, Design for Health and Well-Being, Construction Management, Urban Design, and Real Estate Development prove to be rapidly growing areas of professional specialization as they engage critical areas of investigation in contemporary architecture. The certificate programs address both the intellectual and academic needs of the School of Architecture, and the desire of the School to use its current curriculum as a platform to engage these specialized areas further.

Certificates require 15 credits of one certificate-related studio (6 cr) and related architecture electives (9 cr).

**Admission Requirements**

Applications are generally considered for entrance in the Fall semester. only. Design studios in the Master of Architecture programs are sequenced to deliver a cohesive educational experience and students are expected to follow the established design studio sequence for their program. Students entering the program in Spring or Summer are not eligible to enter the studio sequence at that time, but may take electives or other required courses. This will necessarily extend the duration of the Master of Architecture program.

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**Goals**

- To prepare students for professional leadership and lifelong learning in architecture, urbanism, and related fields.
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### Master of Architecture I and Master of Urban Design Dual Degree

#### Overview

The dual Master of Architecture I and Master of Urban Design is a 126 credit program. The dual Master of Architecture I AP and Master of Urban Design is a 81 credit program.

The Master of Architecture I is a NAAB-accredited, 3 year (7 semesters) program intended for students holding undergraduate degrees in non-design fields. This STEM-designated professional degree program provides a well-grounded understanding of architecture as students immerse in contemporary challenges to address a variety of social, cultural, technological and programmatic contexts.
At the heart of the M.Arch I curriculum are Core Studios that introduce students to critical topics, imbue necessary skills, inspire critical thinking, examine the production of meaning in architecture, and foster an understanding of architecture as an integrative discipline. The Core Studios are carefully synchronized with core courses in drawing and visualization, history and theory, technology and systems, and practice.

The first year begins with an examination of the relationship between nature, landscape, and the built environment, and how architectural form is informed by a careful reading of place. A summer in the School's Rome studio is configured to provide an intensive, on-site experience balancing design, history, theory, and analysis through drawing. In order to make travel to Rome more accessible, the School covers the cost of travel and lodging for this trip.

During the second year, students engage design-based critical inquiry into more complex issues including technology, structural systems, environmental stewardship, building envelope systems, and social human-centered aspects of architecture. In the Integrative Studio, which systematically incorporates professionals into the studio environment, students emulate modes of practice by organizing a complex architectural project combining design considerations with complex building systems, while also demonstrating proficiency in technical documentation.

In their final year, graduate M.Arch students are expected to pursue a final degree project. Final degree projects comprise one of two tracks:

1) Design Thesis, an opportunity for each student, working with a faculty advisor, to conduct independent scholarly research and define an individual position with regard to the discipline of architecture

2) Graduate Design Research Studio, led by a faculty member, which investigates relevant or thematic issues of architecture.

Beyond the Core Studios, students are able to develop individual focus areas, for instance in advanced technology, design-build, and building construction, sustainability and resilience, urban design, historic preservation, and adaptive-use, healthcare, or hospitality. Students direct their trajectory following their interests, develop areas of professional concentration through certificates, and engage in critical research.

U-SoA faculty are joined each year by internationally-recognized visiting scholars and fellows. The diversity of faculty interests and experience offers opportunities for students in the selection of Advanced Elective Design Studios. The School is home to innovative research units, including RAD-UM, a lab dedicated to emergent embedded technology, the Laboratory of Littoral Urbanism, an acclaimed design/build program, and the Center for Urban and Community Design.

The Master in Urban Design provides students with a design experience investigating the guiding principles for building regions, cities and communities. The degree is STEM-designated which allows international students to apply for OPT for up to 36 months after graduation.

Guided by imperatives of sustainability and resilience, the program conceptualizes cities as an extension of the ecological transect across the natural to human habitat, providing students with a range of experiences from rural to urban.

Program Director Elizabeth Plater-Zyberk, recognized for her foundational role in the development of the movement called the New Urbanism, leads the program that invites students to explore design, policy and management tools for place-making as a vehicle for improving quality of life in a variety of urban settings. The impact of the built environment on health, retrofitting the suburban landscape, real estate development as community building, adaptation to climate change, and urban growth and revitalization, are topics prominent in course offerings and faculty research.

The three-semester curriculum begins in the fall each year with foundation courses in urban design and real estate development, in an Interdisciplinary approach structured by environmental, social and economic goals. The spring semester intensifies students' engagement with contemporary urban challenges such as climate resilience, healthy community design, and repair of suburban sprawl. The summer semester provides a concluding experience that aggregates prior topics in an international setting that challenges goals of sustainability and resource conservation. As part of the
curriculum, students participate in the National Charrette Institute certification course, a training in public outreach and participatory planning, and collaborate with real estate development students in two special projects: a national design and development competition, and a local community revitalization plan. These experiences and the course work shared with the Master of Real Estate Development and Urbanism program provide a focus on implementation. The optional fourth semester of the Master of Urban Design program is a semester-long independent study design project or thesis. In recent years these have focused on topics such as greening a Brazilian City, socially integrated public housing in China, and an analysis of principles and metrics of Smart Cities and New Urbanism.

Other resources that enrich the urban design student’s experience in the School include the Center for Community and Urban Design (CUCD), engaging students in community outreach projects in South Florida and The Caribbean, and the Archive of the New Urbanism, housed in the School of Architecture Library. The Archive is a growing resource of documents, with both texts and images that support research related to urban design. Also, Research Affiliates from around the world annually study the state-of-the-art in urban design and architecture.

Guiding the ever evolving program are faculty members Charles Bohl, Jaime Correa, Eric Firley, Jean Francois Lejeune, Victor Deupi and Joanna Lombard, internationally recognized in research, publication and design.

While the Master of Urban Design is a post-professional program, structured for students with a professional degree in architecture, those holding a degree in engineering, planning or landscape architecture may apply for admission. A preparatory summer course may be required for non-architects, to be determined by the admission process.

History of Program

Urban Design offerings at the School of Architecture emerged in the 1980’s when a group of faculty members sought to have an impact on the urban growth of South Florida. The impetus was their study of Coral Gables, a Progressive Era new town, one of a series of Anglo-American Suburbs that can be found across the United States. George Merrick founded Coral Gables in 1923. He believed that for his city to be great it needed a university, and he set aside land for the University of Miami. The architects Merrick engaged in the building of Coral Gables founded the architecture program at the outset. Today, building on his legacy, the School of Architecture is renown for its dedication to preparing future professionals with an understanding of the larger context for their work in the environment and society.

In 1988, mentored by their city and their studies of its design, and by leading thinkers of the time such as Leon and Rob Krier, the faculty established a post-professional degree in urban design. The young faculty’s design of Seaside, now an icon of new community design, challenged the planning and development conventions of its day. The new masters program established the precepts of Traditional Neighborhood Development (TND) and of the Charter for the New Urbanism. The School’s faculty and alumni are among the founders of the Congress for the New Urbanism, and have been prominent contributors to the evolution of the movement, now a globally renowned approach to sustainable urban growth and revitalization.

Admission Requirements with MARCH I (3-Year Track)

Applications are generally considered for entrance in the Fall semester. only. Design studios in the Master of Architecture I and Master of Urban Design programs are sequenced to deliver a cohesive educational experience and students are expected to follow the established design studio sequence for their program. Students entering the program in Spring or Summer are not eligible to enter the studio sequence at that time, but may take electives or other required courses. This may extend the duration of the program.

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1. 3.0 cumulative point average
2. Completed application (http://grad.miami.edu/apply/on-campus-graduate-programs/) form with an application fee. This fee is mandatory.
3. A letter or statement expressing your interest in the program and reasons for applying.
4. Official transcripts of all college and university courses taken, indicating the date your professional or other undergraduate degree was awarded. All transcripts must be sent directly from the institution's registrar. E-scripts to download are also accepted. See more information on international transcripts below.
5. Three academic (and professional, if applicable) letters of recommendation. If you have waived your right for access to your letters, they may be sent directly from the recommender, or they may be included with your application in a signed and sealed envelope.
6. Digital portfolio sent to email: SoAgradadmissions@miami.edu.

Please save the digital portfolio with your Lastname_Firstname. Digital portfolios must be no greater than 8 MB. You may also share a portfolio link to review your work.

Students applying must present a selection of their best architectural works during their pre-professional studies. In order to facilitate the waiving of courses and studios, examples must emphasize comprehensive skills including sketches, plans, sections and elevations, and graphics that exhibit conceptual and diagramming abilities, understanding of structures and of urban context, as well as any other skills (computer modeling, models,
photography and film abilities, etc.). Examples of professional work are encouraged but must clearly identify and describe work done independently and as part of a team.

**Additional requirements for International Students:**

1. TOEFL of min. 80 or IELTS of min. 6.5 (please use University code 5815).
2. Graduate international transcripts will be reviewed by one of the approved Evaluation Services:

For application review purposes, English translated official transcripts are sufficient. Once the applicant gets admitted, the international evaluation report is required.

**Admission Requirements with MARCH (2 Year Track)**

Applications are generally considered for entrance in the Fall semester. only. Design studios in the Master of Architecture and Urban Design programs are sequenced to deliver a cohesive educational experience and students are expected to follow the established design studio sequence for their program. Students entering the program in Spring or Summer are not eligible to enter the studio sequence at that time, but may take electives or other required courses. This may extend the duration of the Master of Architecture program.

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Please save the digital portfolio with your Lastname_Firstname. Digital portfolios must be no greater than 8 MB. You may also share a portfolio link to review your work.

Students applying for advanced standing (MArch.I AP/ 2-year track) must present a selection of their best architectural works during their pre-professional studies. In order to facilitate the waiving of courses and studios, examples must emphasize comprehensive skills including sketches, plans, sections and elevations, and graphics that exhibit conceptual and diagramming abilities, understanding of structures and of urban context, as well as any other skills (computer modeling, models, photography and film abilities, etc.). Examples of professional work are encouraged but must clearly identify and describe work done independently and as part of a team.

**Additional requirements for International Students:**

1. TOEFL of min. 80 or IELTS of min. 6.5 (please use University code 5815).
2. Graduate international transcripts will be reviewed by one of the approved Evaluation Services:

For application review purposes, English translated official transcripts are sufficient. Once the applicant gets admitted, the international evaluation report is required.

Please visit our website at [www.arc.miami.edu](https://www.arc.miami.edu) and refer to our latest admission and portfolio requirements [here](https://www.arc.miami.edu/admissions/admissions-and-portfolio-requirements/grad-requirements/).
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**Credit Hours**
Master of Construction Management

Overview
The Master of Construction Management (M.C.M. (https://mcm.arc.miami.edu/)) prepares students for management roles in the Construction Industry. Formal knowledge and experience in project and construction management are highly sought after by architectural and engineering firms, construction companies, and real estate developers. The curriculum will broaden educational and career options for students. The program features
a forward-thinking state-of-the-art practice-based curriculum that prepares students with the knowledge, discipline, and, skills to lead design and construction-related organizations. Courses are offered in the evenings and weekends, to meet the needs of working professionals.

The 36 credit program is open to students with an undergraduate degree in Architecture, Engineering, Construction, and related studies. Students not having earned a degree in Architecture, Engineering, or Construction related fields may apply to the program. Related experience or area of study will be considered and if deemed necessary by the Program Director, students may be required to take leveling (foundational) courses or attend our boot-camps before enrolling in the curriculum.

The program is a non-thesis program and consists of 36 credit hours. This includes

- 15 credits of required core courses
- 10 credits of professional practice core courses - practicums and internship
- 5 credits technology core courses and
- 6 credits of electives

Combined with other educational opportunities currently offered at the U-SoA or other academic units, students can create their future expanding their horizon in the job market.

Admissions

To obtain detailed program admission information, please reference our website https://mcm.arc.miami.edu (https://mcm.arc.miami.edu/) or contact the Graduate Admission Office at Tel. 305-284-3060.

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**Mission**

The mission of the Construction Management programs is to broaden educational and career options for our graduates and to provide an integrative, flexible, and state of the art curriculum that prepares students with the knowledge, discipline and the marketable skills to become future leaders of design and construction related organizations worldwide. Students are encouraged, as future industry leaders, address the critical social, economic, and environmental challenges facing the construction industry and to make meaningful contributions in the shaping of the built environment.

**Goals**

- To provide an integrative, flexible, and state of the art curriculum that prepares students with the knowledge, discipline and marketable skills, to become leaders in 21st century design and construction-related organizations;
- To provide future construction professionals with the knowledge and quantitative skills required to understand, organize and control construction projects from conception to closeout;
- To expose participants to technical skills and knowledge in architecture, engineering, construction, and cutting-edge technology in support of planning, analyzing, and solving construction problems;
- To encourage our students, as future industry leaders, through the school's culture and resources to address the critical social, economic, and environmental challenges facing the construction industry; and
- To encourage participants to make meaningful contributions to the shaping of the built environment.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Students will apply various management techniques and methods to efficiently and effectively plan and control construction projects.
- Students will adopt and integrate emerging technologies and innovations in Construction Management practices.
- Students will understand the value of and apply sustainable building practices to optimize the use of available resources.
- Students will apply skills to manage creative teams and project processes effectively and efficiently.
- Students will possess an understanding of the contributions made by design professionals to the construction processes, and can communicate and interact with design professionals within the multidisciplinary construction team.
Master of Real Estate Development + Urbanism

Overview

The Master of Real Estate Development + Urbanism (MRED+U) program is an immersive one-year interdisciplinary graduate program that combines coursework in real estate development, finance, market analysis, construction, architecture, urban design, law and entrepreneurship. The program draws on the strengths of the University of Miami’s Schools of Architecture, Business, Engineering, and Law to create a world-class program that blends the fundamentals of real estate development with livable community design. Students are immersed in one of the world’s most dynamic real estate markets through a rigorous curriculum enriched by a wide range of study tours, speaker series, the annual Real Estate Impact Conference, research initiatives and networking events. The prestigious MRED+U Advisory Board connects students with over 50 industry leaders who are directly engaged in the program as lecturers, mentors and advisors, providing internship and employment opportunities and access to dozens of cutting-edge projects from every real estate sector.

Dual degree and certificate options are available combining the MRED+U degree with the Master in Construction Management, Masters in Architecture and Master in Urban Design programs, as well as certificates in Hospitality Design, Sustainable and Resilient Design, Historic Preservation, and Design for Health & Well-Being.

Admission Requirements

Applications are generally considered for entrance in the Fall semester. Courses in the Master of Real Estate Development and Urbanism program are sequenced to deliver a cohesive educational experience and students are expected to follow the established course sequence for their program. Students entering the program in Spring or Summer may not be eligible to enter the course sequence at that time, but may take electives or other required courses. This will necessarily extend the duration of the program.

Applications start on November 1 until June 1 for entry in Fall and October 1 until December 1 for entry in Spring. Admission to the Graduate Program is subject to the rules, regulations and procedures of the Graduate School (http://grad.miami.edu/) as stipulated in the University Graduate Bulletin (http://bulletin.miami.edu/). It is the responsibility of each student to understand these requirements and to ensure that they are met.

Applications will be reviewed by the Real Estate Faculty Graduate Admissions Committee only after fulfilling the below requirements and all of the following documents have been received:

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Please visit our website at www.mredu.arc.miami.edu (https://mredu.arc.miami.edu/) and refer to our latest admission requirements here (https://www.arc.miami.edu/admissions/admissions-and-portfolio-requirements/grad-requirements/).

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**Required Internship/Practical Training**

Total Credit Hours 36

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**Required Internship**

A minimum of 4 months of 10-20 hours per week practical training is required for Master of Real Estate Development and Urbanism students. The practical training must be approved in advance by the faculty director. International Students in F-1 status are required to obtain authorization for CPT from the Department of International Student and Scholar Services (ISSS) prior to engaging in practical training.

**Suggested Plan of Study**

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2 With professor approval, students may test out of RED 610 and complete RED 612 and RED 614 or approved FIN courses.

**Mission**

The mission of the MRED+U program is to educate future real estate professionals on the fundamentals of real estate development grounded in livable community planning and design.

**Goals**

- Prepare real estate industry professionals capable of tapping the power of the market to deliver financially successful development that offers a high quality of life for diverse populations to live, work, and pursue daily activities in walkable, sustainable neighborhoods and communities.
- Prepare students for professional leadership and lifelong learning in urban real estate development with an emphasis on livable community planning and design.
- Preserve and develop knowledge for the profession through research and practice.
• Share knowledge locally, nationally and internationally through the program website, programs and community outreach projects.
• Promote community design and real estate development goals of environmental responsibility, social equity and economic sustainability.

Student Learning Outcomes

• Students will demonstrate the ability to assess the viability of individual properties, neighborhoods and districts for appropriate types and scales of urban real estate development including the physical, environmental, regulatory (land use, zoning, building codes, etc.), political, transportation, social and community context for development.
• Students will demonstrate the ability to identify and research regional and local (on the ground) real estate market conditions, comparable and competitive properties, demographic and psychographic characteristics of populations and prospective customers and tenants for real estate.
• Students will demonstrate the ability to prepare a real estate development program with appropriate land uses, tenant mixtures, parking and non-revenue generating elements (civic uses and public space) consistent with local regulations (land use, zoning).
• Students will demonstrate: literacy in real estate finance terminology and concepts for real estate development; the ability to analyze the financial feasibility of real estate development proposals; and, the ability to prepare and present a financial pro forma for a real estate development proposal.
• Students will demonstrate the ability to work in various roles and collaborate as part of an interdisciplinary team carrying out an urban real estate development project.
• Students will demonstrate the ability to craft and effectively deliver concise presentations for real estate development proposals to a variety of audiences.
• Students will demonstrate knowledge of exemplary urban projects and places including historic, new and redeveloped urban places. Students will demonstrate knowledge of design principles used to create and maintain livable communities, build real estate value and advance sustainability.

Master of Real Estate Development and Urbanism + Master of Urban Design Dual Degree

Overview

The Master of Real Estate Development + Urbanism (MRED+U) and Master of Urban Design are a 60 credit minimum program.

The interdisciplinary graduate program that combines coursework in real estate development, finance, market analysis, construction, architecture, urban design, law and entrepreneurship. The program draws on the strengths of the University of Miami's Schools of Architecture, Business, Engineering, and Law to create a world-class program that blends the fundamentals of real estate development with livable community design. Students are immersed in one of the world's most dynamic real estate markets through a rigorous curriculum enriched by a wide range of study tours, speaker series, the annual Real Estate Impact Conference, research initiatives and networking events. The prestigious MRED+U Advisory Board connects students with over 50 industry leaders who are directly engaged in the program as lecturers, mentors and advisors, providing internship and employment opportunities and access to dozens of cutting-edge projects from every real estate sector.

The Master in Urban Design provides students with a design experience investigating the guiding principles for building regions, cities and communities. The degree is STEM-designated which allows international students to apply for OPT for up to 36 months after graduation.

Guided by imperatives of sustainability and resilience, the program conceptualizes cities as an extension of the ecological transect across the natural to human habitat, providing students with a range of experiences from rural to urban.

Program Director Elizabeth Plater-Zyberk, recognized for her foundational role in the development of the movement called the New Urbanism, leads the program that invites students to explore design, policy and management tools for place-making as a vehicle for improving quality of life in a variety of urban settings. The impact of the built environment on health, retrofitting the suburban landscape, real estate development as community building, adaptation to climate change, and urban growth and revitalization, are topics prominent in course offerings and faculty research.

The three-semester curriculum begins in the fall each year with foundation courses in urban design and real estate development, in an Interdisciplinary approach structured by environmental, social and economic goals. The spring semester intensifies students' engagement with contemporary urban challenges such as climate resilience, healthy community design, and repair of suburban sprawl. The summer semester provides a concluding experience that aggregates prior topics in an international setting that challenges goals of sustainability and resource conservation. As part of the curriculum, students participate in the National Charrette Institute certification course, a training in public outreach and participatory planning, and collaborate with real estate development students in two special projects: a national design and development competition, and a local community revitalization plan. These experiences and the course work shared with the Master of Real Estate Development and Urbanism program provide a focus on implementation. The optional fourth semester of the Master of Urban Design program is a semester-long independent study design project or thesis. In recent years these have focused on topics such as greening a Brazilian City, socially integrated public housing in China, and an analysis of principles and metrics of Smart Cities and New Urbanism.

Other resources that enrich the urban design student’s experience in the School include the Center for Community and Urban Design (CUCD), engaging students in community outreach projects in South Florida and The Caribbean, and the Archive of the New Urbanism, housed in the School of
Architecture Library. The Archive is a growing resource of documents, with both texts and images that support research related to urban design. Also, Research Affiliates from around the world join the faculty annually to study the state-of-the-art in urban design and architecture.

Guiding the ever evolving program are faculty members Charles Bohl, Jaime Correa, Eric Firley, Jean Francois Lejeune, Victor Deupi and Joanna Lombard, internationally recognized in research, publication and design.

While the Master of Urban Design is a post-professional program, structured for students with a professional degree in architecture, those holding a degree in engineering, planning or landscape architecture may apply for admission. A preparatory summer course may be required for non-architects, to be determined by the admission process.

**History of Program**

Urban Design offerings at the School of Architecture emerged in the 1980’s when a group of faculty members sought to have an impact on the urban growth of South Florida. The impetus was their study of Coral Gables, a Progressive Era new town, one of a series of Anglo-American Suburbs that can be found across the United States. George Merrick founded Coral Gables in 1923. He believed that for his city to be great it needed a university, and he set aside land for the University of Miami. The architects Merrick engaged in the building of Coral Gables founded the architecture program at the outset. Today, building on his legacy, the School of Architecture is renown for its dedication to preparing future professionals with an understanding of the larger context for their work in the environment and society.

In 1988, mentored by their city and their studies of its design, and by leading thinkers of the time such as Leon and Rob Krier, the faculty established a post-professional degree in urban design. The young faculty's design of Seaside, now an icon of new community design, challenged the planning and development conventions of its day. The new masters program established the precepts of Traditional Neighborhood Development (TND) and of the Charter for the New Urbanism. The School's faculty and alumni are among the founders of the Congress for the New Urbanism, and have been prominent contributors to the evolution of the movement, now a globally renowned approach to sustainable urban growth and revitalization.

**Admission Requirements**

Applications are generally considered for entrance in the Fall semester. Courses in the Master of Real Estate Development and Urbanism and Urban Design program are sequenced to deliver a cohesive educational experience and students are expected to follow the established course sequence for their program. Students entering the program in Spring or Summer may not be eligible to enter the course sequence at that time, but may take electives or other required courses. This may extend the duration of the program.

Applications start on November 1 until June 1 for entry in Fall and October 1 until December 1 for entry in Spring. Admission to the Graduate Program is subject to the rules, regulations and procedures of the Graduate School (http://grad.miami.edu/) as stipulated in the University Graduate Bulletin (http://bulletin.miami.edu/). It is the responsibility of each student to understand these requirements and to ensure that they are met.

Applications will be reviewed by the Architecture and Real Estate Faculty Graduate Admissions Committee only after fulfilling the below requirements and all of the following documents have been received:

1. 3.0 cumulative point average
2. Completed application (http://grad.miami.edu/apply/on-campus-graduate-programs/) form with an application fee. This fee is mandatory.
3. A letter or statement expressing your interest in the program and reasons for applying.
4. Official transcripts of all college and university courses taken, indicating the date your professional or other undergraduate degree was awarded. All transcripts must be sent directly from the institution's registrar. E-scripts to download are also accepted. See more information on international transcripts below.
5. Three academic (and professional, if applicable) letters of recommendation. If you have waived your right for access to your letters, they may be sent directly from the recommender, or they may be included with your application in a signed and sealed envelope.
6. Resume
7. Digital portfolio sent to email: SoAgradadmissions@miami.edu.

Please save the digital portfolio with your Lastname_Firstname. Digital portfolios must be no greater than 8 MB. You may also share a portfolio link to review your work.

Students applying for the Master of Urban Design must present a selection of their best architectural works during their pre-professional studies. In order to facilitate the waiving of courses and studios, examples must emphasize comprehensive skills including sketches, plans, sections and elevations, and graphics that exhibit conceptual and diagramming abilities, understanding of structures and of urban context, as well as any other skills (computer modeling, models, photography and film abilities, etc.). Examples of professional work are encouraged but must clearly identify and describe work done independently and as part of a team.

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Master of Science in Architecture

Overview
The Master of Science in Architecture (M.Sc.Arch.) is a one-year, three-semester program (completion of 36 credits is required). The program offers a critical and professional environment to investigate design strategies and design challenges in relation to the most pressing issues of the 21st century: resilient design, tropical and subtropical architectures, identity in a globalized world, health care design, housing design, conservation of the built environment and the effect of embedded technologies on design. The Master of Science in Architecture program is designed to provide a skills and knowledge base for professional application as well as future advanced doctoral study. The degree is STEM-designated which allows international students to apply for OPT for up to 36 months after graduation.

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Master of Science in Architecture: Architectural Design

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Master of Science in Architecture: Architectural Studies

Offers a more theoretically oriented program with Research, History and Theory Electives, other Electives and a written Master's Thesis.

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Goals

• To prepare students for professional leadership and lifelong learning in architecture, urbanism, and related fields.
• To preserve and develop knowledge for the profession through research and practice.
• To share knowledge locally and internationally through community service.
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Student Learning Outcomes

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Master of Urban Design

Overview

The Master in Urban Design, is a three (optional four) 36 credit semester program that provides students with a design experience investigating the guiding principles for building regions, cities and communities. The degree is STEM-designated which allows international students to apply for OPT for up to 36 months after graduation.

Guided by imperatives of sustainability and resilience, the program conceptualizes cities as an extension of the ecological transect across the natural to human habitat, providing students with a range of experiences from rural to urban.

Program Director Elizabeth Plater-Zyberk, recognized for her foundational role in the development of the movement called the New Urbanism, leads the program that invites students to explore design, policy and management tools for place-making as a vehicle for improving quality of life in a variety of urban settings. The impact of the built environment on health, retrofitting the suburban landscape, real estate development as community building, adaptation to climate change, and urban growth and revitalization, are topics prominent in course offerings and faculty research.

The three-semester curriculum begins in the fall each year with foundation courses in urban design and real estate development, in an Interdisciplinary approach structured by environmental, social and economic goals. The spring semester intensifies students’ engagement with contemporary urban challenges such as climate resilience, healthy community design, and repair of suburban sprawl. The summer semester provides a concluding experience that aggregates prior topics in an international setting that challenges goals of sustainability and resource conservation. As part of the curriculum, students participate in the National Charrette Institute certification course, a training in public outreach and participatory planning, and collaborate with real estate development students in two special projects: a national design and development competition, and a local community revitalization plan. These experiences and the course work shared with the Master of Real Estate Development and Urbanism program provide a focus on implementation. The optional fourth semester of the Master of Urban Design program is a semester-long independent study design project or thesis. In recent years these have focused on topics such as greening a Brazilian City, socially integrated public housing in China, and an analysis of principles and metrics of Smart Cities and New Urbanism.

Other resources that enrich the urban design student’s experience in the School include the Center for Community and Urban Design (CUCD), engaging students in community outreach projects in South Florida and The Caribbean, and the Archive of the New Urbanism, housed in the School of Architecture Library. The Archive is a growing resource of documents, with both texts and images that support research related to urban design. Also, Research Affiliates from around the world join the faculty annually to study the state-of-the-art in urban design and architecture.

Guiding the ever evolving program are faculty members Charles Bohl, Jaime Correa, Eric Firley, Jean Francois Lejeune, Victor Deupi and Joanna Lombard, internationally recognized in research, publication and design.

While the Master of Urban Design is a post-professional program, structured for students with a professional degree in architecture, those holding a degree in engineering, planning or landscape architecture may apply for admission. A preparatory summer course may be required for non-architects, to be determined by the admission process.

History of Program

Urban Design offerings at the School of Architecture emerged in the 1980’s when a group of faculty members sought to have an impact on the urban growth of South Florida. The impetus was their study of Coral Gables, a Progressive Era new town, one of a series of Anglo-American Suburbs that can be found across the United States. George Merrick founded Coral Gables in 1923. He believed that for his city to be great it needed a university, and he set aside land for the University of Miami. The architects Merrick engaged in the building of Coral Gables founded the architecture program at the outset. Today, building on his legacy, the School of Architecture is renown for its dedication to preparing future professionals with an understanding of the larger context for their work in the environment and society.

In 1988, mentored by their city and their studies of its design, and by leading thinkers of the time such as Leon and Rob Krier, the faculty established a post-professional degree in urban design. The young faculty’s design of Seaside, now an icon of new community design, challenged the planning and development conventions of its day. The new masters program established the precepts of Traditional Neighborhood Development (TND) and of the Charter for the New Urbanism. The School’s faculty and alumni are among the founders of the Congress for the New Urbanism, and have been prominent contributors to the evolution of the movement, now a globally renowned approach to sustainable urban growth and revitalization.

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- Data Science
- International Administration
- Latin American Studies
- Liberal Studies
- Global Health and Society

Admission Requirements

Please consult the general section of the Graduate Bulletin for the Graduate School admission requirements, and the specific program description for additional, department specific admission requirements.

Degree Programs

- Master of Arts
- Master of Fine Arts
- Master of Professional Science
- Master of Public Administration
- Master of Public Policy
- Master of Science
- Doctor of Philosophy
Degree Requirements
Please consult the specific department section for information related to degree requirements in addition to general degree requirements for the various degrees as listed by the Graduate School.

Other
The Max and Peggy Kriloff Fund is a fund that provides travel support for students earning degrees from the College of Arts and Sciences. The fund provides support for students to present papers, or posters at professional conferences worldwide. Students will need to fill out an application form available here (https://www.as.miami.edu/_assets/pdf/krilof-graduate-student-travel-scholarship-form-2019.pdf) and submit it, along with the necessary supporting documentation to the Office of Graduate and Administrative Services.

Anthropology
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The University of Miami offers a Master of Arts degree in the Professional Practice in Anthropology. The program will provide an academic foundation of best practices, current theory, grantsmanship, government regulations, and ethical standards of working with living peoples, dynamic cultural systems, and cultural heritage materials within the U.S. and abroad. It is designed to prepare graduates for careers in the private sector, government and nongovernmental organizations, nonprofit organizations, and education, including medical and research settings.

Students in these programs are expected to design their mandatory field/research experience in concert with a faculty advisor and external site supervisor as a means of acquiring practical experience in workplace setting. These students will present a professional paper, submit a grant proposal, and/or produce a manuscript for publication as part of the requirements for graduation. They may elect to pursue a degree with or without a written thesis. A total of 36 semester credit hours of graduate coursework (600-level or above) is required to complete the degree.

Master's Program in Anthropology

- Master of Arts in Anthropology (p. 1643)

**APY 601. Advanced Seminar in Archaeology, Theory and Practice. 3 Credit Hours.**
History and theoretical foundation of modern archaeology; ethics, professional standards, and best practices in archaeology; cultural heritage management with special emphasis on NAGPRA; compliance with Secretary of the Interior standards, Section 106 regulatory knowledge and skills for compliance with government regulations, and current topical literature on archaeology.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**APY 602. Advanced Seminar in Cultural Anthropology. 3 Credit Hours.**
The application of the anthropological perspective, data collection and analyses methods, and theoretical foundations of traditional cultural anthropology to understanding and working on solving human problems in the modern world. Topics include the design, conduct, and application of modern ethnological methods to research venues in business, governmental/NGO agencies, conflict studies, natural disasters, medical, globalization and financial organizations.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**APY 603. Advanced Seminar in Biological Anthropology. 3 Credit Hours.**
The historical and theoretical foundations of modern biological anthropology. Topics include ethics and standards for human subjects; applied bioarchaeology, biological anthropology in medical/legal settings, primatology, Human biology and adaptive diversity, modern perspectives on race, and skeletal biology of modern peoples. The development of professional research and writing skills for the discipline is integral to course goals.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**APY 604. Advanced Seminar in Linguistic Anthropology. 3 Credit Hours.**
Core aspects of linguistics theory, and consider the ways in which modern linguistic techniques can be applied in the investigation of both common and uncommon typological patterns in the world’s 7000+ languages. Requisite: Graduate Status or Permission of Instructor. Requisite: Graduate Status or Permission of Instructor. Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
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Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
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APY 605. Museum Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
Field work and on-site experience in museum studies conducted in conjunction with the major museums in Miami. Training and research in methods and techniques in museology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

APY 611. Methods of Anthropological Research. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Concentration on research methods for Cultural, Archaeological, Linguistic, and/or Biological Anthropology.
Components: RSC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

APY 612. Advanced Medical Anthropology. 3 Credit Hours.
Applications of theories and methods of medical anthropology to problems in human health and disease.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

APY 615. Advanced Museum Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
Field work and on-site experience in museum studies conducted in conjunction with the major museums in Miami. Training and research in methods and techniques in museology.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

APY 616. Advanced Workshop in Anthropology. 3-6 Credit Hours.
This course is designed for graduate students to participate in special topics in Anthropology and related fields.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

APY 628. Advanced Graduate Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
Specialized topics in Anthropology to involve students into current research specializations.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

APY 690. Teaching Practicum in Anthropology. 3 Credit Hours.
Logistics and pedagogical issues of teaching anthropology, including skill set and materials suitable for employment in settings for which the master’s is the required, e.g., two-year schools. The student will evaluate texts, create teaching materials for a given subfield, master commonly-available electronic teaching and learning tools, and teach one class as directed.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

APY 696. Advanced & Graduate Colloquy in Black Feminist Theory and Praxis: Major of 7 Black Feminist Thinkers. 3 Credit Hours.
Black feminist theory, produced primarily by Black women scholars, artist and activists, throughout the diaspora, constitutes a distinctive and influential body of politics and thought. Black feminist’s unwarranted interventions in Black politics arts and letters – produced at the interstices of violence, silence, invisibility, or forgetting – exposes and makes available a wider horizon of possibilities than had been proposed before its emergence. The central theoretical innovation of this praxis (later claimed by theorists of various stripes), is the multiple-‘interlocking’, ‘intersectional’, ‘compound’ – constitution of “identity” oppression, aesthetic sensibilities, for example, and therefore of roads toward freedom. This distinctive body of work is not only interdisciplinary, multilingual, but also constitutive to specific geographies, politics, experiences, and particular intellectual and political streams.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

APY 699. Directed Reading in Anthropology. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings on special topics in Anthropology, allowing the student to work independently with an Anthropology professor, conducting research on a topic of both of their choosing.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
APY 702. Field Studies in Anthropology. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Field research in advanced topics in Cultural, Archaeological, Linguistic and/or Biological Anthropology. Preparation of data for professional presentation and publication is stressed.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

APY 805. Graduate Internship: Professional Practice of Anthropology. 1-9 Credit Hours.
An internship designed to provide valuable career-related work experience in a real-world setting, e.g., institutions, organizations and/or businesses. Students will identify an opportunity, supervisor, and write a proposal as to the relevancy to their goals. The Internship may be paid or unpaid. This course may be repeated.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

APY 810. Master's Degree Thesis Preparation and Writing. 1-9 Credit Hours.
Preparation/completion of a written thesis for the master's degree when the student has completed the thesis research, is engaged in writing the thesis, and expects to use the facilities and resources of the Anthropology department and the university; enrollment is required when the completed thesis is defended and approved. This course may be repeated
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

M.A. in Anthropology
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Overview
The Department of Anthropology offers a Master of Arts degree in the Professional Practice of Anthropology. The program offers students the opportunity to specialize in one of three areas:

Applied archaeology
Cultural heritage management (cultural resource management), including museum management for archaeological collections, graduates will be in compliance with regulations and requirements from the U.S. Secretary of the Interior.

Applied biological anthropology
Analysis and identification of human remains; museum management of human skeletal/dental remains; applied primatology.

Applied cultural anthropology
Medical anthropology, anthropology in public health and allied fields, and applied ethnography for industrial/private/government sectors.

Degree Requirements
The aim of the curriculum is to give graduates the skill sets needed to design, conduct, and analyze anthropological fieldwork for their employers or as a component of independent research-driven careers. Graduate students have two degree options. Both thesis and non-thesis options require a minimum of 36 credits beyond the baccalaureate degree and 18 months in residency.

Basic Coursework, Common to Both Options
1. Two of the four core graduate seminars in professional practice and theoretical foundations (total of 6 credits);
2. At least one course in anthropological research methods (3-9 credits);
3. At least one course in anthropological field studies, potentially fulfilled via internship (3-9 credits).

Option 1 - Thesis
Requires a written thesis with an open defense guided by an advisor and committee chosen in consultation with the anthropology faculty. The committee for the thesis must include at least three faculty members, including one from outside anthropology. A minimum of 18 months in residency is also required for this option. Thesis requirements will conform to the University of Miami's standards and format.

Option 2 - Non-Thesis
Requires 9 credits of elective coursework within anthropology and a paper for presentation at a conference and/or for publication in a professional venue.
GIS Certification, available for both options
In cooperation with the Department of Geography and Regional Studies, students may obtain a GIS certificate by completing a specific 12-credit sequence in the Department of Geography and Regional Studies. (This will entail 3 credits beyond the normal required non-anthropology coursework.)

Academic Standing
Graduate students are expected to maintain an overall GPA of 3.0.

For more information, please consult the Department of Anthropology web site: http://www.as.miami.edu/anthropology/

For inquiries regarding graduate school policies, please consult: https://www.grad.miami.edu/

Admission Requirements
All applicants will be selected for admission based on:

Transcripts
1. Official copy of undergraduate transcripts showing the date the bachelor’s degree was awarded.
2. Transcripts must show a 3.0 GPA in anthropology and no less than 3.0 for the overall GPA.
3. Students with lower averages may be admitted provisionally with higher than minimum GRE scores and supporting materials from referees on a case-by-case basis.

Personal Statement
1. A personal statement in which the applicant details reasons for pursuing an MA in our program specifically.
2. A cogent written statement will be used in evaluating the applicants’ ability for written expression, as well as their fit with our strengths and offerings.

GRE (optional)
1. While there is no GRE requirement, students can submit GRE scores if they choose.

Part Time Admission
Returning students or practicing professional anthropologists who seek continuing education to better their skill set while enhancing their opportunities for advancement in the field may apply. Nondegree-seeking students and/or part time students will be considered by the Admissions Committee on a case-by-case basis.

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**Goals**

It is the goal of this program and our department to produce professional Anthropologists with the highest caliber skill set and tools for critical thinking, problem solving, and written and oral communication skills for persons in the discipline and with nonspecialists in other settings.

### Student Learning Outcomes

- The student will demonstrate advanced knowledge and theoretical foundation in any of the four subfields of anthropology.
- The students will demonstrate professional communication skills (written and oral) in their subfield or discipline.
- The student will develop a set of teaching materials in anthropology (optional).

### Art and Art History

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### Degree Programs

The Department of Art and Art History currently offers a Master of Fine Arts degree in the professional practice of studio art.

- The Master of Fine Arts can be completed in the following studio areas:
  - Ceramics
  - Digital Imaging-Illustration/Photography
  - Painting
  - Printmaking
  - Sculpture

### Master of Fine Arts

**M.F.A. in Studio Art:**

The M.F.A. in Studio Art is designed for personal development and career success in both traditional and conceptual-based practice. The Master of Fine Arts degree in the professional practice of studio art is a three-year program that offers students the opportunity to specialize in five concentrations: 1) Ceramics; 2) Digital Imaging-Illustration/Photography; 3) Painting; 4) Printmaking; and 5) Sculpture.

**Admission Requirements:**

Applicants for the program will be selected for admission based on submission of the following materials and standards by the application deadline:
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2. A personal statement of interest in the M.F.A in Studio Art program at the University of Miami.
3. A portfolio of digital images of personal artwork, not to exceed 20 images. [Portfolios are currently uploaded via the Acceptd site; please visit the department’s website for details.]
4. Three letters of recommendation.
5. A minimum TOEFL score of 80 (for international students only).
6. It is highly recommended that applicants have advanced coursework in the area they wish to study, as well as related professional and/or exhibition experience.

Academic Standing:

Graduate students are expected to maintain an overall G.P.A. of 3.0 in all coursework. Should the average fall below that mark in a semester, the student will be notified, and will work with his/her faculty adviser to rectify the performance problems. If the student has a second consecutive semester with an average G.P.A. below the 3.0 standard, he/she will be placed on academic probation. Three semesters of below average performance may result in suspension from the program at the discretion of the Chair and in discussion with the student and his/her adviser in accordance with guidelines for the University’s Graduate School.

Masters Program in Art and Art History

• M.F.A. in Studio Art (p. 1651)

ART 502. Advanced Painting IV. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 501.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 602. Advanced Painting ix. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 601.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 603. Problems in Studio Art. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Course content will be decided in conference between candidate and instructor. This course may be repeated for credit.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 604. Seminar in Studio Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected area of studio art.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ART 606. Special Topics in Studio Art for Graduate Students. 3 Credit Hours.
Course devoted to exploring new topics in studio art practice and theory, including media specific and/or inter-disciplinary approaches. Course content to be determined by Instructor.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 609. Independent Study in Other Media. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Course content decided between student and professor. Independent study course may be repeated.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 630. Graduate Digital Photography I. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Advance Digital Photography Course: Content decided between student and professor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ART 631. Graduate Digital Photography II. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Advance Digital Course: Content decided between student and professor. Lecture Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 632. Graduate Independent Study in Photography. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Independent Study in Photography: Content decided between student and professor. Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 633. Graduate Digital Photography III. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Content decided in conference between candidate and instructor. Requisite: Graduate Standing. Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 634. Graduate Digital Photography IV. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 610. Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 641. Graduate Painting I. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Self-directed study in consultation with instructor. Requisite: Graduate Standing. Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 642. Graduate Painting II. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Self-directed study in consultation with instructor. Requisite: Graduate Standing. Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 643. Graduate Painting III. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Self-directed study in consultation with instructor. Requisite: Graduate Standing. Components: LEC.
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Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 644. Graduate Painting IV. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Self-directed study in consultation with instructor. Requisite: Graduate Standing. Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 645. Graduate Painting V. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Self-directed study in consultation with instructor. Requisite: Graduate Standing. Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 646. Advanced Painting VIII. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Professional and concentrated experiences in media and subject matter decided in conference between candidate and instructor. Requisite: Graduate Standing. Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ART 651. Intaglio/Relief. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Advanced intaglio/relief processes: course requirements decided between candidate and professor.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 652. Lithography. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Advanced lithography. Course requirements decided between candidate and professor.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 653. Silkscreen. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Advanced work in silkscreen.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 655. Topics in Printmaking. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Current readings and/or technical concerns not covered in the regular curriculum.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 663. Portfolio/Business of Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Individually supervised graphic design portfolio. Professional practices in design.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 664. Special Projects/Multimedia/Portfolio. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Video Art, print design, illustration or multimedia portfolio preparation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 665. Graphic Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced graduate projects in graphic design.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 666. Multimedia. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced graduate projects in multimedia.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 667. Experimental Illustration for Print and Interactive Media. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration and innovation of contemporary illustration and digital publishing. Research and practice of new styles of international illustration for print and interactive media.
Prerequisite: ART 663 or ART 665.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 671. Graduate Sculpture I. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Examination of ongoing work in relationship to historical and contemporary interpretations issues.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ART 672. Graduate Sculpture II. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 671. Content decided in conference between candidate and instructor.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 673. Graduate Sculpture III. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Content decided in conference between candidate and instructor.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 674. Graduate Sculpture IV. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Content decided in conference between candidate and instructor.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 675. Graduate Sculpture V. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Content decided in conference between candidate and instructor.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 676. Graduate Sculpture VI. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Content decided in conference between candidate and instructor.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 681. Writing About Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Writing about art on a professional level.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ART 682. Contemporary Ceramic Art I. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Development of artistic style and technical abilities in relation to contemporary trends in ceramic art.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 683. Contemporary Ceramic Art II. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Development of artistic style and technical abilities in relation to contemporary trends in ceramic art.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 684. Contemporary Ceramics Art III. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Content to be decided in conference between candidate and instructor.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ART 685. Contemporary Ceramics Art IV. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 661.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 686. Contemporary Ceramic Art V. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 685: Contemporary Ceramic ART IV
Prerequisite: ART 685.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 687. Contemporary Ceramic Art VI. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 686: Contemporary Ceramic Art V
Prerequisite: ART 686.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 688. Independent Study in Ceramics/Glass. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Theory, history and practice of Video Art and contemporary documentary film and their various manifestations. Creation of conceptual videos for exhibition, web and interactive media.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 689. Directed Research and Projects in Ceramics/Glass. 3 Credit Hours.
Historical to contemporary approach to ceramics; furthering of the technical ability, and development of artistic style.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 693. Seminar in Professional Practices. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Advanced course with a required placement in a professional design or multimedia setting. Classroom sessions on professional topics and issues. Portfolio required.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 699. Exhibition Preparation. 3 Credit Hours.
A seminar class devoted to the preparatory work needed to plan and promote a solo exhibition, including installation/lighting concerns. Preliminary written assignments will also be given in preparation for ART 810 Thesis.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master's degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in ART 810 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
# M.F.A. in Studio Art
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### Additional Requirements

Choose 3 from the following:

- ARH 605 Problems in Art History
- ARH 606 Problems in Art History
- ARH 607 Museum Studies Seminar
- ARH 610 Arts Administration Internship
- ARH 660 Seminar in Nineteenth and Twentieth Century Art

### Studio Concentration Courses

- **Total Credit Hours: 60**

## Studio Concentration Options
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**Mission**

The Art Department is dedicated to the promotion of excellence in the visual arts by encouraging originality, discovery, creativity, and critical inquiry. The department provides an educationally diverse environment where students can acquire the critical perspectives, historical knowledge, and technical skills that will prepare them for a variety of professional careers in the arts.

**Goals**

Students will acquire the skills needed for careers as practicing artists who can successfully interact with galleries and museums, write grants, attend residencies, sell works of art, and manage expenses and income.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Students will be able to produce creative, original and quality artwork suited for exhibition.
- Students will develop an in-depth understanding of the history of art and both traditional and contemporary aesthetic positions.
- Students will develop their written communication skills.

**Biology**

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**Degree Programs**

**Application for Admission**

Applications are due December 1.

In applying for admission, applicants must select either the Master’s or the Ph.D. track.

Students with an appropriate B.S. degree or B.A. may seek direct entry to either the M.S. track or the Ph.D. track.

Applicants who were admitted on the Master’s track, but wish to change to a Ph.D. track without completing the Master’s may apply for admission to the Ph.D. program before the end of their second semester. Letters of support from three UM Biology faculty, including a major advisor, should be added to the applicant’s file. The file must be current. Such applicants will be judged by the same criteria that are applied to other Ph.D. applicants.

Applicants to the Ph.D. track who were admitted on the Master’s track and wish to complete the M.S. degree, should follow the same procedures as all other applicants, but they must include letters of support from three UM Biology faculty. Such applicants will be judged by the same criteria that are applied to other Ph.D. applicants.

Applicants must:

2. Send hardcopies of the following to the Coordinator of Graduate Studies in Biology, Department of Biology, 1301 Memorial Drive, Coral Gables, FL 33146 USA.
   a. Originals of all undergraduate and graduate official transcripts (photocopies are not accepted)
   b. Official scores from recent Graduate Record Examinations (within five years), including the aptitude portion; (photocopies of scores are not accepted)
c. International applicants whose native language is not English must additionally submit the TOEFL (Test of English as a Foreign Language) official scores (photocopies of scores are not accepted).

3. Send digital copies of the following to the Coordinator of Graduate Studies in Biology (bio.gradcoord@miami.edu):
   a. A cover letter that identifies interests, suggests possible research projects, states career goals and identifies a UM Biology faculty sponsor.
   b. Copies of any research papers (e.g., publications, manuscripts, senior reports, etc.)

4. Letters of recommendation from three science instructors/supervisors that address: nature and duration of relationship to applicant; motivation; ability to conceptualize and deal quantitatively with biological problems, and research potential should be sent by email to the Coordinator of Graduate Studies in Biology at bio.gradcoord@miami.edu.

5. Request UM Biology faculty sponsor submit a memo of support by email to the Coordinator of Graduate Studies in Biology (bio.gradcoord@miami.edu). Applicants MUST secure the sponsorship of a faculty member as a condition for admission; the research interests of the applicant and the faculty sponsor should be well-matched; the sponsor will be the major advisor.

A limited number of applicants to the Ph.D. program may be invited to interview at departmental expense in early January of the year of admission.

*Materials submitted in support of an application cannot be released for other purposes or returned to the applicant.*

**Degree Requirements**

All students are required to satisfy the **general requirements** for the appropriate degree that are listed in the **Graduate Studies Bulletin**, whether or not they are listed among the Biology requirements.

**Implementation**

All Graduate students will be reviewed each spring semester by GAAC.

1. The advisor will review the student’s progress to date.
2. The student will provide updates for a student progress database every February.
3. The student will provide written evidence that the advisor and committee have reviewed her/his progress and plans.
4. Each student will receive a letter summarizing the results of the discussion concerning his/her progress.
5. All graduate students shall have the right to respond to GAAC, and, if necessary, the graduate faculty in matters pertaining to the review.
6. Possible outcomes of the review:
   a. Student making satisfactory progress
   b. Student not making satisfactory progress; recommendations for improvement
   c. Student not making satisfactory progress; his/her tenure terminated.

**Financial Support**

1. The Department intends to support all doctoral students in good standing for up to 10 semesters. Support beyond 10 semesters is contingent upon GAAC approval.
2. Master’s degree students usually are not eligible for departmental stipends or tuition remission.
3. Students who do not provide annual updates for the student progress database will not be eligible for continued funding. Students who will be off-campus are still responsible for making sure that GAAC receives the data. Students who choose not to present at the annual departmental graduate student symposium may be considered as not in good standing.
4. Students holding full fellowships or research assistantships will not normally be given teaching assignments, nor will students be permitted to hold fellowships and research assistantships simultaneously. Exceptions require GAAC approval.

**Masters Programs in Biology**

- M.S. in Biology with Thesis (Three Year Program) (p. 1664)
- M.S. in Biology without Thesis (Two Year Program) (p. 1670)
- B.S./M.S. in Biology (p. 1659)

**Doctoral Program in Biology**

- Ph.D. in Biology (p. 1671)
BIL 608. Research in Progress Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
Through weekly research seminar presentations, students will explore current research by Biology Department graduate students, postdoctoral fellows, and faculty. Current students will also prepare and present a research seminar on their past, present, or future research objectives for feedback from fellow students and faculty.
Components: SEM.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 610. Lab Group Meeting. 1 Credit Hour.
Weekly seminar meeting for discussion of research projects and other academic issues in graduate faculty research laboratories. (Fall semesters)
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 611. Lab Group Meeting. 1 Credit Hour.
Weekly seminar meeting for discussion of research projects and other academic issues in graduate faculty research laboratories. (Spring semesters)
Components: DIS.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BIL 612. Graduate Core I. 3 Credit Hours.
Foundations of genome structure and how the information encoded in genomes is regulated by intrinsic and extrinsic factors during development and evolution. Major topics include genome structure, gene regulation, cells, development, physiology and EvoDevo.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 613. Graduate Core II. 3 Credit Hours.
Foundations of key ecological and evolutionary theory. Major topics in Ecology include population, community, physiological and ecosystem ecology. Major topics in Evolution include principles of natural selection, speciation, biodiversity, population genetics, neutral theory, molecular evolution, phylogenetics, and systematics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BIL 614. Professional Writing and Grantsmanship. 3 Credit Hours.
Elements of argumentative writing, reader-oriented writing strategies, fundability of submitted grants, and techniques for mastering presentation venues such as posters and talks.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 615. Object-Oriented Programming and Agent-Based Modelling. 3 Credit Hours.
Hands-on training in object-oriented programming using Java, including Java statistical packages, and in the development of agent-based and individual-based simulation models for ecological, physiological, social, economic and physical sciences. Course includes introductions to cellular automatons and models based on social and behavioral networks. No prior programming experience required.
Prerequisite: At least one BIL course at the 200 level.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

BIL 616. Professional Skills I. 1 Credit Hour.
Training and development in the skills necessary to become an accomplished professional scientist. Instruction on preparation, submission, and review of manuscripts; viewing and attending poster sessions; presenting scientific talks; communicating effectively with colleagues, lab partners, and the student's principal investigator.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
BIL 618. Advanced Biostatistics. 4 Credit Hours.
This course will provide an overview of statistical analyses needed to understand, present, and publish biological research. Examples will primarily be drawn from the biomedical and ecological fields. The course will begin with a review of descriptive statistics, probability theory, and univariate distributions, followed by an overview of experimental design and analysis of categorical data using contingency tables. This will be followed by a unit on parametric analysis of univariate data including both simple and multiple linear regression, model selection, and analysis of variance. The final unit will cover non-parametric versions of these analyses and more advanced multivariate statistical methods. Lectures will be accompanied by a computer lab in which students learn hands-on statistical analysis in SAS JMP.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 620. Evolution. 3 Credit Hours.
Evidence for evolution; microevolution including natural selection, kin selection, genetic drift, gene flow, mutation, and evolutionary game theory; macroevolution including speciation, adaptation, phylogenetics, origin of life, and extinction.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 621. Phylogenetics. 3 Credit Hours.
Concepts and methods in phylogenetic systematics. The importance of phylogenetic trees in biology. Use of phylogenies in taxonomy, trait evolution (including homology, adaptations and key innovations), biogeography, speciation, diversification rates, molecular evolution, molecular clocks, and gene duplication.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 622. Plant Diversity. 3 Credit Hours.
The diversity and evolution of seed plants, the most important plants on land that shape our physical environment, affect climate, and provide humans with food, medicines, and materials important in all aspects of our lives. Survey of major lineages of Gymnosperms and Angiosperms, their evolutionary history, adaptations to life on land, reproductive biology, ecology, and economic benefits. Techniques for the collection of plant specimens from the field, and their preparation and identification for museum collections.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 623. Advanced Biology of Marine Invertebrates. 4 Credit Hours.
Detailed study of major phyla of marine invertebrates. Special emphasis on taxa found in waters off southern Florida. Field course. Lectures, laboratory, special projects, and seminars.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 625. Advanced Herpetology. 4 Credit Hours.
Biology of reptiles and amphibians. Their evolutionary history, a description of their current diversity, and how this diversity is distributed geographically. Physiology, including thermoregulation, reproduction, locomotion, and feeding. Spatial ecology, communication, sexual selection, predation, and community assembly. Local field component will include an independent research project addressing a herpetological question.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 630. Population and Community Ecology: Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Classical and contemporary theory in population and community ecology including population dynamics, matrix models, life tables, predator-prey models and food webs.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 631. Advanced Field Ecology. 5 Credit Hours.
Principles of and practical experience in quantitative sampling of community structure, plant and animal populations, and animal activities. Emphasis on individual projects. Lecture, 3 hours; laboratory/field, 10 hours on alternate Saturdays, plus research projects.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BIL 632. Population and Community Ecology: Theory II. 3 Credit Hours.
Classical and contemporary theory in population and community ecology including population dynamics, matrix models, life tables, predator-prey models and food webs.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 633. Conservation Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
Challenges facing conservation practitioners and the toolkit that has been developed to face them. Distribution and value of biodiversity, threats to biodiversity, and methods that have been developed to face these threats at both species and landscape levels. Government implementation of conservation strategies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 634. Stable Isotope Ecology. 3 Credit Hours.
Stable isotope analysis applied to ecological questions such as nutrient cycling, photosynthesis and trophic level studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 635. Molecular Ecology. 3 Credit Hours.
Molecular markers and analyses, and their applications to different problems in biology. Appropriate sampling, methods for assessing genetic diversity and differentiation. Approaches to studying gene flow, tools for behavioral ecology, remote sampling, tracking individuals, and paternity analysis, hybridization and speciation, DNA bar codes, and gene expression from a population biological perspective.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 636. Tropical Biology: An Ecological Approach. 8 Credit Hours.
The tropical environment and biota; ecologic relations, communities and evolution in the tropics. Conducted in Costa Rica under the Organization for Tropical Studies. Lecture, laboratory, and fieldwork.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 637. Ecologia de Poblaciones. 7 Credit Hours.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 638. Tropical Managed Ecosystems. 8 Credit Hours.
Application of ecological principles to problems in agriculture, forestry, conservation and natural resource management in the tropics. Conducted in Costa Rica under the Organization for Tropical Studies.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 639. Ecosystem Ecology. 3 Credit Hours.
Concepts and models of energy and nutrient flow, food webs, successional processes, human influences and effects of spatial heterogeneity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 641. Animal Behavior. 3 Credit Hours.
Amazing behaviors of animals from an evolutionary perspective, including how the diversity of behavior in nature is shaped by natural and sexual selection.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
BIL 645. Developmental Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the process by which a fertilized egg gives rise to a multicellular organism with organs, tissues and cell types that are structurally and functionally distinct and are arranged in a characteristic three-dimensional body plan. This course will take a comparative approach using invertebrate and vertebrate models to cover the current understanding of the cellular, molecular and genetic mechanisms that regulate the development of animals. Evolutionary mechanisms and the biomedical relevance of developmental biology will be emphasized.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 649. Seminar in Behavior. 1 Credit Hour.
Discussion of current literature in animal behavior. This course may be repeated for credit.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 650. The Biology of Symbiosis. 3 Credit Hours.
Symbiosis, interactions between species that live in close physical association, in particular those between microbes and multicellular eukaryotic hosts is fundamental to almost all aspects of biology. Building discipline specific knowledge about symbiosis. The course includes engagement with the scientific literature as a professional researcher, and development of foundational skills for presentation and synthesis of scientific information in visual, oral and written form.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 651. Population Genetics and Genomics. 3 Credit Hours.
Population genetics, which examines the evolutionary processes that affect the genetic composition of natural populations: mutation, genetic drift, natural selection, and gene flow. Theoretical and empirical aspects will be examined via mathematical models, methods of measuring genetic variation, and readings of published case studies. Taxonomic focus will be broad and will include both model organisms (e.g., Drosophila), and non-model organisms.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 652. Bioinformatics Tools. 3 Credit Hours.
Databases and tools of bioinformatics as relevant to research in genomics and molecular biology. Bioinformatics applications. Information retrieval, analytical tools, BLAST searches, promoter analysis, protein structure-function analysis and various applications.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 653. Bioinformatics Algorithms. 3 Credit Hours.
The complexity of bioinformatics computations. Introduction to Perl and Bioperl. Pattern matching and sequence homology. Genome assembly. Transcription factor binding site recognition and motif finding, gene prediction, phylogeny, micro array analysis, RNA folding, gene design and synthesis.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 654. Electron Microscopy. 4 Credit Hours.
Techniques in transmission electron microscopy (TEM) including tissue preparation, use of the electron microscope, photography, and interpretation of micrographs. Lecture, 1 hour; laboratory, 6 hours.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 655. Techniques in Scanning Electron Microscopy. 3 Credit Hours.
Tissue preparation, use of the scanning electron microscope (SEM), photography, and analysis and manipulation of digital images. Lecture 1 hour; laboratory 5 hours.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BIL 656. Ecological and Evolutionary Genomics. 3 Credit Hours.
The evolution of genomes, and the ecological interactions that drive their evolution.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 661. High Altitude Biology and Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
High altitude biology and medicine: Mechanisms of hypoxia resistance influencing the requirement to match oxygen supply and demand throughout
the oxygen cascade. Topics draw from genomics, integrated physiology, population genetics, biochemistry, gene expression, evolution, and alpine
medicine. Taxonomic examples from the literature will include humans, other mammals, birds, reptiles, amphibians, and fish.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 665. Evolution and Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of the relationship between common descent and biological diversity, principally changes in organismal development through time.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 668. Evolution and development of Nervous Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Mechanisms/pathways/modules underlying formation of the nervous system during embryo development. How some properties of nervous systems
have resisted change while others have diverged dramatically during evolution.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 675. Advanced Study in Plant or Animal Sciences. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Content of course will vary by semester. Content in any semester will be expressed as course subtitle.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BIL 678. Current Topics in Biological Research - DVP. 1 Credit Hour.
Content will vary by semester. Readings and discussions with eminent scholars temporarily resident in the department's Distinguished Visiting
Professor program.
Components: SEM.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 680. Research Ethics. 0 Credit Hours.
principles of scientific integrity that forms an integral part of the proposed research training effort.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 689. Nonacademic Careers in Biology. 2 Credit Hours.
Speakers recruited from local biotech companies, conservation organizations, science museums, the National Park Service and Customs as well as
invasive species specialists, medical dosimetrists, principals of schools seeking biology teachers, and others will give weekly seminars about their
practice of science in their occupations. Following each seminar, students will meet with speakers in an informal setting to discuss the particulars and
or prospects of the career in question. The express purpose of this course is to provide students with an idea of the utility of their biology degree in the
workplace. Papers or writings that pertain to a particular career will be assigned prior to the seminar so that students will be ready with questions for
the speaker.
Prerequisite: BIL 200 or Higher.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on their Master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by the student's advisor. May be
regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
BIL 820. Research in Residence - Master’s Thesis. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the Master’s degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in BIL810 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BIL 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by their advisor. Not more than 12 credits of BIL830 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six credits in a summer session. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BIL 840. Post-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. who have advanced to candidacy. The student will enroll for credit as determined by their advisor. Not more than 12 credits of BIL840 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six credits in a summer session. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BIL 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

B.S./M.S. in Biology
Overview
The 5-year BS/MS degree in the Department of Biology is designed for students who are engaged in research and considering a career in biological sciences. Over the course of their senior year, plus one additional year of graduate study, students in the program will take graduate level courses, conduct independent research, and write a Masters of Science thesis.

The first step in this process is for the student and a faculty member to agree on a suitable research project. Students should consider talking with several faculty members to discuss possible projects before settling on a research topic. The Director of the Biology BS/MS program can assist the student in finding a participating faculty mentor in Biology. For at least two semesters of their undergraduate studies, the student must have enough time in their schedule to devote to research <BIL 495, BIL 496, BIL 497>. This is the equivalent of a 2-credit laboratory (6 hours per week), but if the student is enthusiastic about his/her project, he/she will want to spend more time on it than that. Applications to the program are evaluated at the end of the Junior year, so the student should begin research in his/her Sophomore year.

In addition to the requirements for the Bachelor of Science, a student must complete specific courses/seminars, as listed under Curriculum Requirements in preparation for their year of graduate study.

Timeline:

Freshman/Sophomore/Junior year: Find a research mentor, register with the Office of Undergraduate Research and begin your research project. Enroll in Projects in Biology <BIL 495, BIL 496, BIL 497>. Notify the Program Director of your intent.

Junior year: Apply to the program in the fall semester. Continue your research project.

Senior year: Complete the requirements for the B.S. and take one 3 credit Masters-level course each semester. Attend the Biology Departmental Seminar. Present your research findings at the Research, Creativity and Innovation Forum in the spring semester.

Masters year: Take 12-15 credits of Masters coursework each semester. Finish your lab research, write and defend your thesis.

Curriculum Requirements

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Two semesters of introductory biology plus labs are required, usually taken in the first year.
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Select one of the following three Options for upper level required biology core courses:

**Option One:** This option is recommended for students interested in medical school, other health sciences, cell, molecular and developmental biology.

- BIL 250 Genetics
- BIL 255 Cellular and Molecular Biology
- BIL 360 Comparative Physiology
- BIL 330 Ecology
- or BIL 320 Evolutionary Biology

**Option Two:** This option is recommended for students interested in ecology, evolution, biodiversity and conservation.

- BIL 250 Genetics
- BIL 320 Evolutionary Biology
- BIL 330 Ecology
- or BIL 360 Comparative Physiology

**Option Three:**

- BIL 250 Genetics
- BIL 255 Cellular and Molecular Biology
- BIL 360 Comparative Physiology

**Additional BIL electives**

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At least one BIL elective must be a CAPSTONE course. (Locate capstone courses in Class Search under "Additional Search Criteria", subheading "Class Attributes").

At least four credit hours of the following must be taken for the B.S./M.S. in Biology program. A maximum of six credit hours may be applied as electives towards the B.S. in Biology.

- BIL 495 Projects in Biology
- BIL 496 Projects in Biology
- BIL 497 Projects in Biology

Two biology laboratory or field courses beyond <BIL 151 or BIL 153> and <BIL 161 or BIL 163> are required as part of the additional BIL electives. An approved laboratory/field course at the 300 level or higher in departments other than Biology (e.g., BMB, MIC, MSC, NEU) can be counted as one of the two required lab courses. Projects in Biology <BIL 495, BIL 496 or BIL 497> may be counted as one of the two required lab courses. Check with the Department of Biology to confirm that a specific course is allowed to fulfill this requirement.

At least six credit hours of graduate courses in Biology (BIL 600-level) must be taken in the Senior year.

Up to eight credit hours toward the major may be selected from courses with a biological topic and numbered 300 or higher in MBE, MES, MSC, or OCE.

A maximum of two credit hours of the following may be applied towards the major

- BIL 371 Readings in Biology
- BIL 372 Readings in Biology

A maximum of three total credit hours from the following courses may be applied towards the major. Any course in this list may be taken only once to count towards the major. However, these courses may be taken additional times for general elective credit only.

- BIL 281 Undergraduate Learning Internship in Biology
- BIL 381 Workshop Leaders in Biology I
- BIL 382 Workshop Leaders in Biology II
- BIL 481 Undergraduate Teaching Assistant Training in Biology
- BIL 482 PRISM Teaching Fellow

**Chemistry**

Three semesters (16 credits) of chemistry are required for the biology major.
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**Statistics or Computer Language/Programming**

Select one statistics or one computer language/programming course from the following: \(^2\) 

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**Physics**

Select one of the following Options: \(^10-11\)

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**Minor in a Natural Science** \(^1-16\)

A minor in chemistry, ecosystem science and policy, physics, geological sciences, marine sciences, biochemistry and molecular biology, computer science, mathematics, or microbiology and immunology

Total credit hours for the minor will vary by department.

The CHM requirement for the BS in biology fulfills either 12 or 15 (depending on which option is selected) of the 16 credits necessary for the minor in Chemistry. To complete the minor in Chemistry, only 1-4 additional credits in CHM are required beyond those necessary for the BS in Biology.

**Additional Required Courses**

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**Language Courses** \(^3-9\)

**Arts and Humanities Cognate** \(^9\)
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People and Society Cognate 9
Electives 25-0

Masters Year Curriculum Requirements
In the fifth year, 12-15 graduate-level courses in Biology should be taken each semester.

Required graduate courses for the B.S./M.S. in Biology program. Some of these may be taken during the Senior year of the B.S.

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Graduate-level (>600) electives in Biology 16-24

Total Credit Hours 151-161

1 A maximum of one credit hour may be applied towards the major or minor. These courses may be taken more than once each for general elective credit only, but only two credits from these options may count towards the major or minor.

2 This will fulfill the mathematics/statistics/computer programming requirement under the College of Arts and Sciences General degree requirements for the Bachelor of Science.

Suggested Plan of Study

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Overview

The Department of Biology aims to train graduate students in integrative research, with a curriculum that exposes students to the major sub-disciplines of biology and a program that allows enough flexibility to develop interdisciplinary work. Our major strengths include developmental biology, global change biology, neuroscience, and species interactions.

Application for Admission

Applications are due December 1.

In applying for admission, applicants must select either the Master’s or the Ph.D. track.

Students with an appropriate B.S. degree may seek direct entry to either the M.S. track or the Ph.D. track.

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3. Thesis: A well-written and successfully defended thesis of publishable quality; a defense is successful if all members of the committee sign the grad school form and the signature page of the dissertation.

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5. About the committee:
   - A single committee will combine the responsibilities of the supervisory and thesis committees.
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6. About the time table:
   - A written thesis proposal is due no later than the middle of the second semester. Please take note of this deadline. The scope of the M.S. thesis should be in line with the timetable.
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   - Defense of the thesis and its submission to the Graduate School must meet or precede the deadline for graduation immediately following the sixth semester unless an extension has been approved by the Graduate Admissions and Advisement Committee (GAAC) upon recommendation of the thesis committee. Notice of the defense must be submitted on a special form to the graduate school in advance of the defense and must be posted publicly in the department.
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7. Completed SACS evaluation forms are required at two points during the course of study. One following the research proposal defense and the final following defense of the thesis. The student is responsible for providing blank forms to the committee at each milestone. The graduate advisor is responsible for forwarding completed forms to the Graduate Director. The student is responsible for ensuring the Graduate Director receives these forms.

**M.S. in Biology without Thesis (Two-Year Program)**

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2. Passing a written comprehensive exam given by the committee.

3. About the committee:
   • A single committee will combine the responsibilities of the initial supervisory and the comprehensive examination committees. The committee will be determined by the student in consultation with her/his advisor. The committee will consist of a minimum of three faculty, one of whom must be from outside the department, and one of whom must be a member of the graduate faculty. There is no sub-disciplinary representation requirement.
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4. About the time table:
   • The comprehensive exam must be passed by the end of the fourth semester.
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**Suggested Plan of Study**

**Masters with Thesis Program Timeline - Including Program Requirements and Suggested Goals**

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**Semester 1:**

Requirements* (Suggested credits 9):

- Graduate Core I (3 credits)
- Take 6 additional credits
- Form Initial Committee
- Meet with Committee to plan first year of study.

Suggested Goals: (1) Sometime in your first year, start contributing to a project in your group that will yield co-authorship on an article in year 1 or 2. (2) Start your personal Endnote (or equivalent) library and start delving into the primary literature to inform your work. (3) Take Professional Skills Course.
Semester 2:
Requirements* (Suggested credits 9):

• Graduate Core II (3 credits)
• Take 6 additional credits
  • By the end of the first year you must have met your Committee.
  • A written thesis proposal is due no later than the end of the second semester.

Suggested Goals: (1) By the end of your first year, you should have completed the departmental Core course. (2) Establish 30 minutes per day dedicated to writing.

Semester 3:
Requirements* (Suggested credits 4):

• Research in Progress (1 credit)
• Take 3 additional credits
  • Meet with Committee.

Suggested Goals: Attend a local conference and present your proposed research at the Annual Biology Graduate Student Symposium.

Semester 4:
Requirements* (Suggested credits 4):

• Research in Progress (1 credit)
• Take 3 additional credits
  • Meet with Committee.

Suggested Goals: (1) By the end of the fourth semester you should have completed all of your required coursework including a graduate-level course in statistics. (2) Network to explore options for jobs after your Masters degree. (3) Set up summer internship. (4) Start to apply for positions after Masters.

Semester 5:
Requirements* (Suggested credits 3):

• Research in Progress (1 credit)
• Take 2 additional credits
  • Meet with Committee.

Suggested Goals: (1) Work with your mentor on completing a draft of your thesis. (2) Present your work at a national meeting. (3) Apply for positions after Masters.

Semester 6:
Requirements* (Suggested credits 1):

• Research in Progress (1 credit)
  • Analysis of data and a polished draft of the thesis should be completed and in the hands of the committee by the middle of this semester.
  • Publicly defend your Masters thesis.

Suggested Goals: (1) Set-up next stage of professional development.

Masters Program Timeline Notes:

1. The timeline for the suggested goals will vary some across labs and disciplines. The important things to capture from the list of suggested goals are (1) the importance of publishing, (2) the value of publishing early and steadily, and (3) the importance of building your professional network by attending and presenting your work at meetings. Use the suggested timeline to facilitate setting your professional goals and discussing your goals with your advisor and members of your committee.

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3. Because of the compressed timeline of the masters with thesis, meeting with your committee once each semester is a program requirement.
4. TOTAL CREDITS must at least 30 at time of graduation.
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M.S. in Biology without Thesis (Two-Year Program)

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Suggested Goals: Apply for positions after Masters.

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Ph.D. in Biology
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   • At least 18 course credit hours that are not from the independent study series, including the two semester departmental core courses for graduate students and at least one graduate course in statistics (BIL 618). The independent study series is:

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At times these course numbers are used by professors to teach a new course or a special topics course, however, in which case the corresponding credit hours can be counted as a non-independent study credit hour. Course selection requires committee approval.

   • At least 12 research credit hours (BIL 830 and/or BIL 840). Once the overall number of required credit hours (see below #8) has been reached, there is no need to take additional research credit hours.

   • An additional 30 credit hours from any combination of graduate courses (600 level regular courses and independent study courses) and research credit hours (800 level) to bring the total number of credit hours beyond the Bachelor’s Degree to 60 credit hours. (One example: 18 required course credit hours + 12 required research credit hours + 15 additional course credit hours + 15 additional research credit hours = 60 total; another example would be 18 additional course credit hours and only 12 additional dissertation credit hours, etc.)

   • Students who already have a Master’s Degree in the same field may not need as many course credit hours (consult Graduate School rules on transfer credit hours), but at least 24 credit hours must be taken in residence at UM.

   • The committee may decide that students with previous graduate level courses may be exempt from some of the course requirements.

   • The minimum acceptable grade average in all coursework towards the degree is a “B (3.0)” and no grade may be below a “C.”

   • CONCEPTUAL AREAS: Students are encouraged to take courses and independent studies from at least 3 main conceptual areas, and are urged to take courses and independent studies that will prepare them for research and for the comprehensive qualifying exam. Students also are encouraged to participate in seminars and study groups and to take special courses in other departments of UM, at our Coalition for Excellence in Tropical Biology partner institutions, from the Organization for Tropical Studies, or other special interdisciplinary courses. Such courses should be appropriate to their course of study and research area as determined by their committee. Conceptual areas offered in our department include: EVOLUTION (graduate level evolution courses are in the 620’s series); ECOLOGY (graduate level ecology courses are in the 630’s series), BEHAVIOR (graduate level behavior courses are in the 640’s series); GENETICS AND MOLECULAR BIOLOGY (graduate level
2. Comprehensive qualifying exam should be passed by the end of the third semester.

The qualifying examination has two components:

(I) Comprehensive Component

(II) Specialty Component

The Graduate Core will serve as the comprehensive component of the qualifying exam. The minimum acceptable grade in each of Graduate Core I and Graduate Core II is a “B” (3.0). Students who fail to achieve a B average across the two Graduate Core classes will be considered to have failed the comprehensive component of the qualifying exam. Students who earn As (4.0) in both Graduate Core I and Graduate Core II will pass with distinction, students whose grade average across the two classes is <4 but ≥3 will earn a passing grade, while students with a grade average across the two classes of <3 will fail the comprehensive component of the qualifying exam. In addition to assigning letter grades, faculty will complete the graduate school rubric for evaluating student performance on qualifying exams for each student.

Final letter grades will use the University of Miami standard quality points:

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In the event that a student fails the comprehensive component of the qualifying exam, the student will be given the opportunity in the following academic year to retake any Graduate Core class in which they failed to achieve the minimum grade of a B. It is only necessary to retake a class if a student earned less than a B in that class (i.e. if students earn less than a B in only one of the two classes, it is not necessary for them to retake both classes in the sequence). All students retaking classes must have completed their retakes by the end of their fourth semester. Each retake grade will replace a student’s original grade for that part of the Graduate Core. Following the retakes, students who earn As (4.0) in both Graduate Core I and Graduate Core II will pass with distinction, students whose grade average across the two classes is <4 but ≥3 will earn a passing grade, while students with a grade average across the two classes of <3 will fail the comprehensive component of the qualifying exam. A student who earns less than a B in a retake, will fail the comprehensive component of the qualifying exam for a second time and be terminated from the program. In addition to assigning letter grades, faculty will complete the graduate school rubric for evaluating student performance on qualifying exams for each student.

(II) Specialty Component

The specialty component of the qualifying exam will be administered by the initial committee (see § “The committee”) who will test the student in subject areas related to the student’s field of study. As early as the middle of the first semester and before the end of the second semester the student should meet with their initial committee to define the scope of their specialty exam. The specialty component should focus two specific areas of biology that the student intends to incorporate into their dissertation research. These areas can be discussed with the committee, and may be defined by a specific group of reviews, papers, books and book chapters, and even mathematical or computational skill sets to master. The student should be actively engaging their committee to explore and define these areas over their first year of study. The student is responsible for working with their committee to develop a clear understanding of what individual faculty expect of them with respect to preparing for the specialty component of the qualifying exam.

Traditional Specialty Component: The specialty component of the qualifying exam will be administered in the third semester. The committee will designate a chair other than the student's advisor to administer the examination. The written part of the exam will be closed-book and will be administered on campus in a single four-hour period by the examination chair. Two committee members will provide questions for the four-hour specialty exam. Each of the two committee members will provide questions expected to occupy the student for half of the four-hour exam. Exams can be hand-written or completed on a wireless disabled laptop with autocorrect and prompts disabled. All members of the committee will read the exam, the committee members who provided the questions will grade the exam questions they provided. One week after the
committee has read the written answers (about one week after the written exam), an oral exam will be administered by the whole committee for the purpose of further exploring the student’s grasp of both the specialty component subject matter and any material covered by Graduate Core I and II.

**Alternative Specialty Component:** With committee approval, an alternative to the traditional specialty component of the qualifying exam is to present to the committee a first-authored, publishable, full-length article manuscript concerning research conducted since matriculation at UM. The purpose of the alternate exam is to immediately focus students and their graduate advisors on developing the research, analysis and writing skills that are necessary for a successful career. Before the end of the third semester, the manuscript must be submitted to a journal approved by the committee. One week after the committee has read the manuscript, there will be an oral exam for the purpose of further exploring the student’s grasp of both the specialty component subject matter and any material covered by Graduate Core I and II.

**The specific requirements for the alternative specialty component are:**

1. The research must have been conducted since matriculation at UM, under the guidance of the Ph.D. advisor. Research conducted prior to matriculation at UM cannot be the basis for the article. However, a student’s supervisory committee may at its discretion approve work that considerably extends previous research (e.g. a M.S. project) and that contains substantial new data generated since matriculation.

2. The student must be the first author of the article, and must play the principal role in data analysis, writing, submission, and seeing the manuscript through to publication.

3. The target journal should have an impact factor above the median (i.e., top 50%) for journals in its subject area.

4. The publication must be a full article: No form of short note (e.g., primer, technical or natural history note), short communication or brief commentary is acceptable. Substance rather than paper length will be the major consideration: e.g., articles in *Science* and *Nature* would be short but perfectly acceptable! The exam committee will assess the paper’s acceptability.

5. Prior to submission for publication, all members of the supervisory committee must have agreed upon journal selection, served as collegial reviewers of the manuscript, and agreed that the manuscript is suitable for submission. The student is also expected to orally present and defend the research described in the manuscript.

6. Satisfactory completion of this alternate qualifying exam will require submission of the manuscript before the end of the third semester of graduate study. As is the case for a standard written qualifying exam, satisfactory completion will also require a vote of the supervisory/examination committee.

7. A memorandum to GAAC by the supervisory/examination committee chair reporting passing the alternate qualifying exam should be accompanied by a copy of the journal’s acknowledgment of submission.

8. If the approved manuscript has not been submitted before the end of the third semester, the student must prepare to sit the regular specialty component of the qualifying exam before the end of the fourth semester. Students have up to the Monday of the second last week of classes in the fourth semester to submit their manuscript. If the manuscript is not submitted by the end of the second last week of classes in the fourth semester, the student must sit the regular specialty component of the qualifying exam before the end of the fourth semester.

9. The student is encouraged to present the work on which the manuscript is based at the department’s annual graduate student symposium.

10. Each committee member will decide on a pass/fail grade based on the total performance (written plus oral). Conditional passes may not be awarded. For the student to pass the examination, 3 of the 4 examiners must vote a grade of pass. An oral and written summary of the committee’s evaluation must be prepared by the chair of the examination committee and given to the student and to GAAC. If the student does not pass the examination, there will be a chance to retake it the following semester. In the case of failure a second time, the student will be terminated from the program.

11. At time of completion of the oral examination the examination committee must provide the Graduate Director with a completed SACS evaluation form, the student is responsible for ensuring the Graduate Director receives this form.

3. Research proposal: public presentation of a research proposal and defense of a written research proposal to the complete research committee (see below) should be completed by the middle of the fourth semester. Students are encouraged to follow the format of a grant proposal to a major funding agency. At the proposal defense, the student will receive either a pass or a fail. A grade of pass will be recorded if no more than one member of the complete research committee (see below) votes to fail the student. If the student fails the proposal defense, she/he will be given a second chance to defend no later than the sixth week of the fifth semester. If the defense is failed a second time, the student will be terminated from the program. At time of completion of the proposal defense the complete research committee must provide the Graduate Director with a completed SACS evaluation form, the student is responsible for ensuring the Graduate Director receives this form.

4. Admission to candidacy. (application is made on a form available in the grad school and in the department). This normally will occur at the end of the fourth semester. Requirements are to pass the comprehensive examination and to successfully defend a written research proposal and to have complete SACS evaluation forms from both the qualifying exam and the proposal defense on file.

5. Teaching: All students on the Ph.D. track in Biology are required to serve satisfactorily at least one semester as a teaching assistant in one of the courses offered as part of the Department’s training program.

6. Grants: Submission of a grant proposal to a major funding agency (e.g., NSF, NIH, National Geographic, World Wildlife Fund, etc.) is required. All students are required to seek outside funding for their research. This must be a research project proposal. Application for an NSF pre-doctoral fellowship does not meet this requirement, but application for an NSF dissertation improvement grant does qualify.
7. Ph.D. Dissertation: A well-written and successfully defended dissertation containing an original contribution to the field and of quality
appropriate for publication in a scientific journal; a defense is successful if all members of the committee sign the graduate school form and the
signature page of the dissertation. A final, acceptable typescript of the dissertation must be in the hands of the committee a minimum of two
weeks prior to the defense. If this deadline is not met, the defense must be rescheduled. A public dissertation seminar also is presented at the
time of the defense. Following the defense the committee is required to provide the Graduate Director with a completed SACS evaluation form.

8. Other requirements described under "Doctor of Philosophy," including but not limited to:

- a total of at least 60 credit hours (course credit hours plus research credit hours).
- once a student has completed all required credit hours, she/he must enroll in "Research in Residence" (BIL 850) status until the degree is granted.
  This course carries 1 credit hour, but is considered full-time enrollment. Even though no credit is earned, a tuition charge equivalent to 1 course
  credit hours normally applies to this course.

9. Committee: A single committee will advise the student on both comprehensive and research training. The committee will be responsible
for ensuring breadth, significant background and depth in at least 3 conceptual areas (examples include but are not limited to the areas listed
above). The research function of the committee is to advise the student on research, including preparation, training, project choice, project
design, implementation and evaluation of the research. The committee will go through several phases and its membership will be determined by
the advisor and student together, contingent upon approval of GAAC and/or the Graduate School, as appropriate at each phase:

- The initial committee will consist of at least 4 faculty, 2 appointed to ensure breadth of training (from two areas outside the research area) and
  2 from the research area. It will be formed to help the student choose courses during the first few weeks of the first semester. This committee
  will decide whether students having a M.S. in biology (botany, zoology, etc.) from another institution can substitute a graduate level course taken
  elsewhere for a departmental course requirement; it also will decide which additional courses should be taken for both research and breadth. The
  choice of areas briefly will be outlined in a memo to GAAC.

- The initial committee of at least 4 faculty will be responsible for preparing and administering the comprehensive examination.

- The complete committee of at least 4 faculty including one from outside the department, should be formed by the end of the third semester; all
  four members should participate in the proposal evaluation which will take place in the fourth semester. The committee will consist of a minimum
  of four faculty, which includes the committee chair, who must be a member of the Graduate Faculty. Of the remaining members, it is also required
  that two shall be from the Graduate Faculty.

- The dissertation committee (of four) is formed officially when the student is admitted to candidacy. It usually will comprise the same individuals
  as the complete research committee, or it may be formed anew. The student and advisor consult on the membership of the committee, and
  the department nominates the committee to the graduate school. The committee will consist of a minimum of four faculty, which includes the
  committee chair who is the advisor, who must be a member of the Graduate Faculty. Of the remaining members, it also is required that two shall
  be from the Graduate Faculty and one from outside the department of concentration. The dissertation committee is nominated by the department,
  but it must be approved and appointed by the Dean of the Graduate School. There is a special form that must be filed with the graduate school.

- Committee meetings are required at least once a year (recommended at least once a semester in the early phases). The student is responsible
  for arranging meetings; the student should consult with the committee about any major changes in research goals and any problems; memos
  summarizing each meeting should be in the student's file.

10. About the time table:

- The written comprehensive qualifying examination must be passed by the end of the third semester.

- A polished, written dissertation proposal must be defended to the committee in the fourth semester together with a public presentation of the
  proposal. This must take place by mid-April of the spring semester or mid-November of the fall semester.

- Admission to candidacy normally occurs after the comprehensive qualifying exam and proposal defense are passed upon the recommendation of
  the committee and the approval of the Graduate School. Application for admission to candidacy is made to the graduate school on a special form.

- Analysis of data and a polished draft of the dissertation should be completed and in the hands of the dissertation committee no later than the
  middle of the tenth semester.

- Defense of the dissertation and its submission to the Graduate School must meet or precede the deadline for graduation immediately following the
tenth semester unless an extension has been approved by GAAC upon recommendation of the dissertation committee. Notice of the defense and
  of the public seminar must be submitted on a special form to the graduate school in advance of the defense and must be posted publicly in the
  department.

- The oral defense of the dissertation must be given during regular sessions of the Fall or Spring semesters, not during summer sessions, intersessions, reading days or finals weeks.

- No student may receive the degree in the same semester in which she/he is admitted to candidacy.

- The indicated dates form firm deadlines. A student’s committee, however, may submit a written petition to GAAC for an extension of time detailing
  reasons for the request. An extension will be granted only under extraordinary circumstances and will be effective upon written approval by GAAC.

- Proposals to change the schedule for any reason should be preceded by a study of the graduate bulletin sections on leaves of absence, full time
  student status and recency of credit hour; and explicitly should address how the proposed change of schedule relates to these matters. The
memo requesting the change also should address the **proposed financial support** of the student beyond the 10 semesters of normal departmental support.

11. **Public presentations must be during regular semesters.** The public presentation associated with the defense of the proposal and the public seminar associated with the defense of the dissertation must be given during regular sessions of Fall or Spring semesters, not during summer sessions, inter-sessions, reading days, or finals weeks.

12. Completed SACS evaluation forms are required at three points during the course of study. One following the qualifying exam, one following the proposal defense and the final following defense of the dissertation. The student is responsible for providing blank forms to the committee at each milestone. The graduate advisor is responsible for forwarding completed forms to the Graduate Director. The student is responsible for ensuring the Graduate Director receives these forms.

**Suggested Plan of Study**

**Ph.D. Program Timeline - Including Program Requirements and Suggested Goals**

Disclaimer: This Ph.D. Program Timeline does not replace the "Procedures for Graduate Students in Biology".

**Semester 1:**
Requirements* (Suggested credits 9):
- Graduate Core I (3 credits)
- Take 6 additional credits
- Form Initial Committee
- Meet with Committee to plan first year of study.

Suggested Goals: (1) Sometime in your 1st year start contributing to a project in your group that will yield co-authorship on a publication in Year 1 or 2. (2) Start your personal Endnote (or equivalent) library and start delving into primary literature to inform development of your dissertation research.

**Semester 2:**
Requirements* (Suggested credits 9):
- Graduate Core II (3 credits)
- Take 6 additional credits
- By the end of the first year you must have met your Committee.

Suggested Goals: (1) By the end of your 1st year have completed 12 of the 18 required course work credits.

**Semester 3:**
Requirements* (Suggested credits 6):
- Research in Progress (1 credit)
- Take 5 additional credits
- Qualifying Exam
- Qualifying Exams SACS forms submitted to GAAC Director

Suggested Goals: (1) Attend a local conference during 2nd year. (2) Submit Research Fellowship Application(s) in Year 2.

**Semester 4:**
Requirements* (Suggested credits 5):
- Research in Progress (1 credit)
- Take 4 additional credits
- Proposal Defense
- Proposal Defense SACS forms submitted to GAAC Director
- Advance to Candidacy

Suggested Goals: (1) By the end of the 2nd year have completed ALL 18 required course work credits (including the statistics requirement).

**Semester 5:**
Requirements* (Suggested credits 5):

- Research in Progress (1 credit)
- Take 4 additional credits
- Meet with Committee at least once in Year 3

Suggested Goals: (1) Preparation and submission of 1st, 1st authored manuscript in Year 3. (2) Present research at professional meeting in Year 3. (3) Start planning and submitting Grant Applications(s).

Semester 6:

Requirements* (Suggested credits 5):

- Research in Progress (1 credit)
- Take 4 additional credits

Suggested Goals: Submit Grant Applications(s)

Semester 7:

Requirements* (Suggested credits 5):

- Research in Progress (1 credit)
- Take 4 additional credits
- Meet with Committee at least once in Year 4

Suggested Goals: (1) Preparation and submission of 2nd, 1st authored manuscript in Year 4. (2) Present research at professional meeting in Year 4.

Semester 8:

Requirements* (Suggested credits 5):

- Research in Progress (1 credit)
- Take 4 additional credits

Suggested Goals: Start researching applying for postdocs fellowships/jobs

Semester 9:

Requirements* (Suggested credits 5):

- Research in Progress (1 credit)
- Take 4 additional credits
- Meet with committee in 9th semester to demonstrate sufficiency and plan presentation and completion of the dissertation.

Suggested Goals: (1) Complete experimental work and data analysis in 9th semester (2) Present research at professional meeting in Year 5 (if funds are available consider attending more than one professional meeting). (3) Start applying for postdocs/jobs.

Semester 10:

Requirements* (Suggested credits 5):

- Research in Progress (1 credit)
- Take 4 additional credits
- Dissertation Defense
- Dissertation Defense SACS forms submitted to GAAC Director

Suggested Goals: (1) Focus on writing dissertation and final 1st authored publications. (2) Continue applying for postdoc/jobs.

Ph.D. Program Timeline Notes:

1. The timeline for the suggested goals will vary some across labs and disciplines. The important things to capture from the list of suggested goals are (1) the importance of publishing, (2) the value of publishing early and steadily, and (3) the importance of building your professional...
network by attending and presenting your work at meetings. Use the suggested timeline to facilitate setting your professional goals and discussing your goals with your advisor and members of your committee.

2. Contributing to research projects outside your main research project can be a valuable way to gain lab/field skills and skills in data analysis, presentation and writing. Thus, it is suggested that sometime in your 1st year you should start contributing to a project in your group that will yield co-authorship on a publication in Year 1 or 2.

3. Meeting with your committee once each semester is strongly encouraged. Meeting with your committee once each year is a program requirement.

4. TOTAL CREDITS must equal 60 at time of graduation and must not exceed 60. This means that if your time in the program goes beyond the 10 semesters of guaranteed support, you will need to plan and budget your remaining credits accordingly.

5. One credit of an 800-level course qualifies as full-time enrollment. Thus, in your final years, enrolling in one credit of BiL840 is sufficient.

6. Proposal and dissertation defenses must be advertised and scheduled at a time that does not conflict with departmental events including seminars, workshops and faculty meetings. Absolutely no defense should be scheduled to conflict with Monday Seminars (12:20-1:30), Wednesday Faculty Meetings (12:20-1:30), or to conflict with Friday Seminars (12:20-1:30; please note that scheduling defenses for presentation as part of the Friday Seminar Series is encouraged). Defenses must be scheduled during regular term times, consult your program requirements for details.

Mission
The purpose of the Biology Doctoral Program is to engender the research, teaching and presentation skills that are central to professional biological careers in academia, government and private organizations.

Student Learning Outcomes
- Students will demonstrate a deep knowledge of a Biological area, and the research skills required to make an original scientific contribution.
- Students will demonstrate the ability to teach Biology to University of Miami undergraduates.
- Students will demonstrate appropriate level of writing skills for communicating their research in professional settings.

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Degree Programs
Prospective graduate students are expected to have completed, during their undergraduate training:

The candidate must hold a B.S./B.A. degree from an accredited institution. Consideration is given to applicants who have successfully completed general chemistry (two semesters), organic chemistry (two semesters), physical chemistry (two semesters), and the related laboratories. A course in advanced inorganic chemistry is strongly recommended, and remedial work in this area may be required of students who have not taken such a course. The mathematics and physics courses that are normally included in a B.S. program in chemistry are also required.

Undergraduate deficiencies are treated as such and must be overcome during the first year of graduate study.
Masters Program in Chemistry

- M.S. in Chemistry (p. 1682)

Doctoral Program in Chemistry

- Ph.D. in Chemistry (p. 1682)

CHM 615. Makings of a Scientist. 3 Credit Hours.
By analyzing achievements and advise of few successful scientists, chemists in particular, will highlight what qualities are needed to be a successful scientist. Importance of motivation, perseverance, communication skills, adhering to ethical guidelines and ability to deal with colleagues and co-workers will be brought out. Career options available for a trained chemist and how different each one is will be pointed out. Overall this is a course in multi-mentoring of graduate students who are aiming for a career in science and hope to become successful researchers in science, particularly in chemistry.
Prerequisite: CHM 202 with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CHM 620. Physical Organic Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Aspects of chemical bonding, acids and bases, steeoechemistry, aromaticity, pericyclic reactions, linear free energy relationships, transition state theory, excited state chemistry, reactive intermediaries, mechanisms of uni- and bi-molecular reactions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CHM 622. Synthetic Organic Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Functional group transformations, Synthon approach. Retro-synthetic analyses, multistep syntheses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CHM 624. Supramolecular Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Complexation, recognition, and catalysis as applied to bio-organic chemistry. Steric, polar, and lipophilic interactions as well as proximity effects in the design of synthetic enzyme mimics, cationic transport species, etc.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CHM 625. Structural Organic Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CHM 626. Structural Organic Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CHM 630. Fluorescence Spectroscopy and Microscopy. 3 Credit Hours.
The photophysical properties of organic compounds that illustrates the fundamental principles of fluorescence. It also explains how fluorescence spectra and images can be recorded and how these powerful analytical techniques can be used to address significant problems in biology and medicine.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CHM 635. Molecular and Supramolecular Photochemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Generation of a model that will help rationalize/predict excited state reactions. A brief background on physical aspects of photochemistry will be given. Exploring and understanding of reactions that are triggered by light. Importance of light in life will be highlighted.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
CHM 641. Principles of Bonding and Reactivity in Inorganic Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Bonding principles necessary to understand the structure, stability, and fundamental reactivity of main group and transition metal inorganic compounds.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CHM 653. Modern Quantum Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Many-electron wave functions and operators. Hartee-Fock approximation, density functional theory, configuration interaction, and many-body perturbation theory.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CHM 655. Electrochemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Modern electrochemical techniques including voltammetry, chronocoulometry, rotating disk electrode, and ultramicroelectrodes.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CHM 665. Principles of Spectroscopic Techniques. 3 Credit Hours.
Spectroscopic techniques: nuclear magnetic resonance (NMR), mass spectra (MS), ultraviolet (UV), visible infrared (IR), fluorescence, and other specialized spectroscopic techniques.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CHM 675. Principles of Nuclear Magnetic Resonance and Multidimensional Spectroscopy. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory of nuclear magnetic resonance; Bloch equations; relaxation theory; time-domain versus frequency domain spectroscopies, and principles of multidimensional spectroscopy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CHM 681. Advanced Analytical Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Provides a strong foundation in the most important concepts in advanced analytical chemistry, including electrochemistry, chemical separations, and bioanalytical chemistry, and in the different classes of instrumental analytical techniques available to current chemists.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CHM 691. Topics in Chemistry. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Subject matter offerings based upon student demand and availability of faculty. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule following the title, "Topics in Chemistry".
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CHM 692. Topics in Chemistry. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Subject matter offerings based upon student demand and availability of faculty. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule following the title, "Topics in Chemistry".
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CHM 693. Readings in Chemistry. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings on special topics. Offered by special arrangement. May be repeated for credit.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CHM 694. Readings in Chemistry. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings on special topics. Offered by special arrangement. May be repeated for credit.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
CHM 779. Chemistry Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
Participation in the departmental seminar program. Required each semester the student is in residence and not enrolled in CHM 680 (excluding
summer sessions).
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CHM 780. Chemistry Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
Participation in the chemistry department seminar program, including an oral presentation of special topics.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CHM 785. Introduction to Research. 2 Credit Hours.
Research principles and practices, independent study in selected subject areas, and/or oral presentation of a proposed research topic. Open only to
graduate students working toward the M.S. or Ph.D. in chemistry.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CHM 788. Problems in Research Planning. 2 Credit Hours.
Formulation of a research program for investigating an original problem not related to the candidate's major laboratory research. A brief written
summary and an oral defense of the plan will be required.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CHM 805. Research Practices. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Research experiences in special techniques. For students electing the non-thesis M.S. option. May be repeated for a total not to exceed six credits.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CHM 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not
awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHM 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master's degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in
CHM 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHM 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but for not less than a total of 12 hours. Up
to 12 hours may be taken in a regular semester, but not more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHM 840. Post-candidacy Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. who have advanced to candidacy. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but not for
less than a total of 12. Up to 12 hours may be taken in a regular semester, but not more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHM 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D. and D.A., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate
doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
CHM 880. Doctoral Dissertation Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. degree when defending their doctoral dissertation during their final term. A written dissertation and an oral defense of the Ph.D. dissertation will be required.
Prerequisite: CHM 830 and CHM 840.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

M.S. in Chemistry
Curriculum Requirements

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Students must take 18 credits of formal lecture courses by the end of the spring semester of their first year. Of the 18 credit hours, 4 core courses totaling 12 credit hours should be taken by all graduate students.

- The required number of credit hours in the chemistry seminars (CHM 779) and Introduction to Research (CHM 785) must be taken in the first and second year.
- The required number of credit hours in research (CHM 810) must be taken in the second year.
- A dissertation based on research of a quality acceptable for publication in a recognized scientific journal must be completed before the end of the second year.

The M.S. degree may be earned with or without a thesis.

In order to complete a MS degree without thesis, an advanced comprehensive exam must be passed.

The exam is administered at the end of the second year in the program.

Ph.D. in Chemistry
Curriculum Requirements

The general requirements for the doctorate in Chemistry are set forth in this Bulletin under the heading Doctor of Philosophy. The Department of Chemistry has the following specific requirements:

The PhD degree requires a minimum of 60 credit hours. The department will cover tuition costs up to 60 credit hours for students on assistantships and fellowships.

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# Suggested Plan of Study

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- The required number of credit hours in the chemistry seminar (CHM 779) must be taken in the first and second year.
- The required number of credit hours in Introduction to Research (CHM 785) must be taken in the first year.
- The required number of credit hours in the chemistry seminar (CHM 780) must be taken in the fall semester of the third year.
- The required number of credit hours in Pre-candidacy Doctoral Dissertation (CHM 830) must be taken in the first, second, third and fourth year.
- The required number of credit hours credits in Post-candidacy Doctoral Dissertation (CHM 840) must be taken in the fourth year.
- An Oral Comprehensive Exam must be passed before the end of the spring semester of the second year.
- An original research proposal in Problems in Research Planning (CHM 788) must be presented and defended before the end of the spring semester of the third year.
- A Doctoral Dissertation (CHM 880) based on research of a quality acceptable for publication in a recognized scientific journal must be completed before the end of the fifth year.
Mission
As one of the core sciences, Chemistry has always been of the utmost importance in inventing new technology and ensuring that our nation remains at the forefront of scientific advances in energy, medicine, agriculture, environmental issues, and nanotechnology. The Ph.D. program at the University of Miami is committed to interdisciplinary interactions with research partners in all scientific and technological areas, thereby enriching the educational opportunities of the graduate students in the Department of Chemistry. We strive to deliver a high quality classroom-based instructional experience to provide our students with a broad knowledge base in the field, and, at the same time, allow for specialization in select topics to advance student understanding. By combining this instructional effort with a cutting-edge research program, our mission is to provide chemistry graduate students with a modern educational experience for future careers in all areas of the field, including academic, governmental, and industrial positions.

Goals
Student Learning Outcomes
• Graduates will be able to demonstrate a broad understanding of chemical principles in all areas of the science.
• Graduates will be able to demonstrate a significant understanding of chemical instrumentation analysis methods, and laboratory techniques.
• Graduates will exhibit advanced critical thinking skills and problem solving strategies as applied to chemical research.
• Graduates will exhibit advanced creative thinking skills and ability to design their own projects as applied to chemical research.
• Graduates will be able to clearly and effectively communicate scientific results.
• Graduates will be able to clearly and effectively communicate scientific results, and demonstrate mastery in the area they are specializing in.

Computer Science

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Dept. Code: CSC

Introduction
The Department of Computer Science offers undergraduate and graduate education in Computer Science, and performs research in various areas of Computer Science. Faculty research interests include algorithm engineering, applied cryptography & cybersecurity, automated reasoning, bioinformatics, computational complexity, computational geometry & computer graphics, computational neuroscience, data mining & data science, machine learning & neural networks, music information retrieval, robotics, scientific computing, semantic web, and sensors & wireless systems.

Educational Objectives
The Department of Computer Science educates students in the science of software development: the analysis of domain problems, the development of algorithms and programs, the use of specialist computing techniques, the system-software and hardware platforms, and the production and deployment of efficient and robust computer software. Instruction ranges from introductory programming classes and laboratories, through to faculty research areas.

Degree Programs
The Department of Computer Science offers
• a Master of Science (MS) in Computer Science
• a track in the university-wide Master of Science (MS) in Data Science
• a Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) in Computer Science

Note
All Computer Science graduate TAs and RAs must complete RCR training during their first semester in the department. All other Computer Science graduate students must complete Responsible Conduct of Research (RCR) training before starting research work. Information about RCR training can be found from UM ethics programs: https://www.uresearch.miami.edu/uresearch-services/citi/index.html (https://www.uresearch.miami.edu/uresearch-services/citi/).

Masters Programs in Computer Science
• MS in Computer Science (p. 1694)
• Five-Year BS and MS in Computer Science (p. 1690)
• MS in Data Science (p. 1701)
Doctoral Program in Computer Science

- Ph.D. in Computer Science (p. 1696)

CSC 607. Logic. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 609. Data Security and Cryptography. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 317 or CSC 427.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 615. Introduction to Python Programming for Graduate Students. 3 Credit Hours.
Python programming and data structures. Program design and implementation. Python packages for scientific applications, data analysis, and machine learning. Designed for graduate students from the sciences. Not available to Computer Science students.
Prerequisite: MTH 161 and MTH 224.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 616. Cybersecurity. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 317 And MTH 224 And MTH 309.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 618. Interpreters and Compiler Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 419.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 623. Theory of Relational Databases. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 423.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 629. Introduction to Computer Graphics. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 632. Introduction to Parallel Computing. 3 Credit Hours.
Parallel computing systems shared-memory parallel programming, with open MP, distributed-memory parallel programming, software with open MPI software package. Applications: vector and matrix operations, sorting, image processing.
Prerequisite: CSC 317.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
CSC 640. Algorithm Design and Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Design techniques include divide-and-conquer, greedy method, dynamic programming, backtracking. Time and space complexity. Sorting, searching, combinatorial and graph algorithms.
Prerequisite: CSC 317.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 645. Introduction to Artificial Intelligence. 3 Credit Hours.
Game theory. AI programming.
Prerequisite: CSC 317 Or ECE 318 And MTH 224 Or ECE 310 Or IEN 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CSC 646. Introduction to Machine Learning with Applications. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MTH 210 and MTH 224.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

CSC 647. Computational Geometry. 3 Credit Hours.
Algorithms for solving geometric problems arising from application domains including graphics, robotics, and GIS.
Prerequisite: CSC 317.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 648. Bioinformatics Algorithms. 3 Credit Hours.
The complexity of bioinformatics computations. Introduction to perl and bioperl. Pattern matching and sequence homology. Genome assembly.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CSC 650. Computational Neuroscience. 3 Credit Hours.
Connections to machine learning. Tutorials in Matlab.
Prerequisite: MTH 162 and MTH 224.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 656. Multimedia Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 317.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 670. Directed Reading. 2-4 Credit Hours.
Directed reading in Computer Science - content varies by semester.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
CSC 685. Topics in Computer Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics in Computer Science - content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 686. Topics in Computer Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics in Computer Science - content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 687. Topics in Computer Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics in Computer Science - content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 688. Topics in Computer Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics in Computer Science - content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 689. Topics in Computer Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics in Computer Science - content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 690. Seminar for Graduate Students I. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Flexible topics of interest to graduate students.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 692. Seminar for Graduate Students II. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Flexible topics of interest to graduate students.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 707. Logic Programming. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MTH 506 and CSC 317.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 711. Theory of Computation. 3 Credit Hours.
Recursive functions, Markov algorithms, Turing machines. Unsolvability.
Prerequisite: CSC 317 or CSC 517.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 712. Complexity Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Models of computations, Blum's axioms, intractability, NP-completeness.
Prerequisite: CSC 427.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
CSC 724. Mobile Wireless Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Cellular Systems, multiple access techniques, wireless networking, mobile IP, power management, user location information management, TDMA,
CDMA, and GSM systems, data broadcasting.
Prerequisite: CSC 424.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 732. Parallel Algorithms. 3 Credit Hours.
Parallel computation models; sorting networks; parallel algorithms for sorting, searching, graph problems, prefix computation, pattern matching, and
fast Fourier transforms; theory of P-completeness, the class NC.
Prerequisite: CSC 317.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CSC 746. Neural Networks and Deep Learning. 3 Credit Hours.
training, Deep Feedforward Networks: Regularization for deep learning, Optimization for training deep models, Convolution networks. Applications:
Computer vision, speech recognition, Natural language processing.
Prerequisite: CSC 317.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 749. Automated Reasoning. 3 Credit Hours.
system and as a programming language. Applications of ATP in research and industry.
Prerequisite: CSC 317 or CSC 645.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 751. Semantic Web. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of the underlying semantic web technologies. Ontology construction and implementation using tools and APIs (logic, XML, RDF, RDFS).
Theoretical and practical aspects of knowledge representation (description logic, RDF, RDFS, SPARQL, SROIQ(D)). Designing and debugging ontologies
(ontology engineering, entailment tools, project).
Prerequisite: CSC 317 and MTH 309.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 752. Autonomous Robotic Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction: autonomous systems, autonomous robots, RoboCup, typical components of an autonomous robot. Modeling: perception, noise,
modeling, recursive state estimation, Bayes’ filter, particle filter, self-localization. Control and motion: PIO-control, calibration of parameters, controlling
a wheeled robot, controlling joints, walking motion. Learning (optional, if time permits): overview, different types of learning, reinforcement learning.
Prerequisite: CSC 317 and MTH 210.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 756. Advanced Multimedia Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
multimedia software development tools. Architecture and issues for distributed multimedia systems. Multimedia communications systems.
Prerequisite: CSC 656.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 785. Advanced Topics in Computer Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced Topics in Computer Science
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
CSC 786. Advanced Topics in Computer Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced Topics in Computer Science
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
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CSC 787. Advanced Topics in Computer Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
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CSC 788. Advanced Topics in Computer Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
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CSC 789. Advanced Topics in Computer Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced Topics in Computer Science
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 793. Research Project. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Supervised research project preceding dissertation research for the Ph.D.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CSC 794. Research Project. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Supervised research project preceding dissertation research for the Ph.D.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CSC 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for the number of credit hours as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CSC 825. Continuous Registration--Master's Study. 1 Credit Hour.
To establish residence for non-thesis master's students who are preparing for major examinations. Credit not granted. Regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CSC 830. Pre-Candidacy DOCTORAL DISSERTATION. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but for not less than a total of 12 hours. Up to 12 hours may be taken in a regular semester, but not more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CSC 840. Post-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. who have advanced to candidacy. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but not for less than a total of 12. Not more than 12 hours of CSC 740 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
B.S./M.S. in Computer Science Five-Year

The 5-year Bachelor of Science + Master of Science program in Computer Science provides research training for students who wish to work in a computing research lab, or possibly continue to PhD studies.

Students enter the "MS-phase" of the program when they have met the following requirements:

- They have achieved senior status, i.e., earned 89 credit hours towards their Bachelor of Science in Computer Science.
- Within the requirements for a Bachelor of Science in Computer Science, they have completed the prerequisites for entry into the regular Master of Science program, i.e.:

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- They have completed 3 credit hours of CSC 410 and/or CSC 411 in a research-oriented project.
- They have an overall GPA of at least 3.0.
- They have a GPA of at least 3.3 in the CSC courses taken towards their BS in Computer Science.
- They have advised the Director of Graduate Studies of their eligibility for the MS-phase.

Students in the MS-phase must complete 3 further credit hours of CSC 410 and/or CSC 411 in a research-oriented project, as part of their Bachelor of Science in Computer Science (this project will normally be the starting point for the Master of Science research). Students in the MS-phase may take up to 12 credits of courses, including 600 level courses, that count towards completing the requirements for the Master of Science in Computer Science. When students have completed the requirements for a Bachelor of Science in Computer Science they will be awarded that degree, and when they have completed the requirements for the Master of Science in Computer Science they will be awarded that degree.

Incoming students can be admitted to the program if their mathematics placement is MTH 108 or higher. Existing Bachelor of Science in Computer Science students can switch into the program when they have met the requirements for entering the MS-phase of the program. Students can be removed from the program if they have not met the prerequisites for admission to the MS-phase by the time they have achieved senior status. If a student is removed or decides to withdraw from the program, any 600 level courses taken may be used to fulfill the requirements for a Bachelor of Science in Computer Science.

B.S. Curriculum Requirements

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**Tracks**

Select one of the following Tracks:

**Comprehensive Track:**
- CSC 419 Programming Languages
- CSC 421 Principles of Computer Operating Systems
- CSC 423 Database Systems
- CSC 424 Computer Networks

Select a minimum of 5 credit hours of approved electives

**Flexible Track:**
- Select a minimum of 17 credit hours of approved electives

**Computational Science Track:**
- CSC 210 Computing for Scientists
- CSC 528 Introduction to Parallel Computing
- CSC 547 Computational Geometry
- CSC 548 Bioinformatics Algorithms
- CSC 410 or CSC 411 Computer Science Project Planning
- CSC 320 or MTH 520 Introduction to Numerical Analysis
- MTH 320 Numerical Linear Algebra
- BIL 150 General Biology
- BIL 151 General Biology Laboratory

**Cryptography and Security Track:**
- CSC 421 Principles of Computer Operating Systems
- CSC 424 Computer Networks
- CSC 507 Data Security and Cryptography
- CSC 410 or CSC 411 Computer Science Project Planning
- MTH 461 or MTH 505 Theory of Numbers
- MTH 561 Abstract Algebra I

Select a minimum of 2 credit hours of approved electives

**Graphics and Games Track:**
- CSC 229 Introduction to Game Programming
- CSC 329 Introduction to Artificial Intelligence
- CSC 410 or CSC 411 Computer Science Project Planning
- CSC 529 Computer Science Project Implementation

Select a minimum of 5 credit hours of approved electives

**Science & Ethics Requirement**

An approved two semester sequence of courses with laboratory in Biology, Chemistry, Physics, or Geological Sciences

**Approved Electives**

- Any CSC 2XX, CSC 3XX, CSC 4XX, CSC 5XX
- BTE 535 Information Security
- BTE 565 Mobile to Cloud: Developing Distributed Applications
- ECE 414 Computer Organization and Design
ECE 514  Computer Architecture
ECE 548  Machine Learning
ECE 553  Neural Networks
ECE 570  Network Client-Server Programming
ECE 572  Object-Oriented and Distributed Database Management Systems
ECE 574  Agent Technology
ECE 576  Internet and Intranet Security
ECE 577  Data Mining
ECE 481  Senior Project I 9
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MTH 320  Introduction to Numerical Analysis
MTH 505  Theory of Numbers
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**Additional Requirements for the B.S.** 10

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Total Credit Hours 120

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1 These mathematics courses can also fulfill the requirements for a Minor in Mathematics (see here for details).
2 Available to all students.
3 The Comprehensive Track provides coverage of the topics in Computer Science prescribed by the Association of Computing Machinery curriculum and the ABET Computing Accreditation Commission.
4 Requires permission of the Director of Undergraduate Studies.
5 In addition to the generally approved electives, CIM 423, CIM 433, MMI 504, and MMI 505 are approved for the Graphics and Games track.
6 This course may also be applied towards the Science requirement.
7 CSC 40X - Computer Science Practicum must be taken at the same time as host course.
8 Maximally 6 credit hours from CSC 481 - Computer Science Teaching Assistant.
9 ECE 481 and ECE 482 may be used to replace any requirement for CSC 410 and CSC411.
10 For the Additional Major in Computer Science, with Tracks, students not in the College of Arts and Sciences should use the requirements of their school or college's degree in place of the additional requirements listed here.

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Selecting an Advisor

By the end of the second semester, the student must find a research supervisor. By the end of the third semester, the student must have made significant progress on a research project under the supervision of a faculty member. The student must write a detailed progress report that will become a public document and shall be kept on file by the Department. The student must present the report to a quorum of the CSGC at a time to be approved by the chairman of the Department. The supervisor and CSGC must approve the project as applicable toward candidacy for a Ph.D.

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Criminology

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For more information, please see our website: http://www.as.miami.edu/sociology/graduate-programs/mscriminology/.

Admission Requirements

Students are evaluated for admission based on a holistic assessment of the following requirements. Students must submit:

1. A statement of purpose.
   a. In this personal statement applicants detail their reasons for pursuing the degree, both in general and in our program specifically. The statement will help evaluate applicants’ writing abilities as well as fit with our program.
2. Transcripts from all academic institutions attended.
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3. Letters of recommendation.
   a. At least three letters of recommendation must be submitted. These should be positive and strongly indicate that the applicant has the aptitude and stamina necessary to successfully complete a graduate degree.

Academic Standing

Graduate students are expected to maintain a minimum of a 3.0 overall GPA in all coursework. Should the average fall below that minimum in a semester, the student will be notified and will work with his/her advisor to rectify the performance issues. If the student has a second consecutive semester with an average overall GPA below 3.0, he/she will be placed on academic probation. Three semesters of below average performance may result in suspension from the program in accordance with guidelines for the University’s Graduate School.

Masters Program in Criminology and Criminal Justice

M.S. in Criminology and Criminal Justice (p. 1699)

Certificate in Criminology and Criminal Justice

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Certificate in Criminology and Criminal Justice

Overview
The Department of Sociology offers a Graduate Certificate in Criminology and Criminal Justice. The program provides training in fundamentals of the criminal justice system and criminological theory, as well as foundational training in research methods and statistics. The Certificate is designed for students who wish to augment their training in criminology and criminal justice as well as for those students seeking to enter the M.S. program in Criminology and Criminal Justice but who may not meet all program requirements. Students earn the Certificate by successfully completing the five required courses.

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*This program is not eligible for federal or state financial aid. Contact the Office of Student Financial Assistance and Employment (https://finaid.miami.edu/) for further assistance.

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3. Letters of recommendation from at least three references familiar with the individual’s scholastic and/or work performance
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Mission
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Goals
The program objectives of the Graduate Certificate program in Criminology and Criminal Justice are to:

• Provide a Graduate Certificate for those currently or intending to work in research or applied settings in criminal justice agencies or community college teaching. It also provides an opportunity for interested students to explore potential further education in a Master's program.
• Provide training in criminology and criminal justice, enabling a strong and integrated knowledge of research and practice. This will enable greater understanding of both the etiology and prevention of crime as well as to better inform criminal justice policy.
• Provide the research and conceptual skills required to conduct analyses and assessments of the criminal justice system.
Student Learning Outcomes

• Students will demonstrate advanced knowledge of classic and contemporary criminological theory.
• Certificate earners will demonstrate proficiency in written and oral communication.
• Certificate earners will have a thorough knowledge of the fundamentals of research in the social sciences and be able to synthesize and apply them in written form.

M.S. in Criminology and Criminal Justice

Overview

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### SOC 613 Qualitative Research Methods

**Geographic Information Systems**

- GEG 691 Geographic Information Systems I
- GEG 693 Geographic Information Systems II

**Legal Issues in Criminal Justice**

- LAW 320 Substantive Criminal Law
- LAW 332 Criminal Procedure Adjudication

**Public Administration**

- POL 622 Introduction to Graduate Public Administration
- POL 646 Public Policy Process and Implementation
- POL 647 Human Resource Management in Public Service
- MGT 620 Managing Through People

**Completion Track**

Choose one of the following tracks:

- SOC 690 Directed Studies (Comprehensive Exam)
- SOC 791 Graduate Internship and Paper
- SOC 810 Master’s Thesis

**Total Credit Hours**

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**Sample Plan of Study**

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**Goals**

The program objectives of the proposed new Master’s program in Criminology and Criminal Justice are to:

- Provide a terminal Master’s degree for those currently or intending to work in research or applied settings in criminal justice agencies or community college teaching. It also provides an opportunity for interested students to explore potential further education in a doctoral program.
• Provide interdisciplinary training in criminology and criminal justice, enabling a strong and integrated knowledge of research and practice. This will enable greater understanding of both the etiology and prevention of crime as well as to better inform criminal justice policy.
• Provide a comprehensive understanding of the complexities of criminal behavior, its control, and of the criminal justice system.
• Provide the research and conceptual skills required to conduct advanced analyses and assessments of the criminal justice system.

Student Learning Outcomes

• Students will demonstrate advanced knowledge of classic and contemporary criminological theory.
• Graduates will have a thorough knowledge of the discipline and the theoretical foundations of the literature and be able to synthesize and apply them in well-written form.
• Graduates will have a thorough knowledge of the fundamentals of research in the social sciences and be able to synthesize and apply them in written form.

Data Science

Overview - Master of Science in Data Science (MSDS)

The Master of Science in Data Science is a thirty (30) credit interdisciplinary graduate program that combines the teaching of domain-specific and technical skills for analyzing large data sets. Students interested in data science tools will be able to focus on tool principles and tool development, and students interested in data science application domains will be able to focus on the application of data science tools with a selection of courses that develop skills in one of three application areas. The program also provides its students the option of doing an industrial internship, to acquire professional experience. The program is both academic and professional in nature, providing course that are true to a Master’s level degree and courses that reflect the needs of the profession.

This innovative degree program exists through the collaboration of several UM units, including the College of Arts & Sciences, College of Engineering, School of Architecture, School of Communication, Rosenstiel School of Marine & Atmospheric Sciences (RSMAS), School of Education & Human Development, and the Institute for Data Science and Computing (iDSC). Core courses are taken in engineering, computer science, and statistics, and while selecting a track is not required, tracks are available through the participating schools and colleges.

Students from non-technical backgrounds are encouraged to apply. Summer prerequisite courses in linear algebra, statistics, and programming are available for applicants who may need additional coursework prior to the start of the program. Equivalencies will be considered by the admissions committee.

The following tracks are available for M.S. students.

• Technical Data Science (College of Arts & Sciences and College of Engineering)
• Smart Cities (School of Architecture)
• Data Visualization (School of Communication)
• Marine & Atmospheric Science (Rosenstiel School of Marine & Atmospheric Sciences)
• Educational Measurement & Statistics (School of Education & Human Development) - pending approval

Regardless of the focus track, all degrees are awarded by the College of Arts & Sciences.

For more information, please visit http://msdatascience.miami.edu (https://msdatascience.miami.edu)/

• M.S. in Data Science (p. 1701)
• M.S. in Data Science with a track in Technical Data Science (p. 1701)
• M.S. in Data Science with a track in Smart Cities (p. 1701)
• M.S. in Data Science with a track in Data Visualization (p. 1701)
• M.S. in Data Science with a track in Marine & Atmospheric Sciences (p. 1701)
• M.S. in Data Science with a track in Educational Measurement & Statistics. - (p. 1701) pending approval

M.S. in Data Science

https://msdatascience.miami.edu/

Program Overview

The Master of Science in Data Science is an interdisciplinary graduate program that combines the teaching of domain-specific and technical skills for analyzing large data sets. Built upon a core of foundational data science courses in Computer Science, Electrical Engineering, and Mathematics, and a selection of courses from data science application domains, the program is interdisciplinary in nature. Students interested in data science tools will be able to focus on tool principles and tool development, and students interested in data science application domains will be able to focus on the application of data science tools with a selection of courses that develop skills in one of three application areas. The program also provides its
students the option of doing an industrial internship, to acquire professional experience. The program allows the various academic units involved to add courses in their specific application domains, thus keeping the program updated and relevant to current practice and industrial needs. The program is both academic and professional in nature, providing courses that are true to a Master's level degree and courses that reflect the needs of the profession.

**Admission Requirements**

1. Completion of an application.

2. A Baccalaureate degree for an accredited institution.

3. A minimum cumulative undergraduate GPA of 3.0.

4. Introduction to Probability and Statistics and Computer Programming I (or equivalents). Students may be admitted with deficiencies, which must be completed in addition to the degree requirements.

5. GRE general test scores

   Applicants must rank in the 65% percentile or higher in the Quantitative Reasoning Test. There is no minimum score requirement for other parts of the GRE.

6. Students from non-English speaking countries must send either TOEFL or IELTS

   - TOEFL minimum score: Internet based - 92; Computer based - 237; Paper based 580
   - IELTS minimum score: 6.5

7. A personal statement of intent in which the applicant details reasons for pursuing the degree.

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**Curriculum Requirements - Smart Cities Track**
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Student Learning Outcomes

Upon completion of the MS in Data Science, students will be able to:

1. Use mathematical, statistical, and computational techniques to analyze large datasets, including collecting data, cleaning data, integrating multiple data sets, and applying the analytical techniques to the data.
2. Write computer programs for accomplishing the aforementioned analysis tasks and the analysis results obtained.
3. Interpret domain data appropriately, and provide insights into the data at hand.
4. Communicate the results of their analysis clearly to the relevant people, including decision-makers, stakeholders, and managers.
5. Generalize data analysis skills to problems in a real-world setting.

Specific to the individual tracks.
(a) For the Technical Data Science track

1. Use machine learning to discover the underlying structures and relationships in large datasets.
2. Apply data analysis and data mining to identify patterns in large datasets and develop classification/prediction models.
3. Deploy appropriate tools for visualizing data and their analysis results.

(b) For the Smart Cities track:

1. Use data science techniques to collect and analyze data from buildings and infrastructure.
2. Use data analysis and visualization skills to inform the design, development, and management of sustainable and resilient environments.

(c) For the Data Visualization track:

1. Use interactive and static visualization techniques for communication and dissemination to audiences with diverse levels of technological background/sophistication.
2. Use visualization techniques for advocacy.

(d) For the Marine and Atmospheric Science track:

1. Use public, private data sets, and their aggregates for domain-specific inquiries.
2. Analyze data that covers large areas over time.
3. Use data science skills to develop plans for analysis and execute them.
4. Apply appropriate technologies to analyze marine and atmospheric data.

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Degree Programs

The Ph.D. program in English (p. 1716) is an innovative scholarly course of study offering substantial work in literatures in English, including British, American, Caribbean, Irish, and other Anglophone literature, with some opportunities for advanced work in comparative literature.

The M.F.A. program in Creative Writing (p. 1714) located in the English Department offers an intensive two year study with a third year option in the reading, writing and teaching of creative writing.

Master of Fine Arts
• M.F.A. in Creative Writing (p. 1714)

Doctoral Program in English
• Ph.D. in English (p. 1716)
ENG 601. Creative Writing: Fiction III. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Advanced M.F.A. workshop in the techniques of writing fiction.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 602. Creative Writing: Poetry II. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Advanced M.F.A. workshop in the techniques of writing poetry.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 604. Form in Poetry. 3 Credit Hours.
Poetic works as literary objects, with attention to poetic trends and the creative process.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 605. Form in Fiction. 3 Credit Hours.
Fictional works as literary objects with attention to individual styles, Fictional Trends and the creative process.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 607. Studies in Renaissance Drama. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies in Renaissance Drama.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ENG 610. Studies in Old English Language and Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 611. Introduction to Digital Humanities. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the theory and practice of the digital humanities from a literary and cultural studies perspective. It introduces major types of digital humanities work and central debates and concerns in the field. The course is taught in English and is open to graduate students from all humanities departments. No experience in the digital humanities or with digital tools or methods is required.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ENG 612. Topics in Digital Humanities and Media Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of Media Studies. Students will approach a broad range of texts in the field, and outline both its historical development and present state, with a particular focus on emerging theories and practices within Media Studies and Digital Humanities in the academy. The course is taught in English and is open to graduate students from all humanities departments.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ENG 613. Practicum in Digital Humanities. 3 Credit Hours.
Offers students the possibility to apply their learning in the field of Digital Humanities and move forward on their personal Digital Humanities research project. Students will carry out many practical exercises with programming languages and digital tools, and work towards a final digital project. This course is taught in English and is open to graduate students from all humanities departments.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ENG 614. Stu Neocol Poet Prose. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies in Neoclassical Poetry and Prose.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
ENG 615. Studies in Chaucer. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies in Chaucer.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 616. Studies in Middle English Language and Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies in Middle English Language & Literature.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 620. Studies in Shakespeare. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies in Shakespeare.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 621. Studies in Elizabethan and Jacobean Drama. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies in Elizabethan and Jacobean Drama.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 622. Studies in 16th Century Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of predominantly non-dramatic Renaissance literature, with an emphasis on the Sixteenth Century.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 623. Studies in Spenser. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies in Spenser.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 624. Studies in 17th Century Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies in 17th century literature.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 625. Studies in Milton. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies in Milton.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 630. Restoration and 18th-Century Drama. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies in Restoration and 18th Century Drama.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 631. Studies in Restoration and 18th Century Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in British Literature from 1660-1800.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 633. The Eighteenth-Century British Novel. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey of the British novel from Defoe to Austen.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ENG 640. Studies in Romanticism. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of writers and genres between the late eighteenth and the mid-nineteenth century, through an investigation of questions of canonicity, epistemological orientation, colonialism, and the revolutionary context.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 645. Studies in Victorian Poetry and Prose. 3 Credit Hours.
Victorian poetry and prose exclusive of the novel. Poems by Tennyson, Browning, Arnold, Rossetti, and others. Prose works by writers such as Carlyle, Newman, Mill, Ruskin, and Pater.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 646. Nineteenth-Century British Novel. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey of the British novel from Austen to Conrad.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 648. Studies in the Novel. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics in eighteenth-, nineteenth-, and twentieth-century fiction.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 650. Studies in Modern British Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Intensive coverage of a limited topic in twentieth-century British or Irish literature.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 651. Studies in Joyce. 3 Credit Hours.
Close readings of Dubliners, A Portrait of the Artist as a Young Man, Ulysses, and Finnegans Wake; extensive review of Joyce criticism.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 652. Studies in Irish Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Intensive coverage of a selected topic in Irish Literature.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 654. Contemporary British Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies in British prose, poetry, and drama since 1939.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 655. Contemporary American Poetry and Poetics. 3 Credit Hours.
Poetry and poetics from 1945 to present, focusing on Black Mountain Poetics, the New York School, the Black Arts Movement, Language Poetry and more recent writers and movements.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 658. Studies in Transatlantic Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Literature on transatlantic themes and/or by transatlantic writers. Border crossing; ships; sailors; and other travelers; movement of people, things, and ideas in the Atlantic world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ENG 660. Studies in American Literature: Beginnings to 1800. 3 Credit Hours.
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Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 661. Studies in American Literature: 1800-1865. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 662. Studies in American Literature: 1865-1914. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 663. Studies in American Literature: 1914 to 1950. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
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Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 664. Studies in American Literature: 1950 to the present. 3 Credit Hours.
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Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 665. Studies in African-American Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies in African-American Literature.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 666. Caribbean Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Caribbean literature and cultural theory; Caribbean aesthetic.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 667. Caribbean Popular Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics on the relations among politics, popular culture, and literature in the Caribbean region.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 668. Studies in Race and Diasporic Literatures. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of race, ethnicity, immigration, and transnationalism in literature and cultural theory.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 669. Studies in Women's Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Topic varies by semester. Analysis of gender issues and literary production by women.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 670. The Classical Tradition and English Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of classical authors such as Homer, Aeschylus, Sophocles, Euripides, Virgil, Ovid, Horace, and Catullus, who have been seminal for English writers from the Middle Ages to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ENG 672. Comparative Studies in Renaissance and Baroque Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 673. Eighteenth-Century European Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Major literary and aesthetic works of the European Enlightenment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 674. The Romantic Movement in Europe. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the forces and influences of the Romantic Movement in Europe as these intersect English Romanticism.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 675. European Novel. 3 Credit Hours.
Major authors and trends in the development of the European novel as a unified literary tradition.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 677. Studies in Modern Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies in Modern Literature.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 678. Studies in Contemporary Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies in Contemporary Literature.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 680. History of Literary Criticism. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of literary criticism and theory from the ancient Greeks to the early twentieth century.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 681. Introduction to Literary Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Twentieth-century literary theory beginning with the New Criticism and including topics such as semiotics, hermeneutics, deconstruction, feminism, and neopragmatism.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 682. Contemporary Criticism and Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics in recent criticism and theory.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 683. Literature and Psychoanalysis. 3 Credit Hours.
The interrelations between literary theory, textual analysis, and psychoanalytic theory.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 684. Theory of Narrative. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of narrative theories, ancient to contemporary.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ENG 685. Feminist Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Feminist writing and criticism from the nineteenth century to the present. Supplementary readings in anthropological, psychoanalytic, and socio-political criticism, as well as in theories of poetic tradition and the poetic process.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 686. Theories of Gender and Sexuality. 3 Credit Hours.
Queer theory and its relationship with gender studies, critical race studies, and emerging directions in the field.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 687. Studies in Literature and Culture since 1950. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies in Literature and Culture since 1950.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 688. Studies in Latino/a Literatures and Cultures. 3 Credit Hours.
Comparative and interdisciplinary approaches to art, film, music and literature. Topics may include: borderlands, postcolonial and "Americas" methodologies; ethnicity, race and mestizaje; immigration and the "Latiniazation" of the U.S.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 689. Comparative Americas Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Comparative, interdisciplinary and transnational approaches to literature and cultures of the Americas.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 691. Graduate Practicum I: Teaching College Writing. 0 Credit Hours.
Methods and problems in teaching English composition and college writing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ENG 692. Graduate Practicum II: Teaching College Literature. 0 Credit Hours.
Methods and problems in teaching introductory literature courses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ENG 693. Teaching College Composition. 3 Credit Hours.
Rhetorical and literary theory related to composition instruction. Designed primarily for Teaching Assistants in the English Department, but open to all students planning to teach writing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ENG 695. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 696. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Varies by semester.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ENG 697. Readings for the Qualifying Examination. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Varies by semester.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ENG 699. Academic Jobs in English. 1 Credit Hour.
In this course, advanced doctoral candidates will develop and refine the materials required to apply successfully for academic positions in English. They will practice interview techniques and participate in a mock interview. They will design and deliver a presentation on their teaching and research. The course’s aim is for students to complete their written job materials (e.g. CV, job letter, writing sample, teaching portfolio, and online profile) and to master the skills required to give effective interviews and job presentations.
Components: PRA.
Grading: SUS.

ENG 810. Master’s Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master’s thesis enrolls for credit in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ENG 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master’s degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in ENG 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ENG 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but for not less than a total of 12 hours. Up to 12 hours may be taken in a regular semester, but not more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ENG 840. Post-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. who have advanced to candidacy. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but not for less than a total of 12. Not more than 12 hours of ENG 740 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ENG 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D. and D.A., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

M.F.A. in Creative Writing
http://www.as.miami.edu/english/creativewriting/

Master of Fine Arts in Fiction and Poetry
The University of Miami’s MFA Program in Creative Writing offers a fully funded, two-year course of study in the writing of poetry, fiction, or cross-genre literature while providing substantial training in the teaching of creative writing and composition. Students may apply to receive a third year of funding, during which graduate students focus on professional development and publication as they continue to teach undergraduate writing courses. The program features a broad multilingual focus in a vibrant, multicultural city unlike any other. Enrollment is kept deliberately small to maximize student-teacher interaction, and faculty at UM are supportive of the linguistic and cultural differences that writers bring to their art.

Full Funding
The James Michener Fellowships and Teaching Assistantships support all our graduate students. Awards include a full tuition waiver and an annual stipend. MFA candidates teach one section of Introduction to Creative Writing per semester during their second year in the program or one section each of Creative Writing and Composition.

The Third Year
Students who proceed into a third year will teach Creative Writing and Composition, with additional professional development options in literary magazine editing and communications/public outreach. They will receive faculty mentorship towards professional development.
Graduates of the MFA in Creative Writing have gone on to publish award-winning novels, books of poetry, and creative nonfiction; have been awarded Stegner Fellowships and other residencies; and have gone on to find employment in teaching and publishing.

## Curriculum Requirements

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1 Third Year Option: ENG 820 is required for third year students. Students may take up to 6 credits in electives during their third year.

2 Required electives must be literature or forms courses, or other graduate courses at the university.

## Sample Plan of Study

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Mission
The MFA in Creative Writing Program provides its students with a thorough understanding of how to write publishable novels, collections of stories, and books of poetry in order to contribute to the global literary canon; a range of critical and craft-based strategies in order to attain their creative and artistic vision; the skills needed to establish their own expertise, voice and style within the literary genre of their choice; the necessary preparation for careers in the production of contemporary literatures and arts administration within and outside of the academy; and training to teaching in two- and four-year colleges and in research universities. In addition to guiding our students in the writing and revision of their creative theses, we work to assist them in publishing their books, developing a forum for the reading of these works, and obtaining appropriate employment.

Goals
Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will demonstrate a thorough understanding of how to write publishable novels, collections of short stories and books of poetry in order to contribute to the global literary cannon.
- Students will master a range of critical and craft-based strategies in order to attain their creative and artistic vision and demonstrating the skills needed to establish their own expertise, voice and style within the literary genre of their choice by submitting a final portfolio and by participating in the Closing Conversation.
- Students will cultivate the necessary skills for careers in the production of contemporary literatures and arts administration.

Ph.D. in English
http://www.as.miami.edu/english

Curriculum Requirements

1. Courses
   Ph.D. students must complete 54 credit hours (if entering with a B.A.) or 36 credit hours (if entering with an M.A.) of 600-level courses in literature and literary theory.

2. Language Requirements
   A basic reading knowledge of two foreign languages or an advanced reading knowledge of one foreign language is required.

3. Qualifying Examination
   All Ph.D. students are required to pass a qualifying examination. Students may not take the qualifying examination until they have:
   • completed the required Ph.D. coursework,
   • satisfied the foreign language requirement
   • enrolled for ENG 697.

4. Dissertation
   Students may proceed with the dissertation after the dissertation committee has been appointed and the dissertation proposal has been accepted by the committee and approved by the department.
   The dissertation itself must be an investigation of a substantial critical or scholarly topic. A final oral defense of the dissertation is required.
   Further information on the department’s graduate programs is contained in the Guide to Graduate Study available from the Department of English and posted on the department Web site in the Graduate section.
   Students must complete their work within one year of the schedule set out in the Guide to Graduate Study.

   Doctoral Concentration in Early Modern Studies

   PhD students in English pursuing the doctoral concentration in Early Modern Studies must take as part of their required course credit hours a minimum of four Early Modern-focused courses (12 credit hours). A minimum of two Early Modern-focused courses (6 credits) must be in English and a minimum of two Early Modern-focused courses (6 credits) must be in History and/or Modern Languages and Literatures.

   Doctoral Concentration in Caribbean Studies (pending approval of the Board of Trustees)

   PhD students in English pursuing the doctoral concentration in Caribbean Studies must take as part of their required course credit hours a minimum of four Caribbean-focused courses (12 credit hours) as shown below:

   A minimum of two courses (6 credits) selected from the following:
ENG 658: Studies in Transatlantic Literature
ENG 665: Studies in African American Literature
ENG 666: Caribbean Literature
ENG 667: Caribbean Popular Culture
ENG 668: Studies in Race and Diasporic Literatures
ENG 686: Theories of Gender and Sexuality
ENG 687: Studies in Literature and Culture since 1950
ENG 688: Studies in Latino/a Literatures and Cultures
ENG 689: Comparative Americas Studies

A minimum of two courses (6 credits) selected from the following:

FRE 775: Topics in Francophone Studies
HIS 602: Africa and the African Diaspora
HIS 602: Africa in Cuba / Cuba in Africa
HIS 652: Race in Latin America
HIS 652: Travels through Latin America
HIS 654: Afro-Caribbean Religion: Healing and Power
HIS 654: Haiti in History
HIS 654: Caribbean Intellectual History and Social Movements
HIS 662: Slavery and Capitalism
HIS 669: Black Protest Thought
HIS 669: Rethinking African-American Culture
HIS 669: History of Global Slavery
HIS 708: Slavery in the Atlantic World
HIS 708: Atlantic Histories
HIS 716: Caribbean Field Prep
MLL 702: Bilingualism
MLL 703: Topics in Critical Studies of Language
MLL 721: Atlantic Crossings: Literature and Immigration in the Age of Globalization
MLL 727: Topics in Caribbean Studies
SPA 733: Topics in Colonial Literature
SPA 735: Topics in 19th Century Latin American and Caribbean Literature
SPA 736: Topics in 20th Century Latin American and Caribbean Literature

Or other courses with advisor or DGS approval.

Mission

The Department of English works to provide its students with a thorough understanding of literatures written in English; to introduce them to a range of critical and theoretical methodologies; to provide them with the skills needed to establish their own scholarly expertise within an area of specialization; to prepare them for careers in scholarship and research within the academy; to train them for teaching in two- and four-year colleges
and in research universities; where appropriate, to transfer and develop those research, communication, and presentation skills to non-academic settings; and to assist them in obtaining appropriate employment inside or outside higher education.

Goals
Student Learning Outcomes
- Students will demonstrate knowledge of literatures written in English and master methods of literary and cultural analysis.
- Students will develop a capacity for professional development, enabling the graduate to contribute to a profession or field of study.
- Students will demonstrate excellence in teaching undergraduate writing and literature courses.

Geography

geography.as.miami.edu

Dept. Code: GEG

Geographers have an instinctual love of maps, of places, and pay attention to the tangible worlds while posing a strong innate curiosity about the world.

Introduction
The Department of Geography and Regional Studies, has a long and distinguished history of excellent scholarship, is proud to continue its mission of education, research, and service to the community and the world about the importance of geographic knowledge. Our vibrant and diverse department is organized around three major core areas of specialization: Urbanization, Cities and Sustainability; Space, Conservation and Environment; and Public Health, Illness, and Disease. The program builds upon our strengths in urban geography, environmental studies, and medical geography along with gaining skills in methodology, including GIS, remote sensing, and statistics. For the past five years, the Department of Geography’s urban studies program has consistently ranked as one of the nation’s top 5% urban programs for its quality of research and instruction, based on data from Academic Analytics.

Degree Programs
The Department of Geography and Regional Studies at UM is home to one Geography graduate program: Master's (MA), and a Graduate Certificate in Geospatial Technology. Each graduate student selects one of the department's core program areas as a concentration for research and fieldwork, and works closely with a particular faculty adviser.

Areas of Specialization

Urbanization, Cities and Sustainability
This program examines the dramatic growth in the size, number, and population of global cities. Areas of emphasis include: Smart Cities; Global Urbanization and Infrastructure; Sustainable Development; African Urbanism; Urban Spatial Restructuring, Development Geography, Urban Health and Well-Being; Social Justice, and Ethnicity.

Conservation and Environment
This program builds upon the foundations of human geography as an integrated social science to examine the interplay of socio-spatial processes involved in shaping the complex interrelationships between societies and nature and the built environment. Areas of emphasis include: Climate Change, Biogeography, and Systematic Conservation Planning.

Public Health, Illness, and Disease
This program examines and responds to both challenges and opportunities to improve population health within and across populations and cities and metropolitan areas. Areas of emphasis include Health Disparities, Spatial Epidemiology, Community and Culturally Responsive Research and Mathematical Modeling for Disease Transmission.

Application Procedure & Financial Assistance
Applicants must submit a completed application form, at least two letters of reference, official transcripts from each undergraduate and/or graduate school attended, and an official GRE (Verbal/Quantitative/Analytical) record. The Graduate Admissions Committee evaluates the student's academic accomplishments and promise as well as the match between the applicant's professional goals and core faculty expertise. For information about the department in general, as well as the professional activities of individual faculty members, see the Department website. The application procedure may be found on the Applications page.

Transfer of Credit
The university has specific and stringent requirements concerning the transfer of credit. Please see the Graduate College website for Transfer of Credit requirements.
Financial Assistance
Please visit the Financial Support page for details.

Admission requirements and deadlines can be found on the Geography Department’s web page at http://www.as.miami.edu/geography/graduate/ and for the Certificate Program at the Certificate Program webpage at http://www.as.miami.edu/gisc/.

Questions may be directed to the email below or by mail at:

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Major

• MA in Geography (p. 1724)

• M.P.S. in Urban Sustainability and Resilience

Certificate in Geospatial Technology

• Graduate Certificate in Geospatial Technology (p. 1723)

GEG 602. Geographic Thought and Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminar for Graduate and senior undergraduate students about geographic thought and geographical traditions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GEG 603. Research Design in Geography. 3 Credit Hours.
Designing and proposing geographic research projects based upon a critical reading of the geographical literature. Students will prepare a master’s thesis (master’s students) or dissertation (doctoral students) project proposal.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GEG 610. Survey Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
The use of survey research including the choice of a survey mechanism, sampling, questionnaire design, survey logistics, survey analysis, and reporting of results.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GEG 612. Health Applications of Geospatial Information Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Ideas from a broad range of geospatial health subjects, and hands-on exercises to help students to better process spatial data and use them for specific analyses that address issues related to health.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
GEG 613. Advanced Cartography. 3 Credit Hours.
Cartographic research techniques, cognitive mapping, distortion, transformations and cartograms. Prerequisite: GEG 280 or equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 619. Immigration to the United States. 3 Credit Hours.
A description and analysis of current immigration patterns in the United States.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GEG 620. Sustainable Cities. 3 Credit Hours.
The emerging field of urban sustainability from an interdisciplinary perspective, by providing major theories and methodologies in sustainable urbanism, especially in terms of urban resilience, economic inequality, urban ecology, and environmental justice.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GEG 622. Urbanization in the Developing World. 3 Credit Hours.
Patterns and processes in large cities in the developing world are examined.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GEG 623. Seminar in Urban Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Identification of and responses to urban problems in large cities in European and Latin American metropolitan areas. Emphasis is on demographic, cultural/ethnic, service-provision, environmental, transportation, and land-use problems. Approach is via case studies, theory applications, and planning practicalities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GEG 625. Advanced Independent Study in Geography I. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Advanced independent study for Two-Paper Option for first paper.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GEG 632. Seminar in Environmental Geography and Planetary Health. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced topics in Environmental Geography from a systems approach.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 635. Internship in Geography. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Students are assigned to work for a local public or private agency.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GEG 636. Sustainable Food Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
The intricacies of global geographies of major food systems, how these systems have come to be and where major food types produced, why and where the major demand centers are. It also examines what the future implication for food is through exploration and evaluation of a range of visions for a safe, sustainable food system.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GEG 637. Development Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced seminar on issues in contemporary development studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
GEG 643. Population, Sustainability and the Media. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores opposing views of population growth and environmental sustainability through the media and cinema: contrasts "Doomsters" who believe population growth and resource consumption threaten human survival, and pro-growth "Boomsters" who believe human ingenuity and technology will continue to allow humankind to prosper.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GEG 645. Advanced Independent Study in Geography II. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Advanced independent study for Two-Paper Option for second paper.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GEG 646. Immigrant & Refugee Health. 3 Credit Hours.
A theoretical background essential for understanding the complex interaction of migration and health. Emphasis is placed on the health issues experienced by displaced populations including refugees, migrants, and internally displaced persons.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GEG 648. Climate Change and Public Health. 3 Credit Hours.
The mechanisms by which climate change adversely affects human health and the policy options for mitigating our exposure.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 652. Seminar on the Geography of South Florida. 3 Credit Hours.
Human and physical geography of South Florida.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 655. Field Methods and Geospatial Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
With a focus on geospatial applications, this methods course introduces students to field research addressing complex socio-environmental issues. The course includes exercises with GPS data collection; geo-tagged photography; ground truthing; spatial survey design; and distributed GIS. Various research areas and cognate field methods including environmental demography, community surveying, cultural mapping, and multi-sited ethnography.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GEG 656. Interdisciplinary Issues in Latin American and Caribbean Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Political, economic, social, and cultural issues of Latin American and Caribbean area Studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 658. Seminar in Comparative Politics I. 3 Credit Hours.
Comparative political analysis within and across nations. Debates on state formation, democracy and development, democratization, and the role of ideas, interests, and institutions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 661. Urban Geography I. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the essential elements about the growth and development of cities. Review of the challenges of urbanization and urban sustainability in the contemporary period.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 663. Urban Geography II. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of the spatial structure of urban centers, the development of and interaction between functional zones, and the movement of goods and people in urban areas.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
GEG 680. Spatial Data Analysis I. 3 Credit Hours.
The use of basic methods or quantitative analysis for spatial data, including basic descriptive and inferential statistics and special techniques for spatial data.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 681. Spatial Data Analysis II. 3 Credit Hours.
Social and environmental science applications of spatial statistical analysis illustrated with data and numerical (simulation experiments) examples employing interactive software. This course's focus is on spatial auto correlation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 685. Digital Cartography. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to cartographic methods, interpretation, and history. Basic principles of visual representation, how to map qualitative and quantitative data, and how to prepare maps for publication and the web.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 691. Geographic Information Systems I. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to fundamental concepts in Geographic Information Systems (GIS) and related geographic technologies. Students are exposed to leading GIS software tools used in the industry.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 692. Remote Sensing of the Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory and techniques of environmental remote sensing and imagery interpretation for earth resources monitoring and management.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 693. Geographic Information Systems II. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to spatial analysis, which consists of techniques for analyzing patterns of and interrelationships between spatial data. Topics include vector polygon editing and topology, integration of raster and vector data, surface analysis and 3D analysis, suitability mapping, spatial modeling and multi-criteria evaluations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 695. Web GIS. 3 Credit Hours.
Map serving technologies and internet map design, focusing on the programming concepts needed to construct and implement high-quality web mapping applications.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 758. Seminar in Comparative Politics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Theoretical approaches and methodological debates in Comparative Politics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
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Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GEG 825. Continuous Registration--Master's Study. 0 Credit Hours.
To establish residence for non-thesis master's students who are preparing for major examinations. Credit not granted. Regarded as full time residence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Certificate in Geospatial Technology

Overview
The Certificate Program in Geospatial Technology (GT) is designed to benefit students who seek to enhance their skills in geospatial technology, especially Geographic Information Systems (GIS) and satellite remote sensing. The Certificate requires a minimum of 15 credit hours, including three core courses and two or more electives. Students may receive credit toward the Certificate for past coursework completed at UM or other accredited schools. All fifteen credits may be double counted toward the M.A. degree, making it possible for a student to complete both the M.A. and the Certificate in two years.

*This program is not eligible for federal or state financial aid. Contact the Office of Student Financial Assistance and Employment (https://finaid.miami.edu/) for further assistance.

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GIS Certificate Program Electives
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Other approved electives

Total Credit Hours 15

* Note that all courses from the Certificate Program can be double counted toward the MA in Geography Degree.

** Students are encouraged to find a suitable internship experience with the Career Planning and Placement Center or with the GIS Program Director. Upon approval by the GIS Program Director, 3 credit hours may be earned with an internship (GEG 635)

*** For more information e-mail terghazar@miami.edu to make an appointment.

Mission
This graduate certificate program is designed for students who seek to enhance their skills in geospatial technology, especially Geographic Information Systems (GIS) and satellite remote sensing. Students will learn to work with geospatial datasets using industry-standard software including ArcGIS, ERDAS IMAGINE, TerrSet, and SPSS.

Goals
Graduates of the program will improve their employment prospects and/or advance their careers in geospatial technology, particularly in job settings that stress the use of satellite remote sensing and vector-based GIS.
Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will demonstrate skills in the interpretation of geospatial datasets, statistical datasets and remotely sensed imagery, and in the preparation of those datasets for analysis and creation of maps and other products. Students will also demonstrate an understanding of the concepts and applications of geospatial technology, and apply them appropriately to the practice of mapping and digital cartography.

M.A. in Geography

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Select one of the following options: 2-12

- Master's Thesis
  - GEG 810  Master's Thesis
  - GEG 820  Research in Residence

- Advanced Independent Study
  - GEG 625  Advanced Independent Study in Geography I
  - GEG 645  Advanced Independent Study in Geography II

- Electives  6

Total Credit Hours  30

Suggested Plan of Study

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- GEG 610  Survey Research Methods
- GEG 681  Spatial Data Analysis II
- GEG 692  Remote Sensing of the Environment

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Mission
The Department of Geography and Regional Studies (GEG) seeks to encourage the rigorous investigation of human-environment interactions and the analysis of spatial patterns and trends related to societal processes. It reaches across disciplines to draw on a range of methods, theories, and perspectives that help us to understand how ideas and structures result from the interaction of space, time, and place. The department's core objective is to foster the examination, open discussion, and lively debate of geographic issues and urban studies among faculty and students from all fields of study, enriching the undergraduate curriculum and the university's academic mission through greater communication across disciplines and colleges. Its aim is to broaden, deepen, and transform the learning community at UM and beyond.

Goals
Our graduate program (MA) aims to prepare students for positions in teaching, government, non-governmental organizations, private business, urban and regional planning, Geographic Information Systems (GIS), remote sensing (RS), resource management, and environmental analysis. The program focuses on three thematic areas: development studies, environmental analysis, and globalization and urban change. In addition, students can take courses in geospatial technology and learn marketable skills for today's job market: GIS, digital cartography, satellite remote sensing, land use and land cover analysis, survey research, and spatial statistics. During their studies, our students develop global citizenship, being able to see the global problems by using different lens, and develop skills to work effectively in multi-cultural environments and collaborative settings.

Student Learning Outcomes
• Students will have advanced understanding of the concepts and theories in both human and physical geographies and will be able to select and use advanced tools and methods to measure and assess spatial-temporal patterns and processes, the interrelationships between people and places, and the interactions between people and nature.
• Students will integrate and apply advanced concepts and theories in human and physical geographies and apply critical thinking to conduct an original research project.
• Students will demonstrate effective, advanced and original written, cartographic, and oral communication.

M.P.S. in Urban Sustainability and Resilience
The Master of Professional Science degree (MPS) in Urban Sustainability and Resilience is an interdisciplinary 36 credit program offered jointly between the College of Arts & Sciences’ Department of Geography and Regional Studies and the School of Architecture. The curriculum leverages the knowledge, skills and hands-on practical engagement necessary for students working toward contributing to the urban challenges confronting cities on the front lines of climate change.

Admission Requirements
• A completed Bachelor’s degree in an appropriate field from an accredited institution.
• A minimum overall undergraduate grade point average of 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale).
• A score of at least 80 on the TOEFL for international students.
• GRE minimum score of 297 or higher. (The program may waive GRE requirements GRE based on the applicant’s years of experience and the quality of experience or allow for equivalent exam substitutions, e.g. LSAT or GMAT).
• Three current letters of recommendations.
• A personal statement of academic and professional goals.

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**Students Must Complete One of the Following Tracks**

**Sustainability Track**

Students Complete 9 Credit Hours from the Following Electives:

- **GEG 661** Urban Geography I (Required)
- **ARC 626** Landscape Arch Design II
- **ARC 628** Historic Preservation
- **ARC 640** Tropical Architecture
- **ARC 641** Seminar on Town Design
- **ARC 685** Special Problems (Sustainable Design in Context)
- **ARC 690** History of Cities
- **GEG 622** Urbanization in the Developing World
- **GEG 643** Population, Sustainability and the Media
- **GEG 648** Climate Change and Public Health
- **GEG 661** Urban Geography I
- **IGS 644** Energy Security and Environmental Sustainability
- **IGS 647** Disasters and Humanitarian Assistance

**Resilience Track**

Students Complete 9 Credit Hours from the Following Electives:

- **ARC 694** Geographic Information Systems in Urban Design (Required)
- **ARC 621** Housing, Infrastructure and Transportation
- **ARC 623** Urban Design Competition (Urban Design and Development Charrette)
- **ARC 639** Adaptation to Climate Change
- **ARC 643** Seminar on Retrofit of Suburbia
- **ARC 648** Seminar in Community Development
- **ARC 680** Professional Advancement, Internship + Research (PAIR)
- **ARC 684** Special Problems (RAD-LAB UM)
- **ARC 697** Designing for the Internet of Things
- **GEG 636** Sustainable Food Systems
- **GEG 680** Spatial Data Analysis I
- **GEG 681** Spatial Data Analysis II
- **RED 601** Introduction to Real Estate Development and Urbanism
- **RED 650** Complex Urban Real Estate Transactions
- **RED 660** Urban Infill, Preservation, and Mixed Use Development

**Electives (with approval of faculty advisor)**

- **6**

**Practicum, Design Studio or Project Studio Report**

- **6**

**Total Credit Hours**

- **36**

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**Sample Plan of Study**

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**Mission**

The purpose of this interdisciplinary MPS in Urban Sustainability and Resilience program is to provide the knowledge, skills and hands-on practical engagement necessary for students working toward contributing to the urban challenges of the 21st century.

**Goals**

- Students will gain an interdisciplinary understanding of the spatial and temporal transitions involved in pathways toward urban sustainability (focusing on challenges such as health, housing, the environment, crime, and sea-level rise).
- Students will gain skills in methodology, including Geographic Information Systems (GIS), urban design, remote sensing, data visualization, and qualitative or quantitative methods. The knowledge acquired by students can contribute to future policies that lead to more sustainable development pathways.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Through the advanced understanding of the concepts and theories of both Sustainability Science, Design, Planning and Geography, students will be able to select and use advanced tools and methods to measure and assess synergies and trade-offs among governance, environmental conservation, economic prosperity, and social inclusion.
- Students will be able to translate research on sustainability development, resilience and geography into policies and programs that seek to solve some of the recurrent urban problems.

**Global Health and Society**

https://global-health.as.miami.edu/

The Master of Arts in Global Health and Society (GHS) provides a comprehensive framework of global health that underscores the sociopolitical, economic, and geographic factors that, in addition to biomedical factors, impact health conditions of various countries and populations throughout the world. The GHS program is 36 credits, and offers a range of interdisciplinary courses that examine the emerging challenges to human health and security, the differential access and adoption of evidence-based health policies and practices, and how these interventions translate from international to community scales. Our students gain the social science knowledge and methodologies to integrate stakeholders and researchers in the design, implementation, interpretation of community-based participatory studies. Additionally, graduates of our program acquire skills in leadership and advocacy, and combined with a deep understanding of policy and governance, are prepared to assist private, government, non-profit, and for-profit organizations formulate new global and community health strategies.

There are three tracks in the GHS program:

- Global Health General
- Policy, Governance and Advocacy
- Community-Based Participatory Research, Monitoring and Evaluation (CBPR)

**Master of Arts in Global Health and Society**

M.A. in Global Health and Society
M.A. in Global Health and Society

Admission Requirements
The Master of Arts in Global Health & Society employs a rolling admissions deadline. Students may apply for the Fall, Spring, and Summer admission. Interested students should contact the program with any questions.

- **Online Application**
  - Please complete the online application by clicking here.
- **Application Fee**
  - An $85.00 non-refundable application fee is paid online upon submission of the application.
- **Statement of Purpose**
  - The statement of purpose is the most important element of your application packet. This letter needs to reflect who you are, your goals and why you would be an asset to the Global Health & Society program. It is very important to ensure it is grammatically correct and as detailed as possible. The statement of purpose should be no more than two pages in length. Please review before your submit.
  
  Below is a link to help you get started:

  OWL Statement of Purpose Guidelines
  
  - **Letters of Recommendation**
  - Three letters of recommendation must be provided.
  - **Official Transcripts**
  - You must provide official transcripts from each post-secondary institution attended. Official transcripts in languages other than English must also be submitted with a certified English translation.
  - **Resume**
  - Please provide a copy of your resume if it is available.
  - **Admissions Interview**
  - The admissions interview may be conducted in person, over the phone, or via video conference.
  - **Grade Point Average (GPA)**
  - A minimum overall undergraduate grade point average (GPA) of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale.
  - **Official TOEFL (or IELTS) Score**
  - All international students are required to take this exam in order to demonstrate sufficient English competency. This exam is offered as a paper-based test (PBT) or an internet-based test (IBT). A score of 550 is required for the PBT or 80 for the IBT.
  - Students may also take the International English Language Testing System (IELTS) exam to demonstrate sufficient competency in English. A score of 6.5 or higher is required.
  - Students from countries whose primary language is English are not required to take this exam. Please visit the Graduate School’s International Applicant English Proficiency webpage for more information.

  - International students from countries whose primary language is English are not required to take this exam.

  Please note: Students who do not have sufficient prerequisite knowledge for their program courses, per the admissions committee of the Master of Arts in Global Health and Society, may be conditionally admitted and required to take additional courses prior to being fully admitted to the program.

Curriculum Requirements
There are three tracks in the GHS program. Each track requires 36 graduate credits:

- **Global Health General**
- **Policy, Governance and Advocacy**
- **Community-Based Participatory Research, Monitoring and Evaluation (CBPR)**

Global Health General Track – The Global Health General track provides training in both qualitative and quantitative research methods. It also allows students the ability to design their own program of elective courses according to their needs. This track is designed for professionals who are already in the health field, who those who desire to enter the health professions, but require substantial social science and epidemiological knowledge and methodologies to complete their education. These students may have strong interest in (or are already working in) developing countries or
underserved areas. Substitute courses may be permitted for some coursework that includes tailored research and independent study courses with faculty approval.

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2. Depending on the student’s choice of Capstone (5 credits) or Thesis (6 credits), the student may be advised to take either 11 or 12 credits of electives, so that their plan of study totals 36 credits.

3. Students may choose either a Capstone or a Thesis to complete their degree. The 5-credit Capstone is offered through the Department of Public Health Sciences at the Miller School of Medicine and requires 150 hours of fieldwork and a final project. The 6-credit Thesis is offered through the Department of Anthropology at the College of Arts & Sciences and includes an internship, usually completed over the summer, as well as a successfully defended thesis.

**Policy, Governance and Advocacy Track** – This track provides graduate students a comprehensive framework of global health that underscores the sociopolitical, economic, and geographic factors that, in addition to biomedical factors, impact health conditions of various countries and populations throughout the world. It focuses on the global health policies and governance models that are aimed at addressing these challenges. This concentration prepares interested graduate students to understand and critically evaluate global policy frameworks. Students in this track will analyze key issues and controversies in global health policy and delivery (e.g. priority setting, design of health systems, primary health care, equity considerations). Substitute courses may be permitted for some coursework that includes tailored research and independent study courses with faculty approval.

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Community-Based Participatory Research, Monitoring and Evaluation (CBPR) Track - This track will provide graduate students skills to build partnership and active participation to address critical health issues in communities throughout the world. It provides unique social science skills to integrate community members, local stakeholders, elected officials, and researchers in the design, implementation, interpretation of community-based participatory studies as well as uses of research and evaluation results to develop integrated policies to improve the well-being of community members. Community-Based Participatory Research is a methodology that has been widely endorsed by major global health players, including the NIH’s Office of Behavioral and Social Sciences Research. Substitute courses may be permitted for some coursework that includes tailored research and independent study courses with faculty approval.

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¹ EPH 612 is only offered as a winter intersession course, requiring students to attend class from 9am-5pm for one full week.

Students must satisfy foreign language competency prior to the beginning of their third semester by passing two courses taught in the target language at the 600-level or above, by completing a Directed Independent Language Study (DILS) program, or by passing a language competency exam. Students may petition for a waiver of examination if they have gained target language competency in another manner (i.e., native speaker, upper division coursework in target language, Peace Corps service, IB credits, or Defense Language Proficiency Test).

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Dept. Code: HIS

Our Department is committed to pursuing excellence in historical and interdisciplinary scholarship, teaching, and service to the profession, the University, and the wider community.

Our fine faculty of some twenty-four professors does research and teaches in many historical areas, often crossing chronological, geographic, and disciplinary boundaries.

Our courses combine innovative subjects and methods with more traditional subjects and presentations. In their classes, students have the opportunity to experience the latest and best historical research and writing, to explore special topics in depth, and to receive rigorous training in researching, analyzing, and writing history from nationally and internationally recognized scholars.

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HIS 602. Studies in African History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in African history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 611. Studies in Asian History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in Asian history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 632. Studies in Early Modern European History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in European history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 633. Seminar in European History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in European History.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 634. Seminar in Ancient History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in Ancient History.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 636. Studies in Medieval History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in Medieval history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 641. Field Preparation: Colonial Latin America. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to central historical issues and historiographical debates in the field of Colonial Latin America.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 646. Studies in Modern European History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in European history after the French Revolution. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 652. Studies in Latin American History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in Latin-American history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
HIS 654. Studies in Modern Latin American History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in Latin-American history before and after Independence. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 655. Studies in Colonial Latin American History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in the colonial period of Latin-American history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 662. Studies in United States History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in United States history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 664. Studies in American Intellectual and Cultural History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in American intellectual and cultural history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

HIS 665. Studies in American Political and Diplomatic History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in American political and diplomatic history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 669. Studies in African-American History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in African-American history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 670. Studies in Public History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in public history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 697. Studies in Visual History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in the use of photographs and other visual evidence for historical purposes. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 701. Research Seminar Part 1. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in Comparative History.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 702. Research Seminar Part 2. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in Comparative History.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
HIS 703. Directed Readings in African History. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 704. Directed Readings in Asian History. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 705. Directed Readings in European History. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 706. Directed Readings in Latin-American History. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 707. Directed Readings in American History. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 708. Directed Readings in Comparative History. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 709. Field Preparation: Colonial and Revolutionary America. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to central historical issues and historiographical debates in the field of Colonial and Revolutionary America.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 712. Field Preparation: Modern America. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to central historical issues and historiographical debates in the field of Modern America.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 713. Field Preparation: Medieval Europe. 3 Credit Hours.
The central historical issues and historiographical debates in the field of Medieval European History.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HIS 714. Field Preparation: Early Modern Europe. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to central historical issues and historiographical debates in the field of Early Modern Europe.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 715. Modern Europe Field Preparation. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to prepare students for the Modern European Field Comprehensive Exam by introducing them to leading works and diverse approaches in the study, writing, and interpretation of modern European history. The choice of readings will be selective, but in range and significance they will provide students with a foundation for further command of the field.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
HIS 718. Field Preparation: Modern Latin America. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to central historical issues and historiographical debates in the field of Modern Latin America.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 721. Historiography. 3 Credit Hours.
The philosophy, theory, and practice of history.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 722. Dissertation Prospectus Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will develop a strong dissertation prospectus. This class will operate as a writing workshop, for which each student will write and revise several drafts of a prospectus that will be critiqued by the student's advisor, the professor teaching the course, and fellow students. At the end of the semester, students will give oral presentation about their proposed projects to the department.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HIS 760. Seminar in Latin-American History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in Latin-American History.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 761. Seminar in United States History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in United States History.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 762. History as a Profession. 3 Credit Hours.
Practical experience for graduate students in designing courses; preparing lectures, conference papers and scholarly publications; and in applying for jobs and research grants
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master's degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in HIS 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 825. Continuous Registration--Master's Study. 1 Credit Hour.
To establish residence for non-thesis master's students who are preparing for major examinations. Credit not granted. Regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but for not less than a total of 12 hours. Up to 12 hours may be taken in a regular semester, but not more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
HIS 840. Post-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. who have advanced to candidacy. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but not for less than a total of 12. Not more than 12 hours of HIS 740 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D. and D.A., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

Five-Year Bachelor of Arts/Master of Arts in History

Overview
The BA/MA program is a five-year program that combines an undergraduate degree in History with a Masters degree in History. The accelerated nature of the program enables students to take graduate-level courses in their final undergraduate year (once they have completed 90 undergraduate credit hours, per UM regulations) and then complete the Master’s degree in one year of full-time study, rather than the usual two years of full-time graduate study, and at a reduced cost.

Admission Requirements
Applications will be reviewed by the Department of History's graduate committee. To qualify for admission to the Five-year BA/MA Degree in History, applicants must:

- have earned 15 credit hours in History courses, including 3 credit hours at the 500-level
- have earned a 3.5 GPA in History courses
- receive an endorsement from one full-time faculty member in the Department of History who agrees to serve as the student's MA advisor
- submit their application to the program no later than January 5th of their Junior year

To remain in the program, students must:

- complete all requirements for the History BA
- complete all of the requirements for the History MA
- enroll in a minimum of 12 undergraduate credit hours per semester until the BA is awarded
- earn a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.3 in all History graduate coursework

The Department of History's graduate committee, in conjunction with each student’s MA Advisor, will assess the student's progress after each semester.

Curriculum Requirements

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Total Credit Hours 150

1. HIS 599 does not count toward the 6 hours of required 500 level seminars.

2. A grade of C- or better and a cumulative GPA of at least 2.0 are required for all history courses.

3. All courses for majors will be selected by students in consultation with advisors designated by the department.

4. This course is normally given in the fall semester. All students are required to take the Historiography course in their first year. This course counts for 3 of the 30 credits.

5. Typically, students take HIS 701 and HIS 702 in their 2nd and 3rd semesters in the program. The credit hours from these courses are included in the total required.

6. The comprehensive examination for the M.A. degree in history is an oral examination in two fields that will normally not exceed two hours. Although the exam is in two fields, all members of the advisory committee will participate. Students selecting the thesis examination should expect questioning on the thesis as well as their fields during the examination. For such students the comprehensive exam also will act as a thesis defense. For a list of fields, see below.

7. Students may, if they wish, write an M.A. thesis. Students who elect this option should consult with their advisor. Any student writing a thesis should register for 6 credit hours of HIS 810, which count toward the 30 required credit hours. Students must apply for graduation in their penultimate semester (i.e. fall semester for spring semester graduation).

Committee

Upon admission to the master’s program in history, the student is assigned a provisional major advisor. An advisory committee of three, including the major advisor and a faculty member representing the student’s secondary field, must be formed no later than the student’s second semester in the program. There are then two options for completing the masters. One requires 30 credit hours of coursework and an exam. The other requires 24 credit hours of coursework, a master’s thesis (6 thesis credit hours), and an exam. In the case of both options, one member of the committee may be from a cognate discipline, but this is not required. It is the responsibility of the student and the advisor to form the committee and to notify the DGS of its composition. The major advisor chairs the advisory committee and oversees the student’s course of study and progress in the program. The advisory committee also administers the oral comprehensive exam that is given in the case of either option. In the case of the second (thesis) option, the advisory committee and the thesis committee are usually, but not necessarily, composed of the same faculty members.

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M.A. in History

We are looking for applicants with a record of outstanding achievement and evidence of potential success in graduate studies, attributes which can be measured in various ways such as grades, recommendations, written work, and test scores. Students with a master's degree from an accredited institution may apply for admission to the doctoral program. Students with a bachelor's degree only and with very strong credentials may be admitted into the doctoral program. Applicants must meet the admissions requirements set by both the graduate school, which are listed in its materials, and the department of history.

Because one of the strengths of our program is a close working relationship between faculty members and students, we cannot always accept qualified applicants when no one in the department can provide the guidance they need in their area of interest. Applicants should explore the listing of faculty on our website and contact the DGS or relevant faculty members if they have any questions.

Application Requirements
1. A completed application form.
2. A completed financial aid application, if seeking aid.
3. Three letters of recommendation, preferably from applicant’s former professors.
4. Recent Graduate Record Examination scores on the General Test.
5. TOEFL scores (for international students).
7. A detailed statement from the student indicating:
   a. the student’s background and education;
   b. the student’s interests (field, topic, etc.);
   c. why the student wants to pursue a graduate degree in history at the University of Miami;
   d. what the student plans to do with the degree upon completion. This statement constitutes a very important part of the application review process and should indicate the student’s understanding of the professional nature of the training that the student is about to begin.
8. A representative writing sample.

Deadlines
January 5: Applications for admission and aid for Fall semester.

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Students must apply for graduation in their penultimate semester (i.e. fall semester for spring semester graduation).

Committee

Upon admission to the master's program in history, the student is assigned a provisional major advisor. An advisory committee of three, including the major advisor and a faculty member representing the student's secondary field, must be formed no later than the student's second semester in the program. There are then two options for completing the masters. One requires 30 credit hours of coursework and an exam. The other requires 24 credit hours of coursework, a master's thesis (6 thesis credit hours), and an exam. In the case of both options, one member of the committee may be from a cognate discipline, but this is not required. It is the responsibility of the student and the advisor to form the committee and to notify the DGS of its composition. The major advisor chairs the advisory committee and oversees the student's course of study and progress in the program. The advisory committee also administers the oral comprehensive exam that is given in the case of either option. In the case of the second (thesis) option, the advisory committee and the thesis committee are usually, but not necessarily, composed of the same faculty members.

Ph.D. in History

With a program and faculty that are recognized regionally, nationally, and internationally, the history department at the University of Miami is dedicated to producing Ph.D.s of the highest quality. Our selective program offers close, individualized training for the next generation of teachers and researchers who will shape and lead the historical profession. While we have particular strengths in the histories of Latin America and the Caribbean, Europe, and the United States, our faculty shares interests that cut across geographies: gender and sexuality; religion; race and ethnicity; law; and economy, among others. Additionally, we have a strong commitment to interdisciplinarity, as we actively maintain bridges to other departments, programs, and centers at the University of Miami. Our graduate students are encouraged to take advantage of these dynamic scholarly connections as they cultivate their own intellectual pursuits.

Admissions

We are looking for applicants with a record of outstanding academic achievement and evidence of potential success in graduate studies, attributes which can be measured in various ways such as grades, recommendations, written work, and test scores. Students with a master's from an accredited institution may apply for admission to the doctoral program. Students with a bachelor's degree only and with very strong credentials may be admitted into the doctoral program. Applicants must meet the admissions requirements set by both the graduate school, which are listed in its materials, and the department of history.

Because one of the strengths of our program is a close working relationship between faculty members and students, we cannot always accept qualified applicants when no one in the department can provide the guidance they need in their area of interest. Applicants should explore the listing of faculty on our website and contact the DGS or relevant faculty members if they have any questions.

The complete application contains:

1. A completed application form.
2. A completed financial aid application, if seeking aid.
3. Three letters of recommendation, preferably from the applicant's former professors.
4. Recent Graduate Record Examination scores.
5. For international students, TOEFL scores.
7. A detailed statement from the student indicating:
   a. the student's background and education;
   b. the student's interests (field, topic, etc.);
   c. why the student wants to pursue a graduate degree in history at the University of Miami; and
   d. what the student plans to do with the degree upon completion.
   This statement constitutes a very important part of the application review process and should indicate the student's understanding of the professional nature of the training that the student is about to begin.
8. A representative writing sample.

Admission from M.A. to Ph.D. Status

Students admitted at the master's level who are performing well in their studies are encouraged to proceed to Ph.D. status. Advisors who believe that a student should be admitted to the Ph.D. program, and have the consent of the student, inform the DGS of this desire early in the spring semester and at least before the annual departmental meeting reviewing graduate students' progress. The request is then reviewed by the department at its annual meeting for recommendation to the graduate committee. Students who move from the M.A. to the Ph.D. program are eligible for the same number of years' aid as students entering the Ph.D. program directly from the B.A., minus the years of aid they have already received. For course requirements, see below.
Deadlines
January 5: Applications for admissions and aid for Fall semester.

Curriculum Requirements

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6. The required credit hours of coursework are only the formal minimum. Although course work is necessary preparation for the comprehensive examination, students are examined on the mastery of fields of knowledge rather than courses. The number of courses taken depends on the student’s background, choice of fields, nature of related work, language skills, etc. Courses should be selected only after consultation with the Major Advisor.

7. This course is normally given in the fall semester. All students are required to take the Historiography course in their first year. The credit hours from this course are included in the total required.

8. Typically, students take HIS 701 and HIS 702 in their 2nd and 3rd semesters in the program. The credit hours from these courses are included in the total required.

9. Typically, students take HIS 762 in their forth semester in the program. The credit hours from this course are included in the total required.

10. Typically, students take HIS 722 in their 5th semester in the program. The credit hours from this course are included in the total required.

11. Students must demonstrate a reading knowledge in at least one foreign language. Reading knowledge in additional languages may be required by the major advisor.

12. The comprehensive examination for Ph.D. candidates consists of written and oral examinations in three fields. All doctoral students are expected to take their comprehensive exams no later than their 6th semester in the program.

13. Following the completion of course credit hours, students will need to take sufficient dissertation research credit hours (HIS 830 if before the comprehensive examination has been passed; HIS 840 after passage of the comprehensive examination) to reach a total of 60 credit hours beyond the B.A. in order to receive the doctorate. Graduate School rules require that students take a minimum of 12 dissertation credit hours.

14. Students who enter the Ph.D. program with an M.A. from another university or from another program at the University of Miami receive 30 credit hours towards the 60 credit hour requirement.

15. For requirements relating to the dissertation, see below.

As indicated, the number of required course credit hours varies depending on the student’s previous graduate work, but all students must reach a total of 60 credit hours beyond the B.A.

Committee

Upon admission to the program, the student is assigned a provisional major advisor. As noted above, students should then concur or select a different advisor by the beginning of the second semester in the program. An advisory committee of four or five, including the major advisor and faculty members representing the second and third fields, must be formed no later than the student’s third semester in the program. It is the responsibility of the student and the advisor to form this committee and notify the DGS of its composition. The major advisor chairs the advisory committee and
oversees the student’s course of study and progress in the program. The advisory committee will also administer the oral and written comprehensive examinations. Students may change advisor and other committee members throughout the program provided that the faculty member(s) selected agree(s).

**Incompletes**

All incompletes from the fall semester must be made up by the official end of the following spring semester. All incompletes from the spring semester must be made up before the official start of the subsequent fall semester. No student will be allowed to proceed to exams until all incompletes have been made up.

**Languages Requirement**

Reading knowledge of at least one foreign language is required. More than one foreign language may be required if the major advisor deems it necessary.

**Comprehensive Examinations**

It is the responsibility of the student and major advisor to organize the comprehensive examinations. Students may take them at any time of the year that classes are in session. Arrangements for the exams, including selection of their dates and a final list of committee members, should be made by the end of the first month of the semester in question, with notification to the Department Chair and DGS.

The student takes the written part of the examinations in three history fields, which are normally administered over a period of two successive weeks. The portion for each field is four hours in duration. Only after the advisory committee deems that the student has successfully passed the written portions for each field is the student permitted to take the oral part of the examination.

The oral section covers the three history fields and is approximately two hours in duration. The prospectus may form part of the discussion, but the examination will focus on coverage of the fields. The committee consists of at least three faculty members.

The student advances to candidate status after passing the comprehensive examinations and submitting an acceptable dissertation prospectus.

Students who have not already received a master’s degree from the University of Miami will be awarded an M.A. upon successful completion of their doctoral comprehensive exams.

**Dissertation**

After passing the examinations, students form a dissertation committee. This may be the original advisory committee, but it may also be revised to meet the needs of the dissertation work. The students, in consultation with the Major Advisor, put forward the names of individuals suggested to serve on the dissertation committee. The committee must be comprised of at least three members within the department and one outside the department. The committee is then approved and appointed by the dean of the graduate school.

The dissertation must make a significant contribution to the candidate’s field of specialization. It must meet the highest standards of research, substance, and form, and demonstrate an ability to conduct and report independent and original scholarly investigation.

The student must apply for graduation in his or her penultimate semester (i.e. fall for spring semester).

Upon completion of the dissertation and its tentative approval by the dissertation committee, the student takes a final oral examination that is a “defense” of the dissertation and that lasts for approximately two hours. It is open to the university community. Following the defense of the dissertation, the dissertation committee will render its decision to accept or reject the dissertation. Approval of the dissertation must be indicated by the signature of all members of the dissertation committee.

**Fields**

**Chronological/Geographical fields:**

- Medieval Europe
- Early Modern Europe
- Modern Europe
- Early American History
- Modern U.S. History
- Colonial Latin America
- Modern Latin America
- East Asia
- Russia
Topical Fields. These must cover either two of the geographic or two of the temporal fields listed above:

- African Diaspora
- Race and Ethnicity
- Gender and Sexuality
- History of Religion
- History of Science and Medicine
- History of Crime and Law
- Political History
- Diplomatic History
- Urban and Environmental History
- Economic History
- Business History
- Labor History
- History of Sport
- Military History
- Cultural and Intellectual History
- Public History
- Atlantic World
- Renaissance
- Mediterranean World
- Empires and Nations
- Global 19th Century

Customized Fields:

Students may create their own fields in consultation with their advisory committee. The student opting for this approach must file a plan of study listing relevant courses, the faculty member(s) involved, and the rationale. To pursue the individualized concentration, the student must obtain written approval of the plan by the major advisor, DGS, and the Department Chair.

The plan and signed approvals are placed in the student's file. With rare exceptions, a customized field may not be the major field of study.

Concentrations

Ph.D. in History with a concentration in Caribbean Studies

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Doctoral Concentration in Caribbean Studies

Students pursuing the doctoral concentration in Caribbean Studies must take as part of their required course credit hours a minimum of four Caribbean-focused courses (12 credit hours) as shown below.
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Dissertation 14

Total Credit Hours 15

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**Early Modern Studies**

**Graduate Concentration in Early Modern Studies**

The Early Modern Studies Concentration is an interdisciplinary concentration to be earned in conjunction with the individual Ph.D. requirements for the departments of English, History, and Modern Languages and Literatures (Romance Studies, Spanish and French). Graduate students will continue to be housed in any one of the three departments and must fulfill the requirements of their discipline for the Ph.D. To qualify for the Concentration, students must successfully complete a minimum of two courses (6 credit hours) in one or both of the other two departments, substituting for courses within their department; and a minimum of two courses (6 credit hours) in early modern studies within their department.

**Mission**

**Goals**

The major goals of the Ph.D. in History are 1) to ground students in historical knowledge and scholarship at the most sophisticated level; 2) to provide each with the skills necessary to cultivate an area of specialization and an original research agenda; 3) to train students for teaching at the college/university level; and 4) to prepare graduates to obtain appropriate employment.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Students will grasp historical knowledge and scholarship at the most sophisticated level.
- Students will cultivate an area of specialization and carry out an original research agenda.
- Students will demonstrate the ability to teach at the college/university level.

**International Administration**

https://maia.as.miami.edu/

The University of Miami’s Master of Arts in International Administration Program is a thirty (30) credit interdisciplinary graduate degree designed to prepare students for careers in the administration of public and private organizations. MAIA students learn how to identify, analyze, and manage the complex global problems that confront modern institutions, particularly in areas of security, human rights, and geopolitics. The program combines academic considerations of politics and culture with those of economics and management to provide participants with the skills necessary to pursue a range of career objectives in both domestic and international careers. MAIA students are change-agents, entrepreneurs, and leaders in both government and non-governmental sectors. Our graduates have pursued careers in the realm of non-profits and non-governmental organizations, in the fields of communication, health, emergency management and national security, as well as in the financial and business sectors. The degree is awarded by the College of Arts and Sciences.

MAIA concentrations are designed to prepare students for global leadership roles in specific fields. The MAIA program offers the following concentrations:

- Certificate in Geospatial Technology - for those who seek credentialing with spatial data, mapping, and geographic information systems (GIS)
- Concentration in Healthy Equity and Human Rights - for those who seek to study community-engagement strategies for health care, social justice, and human rights.
- Concentration in Risk Communication - for those who seek coursework on strategic communication, crisis management and assessment, and communication in high stress scenarios.
- Independent Concentration - for those who wish to propose and develop their own field of elective study

For additional program information, please visit us at maia.miami.edu (https://maia.as.miami.edu/)

**Joint Degree Programs**

MAIA and the Master of Public Health (MPH)

The Master of Arts in International Administration/Master of Public Health (MAIA/MPH) degree is offered jointly by the College of Arts and Sciences and Miller School of Medicine’s Department of Public Health Sciences. The MAIA degree, with a second master’s degree in public health, is designed for
students who seek knowledge of public health with a broader emphasis in globalization and health, international health, international health policy and international development. Students enrolled in this joint program can expect to complete both degree requirements within two and a half (2.5) years. The dual degree requires sixty (60) credits.

MAIA and the Master of Public Administration

The Master of Arts in International Administration/Master of Public Administration (MAIA/MPA) degree is designed for students who seek an in-depth knowledge of both domestic and international aspects of policy, administration, and leadership. In addition to the professional advantage of studying public administration as part of UM’s highly regarded MPA program, student will benefit from the global pedagogical perspectives of the MAIA program, including coursework on diplomacy, security, sustainability, and culture. Students enrolled in this joint program can expect to complete both degree requirements within two and a half (2.5) years. The dual degree requires sixty (60) credits.

Certificate in Security Management

The Certificate in Security Management is designed to prepare administrators of public and private organizations to meet multidimensional security challenges in the post-9/11 world. From threats posed by violent human actions to natural disasters and data security, management in times of acute crisis demands a unique array of insights and skills. The program is be grounded in an academic, theoretical understanding of security problems and emergency management strategies. It also emphasizes the development of the practitioner's arts within the strategic, tactical and operational realms of security administration. The certificate requires fifteen (15) credits. MAIA students may also complete the Certificate in Security Management as a concentration in the M.A. program.

Master of Arts in International Administration

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- M.A. in International Administration with a Certificate in Security Management (p. 1750)
- M.A. in International Administration with a Certificate in Geospatial Technology (GIS) (p. 1750)
- M.A. in International Administration with a Concentration in Health Equity and Human Rights (p. 1750)
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To be admitted to the Certificate in Security Management, students must complete the same admission requirements for the MAIA program.

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Certificate in Geospatial Technology (w/MAIA)

The Certificate Program in Geospatial Technology (GT) is designed to benefit students who seek to enhance their skills in geospatial technology, especially Geographic Information Systems (GIS) and satellite remote sensing. MAIA students may complete the Geospatial Technology Certificate as part of the MAIA program. For information about the stand-alone Geospatial Certificate program, click here: Graduate Certificate in Geospatial Technology (p. 1723)

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IGS 611. International Organizations. 3 Credit Hours.
Covers the entire spectrum of international organizations and the theoretical and practical issues relating to international organizations including peace and security, human rights, and economic development.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IGS 612. International Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
Presents a broad overview of concepts, theories, processes, and practical global challenges confronting professional public/nonprofit managers; discusses contemporary issues facing multi-national corporations, non-government organizations, and public agencies; and analyzes the similarities and differences between public, non-profit and private management.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IGS 613. Global Cultures: Religion, Communication, and Security. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of world religions and cultures as a backdrop of effective communication for international professionals. Religious and political conflicts have increasingly become a staple of our complex, globalized world. As a result, it is important for professionals working with international and non-governmental organizations to understand the religions and the cultures of the world to better facilitate their work in different societies in Africa, Asia, Europe, the Caribbean and the Americas. Since religion is an integral part of many cultures, understanding the religious implications of certain activities is important in navigating certain societies and facilitating the work of professionals, especially in regions where religion and political violence dominate foreign relations and foreign policy.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
IGS 614. World Affairs and Diplomacy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces the conceptual basics of international relations and trains students in analytical and critical thinking skills through familiarity with the broad palette of issues and actors that make up today's world politics. Topics include the origins of the state and its changing role in today's world and an examination of the actors in international relations and the issues before them.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

IGS 615. International Political Economy. 3 Credit Hours.
Reviews the essentials of International Economics. It then provides students with an operational understanding of the theory of comparative advantage and its application to policy issues.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IGS 616. International Leadership, Strategy, and Decision Making. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores organizations from the strategic perspective of the leader, identifying common elements of thinking, structure, measures, outcomes, issues, and challenges faced by those who seek leadership roles in international administration.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IGS 617. Capstone in International Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
The capstone experience gives students the opportunity to apply academic theory and acquired skills in international administration under real world conditions. Students may complete an approved internship in an appropriate organization or compose a research paper under the supervision of a MAIA faculty member or affiliated faculty member. The capstone project must reflect the student's area of concentration, as applicable. The capstone experience is meant to be completed in a single semester.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

IGS 644. Energy Security and Environmental Sustainability. 3 Credit Hours.
The concepts of environmental sustainability and energy security will be explored. The importance of energy and the mitigation of climate change in formulation of country strategies, advancement of national interests and shaping of the international system will be stressed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

IGS 645. Human Security: Prevention & Mitigation. 3 Credit Hours.
Theoretical approaches and the major global threats to human security along with some of the most promising policy solutions will be explored. Some of these human security threats are well known, like genocide, and others, like cybersecurity, are newly emerging. Focus will be placed on key human security topics such as war, terrorism, human trafficking, climate change, famine, violence against women, and infectious and non-infectious diseases.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IGS 646. Civil Security Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the management of civil crisis issuing from violent human actions. In the first section of the course, a framework will be developed that addresses the security of "civil space," emphasizing actions threatening public order and individual safety. Emphasis will be placed on the burdens of "critical incident management" and the elements central to its success. These elements—planning and contingency, leadership and management, intelligence and analysis as well as operations and communication—will be engaged further in the second section. The final section of the course will examine specific threats to civil order and the management of systems designed to mitigate their effects.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

IGS 647. Disasters and Humanitarian Assistance. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the management of disasters from natural causes. It is focused primarily on the theory and practice of response. At the center of this investigation is a difficult question: how to help? The answers are not obvious. Through the vocabularies of practitioners and the frameworks offered by academic literature, we will explore the ways in which responders respond, the lessons learned and the best practices that have emerged in the field of disaster response and humanitarian intervention.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.
IGS 648. International Business Finance for MAIA. 3 Credit Hours.
International Finance provides a working knowledge of international financial issues, theories, concepts and practice. The first part of the course examines the mechanics of the foreign exchange market, reviewing spot, forwards, futures and options. The second part of the course constructs the four building blocks of international finance: interest rate parity (covered and uncovered interest rate arbitrage), purchasing power parity, the international Fisher (expectations) effect, and asset market equilibrium (money market and exchange market equilibrium). The role of the money supply in exchange rate and price level determination according to interest rate parity is stressed. The case for common currencies is reviewed. In the third part of the course, currency risk management is explored in detail. We then analyze Ponzi schemes and other fraudulent financial practices. We conclude with a review of financial leverage, moral hazard and the financial crisis of 2008-2009.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

IGS 699. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics related to international administration. Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

IGS 820. Research in Residence. 1-9 Credit Hours.
For students conducting additional research, practice, field experience or special projects as part of their graduate experience.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Certificate in Security Management

Overview
The Certificate in Security Management is designed to prepare administrators of public and private organizations to meet the various multidimensional security challenges that have faced our planet in the last two decades: from the aftermath of 9/11 to the most recent crisis of COVID-19. From threats posed by violent human actions to natural disasters and data security, management in times of acute crisis demands a unique array of insights and skills. The certificate program is grounded in an academic, theoretical, understanding of security problems and emergency management strategies. It also emphasizes the development of the practitioner’s arts within the strategic, tactical and operational realms of security administration.

At the epistemic center of the program of study is an understanding of the many factors and facets of security requiring mastery of vocabularies across academic disciplines and conjoining insights of a technical and theoretical nature in a fashion that allows security managers to be effective and sensitive to the varied contexts shaping their decisions. Interdisciplinary academic study in the complex field of security administration is essential as a point of both entry and advancement in this growing profession.

Admission Requirements
To be admitted to the Certificate in Security Management program, students must meet the same admissions requirements as the MAIA program.

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Mission
The Certificate in Security Management addresses issues related to the management of security for public and private organizations. It concentrates attention on the intellectual and operational challenges associated with the task of protecting people and property within a changing landscape of threat from both human and natural sources.

Goals
Students will learn about multidimensional security challenges that different institutions face and how to address them.
Student Learning Outcomes
Students will be able to demonstrate broad knowledge of the multidimensional security problems that confront modern institutions and the appropriate management strategies to address those challenges.

M.A. in International Administration
Overview
The University of Miami’s Master of Arts in International Administration Program is a thirty (30) credit interdisciplinary graduate degree designed to prepare students for careers in the administration of public and private organizations. MAIA students learn how to identify, analyze, and manage the complex global problems that confront modern institutions, particularly in areas of security, human rights, and geopolitics. The program combines academic considerations of politics and culture with those of economics and management to provide participants with the skills necessary to pursue a range of career objectives in both domestic and international careers. MAIA students are change-agents, entrepreneurs, and leaders in both government and non-governmental sectors. Our graduates have pursued careers in the realm of non-profits and non-governmental organizations, in the fields of communication, health, emergency management and national security, as well as in the financial and business sectors. The degree is awarded by the College of Arts and Sciences.

Admission Requirements
The Master of Arts in International Administration (MAIA) program accepts rolling admissions. Interested students may apply to the program at any time.

• Online Application
  • Please complete the online application by clicking here (https://www.applyweb.com/miamigrd/).

• Application Fee
  • An $85.00 non-refundable application fee is paid online upon submission of the application.

• Statement of Purpose
  • The statement of purpose is the most important element of your application packet. This letter needs to reflect who you are, your goals and why you would be an asset to the MAIA program. It is very important to ensure it is grammatically correct and as detailed as possible. The statement of purpose should be no more than two pages in length. Please review before your submit.

    Below is a link to help you get started:

    OWL Statement of Purpose Guidelines (https://owl.purdue.edu/owl/purdue_owl.html).

• Letters of Recommendation
  • Three letters of recommendation must be provided. One letter should be from a faculty member. Two letters should be from an employer, colleague, or other professional source.

• Official Transcripts
  • You must provide official transcripts from each post-secondary institution attended. Official transcripts in languages other than English must also be submitted with a certified English translation.

• Resume
  • Please provide a copy of your resume if it is available.

• Admissions Interview
  • The admissions interview may be conducted in person, over the phone, or via video conference.

• Grade Point Average (GPA)
  • A minimum overall undergraduate grade point average (GPA) of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale.

• Official TOEFL (or IELTS) Score
  • All international students are required to take this exam in order to demonstrate sufficient English competency. The “Test Of English As A Foreign Language (TOEFL)” exam is offered as a paper-based test (PBT) or an internet-based test (IBT). A score of 550 is required for the PBT; a score of 80 is required for the IBT.

  • Students may also take the “International English Language Testing System (IELTS)” exam to demonstrate sufficient competency in English. A score of 6.5 or higher is required.

  • All international students must provide a copy of their results on either exam.

  • International students from countries whose primary language is English are not required to take this exam.
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**Total Credit Hours**

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### MAIA - Independent Concentration

The Independent Concentration will allow MAIA students to create their own plan of study by customizing the selection of 9 elective credits required to complete their graduate degree. In order to apply for the Independent concentration, students must enter the MAIA program with a cumulative undergraduate GPA of 3.5 or higher and be in good academic standing.
The current curriculum of the MAIA program already matches this configuration, with 18 core credits, 9 elective credits, and 3 credits for the capstone experience.

Requirements for the Independent Concentration:

- An explanation of why the existing concentrations are insufficient and/or do not apply to the student’s career path.
- The topic of their proposed concentration and a selection of electives to complete the MAIA program that support their topic.
- Approval of the student’s Guidance Committee. Each student’s guidance committee will be comprised of the MAIA program director and another MAIA-affiliated faculty member from a different department representing the main scholarly areas of the courses selected for the independent concentration. (At present, the MAIA program director is a member of the Department of Political Science). A third Guidance Committee member might be appropriate when the proposed course of study encompasses expertise from three departments or disciplines.

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Sample Plan of Study
Master of Arts in International Administration (1-year plan)

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** IGS 615 may be substituted for IGS 648, depending on whether the student secures an internship (IGS 617) in the Spring or Summer.
### MAIA with Security Management Certificate

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MAIA Independent Concentration

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### Mission

The Master of Arts in International Administration program (MAIA) seeks to prepare students for careers in the administration of public and private organizations. Students are introduced to academic traditions of scholarship and the insights of professional practice in the identification, analysis and management of the complex problems that confront modern institutions. They engage considerations of politics and culture as well as those of business, finance and management in order to develop the skills necessary to work with people in multiple contexts and environments. These include:

- Local, state and federal governmental agencies
- Regional and international organizations
- National and international public health-care management organizations
- Non-profit public service organizations
- Global relief and charitable groups
- Civil society movements
- Corporate and financial concerns
- Emergency management organizations

### Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will demonstrate knowledge of the subject-matter, the topic, at the center of their Practicum Report. This involves an understanding of the functional and organizational setting in which they served during their internship, the broader political, cultural and economic context within which the internship site exists and the ability to abstract from their experience a specific topic for analysis to which students apply skills in critical analysis, problem-solving and written communications developed during their course of study.
- Students will demonstrate critical thinking skills, a habit of mind characterized by the comprehensive exploration of issues, ideas, artifacts, and events before accepting or formulating an opinion or conclusion.
- Students will demonstrate their skills in written communication, learning to work in many genres and styles. It can involve working with many different writing technologies, and mixing text, data and images.

### M.A./M.P.A Dual Degree in International Administration and Public Administration

#### Overview

The Dual MPA/MAIA degree requires a total of 60 credits. Students are able to count 9 credits of coursework toward both programs, allowing them to complete the dual degree in 2.5 years.

Students in the MAIA/MPA Dual Degree program must be admitted to both the MAIA and MPA programs.
MAIA Admissions

The Master of Arts in International Administration (MAIA) program accepts rolling admissions. Interested students may apply to the program at any time.

- **Online Application**
  - Please complete the online application by clicking here (https://www.applyweb.com/miamigrd/).

- **Application Fee**
  - An $85.00 non-refundable application fee is paid online upon submission of the application.

- **Statement of Purpose**
  - The statement of purpose is the most important element of your application packet. This letter needs to reflect who you are, your goals and why you would be an asset to the MAIA program. It is very important to ensure it is grammatically correct and as detailed as possible. The statement of purpose should be no more than two pages in length. Please review before your submit.

  Below is a link to help you get started:

  OWL Statement of Purpose Guidelines (https://owl.purdue.edu/owl/purdue_owl.html).

- **Letters of Recommendation**
  - Three letters of recommendation must be provided. One letter should be from a faculty member. Two letters should be from an employer, colleague, or other professional source.

- **Official Transcripts**
  - You must provide official transcripts from each post-secondary institution attended. Official transcripts in languages other than English must also be submitted with a certified English translation.

- **Resume**
  - Please provide a copy of your resume if it is available.

- **Admissions Interview**
  - The admissions interview may be conducted in person, over the phone, or via video conference.

- **Grade Point Average (GPA)**
  - A minimum overall undergraduate grade point average (GPA) of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale.

- **Official TOEFL (or IELTS) Score**
  - All international students are required to take this exam in order to demonstrate sufficient English competency. The "Test Of English As A Foreign Language (TOEFL)" exam is offered as a paper-based test (PBT) or an internet-based test (IBT). A score of 550 is required for the PBT; a score of 80 is required for the IBT.

  Students may also take the "International English Language Testing System (IELTS)" exam to demonstrate sufficient competency in English. A score of 6.5 or higher is required.

  All international students must provide a copy of their results on either exam.

  International students from countries whose primary language is English are not required to take this exam.

MPA Admission Requirements

- In cooperation with the College of Arts and Science, the Department of Political Science, the Graduate Program will review applicant files and make admissions decisions.

  **Requirements for Admission Include:**

  - Completion of an application
  - A baccalaureate degree from an accredited institution
  - A cumulative undergraduate GPA of 3.0. (In order to limit class size for maximum teacher-student exchange, the MPP program will give preference to students with above average GRE scores, excellent letters of recommendation, and superior writing skills).
  - GRE minimum combined score (verbal and quantitative) set by the Graduate School. The Graduate School has occasionally provided waivers for exceptional cases.
  - Two letters of recommendation
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Sample Plan of Study

Students may complete the requirements for the MAIA and MPA degrees consecutively or in succession.

Applicants must be admitted into the MAIA and MPA programs on a separate basis, based on the admissions requirements and procedure of each individual program. Acceptance by one program does not in any way indicate or guarantee acceptance by the other degree program.

Average Program Duration: 2.5 years
Number of required credits: 60

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M.A./M.P.H. Dual Degree in International Administration and Public Health

Overview

The Master of Arts in International Administration/Master of Public Health (MAIA/MPH) degree is offered jointly by the University of Miami College of Arts and Sciences and the Miller School of Medicine’s Department of Public Health Sciences. The MPH degree with a second master’s degree in international administration is designed for students who seek an in-depth knowledge of public health with a broader emphasis in globalization and health, international health, international health policy and international development.

M.P.H. Admission Requirements

- **Application** - Applicants must submit their application online through SOPHAS (https://sophas.org/), the centralized application service of the Association of Schools and Programs of Public Health (ASPPH) (https://www.aspph.org/). All application materials, including transcripts, test scores, statement of purpose/personal statement, resume/CV, and letters of recommendations, must be submitted directly through SOPHAS. Applicants to the joint degree MPH/MAIA must apply to both Department of Public Health Sciences MPH program and to the College of Arts and Sciences MAIA program separately to be accepted to the joint degree program.

- **Transcripts** – Applicants must submit official transcripts from all previously attended colleges and universities. All foreign transcripts must be official and submitted in the original language. If the original language is not English, an official translation must be submitted along with the transcript. We do not accept evaluations from foreign credentialing service organizations. All non-U.S. transcripts must be evaluated by the World Education Service (https://www.wes.org/) (WES) using ICAP course-by-course evaluation service.

- **Standardized Test Scores** - Applicants are required to submit GRE general exam scores (http://www.ets.org/gre/revised_general/about/) taken within the last five years. Alternatively, MCAT and LSAT scores are acceptable for the MPH degree programs only. Applicants to the MPH program who hold advanced degrees (MD, JD, PhD, MBBS, and other doctoral degrees) are encouraged, but not required to submit test scores. Standardized test waivers are available on a case-by-case basis.

- **English Proficiency Exam** - International students whose native language is not English and/or did not graduate from an English-teaching institution are required to submit TOEFL (https://www.ets.org/toefl/) or IELTS (https://www.ielts.org/en-us/) scores.

- **Resume/Curriculum Vitae** – Applicants must include a detailed resume including employment, public health experiences, community service, research, and academic or professional honors.

- **Statement of Purpose/Personal Statement** – Applicants are required to submit a statement of purpose that details their academic interest in the program. The statement should discuss any experiences in public health including field experience, research, training, education or other related qualifications. Applicants should discuss how earning the degree will contribute to their future professional and career goals, as well as to the future of public health. Applicants should also address any academic deficiencies, if applicable.

- **Letters of Recommendation** – Applicants must provide three letters of recommendation from individuals who are best able to assess their ability to be successful in a graduate degree program. Ideally, recommenders are recent professors, researchers or employers in a related field. Letters must be signed and on letterhead. Applicants will be asked to include the contact information of their recommenders on the SOPHAS application and recommenders will be sent an online form to complete via email.

For more information about our application process, please click here (https://graduatestudies.publichealth.med.miami.edu/admissions/application-process/). To obtain detailed curricula on all our program offerings, please visit our website (http://publichealth.med.miami.edu/).

For further information, please contact:

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M.A.I.A. Admission Requirements

The Master of Arts in International Administration (MAIA) program accepts rolling admissions. Interested students may apply to the program at any time.

- **Online Application**
  - Please complete the online application by clicking here (https://www.applyweb.com/miamigrd/).

- **Application Fee**
• An $85.00 non-refundable application fee is paid online upon submission of the application.

• Statement of Purpose
  • The statement of purpose is the most important element of your application packet. This letter needs to reflect who you are, your goals and why you would be an asset to the MAIA program. It is very important to ensure it is grammatically correct and as detailed as possible. The statement of purpose should be no more than two pages in length. Please review before your submit.

  Below is a link to help you get started:

  OWL Statement of Purpose Guidelines (https://owl.purdue.edu/owl/purdue_owl.html).

• Letters of Recommendation
  • Three letters of recommendation must be provided. One letter should be from a faculty member. Two letters should be from an employer, colleague, or other professional source.

• Official Transcripts
  • You must provide official transcripts from each post-secondary institution attended. Official transcripts in languages other than English must also be submitted with a certified English translation.

• Resume
  • Please provide a copy of your resume if it is available.

• Admissions Interview
  • The admissions interview may be conducted in person, over the phone, or via video conference.

• Grade Point Average (GPA)
  • A minimum overall undergraduate grade point average (GPA) of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale.

• Official TOEFL (or IELTS) Score
  • All international students are required to take this exam in order to demonstrate sufficient English competency. The "Test Of English As A Foreign Language (TOEFL)" exam is offered as a paper-based test (PBT) or an internet-based test (IBT). A score of 550 is required for the PBT; a score of 80 is required for the IBT.
  • Students may also take the "International English Language Testing System (IELTS)" exam to demonstrate sufficient competency in English. A score of 6.5 or higher is required.
  • All international students must provide a copy of their results on either exam.
  • International students from countries whose primary language is English are not required to take this exam.

For further information, please contact:

College of Arts & Sciences
Office of Interdisciplinary & Professional Studies
1300 Campo Sano Avenue, Suite 215
Coral Gables, Florida 33143
Phone: #305-284-8783. Email: MAIAadmissions@miami.edu

Curriculum Requirements

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**Sample Plan of Study**

The MPH degree with a second master's degree in International Administration is designed for students who seek an in-depth knowledge of public health with a broader emphasis in globalization and health, international health, international health policy and international development.

The average program duration is 2.5 years and the total required credits to earn both degrees is 60 credits. Prospective students must apply to both schools to be accepted to the joint degree program.

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 or Qualitative Research Methods | 3 |
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International Studies

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Dept. Code: INS

Degree Programs

The Department of International Studies offers interdisciplinary social science programs leading to the Ph.D. and MA degrees. Ph.D. and MA programs offer advanced students the opportunity to study issues such as globalization, democratic governance, comparative and international political economy, post-Cold War conflicts and security threats, and new forms of civil society mobilization in world politics. To organize the study of these debates in the social sciences, the Department offers three fields of specialization:

- **International Relations**: international relations theory; globalization; social movements beyond the nation-state; security studies; peace and conflict studies; international law and organization; international political economy; foreign policy analysis, global public health, and related fields.
- **Comparative Politics**: theory and methods of comparative analysis; authoritarian and democratic political regimes; democratic governance and citizenship, comparative political economy; contentious politics and social movements; civil-military relations; and appropriate courses on selected regions, such as the European Union, Latin America, or the Post-Soviet countries.
- **International and Comparative Political Economy**: the politics and institutions regulating the global trade, investment, and financial regimes; comparative international development; the politics and economics of international environmental regimes; democracy, partisan politics, and global governance, the domestic and international distributive impacts of globalization; and international economic theory.

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- M.A. in International Studies (p. 1768)

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- Ph.D. in International Studies (p. 1770)

**INS 601. IR Theory. 3 Credit Hours.**
Introduces students to key historic events, themes, concepts, and theories that have animated the practice and scholarship of international relations.
成份: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

**INS 603. Dissertation Proposal. 3 Credit Hours.**
INS 603 Research Design: A writing course designed to assist Master's students in the preparation of their graduation requirements: publishable papers or MA thesis.
成份: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**INS 604. Int Rel Topics II. 3 Credit Hours.**
Selected topics in International Relations Theory. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
成份: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
INS 605. Int Relations Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in International Relations Theory. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 606. Issues in International Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of current issues of international importance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 607. International Economic System Topics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in International Economics. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 608. Intl Econ Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 609. Globalization and Human Rights. 3 Credit Hours.
The integration of markets has many concerned for the political and economic rights of the common citizen. This course examines The effect of globalization on the human rights standards throughout the world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 610. Graduate Seminar in INS. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminar topic varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 611. International Relations Methodology II. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduces graduate students to issues of research design and research methods in International Relations. The course will focus on three main methodological approaches in political science: qualitative case study, quantitative research and formal modeling. Apart from examining the principles guiding the choice of methods (and the trade offs involved in that choice), the course will examine how these methods have been applied to the study of three major sub-fields of international relations: international political economy, security studies, and international environmental regimes. It also aims to provide the students with basic knowledge on how to apply these methods to their own research.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

INS 612. Graduate Seminar in Qualitative Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
The main goal of this seminar is to enable students to become proficient in qualitative research methods. The seminar covers specific research methods and techniques, their relevance and limitations, their relationships with philosophical perspectives, epistemological and methodological debates, and ethical and practical considerations involved in qualitative research. Ethnographic methods, the use of social network analysis in qualitative research, the logics of inquiry in case study methods, grounded theory, and types of discourse and contents analysis, are amongst the topics covered. This is a hands-on graduate seminar in which the students are encouraged to think creatively on which method(s) could make their research of complex political, social, and cultural phenomena more rigorous and sophisticated by applying methods and techniques learned in class.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 613. Transnational Social Movemen. 3 Credit Hours.
Focuses on global civic activism and contentious politics, with particular attention to transnational non-state actors - NGOs, social movements, environmental protection, and the emergence of a global civil society.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
INS 614. Comparative Political Regimes. 3 Credit Hours.
Literature concerned with the transition from authoritarianism to democracy in various parts of the world.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 616. National Security. 3 Credit Hours.
The central issues concerning European security since World War II, with emphasis on the period since the end of the cold war.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 617. National Security and Foreign Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores alternative conceptualizations of "security" and the new challenges to U.S. national security that have emerged in the Post-Cold War era.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

INS 618. Regional Topics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in International Business. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 619. Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
A research paper is required for this course. The student works with a selected faculty member who determines the length and scope of the project. The Student is responsible for finding the internship position.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 620. International Migration and the Health Care System. 3 Credit Hours.
Critical aspects of development globally; the migration-development nexus. The centrality this issue has in current debates on development. Research and policy-making approaches to different aspects of this nexus. Several countries and regions are covered throughout the semester. Development of research skills through systematic participation in specific projects.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 621. International Development Theory I. 3 Credit Hours.
A synthesis of major theories of international development, institutional architecture, and practice of international development. Focus on key international development policies such as trade, macroeconomic finance, and equity. Considers narrow conceptions of modernity, growth, progress, wellbeing, and culture toward broader conceptions of freedom and/or sustainable development.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 622. Advanced Seminar in International Economics. 3 Credit Hours.
This is a seminar in International Economics at the graduate level. The first part consists of a rigorous but nontechnical presentation of international trade theory, followed by a discussion of the main arguments for protection and their validity. The third part of the course analyzes the process of globalization; its meaning, measurement and effects. A final brief section is devoted to the determination of exchange rates and the international monetary system.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 627. Negotiation and Bargaining. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines the nature of diplomatic negotiation through readings and discussion of international negotiation and through the case method, selecting several cases of high-level policy issues in which the United States has been a principal actor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
INS 628. International Peace and Conflict Resolution. 3 Credit Hours.
The major sources of conflict, and what resources are available for making and keeping the peace? This class introduces students to the most fundamental concerns of the field of International Relations (IR), and especially of its sub-field IPCR.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 629. International Cooperation. 3 Credit Hours.
INS 629 International Cooperation: The role, function, and impact on states of international governmental and non-governmental organizations in critical areas like cooperation, peace and security, human rights, and economic development.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 630. Advanced Seminar in Comparative Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminar topic varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

INS 637. Comparative Political Economy. 3 Credit Hours.
Compares how domestic politics and macroeconomic policies interact with globalization. Case studies include welfare states in the U.S. and Europe, East Asian development, post communist transitions and market restructuring in Latin America and Africa.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

INS 638. U.S.-Latin American Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
Political, economic and strategic aspects of U.S.-Latin American relations; the historical experience and contemporary issues, including the influence of extra-regional parties such as Europe and China.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

INS 639. Globalization and Health. 3 Credit Hours.
Globalization and its benefits and threats to public health; the relationship between global economic, political, social, cultural, environmental and technological changes and their impact on human health.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

INS 641. Advanced ISC Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminar topic varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 642. Drug-Trafficking in the Americas. 3 Credit Hours.
The political economy of the U.S.-Latin American drug trade in the 20th Century along with the dynamics of the U.S.-led war on drugs through the first years of the Twenty First Century.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

INS 644. Global Health and International Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Health and development links; macroeconomic policies and their impact on social equity; poverty and structural inequities; and other key issues that influence human development.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 645. Disasters, Terrorism and Global Public Health. 3 Credit Hours.
The historical processes and present trends of disasters, terrorism, humanitarian emergencies and their impact on human health, safety and security.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
INS 646. Politics and Ideology in Latin America. 3 Credit Hours.
The roles played by both "class" and the "new social movements" in the emergence of new modes of political representation.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 647. Latin American Thought. 3 Credit Hours.
The evolution of Latin American thought through political and intellectual history; the classical writings of the main "pensadores", and a comparative analysis of contemporary ideological trends.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

INS 648. Brazil in Transition. 3 Credit Hours.
The social, economic, cultural transformations shaping Brazilian politics. In addition to visiting Rio de Janeiro and Salvador, there will be seminars with Brazilian academics and social and political activists.
**Components:** SEM.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 649. European-Latin American Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
This course deals primarily with five main themes: shared history between Europe and Latin America; mutual transfer of ideas (ideologies and political thought), perceptions (images and stereotypes), people (voluntary and slavery), and goods (trade and investment); foreign policies of main European states and the European Community toward Latin America; an analysis of some specific country cases (Spain, especially) and issues (regional integration, among them); and how the above have affected inter-American relations and the hegemonic role of the United States.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 650. Advanced Regional Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminar topic varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
**Components:** SEM.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 653. The European Union. 3 Credit Hours.
The European Union's history, institutions, policies and contemporary issues.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

INS 654. European Union and the World. 3 Credit Hours.
The European Union's development, its main institutions and policies followed by an analysis of the main features of the European Union's external relations.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

INS 655. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the course number and title.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

INS 656. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 657. U.S. Foreign Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
The leading approaches to the analysis of American foreign policy. Particular emphasis will be placed on the post-Cold War period and the new challenges to U.S. foreign policy of the 21st century.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.
INS 658. Culture, Civilization and Religion in International Relations. 3 Credit Hours.

International Relations (IR) theories have traditionally neglected ideational factors such as identity, religion, and culture: unlike states, they were "non-territorial"

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 659. IR in a Constructed World. 3 Credit Hours.

The collapse of the Soviet Union, the end of the Cold war and the end of world bipolarity left wanting the main International Relations (IR) perspectives. The course will examine these epochal changes to show that unlike traditional assumptions IR are not inevitable consequences of human nature or other essential, material characteristics such as structure as the primary independent variable. Responding to these changes constructivism, the newest IR approach regards states as actors and agents, existing within a world of their "own making" IR are social rather than material, not given by nature and material factors and hence, capable of being transformed by human practice. There are many forms of constructivism, some compatible with positivism and rationalism of the mainstream IR approaches, others more radical in their critique of IR discipline. Forms of constructivism differ in how they see the relationship between actors and structures, the mechanism of how the world is "constructed" (e.g., ideas, norms, language).

Constructivism opens new research avenues.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 664. International Law. 3 Credit Hours.

How international law affects the conduct of states. Issues include jurisdiction, diplomatic immunity, the use of armed force, peaceful dispute settlement among states, human rights, and the International Criminal Court.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

INS 665. The World Before European Domination. 3 Credit Hours.

The historical roots of the contemporary international system. Its objective is to question the standard Eurocentric perspective on the rise of the West to a dominant position in the global system.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

INS 669. Global Issues and Filmmaking: A Transdisciplinary Approach. 3 Credit Hours.

Global issues and filmmaking studied via a transdisciplinary approach. Topical focus varies among health, foreign aid, human security, international development, and global urbanization.

Components: RSC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 672. Global Health Policy and Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.

National, regional and global health policies with special consideration to ethical and human rights issues; policies and the moral considerations that shape public health policy.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 675. MA Capstone Research Paper (CRP). 3 Credit Hours.

A capstone is to synthesize and apply the knowledge that students have acquired through the International Studies MA curriculum-the disciplinary perspectives, theories, and methods learned-to those particular student's interests developed throughout the concentration. Students will be directed in the sequence and stages of research, data presentation and visualization, writing, oral and presentation skills. The major goal is to produce a capstone research paper (CRP) of 25-30 pages (i.e., 6,000-8,000 words) plus tables, figures, maps and other appendices that aims to be a peer reviewed article for an International Studies publication.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

INS 693. European Security. 3 Credit Hours.

Regional security in Europe, focusing on NATO expansion, EU expansion, Russian foreign policy, and related issues.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
M.A. in International Studies

The Master of Arts Degree in International Studies

The MA in International Studies is a 30-credit degree program that is designed for students who seek practical training in social science perspectives and methods that address emerging problems of globalization, international conflicts and humanitarian crises, global environmental change, and international development. The program emphasizes professional preparation through the acquisition of qualitative and quantitative research skills that will enhance students’ career opportunities and/or prepare them for advanced study in doctoral programs. The program faculty consists of experts in international relations, comparative politics and political economy, geographical sciences, ethnographic inquiry, public health, and social inquiry and change. The program can typically be completed within two years, although students may receive credit toward the degree if they have completed equivalent courses elsewhere. Students seeking the degree on a part-time basis are welcome.

Students must complete three core courses and are free to design their program of study on any topic within the broad sphere of international studies under the guidance of a faculty mentor. Major themes covered in International Studies elective courses range from international conflicts, refugee
movements and migration, international trade and investment, climate change mitigation and adaptation, poverty alleviation, humanitarian crises, and emerging public health threats.

## Curriculum Requirements

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1 Students may substitute any graduate-level mixed-methods course such as INS 611 (International Relations Methodology II), any qualitative methods courses (e.g., survey methods, ethnographic methods) such as INS 612 (Qualitative Methods), or information technology course such as GEG 691 (Introduction to Geographic Information Systems for Graduate Students) and APY 611 for POL 695T. In addition, a variety of other statistics courses are available in other social science departments that may be used as substitutes for POL 695T.

## Other Requirements

**Foreign Language Requirement:** All students must demonstrate competency (reading and basic comprehension) in at least one foreign language. Students are expected to pass a foreign language examination by the end of their first year to determine if they meet this essential requirement or may require additional foreign language training. A variety of options is available for practical language training including courses offered by the Department of Modern Languages and Literatures (insert link) and the Directed Independent Language Study (DILS, insert link).

**Comprehensive Exam, Thesis and Non-thesis Options:** As a final requirement to graduate, students must select one of the following 3 options:

- Pass a written qualifying (comprehensive) examination in one of the three fields of specialization. The MA qualifying examination probes student knowledge of one of the Department's three fields of study and the ability to think and express ideas clearly. Masters level students are required to answer three questions within four hours.

- Thesis and Non-Thesis options: Both thesis and non-thesis options are available and students are expected to identify a specific topical interest and research focus by the end of their first semester in residence. The non-thesis option consists of two short papers and an oral examination; the thesis option involves production of a MA thesis that will be examined by a committee of three faculty members, one of whom is the faculty mentor. Students opting for an MA Thesis must have a GPA of 3.5 or higher.

## Mission

The Department of International Studies provides a comprehensive curriculum that allows students at both the undergraduate and graduate levels to study contemporary international issues. INS courses include globalization, democratization, transnationalism, international political economy, global trade, conflicts and national security threats, human rights, new forms of civil society mobilization, cultural diversity in world politics, global environmental challenges, global public health, and world poverty. The curriculum revolves around the study of the accelerating processes of globalization and their far-reaching impacts on individual states, societies, economies and cultures. The INS Program promotes, through its interdisciplinary reach, the exploration of various theoretical and analytical approaches and methodological techniques intended to offer students a broad program of study focused on the interaction between the local and the global, from the historical to the contemporary, while tracking possible alternative future scenarios and developments in the international system.

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• Students will demonstrate effective written, presentation and to integrate data with sound analysis and meaningful interpretation.

Ph.D. in International Studies
The Department’s Ph.D. program’s primary objective is to prepare a select group of highly qualified doctoral students for careers in academic teaching and research.

Curriculum Requirements
The requirements include:

• Complete a total of 66 degree credit hours (12 semester courses) to obtain the Ph.D. degree (i.e., 36 credit hours at the doctoral level beyond the MA degree).
• Complete one seminar on quantitative methods and one seminar on qualitative methods in the social sciences.
• Complete a sequence of two core seminars in two of the Program’s three major fields of study:
  • International Relations;
  • Comparative Politics; and
  • International and Comparative Political Economy.
• Pass
  a. written MA exam in one of the Program’s three fields of study and
  b. written and oral examinations in two of the Program’s three fields of study.
• Complete at least one of the basic core seminars in the third (non-examination) field.
• Complete the Doctoral Workshop.
• Successfully defend a dissertation proposal/prospectus.
• Pass a foreign language examination.
• Complete 12 dissertation credit hours.
• Research, write and orally defend a dissertation that makes an original contribution to knowledge.

See the INS Graduate Student Handbook for a complete description of the requirements for the Ph.D. degree.

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Latin American Studies
las.as.miami.edu
Dept. Code: LAS
The Latin American Studies Program at the University of Miami takes an interdisciplinary approach to the study of the politics, economics, cultures, and societies of Latin America and the Caribbean. Courses in the program are offered in departments from every school and college at the University
of Miami, and the program's faculty research topics ranging from development economics to immigrant health care, from indigenous music to Caribbean colonial literature, from the archaeology of the region's earliest peoples to present-day questions of resource conservation and management. Our students become true experts who can speak to a wide range of issues confronting Latin America and the Caribbean; experts who can contribute proactively to development and cooperation, business, political analysis, arts, and culture in ways that their peers with a more traditional disciplinary focus simply cannot.

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The interdisciplinary graduate programs in LAS offer excellent preparation for careers in international business, law, banking, work in philanthropy, economic development, the environment, government service, education, health care, or journalism.

Master of Arts in Latin American Studies
• M.A. in Latin American Studies (p. 1778)

LAS 601. Interdisciplinary in Latin American and Caribbean. 3 Credit Hours.
Interdisciplinary methods and politics of Latin American and Caribbean area studies.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

LAS 602. Research Design in Latin American Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Interdisciplinary research methods and skills in Latin American and Caribbean studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

LAS 603. Program Seminar in Latin American Studies and Caribbean Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Content of course will vary by semester.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAS 604. Interdisciplinary Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Studies - Travel Course.. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary. Interdisciplinary focus is thematic and regional (e.g.: tourism in Yucatan; civil society in Chile, Haiti-Dominican Republic relations, cultural policy in the Caribbean, environmental policy in Panama.) Course involves travel during Spring Break and it has a program fee.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

LAS 605. Internship in Latin American and Caribbean Studies. 1-3 Credit Hours.
On-site experience in business, governmental organization, or non-profit organization dealing with Latin America and/or the Caribbean.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

LAS 606. Civic Engagement in Latin America. 1-3 Credit Hours.
On site experience in a civic engagement project in Latin America or the Caribbean.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

LAS 620. Interdisciplinary Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Environments. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary. Interdisciplinary focus on policies and impact of globalization on the environment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
LAS 630. Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Religions. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary. Interdisciplinary focus may be thematic or religion (e.g., Liberation Theology, Latin American and Latino Religions, Caribbean Religions), but will address Latin American and Caribbean religion.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAS 640. Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Media and Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary. Interdisciplinary focus may be thematic or religion (e.g., Global media, Spanish- or Portuguese-language television or radio, social media), but will address Latin American and Caribbean Media and Communication.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAS 650. Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Art and Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary. Interdisciplinary focus may be thematic or religion, but will address Latin American and Caribbean art and culture.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAS 660. Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary. Interdisciplinary focus may be thematic or religion (e.g., democracy, new social movements, globalization, politics and society), but will address Latin American and Caribbean politics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAS 680. Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean History. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary. Interdisciplinary focus may be thematic or religion, but will address the history of political, social and economic development in Latin America and the Caribbean.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAS 681. Graduate Seminar on Public Health: Latin America and the Caribbean. 3 Credit Hours.
A variety of contemporary global public health issues and policy challenges confronting Latin America and the Caribbean, considering large and small states. We will explore the broader relationship of global public health topics to the political, economic, social, cultural, ethical, ecological, environmental, and technological factors.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

LAS 684. Global Public Health: Harnessing Theoretical Prep with Health Diplomacy and Practical Exper. 3 Credit Hours.
For students with a genuine interest in global public health and a regional focus in Latin America or the Caribbean. Students will have the opportunity to examine global health issues, programs, projects, policies and ethical dilemmas considering different methods used to study the challenges and successes in global public health work. This course will expose students to the integration of western and health care, as well as the economic, political, social, cultural, environmental, ecological and technological components of their lives that directly or indirectly influence public health outcomes at the community level. Furthermore, students will have a unique opportunity to interact with families and community organizations and programs in the remote villages as well as families residing in urban communities. This will provide greater insights into the epidemiologic, nutrition, lifestyle and socio-economic transitions which bring both positive and negative impacts on health and wellbeing. Students will also learn about importance of health diplomacy and health security within a globalized world through interactions with local policy makers and community members while in the country.
Components: FLD.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

LAS 691. Debates on Current Issues in Latin American and Caribbean Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Content may vary from semester to semester. This is a graduate course to allow debate and discussion on current issues and events affecting Latin America, the Caribbean, and Latino communities in the United States.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
**LAS 694. Directed Readings in Latin America and Caribbean. 1-6 Credit Hours.**
Independent Study leading to an original piece of research, or creative project on a Latin American or Caribbean interdisciplinary topic.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**LAS 697. Readings for the Comprehensive Exam. 1-6 Credit Hours.**
Readings for M.A. students who are preparing for comprehensive examinations.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**LAS 810. Pre-candidacy thesis credits. 1-6 Credit Hours.**
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, not to exceed three, before student has been admitted to candidacy. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**LAS 815. Post-candidacy thesis credits. 1-6 Credit Hours.**
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, not to exceed six, after student has been admitted to candidacy. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**LAS 820. Research in residence. 1 Credit Hour.**
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master’s degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in LAS 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

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**B.A./M.A. in Latin American Studies**

**FILAS (Fellows in Latin American Studies)**
In this highly selective Honors Program, students follow a rigorous, accelerated curriculum to complete two degrees (B.A./M.A.) in Latin American and Caribbean Studies in five years, less time than would be required to obtain the degrees separately. The program provides exciting collaborative research, travel, and work opportunities. While students typically apply to the FILAS program upon their initial application to UM, we also welcome applicants in their first year of study at the University.

**FILAS Admission Requirements**

- SAT1 composite score of 1360 or ACT 31.
- Top 10% of high school graduating class.
- Regular Application for Admission to the University of Miami. We recommend students submit their applications by November 15.
- Recommendations from three high school teachers.
- Statement of interest in FILAS, emphasizing prior language or area study
- To continue through the graduate level (MA Phase), students must maintain at least a 3.4 GPA and take the GRE Exam.

**Curriculum Requirements**
Working with UM’s world-class faculty in various academic disciplines, FILAS participants design individualized curricula. In addition to the regular general education course requirements of the College of Arts and Sciences, FILAS students choose one focus track for their most advanced courses: Social Sciences, Law and Policy, Literature & Culture, Communication, Environmental Studies, Public Health, or History. For broad-based, multi-disciplinary preparation, students choose courses that focus on Latin America and the Caribbean. At least ten of these courses must be taken at the graduate level.

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Mathematics, Computing & Statistics  
Second Language  
Writing Across the Curriculum  
Cognates  
Advanced Language Proficiency in Spanish, French, Portuguese, or Haitian Creole  
Select one of the following:

- FRE 203: Advanced French
- HAI 201: Intermediate Haitian Creole I
- POR 202: Intermediate Portuguese II
- SPA 203: Advanced Spanish

Secondary Language Competence in another Latin American or Caribbean Language  
Select one of the following:

- FRE 105: Accelerated Elementary French
- HAI 102: Elementary Haitian Creole II (or equivalent)
- POR 105: Beginning Portuguese for Spanish Speakers
- SPA 105: Accelerated Elementary Spanish

FILAS Specific Requirements  
Select one gateway seminar in Latin American Studies  
Select two History courses  
Select two International Studies courses  
Select two Economics courses  
Select two advanced Languages and Literatures courses (SPA, POR, FRE, or HAI)  
Select seven courses in Study Abroad  
Select one course as Internship in Latin America  
Select five courses above the 300-level (third-year) in a range of disciplines  
Select ten courses in one focus track

MA Phase Requirements  
GRE Exam in Semester 7 or 8  
LAS 601: Interdisciplinary in Latin American and Caribbean  
LAS 602: Research Design in Latin American Studies  
Select two Regional Fundamentals courses  
Select four electives from approved LAS or combined courses  
LAS 810: Pre-candidacy thesis credits (students must enroll in two semesters of this 3-credit course to fulfill this requirement.)

Total Credit Hours 150

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1. Certain AP/IB scores may be used to fulfill the Composition requirement as credit. If Transfer students transfer one of the two above, but not both, they may take ENG 208 to complete the requirement. ENG 105 must be taken unless exempted by SAT/V or ACT/V scores (does not include credits).

2. MTH 108 or higher. Unless exempted by AP/IB, or UM placement test. UM placement test does not include credits. Prerequisites must be met before enrolling in MTH courses.

3. Students must take at least three credits in a language other than English at the 200-level or higher. Prerequisites may be required. Courses taken in order to meet this requirement, including necessary prerequisite courses to the 200 level courses, cannot be used in cognates seen below. **FILAS students already fulfill this requirement when completing the language requirements cited below.**

4. Degree candidates must complete at least four writing courses, and at least one such course must be in the student's major discipline.

5. Typically, students must complete a minimum of three cognates, one from each of the three areas of the University curriculum: Arts & Humanities; People & Society; and Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics. A cognate is a minimum of 9 credit hours, however it can be more. Each major/minor fulfills the cognate requirement in one Area of Knowledge. **However, FILAS students must complete only the STEM Cognate as the FILAS program fulfills the Arts & Humanities and People & Society cognates. To avoid additional course credits, please select a STEM Cognate that includes a Natural Science course to concurrently fulfill this CAS general education requirement.** According to the Collage of Arts & Sciences, "three credits must be earned from one of the following departments: Biology, Chemistry, Ecosystem Science & Policy (only ECS 111, 112, or 202), Geological Sciences, Marine Science (except MSC 313 and 314), Physical Science, or Physics. APY 203 and GEG 120 may also count. These credits may double count with any other requirement, e.g., courses in the STEM cognate."
FILAS students also write a Master’s Thesis based on an original research project. In addition, they must defend the thesis and present their findings at the LAS Annual Student Symposium.

J.D./M.A. in Latin American Studies

Overview
The University of Miami School of Law in partnership with the Latin American Studies (LAS) Program, College of Arts and Sciences, offers a joint J.D./M.A. in Latin American Studies. This curriculum prepares Law School students for business, government, political, and nonprofit legal positions in organizations or institutions with a Latin American/Caribbean focus or presence. The program provides a solid theoretical framework and grounding in policy analysis, administration, and management.

This joint program allows students to obtain both J.D. and M.A. degrees in 3 or 3 1/2 years, less time than obtaining the degrees separately. The first year is spent in the Law School and years two, three and four (if needed) are spent taking both Law and M.A. courses.

Admissions
To be admitted to this program, students must apply separately to both programs. Students may apply to the MA in Latin American Studies program prior to beginning Law School or anytime during the first or second year of Law School. Students may begin the MA program in the fall or spring semesters.

For admission to the M.A. program students must complete an MA application. If they apply before the end of their first year in Law School, they will not need to take the GRE exam. Their LSAT score will be used instead of the GRE. For more details on the M.A. program, visit the M.A. in Latin American Studies website.

Acceptance by one program does not in any way indicate or guarantee acceptance by the other degree program.

Tuition and Fees
Tuition for J.D. courses will be paid to the Law School. Tuition for the M.A courses will be paid to the College of Arts and Sciences. Law School scholarships may only be used towards tuition for Law School courses.

Courses and Credits
Students must complete 82 credits in the Law School and 6 credits will be double-counted from the M.A. courses to complete the total of 88 JD credits. In the College of Arts and Sciences, students must complete 21 credits in Latin American Studies courses, and 9 credits will be double-counted from the J.D. coursework to complete the total of 30 credits. Students will be required to complete a total of 103 credits for both degrees.

Juris Doctor (J.D.) Course Requirements
• During their first year of the joint program, students will be required to attend the J.D. program full-time.
• Students who begin in the JD program will be able to take courses in the Latin American Studies Master’s program beginning the fall of their 2L year.
• Students must complete all J.D. requirements and all M.A. requirements as defined by their programs.
• Students may take summer law courses which may reduce the length of the joint degree program by up to a semester.
• Students may not take more than 16 credits/semester. Seventeen credits/semester may be taken with permission from the Associate Dean, Academic Affairs, School of Law.

Master of Latin American Studies Requirements
• Required courses in LAS are: LAS601, LAS602, and a discipline-appropriate research methods course (to be approved by the degree director.)
• Two regional fundamentals courses in Latin American/Caribbean studies are also required.
• Students will be required to write a master’s thesis, create an equivalent capstone project, or pass a comprehensive exam (each of which requires 6 credits of thesis/readings courses). These options all require a committee consisting of at least three faculty members.
• Language Requirement: Students must demonstrate advanced language competency in Spanish, French, Portuguese, or Haitian Creole. Students may establish proficiency by passing two courses taught in the target language at the 600-level or above, or by passing a language competency exam. A major indigenous language of Latin America may be substituted for either Spanish or Portuguese. Students may petition for a waiver of examination if they have gained language competency in another manner (i.e. native speaker, upper division coursework in target language, Peace Corps service, 18 credits or Defense Language Proficiency Test).

M.A. Dual Degree in Latin American Studies and Public Health
http://www.as.miami.edu/las/graduate/joint-master-of-arts-programs/medicine-and-public-health/
Overview

Miami is the gateway to Latin America. As such we recognize an urgent need for public health professionals with the training and expertise needed to meet the growing public health challenges both in Latin America and the Caribbean. The MPH/LAS joint degree program is designed to train students for a career in public health with a focus on social policy, health management and health care in Latin America and the Caribbean, as well as expatriate communities in the United States.

Average Program Duration: 2.5 years, (5 semesters)

Number of required credits: 54 (+6 for non-native speakers)

Admission Requirements

- **Application** - Applicants must submit their application online through SOPHAS (https://sophas.org/), the centralized application service of the Association of Schools and Programs of Public Health (ASPPH) (https://www.aspph.org/). All application materials, including transcripts, test scores, statement of purpose/personal statement, resume/CV, and letters of recommendations, must be submitted directly through SOPHAS. Applicants to the MPH/LAS joint degree must apply to both, the Department of Public Health Sciences MPH program and the College of Arts and Sciences Master of Arts in Latin America Studies program separately.

- **Transcripts** – Applicants must submit official transcripts from all previously attended colleges and universities. All foreign transcripts must be official and submitted in the original language. If the original language is not English, an official translation must be submitted along with the transcript. We do not accept evaluations from foreign credentialing service organizations. All non-U.S. transcripts must be evaluated by the World Education Service (https://www.wes.org/) (WES) using ICAP course-by-course evaluation service.

- **Standardized Test Scores** - Applicants are required to submit GRE general exam scores (http://www.ets.org/gre/revised_general/about/) taken within the last five years. Alternatively, MCAT and LSAT scores are acceptable for the MPH degree programs only. Applicants to the MPH program who hold advanced degrees (MD, JD, PhD, MBBS, and other doctoral degrees) are encouraged, but not required to submit test scores. Standardized test waivers are available on a case-by-case basis.

- **English Proficiency Exam** - International students whose native language is not English and/or did not graduate from an English-teaching institution are required to submit TOEFL (https://www.ets.org/toefl/) or IELTS (https://www.ielts.org/en-us/) scores.

- **Resume/Curriculum Vitae** – Applicants must include a detailed resume including employment, public health experiences, community service, research, and academic or professional honors.

- **Statement of Purpose/Personal Statement** – Applicants are required to submit a statement of purpose that details their academic interest in the program. The statement should discuss any experiences in public health including field experience, research, training, education or other related qualifications. Applicants should discuss how earning the degree will contribute to their future professional and career goals, as well as to the future of public health. Applicants should also address any academic deficiencies, if applicable.

- **Letters of Recommendation** – Applicants must provide three letters of recommendation from individuals who are best able to assess their ability to be successful in a graduate degree program. Ideally, recommenders are recent professors, researchers or employers in a related field. Letters must be signed and on letterhead. Applicants will be asked to include the contact information of their recommenders on the SOPHAS application and recommenders will be sent an online form to complete via email.

For more information about our application process, please click here (https://graduatestudies.publichealth.med.miami.edu/admissions/application-process/). To obtain detailed curricula on all our program offerings, please visit our website (http://publichealth.med.miami.edu/).

For further information, please contact:

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Director of Admissions  
Department of Public Health Sciences  
University of Miami Miller School of Medicine  
1120 N.W. 14 Street, Room 905 (R-669)  
Miami, Florida 33136  
Tel: 305-243-0291  
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Curriculum Requirements - Latin America Studies

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Research Design in Latin American Studies
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Select 2 other LAS courses in consultation with the Academic Director
6

#### Language Requirements

- Regional Fundamentals in Latin America Electives
- LAS Culminating Experience

#### Master of Public Health

**Core Courses**

- EPH 600 Introduction to the Science Practice of Public Health
- EPH 601 Medical Biostatistics I
- EPH 617 Disease Prevention and Health Promotion
  - or EPH 620 Health Education and Behavior
- EPH 621 Fundamentals of Epidemiology
- EPH 631 Public Health Administration
  - or EPH 632 U.S. Health Systems
- EPH 641 Environmental Health

**Generalist Concentration**

- EPH 607 Interdisciplinary Health Communication
  - or BST 625 Survey of Statistical Computing
- EPH 644 Fundamentals of Program Evaluation
  - or EPH 656 Qualitative Research Methods
  - or EPH 647 Community Based Participatory Research

**Required Public Health Electives**

- EPH 600, 700 level courses not already listed
- BST 600, 700 level courses

**Joint Culminating Experience**

Students complete EPH 680 in fulfillment of both degrees.

- EPH 680 Practical Field Experience
  - or LAS 810 Pre-candidacy thesis credits

**Total Credit Hours**

- 60

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1 Students must demonstrate advanced language competency in Spanish, French, Portuguese, or Haitian Creole. Students may establish proficiency by passing one course taught in the target language at the 600-level or above, or by passing a language competency exam. A major indigenous language of Latin America may be substituted for either Spanish or Portuguese. Students may petition for a waiver of examination if they have gained language competency in another manner (i.e. native speaker, upper division coursework in target language, Peace Corps service, IB credits, or Defense Language Proficiency Test).

2 Six credits worth of Regional Fundamentals in Latin America must be taken. These electives may be chosen from appropriate offerings in LAS, INS, POL, HIS, APY, or GEG, among others. Regional Fundamentals are those courses that have a clear regional or sub-regional focus (e.g. Andean Region; the Caribbean; South America; Central America; Southern Cone; Brazil; South Florida), or a cross-cutting thematic focus (e.g. Caribbean religions, Latin American Social Movements) rather than a specific country focus. The LAS Academic Director may approve courses from other departments.

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### Sample Plan of Study

The MPH/LAS joint degree program is designed to train students for a career in public health with a focus on social policy, health management and health care in Latin America and the Caribbean, as well as expatriate communities in the United States.

**Average Program Duration:** 2 years, 5 semesters

**Number of required credits:** 54 (+6 for non-native speakers)

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**M.A. in Latin American Studies**

**Overview**

The Master of Arts in Latin American Studies is a 30 credit hour interdisciplinary degree characterized by a high degree of flexibility in allowing students to create a course of study focused on Latin American and the Caribbean that serves their interests. Combining core courses offered by the program with a large variety of courses combined with departments, programs, and units throughout the University of Miami, the program offers tremendous diversity in courses available for credit hour towards this degree. This encourages students to combine course offerings from around the university into a cohesive course of study that enables specialization in an area, topic, country, theme, or issue of their choosing and thus to tap into the many resources available at the University of Miami for students with a passion for Latin America and the Caribbean.

**Admission Requirements**

**General application information**

The Latin American Studies program employs a rolling admissions deadline. Students may apply for Fall, Spring, or Summer admission (with program permission). Interested students may apply to the program at any time, and are encouraged to contact the Program Director with any questions. Funding is available to students interested in applying for the Fall semester. Students who submit their application by March 1st will be given full consideration for the limited funding that is available. Applications must complete an application cover form which is generated through the application web portal (https://www.applyweb.com/miamigrd/). An $85.00 non-refundable application fee is paid online upon submission of the application.
Requirements

• Statement of purpose: This is the most important element of your application packet. This letter needs to reflect who you are, your goals for the program and your career after, and why you would be an asset to the program. It is very important to ensure it is grammatically correct and as detailed as possible. The statement of purpose should be no more than two pages in length. Please review before you submit.

• CV or Resumé.

• Official transcripts: Applicants must provided official transcripts from each post-secondary institution attended. Electronic transcripts are highly preferred, and may be emailed to las@miami.edu or submitted using the ETS code 5815. Official transcripts in languages other than English must also be submitted with a certified English translation.

• Three letters of recommendation must be provided. At least one letter should be from an academic reference.

• Undergraduate GPA: A minimum overall undergraduate grade point average (GPA) of 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale) is required.

• Applicants are not required to submit a GRE score, but may do so if they wish. If students choose to submit a GRE score, the University of Miami school code is 5815.

International Applicants

In addition to the criteria mentioned in the Admissions Requirements section, international applicants are required to submit:

• A copy of their passport.

• Diplomas and certificates. International students are required to submit a copy of all the diplomas or certificates earned. Each copy must be submitted in their original language with a certified English translation.

• Bank statement. Please provide a copy of your bank statement for the last six months. You may also provide a sponsorship letter indicating your method of funding.

• TOEFL/IELTS: All international students are required to take this exam in order to demonstrate sufficient English competency. The "Test Of English As A Foreign Language (TOEFL)" exam is offered as a paper-based test (PBT) or an internet-based test (IBT). A score of 550 is required for the PBT; a score of 80 is required for the IBT. Students may also take the "International English Language Testing System (IELTS)" exam to demonstrate sufficient competency in English. A score of 6.5 or higher is required.

Curriculum Requirements

The program consists of two core Latin American and Caribbean seminars, two regional fundamentals, and a minimum of three additional seminars to be taken as electives. Students writing a thesis also will be required to take one research methods course at the 600-level.

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¹ Regional Fundamentals are those courses that have a clear regional or sub-regional focus (e.g. Andean Region; the Caribbean; South America; Central America; Southern Cone; Brazil; South Florida) rather than a specific country focus.

² Electives may be taken from any pre-approved combined or core LAS courses at the 600-level or above, or from other courses approved by the academic director. With approval from the academic director, students may also take their elective credit hours with Latin Americanists in other Schools such as Communication, Law, Business, or Marine Sciences.

³ A Research Methods course may be chosen from any available and accessible Research Methods courses available at the University of Miami, but must be appropriate to the course of study chosen by the student and requires approval of the academic director. Under special circumstances, the research methods requirement may be waived with the prior approval of the academic director.

⁴ Students are required to write a master's thesis, create an equivalent capstone project, or pass a comprehensive exam. For each of these options, a committee consisting of at least three members is required. Students who opt for the comprehensive exam will take one more elective in the place of the Research Methods course and enroll in 6 credit hours of LAS 697, rather than LAS 810.

⁵ Students must demonstrate advanced language competence in Spanish, Portuguese, Haitian Creole, or French by passing a course taught in the target language at the 600-level or above, or by passing a language competency exam.
Students who are simultaneously enrolled in a certificate program (other than GIS) at the University of Miami may double-count courses between the certificate program and the Master of Arts in Latin American Studies, with approval of the academic director. In select cases (such as methods courses), seminars and courses at the 600-level that do not specifically target Latin America or the Caribbean, but for which the final project or paper produced by the student is focused on Latin America may be counted towards the Master of Arts in Latin American Studies, subject to the approval of the academic director.

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### Mission

The mission of the Master of Arts in Latin American and Caribbean Studies is to offer students the tools and resources that enable them to advance and disseminate knowledge of the history, literature, culture, politics, and economics of the region using various theoretical and analytical approaches.

### Goals

This graduate program furthers the skills and knowledge gained in undergraduate study and expects graduates to conduct scholarly research, formulate an academically rigorous and unique Master’s thesis, and eloquently defend a thesis reflective of the student’s enhanced expertise in the region. Graduates are prepared to either pursue further graduate study or find employment as experts with mastery of a particular region or peoples in Latin America or the Caribbean.

### Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will demonstrate a deep understanding of the region, its peoples and societies, and its history and cultures.
- Students will demonstrate an ability to conduct independent and original research.
- Students will demonstrate their skills in written communication.
- Students will demonstrate critical thinking skills.

### M.A. in Latin American Studies with GIS Certificate

http://www.as.miami.edu/las/graduate/joint-master-of-arts-programs/gis/

The Master of Arts in Latin American Studies with GIS certificate is a 30 credit hours interdisciplinary degree characterized by a high degree of flexibility in allowing students to create course of study focused on Latin American and the Caribbean, while allowing students to focus on obtaining specific skills in geographic Information Systems (GIS). The GIS option allows students to work towards a graduate certificate in GIS through the department of Geographic and Regional Studies while working towards their Master of Arts in Latin American Studies.
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Total Credit Hours 30

1 The 6 credit hours in LAS 810 will consist of a GIS capstone project with a focus on Latin America, the Caribbean, or South Florida. Students will require a three-member committee to oversee the capstone project. A group project may be allowed with approval of the academic director.

Liberal Studies

mals.miami.edu

Dept. Code: MLS

The MALS Program

The Master of Arts in Liberal Studies (MALS) program is founded on an interdisciplinary approach to issues and questions central to the history and development of human culture. It is designed to provide a broad understanding of these issues and questions through a focused and systematic program of study drawing upon faculty from various disciplines in the humanities, the social sciences, and the basic sciences.

For further information regarding this program, please contact:

Master of Arts in Liberal Studies Program
1300 Campo Sano Avenue, 215
Coral Gables, FL 33146-2025
Call 305-284-8783 or email mals@miami.edu

Master of Arts in Liberal Studies Program

• M.A. in Liberal Studies (p. 1783)

The Master of Arts in Liberal Studies program (MALS) is designed for the student who seeks to develop the critical thinking that marks a truly educated person—for the student who brings a heightened awareness of the unanswered questions that confront an inquiring mind—for the self-motivated person who never stops asking the first question: why?

MALS students come from various backgrounds. They are artists, business professionals, entrepreneurs, engineers, homemakers, lawyers, recent graduates, journalists and teachers. The program gives them the opportunity for intellectual and personal growth and for sharing their experiences with others in a community of learning.

Post-Baccalaureate Certificate in Liberal Studies

• Certificate in Liberal Studies

http://www.as.miami.edu/mals/

The Post-Baccalaureate Certificate Program in Liberal Studies requires 15 credit hours of coursework. The curriculum can be designed to fit each student’s academic goals. Students may select from MALS courses or other graduate level courses with the approval of the director.

MLS 601. Aspects of Creative and Reflective Thought. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected aspects of creative and reflective thought, based on materials from the arts, the humanities, the sciences, the social sciences and history. The focus will be on themes and issues represented in a variety of cultural traditions.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MLS 602. Perspectives on Human Nature. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic theories of human nature proposed by the humanities, the sciences, and the social sciences. The course deals with fundamental issues regarding the concept of human nature, such as the nature of the self and its relation to society, the impact of culture on self perception and the relation of thought to human action.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MLS 603. Theories of the Physical Universe. 3 Credit Hours.
Various understandings of the nature of the universe and their impact on human culture. The course will deal with critical issues addressed in the various attempts to understand the physical world, such as fundamental structures and processes, the limitation of human perception, and the interaction between the human species and its environment.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MLS 611. Studies in the Humanities. 3 Credit Hours.
Interdisciplinary study of selected topics in the Humanities.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MLS 612. Studies in the Social Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Interdisciplinary study of selected topics in the Social Sciences.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MLS 621. Studies in the Humanities. 3 Credit Hours.
Interdisciplinary study of selected topics in the Humanities.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLS 625. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Interdisciplinary study of special topics central to history and the human culture.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MLS 626. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Interdisciplinary study of special topics central to history and human culture.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLS 627. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Interdisciplinary study of special topics central to history and the human culture.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLS 631. Studies in the Humanities. 3 Credit Hours.
Interdisciplinary study of selected topics in the Humanities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MLS 696. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
A directed readings course allows you to work independently with a MALS professor, researching a topic of your choice.
Requisite: Plan of Master of Arts Liberal Studies.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MLS 697. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
A directed readings course allows you to work independently with a MALS professor, researching a topic of your choice.
Requisite: Plan of Master of Arts Liberal Studies.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MLS 798. Seminar in Liberal Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Interdisciplinary seminar designed to expand the knowledge of students in the areas of critical theory, esthetics, media theory, psychology and politics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLS 799. Seminar in Liberal Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Interdisciplinary seminar designed to expand the knowledge of students in the areas of critical theory, esthetics, media theory, psychology and politics.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLS 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Requisite: Plan of Master of Arts Liberal Studies.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MLS 815. MALS Project. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her MALS project enrolls for credit, not to exceed 6, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the project has been accepted.
Requisite: Plan of Master of Arts Liberal Studies.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MLS 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master's degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in MLS 810 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
Requisite: Plan of Master of Arts Liberal Studies.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MLS 825. Continuous Registration-Master's Study. 1 Credit Hour.
To establish residence for non-thesis students who are preparing for major examinations. Credit not granted. Regarded as full time residence.
Requisite: Plan of Master of Arts Liberal Studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

M.A. in Liberal Studies

http://www.as.miami.edu/mals/

The Master of Arts in Liberal Studies degree requires 24 credit hours, plus a 6 credit hour thesis OR an additional 6 credit hours of coursework and a representative portfolio. The curriculum is drawn from three core courses as well as additional courses designed for MALS students. Students may select from other graduate level courses with the approval of the director. In addition, all students are required to participate in the MALS Writing Seminar.
**Admission Requirements**

The Master of Arts in Liberal Studies program accepts rolling admissions. Interested students may apply to the program at any time.

- **Online Application**
  - Please complete the online application by clicking here ([https://www.applyweb.com/miamigrd/](https://www.applyweb.com/miamigrd/)).

- **Application Fee**
  - An $85.00 non-refundable application fee is paid online upon submission of the application.

- **Statement of Purpose**
  - The statement of purpose is the most important element of your application packet. This letter should explain why you are interested in pursuing a Master of Arts in Liberal Studies (MALS) degree. It should describe what academic and professional qualities you possess which could help you excel in this program. The personal statement should also describe the goals you hope to achieve and any qualities you feel would make you an ideal candidate. The personal statement should be approximately 1-2 typed pages in length. The document should be double spaced and size 12 Times New Roman font. This essay should maintain 1-inch margins and should be proofed for errors prior to submission. Below is a link to help you get started: [OWL Statement of Purpose Guidelines](https://owl.purdue.edu/owl/purdue_owl.html).

- **Personal Admissions Essay**
  - The personal admissions essay requires candidates to choose a book, play or movie and explain why the piece is interesting to them. The essay should be approximately 2-3 pages in length. It should be typed, double spaced, and size 12 Times New Roman font. This essay should maintain 1-inch margins and should be proofed for errors prior to submission.

- **Letters of Recommendation**
  - Three letters of recommendation must be provided. These letters should be from an employer, colleague, or other professional source. *If you are currently taking classes, or if you are a recent graduate (within two years), you must submit at least one letter of recommendation from a faculty member.

- **Official Transcripts**
  - You must provide official transcripts from each post-secondary institution attended. Official transcripts in languages other than English must also be submitted with a certified English translation.

- **Grade Point Average (GPA)**
  - A minimum overall undergraduate grade point average (GPA) of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale.

**Curriculum Requirements**

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- **Thesis or Project Option:**
  - Approved Graduate Credit Hours (15 credits) 2
  - Thesis or Project Requirement (6 credits)

- **Non-Thesis Option:**
  - Approved Graduate Credit Hours (21 credits) 2
  - A portfolio representative of works completed

**Total Credit Hours** 30

1. Students learn to analyze and read texts critically and demonstrate their ability to express that knowledge in their oral and written work with accuracy and insight. This 3 hour, non-credit workshop is required and should be taken during the first regular semester of study.

2. Students may select from other graduate level courses with the approval of the director.
Sample Plan of Study

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Mission

The Master of Arts in Liberal Studies Program opens the door to new ways of thinking. Increasingly, one of the central problems in the business and professional world is how to handle new information, what to do with it, how to use it, how to understand its rhythms and patterns, how to make it make sense.

Goals

Our program is dedicated to providing students with an interdisciplinary education at the graduate level that prepares them through a rigorous course of inquiry and thought, to winnow information, evaluate it, array it in meaningful ways, discern its patterns and symmetries, and apply it in whatever field they chose.
Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will have the ability to analyze and read texts critically.
- Students will demonstrate the ability to express critical thinking skills in their written work with accuracy and insight.
- The student demonstrates new ways of thinking through the study of various disciplines.

Mathematics

http://www.math.miami.edu

Dept. Code: MTH

Degree Programs

The Mathematics Department offers graduate degree programs leading to the:

- Five-Year BS Math/MS Math Finance (p. 1792)
- Master of Arts (p. 1795)
- Master of Science (p. 1786)
- Master of Science in Mathematical Finance (p. 1786)
- Doctor of Philosophy (p. 1786)

Prerequisites and requirements for these degrees are described on the program pages:

Masters Programs in Mathematics

- M.A. in Mathematics (p. 1795)
- M.S. in Mathematics (p. 1798)
- M.S. in Mathematical Finance (p. 1796)

Doctoral Program in Mathematics

- Ph.D. in Mathematics (p. 1799)

Dual BS/MS Degree

- Five-Year BS Math/MS Math Finance (p. 467)

MTH 602. History of Mathematics. 3 Credit Hours.
The development of mathematics from its earliest beginnings through the first half of the twentieth century. Numeral systems, geometry, algebra, analysis and set theory.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 604. Foundations of Geometry. 3 Credit Hours.
Axiom systems and models of Euclidean and Non-Euclidean geometry
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 605. Theory of Numbers. 3 Credit Hours.
Divisibility, primes; congruences, quadratic residues and reciprocity; Diophantine equations. Applications to cryptography.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 606. Mathematical Logic. 3 Credit Hours.
Logics, truth, proof, logical consequence, model theory, formalization, and computation. Meta-theory of first-order logic, computability theory, and Godel's incompleteness theorems. Related results by Church, Turing, and Tarski. Discussion of their philosophical significance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MTH 610. Linear Algebra. 3 Credit Hours.
Abstract vector spaces, bases and dimensions, linear maps, eigenvalues and eigenvectors, inner product spaces, operators, spectral theorems, canonical forms.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 612. Elementary Complex Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Complex variables; conformal mapping, contour integration.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 613. Partial Differential Equations I. 3 Credit Hours.
Derivation, well posedness, and qualitative properties of initial value and boundary value problems for the heat, wave and Laplace equations. Energy methods, causality, maximum principles, heat kernels, Fourier series, and potential theory.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 614. Partial Differential Equations II. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MTH 613.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 615. Ordinary Differential Equations. 3 Credit Hours.
Linear systems, equilibrium and periodic solutions, stability analysis, bifurcation, phase plane analysis, boundary value problems, applications to engineering and physics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 616. Dynamics and Bifurcations. 3 Credit Hours.
Bifurcation of equilibrium and periodic solutions, global theory of planar systems, planar maps, nonlinear vibrations, forced oscillations, chaotic solutions, Hamiltonian systems, applications to engineering and physics.
Prerequisite: MTH 615.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 620. Numerical Linear Algebra. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics from numerical linear algebra including solving systems of equations, LU, QR, and SVD factorizations, eigenvalues and eigenvectors, interactive methods, and applications.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 621. Numerical Methods in Differential Equations. 3 Credit Hours.
Numerical solution of ordinary and partial differential equations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 624. Introduction to Probability Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Probability spaces, random variables, expectation, limit theorems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MTH 625. Introduction to Mathematical Statistics. 3 Credit Hours.
Probability distributions, theory of sampling and hypothesis testing.
Prerequisite: MTH 624.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 627. Theory of Computing. 0 Credit Hours.
Sets, relations, and languages. Automata theory. Basic computability theory. Turing machines. The complexity classes P and NP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 631. Topology I. 3 Credit Hours.
Set theory, topological spaces, compactness, connectedness, separation properties, quotient spaces, Tychonoff Theorem, compactification, Urysohn Lemma and Tietze Extension Theorem, function spaces.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 632. Topology II. 3 Credit Hours.
Differential and topological manifolds, classical groups and associated manifolds, tangent and tensor bundles, vector fields, differential forms, transversality, Sard's theorem, Stokes' Theorem.
Prerequisite: MTH 631.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 633. Introduction to Real Analysis I. 3 Credit Hours.
Sequences and series in Euclidean space; sequences and series of functions; Fourier series; continuity, differentiation, and integration of functions between Euclidean spaces; implicit and inverse function theorems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 634. Introduction to Real Analysis II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of MTH 533.
Prerequisite: MTH 633.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 642. Statistical Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Statistical inference about one or two populations from interval, ordinal and categorical data; analysis of variance; simple and multiple linear regression; designing research studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 643. Statistical Analysis II with Financial Applications. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploratory data analysis. Designing parametric models and assessing their uncertainty. Techniques for resampling. Using multivariate distributions to model financial data; families of copulas. Analyzing time series, including ARIMA and GARCH models.
Prerequisite: MTH 642 or MTH 542.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 645. Optimization Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MTH 646. Quantitative Risk Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
The modeling, measuring, and managing of financial risk using statistical and stochastic methods. Following "Basil Committee on Banking Supervision" risk analysis is now a major issue for the banking Sector. Concepts and methods covered in this course can be applied to managing risk in various areas, but will proceed in the context related to risk analysis and management in finance and insurance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 647. Introduction to Mathematical Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 648. Stochastic Calculus with Application to Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
Stochastic calculus developing the basic probabilistic techniques necessary to study analytic models of financial markets. Brownian motion and the stochastic integral, stochastic differential equations, the Black-Scholes formula, Girsanov’s theorem and applications to option pricing.
Prerequisite: MTH 647.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 649. Computational Methods of Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
Solutions of nonlinear equations, interpolation, Monte Carlo methods, survey of matrix factorizations, numerical integration and differentiation, and introduction to finite different and finite element methods for PDEs with applications to finance.
Prerequisite: CSC 220 and MTH 643 and MTH 648.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 650. Machine Learning in Quantitative Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
Machine learning techniques for financial applications. Best practices for model selection and construction of big financial data, including regression and classification techniques, and deep learning with application to forecasting financial time series.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 651. Introduction to Differential Geometry. 3 Credit Hours.
Geometry of curves and surfaces in Euclidean space. Local space curve theory, intrinsic and extrinsic curvature of surfaces, geodesics, parallelism, and differential forms.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 661. Abstract Algebra I. 3 Credit Hours.
Groups; rings; linear algebra; modules.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 662. Abstract Algebra II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of MTH 561.
Prerequisite: MTH 661.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 691. Topics in Mathematics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics will vary by semester and will be announced in the schedule of course offerings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MTH 692. Topics in Mathematics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics will vary by semester and will be announced in the schedule of course offerings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 693. Topics in Mathematics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics will vary by semester and will be announced in the schedule of course offerings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 709. Data Security and Cryptography. 3 Credit Hours.
Encryption algorithms; cryptographic techniques; access, information flow and inference controls.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 721. Mathematical Probability. 3 Credit Hours.
Development of the measure-theoretic approach to probability. Random variables, central limit theory, laws of large numbers, martingales.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 722. Stochastic Processes. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 733. Real Variables. 3 Credit Hours.
First semester of a two semester sequence: General measure theory, Lebesgue measure and integration, Lp spaces, Fourier series in one and many variables, Fourier transforms, distributions, Sobolev spaces, applications to partial differential equations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 734. Real Variables. 3 Credit Hours.
Second semester of a two semester sequence: General measure theory, Lebesgue measure and integration, Lp spaces, Fourier series in one and many variables, Fourier transforms, distributions, Sobolev spaces, applications to partial differential equations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 735. Complex Variables. 3 Credit Hours.
First semester of a two semester sequence: Analytic functions, conformality, Cauchy’s Theorem, representation theorems, harmonic functions, calculus of residues, Riemann Mapping Theorem, entire and meromorphic functions, analytic continuation, normal families.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 736. Complex Variables. 3 Credit Hours.
Second semester of a two semester sequence: Analytic functions, conformality, Cauchy’s Theorem, representation theorems, harmonic functions, calculus of residues, Riemann Mapping Theorem, entire and meromorphic functions, analytic continuation, normal families.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 741. Algebraic Topology. 3 Credit Hours.
First semester of a two semester sequence: Homotopy and homotopy type, fundamental group, covering spaces, higher homotopy groups, simplicial singular and cellular homology, Eilenberg-Steenrod axioms, cohomology, universal coefficient theorem, products, Kunneth formula, duality theorems for manifolds, computations and applications.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MTH 742. Algebraic Topology. 3 Credit Hours.
Second semester of a two semester sequence: Homotopy and homotopy type, fundamental group, covering spaces, higher homotopy groups, simplicial singular and cellular homology, Eilenberg-Steenrod axioms, cohomology, universal coefficient theorem, products, Kunneth formula, duality theorems for manifolds, computations and applications.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 751. Differential Geometry. 3 Credit Hours.
First semester of a two semester sequence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 752. Differential Geometry. 3 Credit Hours.
Second semester of a two semester sequence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 757. Lie Groups. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 761. Abstract Algebra I. 3 Credit Hours.
First semester of a two semester sequence: Group theory, ring theory, module theory, linear algebra.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 762. Abstract Algebra II. 3 Credit Hours.
Second semester of a two semester sequence: Group theory, ring theory, module theory, linear algebra.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 770. Directed Readings or Research. 2-4 Credit Hours.
Topics will vary at the discretion on faculty. Offering will be by arrangement.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 780. Topics in Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics will vary by semester and will be announced in the schedule of course offerings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 781. Topics in Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics will vary by semester and will be announced in the schedule of course offerings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 782. Topics in Topology. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics will vary by semester and will be announced in the schedule of course offerings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 783. Topics in Topology. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics will vary by semester and will be announced in the schedule of course offerings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MTH 785. Topics in Algebra. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics will vary by semester and will be announced in the schedule of course offerings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 786. Topics in Mathematics. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics will vary by semester and will be announced in the schedule of course offerings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 787. Topics in Mathematics. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics will vary by semester and will be announced in the schedule of course offerings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
To establish a residence for non-thesis master’s students who are preparing for major examinations. Credit not granted. Regarded as full-time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTH 830. Pre-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Credits earned in this course apply towards the 12 credit hour dissertation research requirement of the graduate school. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her dissertation advisor. Up to 12 hours may be taken in a regular semester, but not more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTH 835. Research Project. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Directed Research Project as approved by faculty.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTH 840. Post-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Credits earned in this course apply towards the 12 credit hour dissertation research requirement of the graduate school. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her dissertation advisor. Up to 12 hours may be taken in a regular semester, but not more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTH 845. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Research in Residence - establishing full-time status as a student.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTH 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D. after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Five-Year BS Math/MS Math Finance

Overview
https://www.msmf.miami.edu/academics/bs-msmf-program-5-year/index.html

The BS/MSMF program is a five-year program combining the Probability/Statistics track of the Mathematics undergraduate major with the graduate coursework required for the MS in Mathematical Finance degree. For undergraduates seeking careers in the fields of economics, finance and
data science, the BS/MSMF degree offers the appropriate training sought by companies worldwide. Students can achieve the required academic credentials in five years due to the integrated and focused nature of the BS/MSMF degree.

**Admission Requirements**
You must be an undergraduate student in the College of Arts and Sciences majoring in Mathematics (Probability and Statistics Track), and should have a cumulative GPA of at least 3.0 at the time of application. Students should discuss the program and the possibility of entering with their assigned academic advisor. Applications must be submitted during your junior year. You must be admitted to the program prior to academic advising for your senior year.

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M.A. in Mathematics

Overview
The primary objective of the Master of Arts degree in mathematics is to prepare students for careers in teaching. This program also provides the necessary foundation for entry into careers in science, business, government, or other fields that make use of mathematics.

https://www.math.miami.edu/graduate/program-requirements/#MA

Admissions Requirement
A minimum of 9 credit hours in mathematics courses numbered 200 and above is required. For more information about admission, please visit our website (http://www.math.miami.edu/graduate/application-procedure/).

Curriculum Requirements

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1. At least 18 credits of MTH courses are required.
2. All courses from other departments must be numbered 600 or above, be pertinent to the teaching of secondary school mathematics, and be approved by the graduate committee.

Sample Plan of Study

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Real Analysis Exam

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Total Credit Hours: 30

Mission

The primary objective of the Master of Science degree in mathematics is to prepare students for careers in teaching. This program also provides the necessary foundation for entry into careers in science, business, government, or other fields which make use of mathematics.

Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will achieve a solid understanding of the material in at least one of the following six advanced mathematics content areas: partial differential equations, ordinary differential equations, probability and statistics, topology, real analysis, and abstract algebra.
- Students will exhibit a broad synthesis of the theory and application of one of the subjects listed in the above outcome.

M.S. in Mathematical Finance

Overview

https://www.msmf.miami.edu/

The Master of Science in Mathematical Finance program is dedicated to producing technically trained professionals with an understanding of how to analyze and value complex investments, and assess the associated risks. Over the course of three semesters of study, the students receive rigorous training in mathematics, especially in the area of probability and stochastic calculus, in statistical analysis, and in computation, together with an overview of the common financial instruments and the institutional operation of markets and exchanges.

The financial landscape is constantly changing, and we design the MSMF curriculum to equip students with skills and knowledge that will provide the foundation for their future success. Our program seeks the proper balance between the mathematical and statistical theory, programming practice and financial applications.

Admission Requirements

Here is a list of the course based admissions requirements. For more information about admission, please visit our website (http://www.msmf.miami.edu/admissions/admission-requirements/).

- 1 semester of Linear Algebra
- 1 semester of Differential Equations
- 1 semester of calculus-based Probability and Statistics

Curriculum Requirements

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CSC 645  Introduction to Artificial Intelligence
ECE 548  Machine Learning
ECE 553  Neural Networks
MTH 613  Partial Differential Equations I
MTH 614  Partial Differential Equations II
MTH 620  Numerical Linear Algebra
MTH 646  Quantitative Risk Analysis
MTH 650  Machine Learning in Quantitative Finance
MTH 721  Mathematical Probability

Finance Electives (2-6 credits)
FIN 643  Quantitative Finance and Market Microstructure
FIN 653  Alternative Investments
FIN 660  International Finance
FIN 670  Corporate Finance
FIN 681  Financial Institutions
FIN 683  Financial Modeling

Other Business Electives (0-3 credits)
ACC 602  Analysis of Financial Statements
ECO 442  International Monetary Economics
ECO 444  Game Theory in Economic Applications.
FIN 425  Business and Security Valuation
FIN 427  Fixed Income Markets and Analysis
FIN 431  International Financial Management

Total Credit Hours 34

Sample Plan of Study
3-semester MSMF

Year One
Fall
MTH 642  Statistical Analysis 3
MTH 647  Introduction to Mathematical Finance 3
FIN 650  Financial Investment 2
Elective 1 3
Credit Hours 11

Spring
MTH 643  Statistical Analysis II with Financial Applications 3
MTH 648  Stochastic Calculus with Application to Finance 3
FIN 651  Advanced Topics in Investments 2
Elective 1 3
Credit Hours 11

Summer
Summer Internship or Project (Optional)
Credit Hours 0

Year Two
Fall
MTH 645  Optimization Methods 3
MTH 649  Computational Methods of Finance 3
FIN Electives 3-6
Additional Elective (If Needed) 1 3
Credit Hours 12-15

Total Credit Hours 34-37
Mission

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The financial landscape is constantly changing, and we design the MSMF curriculum to equip students with skills and knowledge that will provide the foundation for their future success. Our program seeks the proper balance between the mathematical and statistical theory, programming practice and financial applications.

Goals

- Provide future finance professionals with the advanced quantitative skills required to understand, evaluate and price modern financial instruments. Such skills include both analytic techniques of mathematical finance, and computer-based simulation techniques.
- Expose participants to the key statistical methods, and specifics of applying these methods to working with financial data.
- Impart the necessary hands-on software and programming skills to solve various optimization and simulation problems arising in financial setting.

Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will demonstrate advanced knowledge of risk-neutral approach to pricing financial instruments, discrete and continuous-time frameworks of modern mathematical finance, and common financial derivatives.
- Students will master the tools of statistical analysis and statistical software packages and be able to apply them to various financial datasets.
- Students will demonstrate working knowledge of software and programming tools to use optimization and simulation techniques in financial setting master the common models of portfolio analysis, as well as the quantitative approach to risk models.

M.S. in Mathematics

Overview

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https://www.math.miami.edu/graduate/program-requirements/#MS

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1. If a student takes 15 credits in MTH at the 700 level or higher 30 credits are required for the Masters.
2. If a student takes 12-14 credits in MTH at the 700 level or higher 33 credits are required for the Masters.
3. If a student takes 9-11 credits in MTH at the 700 level or higher 36 credits are required for the Masters.

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**Admission Requirement**

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**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Students will achieve a solid understanding of the material in at least one of the following six advanced mathematics content areas: partial differential equations, ordinary differential equations, probability and statistics, topology, real analysis, and abstract algebra.
- Students will exhibit a broad synthesis of the theory and application of one of the subjects listed in outcome above.
- Upon completion of the degree, students will be interviewed and asked to rate how successful the program was in enabling them to pursue their career goals. The department will document the students’ initial employment.

**Ph.D. in Mathematics**

http://www.math.miami.edu/

**Overview**

The Department of Mathematics offers a program leading to the Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) degree. The Ph. D. program requires advanced coursework, three qualifying exams (one of which can be a special topic of the student’s choice), a language exam, and a dissertation.

The dissertation can be in any area within the broad expertise of the faculty, including:

- Algebraic Combinatorics
- Algebraic Geometry and the Mathematics of String Theory
- Differential Equations and Dynamical Systems
- Differential Geometry and General Relativity
- Mathematical Biology
- Stochastic Processes and Mathematical Finance
- Topology and Gauge Theory

https://www.math.miami.edu/graduate/phd-program-timeline/
Curriculum Requirements

The following requirements are in addition to the general requirements for the Doctor of Philosophy Degree as described by the Graduate School.

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Preliminary and three written qualifying exams must be passed. Of these written exams, two must be from the above basic sequences; the other may be another from the basic sequences or in the candidate’s area of specialty.

A proficiency in one of the languages French, German, or Russian must be demonstrated.

Additional Courses: 24 Credit Hours

Total Credit Hours: 60

Mission

The Doctor of Philosophy degree is the highest degree attainable in mathematics. The objective of this degree program is to prepare students for careers in mathematical research. Each student in the program must successfully complete a substantial number of advanced mathematics courses and attain expertise in a specific area of specialization. Under the guidance of a faculty advisor, the student must produce significant original research and present it in the form of a dissertation that is approved by a supervisory committee.

Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will demonstrate proficiency in the fundamentals of at least two of the following broad subdivisions of mathematics: algebra, topology and analysis.
- Students will demonstrate a deep understanding of the following four core areas of mathematics: abstract algebra, algebraic topology, real analysis, and complex analysis.
- Students will demonstrate readiness for conducting original research.
- Students will produce and defend a dissertation based on his/her research, and the student will have the skills to effectively communicate mathematical ideas pertaining to that research both orally and in writing.

Modern Languages and Literatures

mll.as.miami.edu

Dept. Codes: ARB, CHI, FRE, GER, HAI, HEB, ITA, JPN, MLL, POR, SPA

Degree Programs

The Ph.D. in Literary, Cultural, and Linguistic Studies offers major concentrations in Literary and Cultural Studies and Critical Studies of Language/Linguistics. The program is designed primarily to prepare students for careers as university professors and research scholars. Students develop advanced language, teaching, and research skills that lend themselves to other professions, as well. A variety of geographic, temporal, and theoretical concentrations allow students to carry out innovative and interdisciplinary research projects, often with a transnational focus.

Students develop superior language skills and professional competency in their major research field(s) through an intensive study of canonical works while engaging in comparative, interdisciplinary fields such as Africana Studies, Arabic Studies, Caribbean Studies, French and Francophone Studies, Iberian Studies, Italian Studies, Latin American Studies, Luso-Brazilian Studies, and combinations thereof.

The program’s strong theoretical component grounds student research in a range of areas, including: aesthetics, bilingualism, digital humanities, early modern studies, film studies, gender and sexuality studies, (im)migration studies, indigenous studies, performance studies, postcolonial studies, queer studies, subaltern studies, sociolinguistics, theatre studies, and women's studies.

Students are required to develop competency in a cognate field related to their intellectual pursuits, leading to the dissertation topic. Recent examples of cognate specialization include anthropology, communication studies, film studies, history, law, philosophy, musicology, classics, and sociology.
The department offers these graduate certificates and concentrations to prepare students beyond their specialization, which may be fulfilled with course electives:

- Graduate Certificate in Second Language Acquisition and Teaching (http://www.as.miami.edu/mll/graduate/slat-certificate/)
- Early Modern Studies Concentration (http://humanities.miami.edu/humanities/academic/early-modern-studies-concentration/), an interdisciplinary certificate offered in conjunction with English and History
- Caribbean Studies Concentration (http://www.as.miami.edu/mll/), interdisciplinary doctoral concentration in Caribbean Studies in conjunction with English and History

Admission Requirements
The Department of Modern Languages and Literatures accepts applications to the Ph.D. program for Fall admission only from students holding (or completing during the time of application) B.A. or M.A. degrees in a related discipline (e.g. Spanish, French, Luso-Brazilian Studies, History, Anthropology, Communication Studies, Comparative Literature, Philosophy, Journalism). The Department does not admit students who seek terminal M.A. degrees.

The deadline to apply for the 2020-21 academic year is December 30, 2019. The Graduate Committee will begin reviewing complete applications January 15, 2020. All applicants will automatically be considered for Departmental TAships and University-wide fellowships.

Applications must include the following materials:

1. A completed application form, including a detailed statement of purpose. (Applications are only accepted through this link (https://www.applyweb.com/miamigrd/)).
2. A Graduate Assistantship application.
3. Three letters of recommendation (typically, 1-2 pages). Applicants should use the CollegeNet interface to have recommenders submit their letters online.
4. GRE scores mailed directly from ETS testing agency to the Department of Modern Languages and Literatures. Domestic and international students can send GRE and TOEFL scores to our Department with the University of Miami code (5815).
5. International students without BA or MA degrees from a U.S. institution should have TOEFL scores mailed directly from the testing agency to the Department of Modern Languages and Literatures.
6. Graduate applicants who have attended college or university outside the United States must submit official translations of transcripts and diplomas directly to the Department of Modern Languages and Literatures.
7. A research paper of 15-20 pages in English.
8. Research paper(s) of 15-20 pages in the primary language(s) of proposed study.

Application fee of $85.00

Printed materials should be sent to:

Graduate Program Admissions
Department of Modern Languages & Literatures
University of Miami
P. O. Box 248093
Coral Gables, Florida 33124-4650
FAX: 305-284-2068

For questions, consult the Graduate Program website (http://www.as.miami.edu/mll/graduate/) or contact the Department (mllgraduate@miami.edu?subject=Graduate%20Applications) (305-284-5585). The Graduate Committee will begin reviewing complete applications January 15th of each year.

MLL encourages African American and Hispanic applicants to pursue McKnight Doctoral Fellowships, which are supplemented by the UM College of Arts and Sciences to match the Departmental stipend amount. (Applicants must be U.S. citizens).

The application platform for McKnight Fellowship is available online (http://www.fefonline.org/). In case of any difficulty submitting the online application, applicants should contact FEF (webmaster@fefonline.org) or call 813-943-7578. For additional information, please contact the Florida Education Fund at 813-272-2772.

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French

FRE 625. Elementary French for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
Grammatical structuring, verb tenses, and word families necessary for reading text with minimal use of a dictionary. May fulfill the Foreign Language Reading Competency Requirement (consult your graduate advisor).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 641. Elementary FRE I for Graduate Students. 0 Credit Hours.
Designed to develop graduate students' communicative abilities speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending French and to provide an introduction to the Francophone world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FRE 642. Elementary FRE II for Graduate Students. 0 Credit Hours.
Continuation of FRE 641. Designed to develop graduate students' communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending French, and continued engagement with the French-speaking world.
Prerequisite: FRE 641.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FRE 645. Accelerated Elementary FRE for Graduate Students. 0 Credit Hours.
For graduate students with previous study of French desiring to review material covered in FRE641 and FRE642 in preparation for study of French at the intermediate level. Designed to develop graduate students' communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending French and continued engagement with the Francophone world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FRE 651. Intermediate FRE I for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
For graduate students with previous study of elementary-level French. Designed to develop graduate students' communication skills in both written and spoken French at the intermediate level. Intended primarily for students who will carry out research in the French-speaking world.
Prerequisite: FRE 642.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FRE 652. Intermediate FRE II for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
For graduate students with previous study of French at the intermediate level. Designed to enhance graduate students' communication skills in both written and spoken French at the high-intermediate level. Intended primarily for students who will carry out research in the Francophone world.
Prerequisite: FRE 651.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FRE 653. Advanced FRE I for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
For graduate students with previous study of French at the high-intermediate level. Designed to enhance graduate students' communication skills in French at the advanced-low level. Intended primarily for students who will carry out research in the Francophone world.
Prerequisite: FRE 652.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FRE 711. Topics in French Medieval Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Recent topics: exile, the epic, orientalism, imperialism, monsters.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 712. Topics in French Renaissance Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Specific genres, works, authors, and movements. Possible topics: Melancholy and Madness; Montaigne; Rabelais; Marguerite de Navarre; lyric poetry.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
FRE 713. Topics in 17th Century French Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Recent topics: Racine, Moliere, Corneille: Pascal and the Moralist tradition, the birth of the psychological novel, love and war.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 714. Topics in 18th Century French Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Recent topics: Diderot, Rousseau, Sade; exoticism as related to political theory; the epistolary novel; the Enlightenment and post-colonial theory.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 715. Topics in 19th Century French Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Recent topics: Balzac, Stendhal, Flaubert; Dandysm and Decadence; the Symbolist movement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 716. Topics in 20th-21st Century French Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Recent topics: Paris 1913; Surrealism; Artaud, Beckett, Ionesco, Genet; the Noveau Roman.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 721. Special Topics in French Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Special Topics in French Studies.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 775. Topics in Francophone Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Recent topics: travel narratives, literary historiography, discourses of race, colonialism, multilingualism and literacy, nationalism and culture.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 791. Writing Practicum. 1 Credit Hour.
The writing of a publishable research paper under faculty guidance.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 792. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings at the grad level.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 830. Pre-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. Prior to admission to candidacy, the student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Not more than 12 hours of FRE 730 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session. Students who have not passed their qualifying examinations yet, but are not taking any courses, may enroll in FRE 730.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FRE 840. Post-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. After admission to candidacy, the student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Not more than 12 hours of FRE 740 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session. Students who have passed their qualifying examinations, but are not taking courses any more, may enroll in FRE 740. Where a student has passed his/her qualifying examinations, and (b) is engaged in an assistantship, he/she may still take the maximum allowable credit stated above.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
FRE 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish residence for the Ph.D., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

German

GER 625. German for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
Grammatical structuring, verb tenses, and word families necessary for reading text with minimal use of a dictionary. May fulfill the Foreign Language Reading Competency Requirement (consult your graduate advisor.)
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GER 641. Elementary GER I for Graduate Students. 0 Credit Hours.
Designed to develop graduate students' communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending German and provide an introduction to the German-speaking world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GER 642. Elementary GER II for Graduate Students. 0 Credit Hours.
Continuation of GER 641. Designed to develop graduate students' communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending German, as well as knowledge of the German-speaking world. Prerequisite: GER 641.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GER 651. Intermediate GER I for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
For graduate students with previous study of elementary-level German. Designed to enhance graduate students' communication skills in the German language at the intermediate level. Intended principally for students who will carry out research in the German-speaking world. Prerequisite: GER 642.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GER 652. Intermediate GER II for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
For students with previous study of German at the intermediate level. Designed to enhance graduate students' communication skills in the German language at the high-intermediate level. Intended principally for students who will carry out research in the German-speaking world. Prerequisite: GER 651.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GER 691. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings at the graduate level.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GER 692. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings at the graduate level.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
Italian

ITA 625. Italian for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
Grammatical structuring, verb tenses, and word families necessary for reading text with minimal use of a dictionary. May fulfill the Foreign Language Reading Competency Requirement (consult your graduate advisor).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ITA 641. Elementary ITA I for Graduate Students. 1 Credit Hour.
Designed to develop graduate students' communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending Italian, and to provide an introduction to the Italian-speaking world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ITA 642. Elementary ITA II for Graduate Research. 1 Credit Hour.
Continuation of ITA 641. Designed to develop graduate students' communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending Italian, and the continued study of the Italian-speaking world.
Prerequisite: ITA 641.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ITA 651. Intermediate ITA I for Graduate Research. 1 Credit Hour.
For graduate students with previous study of elementary-level Italian. Designed to enhance graduate students' communication skills in the Italian language at the intermediate level. Intended principally for students who will carry out research in areas related to the Italian-speaking world.
Prerequisite: ITA 642.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ITA 652. Intermediate ITA II for Graduate Research. 1 Credit Hour.
For students with previous study of intermediate-level Italian. Designed to enhance graduate student's communication skills in the Italian language at the high-intermediate level. Intended principally for students who will carry out research in areas related to the Italian-speaking world.
Prerequisite: ITA 651.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ITA 691. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings at the graduate level.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ITA 692. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings at the graduate level.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

Modern Language and Literature

MLL 701. Intro to Second Language Teaching: Theory and Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the teaching of second languages in university settings. Overview of major theoretical approaches: sociocultural, communicative, and task-based. Practice with teaching techniques: Lesson planning, task design, use of the target language, grammar teaching, use of authentic oral and written materials in the classroom
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MLL 702. Bilingualism. 3 Credit Hours.
Social, psychological, linguistic, and pedagogical dimensions of language contact situations. Emphasis on Spanish and French.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLL 703. Topics in Critical Studies of Language. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in the critical analysis of language.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLL 704. Sociocultural Theory and Second Language Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Key principles of sociocultural theory of mind applied to second language acquisition and pedagogy. The seminar will explore the theoretical, methodological, and pedagogical implications of the theory, emphasizing concept-based teaching and dynamic assessment.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLL 711. Introduction to Critical Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the major concepts, issues, and debates that inform contemporary literary criticism.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MLL 712. Topics in Early Modern Comparative Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Specific genres, works, authors and movements in comparative perspective in the early modern period (1300-1750). Topics may include: Trans-Atlantic Baroque; Grotesque Literature; Petrarchan Poetry in Italy, France, and England The Emergence of Professional Theater in Western Europe.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLL 714. Readings in Critical Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Representative works of critical theory as related to philosophy, sociology of culture, psychoanalysis, hermeneutics, deconstruction, etc. May be repeated for credit if topics are different.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MLL 721. Special Topics in Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
May be repeated for credit, if topics are different.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLL 726. Topics in Comparative Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
May be repeated for credit, if topics are different.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLL 771. Introduction to Digital Humanities. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the theory and practice of the digital humanities from a literary and cultural studies perspective. It introduces major types of digital humanities work and central debates and concerns in the field. The course is taught in English and is open to graduate students from all humanities departments. No experience in the digital humanities or with digital tools or methods is required.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MLL 772. Topics in Digital Humanities and Media Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of Media Studies. Students will approach a broad range of texts in the field, and outline both its historical development and present state, with a particular focus on emerging theories and practices within Media Studies and Digital Humanities in the academy. The course is taught in English and is open to graduate students from all humanities departments.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MLL 773. Digital Medieval Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview on the history and theoretical trends regarding digital resources and tools applied to medieval disciplines. This course is taught in English and is open to graduate students from all humanities departments, especially those interested in historical studies and digital methods.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MLL 774. Practicum in Digital Humanities. 3 Credit Hours.
Offers students the possibility to apply their learning in the field of Digital Humanities and move forward on their personal Digital Humanities research project. Students will carry out many practical exercises with programming languages and digital tools, and work towards a final digital project. This course is taught in English and is open to graduate students from all humanities departments.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MLL 792. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Direct readings.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MLL 793. Teaching Practicum. 3 Credit Hours.
Teaching Practicum.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLL 797. Readings for the Ph.D. Examinations. 3 Credit Hours.
For Ph.D. students who are preparing for exams.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLL 798. Internship. 1 Credit Hour.
Students work in a community or business setting on issues related to language, culture, and/or teaching.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLL 799. Dissertation and Professional Writing Seminar. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course will be taken during the seventh semester of graduate study, concurrently with the final preparation/defense of dissertation prospectus during the first month of the semester. The course provides a structure and a time frame for completing the first chapter of the dissertation over the course of that semester so that students have their projects well underway at the beginning of their eighth semester of graduate study. Students will present their thesis work-in-progress to the course instructor and each other while receiving broader counsel on dissertation completion strategies and various areas of professional writing, including conceptualizing arguments for various audiences, submitting grant proposals, and publishing across a variety of venues. Course is required in the fourth year of graduate study and may be repeated optionally in subsequent years by students in advanced stages of dissertation writing.
Prerequisite: SPA 830 or FRE 830.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
Portuguese

POR 641. Elementary POR I for Graduate Students. 0 Credit Hours. 0 Credit Hours.
Designed to develop graduate students’ communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending Portuguese, and to provide an introduction to the Lusophone world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POR 642. Elementary Portuguese II for Grad Students. 0 Credit Hours.
Continuation of POR 641. Designed to develop graduate students communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending, Portuguese, and continued engagement with the Portuguese-speaking world. 0 Credit Hours.
Pre-Requisite: POR 641.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POR 645. Beginning Portuguese for Graduate Research (0 Credits). 0 Credit Hours.
The equivalent of one year of beginning-level college Portuguese, in preparation for study of Portuguese at the intermediate level. Designed to develop graduate students’ communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending Portuguese, and continued engagement with the Portuguese speaking world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POR 651. Intermediate POR I for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
For graduate students with previous study of elementary-level Portuguese who will carry out research related to the Portuguese-speaking world. Designed to enhance graduate students’ communication skills at the intermediate level of proficiency.
Pre-Requisite: POR 642.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POR 652. Intermediate Portuguese II for Graduate Research (0 Credit). 0 Credit Hours.
For students with previous study of Portuguese at the intermediate level who will carry out research related to the Portuguese-speaking world. Designed to enhance graduate students’ communication skills at the intermediate-high level of proficiency.
Pre-Requisite: POR 651.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POR 691. Topics in Luso-Brazilian Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Graduate equivalent of POR courses listed at the 300-level.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POR 692. Directed Readings in Portuguese. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings at the graduate level.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POR 721. Special Topics in Luso-Brazilian Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Special Topics in Luso-Afro-Brazilian Studies.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

Spanish

SPA 641. Elementary SPA I for Graduate Students. 0 Credit Hours.
Designed to develop graduate students’ communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing and comprehending Spanish and to provide an introduction to the Spanish-speaking world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
SPA 642. Elementary SPA II for Graduate Students. 0 Credit Hours.
Continuation of SPA 641. Designed to develop graduate students' communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending Spanish, and continued engagement with the Spanish-speaking world.
Prerequisite: SPA 641.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 645. Accelerated Elementary SPA for Graduate Students. 0 Credit Hours.
For graduate students with prior study of Spanish who desire to review material covered in SPA641 and SPA642 in preparation for study of Spanish at the intermediate level. Designed to develop graduate students' communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending Spanish, and continued engagement with the Spanish-speaking world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 647. Basic SPA for Graduate Heritage Learners. 0 Credit Hours.
For graduate students with little or no prior instruction in Spanish who, because of family background or social experience, can understand casual spoken Spanish and have a passive knowledge of the language but do not speak the language regularly. Focus on developing formal speaking, reading, and writing abilities, and knowledge of the Spanish-speaking world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 651. Intermediate SPA I for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
For graduate students with previous study of elementary-level Spanish. Designed to develop graduate students' communication skills in both written and spoken Spanish at the intermediate level. Intended primarily for students who will carry out research in the Spanish-speaking world.
Prerequisite: SPA 642 or SPA 645.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 652. Intermediate SPA II for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
For graduate students with previous study of Spanish at the intermediate level. Designed to enhance graduate students' communication skills in both written and spoken Spanish at the high-intermediate level. Intended primarily for students who will carry out research in the Spanish-speaking world.
Prerequisite: SPA 651.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 653. Advanced SPA I for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
For graduate students with previous study of Spanish at the high-intermediate level. Designed to enhance graduate students' communication skills in both written and spoken Spanish at the advanced-low level. Intended primarily for students who will carry out research in the Spanish-speaking world.
Prerequisite: SPA 652.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 657. Intermediate SPA for Graduate Heritage Learners. 0 Credit Hours.
For graduate students with previous study of Spanish at the elementary level who, because of family background or social experience, can understand casual spoken Spanish and have a passive knowledge of the language but do not speak the language regularly. Designed to enhance graduate students' communication skills in both written and spoken Spanish at the intermediate-high level. Intended principally for heritage learners who will carry out research in the Spanish-speaking world.
Prerequisite: SPA 647.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
SPA 658. Advanced SPA for Graduate Heritage Learners. 0 Credit Hours.
For graduate students with previous study of Spanish at the intermediate-high level who, because of family background or social experience, can understand casual spoken Spanish and have a passive knowledge of the language but do not speak the language regularly. Designed to enhance graduate students' communication skills in both written and spoken Spanish at the advanced-low level. Intended principally for heritage learners who will carry out research in the Spanish-speaking world.
Prerequisite: SPA 657.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 693. Teaching Practicum. 3 Credit Hours.
Supervised pedagogical and professional training in collaboration with UM faculty.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 711. Topics in Spanish Medieval Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Recent topics: Libro de Buen amor, the epic, Berceo, cancionero poetry.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 713. Topics in the Golden Age. 3 Credit Hours.
Recent topics: culteranismo and conceptismo, La Celestina, Cervantes, the picaresque, sixteenth-century theatre.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 715. Topics in 18th–19th Century Spanish Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Recent topics: neoclassicism, romantic theatre, Spain and the European Enlightenment, Galdos, realism, postromantic poetry.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 716. Topics in 20th Century Spanish Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Recent topics: the generation of 1898, Garcia Lorca, the post-war novel, contemporary theater.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 721. Special Topics in Hispanic Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Special Topics in Hispanic Studies
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 733. Topics in Colonial Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Recent topics: the chroniclers, Sor Juana Ines de la Cruz, Baroque of the Indies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 735. Topics in 19th Century Latin American Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Recent topics include: romanticism, modernist poetry, anti-slavery novel.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 736. Topics in 20th Century Latin American Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Recent topics: modernism, magic realism, the short story, the novel of the Mexican Revolution, the Boom and post-Boom.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
SPA 791. Writing Practicum. 1 Credit Hour.
The writing of a publishable research paper under faculty guidance.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 792. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings at the graduate level.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 830. Pre-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. Prior to admission to candidacy, the student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Not more than 12 hours of SPA 730 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session. Students who have not passed their qualifying examinations yet, but are not taking any courses, may enroll in SPA 730.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 840. Post-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. After admission to candidacy, the student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Not more than 12 hours of SPA 740 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session. Students who have passed their qualifying examinations, but are not taking courses any more, may enroll in SPA 740. Where a student has passed his/her qualifying examinations, and (b) is engaged in an assistantship, he/she may still take the maximum allowable credit stated above.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish residence for the Ph.D., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Certificate in Digital Humanities

Program Overview
The Certificate in Digital Humanities is an interdisciplinary graduate certificate drawing on courses from the English, History, and Modern Languages and Literatures departments. Students pursuing the graduate certificate will take a minimum of three digital humanities-focused and/or digital methods courses (9 credit hours). All students pursuing the certificate will be required to take the DH practicum course (MLL 774). Students may fulfill the additional 6 credits required for the certificate by choosing two other digital humanities or digital methods courses from a list of approved courses offerings. Students may also petition to use courses outside of the approved course list to fulfill program requirements on an ad-hoc basis. The final requirement is the creation and approval of an online portfolio showcasing projects and research utilizing digital humanist methodologies.

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Certificate in Second Language Acquisition & Teaching (SLAT)

Overview
The SLAT Graduate Certificate is an integrated group of courses designed to acquire expertise and experience in the field of critical studies of language, centering on theories of second language acquisition and bilingualism, empirical research in these areas, and their applications to the teaching of second and heritage languages at the postsecondary level.

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Admission Requirements
Any graduate student, lecturer or senior lecturer teaching languages may earn the Graduate Certificate in SLAT, granted by the Department of Modern Languages and Literatures at the University of Miami.

Curriculum Requirements
To earn the SLAT Graduate Certificate, a minimum of nine (9) credit hours of graduate level coursework within the SLAT curriculum must be completed. Any course taken in fulfillment of the required credits toward the Certificate must already be designated as SLAT-related or must receive prior approval of the SLAT faculty. For incoming graduate student Teaching Assistants, MLL 701 (Introduction to Second Language Teaching: Theory and Practice) will fulfill three (3) credit hours of the requirement. For those graduate students and lecturers who join the Department having already taken the equivalent of MLL 701 at another institution, the nine (9) required credit hours must be fulfilled through other SLAT courses.

Goals
- Develop the expertise of participants in the fields of applied language studies, research on second language acquisition and bilingualism, modern language teaching methodology and pedagogy.
- Integrate meaningful use of technology into the participants’ teaching practices.
- Become more marketable professionally through the development and completion of a professional teaching portfolio.

Student Learning Outcomes
- Demonstrate advance knowledge of innovative pedagogical approaches and new technologies.
- Demonstrate practical expertise of innovative pedagogical approaches and new technologies.

Ph.D. in Literary, Cultural, and Linguistic Studies

Overview
The Ph.D. in Literary, Cultural, and Linguistic Studies offers two major concentrations: 1) Literary and Cultural Studies and 2) Critical Studies of Language/Linguistics. Students in each concentration may opt to develop a secondary field of expertise in the other.

The program is designed primarily to prepare students for careers as university professors and research scholars. Students develop advanced language, teaching, and research skills that lend themselves to other professions, as well. A variety of geographic, temporal, and theoretical concentrations allow students to carry out innovative and interdisciplinary research projects, often with a transnational focus.
Admission Requirements

1. Your completed application must include the following (incomplete applications will not be considered): A completed application, including a detailed statement of purpose explaining your research interests and why the Department of Modern Languages at the University of Miami is a good place to pursue your graduate training. We only accept on-line applications. Apply on-line here (https://www.applyweb.com/miamigrd/).

2. Three substantial letters of recommendation.

3. Official transcripts from all colleges and universities attended.

4. A substantial writing sample in English.

5. Writing samples in the primary language(s) of study (French, Portuguese, and/or Spanish).

6. For International students only: TOEFL (http://www.toefl.org/) scores (please use Institution code 5815 and Department code 2699).

7. Application fee of $85.00.

8. GRE scores are encouraged but *not* required for admission (please use Institution code 5815 and Department Code 2699). However, they are required only in order to be nominated for University-wide fellowships.

Basic Curriculum Requirements

The requirements set out below for the Ph.D. in Literary, Cultural, and Linguistic Studies are minimum requirements. The Graduate Studies Committee, Director of Graduate Studies, and individual advisors may set additional requirements.

1. The requirements:
   a. for students entering on the “five-year plan” (with a B.A. or M.A., see below), passing satisfactorily a minimum of 60 graded credit hours in approved courses, 30 of which must be open to graduate students only;
   b. for students entering on the “four-year plan” (with an M.A. in a closely related field, see below), passing satisfactorily a minimum of 48 graded credit hours in approved courses, 24 of which must be open to graduate students only;

2. Passing MLL 701, MLL 711, and MLL 799, and a minimum of 18 graded credit hours in the area(s) of research emphasis to be determined on an individualized basis in collaboration with the graduate advisors. 15 out of the 18 graded credit hours should be in MLL. However, students may petition the GSC to take 3 more credit hours in an outside department only if the class directly relates to the student's research project.

3. For students in the Literary and Cultural Studies concentration, three credits of Critical Studies of Language/Linguistics and three credits in any Arts and Sciences discipline focusing on Colonial or Early Modern Studies (18th century or earlier).

4. At least six credits in an approved cognate discipline to be determined in consultation with graduate advisors.

5. Nine credits in Literary/Cultural Studies or Critical Studies of Language/Linguistics, for students pursuing an optional minor concentration.

6. In addition to proficiency in English and the major language of study, demonstrating the following:
   a. reading knowledge of two other languages; or
   b. holistic knowledge of one other language (for example, by passing the equivalent of a course at the 300-level). Note: Appropriate languages of study will be determined in collaboration with the student’s advisors (e.g. students of Latin America may be encouraged to study Portuguese or an indigenous language; students focusing on early modern Spanish or French studies may be encouraged to study Italian; students working in the French-speaking Caribbean may need to take Haitian Kreyòl, etc.);
   c. if areas of specialization include Medieval, Early Modern, or Colonial Latin American Studies, students must demonstrate reading knowledge of Latin.

7. Passing a Breadth Exam. Depending on the student’s interests, the exam shall consist of three parts, according to one of the following configurations:
   a. one geographic region over three time periods;
   b. two geographic regions over two or three time periods;
   c. two geographic regions over one or two time periods and one area of critical sociolinguistics;
   d. two areas of critical sociolinguistics and one geographic region over one-time period. Note: Students entering the doctoral program with an MA in a relevant field may petition to waive the Breadth Exam (normally taken in the spring semester of the second year) after the first semester of study. The Graduate Studies Committee will consider petitions on an individualized basis.

8. Passing a Qualifying Exam on an approved topic. The exam typically includes three general approaches focusing on:
   a. literature, cultural studies, or sociolinguistics;
   b. critical theory;
   c. a cognate discipline (e.g. history, sociology, philosophy, law, art, film, etc.).


11. Satisfying the requirements of the Graduate School as stated in the Graduate Bulletin.

12. Students can also opt to complete two doctoral concentrations and/or one doctoral certificate while choosing courses to fulfill the requirements for the degree.
Concentrations

Graduate Concentration in Early Modern Studies

The Early Modern Studies Concentration is an interdisciplinary concentration to be earned in conjunction with the individual Ph.D. requirements for the departments of English, History, and Modern Languages and Literatures (Literary, Cultural and Linguistic Studies). Graduate students will continue to be housed in any one of the three departments and must fulfill the requirements of their discipline for the Ph.D. To qualify for the Concentration, students must successfully complete a minimum of two courses (6 credit hours) in one or both of the other two departments, substituting for courses within their department; and a minimum of two courses (6 credit hours) in early modern studies within their department.

https://mll.as.miami.edu/graduate/early-modern-studies-concentration/index.html

Graduate Concentration in Caribbean Studies

This is an interdisciplinary concentration to be earned in conjunction with the individual Ph.D. requirements for the departments of English, History, and Modern Languages and Literatures. Ph.D. students pursuing the doctoral concentration take a minimum of two Caribbean-focused courses (6 credit hours) within their home department, and a minimum of two Caribbean-focused courses (6 credit hours) outside of their department.

Curriculum

Students pursuing the doctoral concentration in Caribbean Studies must take as part of their required course credit hours a minimum of four Caribbean-focused courses (12 credit hours) as shown below.

https://mll.as.miami.edu/graduate/caribbean-studies-concentration/index.html

A minimum of two courses (6 credits) selected from the following:

- ENG 658: Studies in Transatlantic Literature
- ENG 665: Studies in African American Literature
- ENG 666: Caribbean Literature
- ENG 667: Caribbean Popular Culture
- ENG 668: Studies in Race and Diasporic Literatures
- ENG 686: Theories of Gender and Sexuality
- ENG 687: Studies in Literature and Culture since 1950
- ENG 688: Studies in Latino/a Literatures and Cultures
- ENG 689: Comparative Americas Studies

A minimum of two courses (6 credits) selected from the following:

- HIS 602: Africa and the African Diaspora
- HIS 602: Africa in Cuba / Cuba in Africa
- HIS 652: Race in Latin America
- HIS 652: Travels through Latin America
- HIS 654: Afro-Caribbean Religion: Healing and Power
- HIS 654: Haiti in History
- HIS 654: Caribbean Intellectual History and Social Movements
- HIS 662: Slavery and Capitalism
- HIS 669: Black Protest Thought
- HIS 669: Rethinking African-American Culture
- HIS 669: History of Global Slavery
- HIS 708: Slavery in the Atlantic World
- HIS 708: Atlantic Histories
- HIS 716: Caribbean Field Prep
- FRE 775: Topics in Francophone Studies
- MLL 702: Bilingualism
- MLL 703: Topics in Critical Studies of Language
- MLL 721: Atlantic Crossings: Literature and Immigration in the Age of Globalization
- MLL 727: Topics in Caribbean Studies
• SPA 733: Topics in Colonial Literature
• SPA 735: Topics in 19th Century Latin American and Caribbean Literature
• SPA 736: Topics in 20th Century Latin American and Caribbean Literature

**Or other courses with advisor's approval.**

**Certificates**

**Graduate Certificate in Digital Humanities in the Departments of English, History, and Modern Languages and Literatures**

The Graduate Certificate in the Digital Humanities is an interdisciplinary concentration in Digital Humanities to be earned *in conjunction* with the individual Ph.D. requirements for the Departments of English, History, and Modern Languages and Literatures. The certificate offers students a depth and breadth of knowledge about computational approaches to humanities scholarship; the ability to clearly articulate their own methodological approaches to digital projects they complete; the ability to intervene in and discuss the larger theoretical debates that have shaped and continue to shape digital humanities scholarship; knowledge in multiple digital methods, digital tools, and project management skills that students may employ to answer research questions; and experience working in cross-disciplinary collaborative research teams.

**Curriculum**

Ph.D. students pursuing the certificate will take a minimum of three DH-focused and/or digital methods courses (9 credit hours). All students pursuing the certificate will be required to take the DH practicum course (MLL 774). Students may fulfill the additional 6 credits required for the certificate by taking two other DH or digital methods courses of their selection, either selected from the current MLL and ENG DH offerings or from those courses outside of the department listed below. The final requirement is the creation and approval of an online portfolio showcasing projects and research utilizing digital humanist methodologies.

http://bulletin.miami.edu/graduate-academic-programs/arts-sciences/modern-languages-literatures/digital-humanities-certificate

**Graduate Certificate in Second Language Acquisition & Teaching Certificate (SLAT)**

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**Curriculum**

Ph.D. students pursuing the certificate will take a minimum of three SLAT-related courses for a total of 9 graded credits. It is required to take MLL 701, "Intro to Second Language Teaching: Theory and Practice," in addition to two other SLAT-related courses (for example, MLL 702, MLL 703, MLL 704). Students pursuing this certificate should consult with the SLAT faculty to determine which courses to take.

https://mll.as.miami.edu/graduate/slat-certificate/index.html

**Sample Plan of Study: 5-Year Plan**

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Year Three
Fall
Three Courses 9
Work on Language Requirement
Be Mindful of Cognate Requirements
All requirements must be met by the end of this semester!
Credit Hours 9

Spring
Two Courses 6
MLL 830 Pre-Candidacy Dissertation 3
Qualifying Exam 9
Credit Hours 18

Year Four
Fall
MLL 799 Dissertation and Professional Writing Seminar 1-3
MLL 840 Post-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation 3
Defend Prospectus 4
Credit Hours 18

Spring
MLL 850 Research in Residence 3
Dissertation Work 3
Credit Hours 6

Year Five
Fall
MLL 850 Research in Residence 2
Dissertation Work 2
Credit Hours 4

Spring
MLL 850 Research in Residence 1
Dissertation Defense 1
Apply for Graduation 1
Credit Hours 3
Total Credit Hours 64

Mission
The Ph.D. in LCLS moves beyond the traditional Spanish/French binary of Romance Studies to bridge those two critical areas of emphasis with one another, as well as with additional areas of expertise offered by our tenured and tenure-track faculty in Arabic, Chinese, Italian, and Luso-Brazilian Studies. Graduate training in MLL prepares students to work as teachers and researchers of literary, linguistic, and cultural studies at universities and four-year colleges, as well as to serve in administrative, advocacy, and leadership positions in a range of educational and cultural institutions.

Goals
The Department seeks:

1) to train innovative and productive intellectuals whose work can contribute to the creation of more knowledgeable and just societies;

2) to help students prepare for fruitful and fulfilling careers in scholarship, research, teaching, community service, and related professions; and

3) to guide and support graduating students in the successful pursuit of academic or non-academic employment.
Student Learning Outcomes

- Graduate students should demonstrate a broad, critical understanding of literary and cultural forms, traditions, products, and processes from the geographies and time periods specific to their fields of study.
- Students working as Teaching Assistants will demonstrate the ability to teach innovative, well-crafted, well-received courses in language, literature, and cultural studies at various levels.
- MLL will equip its students as innovative and productive intellectuals, preparing them for fruitful careers in scholarship and research within and/or beyond the academy.

Philosophy

philosophy.as.miami.edu

We offer an M.A. and a Ph.D. in philosophy.

The M.A. program is designed for those who want to pursue philosophy at a deeper level than in their B.A. degree, or who wish to transition into philosophy from other academic disciplines. Students may choose this program to improve their chances of acceptance into a highly-ranked Ph.D. program, or for other reasons. There are no distribution requirements: students may tailor their coursework to their own interests. Students must also write and defend a thesis, which can be used as a writing sample for Ph.D. program applications. (Note that acceptance into the M.A. program does not guarantee acceptance into our own Ph.D. program later on; the application procedures are separate.)

The Ph.D. program is specifically designed to prepare students for careers as professional teachers and researchers in philosophy, not only by way of coursework and research supervision, but also through professional mentoring and opportunities for philosophical development both inside and outside the classroom. Students normally enter with either a B.A. or an M.A. degree in philosophy. Students who enter without an M.A. and who fulfill the relevant requirements are awarded the M.A. degree as they work towards the Ph.D.

Each entering student is assigned a mentor from among the faculty, and faculty members lead professional development seminars on such topics as teaching, preparing work for publication, and preparing for the job market. A dedicated placement director work with each student to maximize their success at securing good post-graduation employment.

The Department prides itself on providing an inclusive, friendly and congenial atmosphere for doing philosophy, with many opportunities for informal interaction among students and faculty including workshops, conferences, colloquia and post-colloquium dinners.

Masters Degree in Philosophy

- M.A. in Philosophy (p. 1822)

Doctoral Program in Philosophy

- Ph.D. in Philosophy (p. 1823)

PHI 606. Mathematical Logic. 3 Credit Hours.
Logics, truth, proof, logical consequences, model theory, formalization, and computation. Meta-theory of first-order logic, computability theory, and Goedel’s Incompleteness theorems. Related results by church, Turing, and Tarski. Discussion of their philosophical significance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 611. Formal Logic. 3 Credit Hours.
First and second-order quantification theory; metalogic.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHI 631. Ethical Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
G. E. Moore to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
PHI 632. Legal Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
The philosophical foundations of legal theory and litigation in U.S. law. Topics include the philosophical underpinnings of contemporary criminal law and tort law, the problems of legal causation and intent, the concept of a reasonable person, the nature of corrective justice, the Kantian basis for human rights, and the free speech dilemma.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 634. Political Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of some central issues and developments in political philosophy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 642. Epistemology. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of the basic topics and questions in epistemology: knowledge acquisition and justification, perception, fallibilism, and skepticism.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 644. The Philosophy of Language. 3 Credit Hours.
A central feature of human language is that it is meaningful; this is what allows us to use language to record and share information about the world, and to communicate the ideas, thoughts and emotions that make up our private mental lives. But what is linguistic meaning? One historically influential idea is that linguistic meaning is to be analyzed in terms of truth. This course will examine this idea, and consider several philosophical debates that have arisen from it, or in which it has played an important role. Along the way students will gain an understanding of some of the most central concepts and issues in contemporary philosophy of language.
Prerequisite: PHI 357 (249) or at least one of PHI 341 - 346.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 646. Evidence and Knowledge in Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic methodologies in medicine in the context of philosophical theories of evidence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHI 647. Mind and Language. 3 Credit Hours.
Philosophical problems about signs, linguistic and mental representations, intentionality, action, and consciousness.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 648. Induction, Probability, and Scientific Method. 3 Credit Hours.
Foundations of inductive reasoning and role of experiment in science.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 649. Metaphysics. 3 Credit Hours.
A selection of topics dealing with the main problems of metaphysics: existence, modality, universals, identity and persistence through time, causation, the self and physicalism.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 653. Philosophy and Film. 3 Credit Hours.
Combining readings in philosophy and film theory and criticism with close analysis of selected films, this course is premised on a conviction in the potential fruitfulness, both for film studies and philosophy, of thinking philosophically about the ontology of the medium, the history and the art of film, the ways we experience movies, and their impact on our lives. A main focus will be on the writings of Stanley Cavell—the most important author in the Anglo/American philosophical tradition to make writing about film a substantial part of his philosophical project—and philosophical responses by to his work.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
PHI 655. Philosophy of Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Problems concerning the nature and aims of education.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PHI 660. History of Logic. 3 Credit Hours.
Aristotle, the Stoics, the Scholastics, Leibniz, Boole, DeMorgan, Peirce, Frege, and Russell and Whitehead.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PHI 662. History of Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
A selection of ethical theories from Aristotle to Rawls.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 670. Presocratics and Plato. 3 Credit Hours.
Fragments from the Presocratics and the dialogues of Plato.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 672. Aristotle and Hellenistic Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of central philosophical topics in Aristotle and Hellenistic Philosophers (Epicureans, Stoics, and Skeptics).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 673. Medieval Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
The patristic period through the scholasticism of the late middle ages.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 674. Early Modern Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of early modern philosophy from Hobbes and Descartes to Hume.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 677. Kant. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of selected issues in Kant’s theoretical or practical philosophy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 681. Pragmatism. 3 Credit Hours.
Peirce, James, Dewey, and others.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 683. The Phenomenological Tradition. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the phenomenological movement (Edmund Husserl, Martin Heidegger, Maurice Merleau-Ponty, and others) and of its impact on contemporary thought.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 684. History of Analytic Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
The development of analytic philosophy from its beginnings in the work of Frege and Russell through logical positivism to contemporary philosophy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
PHI 695. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
A selected philosopher or philosophical problem. May be repeated for credit.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 696. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
A selected philosopher or philosophical problem. May be repeated for credit.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 697. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
A selected philosopher or philosophical problem. May be repeated for credit. Prerequisite: Six credits in Philosophy and junior standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 698. Independent Study in Philosophy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed reading on a topic or philosopher. May be repeated for credit.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 701. Proseminar (First Semester). 3 Credit Hours.
Covers the core texts from the history of analytic philosophy. First semester of the year-long pro-seminar for first-year graduate students in Philosophy.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 702. Proseminar (Second Semester). 3 Credit Hours.
Covers the core texts and issues of analytic philosophy in the second half of the twentieth century. Second semester of the year-long pro-seminar for first-year graduate students in Philosophy.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 703. Seminar on Philosophical Writing & Methodology. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will work on improving their philosophical writing by preparing a polished version of an original philosophical research paper. They will also develop their philosophical research skills, and will learn how to present and discuss their research in a conference setting. The goal is to have, by the end of the semester, a very good abstract to submit to a conference; a polished and practiced presentation of a paper; and most importantly a written version of a paper that is ready (or close to ready) for submission to a journal.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 711. Topics in Logic. 3 Credit Hours.
Problems in philosophical logic; non-standard logic.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 731. Seminar in Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
Problems in normative ethics, meta-ethics, and value theory.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHI 736. Values, Norms, and Actions. 3 Credit Hours.
The role of values and norms in practical reasoning and decision making.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
PHI 742. Seminar in Epistemology. 3 Credit Hours.
Problems concerning knowledge: skepticism, belief, certainty, truth, and justification.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 744. Seminar in Philosophy of Mind. 3 Credit Hours.
Problems concerning mental phenomena: theories of perception, action, consciousness.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 747. Seminar in Philosophy of Language. 3 Credit Hours.
Nature and uses of language; concepts of reference, truth, and meaning.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 748. Philosophy of Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in the philosophy of science, such as realism, explanation, and conceptual and methodological issues in the special sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 749. Seminar in Metaphysics. 3 Credit Hours.
Problems related to the nature and kinds of being.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 751. Seminar in Philosophy of Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Problems related to beauty and the philosophy of art.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 772. Seminar in Ancient Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
A discussion of selected topics in ancient philosophy.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 778. Idealism. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of Idealism, both contemporary and historical.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 795. Seminar in Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
A selected philosopher or philosophical problem. May be repeated for credit.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 796. Seminar in Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
A selected philosopher or philosophical problem. May be repeated for credit.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 798. Independent Study in Philosophy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed reading on a topic or philosopher. May be repeated for credit.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
PHI 810. Master’s Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master’s thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
 Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PHI 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but for not less than a total of 12 hours. Up to 12 hours may be taken in a regular semester, but not more than six in a summer session.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
 Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PHI 840. Post-candidacy doctoral dissertation. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. who have advanced to candidacy. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but not for less than a total of 12. Not more than 12 hours of PHI 740 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
 Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PHI 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
 Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

M.A. in Philosophy

Policies & Important Details

1. The M.A. in Philosophy is intended to deepen a student’s background in philosophy, and to improve a student’s preparation for Ph.D. programs in philosophy. It is possible to use the M.A. as a bridge program from another discipline into philosophy.

2. To maintain status as a graduate student, registration in each fall and spring semester is required. Otherwise, admission lapses and permission to re-enter must be granted.

3. Time restrictions on obtaining degrees will be strictly enforced and can be waived only by the Dean of the Graduate School.

4. Upon completing the course requirements and presenting and defending a satisfactory thesis, the student has completed the requirements for an M.A. in Philosophy.

5. The student in consultation with his/her selected M.A. thesis committee chair will decide on the thesis committee members. The thesis committee will consist of not less than three members, two from the Department’s graduate faculty, and one from outside the Department. The chair has to be a member of the graduate faculty. The duties of the thesis committee are:
   a. To consult with and to advise students on their research.
   b. To meet, at intervals, to review progress and expected results.
   c. To read and comment upon the draft thesis.
   d. To meet, when the thesis is completed, to conduct the final oral examination and to satisfy itself that the thesis is a contribution to knowledge and that it is written in lucid and correct English and submitted in approved form.

The candidate is well advised to have a final acceptable typescript of the thesis in the hands of each member of his/her committee at a time reasonably in advance of the final defense of the work.

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Presentation and oral defense of an acceptable thesis.

* Students must accumulate 30 credits in philosophy with satisfactory grades, 24 credits of coursework and 6 credits of thesis research. At least 18 of these credits must be earned while in residence.

**Mission**

**Goals**

Our students will be well prepared to attend Ph.D. programs in philosophy. They will have broad knowledge of the most important areas of philosophy and its history, and mastery of philosophical methods of argumentation. They will also have detailed knowledge in a particular sub-discipline of philosophy and (where relevant) its relations to other areas of inquiry, preparing them to conduct original research in this area. They will also be prepared to become contributors to philosophical knowledge by presenting their work at workshops and conferences.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Students will demonstrate a deep and broad knowledge of the main areas of philosophy and their history, and mastery of philosophical methods.
- Students will demonstrate the ability to contribute to philosophical knowledge by writing and presenting original philosophical research.

**Ph.D. in Philosophy**

**Policies and Important Details**

1. The Ph.D. in Philosophy is for students with a background in philosophy. Normally at least a B.A. in Philosophy is required.
2. To maintain status as a graduate student, registration in each fall and spring semester is required. Otherwise, admission lapses and permission to re-enter must be granted.
3. Once a student has completed all course and required research credit hours, he or she must enroll in "Research in Residence" status until the degree has been granted. "Research in Residence" status is considered full time enrollment. Time restrictions on obtaining degrees will be strictly enforced and can be waived only by the Dean of the Graduate School.
4. Upon completing the course requirements and passing the qualifying exams with a grade of 1 or 2, the student has completed the requirements for an M.A. in Philosophy.
5. Upon completing the course requirements, passing the qualifying exams with a grade of 2, and successfully defending the Ph.D. proposal, the student is eligible for admission to Ph.D. candidacy.
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**Curriculum Requirements**

Students must accumulate a 60 credits in philosophy with satisfactory grades, 45 credits of coursework and 15 credits of dissertation research. At least 21 of the 45 credits must be for courses at the 700 level. At least 27 of these credits must be earned while in residence.

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**Qualifying Exam**

1 A comprehensive qualifying exam must be taken. Exams are given the grade of 0, 1 or 2. A student must receive a grade of 2 in order to proceed to the dissertation stage. The student is provided with a reading list in their intended area of specialization. The student studies the material on the reading list, writes a paper of around 8,000 words on a topic central to this material, writes a dissertation proposal of around 2,000 words, and participates in an oral defense of the paper and proposal as they relate to the reading list.

**Language Requirement**

2 A student must possess the linguistic proficiency required by the proposed dissertation topic. This is determined by the dissertation proposal committee on the basis of examinations or coursework.

**PHD Dissertation**

3 Presentation and oral defense of an acceptable dissertation.

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**Goals**

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Students will demonstrate a deep and broad knowledge of the main areas of philosophy and their history, and mastery of philosophical methods.
- Students will demonstrate the ability to teach a wide range of philosophy courses at the undergraduate level, and courses in the area of specialization at the graduate level.
- Students will demonstrate the ability to contribute to philosophical knowledge by writing original philosophical research.

**Physics**

http://www.physics.miami.edu

Dept. Code: PHY
Degree Programs

All graduate students in physics must plan their entire program with the advice and approval of a departmental advisor.

The program of graduate studies in physics emphasizes research work, but also includes teaching experience as an essential element. Research and thesis opportunities are at present available in the fields of astrophysics and cosmology, atmospheric, ocean and quantum optics, biological physics, complexity, condensed matter/energy materials physics, elementary particle theory.

Masters Program in Physics

- M.S. in Physics (p. 1828)

Doctoral Program in Physics

- Ph.D. in Physics (p. 1828)

PHY 606. Advanced Laboratory. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Advanced experiments such as properties of the electron, optical spectra, electrical measurements, radioactive decay, absorption, etc.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHY 613. Mathematical Techniques in Physics. 3 Credit Hours.
Complex variables and applications. Infinite series and their uses, particularly in differential equations. Multiple integrals and Fourier series.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 616. Special Topics in Physics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in Physics. Topics vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 617. Special Topics in Physics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in Physics. Topics vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 618. Special Topics in AstroPhysics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in Physics. Topics vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 622. Solid State Physics. 3 Credit Hours.
Crystal structure, quantum theory of the electronic structure of solids, mechanical, electric, magnetic and optical properties of solids.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 630. Plasma Physics I. 3 Credit Hours.
Kinetic theory of plasmas, adiabatic motion of charged particles magneto fluid dynamics, transport properties of plasmas in electromagnetic fields.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 640. Classical Mechanics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Lagrangian formulation, rigid body dynamics. Topics selected from fluid dynamics, non-linear oscillations, normal modes, phase plane analysis.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
PHY 645. Introduction to Astrophysics. 3 Credit Hours.
Celestial mechanics, solar models, galaxies, distance scales, instruments.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 652. Optical Physics. 3 Credit Hours.
Geometric optics, interference and diffraction, polarized light, optical pumping, coherence phenomena, applications to modern physical research.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 660. Quantum Mechanics and Modern Physics I. 3 Credit Hours.
Introductory theory with applications to simple systems. Perturbation theory and atomic structure.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PHY 661. Quantum Mechanics and Modern Physics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Applications of quantum mechanics to atomic and molecular spectroscopy, quantum statistical mechanics, and nuclear physics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHY 701. Condensed Matter Physics Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
Seminars on hot topics in Condensed Matter Physics.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PHY 713. Methods of Mathematical Physics I. 3 Credit Hours.
A continuation of PHY 515.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 717. Special Topics in Physics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics are typically selected from fluid dynamics, applied mathematics, particle theory, nuclear physics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 718. Special Topics in Physics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics are typically selected from fluid dynamics, applied mathematics, particle theory, nuclear physics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 722. Advanced Solid State Physics. 3 Credit Hours.
Electronic structure, electron-electron interactions, phonons, many-body problems, transport properties, magnetism, superconductivity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 723. Statistical Mechanics I. 3 Credit Hours.
Equilibrium state, irreversibility, statistical description of an ensemble, entropy, partition functions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 724. Statistical Mechanics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Statistical description of many body problems, specific heats, Brownian motion in liquids and fields, non-equilibrium states, superconductivity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
PHY 752. Electromagnetic Theory I. 3 Credit Hours.
Electrostatics, magnetostatics, Maxwell's equations, continuous media, waves, antennas, resonant cavities, wave guides.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 753. Electromagnetic Theory II. 3 Credit Hours.
Relativistic effects, interaction of radiation with matter, multiple radiation, radiation reaction.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 766. Elementary Particles. 3 Credit Hours.
The Standard Model of elementary particles. Classical theory of fields for spin 0, 1/2, 1; Feynman rules. The Standard Model Lagrangian is postulated, and some of its basic consequences are explored.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 770. Quantum Theory I. 3 Credit Hours.
Transformation theory, linear operators and vector spaces. Schrödinger's equation, rotation group and angular momentum, statistics (Bose-Einstein and Fermi-Dirac), isotopic spin, multiple structure of levels, approximation methods.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 771. Quantum Theory II. 3 Credit Hours.
One particle relativistic theory; Lorentz group; symmetries of particles; elementary scattering theory; many body problems; Green's function techniques; S-matrix.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 780. Directed Readings or Research. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Research in Physics.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PHY 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master's degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in PHY 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 825. Continuous Registration--Master's Study. 1 Credit Hour.
To establish residence for non-thesis master's students who are preparing for major examinations. Credit not granted. Regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 830. Pre-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but not for less than a total of 12. Not more to than 12 hours of PHY 730 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
PHY 840. Post-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. who have advanced to candidacy. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but not for less than a total of 12. Not more than 12 hours of PHY 740 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PHY 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D. and D.A., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

M.S. in Physics

Curriculum Requirements
In addition to the general requirements for graduate degrees, the Physics Department makes the following specific requirements.

1. Submission of scores on the general Graduate Record Examination (GRE).
2. A minimum of 30 physics course credit hours at the 600-700 level are required for the Master Degree.
3. The following specific courses, or their equivalent, are required for the M.S. degree:

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4. For the M.S. degree no more than 3 credit hours for reading courses may be counted, and no more than 2 credit hours of seminars. Up to 6 credit hours may be earned in thesis work for this degree.

5. The physics department offers a comprehensive graduate examination each year. All students are required to take the exam when it is offered.

6. Courses taken outside the department should be relevant to the students’ program and approved by the graduate advisor.

Ph.D. in Physics

Program Overview
All graduate students in physics must plan their entire program with the advice and approval of a departmental advisor.

The program of graduate studies in physics emphasizes research work, but also includes teaching experience as an essential element. Research and thesis opportunities are at present available in the fields of astrophysics and cosmology, atmospheric, ocean and quantum optics, biological physics, complexity, condensed matter/energy materials physics, elementary particle theory.

Admission Requirements
Consideration is given to applicants who have a B.S. degree in physics (or related field) with a minimum undergraduate GPA of B. Submission of Graduate Record Examination (general and subject GRE) scores is recommended, but not required, with the application for admission. Applicants from non-English-speaking countries must demonstrate proficiency in English via the TOEFL or IELTS test, even if they have previously taken courses in the US. The minimum TOEFL score for admission is 80 in the internet-based test, or equivalent (550 in the paper-based test and 213 in the computer-based one). The minimum IELTS score is 6.5.

Application deadline for the Fall Semester is February 1st. Application for financial aid is automatic and does not require any additional document on the part of the applicant. The only accepted form of application is online through the Graduate School web page (https://www.grad.miami.edu/apply/
on-campus-graduate-programs/). In addition to excellence in the academic background, consideration for admission is also based on diversity and interest in one of the research fields of the Department. While not bound to it, please indicate in your application your field of interest and whether you are interested in experimental or theoretical work.

We usually do not offer Spring admission and all applications will be considered for fall admission, regardless of the time of submission. In rare circumstances, an exception can be made, and the applicant should contact us at the address reported below to request it before applying.

Curriculum Requirements

In addition to the general requirements for graduate degrees, the Physics Department makes the following specific requirements.

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Total Credit Hours 60

4. Courses taken outside the department should be relevant to the students’ program and approved by the graduate advisor.
5. Students are required to participate in research at the earliest opportunity. Mechanisms for doing so include enrolling during the regular semester in a research course (phy 780) and engaging in research during the summer months; both require the consent of a faculty member supervisor.
6. The comprehensive exams for Ph.D students in physics consist of the Written Qualifying Exam, an Oral Presentation and an accompanying Expository Paper. The Written Exam, offered each year in January, consists of sections on Classical Mechanics, Quantum Mechanics, Electromagnetism and Statistical/Thermal physics, at the advanced undergraduate level. Students have two opportunities to pass the Written Exam at the Ph.D level. Copies of prior exams are available in the department office.

The Oral Presentation and accompanying Expository Paper must be completed by the end of a student’s 5th semester. In order to complete these parts of the comprehensive examinations, a student must be engaged in research with a faculty member. The purpose of the oral presentation and paper are to demonstrate preliminary research on a problem of the relevant discipline. The presentation/paper need not constitute a proposal for Ph.D dissertation research or include preliminary work toward the dissertation. Students are expected to consult with and receive approval from their research mentor as to a suitable topic.

Expository Paper: 5-10pp, 11pt or 12pt typeface

The paper should include a substantive literature survey (with referencing in standard publication format) that places the topic in context, provides relevant equations, and outlines calculations or experimental design/results as appropriate. Figures (if any) should be incorporated into the text using, e.g., LaTex or MS Word. Students (and mentors) should be wary to allow sufficient time to research, write, and edit their papers to meet the standards of a scientific publication.

Oral Presentation: 30-40 min. (not including questions)

This is typically a PowerPoint-type presentation summarizing the topic of the paper. The presentation should include technical detail as necessary to outline the topic and should be at the level of a departmental colloquium, accessible to a general audience of advanced undergraduate and graduate students.

Deadlines and Procedures:

It is the student’s responsibility, in consultation with their research mentor and the graduate program advisor, to establish a Comprehensive Exam Committee consisting of the mentor and at least two other physics faculty, and the date for the Oral Presentation. The committee should
receive the Expository Paper for review a minimum of 10 days in advance of the date established for the Oral Presentation. With the addition of a committee member from outside the physics department, the Comprehensive Exam Committee may constitute the student’s Ph.D Dissertation Committee.

7. Should a student need to select a new thesis advisor, this selection must be made without delay.
8. Renewal of financial support from the department is contingent, each semester, upon satisfactory performance of teaching duties and research activities, and upon timely progress towards completion of all requirements for the Ph.D. degree.

## Sample Plan of Study

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## Mission

The mission of the Physics Ph.D program is to develop productive and creative research scientists and educators by providing students with a rigorous grounding in classical and modern theory, practice in advanced experimental techniques, training in a specialized field of research, and teaching experience.

## Goals

It is expected that graduates will be capable of conducting independent research, solving complex problems, communicating scientific results in both written and spoken form, and critically assessing the scientific literature.

## Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will demonstrate a rigorous grounding in classical and modern physics theory, the associated mathematical methods and their applications.
• Students will demonstrate their ability to conduct independent research, incorporating the ability to critically analyze and address a fundamental problem in their chosen field.
• Students will demonstrate the ability to communicate research findings effectively

Political Science
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The MPA program is designed to prepare students for a career of public service. Students will be exposed to the essential components of public service professionalism—excellence in technique, ethics and leadership—to help meet the challenges in the years ahead. Our award-winning, student-oriented faculty is dedicated to helping you achieve this “professional edge” in small, stimulating seminars, convenient evening courses, super-modern facilities and we have an excellent record in placing graduates.

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• Certificate in Public Administration (p. 1841)
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POL 601. Budget and Financial Management and Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
Role of the budget in shaping public policy; managing public revenues; budgetary theory, politics, and fiscal management. Examples from state, municipal and federal governments.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

POL 602. Congressional Representation. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of how and when citizens influence legislators’ behavior. How legislators’ floor behavior reflects citizens’ preferences and how these preferences influence the formation of electoral coalitions.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 603. Special Topics in Comparative Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
A seminar in comparative politics, designed to give students a greater degree of knowledge of a particular subject, and to develop ability in the techniques of individual research and group discussion.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 604. The World Before European Domination. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines the historical roots of the contemporary international system, and questions the standard Eurocentric perspective on the rise of the West to a dominant position in the global system.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 605. Sex, Babies, and the State. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines policies on reproduction, work, and the family in a variety of national, with specific emphasis on Latin America.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
POL 606. Organizational Dynamics and Management. 3 Credit Hours.
A seminar on organizational dynamics and management in public and non-profit organizations. Focus on organizational theories, leadership, behavior, goals, effectiveness, and change, with an emphasis on the distinctiveness of public organizations, public-private partnerships, new public management, and digital governance.
Prerequisite: POL 201 or POL 202 or POL 203 or INS 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 607. Politics, Sociology, and Economy in Contemporary Brazil. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines the social, economic, and cultural transformations shaping contemporary Brazilian politics.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 608. Equity and Diversity in Public Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines federal and state policies, laws, and court decisions as means for helping public administrators develop policies and procedures that meet legal requirements and recognize the values of equity and diversity in the treatment of its citizenry and public employees.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 609. Issues in Judicial Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines the Supreme Court of the United States (SCOTUS) through the lens of upcoming cases on the SCOTUS's docket and through recently decided cases that were of important legal precedent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 610. Statistics for Politics and Public Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the use of statistics to conduct quantitative research (i.e., statistics) in political science and public administration. The course emphasizes hands-on data work. Students will learn how to perform political analyses — and present findings in an appropriate manner — using SPSS statistical software.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 611. Security in the Arabian Peninsula. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines the security environment of the Arabian Peninsula.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 614. Art and Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores the relationship between narratives, aesthetics, and the political/social world.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 615. Media Content Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
There are few facets of our lives which are not directly affected by media content. From cell phones to televisions, the media is with us all the time. But what messages are contained in the mass media? What methods can we employ to study media content scientifically? This course will explore methods of analyzing media sources including movies, newspapers, magazines, and television Course topics will include political bias, campaign coverage, and news content. Students will design their own projects and implement their own coding strategies.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 616. Experiments in Political Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines experimental method of hypothesis testing, with specific examples in the study of politics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
POL 617. Introductory Statistical Methods in Political Science. 3 Credit Hours.
The tools needed to manipulate and analyze quantitative data rigorously so you may answer questions of political interest. First in a two-course sequence (followed by POL 618).
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 618. Advanced Statistical Methods in Political Science. 3 Credit Hours.
The maximum likelihood framework for statistical inference in the study of politics. Second in a two-course sequence (preceded by POL 617).
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 619. Introduction to Game Theory for Political Science. 3 Credit Hours.
The rudiments of non-cooperative game theory. Mainly intended for political science students, but presents applications from other academic disciplines such as economics, business administration, sociology, and psychology.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 620. Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
Provides advanced political science majors with an opportunity to participate in a structured, supervised internship. 25-35 page research paper required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 621. Public Affairs Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
Opportunity for the advanced student specializing in public administration to participate in an administrative capacity in an agency of state or local government. Periodic conferences with adviser and paper required.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 622. Introduction to Graduate Public Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to concepts, issues, problems, theories and process in the field of public administration and/or public management.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

POL 624. Non-Profit Organizations: Law, Policy, and Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course teaches students the essential requirements for creation and operation of tax-exempt nonprofit organization in accordance with state and federal law. The course covers a wide range of relevant topics including guidelines for charitable giving and charitable solicitation, pitfalls that can result in personal liability for officers and directors, and statutory constraints on legislative lobbying and political activities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 625. Comparative Public Policy and Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
Comparison and analysis of the organizational and managerial policy problems of developed and developing nations. The administrative process will be considered within the institutional and cultural framework of each nation. Case studies will be used to focus on transition from traditional to modern techniques of public management.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
POL 626. Administrative Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Administrative law is the study of the legal relationship of government agencies to legislatures, courts, and private parties. The course examines the legal dimensions of bureaucratic power and procedures as well as constitutional and statutory constraints on regulators and administrators. Topics include rule making, adjudication, investigation and enforcement, political controls on agencies, judicial review of agency decisions, governmental liability and immunity, public records and open meetings laws. Both federal law and Florida law are covered. The course assumes a basic knowledge of the American legal system, constitutional law and bureaucracy.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 627. Comparative Political Institutions. 3 Credit Hours.
The concept of institutionalism by studying three major sets of democratic institutions: electoral systems, legislatures, and political regimes.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 629. Conducting U.S. Elections. 3 Credit Hours.
Fair and free democratic elections are the heart of U.S. democracy. This course will examine who gets to vote, whether election laws and rules are fair (and fairly implemented), and proposals to reform the way elections are run.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 630. Intelligence and National Security. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will study the US national security community structure and decision making process. The course will look at the National Security Council, the principal national security agencies (such as the CIA, Defense Department, and State Department), how they interact, and their roles in dividing and executing policy. We will also examine the role and function of senior policy decision makers such as the President. We will study recent policy challenges such as Iraq and Afghanistan as examples of National Security policy.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 631. Global Environment Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of the environment within the context of economic globalization. Contrasts the international trading regime and those regimes designed to protect the environment, with specific attention to the issues of global warming and biodiversity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 634. Applied Policy Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines a variety of policy problems through the framework of problem definition, formulation of alternatives, assessment of alternatives, and policy impact evaluation. Students will also be introduced to cost-benefit analysis and evaluation methods.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 635. Comparative Legal Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Considers the institutional and political roles of Courts from a comparative perspective. With a focus on judicial independence and judicial review, will consider the juridical systems of a variety of countries and regions including the US, the EU, Germany, France, Great Britain, Chile, Argentina, Russia, The Asian-Pacific Rim, South Africa, Israel, Central America and the Middle East.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 636. U.S. Health Care Crisis: Politics and Policies. 3 Credit Hours.
This seminar will explore the politics and policies of healthcare in the United States. Our examination of the current crisis in cost and coverage will draw on experience from the debates on comprehensive and incremental reform over the past decade. In addition, we will explore the politics and policies of other health and science issues. Students will be expected to attend every class and be actively involved in class discussions. There will be two examinations, one at mid-term and a final based on readings and course discussions.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
POL 637. Microeconomics for Public Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Describes and explains principles and theories of microeconomics in the context of public policy applications.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 641. Philosophy of Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Case-based study of jurisprudence designed to illuminate and explain philosophies of law. Examination of theories of free expression; bio-ethical matters; theories of punishment and legal responsibility; and the placement of religious discourses in liberal systems of law. Special attention to cases involving fundamental rights and liberties; the role of the individual and the state in civil society; and the capacities of individuals to be legally competent in contemporary systems of law.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 644. Chinese Foreign Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 645. Environmental Policy Making. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of different ethical approaches to the environment; the federal government's management of natural resources; selected environmental policies; international environmental policy issues. Topics include federal management of national grazing lands, national forests, and minerals in the public domain. Analyzes environmental policies such as air, water, toxic wastes, energy, and environmentally-related issues in international trade and national security.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

POL 646. Public Policy Process and Implementation. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of public policy issue areas including education, health, welfare, urban mass transit. Limits to effectiveness of federal, state and local governments in providing services. Techniques for analyzing the effectiveness of public policies; research techniques for the assessment of future policy alternatives.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 647. Human Resource Management in Public Service. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics include human resource management in public service: job analysis and design, evaluation and appraisal, recruitment and interviewing, training and development, wages and benefits, and health and safety. Unionization, regulation of wages, hours and working conditions, financial security for workers, manpower planning and job anti-discrimination legislation are considered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 648. Civic Participation and Democracy. 3 Credit Hours.
Citizens participate in the governing process by communicating their preferences and pressuring the government to respond. In this course we examine these various mechanisms of "civic participation", and discuss the meaning and consequences of participatory democracy. The course focuses on the contemporary United States, but we will devote some time to discuss civic participation in other countries as well.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 649. Energy Policy: Technology, Politics, and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
An interdisciplinary introduction to energy policy, focusing on studying three major and interrelated themes from a comparative perspective: technology, politics, and society. Covers energy policy examples from the United States, the European Union, China, India, and other countries.
Components: RSC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
POL 650. Advanced Seminar On American Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
This seminar provides students with a survey of significant research on major topics in American Politics. We will read influential works of the past, as well as recent cutting-edge research. Particular attention will be paid to discussing the methods and theories used in the research we will read. The purpose of the course is to acquaint students with the literature on American Politics, while also providing an opportunity for students to develop skills in critically assessing and skillfully conducting social science research.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 651. Productivity in the Public and Non-Profit Sectors. 3 Credit Hours.
Definitions and measures of productivity. Evaluation of government programs, and methods of productivity improvement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 652. Total Quality Public Service Management: Achieving High Performance Government. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of the theory and practice of Total Quality Management (TQM) in the government and non-profit sector. Focuses on budgetary, customer service, employee and process improvements that facilitate increased public and non-profit performance. Special emphasis to TQM’s contribution to improved service delivery.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 653. The Environmental Movement: Groups, Beliefs and Values. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of the origins and political impact of environmentalism in the United States and, to a lesser extent, in the global context. Impact of democratic participation on environmental politics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 654. Politics and Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
Personal, professional, organizational, and societal levels of ethical analysis. Ethical theories will be reviewed and applied to actual cases that focus on public policy and/or the officials who create and implement it. Profiles of moral exemplars in public life will be examined.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 655. Public Policy and Health. 3 Credit Hours.
Development of public policy at the federal, state and local level. Policy process, models of policy analysis, policy development in several government service areas, and plans for policy change. Special emphasis on health policy formulation, implementation and the use of epidemiological tools in health policy analysis.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

POL 656. Public Service Internship. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Individual on-the-job work experience; arranged and monitored by a faculty member.
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Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 657. Ethical and Managerial Issues in Government, Business and Non-Profit Organization.. 3 Credit Hours.
Governments at all levels in this country—national (Larry Craig, David Vitter, Mark Foley, Bill Clinton, Randy Cunningham, Tom DeLay, William Jefferson, James Traficant, Robert Torricelli, Jack Abramoff), state (former Illinois, Louisiana, New York, Ohio, and Arizona governors), and local (Miami, Providence city officials; Miami-Dade, Broward, and Palm Beach counties)—have encountered scandals involving ethical wrongdoing. Businesses (Enron, Worldcom) and nonprofit organizations (Boy Scouts, United Way) have faced similar problems. Countless less visible examples of unethical and ethical behavior occur in organizations daily. This course examines the causes and consequences of such actions and the managerial strategies and competencies needed to effectively cope with the ethical issues confronting individuals and organizations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
POL 658. From Electronic Government to Digital Governance. 3 Credit Hours.
Graduate and advanced undergraduate seminar explores the transition from electronic government (e-gov) to digital or d-governance, emphasizing political participation, citizen-centric public administration and the proliferation of global information technologies and social media.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 659. International Organizations. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines international organizations which, in addition to contributing to the solution of international problems, also help to provide rules and structures to manage state-to-state relationships.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 661. Ending Wars and Building Peace. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines how local and international actors build sustainable peace strategically through peace-keeping, peace accords, reconciliation, education, human rights, international law, and state-building.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 669. LGBTI Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
Describes and explains global variance in government policies of interest to lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex citizens including sodomy laws, anti-discrimination ordinances, same-sex marriage and adoption, military service, and the right to change one's sex or identify as neither male nor female.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 670. Uniting States in International Perspective. 3 Credit Hours.
How states form and fragment; the main actors in nation formation; the elements of continuity and change; the impact outsiders can have on the process.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 671. Government and Business. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines government-business-society relations with emphasis on the social, economic, political, technological, ethical, and ecological environment.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 672. Program Planning, Research and Evaluation in Criminal Justice and Corrections, I. 3 Credit Hours.
Identification of long-term goals and intermediate objectives in the criminal justice process. Formulation of operations, evaluation techniques and the relationships among research, evaluation and management decisions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 673. Program Planning, Research and Evaluation in Criminal Justice and Corrections, II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of POL 672. Topics include types of evaluation and the design of evaluative studies. POL 672 and POL 673 are designed to facilitate the formulation and execution of a thesis.
Prerequisite: POL 672.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 675. The Politics of Civil- Military Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
Course examines the relationship between states and their soldiers across various historical periods and regional contexts, and how this relationship has been altered in an era where the viability of old structures of state authority are no longer self-evident.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
POL 676. On Violence: The Politics of Extremes. 3 Credit Hours.
Literary and theoretical treatments are considered for what they can tell us about the causes, characteristics and consequences of violence. These insights are enlisted to help us understand violence enacted by states against their societies, societies against states, and within society itself.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 677. Security in South Asia. 3 Credit Hours.
The security system of South Asia's northern reaches and the current conflict involving Afghanistan, Pakistan, and India: considerations of sovereignty and the role of frontiers in world politics.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 678. Energy and Security in Eurasia. 3 Credit Hours.
Engages intersection of energy and security within the contested space of Eurasia.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 680. Ethnicity, Nationalism, and Secession. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of the creation, breakdown, and aftermath of communist governments in Eastern Europe and the Soviet Union. Using empirical evidence from four case studies, develops a theoretical framework for understanding cross-national patterns of post-communist development in the context of country specific experiences.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 681. Comparative Political Economy of Post-Industrial Democracies. 3 Credit Hours.
This seminar examines four key turning points in the development of capitalism: the industrial revolution, the aftermath of the depression and world wars, the oil crisis of the 1970's, and today's "globalization". We will compare the relationships between government and the economy in Western Europe, Canada, the U.S., Australia, New Zealand, and Japan in each period, and attempt to evaluate why these countries react similarly or differently to identical changes in world economy.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 682. Political Economy of Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of the principal theoretical paradigms of the development process Comparative analysis of issues such as the role of the state, strategies of industrialization, changes in social structure, basic needs and the trade-offs between growth and equity.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 683. Seminar: Topics in the Comparative Study of the Foreign Policy of China. 3 Credit Hours.
Upon completion of this course students should be able to describe the theories that have been used to analyze Chinese politics, their strengths and weaknesses, be familiar with the tension between communist ideology and modernization, outline the PRC's party and government structure and the informal deviations thereof, assess economic progress and the difficulties ahead, be aware of the roles on interest groups such as the military, labor, ethnic minorities, and non-governmental organizations in influencing policy formation, describe the social welfare system, and evaluate the ability of the system as a whole to withstand external and internal pressures.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
POL 684. Contemporary Latin American Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course assumes a basic knowledge of Latin American politics, and is designed to foster deeper understanding of political processes in the region and to provide an overview of key debates among political scientists specializing in Latin America. We discuss issues related to democratic consolidation, political participation, representation and governance.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 685. Seminar in the Dynamics of Soviet Society. 3 Credit Hours.
Forces and factors that shape and continue to influence the development of social, political and economic institutions in the Former Soviet Union and their evolving role in decision making.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 686. Conflict in the Middle East and Africa. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to major paradigms for the explanation of war and conflict in two of the most unstable regions of the world. Reading and class discussions on select cases of current and past conflicts in each region in order to discern patterns of conflict within and across regions, gain a clearer understanding of what drives violent conflict, and assess strategies of resolution.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 687. Illicit Trade in the Global Economy. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines the rise of illicit trade, the actors and groups involved, and international and national attempts to stop it.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.

POL 688. Politics in China. 3 Credit Hours.
Development and nature of Chinese domestic politics in theory and practice; problems of political stability and conflict; the role of historical and cultural traditions, institutions, social, economic and personality factors in Chinese politics; process of change and problems of leadership succession; the significance of changes in the character and style of Chinese leadership.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 689. Directed Research. 1-3 Credit Hours.
An opportunity for graduate students to assist faculty members with research for course credit. A student may only sign up if s/he has found a professor who has agreed to work with him/her.
Components: RSC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 690. Directed Readings. 3 Credit Hours.
Provides an opportunity for students to organize an independent study with a particular tenure-line faculty member. A student may only sign up if s/he has found a professor who has agreed to work with him/her.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 691. International Security. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis and evaluation of approaches to international conflict, resolution, reduction and stabilization such as international organization, law, collective security, balance of power, functionalism, world government, morality, and conscience. Special emphasis on recent problems and efforts at institutionalizing social control.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
POL 692. International Political Economy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to the study of International Political Economy (IPE). It combines a focus on the main theoretical and methodological approaches used in the study of IPE with the analysis of historical and contemporary issues.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 693. International Relations of the Middle East. 3 Credit Hours.
Regional and inter-regional analysis of the foreign relations of Middle Eastern nations, domestic and geopolitical factors.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 694. European Security. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines regional security in Europe, focusing on NATO expansion, EU expansion, Russian foreign policy and related issues.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 695. Special Topics in Political Theory and Methods. 1-3 Credit Hours.
A seminar in Political Theory and Methods; designed to give the student a greater degree of insight and knowledge of a particular subject and to develop ability in the techniques of individual research, group discussion and analysis. The senior seminars may be taken in any sequence.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 696. Special Topics in Public Administration, Policy, and Law. 1-3 Credit Hours.
A seminar in public policy, administration and law; designed to give the student a greater degree of insight and knowledge of a particular subject and to develop ability in the techniques of individual research, group discussion and analysis.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

POL 697. Special Topics in International Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
A seminar in international relations; designed to give the student a greater degree of insight and knowledge of a particular subject and to develop ability in the techniques of individual research, group discussion and analysis. The senior seminars may be taken in any sequence.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 698. Special Topic in American Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
A graduate seminar in American Politics designed to give the student a greater degree of insight and knowledge of a particular subject and to develop ability in the techniques of individual research, group discussion, and analysis.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 699. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Substantive topics vary by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 810. Master's Thesis. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Designed for student working on masters’ theses. Not to exceed six credit hours, as determined by student’s advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
POL 810 MPA Program.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
POL 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Research in residence for thesis or master's degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in POL 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted; regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

Certificate in Public Administration
Overview
The Certificate in Public Administration is available in both the traditional and online platform. The program is available to a student wishing to earn just a certificate or to a student who wants to earn a spot in the master's of Public Administration program but does not meet the admission criteria. The Certificate requires the completion of any six of the core MPA courses with a grade of B or higher in all six courses (see MPA course listing (p. 1846)). Students who successfully earn a B or higher in all six core courses are then eligible to enroll in the Masters in Public Administration program.

*This program is not eligible for federal or state financial aid. Contact the Office of Student Financial Assistance and Employment (https://finaid.miami.edu/) for further assistance.

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Certificate in Public Policy
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Admission Requirements

- Completion of an application
- A baccalaureate degree from an accredited institution
- Students not meeting the minimum admission requirements for the MPP program may seek admission to the certificate program, and after successful completion of 18 credits from the core courses of the MPP program, with a grade of B or higher in all courses, will be accepted into the MPP as a degree-seeking student.

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J.D./M.P.A. Joint Degree Program

The joint degree program allows students to obtain both JD and MPA degrees in four years. The program is designed to prepare law school students for government, political and nonprofit legal positions. The first year is spent in the Law School and years two through four are spent taking both Law and MPA courses.

To be admitted to this program, students must apply separately to both programs. Students may apply to the MPA program prior to beginning law school or anytime during the first or second year of law school. Students may begin the MPA program in the fall, spring or summer semesters. For further information contact the Department of Political Science at 305-284-2401 or the Law School at 305-284-5535.

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Plan of Study

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M.A.I.A/M.P.A. Joint Degree Program

Overview

The Dual MPA/MAIA degree requires a total of 60 credits. Students are able to count 9 credits of coursework toward both programs, allowing them to complete the dual degree in 2.5 years.

Students in the MAIA/MPA Dual Degree program must be admitted to both the MAIA and MPA programs.

MAIA Admissions

The Master of Arts in International Administration (MAIA) program accepts rolling admissions. Interested students may apply to the program at any time.

- Online Application
  - Please complete the online application by clicking here (https://www.applyweb.com/miamigrd/).

- Application Fee
  - An $85.00 non-refundable application fee is paid online upon submission of the application.

- Statement of Purpose
  - The statement of purpose is the most important element of your application packet. This letter needs to reflect who you are, your goals and why you would be an asset to the MAIA program. It is very important to ensure it is grammatically correct and as detailed as possible. The statement of purpose should be no more than two pages in length. Please review before you submit.

  Below is a link to help you get started:

  OWL Statement of Purpose Guidelines (https://owl.purdue.edu/owl/purdue_owl.html).

- Letters of Recommendation
• Three letters of recommendation must be provided. One letter should be from a faculty member. Two letters should be from an employer, colleague, or other professional source.

• Official Transcripts
  • You must provide official transcripts from each post-secondary institution attended. Official transcripts in languages other than English must also be submitted with a certified English translation.

• Resume
  • Please provide a copy of your resume if it is available.

• Admissions Interview
  • The admissions interview may be conducted in person, over the phone, or via video conference.

• Grade Point Average (GPA)
  • A minimum overall undergraduate grade point average (GPA) of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale.

• Official TOEFL (or IELTS) Score
  • All international students are required to take this exam in order to demonstrate sufficient English competency. The "Test Of English As A Foreign Language (TOEFL)" exam is offered as a paper-based test (PBT) or an internet-based test (IBT). A score of 550 is required for the PBT; a score of 80 is required for the IBT.
  • Students may also take the "International English Language Testing System (IELTS)" exam to demonstrate sufficient competency in English. A score of 6.5 or higher is required.
  • All international students must provide a copy of their results on either exam.
  • International students from countries whose primary language is English are not required to take this exam.

**MPA Admission Requirements**

• In cooperation with the College of Arts and Science, the Department of Political Science, the Graduate Program will review applicant files and make admissions decisions.

  Requirements for Admission Include:

  • Completion of an application
  
  • A baccalaureate degree from an accredited institution
  
  • A cumulative undergraduate GPA of 3.0. (In order to limit class size for maximum teacher-student exchange, the MPP program will give preference to students with above average GRE scores, excellent letters of recommendation, and superior writing skills).
  
  • GRE minimum combined score (verbal and quantitative) set by the Graduate School. The Graduate School has occasionally provided waivers for exceptional cases.
  
  • Two letters of recommendation

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MAIA Capstone

IGS 617 or IGS 820
Capstone in International Administration
Research in Residence

MPA REQUIREMENTS

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POL 610 Statistics for Politics and Public Administration 3
POL 622 Introduction to Graduate Public Administration 3
POL 646 Public Policy Process and Implementation 3
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POL 651 Productivity in the Public and Non-Profit Sectors 3
POL 671 Government and Business 3

MPA Specialized Courses (9 of these credits are in fulfillment of both degrees) 12

Students select an additional four courses from those listed below, with at least one course from each of the subfields:

Organizational Management and Leadership:

POL 619 Introduction to Game Theory for Political Science
POL 624 Non-Profit Organizations: Law, Policy, and Management
POL 652 Total Quality Public Service Management: Achieving High Performance Government

POL 654 Politics and Ethics
POL 696 Special Topics in Public Administration, Policy, and Law

Topic: Organizational Security Management
Topic: Ending War and Building Peace

Equity, Ethics, and Legal Issues in Public Administration

POL 626 Administrative Law
POL 657 Ethical and Managerial Issues in Government, Business and Non-Profit Organization.

POL 696 Special Topics in Public Administration, Policy, and Law

Topic: Equity and Diversity in Public Administration
Topic: Issues in Judicial Politics

Issues in Public Policy and Administration

POL 625 Comparative Public Policy and Administration
POL 634 Applied Policy Analysis

POL 658 From Electronic Government to Digital Governance
POL 696 Special Topics in Public Administration, Policy, and Law

Topic: Bureaucratic Politics
Topic: Money, Power, and Politics in American Cities

MPA Internship

POL 656 Public Service Internship 3

Total Credit Hours 60

Sample Plan of Study

Students may complete the requirements for the MAIA and MPA degrees consecutively or in succession.

Applicants must be admitted into the MAIA and MPA programs on a separate basis, based on the admissions requirements and procedure of each individual program. Acceptance by one program does not in any way indicate or guarantee acceptance by the other degree program.

Average Program Duration: 2.5 years
Number of required credits: 60
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### M.P.A. Masters in Public Administration

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Mission
The Masters of Public Administration program seeks to provide the highest quality graduate education for current and prospective public service officials in government and nonprofit organizations. The program strives to achieve local, state and national prominence through a contemporary curriculum, innovative instruction, scholarly and applied research, and service to key stakeholders. Program activities are designed to develop and enhance management skills essential to public and nonprofit organizations oriented towards a diverse metropolitan environment.

Goals
Student Learning Outcomes
- Students should be able to demonstrate critical analytical and writing skills related to public policy and administration by the time they graduate.
- Students will demonstrate oral communication skills.
- Students will demonstrate analytical competencies acquired through internships.

M.P.A. Online
The MPA program is designed to provide students with a comprehensive and holistic understanding of what you will need to be an effective public service leader. Students will explore the most critical areas of public administration, planning and financial budgeting, political analysis and personnel administration as well as contemporary issues in Ethics, Digital Governance, NGOs and Global Governance. Assignment examples include practice in management consulting, policy making and democratic input.

Influence the future of your community. A Master's degree in Public Administration from the University Miami gives you access to a rewarding career in Public Service. According to the Bureau of Labor Statistics, this is a growing field with the number of new government jobs predicted to increase by 1.4 million over the next ten years. Visit our website for more information. (http://miami.edu/online/programs/masters-in-public-administration/)

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1 POL 696 may be taken multiple times for credit. Students may also take an appropriate elective in lieu of retaking POL 696.

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M.P.A./M.P.H. Second Master's Degree in Public Health

Master of Public Administration Joint Degree (MPA/MPH)
The Master of Public Administration/ Master in Public Health (MPA/MPH) degree is offered jointly by the University of Miami College of Arts and Sciences and the Miller School of Medicine's Department of Public Health Sciences. The joint degree is designed for students who seek an in-depth knowledge of public health with training in management and public policy administration. Students may complete the requirements for the MPA and MPH degrees consecutively or in succession.

Applicants must be admitted into the MPH and MPA programs on a separate basis, based on the admissions requirements and procedure of each individual program. Acceptance by one program does not in any way indicate or guarantee acceptance by the other degree program.

Average Program Duration: 2.5 years
Number of required credits: 66

Admission Requirements
- Application - Applicants must submit their application online through SOPHAS (https://sophas.org/), the centralized application service of the Association of Schools and Programs of Public Health (ASPPH) (https://www.aspph.org/). All application materials, including transcripts, test scores, statement of purpose/personal statement, resume/CV, and letters of recommendations, must be submitted directly through SOPHAS. Applicants to the MPH/MPA joint degree must apply to both, the Department of Public Health Sciences MPH program and to the College of Arts & Sciences MPA program separately.

- Transcripts – Applicants must submit official transcripts from all previously attended colleges and universities. All foreign transcripts must be official and submitted in the original language. If the original language is not English, an official translation must be submitted along with the transcript. We do not accept evaluations from foreign credentialing service organizations. All non-U.S. transcripts must be evaluated by the World Education Service (https://www.wes.org/) (WES) using ICAP course-by-course evaluation service.

- Standardized Test Scores - Applicants are required to submit GRE general exam scores (http://www.ets.org/gre/revised_general/about/) taken within the last five years. Alternatively, MCAT and LSAT scores are acceptable for the MPH degree programs only. Applicants to the MPH program who hold advanced degrees (MD, JD, PhD, MBBS, and other doctoral degrees) are encouraged, but not required to submit test scores. Standardized test waivers are available on a case-by-case basis.

- English Proficiency Exam - International students whose native language is not English and/or did not graduate from an English-teaching institution are required to submit TOEFL (https://www.ets.org/toefl/) or IELTS (https://www.ielts.org/en-us/) scores.

- Resume/Curriculum Vitae – Applicants must include a detailed resume including employment, public health experiences, community service, research, and academic or professional honors.

- Statement of Purpose/Personal Statement – Applicants are required to submit a statement of purpose that details their academic interest in the program. The statement should discuss any experiences in public health including field experience, research, training, education or other related qualifications. Applicants should discuss how earning the degree will contribute to their future professional and career goals, as well as to the future of public health. Applicants should also address any academic deficiencies, if applicable.

- Letters of Recommendation – Applicants must provide three letters of recommendation from individuals who are best able to assess their ability to be successful in a graduate degree program. Ideally, recommenders are recent professors, researchers or employers in a related field. Letters must be signed and on letterhead. Applicants will be asked to include the contact information of their recommenders on the SOPHAS application and recommenders will be sent an online form to complete via email.

For more information about our application process, please click here (https://graduatetstudies.publichealth.med.miami.edu/admissions/application-process/). To obtain detailed curricula on all our program offerings, please visit our website (http://publichealth.med.miami.edu/).

For further information, please contact:
Andria L. Williams, MBA
Director of Admissions
Department of Public Health Sciences
University of Miami Miller School of Medicine
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### Sample Plan of Study

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### M.P.P. Master of Public Policy

#### Overview

The Master of Public Policy (MPP) is a graduate professional degree proposed by the Department of Political Science in the College of Arts & Sciences. In contrast to the existing Master of Public Administration (MPA) degree, the MPP degree has a deeper focus on the development and effects of public policy, the use of quantitative analysis, the role of economic factors in public decision making, resource allocation, and decision modeling. Building on the successful curriculum of the online and on campus MPA program, adding the MPP degree to the Department of Political Science's catalog continues to propel us into the ranks of preeminence among peer institutions that also offer both MPA and MPP degrees. Success of the MPP program requires collaboration between the Department of Political Science, other disciplines with a stake in public policy, and the College of Arts and Sciences to ensure
that current resources are used effectively, existing strengths of the university and its faculty are built upon, and faculty are strategically added to develop a MPP program fitting for a hemispheric university.

**Admission Requirements**

In cooperation with the College of Arts and Science, the Department of Political Science, the Graduate Program will review applicant files and make admissions decisions.

**Requirements for Admission Include:**

- Completion of an application
- A baccalaureate degree from an accredited institution
- A cumulative undergraduate GPA of 3.0. (In order to limit class size for maximum teacher-student exchange, the MPP program will give preference to students with above average GRE scores, excellent letters of recommendation, and superior writing skills).
- GRE minimum combined score (verbal and quantitative) set by the Graduate School. The Graduate School has occasionally provided waivers for exceptional cases.
- Two letters of recommendation

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Students must complete one of the tracks below.

**Public Management and Leadership Track**

Complete 15 credits from these options:

- COS 630 Conflict Management
- POL 606 Organizational Dynamics and Management
- POL 624 Non-Profit Organizations: Law, Policy, and Management
- POL 647 Human Resource Management in Public Service
- POL 651 Productivity in the Public and Non-Profit Sectors
- POL 657 Ethical and Managerial Issues in Government, Business and Non-Profit Organization.
- POL 658 From Electronic Government to Digital Governance
- POL 659 International Organizations
- STC 623 Crisis Communication and Management
- STC 620 Public Relations Fundamentals

**Analytics Track**

Complete 15 credits from these options:

- GEG 691 Geographic Information Systems I
- GEG 693 Geographic Information Systems II
- POL 616 Experiments in Political Science
- POL 617 Introductory Statistical Methods in Political Science
- POL 618 Advanced Statistical Methods in Political Science
- POL 619 Introduction to Game Theory for Political Science (Cost Benefit Analysis and Public Policy)
SOC 613  Qualitative Research Methods

Cost-Benefit Analysis and Public Policy (New Course TBD)

**Foreign Policy and Security Track**

Complete 15 credits from these options:

- POL 611  Security in the Arabian Peninsula
- POL 630  Intelligence and National Security
- POL 644  Chinese Foreign Policy
- POL 677  Security in South Asia
- POL 691  International Security
- POL 693  International Relations of the Middle East
- POL 694  European Security
- IGS 645  Human Security: Prevention Mitigation
- IGS 646  Civil Security Management

Global Trade (New Course TBD)

**Health and Social Policy Track**

Complete 15 credits from these options:

- ACC 670  Financial Reporting and Analysis
- HMP 601  Essentials of Health Care Administration
- HMP 655  Public Policy and Health
- HMP 684  Analysis of Health Care Delivery and Policy
- INS 672  Global Health Policy and Ethics
- POL 605  Sex, Babies, and the State
- POL 655  Public Policy and Health
- POL 669  LGBTI Politics
- POL 682  Political Economy of Development

**Environmental and Sustainability Track**

Complete 15 credits from these options:

- IGS 644  Energy Security and Environmental Sustainability
- MES 616  Ocean Policy and Development and Analysis
- MES 620  Environmental Law and Policy
- MES 720  Coastal Law and Policy
- POL 631  Global Environment Politics
- POL 645  Environmental Policy Making
- POL 653  The Environmental Movement: Groups, Beliefs and Values
- RSM 620  Climate and Society

**Individualized Track**

Complete 15 credit hours with approval of faculty advisor.

**Approved Electives**

- POL 656  Public Service Internship (or Applied Project)

Additional electives with approval of faculty advisor

**Total Credit Hours**

- 36 to 48 hours at the graduate level, depending on public policy experience and academic preparation

**Completion of core and specialization track course requirements as specified by the POL Department in consultation with student's career goals and interests**

***All other requirements as stated in sections Requirements for the Master of Arts degree and General Information."
## Sample Plan of Study

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### Mission

The Masters of Public Policy (MPP) is a professional degree that provides students with core skills in economics, policy analysis and ethics. The program seeks to build professional competencies in research, analysis and evaluation of various public issues (e.g., social, global, economic, health) to enable formulation of effective policy solutions. The focus is on the development and use of quantitative analysis skills to assess public policy alternatives, while also developing and enhancing proficiency in management and the implementation process.

### Goals

The MPP degree stresses the research, analysis and evaluation of various public issues (e.g., social, global, economic, health) to develop effective policy solutions. In general, MPP programs give great attention to policy formulation, analysis and evaluation.

### Student Learning Outcomes

- Students should be able to demonstrate critical thinking and writing skills related to public policy, politics, ethics and economic analysis by the time they graduate
- Students will demonstrate quantitative analysis and oral communication skills
- Students will demonstrate analytical competencies through an internship or applied capstone project
Psychology

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Dept. Code: PSY

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PSY 601. Issues in Professional Development and Research. 1 Credit Hour.
Seminar addressing issues such as structure of academic systems and progress through them, time management, library search systems, professional journals, how to structure curriculum vitae, procedures and rules in human subject research, professional meetings and presentations, extramural funding opportunities, professional writing style, ethical issues.
Requisite: Plan of Graduate Psychology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 602. Scientific writing and grantsmanship. 3 Credit Hours.
Writing and organizational skills for professional development in social and behavioral sciences. Mechanism of extramural funding and grant review, including grantsmanship.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 603. Neuroanatomy. 3 Credit Hours.
Functional neuroanatomy for individuals engaged in basic neuroscience and psychological research. Gross anatomy, identification of pathways and circuits, and physiological functions of neuroanatomical systems. Clinical examples and case histories of neuroanatomical disorders. Laboratory exercises including brain dissections, examination of brain models and atlases, and internet neuroanatomy websites.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 604. Cognition and Emotion. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of basic cognitive processes of attention and memory, the function of emotions, and the role of cognitive mechanisms in the processing of affective information.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 605. Cognitive Neuroscience. 3 Credit Hours.
Brain mechanisms in cognition and behavior, including sensory encoding and perception, attention, motivation, emotion, learning/memory, language, executive functions, and mental disorders.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 606. Biobehavioral Processes and Disease in Health Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Discussion of basic processes of central nervous system, cardiovascular, endocrine, immune and other biological systems in the context of behavioral medicine, psychoneuroimmunology, and health psychology research.
Prerequisite: PSY 610.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
PSY 609. Psychopharmacology. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic methods and current issues in psychopharmacology.
Prerequisite: PSY 605.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 610. Behavioral Medicine: Overview of Basic Science, Public Health, and Clinical Trial Approaches. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of biobehavioral, psychosocial and sociocultural factors in pathogenesis, prevention and treatment of physical disorders.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 613. Psychoneuroimmunology. 3 Credit Hours.
Structural and functional aspects of the immune system that are sensitive to neural and psychological processes. Interactions between the nervous and immune systems are examined in relation to empirical associations between psychological factors (i.e., stress) and immune-mediated processes in diseases such as cancer and AIDS.
Prerequisite: PSY 605.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 614. Diversity issues in psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of diversity issues including race, religion, gender, age, sexual orientation, physical disability and socioeconomic status as they relate to psychological research and clinical practice.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 615. Foundations of neuropsychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Mechanisms of neurological and psychiatric disorders, including developmental disorders, dementia, aphasia, amnesia, stroke, traumatic brain injury, and loss of general intelligence. Clinical tools for neuropsychological assessment, forensics, and genetic screening.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 616. Biobehavioral Processes and Clinical Research Applications in Health Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Conduct of clinical research and examination of biobehavioral processes in health psychology. Lectures, readings and assignments deal with clinical research involving pathology, assessment and intervention-based functions with applications focused on health and disease conceptualized at multiple levels of prevention.
Prerequisite: PSY 606 and PSY 610.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 620. Advanced Developmental Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Mechanisms underlying continuity and change over the lifespan. Topics include developmental theories and methods; specific domains of development (perceptual, cognitive, social/emotional); socialization processes; and emerging adulthood, parenting, and aging.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 621. Theories of Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Theoretical aspects of psychological development throughout the life span.
Prerequisite: PSY 620.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 622. Cognitive Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Theories of cognitive development across infancy, childhood, and adolescence. Topics include measurement approaches, normative development, individual differences, etiological factors and contextual influences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
PSY 623. Language Development. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of language acquisition, primarily focusing on infancy through 5 years. Topics covered include biological bases of language, sound discrimination abilities, babbling and speech production, word learning, acquisition of grammar, bilingualism, and development in atypical populations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 624. Social Development. 3 Credit Hours.
The theoretical and empirical literature on typical and atypical social development—including emotional development and social cognition—in infants, children, and adolescents. Topics include measurement approaches, individuals differences and contextual influences.
Prerequisite: PSY 620.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 625. Social Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
The major substantive areas and theories of social psychology. Emphasis on applications to students’ own research field.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 631. Psychological Statistics, Research Methods, and Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Statistics for experimental design with uncorrelated independent variables. Review of t-tests; designs and applications of analysis of variance; including one-way, factorial, repeated-measures, and mixed designs; post hoc comparisons among means.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 632. Multiple Regression. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of the general linear model. Computer application of these techniques to the behavioral sciences. Design and measurement considerations.
Prerequisite: PSY 631.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 633. Structural Equation Modeling. 3 Credit Hours.
Structural models, path analysis, measurement models, and confirmatory factor analysis, particularly related to hypotheses about causal relations, change over time, and comparisons across diverse populations.
Prerequisite: PSY 632.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 634. Multilevel Modeling. 3 Credit Hours.
Multi-level modeling of nested and non-independent data. Application of multilevel modeling to social science and behavioral data, including computer laboratory exercises.
Prerequisite: PSY 632.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 636. Research Methods with Children and Adolescents. 3 Credit Hours.
Concepts and research design approaches for the measurement and analysis of data across developmental stages from infancy through adolescence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 638. Psychology of Infant Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory, research, and methodology pertaining to psychological development in the first three years of life. Emphasis on both general developmental processes, and individual differences in cognitive, social, and emotional development.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
PSY 639. Autism and Developmental Disabilities. 3 Credit Hours.
Developmental disabilities with an emphasis on autism. Biological, social, cognitive and emotional concomitants. History, etiology, assessment, and individual differences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 640. Adult Psychopathology. 3 Credit Hours.
Theories, models, history, and research relevant to various patterns of problematic behavior, with a focus on adults. The influences of family systems as well as cultural and other diversity factors (e.g., ethnicity, sexual orientation) are included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 641. Child and Adolescent Psychopathology. 3 Credit Hours.
Theories, models, and research relevant to the development and the course of behavioral disorders and other problems (e.g., maltreatment, exposure to violence and poverty) that emerge in childhood and adolescence. The influences of family and peer systems as well as cultural and other diversity factors (e.g., ethnicity, sexual orientation) are included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 642. Advanced Adult Psychopathology. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory and research on risk factors and etiological models of mental disorders. Socioenvironmental (cultural, social support, life events), psychological (temperament, cognitive biases), and biological (genes, neurotransmitters) models of risk, research methodology, and design are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 643. Behavioral Medicine and Developmental Disabilities. 3 Credit Hours.
Processes influencing diagnosis and management of developmental disabilities: genetics, embryology/fetology, physical growth and development, nutrition, hearing and speech pathology, family dynamics, cognition and psycho-educational assessment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 645. Introduction to Psychological Evaluation. 3 Credit Hours.
Measurement theory; introduction to the administration and interpretation of widely-used intelligence and personality tests, with attention to issues of ethics and diversity.
Requisite: Plan of Graduate Psychology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 646. Psychological Evaluation of Adults. 3 Credit Hours.
Administration, interpretation, and psychometric evaluation of psychological tools and procedures used in the evaluation of adult psychopathology. Attention to issues of ethics and diversity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 647. Psychological Evaluation of Children and Families. 3 Credit Hours.
Administration, interpretation, and psychometric evaluation of psychological tools and procedures used in the evaluation of children, adolescents, and families. Attention to issues of ethics and diversity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 648. Psychological Evaluation in Physical Disorders. 3 Credit Hours.
Administration, interpretation, and psychometric evaluation of psychological tools and procedures used in the evaluation of physical disorders. Attention to issues of ethics and diversity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
PSY 650. Laboratory in Clinical Psychology. 0 Credit Hours.
Practical training in clinical skills such as assessment, interviewing, and case conceptualization. Laboratory to be used in conjunction with courses such as PSY 640 and PSY 645
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 655. Evolution and Sex. 3 Credit Hours.
A biological/evolutionary approach to the study of human sexuality and cognition. The evolution of sexual reproduction and the evolution of the two sexes. Initial discussions will introduce the theory of evolution by natural selection and address the different levels at which selection operates. Building on this foundation, the class will focus on why sex evolved and the myriad physiological and psychological adaptations that evolved as a consequence. Topics to be covered include sexual selection, mate selection, pregnancy, and parent-offspring conflict.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 656. Introduction to Evidence-Based Psychological Treatments. 3 Credit Hours.
Theories, history, and techniques of psychological and behavioral therapies, with emphasis on evidence-based approaches.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 657. Introduction to Psychotherapy, Ethics, and Professional Issues. 3 Credit Hours.
Introductory experience in clinical interviewing, therapeutic communication, ethics, and case conceptualization. Consideration of client-and-therapist culture, gender, and diversity are also emphasized.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 660. Evidence-Based Psychological Intervention with Children and Families. 3 Credit Hours.
Theories, history, and techniques of psychological and behavioral therapies, with emphasis on evidence-based approaches with children, adolescents, and families. Understanding normative and deviant development, with attention to issues of diversity, ethics, and domestic violence.
Prerequisite: PSY 656.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 661. Interventions in Pediatric Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Pediatric psychology and basic learning theory. Medical and behavioral aspects of child and adolescent health disorders, psychological assessment, and evidence-based treatment approaches.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 662. Health Psychology Interventions. 3 Credit Hours.
Clinical interventions and research relevant to health problems and lifestyle, with emphasis on critical evaluations of past research and the design and implementation of intervention protocols. The origins of health psychology and the role of the health psychologist in medical systems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 663. Measurement in Applied Behavior Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
A graduate-level 45-hour course that covers aspects of behavior analysis related to strategies and tactics of behavioral assessment, measurement, data display, and investigational design. In addition to covering task-list items related to measurement and single-case design in behavior analysis practice; we will read select articles from the Journal of Applied Behavior Analysis covering a variety of applications of behavioral principles. We will read from a selection of seminal articles in behavior analysis and current, contemporary research. We will evaluate the measurement and design strategies employed in the articles.
Prerequisite: PSY 666. And must pass with a GPA 3.2.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
PSY 664. Ethics and Professional Conduct in Behavior Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an overview of ethics and professional conduct in the field of behavior analysis. The course will provide in-depth information on the BACB Professional and Ethical Compliance Code for Behavior Analysts. The course will cover professional issues related to responsible conduct of behavior analysts, behavior analysts' ethical responsibility to clients and colleagues, including issues related to assessment of behavior, development and implementation of behavior change programs, clinical supervision and mentoring, the profession of behavior analysis and the BACB, and the conducting and reporting of research. In accordance with the Behavior Analysis Certification Board (BACB), this course meets criteria for 30 instructional hours in the area of Ethical and Professional Conduct, 5 hours in the area of Intervention and Behavior Change Consideration, 5 hours in the area of Measurement, 15 hours in the area of Experimental Design and 15 hours in the area of discretionary.
Requisite: PSY 666. And must pass with a GPA 3.2.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 665. Advanced Topics in Applied Behavior Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers a number of advanced research and clinical issues relevant to the field of applied behavior analysis, including, particularly as they relate to the field of developmental disabilities. The course will provide in-depth information related to the selection of appropriate interventions, including staying abreast of current research, critically interpreting research, considering individual client needs and developing treatment programs that are consistent with the science of applied behavior analysis. The course will additionally cover issues related to the implementation and management of clinical service provisions, including ensuring appropriate and accurate data collection, maintaining procedural fidelity and providing supervision and training. In accordance with the Behavior Analysis Certification Board (BACB), this course meets criteria for 15 instructional hours in the area of Measurement, 15 hours in the area of Experimental Design and 15 hours in the area of discretion.
Requisite: PSY 666. And must pass with a GPA 3.2.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 666. Concepts and Principles of Applied Behavior Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA), which is the clinical application of behavioral science and learning theory towards the treatment of problematic behavioral and behavioral deficits. In this course, students will become familiar with the scientific foundations of behavioral science and the basic concepts and principles of behavior analysis. The course will emphasize terminology and definitions of behavioral concepts, as well as introduce the application of those concepts across a range of clinical scenarios. In accordance with the Behavior Analysis Certification Board (BACB), this course meets criteria for 45 instructional hours in the area of Concepts and Principals of Behavior Analysis.
Requisite: PSY 666 OR PSY 676 OR PSY 677 AND Bachelor's degree AND GPS>=3.2.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 667. Assessment and Treatment of Language Learning. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the application of behavior analysis towards the treatment of individuals exhibiting behavioral deficits or developmental delays. Throughout this course, students will acquire in-depth knowledge of behavioral analytic approaches for promoting the development of new skills and for supporting and maintaining those skills over time. Students will learn to prioritize target behaviors for clinical intervention as well as how to use applied behavior analytic techniques and procedures to develop effective treatment plans. Clinical and professional issues (e.g., fidelity of implementation, monitoring effectiveness) will also be discussed. In accordance with the Behavior Analysis Certification Board (BACB), this course meets criteria for 10 instructional hours in the area of Identification of the Problem and Assessment, 30 instructional hours in the area of Fundamental Elements of Behavior Change and Specific Behavior Change Procedures, and 5 instructional hours in the area of Behavior Change Systems.
Requisite: PSY 666 OR PSY 676 OR PSY 677 AND Bachelor's degree AND GPS>=3.2.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 668. Functional Assessment and Function-Based Treatment. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will focus on the application of behavior analysis toward the treatment of aberrant behavior. Throughout this course, students will acquire in-depth knowledge of behavior analytic approaches toward the assessment of aberrant behavior (e.g., functional behavioral assessment (FBA) and functional analysis). In addition, the course will focus on how behavior analysis use the results of a behavioral assessment to develop effective and ethical behavioral interventions to reduce aberrant behavior. Clinical and professional issues (e.g., fidelity of implementation, monitoring effectiveness) will also be discussed. In accordance with the Behavior Analysis Certification Board (BACB), this course meets criteria for 25 instructional hours in the area of Identification of the Problem & Assessment, 15 instructional hours in the area of Fundamental Elements of Behavior Changes and Specific Behavior Change Procedures and 5 instructional hours in the area of Intervention of Behavior Change Considerations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
**PSY 669. Professional Issues in Designing and Monitoring Interventions. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course covers a number of professional issues related to the competent and ethical delivery of applied behavior analysis services. The course will provide in-depth information related to the selection of appropriate interventions, including staying abreast of current research, critically interpreting research, considering individual client needs and developing treatment programs that are consistent with the science of applied behavior analysis. The course will additionally cover issues related to the implementation and management of clinical service provisions, including ensuring appropriate and accurate data collection, maintaining procedural fidelity and providing supervision and training. Finally, the course will provide information about the professional and ethical compliance code for behavior analysis, as outlined by the Behavior Analysis Certification Board (BACB). In accordance with the Behavior Analysis Certification Board (BACB), this course meets criteria for 15 instructional hours in the area of Ethical and Professional Conduct, 10 hours in the area of Measurement, 10 hours in the area of Experimental Design and 10 hours in the area of Implementation, Management and Supervision.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

**PSY 670. Practicum in Clinical Psychology. 1-3 Credit Hours.**
Supervised experience in evaluating and treating psychological problems of children, adolescents, families, and/or adults behavior. For students placed at the U.M. Psychological Services Clinic there is a weekly case conference that focuses on ethics case conceptualization. Course may be repeated for credit.

**Components:** PRA.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**PSY 671. Practicum in Clinical Psychology II. 0 Credit Hours.**
Continuation of PSY 670.
**Corequisite:** PSY 645.

**Components:** LAB.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

**PSY 672. Advanced Practicum in Clinical Psychology. 1-3 Credit Hours.**
Advanced experience in special clinical techniques and clinical supervision. Primarily for post-internship clinical students. The advisor may direct that PSY 672 be repeated, but no more than six credits may be applied toward a degree.

**Components:** PRA.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**PSY 673. Advanced Applications of Applied Behavior Analysis III. 3 Credit Hours.**
The purpose of this course is to provide students with supervised clinical experience in selecting, developing and implementing applied behavior analytic procedures and techniques. During this course, students will provide direct ABA services aimed at improving the behavioral functioning of individuals participating in ABA therapy. Experiential activities provided during this practicum course additionally focus on advanced professional issues in the design and implementation of ABA programs, so as to facilitate appropriate treatment selection, fidelity of implementation and systematic monitoring of treatment efficacy and providing training and feedback on performance. In accordance with the Behavior Analysis Certification Board (BACB), this course meets criteria for 168 hours of practicum experience.
**Prerequisite:** PSY 666.

**Components:** PRA.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

**PSY 674. Applications of ABA in Development Disabilities. 3 Credit Hours.**
The purpose of this course is to provide students with supervised clinical experience in the application of behavior analysis toward the treatment of individuals with autism and developmental disabilities who exhibit problematic behavior, behavioral deficits or developmental delays participating in ABA therapy. During this course, students will provide direct ABA services aimed at reducing problematic behavior and promoting the development and maintenance of new skills. Experiential activities provided during this practicum course focus on functional assessment, the identification of meaningful treatment goals, identification of reinforcers via systematic assessment, and the implementation of ABA intervention techniques and programs to treat problematic behavior and behavioral and language deficits. In accordance with the Behavior Analysis Certification Board (BACB), this course meets criteria for 168 hours of practicum experience.
**Prerequisite:** PSY 666. And must pass with a GPA 3.2.

**Components:** PRA.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Summer.
PSY 675. Advanced Applications of Applied Behavior Analysis II. 3 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this course is to provide students with supervised clinical experience in selecting, and developing applied behavior analytic procedures and techniques for individuals with autism and developmental delay and providing clinical supervision to those implementing behavioral procedures. During this course, students will assist instructors in providing supervision to individuals who provide direct ABA services for individuals participating in ABA therapy. Experiential activities provided during this practicum course additionally focus on advanced professional issues in the design and implementation of ABA programs, so as to facilitate appropriate treatment selection, collection of data related to fidelity of implementation and systematic monitoring of treatment efficacy. In accordance with the Behavior Analysis Certification Board (BACB), this course meets criteria for 168 hours of practicum experience.
Prerequisite: PSY 666. And must pass with a GPA 3.2.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 676. Application of ABA: Principles and Concepts. 3 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this course is to provide students with supervised clinical experience in selecting, developing and implementing applied behavior analysis procedures and techniques. During this course, students will provide direct ABA services aimed at improving the behavioral functioning of individuals participating in ABA therapy. Experiential activities provided during this practicum course focus on the application of basic principles and concepts in ABA, including the identification of behavioral targets, measuring behavioral, monitoring changes in behavior over time, and implementing reinforcement-based interventions. In accordance with the Behavior Analysis Certification Board (BACB), this course meets criteria for 168 hours of practicum experience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 677. Application of the Assessment and Treatment of Language and Learning. 3 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this course is to provide students with supervised clinical experience in the application of behavior analysis toward the treatment of individuals who exhibit behavioral deficits or developmental delays. During this course, students will provide direct ABA services aimed at promoting the development and maintenance of new skills. Experiential activities provided during this practicum course focus on the identification of meaningful treatment goals, identification of reinforcers via systematic assessment, and the implementation of ABA intervention techniques and programs to treat behavioral and language deficits. In accordance with the Behavior Analysis Certification Board (BACB), this course meets criteria for 168 hours of practicum experience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 678. Capstone in Applied Behavior Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
This advanced practicum course is a culmination of all past coursework and practicum experience in the ABA Master’s program. The course is designed to provide ABA graduate students with hands-on experience conducting and disseminating applied research to address a socially significant topic. Completion of the course requires a synthesis of a number of previously taught skills including consuming research, considering the ethics of the project, implementing behavior analytic change procedures, selecting an appropriate experimental design, measurement, graphing, and professional writing.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 679. Advanced Application of ABA. 3 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this course is to provide students with supervised clinical experience in selecting, development and implementing applied behavior procedure and techniques. During this course, student will provide direct ABA services aimed at improving the behavioral functioning of individuals participation in ABA therapy. Experiential activities provided during this practicum course additionally focus on advanced professional issues in the design and implementation of ABA programs, so as to facilitate appropriate treatment selection, fidelity of implementation and systematic monitoring of treatment efficacy. In accordance with the Behavior Analysis Certification Board (BACB), this course meets criteria for 168 hours of practicum experience.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 680. Research. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Investigation of an original problem.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
PSY 681. Research. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Investigation of an original problem.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PSY 683. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics in selected areas of specialization.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 684. Readings in Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings in selected topics.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 685. Seminar in Clinical Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 687. Seminar in Clinical Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 688. Seminar in Developmental Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 690. Seminar in Developmental Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 692. Seminar in Personality. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 693. Seminar in Behavioral Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 694. Seminar in Behavioral Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
PSY 696. Cognitive and Behavioral Neuroscience Journal Club. 1 Credit Hour.
This 1-credit course will provide an opportunity for graduate students in the Cognitive and Behavioral Neuroscience Graduate Program within the psychology department to discuss recently published literature in the field. The course will consist of in-depth discussions held every week, led by graduate students and other trainees, on research articles and topics of their choice. Typically, discussion will alternate between an empirical article and a more advanced methods article every other week. A faculty member from the CBN program will organize the journal club, facilitate and guide discussion, provide clarification of key concepts, and evaluate student performance.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 697. Seminar in Biological Psychology, Neuroimaging in the Psychological Sciences I: Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 698. Seminar in Quantitative Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 803. Internship in Clinical Psychology. 1 Credit Hour.
Supervised internship in clinical psychology. May not be counted as part of the 90 hours required for the Ph.D. degree.
Components: CLN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 804. APA Accredited Internship in Clinical Psychology. 1 Credit Hour.
Supervised internship in clinical psychology. May not be counted as part of the 90 hours required for the Ph.D. degree.
Components: CLN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PSY 805. Postdoctoral Practicum. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced clinical psychology training for individuals who have completed a clinical psychology Ph.D. or PsyD. from an APA-accredited doctoral program. Supervision of clinical activity by licensed faculty members.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 806. Summer Research Practicum. 1 Credit Hour.
Faculty-supervised research during the summer for students in the Psychology Ph.D. Program.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

PSY 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Research in residence for the thesis for the master's degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in PSY 810 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 825. Continuous Registration--Master's Study. 1 Credit Hour.
To establish residence for non-thesis master's students who are preparing for major examinations. Credit not granted. Regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
PSY 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but for not less than a total of 12 hours. Up to 12 hours may be taken in a regular semester, but not more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 840. Post-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. who have advanced to candidacy. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but not for less than a total of 12. Not more than 12 hours of PSY 740 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MS in Psychology- Applied Behavior Analysis
http://www.psy.miami.edu/aba/

The Master's program specializing in Applied Behavior Analysis is a full-time graduate program for students who have earned a bachelor's degree in Psychology or a related field and are seeking further training and/or professional certification in Applied Behavior Analysis. The 42-credit program begins each Fall and is designed to be completed in five consecutive semesters [Fall/Spring/Summer/Fall/Spring]. Students who complete the program will meet at the University instructional coursework and experiential [practicum] requirements necessary to take the exam to become a Board Certified Behavior Analyst [BCBA].

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Total Credit Hours 42

1 Classroom-based courses are offered in a face-to-face didactic format.
2 Practicum course experiences are provided within University of Miami-based ABA training clinics. Each practicum course requires students complete 15 hours per/week of supervised clinical work.
Mission

Goals
Students completing the master’s degree ABA program will meet the instructional/practicum requirements necessary to obtain certification as a Board Certified Behavior Analyst (BCBA), a master’s level certification offered by the Behavior Analyst Certification Board (BACB).

Student Learning Outcomes
- Students will acquire knowledge of foundational principles and concepts in applied behavior analysis.
- Students will acquire clinical competency in the implementation of applied behavior analytic treatments and procedures.
- Students will demonstrate ethical and responsible behavior analytic practices, in a manner that is consistent with the BACB Professional and Ethical Compliance Code for Behavior Analysts.

Ph.D. in Psychology

Overview
The Department of Psychology Graduate Program combines the Master of Science [M.S.] and Ph.D. degrees. The program is organized into four divisions: Adult, Child, Health, and Cognitive and Behavioral Neuroscience. Within the divisions, there are options for Clinical and Psychological Sciences programs. The Clinical Program trains its graduates to be scientists and practitioners, with a strong emphasis on clinical science while the Psychological Sciences Program puts emphasis on the scientific aspect. Students are accepted into a program within one of the divisions and requirements for each area of study varies according to the student’s program.

There are many steps on the path to the Ph.D. These include (1) successfully completing the Department’s core statistics and foundation courses, (2) demonstrating continued research activity, (3) completing a Master’s thesis, (4) completing advanced coursework required within the student’s program area, (5) successfully completing qualifying procedures, including satisfactorily completing a qualifying research paper, (6) completing and defending a Ph.D. dissertation, and (7) meeting all program area Competency requirements.

The minimum number of credits required for the Ph.D. in Psychology varies according to the student’s program area but in no case falls below 72 for Clinical and 60 for Psychological Sciences, which include 6 thesis credits and 12 dissertation credits. Clinical tracks require additional practicum credits and a yearlong internship.

Admission Requirements
1) Completion of an official application (online) and must include:
   - Personal statement
   - Prospective Mentor
   - Research interests
   - Desired Track

2) Baccalaureate degree from a regionally accredited institution.

3) Graduate Record Examination (GRE within 5 years).

4) 3 Letters of recommendation.

5) International applicants whose native language is not English must take the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL).

6) An interview will be required for admission.

To receive full consideration for entry into the Ph.D. Program for the Fall of the next school year, ALL application materials [application, transcripts from all universities/colleges attended, GRE scores, and letters of recommendation] must be received no later than December 1. The Department of Psychology uses an online application for admission to our graduate program.

Curriculum Requirements
1. The principal goal of the graduate program in Psychology is to prepare the student for a career contributing to the growth of scientific knowledge in psychology.

2. Applicants for admission to graduate status in psychology shall have
a. a minimum average of B.
b. at least 18 credit hours of psychology that must include courses in Introductory Psychology, Statistics, and Experimental Psychology or Research Methods.
c. Students lacking the necessary preparation must ordinarily make up deficiencies prior to admission to the Graduate School.

3. All applicants must present the Graduate Record Examination (Aptitude Tests; Advanced Test in Psychology preferred). In all cases admission to graduate degree programs in Psychology is competitive, since available resources do not permit admission of all qualified applicants.

4. The Ph.D. program in Psychology has four clinical areas of study [Adult Clinical, Child Clinical, Health Clinical, and Pediatric Health] and four Psychological Sciences areas [Behavioral Medicine, Cognitive-Behavioral Neuroscience, Developmental, and Evolution and Behavior]. All clinical Ph.D. programs in Psychology require a minimum of 72 credit hours, including 6 thesis credits (PSY 810) and 12 dissertation credits (PSY 830). Psychological Sciences programs require a minimum of 60 credit hours including 6 thesis credits (PSY 810) and 12 dissertation credits (PSY 830).

5. PSY 680 and PSY 681 will not be counted toward the 72 credit hour minimum.

6. A Master of Science in Psychology based upon 24 credit hours of course work and 6 credit hours of Master’s thesis research is a component of all programs.

7. In cases in which a student has a prior graduate degree, the number of credit hours required for the Ph.D. may be reduced at the discretion of the Department.

8. All programs in Clinical Psychology require an internship.

9. Course requirements vary according to the specific track. Below is a listing of available courses. See Graduate Student Handbook for specific track requirements.

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**Goals**

In order to achieve these goals the graduate program: 1. Develops advanced understanding of behavioral, psychological, and biological processes; 2. provides rigorous training in research design and analysis, develops advanced research skills; 3. provides detailed scientific knowledge about psychology as well as clinical psychology training and practical experience for those students seeking applied training in a career as a clinician scientist, in accordance with the American Psychological Association guidelines for accreditation in Clinical Psychology; and 4. fosters independent learning, enabling the graduate to contribute to the scientific field of Psychology, including Clinical Psychology.
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**Dept. Code:** SOC

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- M.A. in Sociology (p. 1875)

**Doctoral Program in Sociology**

- Ph.D. in Sociology (p. 1876)

**GRADUATE COURSES IN SOCIOLOGY**

**SOC 601. Classical Sociological Theory. 3 Credit Hours.**
The focus of this course is the work of Comte, Durkheim, Marx, Weber, and Parsons, along with more recent perspectives such as symbolic interactionism, phenomenology, ethnomethodology, and critical theory.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

**SOC 602. Contemporary Sociological Theory. 3 Credit Hours.**
Recent developments in social theory, such as, for example, the work of Giddens, Habermas, Derrida, Bourdieu, Baudrillard, and Lyotard, along with important themes such as feminism, integration, the linguistic turn, habitus, (anti)foundationalism, and symbolic violence.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

**SOC 603. Special Topic: Sociology of Knowledge-Science and Technology. 3 Credit Hours.**
To address the debates over the nature of social science and technology. In addition to the theoretical disputes, the applications, critiques, and politics of scientific inquiry and technology use will be the focus of attention.

Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**SOC 604. Proseminar in Sociology. 1 Credit Hour.**
Introduction to Sociology: the research process, departmental resources, and the graduate program.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
SOC 609. Social Statistics. 3 Credit Hours.
Probability theory, descriptive statistics and tests of independence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 610. Advanced Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
Quantitative techniques for the measurement of theoretical constructs, the consequences of technique selection, and the relationships between method and underlying theory.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 611. Advanced Sociological Statistical Analysis I. 3 Credit Hours.
Multiple linear regression and regression diagnostics using Stata, analysis of categorical dependent variables, count dependent variables, simultaneous equations, and panel data models. Some topics may not be covered and others may be added at the discretion of the instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

SOC 612. Sociological Statistics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced statistical analysis techniques covering topics such as hierarchical linear models (HLM), structural equation models (SEM), instrumental variables (IV), factor analysis, propensity score matching (PSM), and nonparametric methods. Some topics may not be covered and others may be added at the discretion of the instructor.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 613. Qualitative Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
In-depth introduction to qualitative, inductive methods, with emphases on grounded theory and action research. Focus on qualitative interviewing (including focus groups) and participant observation for the collection of data in naturalistic social settings, with simultaneous data analysis; qualitative methods in mixed-methods research introduced. Covers ties between methods and theory, additional basic methods used in qualitative research, and typical analytic approaches; touch on more esoteric methods; study current issues and debates relevant to this set of approaches to generating knowledge.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 614. Evaluation Research. 3 Credit Hours.
Conceptualizing, designing, conducting, and interpreting the results of evaluation research programs in health and human service agencies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 615. Class Structure and Social Stratification. 3 Credit Hours.
Theoretical and research approaches to class structure and social stratification, with a focus on the U.S. Examines the conflict perspective(s) and major alternative views including economic class, status and power, gender and race.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 616. Social Psychology: Sociological Perspectives. 3 Credit Hours.
Theories and research addressing the mutual influence between social groups and structures, on the one hand, and individual selves and behaviors, on the other. Balance emphasis between symbolic interactionist and structural approaches, with attention to additional related, yet distinct theoretical perspectives.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 617. Social Organization. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines theories of organization and work, discrimination, technology and job design, bureaucracy, productivity and organizational culture, responsible organizations, and alienation.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
SOC 620. Social Epidemiology. 3 Credit Hours.
Theories, issues and methods of study pertinent to health and illness in society. Social factors implicated in patterns of disease occurrence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 622. Teaching Seminar in Sociology. 3 Credit Hours.
Pedagogical techniques for teaching sociology at the college/university level.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

SOC 632. Social Psychology of Health and Illness. 3 Credit Hours.
Social and psychological factors affecting susceptibility to illness, health related beliefs and behaviors, the doctor-patient relationship, and health care systems and patient compliance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 635. Medical Sociology: Issues in Research and Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of health, illness, and health care from sociological perspectives. Includes social-structural, interpretive, and critical approaches, as various authors have used these to address specific issues. Phenomena to be examined range from macro (e.g. population patterns of mortality and morbidity, health care policy) to micro (e.g. the subjective experience of illness). Related theories and methodologies discussed. Focus varies somewhat by instructor and as issues emerge in the discipline.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 636. Health Diversity Across the Life Course. 3 Credit Hours.
Diversity in health across the life course from broad sociological and cross-disciplinary theoretical traditions. Key questions in medical sociology will be addressed to discover the impact of the life course processes on the health or vitality of diverse individuals and diverse populations, with a focus on inequality and the elements of time and history.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 650. Social Analysis of Race Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
The impact of race relations research on the discipline of sociology.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 651. Race Relations: Social Psychological Perspectives. 3 Credit Hours.
Social psychological perspectives on the nature, causes, and consequences of racial inequality in American society.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 652. Theories of Race and Ethnic Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
Micro- and macro-level theories of race and ethnic relations.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 653. Race, Ideology, and Framing Inequality. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines the various ideologies that have emerged on the limited states to describe and, at times, resist racial inequality.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 670. Theories in Criminology and Criminal Justice. 3 Credit Hours.
Review and critique of central criminological theories. Evaluation of these theories in view of recent criminological research.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
SOC 671. Seminar on Criminology. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected issues, topics, theories, and recent research in criminology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 672. Research in Crime and Delinquency. 3 Credit Hours.
Measurement issues; effects of race, gender, age, and socio-economic status on criminality; extra-legal factors affecting criminal justice decision making.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 673. The Criminal Justice System. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the U.S. criminal justice system. Topics include historical and current concepts of criminal justice, the interrelationships among the different components of the system, and the roles and functions of the system in American society. The four major areas covered include philosophies of punishment, policing, courts, and corrections.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

SOC 674. Seminar on Policing. 3 Credit Hours.
The role of the police in American society. The focus is on the sociological study of policing: the analysis and evaluation of research. Topics include the history of the police, their role in American society and in the American system of criminal justice. In addition, drawing upon current research studies, discussion and critique of important issues and trends in modern policing.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

SOC 675. Courts, Corrections and Punishment. 3 Credit Hours.
A broad overview of criminal court systems, sentencing, and corrections. Sociological, criminological, and sociolegal perspectives are drawn upon to blend both theoretical and policy perspectives in order to examine these systems critically. Particular attention will be given to the topics of racial, gender, and class disparities in criminal justice punishment. The course is organized around these themes: 1) theories of punishment and social control; 2) court organizations, actors, and sentencing 3) incarceration, and 4) other correctional populations, including probation and parole
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

SOC 676. Seminar on Juvenile Delinquency. 3 Credit Hours.
The overall objective is to provide students with an understanding of the current research and knowledge on juvenile delinquency. Topics include the nature and extent of delinquency, the social causes of juvenile delinquency, and assess research concerning social factors leading to delinquency. In addition, students will study current thinking and research concerning the control and prevention of delinquency.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

SOC 677. Criminology and Public Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Various issues in crime and criminal justice policy and the role of criminological theory and research in addressing them are discussed. Topics will include trends in crime rates, guns and violence, gangs, drugs and crime, policing, courts and sentencing, community corrections and offender re-entry, capital punishment, and environmental criminology. Emphasis is on understanding implications of theoretical criminology for criminal justice practice and on examining the role of scientific research and empirical evidence in addressing the issues in crime and justice. Various crime control strategies and crime prevention programs and their effectiveness and challenges to their implementation are covered. Special topics will vary by instructor.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
SOC 679. Communities and Crime. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of various aspects of the relationships between communities, crime, and crime control. Major theoretical traditions - such as social disorganization theory, routine activities theory, and broken windows - are addressed. The roles of neighborhood structure and process, and their relationships with various forms of crime and policing, are covered.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

SOC 680. Race/Ethnicity, Crime and Criminal Justice. 3 Credit Hours.
An in-depth examination of the relationships involving race, ethnicity, immigration; crime; and the criminal justice system. Topics include why these are important issues to study, how and what we know about these relationships, and how we might explain them. Attention is directed to research on defining race and ethnicity, racial and ethnic variations in criminal victimization and offending, population distributions, policing, the court system and sentencing, corrections, and the death penalty. The approach will primarily be sociological, although where appropriate other disciplines (e.g., political science, history) will be drawn on as well.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

SOC 681. Sociology of Violence. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminar on issues relevant to the sociology of violence, with a focus on violence in the United States. While the emphasis throughout will be on street violence (i.e., homicide, robbery, rape, and aggravated assault), other forms of violence (e.g., corporate violence, family violence) will also be covered. In particular, we will examine violence in historical, international, and situational contexts, the major explanations of it, the factors associated with it, and efforts to control and prevent violence.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

SOC 682. Alcohol, Drugs, and Crime. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of different categories of illegal drugs and review their basic psychopharmacology, the sociological constructions of the dangers of drug use, the racialization of drug use and connections with "dangerous classes" of people, and the social consequences of America's particular brand of social control. The goals are to present these issues in all their complexity and explore some of the repercussions of addressing them in the ways that the US has chosen.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

SOC 683. Comparative Criminal Justice Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Focus is on understanding crime and justice issues from a comparative, cross-national standpoint. Extant definitions of crime and deviance are placed in cultural contexts, existing methods of studying crime on a global scale, and various types of criminal behavior that occur in isolated group contexts as well as those crimes that transcend country boundaries are discussed. Topics will include genocide, transnational organized crime, human trafficking, and international terrorism. Criminal justice systems from select countries around the world and their responses to both localized and transnational crime are reviewed. Critical comparative analysis of crime and justice issues is emphasized. The final research paper will require integrating theory, methods, and scholarly writing using a global perspective.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

SOC 690. Directed Studies. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individually supervised readings or research on special topics. Offered by arrangement with the instructor.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 691. Special Topics and Current Issues in Medical Sociology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Seminar topics will be announced in schedule of classes.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
SOC 692. Special Topics and Current Issues in Criminology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Seminar topics will be announced in schedule of classes.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 693. Special Topics and Current Issues in Race/Ethnic Relations. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Seminar topics will be announced in schedule of classes.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 791. Graduate Internship and Paper. 6 Credit Hours.
Internships are intended to provide students with meaningful work experiences related to their professional interests. This is especially the case for students who are not yet employed in positions related to criminology and/or criminal justice. The internship period should provide the student with the opportunity to examine a criminal justice-related agency or organization, its various roles and functions, and to participate in work experiences related to that agency’s goals and purposes. The academic goal is to provide integration of theoretical concepts in criminology and criminal justice with the demands and constraints imposed within a professional work role. For students the internship represents an opportunity to achieve this integration and to acquire experience in the area in which they have been academically trained. Students who elect to take the internship and required paper will complete approximately 300 hours of work with an agency and will complete an approximately 30 page paper.
SOC 791 18 hr requirement.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SOC 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SOC 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master's degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in SOC 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SOC 830. Pre-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but not for more than 6 hours. Up to 6 hours may be taken in a regular semester or in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SOC 840. Post-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. who have advanced to candidacy. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but not for less than a total of 12.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SOC 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D. after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

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Students must submit and successfully defend a thesis in accordance with graduate school policy.

Total Credit Hours: 31

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1. These should include beginning PhD. courses.

* An M.A. in sociology is offered as the first step in the PhD.

** A minimum of 31 credit hours at the graduate level 600 of which 6 must be taken in thesis work. Funded full time students will complete 36 credits as a result of funding requirements.

*** A maximum of 6 credit hours can be transferred from acceptable graduate institutions.

**** 3 credit hours of course work may be earned in a related discipline. Such course selections must have prior departmental approval.

***** The completion of all other requirements stated in sections of the Bulletin devoted to requirements for the Master's Degree and General Information.

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All applicants to the Ph.D. program are evaluated across several indicators of academic potential, including Graduate Record Examination (GRE) scores, grade point averages (GPA), letters of recommendation, and statements of purpose. All applicants should score a minimum of 1,000 (at least 450 in each of the verbal and math sections) on the GRE (under the old scoring system; under the new GRE scoring system the approximate equivalents are a minimum of 297 total, with scores of at least 141 on the quantitative section and 150 on the verbal section). Applicants without graduate experience are expected to have a minimum overall GPA of 3.20 in undergraduate coursework. Applicants with graduate experience are expected to have a minimum overall GPA of 3.50 in graduate coursework. All applicants should provide three (3) letters of recommendation from persons who are familiar with their academic work and scholarly potential. At least two of these letters should come from professors currently or previously employed in a college or university. All applicants should provide a brief (no more than three pages), yet compelling, statement of purpose. This statement should clearly describe the applicant’s academic background, research interests, and professional goals. It should also clearly indicate how the student’s research interests are consistent with the research strengths of the department. Non-native English speakers should be prepared to
demonstrate English language proficiency, as indicated by minimum scores of 80 (internet based), 213 (computer based), or 550 (paper based) on the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) examination.

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- Students must complete a written presentation and oral defense of an acceptable dissertation

Total Credit Hours: 45

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1. An M.A. or and M.S. degree is required for admission to this program. The courses taken for the Ph.D. must be different from the courses taken for the M.A. degree.

2. A maximum of 6 Pre-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation credit hours may be taken.

3. With reference of the 45 total credits hours, it is anticipated that three credit hours will have been taken as electives at the M.A. level.

4. The satisfactory completion of the requirements of the Graduate School as stated in this Bulletin

## Curriculum Requirements

### Course requirements for students WITHOUT a M.A. in Sociology from UM:

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Total Credit Hours

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1 Students coming in without a course equivalent to SOC 609 will take 61 credits.
2 12 hours are needed to graduate. These hours should be a combination of SOC 830/SOC 840, but no more than 6 in SOC 830. SOC 830 is used during pre-candidacy – e.g., writing a publishable paper – while SOC 840 is used when writing a dissertation (post-candidacy).

Mission
The Graduate Program in Sociology at the University of Miami is designed to equip students with the theoretical, methodological, and analytical tools required for teaching and conducting research in academic and non-academic (e.g., government and private industry) settings. This goal is accomplished through a combination of classroom learning, comprehensive exams, independent research (particularly the thesis and dissertation), and teaching undergraduate students.

Goals
Student Learning Outcomes

• Students will develop a knowledge of, and the ability to use, classic and contemporary sociological theory.
• Students will develop knowledge of, and the ability to use, quantitative and qualitative research methods and analyses.
• Students will develop knowledge of two sub-fields in the discipline of sociology and demonstrate the ability to work in these areas.
• Students will develop knowledge fundamental to teaching sociology.

Business
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Departments
• Accounting
• Business Law
• Business Technology
• Economics
• Finance
• Health Management and Policy
• Management
• Management Science
• Marketing

Research Institutes
Deloitte Institute for Research and Practice in Analytics
The Deloitte Institute for Research and Practice in Analytics (DIRPA) is an initiative funded by Deloitte and designed to bring together students and faculty from the University of Miami in a cross-disciplinary effort to better understand the business and analytic needs, challenges, and opportunities of industry and community organizations across the globe.

Role
The Institute serves as a focal point and home for students and faculty from the University of Miami and select partner institutions throughout the globe, facilitating curricular, co-curricular, and industry-oriented activities related to business education, business analytics, and digital innovation.

Impact
From developing business and analytics knowledge and skills, to inspiring the analytics-driven digital innovation, to delivering pro-bono business and analytics consulting, the Institute focuses on developing university graduates and knowledge for a world in which analytics and digital innovation are at a premium across all sectors and geographies.

Institute for the Study of Quality in Manufacturing and Service
The University of Miami Institute for the Study of Quality in Manufacturing and Service (UMISQ) exists to advance the theory and practice of Quality Science. Its mission is to promote the improvement and innovation of quality on local, national, and international levels through the acquisition,
dissemination, and application of knowledge in the areas of science, technology, and management as related to Quality Science in general, and Lean Six Sigma Management specifically.

**Objectives**

1. To conduct research in Quality Science and to publish its results through appropriate professional and academic outlets.
2. To educate and train management, labor, UM students, and others in the theories and practices of Quality Science in general, and Lean Six Sigma Management specifically.
3. To create internships for M.B.A. students in which they can solve real world problems using Quality Science theory and practice in general, and Lean Six Sigma management theory and practice in particular.
4. To provide a vehicle for Lean Six Sigma certifications.

The Institute pursues its objectives through involvement of faculty, students, and client organizations in all sectors of the economy.

**Intelligent Computer Systems Research Institute**

The Intelligent Computer Systems Research Institute is a center for research and information dissemination within the field of information business technology. The institute focuses on multi-disciplinary topics such as Big Data, Analytics, Cloud Computing, Artificial Intelligence, Machine Learning, Agent technology, 'The Internet of Things', Health and Legal Informatics, Business Intelligence, and embedded systems.

**Objectives**

1. To encourage partnerships between academia and industry. Corporate partners can provide data, field studies, test environments, and other resources through which leading theoretical work can be developed tested in an applied environment.
2. To conduct research for publication in leading academic and industry related journals, as well as working papers.
3. To encourage industry partners to work with students through the creation of internship positions. These internships provide students the opportunity to act as a link between the teaching and research of the institute’s members and the field based applied environment.

**Graduate Business Student Association**

The Graduate Business Student Association (GBSA) is a professional and social student-run organization. All graduate business students become members once enrolled in a business master’s or doctoral program and are encouraged to attend meetings and events. The GBSA organizes activities and events aimed at strengthening networking within the graduate business student body and the business community while enriching the academic and social experiences of its members. The GBSA is governed by a committee that consists of a president, vice president, treasurer, secretary, marketing director, community service director, networking director, wellness and athletics director, and a Graduate School Association senator. In addition, cohort representatives are elected per program to serve as a liaison between their respective cohort and the committee.

**Financial Assistance**

**Graduate Business Scholarships and Fellowships**

There are a limited number of merit-based graduate business scholarships which are awarded at the time of admission to qualified full-time MBA and specialized Master’s students. A graduate business scholarship covers a portion of tuition for the MBA and specialized Master’s degree. Graduate business scholarships are not automatically renewed.

In addition to graduate business scholarships, there are a limited number of Emery Means Findley, Jr. Fellowships and scholarships which are awarded by Graduate Business Programs to applicants with outstanding academic credentials. Any applicant who wishes to be considered for a graduate business scholarship or a fellowship, must indicate this in the space provided on the application. Awards are available to both domestic and international students.

There may be a limited number of merit/need-based scholarships which are awarded following admission to Professional and Executive programs. Details on how to apply for these scholarships are provided at the time of admission.

**Donor Scholarships**

Several endowed scholarships are made available to incoming graduate business students through the generosity of alumni and friends of the University of Miami Business School. These donor scholarships are for the purpose of recruiting students of high academic merit. The total number and amount of scholarship awards vary from year to year.

Scholarships will be awarded based on the recommendations of the Faculty Admissions Committee on a first come, first served basis. Since the number of scholarships is limited, students who meet the minimum criteria are not guaranteed a donor scholarship award.

We regret that a student may be ineligible for financial awards if he/she receives tuition benefits from the University of Miami or accepts any assistantship, scholarship, grant or fellowship from the University of Miami, in addition to our offer. This includes employees, their spouses, and dependents.

BANK OF AMERICA - ENDOWED BUSINESS SCHOLARSHIPS
Criteria: A graduate business school student based on a combination of scholarship and financial need, who will preferably specialize in Finance, Accounting, or Management.

JACK R. BORSTING - GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP ENDOWMENT
Criteria: Outstanding candidate for a master's level business degree.

RYDER/PATRICK J. CESARANO – ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP
Criteria: MBA student with a concentration in finance or management science/operations research. Based on academic excellence and financial need.

PAT & LON WORTH CROW - SCHOLARSHIP ENDOWMENT
Criteria: Graduate business student specializing in Finance, who possesses several years of work experience, preferably with an expressed interest in a career in banking or a banking-related field. U.S. citizen, preferably resident in South Florida community.

EMERY MEANS FINDLEY, JR. – ENDOWED GRADUATE FELLOWSHIPS IN BUSINESS
Criteria: Outstanding candidates for Graduate Business Programs.

DEAN M. FOGEL BUSINESS ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP
Criteria: Graduate business student with financial need and priority is for a United States veteran.

ALBERT AND ESTHER GREEN ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP
Criteria: Graduate business student with a health challenge, or student studying or working in Health Administration.

ALLAN M. HERBERT & PATRICIA M. HERBERT – ENDOWED GRADUATE BUSINESS SCHOLARSHIP
Criteria: Outstanding graduate business student, well-rounded, willing to finance his/her own education, and who appreciates the value of work and strives to combine study, work and extra-curricular activities.

JAMES W. McLAMORE – GRADUATE BUSINESS FELLOWSHIPS
Criteria: To recruit and retain outstanding graduate business students.

E. BRUCE MCLAUGHLIN & CYNTHIA M. SWOL - ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP IN MARKETING
Criteria: Graduate business student with concentration in Marketing, who has significant work experience prior to entering the MBA program. U. S. citizen, with preference given to female students with unmet financial need.

MERRILL LYNCH & CO. FOUNDATION, INC. – FELLOWSHIPS IN INTERNATIONAL FINANCE
Criteria: Graduate business student preparing for a career in International Finance.

CHARLES & ROSE NATIELLO AND THOMAS A. NATIELLO, JR. BUSINESS SCHOLARSHIP
Criteria: Full-time Graduate Business student who has completed one year and is enrolled in a two-year program with a 3.5 GPA or higher.

PIECHOSKI FAMILY GRADUATE BUSINESS FELLOWSHIP
Criteria: Outstanding graduate business student.

SOUTHEAST BANKING CORPORATION FOUNDATION – ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIPS
Criteria: Graduate student in the MBA program who is a Florida resident. Based on academic excellence and financial need.

SOUVIRON FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP - Annual MBA Scholarship
Criteria: The annual scholarship is for a MBA student with financial need with a preference for an Eagle Scout, if someone meets that criteria. If not, a qualified MBA student with need.

1 Essay Required: In 300 words or less, please explain why you need financial assistance to complete your MBA degree. The essay must be included with your application.

Various other donor scholarships are available based upon need, merit, or other specified criteria.

Ziff Graduate Career Development Center

The Ziff Graduate Career Development Center’s mission is to help all Miami Business School graduate students launch and develop successful, rewarding careers. Through career exploration, recruiting preparation, and career readiness training students can excel in any career path they choose. The Center provides students with a full menu of resources and services including career assessments, personal branding, resume review, job search coaching, mock interviews, salary negotiation, and all types of professional development.

The Ziff Graduate Career Development Center’s staff is comprised of career coaches and employer relations professionals who are dedicated to positioning students for the best career opportunities possible. Through individual coaching sessions, career development programming, and a variety of employer events the staff ensures students are set up for success. Examples of employer events are guest speakers, panels, information sessions, and career fairs. The Center also develops relationships with companies from local to global scale to offer internship and full-time employment opportunities.
options. Even after accepting a job offer, students can partner with the staff on a professional development plan to close any remaining skill gaps for their new role.

A graduate business career search can be challenging in the dynamic and complex job market of today's global economy. The Ziff Graduate Career Development Center exists to help students navigate and stand out in this challenging yet exciting environment. Students who leverage the full array of resources and services offered by the Center will undoubtedly reap the rewards in their career search and development.

The Mentor Program
1. The Miami Business School Mentor Program is designed to enhance the classroom experience by matching students with professionals who have experience and expertise in the students’ area of career interest, or are versed in areas of professional development.
2. Through personal interaction with experienced business professionals, students gain an understanding of corporate culture, career directions, and networking. Students also have the opportunity to interact with other mentors by attending regularly scheduled round tables, hosted by the School.
3. Graduate business students are encouraged to participate.
4. Applications are available on our website. (https://miamimentoring.chronus.com/about/)

Full-Time MBAs
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• Certificate in Leadership (p. 2011)
• Graduate Business Certificate (p. 2009)
ACC 600. Accounting for Decision-Making and Control. 3 Credit Hours.
The course focuses on the use and understanding of basic financial and managerial accounting reports. The course is oriented to the user of financial data rather than the preparer of the data. Coverage of basic accounting assumptions and current issues affecting accounting processes and reporting are included, but detailed accounting procedures are not emphasized. Completion of the course should permit students to understand accounting information and to communicate with professional accountants. Does not satisfy any accounting requirement needed to sit for the CPA exam in Florida.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ACC 601. Trends in Present Day Accounting. 2 Credit Hours.
Recent developments in accounting thought and advanced accounting theory. The analysis of trends as disclosed by recent releases of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants, and the Financial Accounting Standards Board are discussed. Other topics include terminology, current trends in the measurement, presentation of third financial data to meet the needs of third parties, and surveys accounting literature.
Prerequisite: ACC 312. Or ACC 633.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ACC 602. Analysis of Financial Statements. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Course emphasizes the fundamental techniques of financial statement analysis. Building upon core accounting and investment concepts, the course covers the analysis (including ratio analysis) and interpretation of financial accounting information including the balance sheet, income statement, and statement of cash flows. The course also examines the use of accounting information in investment and credit decisions.
Prerequisite: ACC 312. Or ACC 633.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ACC 603. Studies in Financial Reporting Issues. 2 Credit Hours.
An exploration of complex financial reporting issues using the case method.
Prerequisite: ACC 312. Or ACC 633.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ACC 604. Seminar in Cost Accounting. 2 Credit Hours.
Course covers four major segments. First, it reviews the basic concepts and tools associated with management control systems. Second, it underscores the importance of decentralization and the impact it has on decision making. Third, it examines the strategic place for cost management. Examples include the adoption of the balanced score card, quality control, productivity, and environmental cost management. Fourth, the course brings costing and control tools into the discussion of decision making.
Prerequisite: ACC 301. Or ACC 634.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ACC 606. Internal Auditing. 2 Credit Hours.
Course explores the unique issues associated with the internal audit function. Additionally, the ethical code applicable to internal auditors is discussed.
Prerequisite: ACC 312. Or ACC 633. And ACC 402. Or ACC 635.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ACC 607. Financial Accounting and Reporting. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic concepts of accounting designed to increase understanding of the function of accounting statements and their limitations. The generally accepted principles governing the preparation of financial reports and the use of accounting information in investment and credit decisions. Does not satisfy any accounting requirement needed to sit for the CPA Exam in Florida. Limited to Executive MBA students only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.
ACC 608. Managerial Accounting. 3 Credit Hours.
Current managerial accounting techniques and theories. Topics include the use of accounting data in making decisions and planning and control systems for implementation of decisions. Does not satisfy any accounting requirements needed to sit for the CPA Exam in Florida. Limited to Executive MBA students only.
Prerequisite: ACC 607.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ACC 610. Financial Reporting Research. 2 Credit Hours.
The objective of the course is to familiarize students with researching financial information of publicly traded companies and to provide an introduction to accounting research related to the content and presentation in SEC filings. The course will emphasize searching and accessing as well as understanding and interpretation of financial information presented in SEC filings (e.g., 10-K, 10-Q, Proxy Statements). Accounting topics covered will include accounting information and the capital markets, earnings management, earnings quality, effect of recognition vs. disclosure in accounting reports and the role of the SEC in regulating financial reporting.
Prerequisite: ACC 312. Or ACC 633.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 611. Auditing Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Practical applications of auditing and research into audit matters. Emphasis of the course is placed on cases involving audit failures, appropriate auditing procedures, reporting, and exercise of audit judgment.
Prerequisite: ACC 402. Or ACC 635.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 616. CPA Review I. 3 Credit Hours.
The CPA Review is an essential ingredient of the accounting accelerated accounting track. Students must provide proof of satisfactory completion of an approved course of study for two parts of the CPA exam (Regulation and Financial Accounting and Reporting). This course cannot be used to meet the State of Florida’s educational requirements for taking the CPA exam.
Prerequisite: ACC 411.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ACC 617. CPA Review II. 3 Credit Hours.
The CPA Review is an essential ingredient of the accounting accelerated accounting track. Students must provide proof of satisfactory completion of an approved course of study for two parts of the CPA Exam (Business Environment and Concepts, and Auditing and Attestation). This course cannot be used to meet the State of Florida’s educational requirements for taking the CPA exam.
Prerequisite: ACC 411.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ACC 620. Accounting Controls in Information Technology. 2 Credit Hours.
Course develops students’ understanding of the theory and practice of relational database management systems in the accounting view of enterprise-wide databases. With a focus on controls, students build accounting systems elements related to main accounting transaction cycles, the revenue cycle, and the purchase cycle.
Prerequisite: ACC 406. Or ACC 636.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

ACC 622. Advanced Issues in Auditing. 3 Credit Hours.
Course covers advanced issues which arise in audit practice including audit reporting issues, fraud detection and reporting, attestation engagements, special reporting issues, compilation and review engagements, scope of services issues, and other new issues which have a significant impact in audit practice. Not open to students with credit in ACC 522.
Prerequisite: ACC 402. Or ACC 635.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ACC 623. International Accounting and Taxation. 2 Credit Hours.
Course covers tax accounting and business considerations in the global business environment. U.S. tax issues involved in international transactions, working across national borders, the Foreign Corrupt Practices Act, money laundering and uses of accounting information in managing an international business. Not open to students with credit for ACC 523.
Prerequisite: ACC 211. Or ACC 600. Or ACC 607. Or ACC 670.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ACC 624. Accounting for Governmental and Not-for-Profit Entities. 2 Credit Hours.
The course introduces accounting within the environment of modern government and not-for-profit organizations. Emphasis is placed on financial accounting and reporting, current accounting issues, and managerial activities. Not open to students with credit for ACC 524.
Prerequisite: ACC 312. Or ACC 633.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ACC 626. Litigation and Advisory Services. 2 Credit Hours.
This course provides an overview of fraud perpetrated against an organization, including employee theft, vendor fraud, customer fraud, and management fraud. Students will learn about different investigative techniques for quantifying fraud, and how fraud can be detected and prevented as well as the accountants' role in litigation, such as acting as expert witness.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ACC 627. Accounting Regulations and Compliance. 2 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to expose and educate students in a number of rules and regulations faced by the accounting profession, with an emphasis on the financial industry. This course will cover in moderate depth, regulatory agencies and the compliance of the regulations the agencies are charged with upholding. Students will also be exposed to regulatory and compliance programs, bribery and corruption acts such as the Foreign Corrupt Practices Act and the UK Bribery Act, and various anti-money laundering provisions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ACC 628. Introduction to Accounting Analytics. 2 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to applications of data analytics techniques in accounting which includes: financial reporting, managerial accounting, taxation, and auditing.
Prerequisite: ACC 301. And ACC 402. And ACC 403.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ACC 630. International Financial Reporting Standards. 1 Credit Hour.
This course provides an overview of International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS). The course will begin with a study of IFRS Framework and will then examine a number of the major topics covered in the Intermediate Accounting courses. The perspective will be a comparison between IFRS and U.S. generally accepted accounting principles (U.S. GAAP).
Prerequisite: ACC 312. Or ACC 633.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ACC 631. Advanced Financial Accounting Topics. 2 Credit Hours.
Coverage of the Generally Accepted Accounting Principles governing business combinations, the preparation of consolidated financial statement including local and foreign subsidiaries, and other financial reporting topics.
Prerequisite: ACC 312. Or ACC 633.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ACC 632. Intermediate Accounting I. 2 Credit Hours.
The accounting principles which shape the financial reporting practices followed by entities that prepare financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles are discussed. Course also includes the determination of income components and balance sheet elements with brief coverage of the statement of cash flows. Does not count towards the credits needed to graduate.
Prerequisite: ACC 211. And ACC 212.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ACC 633. Intermediate Accounting II. 2 Credit Hours.
The accounting principles which shape the financial reporting practices followed by entities that prepare financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles are discussed. Course also includes the determination of income components and balance sheet elements with brief coverage of the statement of cash flows. Does not count towards the credits needed to graduate.
Prerequisite: ACC 311. Or ACC 632.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ACC 634. Cost Accounting. 2 Credit Hours.
Topics include basic cost concepts, product costing techniques including job-order and process costing, in-depth studies of techniques and issues surrounding cost allocation methods, basic approaches to solving complex accounting problems, standard cost systems and variance analysis, and variable costing. Additionally, activity-based costing concepts and methodology are introduced. This course does not count towards the credits needed to graduate.
Prerequisite: ACC 212.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ACC 635. Auditing. 2 Credit Hours.
The course provides an introduction to the field of auditing. It concentrates on conducting an audit of financial statements in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards. Course covers accounting information systems, audit planning, audit risk and materiality assessments, evaluation of internal control, audit evidence, documentation, and audit reports. This course does not count towards the credits needed to graduate.
Prerequisite: ACC 311. Or ACC 632. And ACC 312. Or ACC 633.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ACC 636. Accounting Systems. 2 Credit Hours.
Contemporary accounting systems are computer based. Course covers the nature, design, implementation, and controls in computerized systems as well as manual systems. Micro computers are used as a learning tool. This course does not count towards the credits needed to graduate.
Prerequisite: ACC 211. And ACC 212.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ACC 639. Income Taxation and Business Entities. 2 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to be the second tax course students who are interested in the business applications of federal income tax laws, as they affect corporations, partnerships, and their owners. Emphasis is placed on tax planning aspects of formation, operation, liquidation, and distributions of corporations and partnerships. Not open to students with credit in ACC 404 or equivalent.
Prerequisite: ACC 403. Or ACC 673.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

ACC 640. Corporate Taxation I. 2 Credit Hours.
The course covers treatment of the corporate form of organization, its related opportunities, and problem areas, including formation, tax formula, non-liquidating and liquidating distributions, capital structure, redemptions, alternative minimum tax.
Prerequisite: ACC 404. Or ACC 639.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ACC 641. Corporate Taxation II. 2 Credit Hours.
An in-depth study of taxable and nontaxable corporate reorganizations. An introduction to affiliated corporations, requirements for consolidated returns, and their associated problems and opportunities are discussed.
Prerequisite: ACC 640.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 642. Seminar in Taxation. 2 Credit Hours.
Investigation of current topical areas in taxation.
Prerequisite: ACC 404. Or ACC 639.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ACC 643. Tax Research. 2 Credit Hours.
Study of the tax practice environment including the Treasury Department, the Courts, and the legislative history of the Internal Revenue Code. Ethics in tax practice are also examined. Course includes training in the use of tax services such as RIA Checkpoint and LEXIS, in performing tax research. A research methodology for solving tax problem cases is studied and cases to be researched are assigned.
Prerequisite: ACC 404. Or ACC 639.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 645. Partnership Taxation. 2 Credit Hours.
Taxation of partners and other flow-through entities. Partnership formation, termination, distribution, liquidation, and sales of partnership interests are covered. Limited partnerships in conjunction with their use as tax shelters are discussed as well as family partnerships, limited liability companies, and LLPs.
Prerequisite: ACC 404. Or ACC 639.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 647. Estates and Gift Taxes. 2 Credit Hours.
Estate and gift planning for shifting wealth from one individual to another by death, gift, or by the use of trusts. Property included in the decedent’s gross estate valuation methods, gifts in contemplation of death, jointly held property, life insurance, transfers with retained life estates, bequests, revocable transfers, the marital deduction, powers of appointment, gifts of present and future interest, and gifts to minors are covered.
Prerequisite: ACC 404. Or ACC 639.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ACC 648. Financial Reporting Implications of Income Taxes. 2 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide the foundation necessary to understand the financial accounting and reporting of book-tax differences. The course will cover the preparation of the income tax provision and related financial statement disclosures in conformity with U.S. GAAP (FASB ASC 740)
Prerequisite: ACC 312. Or ACC 633. And ACC 404. Or ACC 639.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ACC 649. Issues in Tax Policy. 2 Credit Hours.
This course looks at the process through which our tax laws are created and the important policy issues inherent in individual and corporate income taxes, consumption taxes, and wealth transfer taxes. Topics in this course are not limited to U.S. taxation and include an examination of systems used in other countries (such as the VAT) as possible alternatives to our current tax.
Prerequisite: ACC 403. Or ACC 673.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ACC 650. Accounting Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Student is individually assigned to operating business firm or other organization to gain insight into management practice in area of career interest. Periodic reports and conferences required.
Prerequisite: ACC 312. Or ACC 633.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
ACC 660. Managerial Accounting in Healthcare Organizational. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers Managerial Accounting concepts applied to healthcare organizations. Topics include cost allocation and management control systems.
Prerequisite: ACC 212. Or ACC 608. Or ACC 671.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ACC 662. Taxation of Multinational Corporations. 2 Credit Hours.
This course introduces the fundamental tax concepts underlying U.S. taxation of international transactions. Topics include the taxation of U.S. corporations with income from foreign sources, intercompany pricing, anti-tax avoidance provisions, and tax treaties.
Prerequisite: ACC 640.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 664. Global Mergers and Acquisitions: Accounting and Related Issues. 2 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the financial, cultural, and strategic aspects of international mergers and acquisitions (M&A) activity and has a global, cross-cultural perspective. It presents a strategic view of the M&A process, examining managerial decision making in the planning, execution, and post-merger phases.
Prerequisite: ACC 312. Or ACC 633.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ACC 665. Health Care Financial and Managerial Accounting. 2-3 Credit Hours.
This course covers managerial and financial accounting concepts applied to health care organizations. Topics include cost allocation and management control systems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 666. Accounting for Sustainability. 2 Credit Hours.
Most large firms now report metrics of progress towards the firm’s goals with respect to environmental, social, and governance (ESG) aspects of sustainability, often integrating sustainability reporting with financial reporting. The course examines the value of sustainability reporting in terms of indicating efficiency, risk, and brand capital. The course analyzes emerging metrics for sustainability and emerging reporting systems. The course also examines SEC and other regulations for reporting sustainability, and how such reporting is viewed by stakeholders.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 670. Financial Reporting and Analysis. 2 Credit Hours.
The course focuses on the analysis and use of financial accounting information in the evaluation of corporate performance. The course initially demonstrates the accounting process and resulting generation of financial statements. Building on these core accounting concepts, the course emphasizes the understanding of financial statements prepared under U.S. and International Accounting Standards and the analysis of these financial statements including common size analysis, ratio analysis, the impact of taxes, and credit analysis. Completion of the course enhances the student’s ability to read, interpret, and analyze financial statements for making investment, credit, acquisition, and other evaluation decisions. Limited to MBA students and Executive MBA students. Does not satisfy any accounting requirements needed to sit for the CPA Exam in Florida.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ACC 671. Accounting for Decision Making. 2 Credit Hours.
The course focuses on the use of accounting information in reporting managerial performance and making business decisions. The course covers the preparation and use of managerial accounting information for use in planning, budgeting, control, break-even analysis and pricing, including the impact of taxes. Completion of the course will enhance the student’s ability to understand managerial accounting reports and use this information in making business decisions. Limited to MBA students and Executive MBA students. Does not satisfy any accounting requirement needed to sit for the CPA Exam in Florida.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ACC 672. Advanced Financial Analysis. 2 Credit Hours.
Advanced Financial Analysis and Valuation builds on the analytical techniques developed in the basic financial statement analysis course, Accounting 670: Financial Reporting and Analysis, to augment your understanding of more complex financial reporting issues and to introduce you to the valuation of equity investments. The viewpoint is that of the user of financial statements, particularly from the standpoint of an equity investor or purchaser of a business, We discuss each financial reporting issue in terms of its effect on assessments of a firm’s profitability and risk. This course is designed primarily for students who expect to be intensive users of financial statements as part of their professional responsibilities.
Prerequisite: ACC 211. Or ACC 607. Or ACC 670.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ACC 673. Taxation for Business and Investment Decisions. 2 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to be the first tax course for students who are interested in acquiring the basic knowledge that all executives and investors should have about our federal income tax system. It studies basic concepts of federal income taxation applicable to all taxpayers. The basic income tax formula is studied including income exclusions, inclusions, statutory deductions, exemptions, and credits as well as property transactions. Completion of this course will enhance the students’ appreciation of the role of taxation in making investment, employment-related, and business decisions. Not open to students with credit in ACC 403 or equivalent.
Prerequisite: ACC 312. Or ACC 633.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ACC 675. Compensation, Incentives and Strategic Control. 2 Credit Hours.
Internal control is the process by which owners influence manager’s of organization to implement the organization’s strategies. They key idea is that different organizations typically have different strategies which in turn require different control systems for effective implementation. Internal control involves both formal systems and informal processes. Accounting 675 will begin by describing the formal aspects of management control such as the design of responsibility centers, budgets and standards, performance reports and management compensation. We will then explore the economic and financial reporting consequences (perhaps unintended) of various performance measurement mechanisms. In particular, we will focus on issues of short-termism, earnings, management, and attendant control failures that plague Corporate America today. Finally, we will discuss some of the regulatory changes brought about in recent times (e.g., Sarbanes Oxley) to address the apparent widespread control system failures.
Prerequisite: ACC 301. Or ACC 634.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 677. Forensic Accounting. 2 Credit Hours.
This course provides an overview of fraud perpetrated against an organization, including employee theft, vendor fraud, customer fraud, and management fraud. You will learn how to investigate and quantify fraud, and how it can be detected and prevented as well as the accountants’ role in litigation, such as acting as expert witness.
Prerequisite: ACC 312. Or ACC 633. And ACC 402. Or ACC 635.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ACC 681. Introduction to Financial and Managerial Accounting. 4 Credit Hours.
The first half of the course explores the role of accounting in providing financial information about an enterprise to decision-makers. Emphasis is placed on understanding financial accounting from both a preparer as well as user perspective. Course covers the reporting of financial position including coverage of assets, liabilities, equity accounts, the results of operations, and cash flows. Topics covered in the second half include various product costing techniques, analysis of cost behavior patterns, budgeting, and the use of accounting information in decision making from a managerial perspective.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 682. Intermediate Accounting. 4 Credit Hours.
The accounting principles guiding the financial reporting practices of entities that prepare financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles are discussed. The course begins with a detailed discussion of the components of the income statement as well as the balance sheet followed by more complex accounting applications such as leases, post retirement benefits, accounting for income taxes, and other topics. Additionally, the course includes coverage of the statement of cash flows.
Prerequisite: ACC 681.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ACC 683. Taxation. 4 Credit Hours.
The course begins with a discussion of basic concepts of federal income taxation applicable to all taxpayers. The principles of individual income taxation, the tax consequences of property transactions, and an introduction to the impact of income taxes on corporations and partnerships are discussed. Emphasis is placed on study of the basic income tax formula including income exclusions, inclusions, statutory deductions, exemptions, and credits. This is followed by a study of Federal income tax laws and regulations as they affect corporations, partnerships, their owners, and employees. Emphasis is placed on tax planning aspects of formation, operation, distribution, and liquidation of corporations and partnerships.
Prerequisite: ACC 682.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 684. Accounting Information Systems. 4 Credit Hours.
The course covers the nature, design, and implementation of accounting information systems. The objective of the course is to develop students’ understanding of the theory and practice of relational database management systems in the accounting view of enterprise-wide databases. With a focus on controls, students build accounting system elements related to main accounting transaction cycles, the revenue cycle, and the purchase cycle.
Prerequisite: ACC 682.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 685. Financial Statement Analysis and Valuation. 4 Credit Hours.
The course emphasizes the fundamental techniques of financial statement analysis. Building upon core accounting and investment concepts, the course covers the analysis and interpretation of financial accounting information including the balance sheet, income statement, and statement of cash flows. The course also examines the use of accounting information in investment and credit decisions including the valuation of equity investments. The viewpoint is that of the user of financial statements, particularly from the standpoint of an equity investor or purchaser of a business.
Prerequisite: ACC 682.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 686. Auditing. 4 Credit Hours.
The course focuses on conducting an audit of financial statements in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards. Course covers accounting information systems, audit planning, audit risk and materiality assessments, evaluation of internal control, audit evidence, documentation, and audit reports. This is followed by discussion of advanced issues which arise in audit practice including audit reporting issues, fraud detection and reporting, attestation engagements, special reporting issues, compilation and review engagements, scope of services issues, and other new issues which have a significant impact on audit practice.
Prerequisite: ACC 682.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 687. Advanced Cost Accounting. 4 Credit Hours.
The course focuses on the use of accounting information in reporting managerial performance and making business decisions. The course covers the preparation and use of managerial accounting information for use in planning, budgeting, control, pricing, and in making other business decisions. Topics include in-depth studies of techniques and issues surrounding cost allocation methods, approaches to solving complex accounting problems, standard cost systems and variance analysis, and variable costing. Additionally, the formal aspects of management control such as the design of responsibility centers, budgets and standards, performance reports and management compensation will be discussed.
Prerequisite: ACC 682.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 688. Advanced Accounting and Financial Reporting. 4 Credit Hours.
The primary focus of the course is on business combinations and preparing consolidated financial statements. Additionally, the accounting principles and practices applied to foreign operations and partnerships will be discussed along with foreign currency translation issues. This will be followed by an exploration of complex financial reporting issues of contemporaneous interest.
Prerequisite: ACC 682.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ACC 689. Current Issues in Accounting. 4 Credit Hours.
Current issues in accounting focuses on international financial reporting standards and accounting for governmental and not-for-profit organizations. This course introduces core concepts and tools of accounting and financial reporting for managers of global, governmental, and not-for-profit organizations.
Prerequisite: ACC 682.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ACC 690. Fraud and Forensic Accounting: Ethics and Legal Environment. 4 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on conducting fraud examinations and includes discussion of procedures used in forensic accounting examinations and the rationale supporting such procedures.
Prerequisite: ACC 682 And ACC 685.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ACC 698. Selected Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics in selected areas of specialization.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ACC 699. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individually supervised research projects in selected fields. Approval of supervising professor as to topic and evaluation of project required at time of registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ACC 701. Empirical Accounting Research I. 3 Credit Hours.
This is the first course in Empirical Accounting Research for Ph.D. students. The course introduces students to the data sources; current techniques for accessing and analyzing accounting data; research methods employed in hypothesis testing; and the literature on positive accounting theory, accounting anomalies, institutional accounting, and disclosure. The emphasis will be on current research with a historical perspective.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 702. Empirical Accounting Research II. 0-3 Credit Hours.
This is the second course in Empirical Accounting Research for Ph.D. students. In this course, students will explore research on analyst estimates and stock recommendations, industry research in accounting, and empirical research on compensation. The course will critically evaluate the theory, research design, and methodology employed in these studies. Prerequisite: ACC 701 or permission from the instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ACC 823. Topics in Empirical Accounting Research I. 3 Credit Hours.
This is the first course in Empirical Accounting Research for Ph.D. students. The course introduces students to the data sources; current techniques for accessing and analyzing accounting data; research methods employed in hypothesis testing; and the literature on positive accounting theory, accounting anomalies, institutional accounting, and disclosure. The emphasis will be on current research with a historical perspective.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 824. Topics in Empirical Accounting Research II. 3 Credit Hours.
This is the second course in Empirical Accounting Research for Ph.D. students. In this course, students will explore research on analyst estimates and stock recommendations, industry research in accounting, an empirical research on compensation. The course will critically evaluate the theory, research design, and methodology employed in these studies.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
ACC 825. Comprehensive Test Preparation. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Doctoral students who are preparing for their qualifying examinations may use this course designation. Enrolled students must develop, with the approval of their advisor, a "Plan of Study" for these credits.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ACC 826. Introduction to Textual Analysis in Accounting Research. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide students with essential practical skills to apply popular textual analysis methods and help develop understanding of the key concepts and challenges associated with textual analysis and data analysis.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ACC 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the PhD. The student will enroll for credit as determined by their advisor, but not for less than a total of 24. Not more than 12 hours of ACC 730 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session. Where a student has passed their qualifying examinations they may take the maximum allowable credit stated above.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BSL 612. Legal Aspects of International Business. 3 Credit Hours.
International legal framework, transactional legal issues in finance, marketing, management, distribution, and a review of theory and practice of negotiations. Case studies on such topics as legal implications of GATT, European Competition, C.I.S.G., and Export Import Rules are also included.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BSL 624. Negotiation: Theory and Practice. 2-3 Credit Hours.
This experiential course is designed to introduce graduate business students to the theory and practice of negotiation. The lectures and readings will discuss negotiation theory, equipping students with the concepts and terminology to prepare and execute value-creating, interest-based negotiations. Negotiation exercises will provide the student with an opportunity to apply the theoretical elements of the course in live, simulated negotiations. Extensive review of these simulated negotiations through classroom discussion and film analysis will assist students in cementing their understanding of the use of negotiation theory in practice. Although negotiation theory is applicable to a wide variety of academic contexts, this course focuses on negotiations in the practice of law and business.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BSL 675. Advanced Business Law. 2 Credit Hours.
Advanced Business Law focuses on the following substantive subject areas commonly encountered by Certified Public Accountants and tested on the Uniform Certified Public Accountancy Examination: business ethics, contracts (including formation, performance, breach, and remedies), commercial transactions under UCC Article 2, commercial paper, agency principles, and secured transactions. Special attention is given to the areas tested on Regulation section of the Uniform CPA Exam.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BSL 685. Legal Aspects of Health Administration. 2-3 Credit Hours.
Derivation of rule of law governing health providers, vicarious liability of administrative and medical personnel, informed consent, and other related problems are discussed.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BSL 690. Responsible Business. 2 Credit Hours.
BSL 690 explores the law's role in regulating responsible business and the impact of law on managerial decision-making. Students will evaluate whether the law engineers responsible, sustainable business, focusing on tort, compliance, and criminal law as examples of the law as regulator. Critical to this analysis is the degree to which ethics and corporate social responsibility are vital gap fillers. Students will achieve a firm grasp on and will practice using ethical decision-making models. Other topics include, for example, contract law as a means to achieve mutually agreed-upon responsible conduct in business.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
BSL 691. The Public Corporation: Legal Perspectives. 2 Credit Hours.
The Public Corporation: Legal Perspectives reviews the laws governing the formation, operation, regulation, and governance of the public corporation
with the objective of providing the graduate business student a sophisticated examination of the legal and social aspects of managing the money of
others. Further, the course examines the rules and regulations governing the raising of capital from the public through the sale of securities for the
development of and investment in a private enterprise.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BSL 692. Legal Implications of International Business Transactions. 2 Credit Hours.
International legal framework, transactional legal issues in finance, marketing, management, and distribution. Case studies in substantive international
legal topics such as international sales contracts, international documentary sale, international terms of trade, legal implications and substantive
rules governing international finance, collections, payments, and letter of credit, the resolution of international disputes with a particular emphasis and
examination upon the management of litigation, enforcement of foreign judgments, and alternative dispute resolution are also included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BSL 694. Real Estate Law. 2 Credit Hours.
Real Estate Law focuses on the U.S. legal system as it relates to the buying, selling, and financing of real property. In addition to traditional text
material, the analysis of U.S. court cases is used to detail the legal factors of ownership rights and liabilities, specific interests in real property,
contracting issues related to the purchase and sale of real property, as well as financing and closing the real estate transaction. The course provides
a problem-solving experience, which is intended to develop graduate students’ critical thinking process as well as their skills in oral and written
communication.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BSL 695. Legal Implications in Executive Decision Making. 3 Credit Hours.
Law and legal process are examined as they mix with the politics and ethics of business, including the weight given to legal implications in the
executive decision-making process.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BSL 696. Legal and Ethical Implications in Executive Decision Making. 3 Credit Hours.
Business and public administration cases requiring identification of the legal, ethical, and social elements as well as the determination of the weight
such elements should have in setting policy are discussed. Integration of law and ethics with public and business administration is also included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BSL 698. Selected Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics in selected areas of specialization.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BUS 600. Critical Thinking and Persuasion for Business/Non-native English Speakers. 2 Credit Hours.
Critical thinking skills are developed by studying questions that transcend any single business discipline. Utilizing a variety of written formats,
students hone analytic and persuasive skills, with emphasis on identifying critical issues, developing reasoned positions, and making compelling
written arguments.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 601. MBA Math Module. 0-3 Credit Hours.
This course provides the student with the necessary mathematical skills to progress toward an MBA degree. The course begins with a review of
algebra and continues with the fundamentals of differential and integral calculus. The focus is on applying these concepts in solving business
problems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
BUS 602. Critical Thinking and Effective Writing. 1 Credit Hour.
Critical thinking skills are developed by studying questions that transcend any single business discipline. Utilizing a variety of written formats, students hone analytic and persuasive skills, with emphasis on identifying critical questions, developing reasoned positions, and making compelling written arguments.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BUS 603. Critical Thinking and Effective Speaking. 1 Credit Hour.
Builds on critical thinking and writing skills acquired in BUS 602. Topics include oral persuasion, prepared and impromptu speeches and dealing with the media, defending one’s view before adversarial audiences, display of data, and effective use of visual aids.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 604. Career Development and Enrichment. 0-1 Credit Hours.
This course will expose students to a variety of academic and industry career lectures, events, and workshops to enhance their MBA experience. The focus is to establish added-value to an MBA student through real world and relevant access to information and resources beyond the traditional curriculum.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 605. Residential Session Abroad. 1-6 Credit Hours.
One two-week session of the Global Executive MBA program is held abroad. During this corporate and international experience students attend lectures and institutional visits. This experience exposes students to other cultures and different perspectives on business issues, and widens international networking opportunities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BUS 610. Communicating for Career Success. 2 Credit Hours.
The modern businessperson faces a constantly evolving environment and must be able to confront and respond to an array of business issues. At the heart of an effective response is a critical, comprehensive analysis coupled with the ability to meaningfully and persuasively communicate that assessment and recommendations to a variety of constituencies. This course prepares business students for this by exposing them to a three-step process of problem solving in which they critically analyze the problem, and then communicate their analysis both in writing and orally. The critical thinking and communication elements of the course are supplemented with additional practical applications relating to career readiness, job search and job procurement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BUS 622. Global Business Consulting. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The Global Business Consulting (GBC) project is a collaborative course offered by participating CIBER schools to their Graduate Students. Students in related disciplines work in teams both virtually and in person on real business issues with multinational and local businesses and not-for-profits. Project supervision and final grade provided by Faculty Advisor.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BUS 624. Asian/Pacific Business Environment- International Trip. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Course content, dates and location will vary from semester to semester at selected universities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 625. Latin America Business Environment - International Trip. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Course content, dates and location will vary from semester to semester at selected universities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
BUS 628. Multidisciplinary Action Projects. 1-4 Credit Hours.
The Multidisciplinary Action Projects core course (MAP) places students with organizations throughout the world to address pressing organizational challenges. Students work in teams with guidance from faculty advisors to develop actionable and valuable recommendations for sponsors. For students, MAP provides an opportunity to augment and integrate knowledge of fundamental business concepts and tools learned in classroom settings. MAP also offers opportunities to develop and test both critical thinking and leadership skills through practical experience with real business challenges. For sponsoring organizations, MAP offers access to a high-caliber team of 4-6 students, the latest business concepts and tools, an external viewpoint, and rapid turnaround. The ultimate deliverable to the sponsor from a MAP project is a set of actionable, data-driven recommendations. MAP projects are based on sponsor needs and address a wide range of business issues – from identifying new processes and improving existing operations to launching new products and targeting new growth opportunities. Sponsors come from many different industries – from alternative energy to business process outsourcing to consumer products to financial services to healthcare to real estate to telecom. Sponsoring organizations may be large corporations, small entrepreneurial start-ups, or non-profit organizations. While each MAP project is different in context, all have essential features in common. All confront students with a real business challenge of significant importance and no existing solution. All require applying concepts and tools from multiple disciplines to successfully complete. All require dynamic sense-making, fact-based decisions, and high-performance teamwork. All unfold in unpredictable ways. All conclude with teams presenting actionable recommendations to project sponsors and faculty advisors.
Components: EXP.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BUS 629. Graduate Business Exchange Program. 1-16 Credit Hours.
Course content may vary from semester to semester at selected universities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 630. Fundamentals of Economics, Accounting, and Finance. 4 Credit Hours.
This course provides an overview of business economics, accounting, and finance. Economic themes primarily focus on microeconomic topics such as demand, supply, elasticity, and forms of competition. Accounting concepts include corporate financial statements, cost-volume-profit analysis, and traditional and activity-based cost accounting. Finance topics include time value of money, capital budgeting basics, foreign exchange, risk and return, modern portfolio theory, and financial markets. The course includes an integration of many of these concepts through an exposure to business plan development.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BUS 631. Business Analytics and Operational Excellence. 4 Credit Hours.
This course combines three disciplines that form the basis of a modern analytical approach to business management: statistics, optimization, and operations management. Many of the concepts covered are cross-disciplinary and can be applied to a variety of business functions and situations. Although specific examples will be used during the course to illustrate each concept, instruction will focus on the general applicability of the material. Topics to be covered include: numerical and categorical data, population/sample, parameter/statistic, introduction to excel, frequency distributions, histograms, pie charts, measures of variability, pivot tables, measures of association, random variables and distributions, sampling, types of hypothesis and of statistical errors, linear programming, network models, sensitivity analysis, integer and goal programming, forecasting, inventory management and location analysis.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BUS 632. Introduction to Strategy, Market, and Management. 4 Credit Hours.
This integrated course focuses on the external environment in which business firms operate and on the management techniques through which managers organize and motivate human resources to support strategic initiatives. It emphasizes in particular three critical sets of actors: customers, competitors, and employees. The purpose of the course is to introduce the student to basic conceptual frameworks and analytic models that managers use to a) identify and understand the customer segments that make up a marketplace, b) formulate strategies that achieve a competitive advantage within that marketplace, and c) lead and motivate employees in the execution of competitive strategies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BUS 633. Business Plan Fundamentals and Communications. 4 Credit Hours.
This course provides students with the fundamentals in the development and preparation of a business plan, as well as of oral and written business communications. Students, after exploring new venture opportunities, will develop a comprehensive business plan, including its functional components (marketing, finance, operational, human and intellectual capital plans), the support with which to secure the needed financial and human resources, and the organization to manage the new venture. Students will also enhance their communication skills with which to identify critical issues, develop reasoned positions, display data, use visual aids effectively, state persuasive and compelling arguments for written documents as well as prepared and impromptu speeches, and deal with the media.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BUS 634. Research Project. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Individually supervised research project in selected field. Scope of work must be approved by supervision instructor prior to registration. Total enrollment may not exceed six credits.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BUS 635. Research Project. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Investigation and research in special areas of interest. Offered by special arrangement. The study will be supervised and graded by a faculty member.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BUS 636. United States Business Environment - Domestic Trip. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Course content, dates and location will vary from semester to semester at selected universities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 642. Global Residency - South America. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This global residency in South America is one of four global residency courses associated with OneMBA, the truly global executive MBA program of Miami Herbert Business School. Across the OneMBA program of four residencies, students experience a week-long global residency in each course: BUS642- Global Residency- South America, BUS643- Global Residency- North America, BUS644- Global Residency- Asia, and BUS645- Global Residency- Europe. Students experience first-hand how business is done in different parts of the world. During each residency, students attend class, visit local and multinational firms, interact with leaders from business, government, and non-government agencies. And students meet, network and interact with their cohort, and global team members, face-to-face. Miami Herbert students join with students from OneMBA schools in other countries to build lasting relationships through formal learning experiences and cultural exchanges. This global residency course will include multiple activities, which address the institutional environment (economic, political social and cultural aspects), the business arena and the entrepreneurial ecosystem of South America – and their impact on business activity. Students should expect a balance between faculty and executive presentations, covering the challenges and opportunities of doing business in South America.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BUS 643. Global Residency-North America. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This global residency in North America is one of four global residency courses associated with OneMBA, the truly global executive MBA program of Miami Herbert Business School. Across the OneMBA program of four residencies, students experience a week-long global residency in each course: BUS642- Global Residency- South America, BUS643- Global Residency- North America, BUS644- Global Residency- Asia, and BUS645- Global Residency- Europe. Students experience first-hand how business is done in different parts of the world. During each residency, students attend class, visit local and multinational firms, interact with leaders from business, government, and non-government agencies. And students meet, network and interact with their cohort, and global team members, face-to-face. Miami Herbert students join with students from OneMBA schools in other countries to build lasting relationships through formal learning experiences and cultural exchanges. In this global residency students take a closeup comparative look at Mexico and the United States and their place in the global business community from the perspective of Miami and Mexico City. In Miami, students begin by examining the role of the United States in global business, guided by world-class faculty and thought leaders in the field. They engage with executives from leading multinational companies on topics such as sustainable business, corporate innovation, and principled leadership. Students then move on to explore, firsthand, the burgeoning business environment in Mexico. In Mexico’s capital city, they dive into topics as diverse and important as mega trends in business development, high performance management, and transformational leadership.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
BUS 644. Global Residency-Asia. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This global residency in Asia is one of four global residency courses associated with OneMBA, the truly global executive MBA program of Miami Herbert Business School. Across the OneMBA program of four residencies, students experience a week-long global residency in each course: BUS642- Global Residency- South America, BUS643- Global Residency- North America, BUS644- Global Residency- Asia, and BUS645- Global Residency- Europe. Students experience first-hand how business is done in different parts of the world. During each residency, students attend class, visit local and multinational firms, interact with leaders from business, government, and non-government agencies. And students meet, network and interact with their cohort, and global team members, face-to-face. Miami Herbert students join with students from OneMBA schools in other countries to build lasting relationships through formal learning experiences and cultural exchanges. This global residency course will include multiple activities, which address the institutional environment (economic, political social and cultural aspects), the business arena and the entrepreneurial ecosystem of Asia – through the perspective of visits to China and India. Students should expect a balance between faculty and executive presentations, covering the challenges and opportunities of doing business in Asia.

Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 645. Global Residency-Europe. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This global residency in Europe is one of four global residency courses associated with OneMBA, the truly global executive MBA program of Miami Herbert Business School. Across the OneMBA program, students experience a week-long global residency in each course: BUS642- Global Residency- South America, BUS643- Global Residency- North America, BUS644- Global Residency- Asia, and BUS645- Global Residency- Europe. Students experience first-hand how business is done in different parts of the world. During each residency, students attend class, visit local and multinational firms, interact with leaders from business, government, and non-government agencies. And students meet, network and interact with their cohort, and global team members, face-to-face. Miami Herbert students join with students from OneMBA schools in other countries to build lasting relationships through formal learning experiences and cultural exchanges. This global residency course will include multiple activities, which address the institutional environment (economic, political social and cultural aspects), the business arena and the entrepreneurial ecosystem of Europe – through the vantage point of visits to The Netherlands and Poland. Students should expect a balance between faculty and executive presentations, covering the challenges and opportunities of doing business in Europe.

Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 650. Introduction to the Miami EMBA for the Americas. 1 Credit Hour.
This course provides incoming Executive MBA students an orientation to program tools and resources central to program success. Students will receive training in Blackboard, learn to access e-materials and navigate the business fundamental virtual modules, and increase their knowledge of business networking and influence. Students will also be introduced to business information resources and research strategies that they will use throughout the program. They will partake in Case Study preparation and receive an overview of the Integrated Project from Global Management, Global Enterprise, and Global Strategic Marketing perspectives. Students will also receive guidance on operating in teams both virtually and during the residency components of the program. Students will also participate in a corporate visit. This orientation also helps build a sense of affiliation among students and with the University.

Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BUS 651. Global Strategic Marketing. 4 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this course is to acquaint the student with the theories and practice of strategic marketing management in the Americas. This course will enable the student to understand markets, develop strategies to capture value, and develop marketing plans based on the nature of national as well as international markets. Specifically, the issues of strategic marketing in the context of firm level strategy will be addressed, as well as issues of value capture and delivery, customer life-time value, pricing, distribution, branding and communication in markets.

Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BUS 652. Global Strategy. 2-4 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this course is to change how the strategic environment is viewed, how students think about their own organizations and other others, and how strategy and its execution is viewed. This course will help the student: understand organizations as complex systems embedded in a set of evolving cooperative and competitive economic relationships; identify the distinct resources and capabilities that form the foundation of an organization’s competitive advantage; formulate business strategies that anticipate imitation and competitor response; evaluate the relationship between a firm’s competitive advantage and its growth opportunities; understand the role of the corporate center in supporting and enhancing the competitive success of operating divisions; and see the interplay of organizational structures, systems, networks, and influence centers that form the basis of effective strategy implementation.

Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
BUS 653. Global Institutions and Economy. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This course considers how a country's legal and economic institutional arrangements influence managerial strategy involving goods, services and financial flows across nations. The course addresses how economic problems are dealt with by institutional arrangements in different ways around the world. Discussions will emphasize the influence that these institutional arrangements have on managerial project strategy when firms operate across borders. Specific emphasis will be placed on legal, economic and financial institutions in the Americas.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BUS 654. Corporate Financing and Investing. 4 Credit Hours.
This course considers financing and investing within the corporation. As such, it will consider the theoretical structure of the problem, the boundaries that management faces and how these decisions are made by management. The inter-residency portion will focus on the theoretical development and computational aspects of solving the problems. The residency portion will emphasize case discussion and simulation to demonstrate the practical implementation as well as integrating these concepts into the overall management picture. The objective of the course is to develop your understanding of the principles that define financial decision making in the firm. These topics are an important component of the strategic planning and top-level management of the firm. The course will guide you through the theory and computational aspects applying the theory, then through application to situations that will enhance and cement your understanding. Finance theory is universal and therefore does not apply to any given country or system. All of the applications will be international, multinational, or global in context. A central theme of the course is decision making. Specifically we will focus on the financial aspects of major strategic decisions. We will build on previous courses to understand how institutions, accounting, legal structures and more, affect these decisions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 655. Public Policy and Health. 3 Credit Hours.
Development of public policy at the federal, state and local level. Policy process, models of policy analysis, policy development in several government service areas, and plans for policy change. Special emphasis on health policy formulation, implementation and the use of epidemiological tools in health policy analysis.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

BUS 656. Integrated Business Project. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The Integrated Project course (IP) requires students to formulate, develop and implement three business projects that address pressing organizational challenge, over the 17-month duration of the EMBA for the Americas. Students may work in teams or individually to develop actionable and valuable recommendations for their chosen organization and present project outcomes to faculty advisors during the February, June and October residencies. For students, IP provides an opportunity to augment and integrate knowledge of fundamental business concepts and tools learned in classroom settings. IP also offers opportunities to develop and test both critical thinking and leadership skills through practical experience with real business challenges.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 657. Optimizing Human Capital. 2-4 Credit Hours.
The 21st century workplace has often been characterized as the “Age of Intellectual Capital,” a time in which competitive advantage is linked intricately to optimizing human resources in distinctive ways. In this dynamic, global marketplace, Darwin rules. To survive, organizations must provide the best products, the best services with the best labor or risk extinction. Contextual factors including changing demographics; global social, economic, and regulatory issues; and technological innovations have created major challenges for organizational sustainability. In a recent publication based on survey results from 94 countries, talent acquisition, retention, management, and engagement were viewed as “urgent” global trends for the 21st century. Utilizing a variety of pedagogical approaches, this course will focus on the ways in which human capital can be leveraged to create sustainability as well as work environments that engage the minds and hearts of participants to achieve strategic initiatives.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BUS 658. Business Analytics. 2-4 Credit Hours.
One of the strengths of Business Analytics is its broad applicability. The skills learned in this module can be used in virtually any context of business, including but not limited to: finance, marketing, strategy, operations, logistics, transportation, health care, real estate, sports, manufacturing, etc. For that reason, rather than focusing on a single central theme, as do other modules in the MEMBAA program, the Business Analytics module touches on a variety of themes that illustrate its potential.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
BUS 660. High Performance Leadership. 4 Credit Hours.
The High Performance Leadership course was developed to help executives build a high-performance work environment and effectively operate in the multicultural environment of the Americas and the World. The course is divided into two parts. The first part, the inter-residency will concentrate on the facets of high-performance leadership. It will explore the fundamentals of leadership; investigate the major leadership theoretical concepts; explore a wide-range of leadership research; convey practical leadership implications; and share lessons in conquering self-leadership. This section will be taught online through readings, discussion boards, and case and leader analyses. The emphasis will be on building a sound grasp of good practice, and on developing the ability to apply such knowledge to actual business problems. The theories will be applied to specific situations. The second part of the course, the residency concentrates on the cross-cultural environment of the Americas (and global markets) and addresses four main topics. The first session focuses on Cross-Cultural Communication in Business and allows executives to understand culturally-specific communication patterns, negotiation styles, expectations, cues, and norms. The second session addresses Leadership Issues in Organizational Control and participants will explore ethical and moral dilemmas, and external communications by senior executives. The third session focuses on Cross Cultural Issues in Leadership and examines effective leadership across cultures. The final session addresses Guanxi and Doing Business in China. China is currently or will soon become the world’s largest economy (PPP basis) and is increasingly becoming important to the Americas. This session addresses critical thinking, cultural understanding, solutions to problems, and evaluating different options when doing business with China.

Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 661. Enhancing Global Operations. 4 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on how to manage more complicated global networks; how to optimize service and quality levels of performance; and, how to minimize risks yet maintain required capacities. Operational transformation requires commitment and expertise in strategy and execution to achieve lasting improvements. This course draws on research and real world issues confronting manufacturing and service companies today, providing strategic frameworks to enable executives to make smart choices so that their firms can deliver the products and services they are committed to providing their customers.

Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 662. Decision Making in Global Environment. 4 Credit Hours.
This course provides students with a systematic way to carefully think about decisions to arrive at more informed choices while doing business globally and specifically in the Americas. The course covers structuring decisions, creating alternatives, making tradeoffs among conflicting objectives, accounting for uncertainties and risk tolerance, and analyzing and evaluating alternatives. The course is intended to make participants aware of decision making issues surrounding global business, the dynamic issues surrounding their context, and how these affect managerial strategy. An objective of the course is to increase participants’ competence in managerial decision making related to globalization, institutions, incentives, corporate governance, regulation, business law, international finance and accounting, organizations and management (including culture), and international trade.

Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 663. Entrepreneurship and Innovation. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This course considers entrepreneurship and innovation within the Americas, together with a special emphasis on the Latin American context. The course covers the building blocks of the entrepreneurial process and pays special attention to the family business model where ownership is closely held. The objective of the course is to develop an understanding of the venture formulation process within the Americas and the processes that surround this. The topics of innovation; venture capital; venture formulation; human capital; market dynamics; technological readiness; role of government, regulation, and culture will be assessed. An objective of the course is to consider new models for venture design such as the agile model of development and the creation of the business canvases, a lean version of the traditional business plan.

Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 698. Selected Topics. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Topics in selected areas of business.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
BUS 801. Introduction to Commercial Real Estate: Analysis and Field Experience. 3 Credit Hours.
Students enrolled in the Accelerated MBA in Real Estate program are required to participate in a one-week, four module, on-campus class followed by a full-time internship at a local Commercial Real Estate Institution during the first summer of the program. Module I: Students are introduced to the complexities of commercial construction techniques used in South Florida and the important links between architectural plans and economic value to owners and tenants. Module II: Students are introduced to the terminology and financial analysis of commercial real estate. Module III: Students are introduced to the application of real estate finance and valuation principles using ARGUS Valuation – DCF. Module IV: Students participate in a required internship at a local Commercial Real Estate Institution. Regarded as a full-time student.

Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

BUS 802. Commercial Real Estate Field Experience. 3 Credit Hours.
Students enrolled in the Accelerated MBA in Real Estate program are required to participate in a full-time internship at a local Commercial Real Estate Institution during the first fall semester of the program. This internship is subsequent to their previous summer internship (BUS 700). Regarded as a full-time student.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECO 600. Econometrics. 3 Credit Hours.
Statistical methods for estimating and testing mathematical models of economic relationships.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 601. Graduate Macroeconomic Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
The primary objective of this course is to introduce the student to the mathematical presentation of the major Classical, Neo-classical, Keynesian, and Neo-Keynesian macroeconomic models.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 602. Advanced Microeconomic Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the mathematical approach to microeconomic theory. Topics include consumer/household behavior, the theory of the firm, resource allocation, welfare economics, and uncertainty theory.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 603. Monetary Theory and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Current monetary theory and its use and application in fiscal and monetary policymaking. Topics include the rational expectations hypothesis, time inconsistency, and the role of the government budget constraint.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 604. Topics in Applied Macroeconomics. 3 Credit Hours.
Course acquaints students with current substantive issues in macroeconomics. Topics include consumption determination, savings behavior, bequest behavior, fiscal policy effects on interest rates, consumption, real exchange rates, trade balances, and inflation.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECO 610. Mathematical Economics and Applications. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will focus on specific applications of microeconomic theory, which may vary each semester. Topics may include choice under uncertainty, game-theoretic models of insurance markets, principal-agents problems, and basic auction theory. The discussion of each application will be preceded by a discussion of the mathematical tools required. The mathematics topics covered may include basic theory of sets and functions, concave / convex functions and their role in optimization, expectations, conditional probability, Bayes rule, and order statistics.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ECO 611. Labor Economics (III). 3 Credit Hours.
The formulation and testing of models of labor markets. The application of the tools of microeconomics and econometrics to the analysis of labor markets. Leading contributions in the areas of dynamic analysis of labor markets, human capital investment, the determinants of the wage structure, time allocation and search models, dual and internal labor market models, and analysis of government policy are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECO 612. Economic Strategies for Firms and the Industry. 3 Credit Hours.
This course shows how modern economic techniques can be used to identify optimal managerial decisions and industrial developments. Diverse real-world applications are examined.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECO 613. Microeconomics of Sustainability. 2 Credit Hours.
The course examines production and costs from a sustainability perspective, emphasizing the tradeoffs associated with reducing energy and other natural resources in production processes. Conditions under which reducing natural resources while using more of other inputs reduces total costs without sacrificing production are derived. Extensions are studied in which the same conditions are derived under a more general definition of costs which includes the costs of natural resource use to society and to brand reputation. The course then examines consumer demand for energy efficient products, emphasizing financing arrangements which allow the household to avoid the up-front fixed costs of energy efficient durable goods. Finally, the course examines externalities: actions by the firm which impose costs or benefits to society in a way which is not accounted for by prices.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 614. Valuing Public Goods. 2 Credit Hours.
While the costs of becoming more sustainable are relatively straightforward for the firm to quantify, the benefits to society (social benefits) are more difficult to determine. Nonetheless, assessing how clientele and other external stakeholders value sustainable practices is important if firms are to prioritize their efforts. This course will introduce students to the world of non-market valuation: the valuation of goods and services for which no true market exists with prices to reveal how much consumers are willing to pay. This class will provide a solid foundation for any manager to begin to understand how to appropriately value sustainable practices, enabling the firm to choose projects that provide the most social benefit net of implementation costs.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 615. Managing Regulation Compliance. 2 Credit Hours.
Sustainability initiatives must be integrated with a complex set of government regulations. Regulation systems such as standards, tradable permits, and taxes are analyzed from the firm's point of view. Regulation systems are also studied when compliance costs are uncertain or changing over time. Many modern regulation systems allow firms to earn credits by over-complying, which can be sold or banked for future use. The course will study compliance/credit management, including over the business cycle and when regulation changes over time. The value of compliance/over-compliance to the firm's brand and to society/external stakeholders is integrated into the optimal compliance decision.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECO 616. Sustainability and Market Dynamics. 2 Credit Hours.
The course studies the impact of sustainability initiatives on the organization of firms in the market. The course derives conditions under which sustainability initiatives favor market entrants over incumbent firms and the reverse. The course studies the use of sustainability initiatives by firms to segment the market. The value of sustainability initiatives in oligopolistic versus competitive markets are also studied. Finally, the value of sustainability initiatives to external stakeholders and to the firm's brand is integrated with the benefits and costs of changes in the competitiveness of the market resulting from the sustainability initiatives.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECO 617. Enterprise Risk Management. 2 Credit Hours.
Tools for the measurement and mitigation of risk are developed. Measurement tools include value at risk measures, expert opinion, and the use of market prices. Mitigation tools include catastrophe bonds, derivatives such as weather derivatives, and adaptations (building resilience). Risks that are relevant to sustainability, such as fat tailed risk and environmental catastrophes, are emphasized. The value of environmental risk reduction to the firm and society are derived.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
ECO 620. Advanced Econometrics. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced econometric methods including advanced techniques in multiple regression, Bayesian methods, maximum likelihood estimators, distributed lag models, spectral analysis, and Monte Carlo studies are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECO 621. Advanced Macro Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory of the determination of national income, employment, and price levels. Course emphasizes mathematical solutions of Classical, Keynesian, and other economic models.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECO 625. Applied Econometrics. 3 Credit Hours.
Practical applications of econometrics are surveyed. Computer packages are used to examine economic data. Topics include the series analysis, limited dependent variable modes, pooling cross section and time series data, model selection, and rational expectations models.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 633. Advanced Micro Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory of the behavior of firms and households and the determination of prices and resource allocation in a decentralized economy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECO 634. Advanced Micro Analysis II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ECO 633. Advanced analysis of theory of the household and firm emphasizing recent approaches. Analysis of decisions over time, duality relationships, advanced demand theory, risk and uncertainty, behavioral theories of the firm, and technological change are covered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 645. Regulations Economics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines public policies for dealing with problems arising in markets in which competitive forces are weak. The focus is on monopolies, oligopolies, cartels, and other environments where market mechanisms are unlikely to produce outcomes that benefit consumers more than the alternatives involving costly government intervention.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 675. Latin America and the Global Economy. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of the economic, political, and social forces at work in the changing economies in Latin America.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECO 680. Essentials of Economics. 2 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to the core concepts of economics. Topics include allocation of scarce resources by the laws of supply and demand, use of the market place as the principle organizing and distribution tool of the economy, externalities, and market failure. Pollution of the environment is treated as a needed correction to be done by public regulation through taxation and legislation. The principal forms of firm organization and dissolution are also discussed. Applications of the laws of supply and demand are made to forecasting demand and analyzing cost structure. The entry and exit of firms and the valuation of the firm is also covered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ECO 685. Managerial Decisions in a Global Economy. 2 Credit Hours.
Modern techniques of economic analysis and decision science are applied to the management of the firm in a global environment. Business planning and the determinants of supply and demand are an integral part of the course. The principal forms of business organization and dissolution are reviewed. The major issues confronted by the firm: Principal-agent problem (or how to motivate managers to act in the best interest of the owners, the shareholders), moral hazard, discounting of free cash flow and terminal value, economies of scale and scope, and strategic management decision making are covered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 690. Essentials of Economic Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
An economic study of the environment in which the decision making process takes place in management and the functional areas. Structured especially for students without an undergraduate background in economics. Credit not applicable toward 36-credit professional MBA component.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECO 691. Managerial Economics. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of economic analysis to the formulation and solving of management problems and the determination of business policy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECO 692. Applied Economics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is to provide practice in applying economic principles for graduate students with a basic understanding of economic theory.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECO 693. Applied Managerial Economics. 1 Credit Hour.
Managerial Economics is the application of economic theory to decisions made by firms and managers. This course approaches managerial economics from the point of view of a data driven manager or firm, seeking to apply economic theory to make business decisions. The course starts by teaching students how to use data on costs, sales, and pricing available at any firm to compute key metrics that needed to apply economic theory to business decision making. Students will learn data-driven methods to make key business decisions, such as how much to produce, what price to charge, and advanced pricing strategies such as up-charging and price discrimination. Students will learn how to make these decisions in both competitive and imperfectly competitive industries. Given the explosion of data being collected in many industries, companies are increasingly focused on combining economic theory and data to make better decisions. Indeed, many firms such as Google and Microsoft are now have in-house economics departments (as well as economists who work at investment banks and consulting firms) to advise on such decisions. Because in general these very fundamental decisions are made by higher level executives, economics becomes critically important for CEOs and other senior executives. This is one reason why economics is the most common major among Fortune 500 CEOs.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 694. Game Theory and Economic Strategy. 1 Credit Hour.
Game theory is a powerful tool for making strategic decisions. This course teaches students how to use game theory to make better strategic decisions. The setting is a small group of firms (e.g. Apple and Samsung) or managers (e.g. a small team). In such settings, managers must anticipate decisions by others and react accordingly, and anticipate how others will react to their decisions. Game theory teaches students how to anticipate decisions by others, which allows for better strategy. The course will teach game theory tools for cases when managers make decisions simultaneously, when managers make decisions sequentially, and cases where managers have incentives to make their decisions hard to predict. Strategic decisions analyzed include price competition, market segmentation, market entry/exit, flash sales, cartels and collusive behavior, strategic inventory decisions, entry deterrence, and many others.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 695. Global Economics. 2 Credit Hours.
This is a course in global economics with focus on economic policies and country risk. We study the aggregate behavior of macroeconomics variables that are relevant for business decisions. We take into account the interaction of the national economy with the rest of the world. In other words, we do global economics and study the roles of monetary and fiscal policies in an open economy, foreign direct investment, and the exchange rate.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.
ECO 698. Selected Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics in selected areas of specialization.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECO 699. Directed Study. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Graduate-level supervised readings, individual research project or independent investigation of selected economics problems. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ECO 750. Applied Economics: IO. 3 Credit Hours.
The first part of the course will focus on static analysis of market outcomes. The emphasis will be on empirical work, and there will be a number of places where we take digressions into econometric and computational issues. The second part will focus on related fields (bargaining, auctions and market design), and then move on to dynamic analysis in I.O. (both single and multiple agent dynamic models).
PRE-REQUISITE: ECO 602 AND ECO 633.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECO 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor but not for less than a total of 12. Not more than 12 hours of ECO 730 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session. Where a student has passed his/her (a) qualifying examinations, and (b) is engaged in an assistantship, he/she may still take the maximum allowable credit stated above.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECO 860. The Theory of International Trade. 3 Credit Hours.
This course presents rudiments in trade theory and open macroeconomics. International arbitrage as well as determination of the values of currencies and stocks.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FIN 602. Fundamentals of Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
This is an integrated business course that focuses on the fundamental principles needed for better financial decision-making. First, the course will expose students to the fundamental concepts of investment theory and financial markets. The second part of the course provides students with the tools necessary to answer a key question facing corporate managers: What are good investments? Beyond these traditional topics in finance, the course exposes students to the emerging field of behavioral finance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FIN 603. Advanced Corporate Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
Applications in corporate finance. This class builds on the core MBA courses in our executive MBA program, especially Fundamentals of Finance (Finance 602). Topics include working capital management, financial planning, basic option valuation, agency theory, capital structure management, mergers and acquisitions, liabilities management and leasing. Note: required for Finance concentration.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FIN 613. Intermediate Corporate Finance and Investments. 4 Credit Hours.
This course builds on the fundamentals of financial accounting and finance and provides an in-depth exploration of investments and corporate finance. Topics such as capital structure, the cost of capital, advanced capital budgeting, security valuation, and portfolio theory are covered.
Prerequisite: BUS 640.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
FIN 614. International Finance, Valuation, and Financial Statement Analysis. 4 Credit Hours.
This course uses an interdisciplinary approach combining international and corporate finance to build knowledge of international investment and valuation. This course teaches global financial decision making through student collaboration and real-world applications.
Prerequisite: FIN 613.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FIN 615. Financial Decision Making. 4 Credit Hours.
This course explores decision-making theory to better understand why investors, money managers, and corporate managers make suboptimal economic and financial decisions. Specifically, the course focuses on the psychological, social, and cultural determinants of suboptimal investor and managerial behavior. A variety of behavioral "biases" are examined as well as the impact of those biases on security prices, corporate policies, and aggregate economic outcomes. In addition, the course investigates whether the mistakes generate market inefficiencies that can potentially be exploited.
Prerequisite: FIN 614.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FIN 616. Advanced Corporate Finance. 4 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to advanced corporate finance topics, and builds directly on established concepts from prerequisite finance courses. The course integrates conceptual and applied case methodologies to develop practical solutions to real-world problems. Topics typically covered include working capital management, financial planning, optionality in decision making and hedging, agency theory, long-term debt management, leasing, and leveraged buy outs.
Prerequisite: FIN 614.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FIN 617. Derivatives and Financial Modeling. 4 Credit Hours.
This course explores modelling applications for corporate finance and investments topics. Modelling financial problems in Excel is the standard way to approach in-depth analysis and understanding of complex problems. This course will look at several different types of models and financial applications. In addition, the class will explore financial options, futures, swaps, and financial engineering. It includes descriptive information, theory and applications. The goal of the descriptive information is for students to gain familiarity with the instruments and the markets where they trade. Theory is covered to understand the instruments, their pricing and behavior under different market conditions. Finally, applications of the use of derivative securities will be investigated in equity, fixed income, foreign currency, commodity, and credit markets.
Prerequisite: FIN 614.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FIN 618. Quantitative Finance and Microstructure. 4 Credit Hours.
This course provides a cross-disciplinary coverage of statistics and market microstructure. Students will learn how to use Excel to organize and present data sets to visualize the general characteristics, and how to identify and understand the use of specific measures of location and dispersion. We will cover the most important discrete and continuous probability distributions, and apply and understand the Central Limit Theorem. Furthermore, we will calculate, use and interpret confidence intervals and hypothesis testing about the population mean and population variance. On the microstructure part, we will learn about the market structures used to trade securities, analyze the basic types of orders available to investors, and evaluate the risks and benefits of high-frequency trading and dark pools in financial settings.
Prerequisite: BUS 640.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FIN 619. Advanced Portfolio Management and Alternative Investments. 4 Credit Hours.
The objective of this course is to provide an advanced theoretical and practical understanding of various investment choices. The first half focuses on stock portfolios. It covers the five key dimensions of the quantitative portfolio management process: using signals ("factors") to forecast returns; measuring risk; portfolio optimization; controlling costs; and performance evaluation. The second half focuses on fixed income and alternative instruments, such as currencies, commodities, credit derivatives, and asset-backed securities. While covering each instrument, the course also addresses how macroeconomic, technological, labor market, taxation, and regulatory issues affect specific investment decisions.
Prerequisite: FIN 613.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
FIN 620. Investment Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
This course deals with theory and application of investment analysis. Topics include general stock trading, portfolio and risk-return theory, models of stock valuation, portfolio diversification, market efficiency, options and futures, bond valuation and bond portfolio strategy, general commodity investing, and personal financial planning.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

FIN 621. Portfolio Construction and Management. 3 Credit Hours.
The evolution of portfolio theory and practice and its role in modern investment management. Individual constraint models within the general capital market theory are included as well as empirical evidence, theoretical discussion, and practical exercises.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FIN 622. Financial Options and Futures. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of the theoretical development of models for pricing contingent claims in the field of finance. Application of theoretical results to the hedging of current and future assets and liabilities and to speculative strategies for the risk-averse, profit-maximizing entity are included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FIN 630. International Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
The financing of international trade and capital placements. Restrictions on capital retrieval and problems of international liquidity related to the U.S. and non-U.S. firms is discussed as well as current developments in international banking, theory, and policy. Cases involving foreign capital commitments and transactions, especially Latin America are also included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FIN 631. International Financial Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Sources and uses of long and short term capital for international business applications and foreign currency markets. Financial decisions associated with international cash and capital budgeting, capital repatriation and taxation strategies, capital exposure and coverage, and multinational firm financial strategies are discussed. Lectures and cases are included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FIN 635. Quantitative and Analytical Fundamentals for Finance. 1-4 Credit Hours.
This four-credit course provides graduate students with an intensive review of the fundamentals of financial accounting and finance, and as well as microeconomic concepts and quantitative skills, needed as appropriate foundation to pursue the Master of Science in Finance degree or other master degrees that entail an elective course in finance. Topics include: Math concept review (functions, exponents, notation, weighted average, derivatives as applied to maximization/minimization); Measures of central location, variability, and association; Supply and demand curves, elasticity; Profit maximization; Markets: perfect competition, monopoly, oligopoly; Economic role of Government (monetary and fiscal policy, regulation, taxation); Basic financial statements (income statement, balance sheet, statement of cash flow, statement of changes in shareholders’ equity); Working capital, noncurrent liabilities and owners’ equity, investments and long-lived assets; Common size and ratio analysis; Principles in finance; Time value of money; Valuation (including bonds and stocks); Fixed income securities; Term structure of interest rates; Interest rate risk and duration; Capital markets, how securities trade, intermediaries; Capital market efficiency, arbitrage; Risk and return, portfolio math; Diversifiable vs. non-diversifiable risk; Asset Pricing Models (CAPM, beta, Fama-French); Capital structure; Capital budgeting; Cost of capital; Foreign exchange and global investing; Introduction to derivatives. The course will be taught over taught over a two-week period, primarily in lecture, homework, and test format.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FIN 640. Nobel Prize Winning Ideas in Financial Economics & Current Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The objective of this course is to introduce Nobel Prize Winning Ideas in Financial Economics. These ideas are key in defining "the language of Finance" and should be part of the intellectual toolkit of any financial professional. Research of more than ten Nobel Prize winners will be covered (Akerlof, Engle, Fama, Hart, Heckman, Holmstrom, Markowitz, Merton, Miller, Mirrlees, Modigliani, Scholes, Spence, Sharpe, Shiller, Thaler). The course also includes discussions of current topics in Finance. These discussions show how the Nobel Prize Winning Ideas in Financial Economics help frame the debate on current industry topics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
FIN 641. Valuation and Financial Decision Making. 2 Credit Hours.
Basic financial valuation. This is one of the core classes in finance for our regular MBA program. Topics include the financial environment; the time value of money; capital market efficiency; basic security valuation; risk, return and asset pricing; cost of capital; and an introduction to capital budgeting.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 642. The Financial Environment. 2 Credit Hours.
A continuation of FIN641, with an emphasis on important issues faced by corporate financial managers responsible for financing and investment decisions. Core topics include capital structure, payout policy, advanced capital budgeting, basic derivative and real option valuation, leasing, and investment banking. Specialized topics, such as behavioral finance, international finance, mergers and acquisitions, and risk management may also be introduced as the course progresses.
Prerequisite: FIN 641.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 643. Quantitative Finance and Market Microstructure. 2 Credit Hours.
This course aims to give simple yet useful quantitative finance tools, and a broad overview of the functioning of modern financial markets, to students wishing to broaden their knowledge of finance. The first part of the course exposes students to the microstructure of financial markets. We will learn about different trading mechanisms encountered in financial markets today, how information affects prices and liquidity, what algorithms practitioners use to implement their trading strategies, and some basic models of how dealers react to information. The second part of the course introduces students to statistical models commonly encountered in quantitative finance. We’ll have a hands-on approach, and learn how to estimate the models with real financial data using Excel and the statistical software R.
Prerequisite: FIN 642 or FIN 602.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 644. Real Estate Investment and Appraisal. 2 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce students to the theoretical concepts and analytical techniques used to make a decision to purchase an ownership interest in a commercial real estate project. There is heavy reliance on Excel applications and the use of the ARGUS software that is a standard resource in the commercial real estate market.
Prerequisite: FIN 641.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

FIN 645. Real Estate Finance. 2-3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce students to the theoretical concepts and analytical techniques used to make a decision to loan money for the purchase or development of a commercial real estate project. Students will complete projects that require them to evaluate the financing and investment potential of a small commercial site of their choice and to evaluate a lease vs. buy decision using a plot of land in Miami-Dade County from the perspective of a publicly-traded corporation.
Prerequisite: FIN 641.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

FIN 646. Real Estate Market Analysis. 2 Credit Hours.
The course aims to provide students with an understanding of the functioning of markets for urban space, and their role in real estate investment decisions. The course first treats urban-economic processes involved in the determination of prices for space, in a theoretical and empirical context. This economic understanding is then put to use on several case studies of market- and site- analysis for various land uses.
Prerequisite: FIN 641.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
FIN 647. Introduction to ARGUS. 1 Credit Hour.
ARGUS software is used extensively in the development, financing and management of commercial real estate, especially in the office, industrial and retail sectors. The introduction to ARGUS class exposes the student to the basic concepts and terminology in the commercial real estate market and to the typical inflows and outflows an owner who invests in real estate faces over the life of the investment. 
Requisite: Limited to Accelerated Real Estate MBA Students.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 648. Advanced ARGUS. 1 Credit Hour.
At the end of the Advanced ARGUS class the student will be able to assess the viability of detailed rent and operating expense assumptions, make decisions about the impact of financing on investor returns and critically evaluate the investment potential of leveraged office and retail property. 
Prerequisite: FIN 647.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

FIN 649. Non-Profit Consulting Project. 1-4 Credit Hours.
This course is designed for students completing the Accelerated MBA in Real Estate. The course allows graduate students in real estate to synthesize and apply the concepts learned in real estate coursework to a real-life problem where the results will benefit a local organization in the non-profit sector. The supervising professor guides the students' efforts but the course topics and resources are driven by client needs and students skills. 
Requisite: Limited to Accelerated Real Estate MBA Students.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

FIN 650. Financial Investment. 2 Credit Hours.
This course builds on FIN 641 and FIN 642 to provide a more advanced knowledge of the field of investments, particularly important statistical concepts for investments, portfolio construction, asset pricing, and behavioral biases affecting financial decisions. The course is quantitative and introduces students to Excel as a tool to form and rebalance portfolios. 
Prerequisite: FIN 642 or FIN 602.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 651. Advanced Topics in Investments. 2 Credit Hours.
The course provides an introduction to quantitative active management of equity portfolios. The course begins with a discussion of market (in)efficiency, then covers the five key dimensions of the quantitative portfolio management process: using signals (“factors”) to forecast returns; measuring risk; portfolio optimization; controlling costs; and performance evaluation. 
Prerequisite: FIN 650.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 652. Fixed Income Securities. 2 Credit Hours.
This course builds on FIN641/642 (or BUS640) and FIN650 and covers trading and valuation of a wide variety of fixed income securities including corporate, municipal, and Treasury pure discount bonds, coupon bonds, floating rate notes, bond embedded options, mortgages, interest rate swaps, currency swaps, equity swaps, and interest rate options. The course focuses on analytic tools used in bond portfolio management and interest rate risk management. These tools include spot rates, forward rates, credit spreads, duration and convexity, yield curve construction, and term structure models. 
Prerequisite: FIN 642 or FIN 602 or FIN 650.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

FIN 653. Alternative Investments. 2 Credit Hours.
The course provides an advanced theoretical and practical understanding of various alternative investment strategies, with a specific focus on currency markets, derivatives (e.g., interest rate and credit derivatives), venture capital and private equity investments, and real estate investments. The course also examines how macro-economic, technological, labor market, taxes and regulatory issues affect specific investment decisions. In addition, the students learn about valuation, investment and risk management strategies of sophisticated investors and recent chronology of events that affect market participants. 
Prerequisites: FIN 641 and FIN 642 and FIN 650.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
FIN 654. Impact Investing. 2 Credit Hours.
The course provides an introduction to the emerging field of impact investing, where traditional investment objectives are modified to include social and environmental considerations. The first part of the course exposes students to portfolio theory, asset pricing, and the analytics tools of portfolio management. Subsequently, using these traditional tools of financial investments, students learn to identify and evaluate the impact of social factors on portfolio decisions, financial risk, asset prices, and performance evaluation. Students also learn about the psychology of impact investing that influences the tradeoffs between financial and social returns.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

FIN 655. Smif Fund Analyst I. 1 Credit Hour.
This is the entry level class for the Category 5 Student Managed Investment Fund (Cat 5 SMIF) track. The course is designed to introduce the student to the investment management process, including valuation of publicly traded equities. The course is one credit and meets once a week each semester; students must commit to and enroll in the follow-up class. Admission to the course is through a competitive application process.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 656. Smif Fund Analyst II. 1 Credit Hour.
This is the second course in the Cat 5 SMIF track. In this course students will continue to learn about security analysis and improve their skills. These students will have some responsibility for overseeing students in the Analyst I class.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 657. Smif Fund Portfolio Manager I. 1 Credit Hour.
This is the third course in the Cat 5 SMIF track. This course broadens the focus of the students to the overall portfolio. Students will learn more about strategy, asset allocation, portfolio optimization, and related topics to managing an investment portfolio.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 658. Smif Fund Manager II. 1 Credit Hour.
This is the fourth course in the Cat 5 SMIF track. Members of this course will function as the senior officers of the fund. They will oversee students in the Portfolio Manager I class. They will be responsible for all administrative functions, performance measurement, and all reporting to the Academic Advisors, Advisory Board, and the University Treasurer. They may also be responsible to presentations to groups inside and outside the University for the purpose of publicizing the Cat 5 SMIF.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 660. International Finance. 2 Credit Hours.
This course builds on FIN 641 and 642, and introduces students to the concepts that are important in today's dramatically changing global economy. The course covers the international monetary system; the interrelationship between national economies through the balance of payments; the economic relationships that determine a currency's value relative to other currencies and influence international trade and cross-border investment; the foreign exchange market structure and instruments; and the international debt and equity markets.
Prerequisite: FIN 642 or FIN 602 or BUS 630.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 661. Advanced Topics in International Finance. 2 Credit Hours.
This course builds directly on FIN 660 using a variety of techniques, including group projects and class discussion. A number of special topics are covered such as financing the multinational firm, currency swaps, international portfolio investment, international asset pricing, multinational capital budgeting and cross-border investment, and measuring and managing the many additional risk exposures faced by a multinational enterprise.
Prerequisite: FIN 660.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
FIN 662. Chinese Financial Markets. 2 Credit Hours.
Chinese financial markets has been one of the world’s largest and most vital economies. This course examines market history, structure, regulations, practices, conventions, and current issues in major financial markets in China. Like other emerging financial markets, Chinese financial markets are less researched and not well understood. Due to cultural and economic differences between Chinese financial markets and developed financial markets, Chinese markets have their own unique ways of operation and evaluation that may not be obviously intuitive to foreign investors. Additionally, China and Chinese markets are in continuous transformation at a high speed, which creates strong challenges and valuable opportunities for investors, both individual and instructional, to explore and extend their investment universe in terms of geopolitical location, currency, and asset classes. Learning Objectives: This course introduces students to China’s financial markets, explores current issues related to the future development of those markets, provides students specific and useful knowledge about investments in China and helps prepare them for careers related to these dynamic markets. It includes the following topics in Chinese financial system: 1. Money and foreign exchange markets 2. Bond markets 3. Equity markets 4. Futures and derivatives markets 5. Real estate markets 6. Mortgage, insurance, and the funds industry 7. Private equity markets 8. Private banking and wealth management 9. Qualified Foreign Institutional Investors (QFII) 10. Development of RMB as an international currency
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FIN 663. Latin American Financial Markets. 2 Credit Hours.
This course analyzes the main financial markets in Latin America across asset classes and countries. In the first part of the course we present the stylized facts of financial markets and the main securities traded by financial intermediaries and firms in Latin America, including those traded in global markets (corporate and sovereign bonds, CDS, FX and interest rate products, CDS, FX and rate swaps, and OTC and exchange-traded derivatives). We describe the main products, exchanges, institutional and regulatory practices for the largest and most liquid local markets (Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, and Mexico). We discuss the main type of trades in LatAm markets, such as long only, long and short, arbitrage, relative value trades, FX and carry trades, rates trades (payer, receiver, curve trades), hedged trades, swaps and vol trades. The second part of the course will be based on case studies, which will teach how to blend Global Economics, Corporate Finance, and Investment Management to trade in Latin American markets. The student will be able anticipate the effects of changes in key macroeconomic policies and political events on asset prices, including FX, interest rates, sovereign bonds, CDS, and equities. The third part of the course teaches how to apply this knowledge into investment decisions ahead of actual data releases and policy decisions by the Fed and the main central banks in Latin America. Grading will be based on a midterm and a final exam; and brief reports in which the students defend their trade and portfolio recommendations before the aforementioned policy events that will occur during the course. This course will make intensive use of Bloomberg inside and outside the classroom.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FIN 668. Wealth Management and Financial Planning. 1-4 Credit Hours.
This course examines the investment and financial issues arising from financial planning and personal wealth management activities. It covers various topics required for the construction of a comprehensive financial plan including the identification of client financial status and goals, asset allocation, securities trading, managed funds, tax planning, risk management and insurance, and estate planning.
Prerequisite: FIN 641 and FIN 642.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 669. Household Finance and Investment. 2 Credit Hours.
This is a course focusing on Household Finance with two main objectives. First, the course covers what we know about household investment decision making. This discussion includes the decision of U.S. households to participate in the financial markets, their asset allocation decisions and their overall portfolio construction. What households do is contrasted with what canonical financial models prescribe. The course covers what the reasons might be for any deviation of observed decisions from theoretical predictions. Second, the course introduces students to portfolio optimization algorithms that take into account real life risks. Specifically, we discuss portfolio optimization with labor, real-estate, and climate risk. Collectively, the aim of the course is to provide students with the necessary tools that would improve financial decision making.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FIN 670. Corporate Finance. 2 Credit Hours.
The course serves as a complement and supplement to 641 and 642 and builds up to more advanced topics in corporate finance. The course will quickly review some basic concepts like net present value and build up to special topics like real options, valuation, mergers and acquisitions and corporate governance. The main objective of the class is that students understand basic corporate finance concepts as well as develop a good understanding of how complicated firm level decisions are made.
Prerequisite: FIN 642 or FIN 602 or BUS 630.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
FIN 671. Advanced Topics in Corporate Finance. 2 Credit Hours.
This course builds directly on FIN 670 and on the MBA core classes, FIN 641 and FIN 642, and relies mainly on the analysis and vigorous class discussion of a variety of real-world cases. The cases cover a broad range of topics, including short- and long-term financing, capital budgeting decisions, corporate valuation, hedging with options and futures, dividend policy and share repurchases, corporate financial strategy, IPOs, environmental considerations, and other current issues in corporate finance.
Prerequisite: FIN 670.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 672. Sustainable Finance. 2 Credit Hours.
Businesses of today are increasingly dealing with the risks and opportunities of environmental, social, and governance (ESG) issues due to the scarcity of resources, labor relations, and climate change. This course couples established and emerging corporate theory to study these sustainability challenges. It covers diverse aspects of sustainable finance, including ESG measurement, socially responsible and impact investing.
After establishing the benchmarks in understanding the core corporate finance principles, the course quickly moves on to understanding responsible investing from the shareholder perspective and how that affects firm performance and how that can be then used as a tool to establish a comparative advantage in the product market. The course also explores the meaning and importance of sustainable business practices that respect and adhere to ethical social responsibility standards through several case studies and simple econometric analyses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

FIN 674. Financial Analysis of Mergers and Acquisitions. 2 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to develop an understanding of (1) the economic and financial issues involved in the acquisition of a company; (2) the analytical valuation tools used to evaluate an acquisition; and (3) potential and empirical stock market reaction to an acquisition. Students are then asked to apply their understanding of the issues to analyze cases involving various aspects of acquisition.
Prerequisite: FIN 670.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

FIN 679. Private Equity and Venture Capital. 2 Credit Hours.
This course will cover the private equity (PE) industry, composed of both venture capital (VC) and buyouts (BO). The course will provide students with an understanding of corporate finance by applying central concepts and tools to a new and increasingly important industry. The course will also introduce students to the institutions of the PE industry and the valuation process used by PE investors.
Prerequisite: FIN 670.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

FIN 680. FinTech. 2-3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to Fintech, the emerging world of applications, concepts, developments, business models, and companies at the interface of Finance and Technology. The course format is a mixture of lecture and seminar-style student presentations. It covers the main Fintech areas like Peer-to-Peer-Lending, Crowdfunding, Mobile Payment Systems, Cryptocurrencies and ICOs, Robo Advising, Insurtech (insurance technology), and RegTech (regulatory technology). A special emphasis is given to how and by whom these emerging technologies are currently used, and how they may potentially change the landscape of finance and financial services in the future.
Prerequisite: BUS 640.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 681. Financial Institutions. 2 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the management of financial institutions, such as mutual funds, banks, hedge funds, and finance office of large corporations. Topics include risk management, deposits and deposit insurance, liquidity, reserve requirements, capital adequacy, liability management, investment interest rate risk, and current issues connected with financial institutions.
Prerequisite: FIN 642 or FIN 602 or BUS 630.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
FIN 683. Financial Modeling. 2 Credit Hours.
This course takes a variety of finance topics and implements them using practical spreadsheet models. Students are presumed to have a working knowledge of Windows and Excel, as well as a good understanding the material taught in the core finance classes. Topics include Time Value of Money, Capital Budgeting, Pro-Forma Financial Statements, Bond Analysis, and Portfolio Construction and Optimization. This course will meet in a "computer lab" (a classroom) for hands-on instruction. The course is structured as a "flipped" classroom, so lectures and learning materials are online and practice an application are done in the classroom. It is therefore extremely important that students are prepared for class each meeting day. Prerequisite: FIN 642 or FIN 602 or BUS 630.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

FIN 684. Advanced Financial Modeling. 2 Credit Hours.
The objective of this course is to introduce the new tools from artificial intelligence (AI) and machine learning (ML) to finance. The course will explain what the AI and ML tools are and then explain whether they are useful for common financial decisions (e.g., portfolio choice, managerial decisions, bankruptcy prediction, etc.). Prerequisite: FIN 683.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FIN 685. Mathematics of Financial Derivatives. 2 Credit Hours.
This course builds on Finance 650 and 670. This course provides an in-depth mathematical treatment of derivatives and is divided into three parts: (1) options; (2) futures and forwards; and (3) other derivative instruments, which include options on futures, foreign currency derivatives, swaps, exotic options, and financial engineering. The emphasis is placed on equity instruments, although there is also some coverage of short- and long-term interest bearing instruments. Prerequisite: FIN 650. and FIN 670.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

The goal of this course is to use decision-making theory to better understand why investors, money managers, and corporate managers often make suboptimal economic and financial decisions. The first part of the course focuses on the basic techniques and models that a manager or an investor can use to make effective financial decisions. The second part of the course focuses on the psychological, social, and cultural determinants of suboptimal investor and managerial behavior. In addition, the course examines the impact of those mistakes for financial markets (e.g., price bubbles) and the overall economy. The course should be useful to individuals who work in a corporate setting or at a money management firm (mutual funds, hedge funds, pension funds, etc.). Prerequisite: FIN 602 or FIN 642 or BUS 640.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

FIN 687. Advance Mathematical Finance. 2 Credit Hours.
This course is the financial mathematics course of the Master of Science in Finance program. The purpose of this course is to equip students with the mathematical tools and techniques essential for being a successful portfolio or wealth manager. This course is also designed to provide a foundation for concurrent/subsequent coursework in investments and derivatives.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FIN 689. Applied Numerical Methods in Finance. 2 Credit Hours.
This course aims to give a rigorous overview of the numerical methods and techniques used in modern finance. The course will cover topics such as linear and nonlinear equations, interpolation, optimization, binomial and trinomial methods, finite difference methods, Monte-Carlo simulation, random number generators, option pricing and hedging. We will take a "hands-on" approach and implement all methods either using Python and/or Microsoft Excel.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
FIN 690. Risk Management & Insurance. 2 Credit Hours.
This course explores the field or risk management and insurance. Students learn about the fundamental nature and measurement of risk, the principal techniques used to manage risk for both corporations and individuals, and the major aspects of various insurance areas such as life, and property and casualty. The course includes foundational concepts important to the risk management industry, an exposure to risk modeling, and a broad overview of various types of insurance and their major concepts and terminology
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FIN 695. Finance Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students are individually assigned to an operating business firm or other organization to gain insight into applied financial decision making and quantitative analysis in their area of career interest. Periodic reports and in-person meetings are required. Permission of program faculty directors is required prior to registration.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FIN 696. Finance Capstone Project. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this course is to provide students the opportunity to apply financial models and quantitative skills to a client’s, real-life business challenge or opportunity. In the process of helping the client solve its problem or address an opportunity, students will simultaneously deepen their understanding of financial concepts, develop consulting skills, and practice teamwork and communication skills. The course is structured around the principles of experiential learning, and as such, will include iterative, explicit opportunities for students to think, do, and reflect on the lessons learned.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 698. Selected Topics in Finance. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Topics in selected areas of specialization.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FIN 705. Financial Economics I. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an introductory Ph.D. level course on the fundamental theories of asset pricing. Specifically, it consists of three parts. The first part focuses on individual choice under uncertainty. The second part develops equilibrium asset pricing theories, which include mean variance efficiency and the Capital Asset Pricing Model (CAPM), as well as the Arbitrage Pricing Theory (APT). The third part reviews recent development in asset pricing by introducing some stylized facts and new theories.
Requisite: Limited to Business PhD Students.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
FIN 707. Empirical Methods in Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
The objective of this course is to give you an introduction to empirical research in finance. This class is not designed like an econometrics class where the emphasis is the statistical specification of tests and the derivation of underlying asymptotics. The focus in this class is the understanding of the technique and the actual implementation in finance. The goal is to provide you with a toolbox of techniques that you can use to answer empirical questions in corporate finance and asset pricing.
Prerequisite: FIN 705.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FIN 708. Financial Economics II. 3 Credit Hours.
This is a second course on asset pricing. The class is divided in two independent modules. The first module covers discrete time asset pricing models with frictions. These frictions include, among others, asymmetric information, slow-moving capital, delegated portfolio management, and short-sale constraints. The second module is an introduction to continuous time finance. Topics include introduction to stochastic calculus, derivative pricing and hedging, optimal portfolio choice, and equilibrium asset pricing.
Prerequisite: FIN 705.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FIN 709. Behavioral Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will cover selected topics from the field of behavioral finance. Issues related to both asset pricing and corporate finance will be discussed. The main objective of the course is to help students identify a few interesting research ideas and execute one of these ideas into a completed paper, which could be part of the student’s dissertation.
Prerequisite: FIN 705.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FIN 715. Pe-Seminar Doctoral Students Workshop in Finance. 1 Credit Hour.
This course provides Finance PhD students an opportunity to i) discuss influential and well-cited research papers in financial economics, ii) incorporate contemporary finance research into their knowledge base, and iii) improve their research presentation skills.
Prerequisite: FIN 705.
Components: RSC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 825. Comprehensive Test Preparation. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Doctoral students who are preparing for their qualifying examinations may use this course designation. Enrolled students must develop, with the approval of their advisor, a "Plan of Study" for these credits.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 830. Pre-Dissertation Research. 1-6 Credit Hours.
For Finance PhD students currently writing their dissertation.
Requisite: Finance PhD Student.
Components: RSC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAS 601. Applied Regression Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory and practical application of regression modeling and analysis. Understanding the role and responsibility of a statistician is also included.
Prerequisite: MAS 631.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAS 610. Statistical Analysis for Managerial Decision Making. 3 Credit Hours.
Data analysis, probability concepts, distributions, sampling, estimation, hypothesis testing, simple and multiple regression and correlation analysis.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MAS 611. Principles of Quality Management. 3 Credit Hours.
The definition of quality management, its history, and comparison of various schools of thought. An introduction to the theories of systems, variation, knowledge, and psychology as they relate to quality management. Deming’s fourteen points for management are studied through examples and cases.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAS 612. Advanced Quantitative Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
The application of probability theory to the formulation and analysis of mathematical models for decision making. Applications are taken from inventory control, forecasting, waiting lines, quality control, production, and operations management.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAS 617. Statistics and Data Analysis. 2 Credit Hours.
This course deals with introductory business statistics, as well as data acquisition, preparation, and visualization. It will introduce computer software to extract data and present information to stakeholders. Students will learn SQL for querying databases, as well as Tableau for creating quick visuals and interactive dashboards. We will also cover basic visualization capabilities in Excel and essential data-related concepts such as looking at data in a critical way to identify curious behaviors, and understanding basic data requirements and what to do when you do not have the exact data you need.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAS 628. Introduction to Accounting Analytics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to applications of data analytics techniques in accounting which includes: financial reporting, managerial accounting, taxation, and auditing.
Prerequisite: ACC 301. And ACC 402. And ACC 403.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAS 629. SAS Programming for Business Analytics. 2 Credit Hours.
SAS (Statistical Analysis System) is considered a world leader in business analytics software. This course provides the student with the tools necessary to program in SAS at an intermediate level necessary for data scientists in many Fortune 500 companies in the pharmaceutical, financial, manufacturing and health care industries. The course begins with an introduction to Base SAS software, including the reading, manipulation and transformation of data. Techniques for restructuring data files, merging and concatenating data sets, creating summary reports as well as the utilization of basic statistical procedures will comprise the first half of the course. The middle of the course will focus on intermediate SAS skills for Data Management. The topics include error checking, report generation, date and time processing, PROC SQL, SAS Graph, SAS Macros, and the ODS (Output Delivery System) for production quality output. The last third of the course will include SAS statistical procedures most often utilized by data analysts and covered in the SAS Certified Statistical Business Analyst Credential.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAS 630. Quality Management in Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
This course presents administrative systems necessary for an organization or an individual to pursue quality management. The course presents a functional model for quality management.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAS 631. Statistics for Managerial Decision Making. 2 Credit Hours.
This course aims to familiarize the student with statistical theory, tools, and methods required for business systems analysis and improvement. Topics include descriptive methods, elementary probability, random variables and the distributions, hypothesis testing, confidence intervals, statistical modeling, and regression.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MAS 632. Management Science Models for Decision Making. 2 Credit Hours.
This course aims to familiarize the student with Management Science tools for business systems analysis and improvement. The coverage includes linear and integer programming models, project management, simulation, queuing, and decision analysis. Some widely used software are illustrated through examples and case studies derived from business applications.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAS 633. Introduction to Quality Management. 2 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the major elements of Dr. Deming's theory of management, including Dr. Deming's System of Profound Knowledge and Fourteen Points for Management. Additionally, participants are introduced to "Six Sigma" tools and methods. These tools and methods have been adopted with great success by many of the largest organizations in the world, for example, General Electric, Allied Signal, Dupont, American Express, and J.P. Morgan. Additionally, the course is a prerequisite for the "Six Sigma" Green Belt certification examination.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAS 634. Administrative Systems for Quality Management. 2 Credit Hours.
This course presents a model to pursue quality management (QM). It features administrative systems and structures necessary for Quality Management. The administrative systems and structures presented in this course are required to sit for the Six Sigma Management "Green Belt" certification examination.
Prerequisite: MAS 633.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAS 635. Design of Experiments. 2 Credit Hours.
This course presents tools and methodology useful in conducting experiments that provide valid answers to questions of interest to the experimenter. The course discusses an overall approach to obtaining and analyzing experimental data, the advantages of using structured multi factor experiments to screen for important factors, ways of minimizing the amount of data points needed to obtain desired information, and how to identify values of experimental factors that optimize the value of measured responses. Factorial designs, fractional factorial designs, screening designs, and response surface designs are presented. Emphasis is placed on the knowledge required for proper application of these methods through many examples in business and quality management.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAS 636. Dashboard Tools for Visual Analytics. 2 Credit Hours.
This course teaches modern analytic tools for visual analytics and dashboarding to monitor and improve business processes. Students will learn to identify and communicate key performance measures visually and in an interactive manner accessible to everyday business stakeholders.
Prerequisite: MAS 631.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAS 637. Applied Regression Analysis I. 2 Credit Hours.
This course aims to familiarize the student with statistical prediction. It covers simple and multiple regression methods as well as time series and forecasting models in business. Instead of theoretical development, the course emphasizes the application of these methods in business systems analysis and improvement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAS 638. Business Analytics Consulting. 2 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this course is to enhance students' consulting skills in management science. In addition to skills of modeling and choosing appropriate tools for analysis, these include the communication skills of presenting quantitative and analytical material in business settings. The course is structured around a set of case studies that are based on real applications of management science models and methods discussed in MAS 631 and MAS 632.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MAS 639. Data Acquisition, Preparation, and Visualization. 2 Credit Hours.
This course teaches using statistical computing software to get a better understanding of what problems can occur (and what solutions exist) when dealing with a variety of data types and sources. It will also discuss how to address data visualization and how to leverage current methods and software to best communicate with results and decision with stakeholders.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAS 640. Applied Time Series Analysis and Forecasting. 2 Credit Hours.
Time series data occur when a single experimental unit or process is observed repeatedly over time. Data of this type are common in finance and economics. Statistical methods that assume independence are inappropriate for time series data. This course will provide the students with the basic theory and tools for the statistical analysis and interpretation of time series data. Broadly, the methods may be categorized into time-domain and frequency-domain methods. Time-domain methods develop explicit models for the evolution of a process over time. Frequency-domain methods equivalently model the correlation structure of the time series. Other topics include methods for model-based estimation, model selection, diagnostics, forecasting, and computing as they relate to time series analysis.
Prerequisites: MAS 637 or MAS 601.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAS 641. Operations Research Models in Management. 3 Credit Hours.
The application of Operations Research techniques in Management. Topics include linear programming, PERT/CPM, queuing theory, forecasting, inventory models, statistical quality control, decision theory, and Simulation.
Prerequisites: MAS 631 and MAS 632, and MAS 637, and MAS 639.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAS 642. Supply Chain Analytics. 2-3 Credit Hours.
This course studies key decision areas in supply chain design and operation. Students will learn what data are needed and how to use data to measure supply chain performance. They will also learn to apply various tools and methods to analyze trends, extract knowledge and business intelligence, and make decisions. Through the analysis and discussion of case studies, they will get useful insights on how to optimize the value of supply chain processes and operations, to streamline the goals and to design flexible supply chains.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAS 646. Applied Regression Analysis II. 2 Credit Hours.
This is a second course in regression modeling, extending the concept of linear regression for use with non-normal data such as binary, count, or time-to-event data. We will discuss estimation, inference, and model diagnostics with an emphasis on using statistical software to fit models and interpret the results. Topics covered include logistic regression for binary data, various extensions of logistic regression to multinomial data, Poisson regression for count data, and proportional hazards regression for time-to-event or survival data.
Prerequisite: MAS 601. Or MAS 637. With a Grade B or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAS 647. Computer Simulation Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to discrete-event computer simulation and hands-on development of simulation models. Topics include introduction to queuing theory, input and output analysis, random number generation, and variance reduction techniques. Students practice their modeling skills using commercial state-of-the-art simulation software. Assigned readings of real-life simulation projects complement the material learned in the classroom. Lecture, 3 hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MAS 648. Machine Learning for Data Analytics I. 2 Credit Hours.
Data Mining encompasses finding meaningful and useful trends in data. The meaningful part depends on the application and even the specific data set you are using. Another definition that can be used is that data mining is the application of statistical machine learning techniques to find these trends. Our focus in this course will be on the development and use of traditional and cutting edge data mining/machine learning techniques and their applications across a spectrum of data sets. The topics we will cover are in supervised learning (regression, classification), unsupervised learning (clustering, principal components analysis, factor analysis, etc), and if time permits semi-supervised learning and recommendation systems. Prerequisite: MAS 601. Or MAS 637. With a Grade B or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAS 649. Big Data Analytics. 2 Credit Hours.
As firms have the ability to access and store large amounts of customer and business data, they are faced with the complexities associated with Big Data. Big Data refers to very large data sets that can be analyzed to reveal important patterns, trends, and associations, especially relating to customer behaviors and business processes. This class will discuss the changes that are needed when handling, visualizing, and/or analyzing Big Data to solve business critical questions.
Prerequisite: MAS 601. Or MAS 637. And MAS 639. with a Grade B or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAS 650. Business Analytics Internship. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Student is individually assigned to operating business firm or other organization to gain insight into management practice in area of career interest. Periodic reports and conferences are required. Permission of department chair is required prior to registration.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAS 651. Machine Learning for Data Analytics II. 2 Credit Hours.
This course aims to introduce recent advanced analytical techniques developed from the Statistical, Data Mining and Machine Learning communities. These techniques have become widely used by Business Analysts and Data Scientists to address complex decision-making problems in numerous industries. This course is designed to provide students with a practical understanding of some of the most powerful Machine Learning methods used by today’s Data Analysts. Specifically, students will become familiar with supervised and unsupervised learning and apply these techniques to the numerous data-driven applications in predictive analytics. Prerequisite: MAS 648. with a Grade B or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAS 652. Business Analytics Capstone Project. 2-4 Credit Hours.
including data collection and analysis. The description of the problem in question, the approach used to address it, and the findings obtained by the group are to be described in formal written reports. The reports will be evaluated both on their quantitative value and on the quality of the writing.
Prerequisites: MAS 631 and MAS 632, and MAS 637, and MAS 639.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAS 653. Project Management and Modeling. 2 Credit Hours.
This course considers the various methods, techniques, and software tools of project management and modeling with special emphasis on real estate projects and development. Topics include: project selection and strategy, risk assessment, conflict and negotiation, budgets, costs, and resource allocation, monitoring and information systems, project control and auditing, and project closure. The course is designed to show the integration of the various roles of owners, developers, builders, architects, and engineers in the project management process.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAS 663. Spatial Statistics. 3 Credit Hours.
Spatial data commonly arise from many fields including business, ecological and health studies. Such data are often spatially correlated which poses challenges to both estimation and statistical inference. We will discuss advanced techniques to tackle the spatial correlation. Topics including variogram estimation, spatial prediction, spatial point pattern analysis, estimating function based methods, and others. Real data examples will be used to motivate and illustrate the use of these methods.
Prerequisite: ECO 520.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MAS 681. Statistical Machine Learning. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces statistical aspects of machine learning algorithms. The focus is on characterizing the generalization ability of machine learning algorithms in order to quantify their performance on new data. It covers fundamental techniques in statistical theoretical analysis, their applications in supervised and unsupervised learning algorithms, and their applications in statistical and computational tradeoffs in non-convex optimizations.
Prerequisite: ECO 520. And ECO 620. Or MAS 601. with a Grade B or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAS 691. Topics in Business Analytics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics in selected areas of specialization.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAS 692. Topics in Management Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics in selected areas of specialization.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAS 693. Directed Study in Business Analytics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Investigation and research in special areas of interest. Offered by special arrangement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAS 695. Directed Study in Operations Research. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Investigation and research in special areas of interest. Offered by special arrangement.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAS 696. Directed Study in Statistics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Investigation and research in special areas of interest. Offered by special arrangement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAS 699. Directed Study. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Offered by special arrangement.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAS 720. Research in Residence. 0 Credit Hours.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master’s degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in MAS 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAS 725. Continuous Registration--Master's Study. 0 Credit Hours.
To establish residence for non-thesis master's students who are preparing for major examinations. Credit not granted. Regarded as full time residence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAS 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MAS 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor but not for less than a total of 24. Not more than 12 hours of MAS 730 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session. Where a student has passed his/her (a) qualifying examinations, and (b) is engaged in an assistantship, he/she may still take the maximum allowable credit stated above.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAS 850. Research in Residence. 0 Credit Hours.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MGT 600. Managing for Employee Engagement. 3 Credit Hours.
For Executive MBA students only. Course covers organizational behavior and utilizes cases and lectures to explore topics such as personality, motivation, leadership, group processes, organizational structure/design, and social responsibility.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MGT 602. Human Resource Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Modern human resource/capital management: job analysis and design, evaluation and appraisal, recruitment and interviewing, training and development, compensation and benefits, labor relations, employee engagement programs, human resource legislation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 603. Leading Teams. 3 Credit Hours.
The objectives of this course are to develop interpersonal communication and conflict management skills necessary to work in teams and/or exercise leadership in teams. Topics include team development, decision making, and diagnosing team process issues.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 604. Design Thinking. 1 Credit Hour.
The purpose of this course is to impart students the principles of design thinking. Design thinking is an essential tool for understanding the customer, not just from a functional perspective but from an emotional one. Students will learn how to create an empathy map and a prototype. This is a hands-on learning experience that will challenge students to get out into the real world to talk to people and test their ideas.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MGT 605. Digital Global Strategy. 1 Credit Hour.
This course will explore various digital global strategy issues faced by international companies and new ventures, aiming at improving MBA students’ ability to think and act digitally and internationally. By focusing on the complex issues caused by digital globalization we seek to help our graduate students develop novel digital global strategies that would redefine how their companies pursue international expansion and manage geographically dispersed businesses in the digital age. This course will also offer insights into new ways of organizing and managing global business through digital connectivity so as to sharpen speed, flexibility, orchestration, and efficiency for both interfirm and intrafirm activities in various countries.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 606. Executing Growth Strategies. 2 Credit Hours.
This course has three key objectives. First, to help students understand key challenges in executing growth strategies in a digital age and how to develop analysis frameworks to identify such challenges. Second, to familiarize students with different modes of increasing or decreasing corporate scope and provide them with a toolkit to evaluate and compare such different modes. Third, to help students understand how behavioral biases, internal stakeholders, and external stakeholders influence growth strategy decisions and how to avoid potential pitfalls associated with such decisions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MGT 607. Improving Business Processes. 1 Credit Hour.
Operations Management involves planning and coordination of all the activities – from acquisition of resources (outputs), through their transformation into products (outputs), and to their ultimate delivery to customers – in manufacturing, service, and non-profit organizations. To plan and coordinate these complex inter-connected activities, businesses employ operations managers at every level from first-level supervisors to Chief Operations Officers. Such managers face a wide variety of challenges in planning and executing operations strategies, and aligning them with the organization’s business goals. Adopting a process-based view of the business organization, this course will present some of the decision problems facing operations managers – such as process planning and capacity planning – as they pursue this strategic fit. Students will develop structured approaches to address these decision problems and then learn to apply these approaches in practical contexts through problem solving exercises, case studies, and simulations that emphasize experiential learning.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MGT 608. Leading with Insight. 2 Credit Hours.
This course consists of several topical areas that students should master in order to understand more about their personal abilities to effectively manage, lead, and motivate others. Class sessions focus on helping students develop critical thinking, a hands-on skill they will need to be effective as they maneuver interpersonal dynamics. Topics include employee/team personality assessments; perceptual biases and their impact on performance judgements; understanding motivational dynamics; controlling one’s own emotions, as well as understanding the effects of emotions on performance; learning about interpersonal conflict and how to manage the dynamics associated with the process; and developing an inclusive workplace and team.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 609. Leading with Introspection. 2 Credit Hours.
Leading with introspection is about understanding your leadership style and how you influence others. Effective leadership requires understanding of personality traits and behaviors. In this course, students will learn the skills necessary for leading followers, teams, and organizations. The development of trust is an essential aspect of leadership and will be emphasized. Understanding of negotiation in dependency situations and negotiation styles is featured. The course will also cover recent developments in leadership theory and research, including authenticity, ethical, and servant leadership. Applications of course concepts are encouraged through self-assessments and case studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 610. Leading with Foresight. 2 Credit Hours.
Leading with foresight is needed in today’s organizational environment that is volatile, uncertain, complex, and ambiguous (VUCA). Teams are one of the most important ways to respond to this environment. Effective teamwork requires breakthrough thinking, empowerment, and innovation. But, all too often, team leaders fail to support teams in ways that create the conditions for high performance. In this course, you will learn the skills necessary to lead high performance teams. The course will cover team basics, including team formation, team norms, and team development. The course will feature essentials of team leadership highlighting the importance of team creativity, team decision making, and virtual teams.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 611. Negotiating your Salary and Job Package. 1 Credit Hour.
Negotiating your salary and job package can be one of the most stressful times in your career. After all, it is your future on the line, and emotions run high. This course will focus on reflection on the negotiation skills you already have and building on them through readings, negotiation assessments, and two negotiation simulations in a salary negotiation context. Negotiation fundamentals will be reviewed and issues of gender, emotions, and subjective value are featured.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 612. Optimizing Operations under Uncertainty. 1 Credit Hour.
This course will focus on two important operational levers that managers have in matching supply with demand – inventory and capacity – as they pursue this strategic fit. Specifically, structured approaches to address decision problems that arise in the contexts of waiting lines and inventories will be developed, and then students will learn to apply these approaches in practical contexts through problem solving exercises, case studies, and simulations that emphasize experiential learning.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MGT 613. Strategy for Dynamic Environments. 2 Credit Hours.
This course helps students understand and analyze dynamic environments to facilitate formulation and implementation of adaptive strategy. Readings and cases are the foundation for robust discussion and debate that will help improve students’ ability to think and act critically. Course material selection and sequence help illustrate business and corporate level strategy, and provide an understanding of how to create synergies by integrating actions across these levels. Experiential exercises illustrate cognitive challenges to developing innovative strategies, leveraging network relationships, and designing creative organizational structures to generate competitive advantage. Students will utilize frameworks and problem-solving techniques to develop critical thinking, vigorous analysis, and evaluation of alternatives.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MGT 616. Foundations in Management Consulting. 2 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide graduate students with an in depth exploration of the management consulting industry, being a professional consultant both internal and external to an organization, client relationship management and the consulting lifecycle used by top global consulting firms – on how to identify, diagnose, plan, solve problems, sell consulting work, use organizational management consulting methodologies, lead, project manage and close out consulting engagements.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 617. Leading Across Cultures. 2 Credit Hours.
This course examines what constitutes "effective" leadership across cultures. Skills and behaviors that are perceived as effective leadership in one culture are not necessarily those that will be effective in a different culture. By exploring the ways in which specific cultural values and leadership prototypes are seen across different cultures, students will be prepared for cross-cultural adjustment and effective leadership. These skills may be applied to work assignments in a culture that is not their own or to leading diverse followers in their home country. The goal of the course is to help prepare students for leadership in multicultural environments.
Prerequisites: MGT 600 or MGT 620 or MGT 651.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 618. Leading Change in Organizations. 2 Credit Hours.
Charles Darwin aptly noted, "It is not the strongest species that survive, not the most intelligent, but the ones who are most responsive to change." The primary goal of this course is to help you learn how to lead and manage the challenges associated with organizational change processes. Together we will identify the opportunities that require change programs; discuss ways to overcome the inevitable obstacles to change; learn how to build successful coalitions to support change efforts; analyze strategies for implementing change; and examine ways to consolidate the results of such efforts to ensure that changes are sustainable over time.
Prerequisites: MGT 600 or MGT 620 or MGT 651.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 619. Leading with Power and Influence. 2 Credit Hours.
One of the realities of organizational life is that people continually attempt to control the actions of others and to successfully influence their behavior. This reality leads to a wide array of organizational activities aimed at enhancing one’s own or one’s group’s personal agendas. This course focuses on preparing graduates for the challenges and "realities" they will ultimately face as leaders. Given that most students will eventually be leading the efforts of others, it is essential that they understand how to acquire power and, within ethical bounds, exercise influence.
Prerequisites: MGT 600 or MGT 620 or MGT 651.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 620. Managing Through People. 2 Credit Hours.
This core course in the MBA program introduces students to some of the key behavioral topics necessary to manage oneself and others in organizations. Specifically, the topics covered include individual attributes (personality, perception, motivation, relationship building), group processes (norms, roles, and team basics), leadership views, and organizational culture/change. An understanding of the relationship between each of these areas and organizational outcomes is enhanced through lecture, cases, and interactive exercises.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MGT 621. High Performance Leadership. 2 Credit Hours.
Leadership skills are critical for high performing organizations. Course utilizes lecture, cases, exercises, self-assessments, and contemporary reading materials to present leadership approaches that both motivate and enable employees to perform beyond normal or ordinary expectations. Topics include followership and organizational culture, power, influence, rewards and punishments, path-goal and exchange theories, participation and empowerment, charismatic and transformational leadership, and contingency and cognitive resources theory.
Requisite: Master of Science in Management Studies Students Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 622. High Performance Teams. 2 Credit Hours.
This elective course highlights how to manage and construct effective teams to achieve strategic goals. Team-based organizations have been created to enhance organizational performance. The benefits of effective team leadership are performance beyond expectations and enhancement of learning for employees. Topics covered include team decision-making, team leadership, diversity in teams, conflict resolution, and team creativity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 623. Human Resource Systems. 2 Credit Hours.
Leaders must manage their human resource assets effectively to achieve high performance organizations. Course topics include recruitment and selection of high performance employees, designing performance appraisal systems, implementing policies to satisfy legal issues impacting human resources, and instituting training/development systems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 624. Negotiation Strategies. 2-3 Credit Hours.
This course is a skills-based approach to learning the art and science of negotiation. Negotiation is a core management competency; these skills are increasingly necessary for leaders in business, non-profits, small businesses and other organizations. This course will cover preparation, and negotiation skills such as establishing trust and relationship-building. Topics covered include power, persuasion, creativity and problem-solving, ethics and cross-cultural negotiation. Skills and self-insight will be acquired through self-assessment, role-play negotiation exercises and case studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 625. Entrepreneurship: Creating New Ventures. 2 Credit Hours.
This is a two-credit course for MBA students (only). The course is designed to help students understand the basic essentials for creating a new venture. Among some of the topics covered will be: preparation of a business plan, securing sources of capital, choosing and creating appropriate distribution channels, and understanding the complexities of selecting a management team. Students will be required to critique and develop business plans as a key evaluation component for this course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 628. Global Entrepreneurship. 4 Credit Hours.
This seminar-type course is an advanced elective specially designed for graduate students either interested in starting their own firms or developing the skills with which to submit business plans within the corporate world (i.e., corporate entrepreneurship) in today's global, interdependent economy. Students will learn to assess the new venture opportunities that he/she may have considered and choose the one that seems most attractive and viable and develop a unique business model which enhances the plan's viability in the short term, and ensures the development of sustainable advantages in the long term. Each student will draft a comprehensive business plan after working on its functional components (e.g., marketing, finance, human and intellectual capital plans) to be developed throughout nine classes and several individual meetings along the program's academic calendar. At the end, students will present their business plans to a panel of new venture investors who will assess all projects, give individual feedback, and choose the best project(s).
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MGT 630. Designing Organizations, Jobs, and Lives. 2 Credit Hours.
Organizations, like machines, are complex systems comprised of interconnected parts and like machines they need care and maintenance in order to function well. In this course we will think about various aspects of organizations and jobs within those organizations that need to be consciously designed (and re-designed intermittently) and consider the trade-offs for both the organization and its employees inherent in these design choices.
Prerequisite: MGT 620.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MGT 631. Leading With Emotional Intelligence. 2 Credit Hours.
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Prerequisite: MGT 620.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MGT 642. Supply Chain Analytics. 2-3 Credit Hours.
This course studies key decision areas in supply chain design and operation. Students will learn what data are needed and how to use data to measure supply chain performance. They will also learn to apply various tools and methods to analyze trends, extract knowledge and business intelligence, and make decisions. Through the analysis and discussion of case studies, they will get useful insights on how to optimize the value of supply chain processes and operations, to streamline the goals and to design flexible supply chains.
Prerequisite: MAS 632 or MAS 641.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MGT 643. Principles of Operations Management. 2 Credit Hours.
Introduction to operations management, forecasting, process analysis, aggregate planning, capacity management, waiting line management, system design, quality management, and inventory management.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 645. Principles of Supply Chain Management. 2 Credit Hours.
Course introduces students to the business discipline of Supply Chain Management (SCM) which centers on concepts and techniques that enables firms to better coordinate material and information flows, and non-material activities associated with logistical and marketing processes that occur within and across organizations. Course also discusses concepts and recent influential innovations in SCM (e.g., Cross-Docking, Vendor Managed Inventory (VMI), Third-Party Logistics (3PL), Efficient Consumer Response (ECR), and Quick Response (QR)).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 646. Sustainable Supply Chains. 2-3 Credit Hours.
This course analyzes problems and solutions associated with building sustainable supply chains. Students will study how to design a supply chain so as to maximize the cost of monitoring suppliers for compliance with sustainability initiatives. The course will develop optimal formal/informal incentive contracts for promoting investment by suppliers in sustainable capital and equipment, including product testing equipment. Supply chain problems such as the hold-up problem, delegation vs. control of suppliers’ sustainability practices, and supplier auditing are considered in the context of developing sustainable supply chains. Sustainability issues associated with suppliers in developing countries are also considered, including private versus state owned suppliers and the degree of enforcement of local regulations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 651. Behavioral and Organizational Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of relevant concepts, research findings, and pragmatic implications of the behavioral sciences for the management of complex socio-technical systems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 653. Deriving Competitive Advantage through Operations. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to major managerial decision problems and processes of operations management. Topics include the design of operations, planning, quality control, resource allocation, and integration of operations management with the other functional areas.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 655. Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
Course addresses the fundamentals of research in business including exploratory designs, correlational and multivariate designs, experimental and non-experimental studies, measurement theory, internal and external validity considerations, and ethical requirements in conducting organizational research.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MGT 656. **Seminar: Organizational Behavior. 3 Credit Hours.**
Seminar addresses the current research and theoretical foundations in organizational behavior. Topics include individual attributes, job attitudes, leadership, motivation, and group processes.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

MGT 658. **Innovative Business Strategies for Future Leaders. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course will explore critical strategic management and business policy issues faced by executives and managers in dynamic environments, aiming to improve their ability to think, plan and act strategically. Emphasis will be placed on critically evaluating internal resources and external environments, formulating viable business-level and corporate-level strategies, mapping optimal business models and solutions, and pursuing entrepreneurial opportunities and innovation so that their firms, established or nascent, can achieve sustainable competitive advantages and desirable performance in an increasingly interconnected yet complex business world.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

MGT 659. **Management of Multinational Enterprise. 3 Credit Hours.**
Analysis of the management tasks confronting managers operating in the international arena presented from both an environmental and an operational perspective. Alternatives for overall corporate policy and strategy that accommodate global operations is also included.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

MGT 660. **Leadership and Motivation in Organizations. 3 Credit Hours.**
Selected topics pertaining to leadership, motivation, and individual processes are surveyed through selected readings, class discussions, and a guided research project. Students' ability to conceptualize, integrate, and apply diverse approaches to the leadership and motivation of people in organizations is emphasized.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MGT 661. **Influence, Power and Politics in Organizations. 3 Credit Hours.**
One of the basic realities of organizational life is that people continually attempt to control the actions of others and to successfully influence their behavior. This reality leads to a wide array of organizational politics aimed at enhancing one's own or one's group's personal agendas. This course focuses on preparing graduate business students for the challenges and "realities" they will ultimately face as managers. Given that most business students will eventually be leading the efforts of others, it is essential that they understand how to acquire power and exercise power within ethical bounds.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

MGT 667. **Leadership for Sustainable Organizations. 2-3 Credit Hours.**
This course covers the essentials of front-line leadership in sustainability, from integrating sustainability into an organization, executing organizational strategy, and committing to it for a lifetime. It is an exploration of the most prominent issues in the field of leading for sustainability; for example, leader traits required to promote and support change, how to deal with real world constraints, and ethical considerations.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

MGT 675. **Business Policy and Strategy. 2 Credit Hours.**
The objectives of the course are to improve the student's ability to think strategically and to provide an intellectual framework that enhances understanding of the MBA program. The course focuses on relationships among the firm, its strategy, and its environment; why firms choose certain businesses; which business strategies are successful; and how firms can change in response to a dynamic environment. Models for strategic formulation, implementation, and control are developed that facilitate an integrated understanding of the courses that comprise the MBA curriculum. Readings and lectures illustrate strategic management theories and frameworks while case discussions, experiential exercises, and team projects provide opportunities for application.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.
MGT 677. Corporate Strategy and Organization. 2 Credit Hours.
This capstone course focuses on the perspective and skills of the general manager. Its purpose is to provide practice in diagnosing and identifying realistic solutions to complex strategic and organizational problems. Course builds on previous coursework by providing an opportunity to integrate various functional areas by providing a total business perspective. Since the course focus is on pragmatic, action-oriented general management skills, the course is taught primarily through the case method and requires both written analyses and case presentations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 679. Entrepreneurial Mergers & Acquisitions. 0-2 Credit Hours.
This course explores the evolving world of mergers & acquisitions (M&A) from the perspective of both buyers and sellers. We will examine the process itself – including the role of advisors, due diligence, and post-closing steps – as well as develop a framework for assessing value and risk. Our primary focus will be on the strategic rationale, or thesis, behind any M&A deal. By the end of the course, students should be comfortable with M&A terminology, analytical tools, valuation methodologies, and the business logic employed by successful buyers and sellers. Our approach will rely heavily on microeconomic analysis and a sophisticated understanding of incentives (and their unintended consequences). As the class progresses, you will learn how to effectively negotiate a deal, craft a strategic plan for either acquisition or sale, and formulate an effective due diligence outline as a buyer.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

MGT 680. Doing Business in China. 2 Credit Hours.
This course explores various business and management issues faced by international executives who are interested or active in various industries and markets in China, aiming to improve their understanding of this largest emerging market in the world. Several case studies of business organizations and industries are used throughout the course. Emphasis on the course material and class discussions on critical thinking, solutions to problems, and evaluating different options.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 681. Essentials of Health Care Management and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course develops an understanding of the basic elements of the health care industry in the United States. A systems approach will be used utilizing a historical perspective as a basis and moving on to current and potential future system dynamics. The various components of the health care system will be examined, including physician services, hospital and hospital systems, long-term care providers, mental health services, and pharmaceutical services. Various elements associated with the financing of health services will be examined as well as indemnity insurance, capitation, and the role of managed care and consumer driven health care in theory and practice. The role of government and its impact on our health care system will be explored as well.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MGT 682. Issues in Health Care Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
A seminar on current problems and issues in health care administration.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MGT 684. Analysis of Health Care Delivery and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines theoretical and operational incentive structures which guide health care consumers, providers and health care organizations toward decisions both efficient and inefficient.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

MGT 685. Economic Models in Operations and Supply Chain Management. 3 Credit Hours.
In this course we will study the academic literature that is based on analytical models of supply chain and channel management. In particular we will be concerned with models that capture the economics that govern the interaction among the firms in a supply chain/distribution channel. Since this topic is of interest to both the marketing and operations management communities, we will draw upon readings from both areas. One of our objectives will be to identify opportunities for building bridges between these two bodies of knowledge.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MGT 686. Optimization Models for Operations and Supply Chain Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed primarily for advanced graduate students who are interested in research on supply chain and operations management, focusing on the study of (deterministic) optimization models to support system design, planning, and operational decisions. The course complements other related doctoral courses such as those on economic models for supply chain and operations management.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MGT 687. Health Care Organization, Economics, and Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
Course provides the student insight into organizational and behavioral aspects of the various sectors and agents within the health care industry and understanding of how such aspects in turn affect performance measured in terms of both economic and ethical criteria.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MGT 688. Individual and Interpersonal Processes. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic Overview of many topics relevant to studying individuals and dyads in organizations. Course will introduce students to a variety of topics related to individual and interpersonal differences, processes, and behaviors in organizations. Students will begin to see how to link research designs with a theoretical framework for empirical testing.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MGT 689. Doctoral Seminar in Leadership and Group Processes. 3 Credit Hours.
This seminar examines the theory and research that focuses individual leadership and examines implications for individual and group behaviors as well as bridging the micro-macro divide. You will perform a critical in-depth examination of the primary research literature, focusing on appropriateness of design, analysis, interpretation, contribution and future research directions.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MGT 690. Sustainable Business Operations: Value Creation and Environmental Considerations. 3 Credit Hours.
This doctoral level course is intended to familiarize students who are not environmental specialists with relevant facts and analyses on sustainable evolution: What are the key concepts? What is at stake? Who are the key stakeholders? Who is leading the way in reshaping operations strategies as well as public policy? What are some key lessons learned from successes and failures to integrate the environmental component? Specifically, the course will draw extensively from the rich literature in supply chain operations, international business and marketing on how firms interact with one another to create and offer sustainable products and services to consumers.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MGT 691. International Management. 2 Credit Hours.
Course is designed to provide an overview of management problems and issues for organizations and executives operating internationally. Students learn how multinational enterprises are different, why they behave as they do, and how to apply management principles to problem-solving in such contexts.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 692. Theories in Management and Organization. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an in-depth review of major theories in the broad field of management and organization. It covers a multitude of management and organization theories that are derived not only from general management but from economics, sociology, ecology, and the like. The course will use several techniques, including lectures, article presentations and discussions, theory development, research project, and manuscript preparation. By the end of the term, students are expected to understand the central notions of each theory being discussed, comment on various arguments in these theories, improve the skills in applying these theories to their specific research questions, and sharpen their ability to develop theoretical models.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MGT 693. Theories and Research in Global Strategic Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide doctoral students an in-depth review of major theories, paradigms, and perspectives in global strategy and international business. We'll also explore how to apply existing theories and perspectives to new contextual settings, such as emerging markets and outsourcing. Furthermore, we'll do all this while reading and critiquing the major branches and works within the strategic management and international business literature. The course is intended for doctoral students in business or related fields. There are no formal prerequisites for the course although some basic knowledge of global business is expected.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 694. Ph.D. Seminar in Strategic Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide doctoral students an in-depth review of major theories, perspectives, and methods in strategic management. The course is intended for doctoral students in business or related fields.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MGT 695. Ph.D. Seminar in Emerging Market Research. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide doctoral students an in-depth review and study of major theories, perspectives, methods, findings, and future research issues in business and management involving emerging economies. It encompasses both macro- (e.g., strategic management, international business, entrepreneurship) and micro- (e.g., culture, human resources management, leadership, and organizational behavior) levels.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MGT 698. Selected Topics. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Topics in selected areas of specialization.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MGT 699. Directed Study. 0-6 Credit Hours.
Individually supervised research project in selected field of management. Approval of supervising professor of the topic/scope of work/evaluation is required prior to registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 825. Comprehensive Test Preparation. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Doctoral students who are preparing for their qualifying examinations may use this course designation. Enrolled students must develop, with the approval of their advisor, a "Plan of Study" for these credits.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MGT 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Course is required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student enrolls for credit as determined by his/her advisor.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MKT 620. Addressing Customer Markets. 2 Credit Hours.
In this course, we will learn how a firm can create value for the customers and capture some of that value back in the form of profits. We will learn key principals (from psychology and innovation) that a firm can use to shape consumers’ perceptions of value. In addition, the course will cover the tools necessary to attract and retain profitable customers. Given the fast pace of change in the current marketscape, the course will pay close attention to how the challenges of creating and capturing value shift as the consumers, competition, and the markets evolve. Students will use empirical data and critical thinking tools to first arrive at the correct diagnoses of the marketing problem and then devise sustainable and creative solutions. The course will take a broad approach. The goal is to develop classical and contemporary marketing know-how and analytical skills that an executive in the company needs to have regardless of his or her functional role.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
**MKT 622. Behavioral Pricing. 1 Credit Hour.**
Price is the only component of the marketing mix that generates revenue for the firm. The remaining P's (product, place, and promotion) are costly activities undertaken to create value for the consumer. Price, in its ideal form, recaptures this value. Yet, most companies adopt very simple heuristics, or rules of thumb, for setting prices, often divorced from firm strategy and economic reality. This course will introduce the student to frameworks relevant to making pricing decisions. While pricing strategies are taught under the rubric of many diverse disciplines, we will take an integrative approach, combining strategic, economic, marketing, and psychological considerations in building a behavioral approach.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall.

**MKT 639. Marketing Honors Research Project. 3 Credit Hours.**
Research project to fulfill requirements for Departmental Honors in Marketing.

**Components:** THI.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

**MKT 640. Foundations of Marketing Management. 2 Credit Hours.**
Course introduces students to the analytical concepts and tools of marketing management. Special emphasis is placed on the relationships between marketing and overall company strategy, the development of a customer orientation, the integration of marketing throughout the organization, and the implementation of systems for planning and controlling the marketing effort. Students consider problems of consumer analysis, product planning, integrated communication, distribution, and pricing. Data and analysis required to make effective marketing decisions are also examined. The discovery and application of marketing management skills are developed through the use of readings, case exercises, and class discussions.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**MKT 641. Marketing Research and Decision Making. 2 Credit Hours.**
The objective of the course is to allow students to understand functional analysis of consumer and market behaviors utilizing statistical tools. The course will cover topics of secondary sources of data, sampling, questionnaire design, and analysis and interpretation of data. Project and case analysis methods will be used for instruction.

**Prerequisite:** MKT 640 or MKT 660.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall.

**MKT 642. Pricing and Value Management. 2 Credit Hours.**
Pricing decisions require a synthesis of economic and marketing principles, an appreciation of legal and ethical constraints, and the ability to use accounting, financial, and market research data. This course is designed to teach students how to price goods and services by providing a framework for understanding pricing strategies and tactics. While pricing strategies are taught under the rubric of many diverse disciplines, we will take an integrative approach, combining strategic, economic, marketing, and psychological considerations. Topics covered include economic value and breakeven analysis, price elasticity, markup and profit margin, price bundling, among others.

**Prerequisite:** MKT 640 or MKT 660.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

**MKT 643. Health Care Marketing. 2-3 Credit Hours.**
This course is devoted to the study of health care marketing and the health care system involved with the task of marketing products and services. As health care reform continues to evolve current market conditions and transform existing organization into new practices, this course is focused on how managed care providers, hospitals, physicians, federal government, device and pharmaceutical companies will embrace the new patient centered market in their marketing strategies.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall.

**MKT 644. Services Marketing. 2 Credit Hours.**
Course develops skills necessary to manage companies in an increasingly service-oriented and technology-driven economy and to gain sustainable competitive advantage through delivering superior quality services. Course covers the special marketing challenges posed by the unique characteristics of services and discusses their managerial implications. The need and strategies for synergistic management of operations, systems, and people to satisfy customers in order to achieve marketing excellence and superior financial performance are also included.

**Prerequisite:** MKT 640 or MKT 660.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.
**MKT 645. International Marketing. 2 Credit Hours.**
Course analyzes the theories and practice of international marketing management. Course allows students to understand markets and aid in the development of marketing plans based on the nature of national as well as international markets. Issues of globalization, standardization, intermarket segments, trading blocks, global marketing strategies, local branding, global branding in the context of customer movements, product development, pricing, distribution, communication, and segmentation in global markets are also discussed.
Prerequisite: MKT 640 or MKT 660.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**MKT 646. Consumer Behavior. 2 Credit Hours.**
This course provides an overview of psychological and normative principles of consumer decision-making and judgment by focusing on underlying behavioral research and theory. How people process information, make decisions involving risk and uncertainty, conflicting objectives, and imperfect information are some of the main topics discussed. The implications of consumer behavior on a marketing strategy are highlighted.
Prerequisite: MKT 640 or MKT 660.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**MKT 647. Advertising and Communications Management. 2 Credit Hours.**
Billions of dollars are wasted every year on ineffective advertising and communication campaigns. This problem is due to an absence of a compelling strategy to serve as a foundation for developing creative executions and media plans. The course provides a balanced analysis of strategy and execution of integrated marketing communication campaigns. The effectiveness of existing and emerging communication vehicles to attain strategic marketing goals is assessed. Special emphasis is placed on advertising, sales promotions, and social media. Current and historical campaigns are also reviewed. Course requirements include case reports, projects, and class participation.
Prerequisite: MKT 640 or MKT 660.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**MKT 648. New Product Development. 2 Credit Hours.**
Innovation is one of the key drivers of firm value and new product development is perhaps the most important aspect of firm innovation. Yet few firms are able to develop and sustain their new product development process without mis-steps. Starting with how new products fit into the strategic landscape of a firm this course enables students to appreciate the systematic approach that goes into the creation and marketing of new products. Practical aspects of developing and marketing new products are included through two assignments and one class project.
Prerequisite: MKT 640 or MKT 660.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

**MKT 649. Strategic Brand Marketing. 2 Credit Hours.**
More and more firms have come to realize that their brands are among their most valuable assets. The goal of this course is to teach students the strategic significance of brands in creating shareholder value. Students should develop fluency with the core principles associated with branding including: an understanding of how to develop a brand's positioning; managing total brand experience; how to manage the brand relevancy over time; familiarity with the various qualitative and quantitative methodologies that are used to evaluate brand equity; how to achieve growth through brand extension; brand design and brand messaging. The basic philosophy for this course is to blend theory and practice of brand management. Branding is both an art and a science. Few branding situations have a definitive, unqualified "right" answer as to what is the best approach. However, when armed with relevant and comprehensive theories, appropriate frameworks and models, familiarity with past successful and unsuccessful branding strategies, managers can make better and more informed decisions that are more likely to yield successful implementation.
Prerequisite: MKT 640 or MKT 660.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

**MKT 650. Strategic Marketing. 2 Credit Hours.**
Course develops the skills necessary to strategically manage business-unit level marketing activities in a multi-brand firm. This necessitates examining all marketing mix elements, R&D, financial and production considerations simultaneously in the context of the many markets, products, and services that may concern a typical firm. The emphasis is placed on understanding internal capabilities, market competitors, and customers. Market simulation exercise, cases, and readings are utilized.
Prerequisite: MKT 640 or MKT 660.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MKT 651. Customer Relationship Management. 1 Credit Hour.
Customer relationship marketing (CRM) is an approach to marketing which treats customers as a financial asset. This approach contrasts with the traditional product-focused approach to marketing. As such modern CRM techniques rely heavily on data especially customer purchase data. Thus, CRM is a comprehensive set of processes and technologies for managing the relationships with potential and current customers. Through the use of data sets, cases and simulations students will learn how to use marketing tools to acquire customers, identify high value customers, retain as many as possible and thereby maximize firm value. This course is especially relevant in B-to-B settings.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MKT 653. Sustainable Marketing of Goods and Services. 2 Credit Hours.
The course considers the creation, pricing, promotion, and consumer targeting for sustainable products. Starting with a broad view considering prosocial marketing and corporate social responsibility, the course then goes into specifics around sustainability. Topics include identifying and segmenting the sustainably-minded consumer, nudging consumers towards sustainable consumption, and sustainability as a signal. Students also consider issues of pricing sustainable products and sustainability as an externality. Materials include published cases as well as analyses of current sustainability-focuses businesses. This course also includes a group project wherein students will tackle a real-world issue of sustainability.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MKT 657. Digital Marketing. 2 Credit Hours.
This course will provide a theoretical and practical understanding of the digital marketplace necessary to adapt to its many changes, while also equipping you with the skills you’ll need to perform vital daily functions. By the end of the course, you will be able to walk into any company with an online presence and improve their use of internet and digital marketing tools.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MKT 660. Foundations of Marketing Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Marketing problems experienced by top executives are examined and fundamental problem-solving concepts are developed. Students consider problems of consumer needs, product planning, promotion, distribution and pricing. The discovery and application of marketing management skills are developed through the use of cases and a major planning project.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKT 665. International Marketing. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of major U.S. foreign markets, marketing policies, and techniques are discussed.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKT 672. Services Marketing. 3 Credit Hours.
Course develops the skills necessary to manage services marketing and compete through delivering quality service. The unique characteristics of services and their managerial implications are examined. Importance of the synergistic management of operations, environment, systems and people to satisfy the customer is highlighted.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MKT 675. Marketing Analytics. 2 Credit Hours.
Big data, fast computing and clever algorithms have converged to allow managers to convert data into one of their key strategic assets. In response, managers are collecting large volumes of data from diverse sources such as point-of-sale, online and social media. However, this data deluge does not automatically result in smart actions. To convert data to insights managers must develop the capability to transform data into knowledge through analytics. This has made analytics an important subject for business majors. One area where firms find analytics useful is marketing. Today firms use analytics to identify profitable customers, continuously track brands, and calculate optimal price promotions, test commercials, optimize media budgets across online and offline channels, design sales force allocation and decide the intensity of distribution channels. The goals of this course are to give you hands-on experience with data and analytics, teach you how to draw strategic marketing insights from data and show you how to make marketing decisions with greater precision without merely relying on “gut” decisions. This is not to say that intuition and creativity do not play a role in marketing. It means that analytical approaches combined with intuition makes for better marketing decisions.
Prerequisite: MKT 640 or MKT 660.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MKT 677. Strategic Digital Media Management. 2 Credit Hours.
Digital and social media have dramatically changed the ways in which managers analyze consumer data and make accurate media marketing decisions. This course will teach students how to correctly capture, measure and apply the fundamentals of digital marketing analytics and then how to manage a successful media marketing campaign over time. We will use available direct and indirect digital listening tools for both traditional and digital media sources using Nielsen, live social media data, digital dashboards, search engine optimization tools, and data presentation strategies. Current case studies and readings will assist in this highly interactive management course. Social and traditional media executives will also be invited into class to review current trends, opportunities, and strategies for the future.
Prerequisite: MKT 640 or MKT 660.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MKT 686. Behavioral Decision Theory in Consumer Research. 3 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this seminar is to provide students with a review of the psychological literature as applied to the study of judgment and decision making with a focus on consumer research. The course will be based on behavioral decision theory and social psychology with an emphasis in generating high quality consumer research ideas. The course complements MKT 688 and MKT 689, which emphasizes information processing aspects of consumer behavior. Each week there will be discussions of a topic of consumer behavior research, drawing primarily upon readings from marketing and psychology. Students will learn how to identify important research problems, ask interesting research questions, develop theories and hypotheses, and design experiments.
Requisite: Must be registered Doctoral Student.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MKT 687. Marketing Strategy. 3 Credit Hours.
Marketing Strategy is a vast, exciting and exploding literature that almost defies classification. However, despite this difficulty one common theme unifies and distinguishes this stream of research: it is marketing as seen through the eyes of a manager. Is it worth fighting for market share? How do we analyze competitors? Is it more profitable to introduce a new product or enter a new market? Should we build on existing relationships or seek new customers? Does loyalty management pay? Do consumers understand product quality? Can we quantify the effects of advertising and promotions? What metrics should we use to evaluate the effectiveness of marketing effort? Can we run policy simulations before committing to marketing action? These are some of the questions that marketing managers need to address. Often the questions are very broad and complex, reflecting the bewildering range of techniques that have been used to address those questions. The seminar will try to impart an appreciation of how to define and solve research problems in a marketing strategy.
Requisite: Must be registered Doctoral Student.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MKT 688. Ph.D. Seminar in Consumer Behavior and Decision Making. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide students with a background regarding a wide set of topics in consumer behavior focusing on theoretical models. In addition to developing a knowledge base in several extant consumer behavior literatures, this course has several additional goals. Students will: 1) become familiar with the content and style of consumer behavior research published within the marketing field, 2) develop an understanding of many methodologies and paradigms that can be used to investigate theoretical issues, 3) have several opportunities to explicate research ideas that they will hopefully be able to pursue in the remainder of the program or early in their careers, and 4) learn to critically evaluate the research of others to aid in strengthening their thinking and ultimately their own research activities.
Requisite: Must be registered Doctoral Student.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MKT 689. Information Processing for Consumer Behavior. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Broadly the study of consumer behavior is divided into two areas - behavioral decision theory and information processing. This course will focus on information-processing aspects of consumer behavior with an emphasis in generating high quality consumer research ideas. We will cover both classic papers that provide the gist of the area covered in each session as well as research that attracted more interest from scholars in the recent years. The course complements MKT688 and MKT686, which provide students with an introduction to topics in consumer behavior and behavioral decision theory, respectively (there three Consumer Behavior PhD seminars can be taken in any sequence). Each week we will discuss a topic of consumer behavior research, drawing primarily upon readings from marketing and psychology. Students are responsible for all primary readings, which will be discussed in a seminar-format in class. Each week, we will discuss 4-5 papers. Students will also be assigned to be the "discussion leader" for individual sessions. Professor will assign these sessions to the students in the first class.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MKT 695. Topics in Marketing. 0-3 Credit Hours.
Topics in selected areas of Marketing.
Requisite: Must be registered Doctoral Student.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKT 696. Topics in Marketing. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics in selected areas of Marketing.
Requisite: Must be registered Doctoral Student.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MKT 697. Topics in Marketing. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics in selected areas of Marketing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MKT 699. Directed Study. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Individually supervised readings or research projects. Restricted to students with superior academic records. Approval of supervising professor as to topic and evaluation of project required at time of registration.
Requisite: Must be a registered Doctoral student.
Components: THE.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MKT 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor but not for less than a total of 24. Not more than 12 hours of MKT 730 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session. Where a student has passed his/her (a) qualifying examinations, and (b) is engaged in an assistantship, he/she may still take the maximum allowable credit stated above.
Requisite: Must be a registered Doctoral student.
Components: THE.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Accounting
Business
Business Law
Business Technology
Economics
The doctoral program at the University of Miami Business School links world-class faculty with accomplished PhD candidates to prepare them for careers in academic research and teaching. The PhD in Business and PhD in Economics programs combine interdisciplinary study and research with one-on-one mentoring from faculty experts in your area of interest.

- Doctorate of Philosophy in Business (p. 1933)
- Doctorate of Philosophy in Economics (p. 1935)

Doctorate of Philosophy in Business

The PhD in Business program combines interdisciplinary study and research. It is designed to prepare students for careers in academic research and teaching. Students follow specialized programs of study under the guidance of faculty experts. In addition, they have the opportunity to participate in cross-disciplinary training. The curriculum will also equip students with the skills and experience necessary for academic placement in the world’s top research universities.

A minimum of 60 credit hours are required to earn the PhD in Business degree. The program requires year-round, full-time study in order to maximize interaction between faculty and students. Students are expected to interact and begin research projects with the faculty upon entering the program.

The requirements for the PhD in Business degree are the same as those listed in the general section.

Students may choose to concentrate their study in:

- Accounting
- Finance
- Management Science
- Marketing
- Operations Management
- Organizational Behavior
- Strategy/International Business

Required “Core” Courses

*These courses can be waived by consent of the appropriate department; waiver is granted by issuing transfer credit hours for similar courses taken at the advanced graduate level at accredited institutions.

There are two streams of “core” courses for students, each comprising of five courses.

Stream I
(Accounting, Finance, Management Science, Marketing-Quantitative, and Operations Management)

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Total Credit Hours  15

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(Marketing-Consumer Behavior, Organizational Behavior, Strategy/International Business)

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Total Credit Hours  15

Area of Concentration Courses
*These are to be decided by the student and faculty.

*Students in the Management Science concentration are required to complete at least 30 graduate credits in STEM courses.

In total, a minimum of 33 credit hours in concentration courses are to be taken, up to 15 of which may be satisfied by transfer-credit hours. Some Departments may require students to complete a minor field. If so, their major field must consist of a minimum of 24 credit hours (with at least 15 credit hours completed in doctoral program residence at the University of Miami). The minor field would then consist of 9-12 credit hours in an area outside of the major concentration (with a minimum of 9 credit hours taken in doctoral program residency at the University of Miami).

Dissertation Research
12 credit hours are to be taken at a minimum—two semesters of 6-9 credit hours each. No transfer credit is given for dissertation or prior research.

Total Credit Hour Requirements
In total, a minimum of 60 credit hours are required for receiving the Ph.D. degree in Business:

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To this total must be added any prerequisite courses (as outlined above), with transfer-credit hours being subtracted.

Mission
The mission of the PhD in Business program is to attract the best and brightest students and train them to become serious research scholars who are capable of being placed in faculty positions in leading business schools after they graduate.

Goals
- Understand the latest theories in their chosen field of study to create new knowledge.
- Demonstrate research methodology skills to conduct rigorous academic research.
- Demonstrate effective written and oral communication skills to disseminate the knowledge.

Student Learning Outcomes
- Students will demonstrate their understanding of the extant literature, theories, and concepts in their chosen field of study.
- Students will demonstrate their understanding of appropriate research methods to conduct appropriate empirical and/or theoretical research.
- Students will develop good communication skills to be able to present their research effectively to academic audiences, and write research articles that can be published in referred academic journals.
Doctorate of Philosophy in Economics

Overview
The Ph.D. program in Economics prepares the recipient for a variety of research-oriented career opportunities, including university research/teaching, government employment, and a host of employment opportunities in the private sector.

Admission Requirements
The Doctoral Admissions Committee welcomes applications from individuals whose undergraduate or graduate degrees are from accredited colleges or universities. Acceptance is based upon an evaluation of all credentials presented by the applicant. Graduate degrees are not a requirement.

Applicants should read the instructions carefully before filling out the forms and should keep copies of all materials submitted during the application process. By submitting the online application, the applicant certifies the information provided in the application is complete and accurate.

Requirements for Admission

• Completed application for admission submitted through BusinessCAS
• A baccalaureate degree from an accredited institution
  • Official academic transcripts from all previously attended post-secondary institutions must be submitted directly to BusinessCAS.
  • Academic transcripts from institutions outside of the United States must be verified by an approved international credentialing evaluation service such as World Education Services to confirm degree equivalency and GPA calculation.
• Write a brief essay (2-3 pages long, double spaced) on the following topics concerning you and your intended field of study: i) Your past work on relevant issues, ii) What excites you most about your chosen field of study, iii) Possible areas of research you might pursue, iv) Any research projects you have completed with faculty, and v) Any other information you would like to provide to the admissions committee. We are particularly interested in any projects that you pursued with a faculty member who is writing a letter of reference for you.
• A current resume
• Three letters of recommendation (up to three allowed) may be submitted through the BusinessCAS portal by including recommender contacts within the Program Materials section of the application.
• Official GRE Scores
  • Official GRE scores (less than 5 years old) are required for the PhD in Economics program. The minimum required GRE score is 1250. To report GRE scores, use institution code R5815. For information about Graduate Record Examination (GRE), visit www.gre.org.
• An official TOEFL or IELTS score is required as proof of English proficiency for international applicants who did not receive a degree in the United States or a foreign country where English is the primary language. The following minimum score is required for admission to a graduate business degree program.
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Fields of Specialization
Select two of the following Areas of Concentration:
### Macroeconomics:
- ECO 603: Monetary Theory and Policy
- ECO 604: Topics in Applied Macroeconomics

### Financial Economics:
- ECO 604: Topics in Applied Macroeconomics
- ECO 625: Applied Econometrics

### Human Resource Economics:
- ECO 611: Labor Economics (III) **
- ECO 625: Applied Econometrics

### Environmental Economics:
- ECO 625: Applied Econometrics
- ECO 645: Regulations Economics **

### Cognate Areas with Departmental Approval

#### One Course from a Minor Field
3

#### Electives
Select one Elective from the graduate offerings of the Mathematics, Business Technology, Management Science, and Finance departments

#### Additional Requirements
- Comprehensive Examinations covering the core and the one field of specialization
  3
- ECO 830: Doctoral Dissertation
  12

**Total Credit Hours**
60

* Applicants for admission to graduate study in Economics should have an extensive background in Economic Theory and Quantitative methods.

** Counts towards Master of Arts in Economics. Student's may earn the MA in Economics while pursuing the PhD in Economics.

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### Mission
The mission of the Ph.D. Program in Economics is to give students the skills, knowledge, and research training necessary to produce high-quality research needed for successful careers in the academic, government, and private sectors and enabling them to be leaders in their respective institutions.

### Student Learning Outcomes
- Students will be knowledgeable in the core economic fields of microeconomic and macroeconomic theory.
- Students will be able to generate original research questions, complete original empirical and/or theoretical research, and write original research papers.
- Students will be able to present and explain their research findings to a general and an academic audience. They should also be able to effectively present economic principles to undergraduate students as well as in their research in academic conferences.

### MBA Programs

#### MBA Programs
The MBA (Master of Business Administration) at the University of Miami Herbert Business School prepare students for leadership in today’s rapidly changing global economy. In order to compete and succeed in the 21st century, business leaders must not only be able to adapt to change, they must drive change. At the Miami Herbert Business School, we not only prepare students for careers in management and leadership positions, we produce creative thinkers, strong communicators, and the best negotiators.

MBA programs are offered in different formats to serve the diverse academic and business needs of our constitutes including full time, part time, hybrid, and online.

### Executive and Professional MBA Programs

#### Executive MBA and Professional MBA Programs
The University of Miami Business School offers Executive and Professional MBA programs that are designed for accomplished professionals who are ready to take their career to the next level without interrupting their career. Participants gain insight and understanding into the business environment...
by gaining a more global outlook and are better equipped to meet the challenges of today's business world. They become better negotiators, strategic thinkers, and more effective team players in a variety of business related situations. Programs include:

- Professional MBA
- Global Executive MBA
- **Global OneMBA®**
- Executive MBA in Health Management and Policy

### Executive MBA in Health Management and Policy

#### Overview
The University of Miami Herbert Business School Executive MBA in Health Management and Policy Program prepares graduates for positions of leadership in health care and health-related organizations. The program focuses on the post-graduate educational needs of professionals already fully employed in the health care industry, as well as those aspiring to careers in the field. Combining its strengths in graduate business education and its close relationships with the South Florida health care community, the program teaches practical administrative skills as well as broad strategic and theoretical perspectives to students who wish to expand their knowledge of management and administration as applied to the health care industry.

To obtain detailed program admission and curricula information please reference the program brochure which can be requested by contacting the Office of Recruiting and Admissions at 305-284-2510 or visit our [website](http://www.bus.miami.edu/graduate-programs/executive-mba/health-management/).

#### Admission Requirements
Candidacy for the Miami Herbert Business School Executive MBA for Health Management and Policy program is based on an evaluation of academic and professional preparation as well as significant accomplishments and experiences. Professionally, the applicant should demonstrate an aptitude for career advancement and leadership. Regardless of the stage an applicant may be in, we measure career potential through increased workplace responsibility, demonstrated managerial skills, recommendations and assessment of the nomination. Motivation, intellectual curiosity, high ethical standards and perseverance are essential characteristics for success in the Executive MBA for Health Management and Policy program.

The Admissions Committee considers the "total" individual - men and women who show a pattern of achievement and high-level performance at every stage. The Admissions Index assesses each candidate on the following factors:

- Years of business-related work experience
- Years of management experience
- Level of current position
- Maturity
- Undergraduate grade point average
- GMAT score (if requested)
- Letter(s) of Recommendation
- Undergraduate School
- Undergraduate Major
- International experience
- Intercultural experience

Admission to the Professional MBA Program does not guarantee that a seat is available. Once admitted, an applicant must submit a non-refundable $2,200 Enrollment Fee required by the Graduate Business Programs Office in order to reserve their seat within a cohort. Once a given cohort reaches capacity, the Admissions Committee compiles a waitlist of qualified candidates. Candidates are notified when their status changes.

#### Application Requirements
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- A $48 non-refundable application fee
- A baccalaureate degree from an accredited institution
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  - International applicants must have their educational credentials from institutions outside of the United States verified by an approved international credentialing evaluation service such as World Education Services to confirm degree equivalency and GPA calculation.
- Statement of purpose and short-essay responses to the career goal and program-related questions in BusinessCAS
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  • TOEFL - 94 or above (iBT only)
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If you do not yet have a TOEFL or IELTS score (international candidates only), you may complete and submit your application prior to taking the exam by indicating your approximate date within the Standardized Tests tab in the Academic History section. Select “Add Test Score” by the relevant test, then indicate that you have not yet taken the exam and add your estimated test date in the section provided.

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QUESTIONS?

Connect with Miami Herbert Business School's graduate enrollment advisors at (305) 284-2510 or by email at mba@miami.edu.

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### Sample Plan of Study

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Credit Hours: 6
Mission

• To develop innovative ideas and principled leaders that transform global business and society.

Student Learning Outcomes

• The MBA students will demonstrate the ability to integrate business information and knowledge within the strategies and perspectives of an organization.
• The MBA students will demonstrate the ability to understand and utilize the process of critical and analytical thinking in diverse business settings to solve problems and make decisions.
• The MBA students will demonstrate the ability to gain an awareness of and a sensitivity to issues in business decision-making from an ethical and social perspective (principled leaders).
• The MBA students will demonstrate an understanding of business operations and decision-making in a global environment.

Global Executive MBA

Overview

The Global Executive MBA program is aimed at senior executives who want to further their business acumen and enhance their understanding of conducting business globally. The format flexibility and length of the program will permit students to earn their MBA. The 17-month program blends face-to-face on-campus modules, which include executive presentations, case studies and group projects, with distance learning. It covers four focus areas (Global Strategy and Execution; Managing Global Operations and Decision Making; Global Multi-Cultural Leadership; and Entrepreneurship, Innovation and Technology) through eleven courses or modules, as well as an Integrated Project carried out in nine on-campus residencies and eight Inter-Residencies (distance-learning). The Global EMBA is lock-step in nature. Students will progress together through a sequential pattern of courses. The students will obtain their MBA after the successful completion of 45 credit hours over an 17 month period.

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Global OneMBA

Overview

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- USA: Miami Business School, University of Miami
- Brazil: FGV São Paulo School of Business Administration (FGV)
- China: School of Management, Xiamen University (SMXMU)
- Mexico: EGADE Business School of Tecnológico de Monterrey
- The Netherlands: Rotterdam School of Management, Erasmus University (RSM)

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Full Time MBA Programs

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- The Miami MBA (Two-Year MBA)
- Accelerated MBA
- Accelerated MBA in Real Estate
- BArch/MBA (Joint Degree)
- MD/MBA (Joint Degree)
- JD/LLM/MBA
- JD/MBA (Joint Degree)
- MS in Accountancy and Accelerated MBA Dual Degree
- MS in Biochemistry & Molecular Biology / MBA (Miller School Only)
- MS in Taxation and Accelerated MBA Dual Degree
- PhD / MBA (Miller School Biomed PhD Students Only)

Accelerated MBA

The Accelerated MBA program at the University of Miami Herbert Business School allows students to fast-track their career through hands-on opportunities in the city that is shaping the future of business. The Accelerated MBA gives eligible students the unique opportunity to earn an MBA in less than a year. Candidates with an undergraduate degree in business or a graduate degree in business or related discipline are encouraged to apply. The program begins in May and runs through December, for a duration of 7 months.

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Accelerated MBA in Real Estate

Overview

The Miami Herbert Business School offers an accelerated MBA program with a concentration in real estate highlighted by two internship opportunities. Bringing together the School's strengths in management education with the strengths of the UM School of Architecture in new urbanism, the program prepares students to succeed in commercial real estate market careers. This program is designed to meet the needs of the student with an undergraduate degree in business. Applicants must demonstrate successful completion of the core business courses: Financial and Managerial Accounting, Microeconomics, Macroeconomics, Statistics, Calculus, Organizational Behavior, Operations Management, Marketing, and Finance.

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• Statement of purpose and short-essay responses to the career goal and program-related questions in BusinessCAS

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### BArch/MBA Overview

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Students will begin taking Saturday graduate level business courses during the fourth year of their architecture program. Both degrees are fully accredited by their respective accrediting bodies — the NCARB and AACSB International.

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### Admissions Requirements

To qualify for admission to the BArch / MBA program, a student must:

- Be an undergraduate University of Miami architecture major

### Requirements for Admission

- Completed application for admission submitted through BusinessCAS
- Academic transcript(s)
• An unofficial copy of your current transcript must be uploaded with your online application.
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Connect with Miami Herbert Business School's graduate enrollment advisors at (305) 284-2510 or by email at mba@miami.edu.

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**Additional Required Courses**

| Electives* | 24 |

Total Credits

| 44 |

* 24 credits of electives (approximately 12 courses) are required. Elective offerings are based on class demand.

**Prerequisite coursework: The following courses must be successfully completed during the fourth year of the BArch program: ACC 670, FIN 641, MAS 201, MGT 620, MKT 640

**JD/LLM/MBA**

JD/LLM/MBA

Triple Degree Program: A Specialized Option for Business Majors

The University of Miami School of Law and the Miami Business School have created a triple degree program - a JD, an LLM in Taxation, Estate Planning, or Real Property Development, and an MBA - which can be completed in just four years and two summers.

This program offers a combination of legal and business degrees to students who were undergraduate business majors. These credentials are ideal for anyone with a long-term goal of servicing top corporate clients or becoming a senior executive at a bank, real estate company, or financial institution. They also serve as significant assets in today’s competitive marketplace to any attorney starting out in tax or real estate law.

Students are able to complete both the LLM and JD degrees in seven semesters and can complete an MBA degree with an additional two semesters or fewer, if summer school courses are taken.
To obtain detailed program admission, please reference the program brochure which can be requested by contacting the Office of Recruiting and Admissions at 305-284-2510 or visit our website (http://bus.miami.edu/graduate-programs/full-time-mba/jd-llm-mba/).

Admission Requirements

- The program is open only to individuals who were undergraduate business majors.
- The program enables students to obtain three degrees in four years—a JD, an MBA and an LLM
- Once JD students begin their second year of law school, they can apply to the specific LLM program in either Tax (http://www.law.miami.edu/about_us/jd_tax.php?op=1) or Real Property Development (http://www.law.miami.edu/about_us/jd_rpd.php?op=1) by the end of spring semester after having completed specific pre-requisites.
- During the second year, students should also apply to the one-year MBA program by the Early Decision deadline of June 1 to be considered for One-Year MBA program. (Note that there are additional deadline date options for the MBA program, allowing students to apply up until December 1 for a January [spring semester] start.)
- Students must have the results of their GMAT exam when they apply as only complete applications will be reviewed by the Admissions Committee.

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## JD/MBA
### Juris Doctor /Master of Business Administration

The University of Miami School of Law and the Miami Herbert Business School offer a joint degree program in law and business. Upon completion of this program, a student earns the Juris Doctor degree from the School of Law and a Master of Business Administration degree from the Miami Herbert Business School.

Independently, the JD degree requires the completion of 88 credits, while the MBA degree requires 56 credits. Students enrolled in the JD/MBA dual-degree program benefit from a total of 16 shared credit hours, reducing the overall required course load to 128 credits for both degrees.

### Requirements for Admission

Students who apply for the joint J.D./M.B.A. program must apply to both the School of Law and the Miami Herbert Business School. The applicant must achieve a qualifying score on the Law School Admissions Test (LSAT) and the Graduate Management Admissions Test (GMAT) for admission to
the respective schools. The applicant must notify both schools that he or she is applying for the joint J.D./M.B.A. program, and in order to remain in the joint program, the student must meet minimum standards of both the School of Law and the Miami Herbert Business School.

To obtain detailed program admission information, please reference the program brochure which can be requested by contacting the Office of Recruiting and Admissions at 305-284-2510 or visit our website (http://bus.miami.edu/graduate-programs/full-time-mba/jd-mba/?utm_source=undefined&utm_medium=undefined&utm_campaign=undefined&utm_term=undefined&utm_content=undefined).

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Master of Science in Accountancy & Accelerated MBA Dual Degree

Overview
The Master of Science in Accountancy and Accelerated MBA Dual Degree (MSA/MBA) program allows students to earn both a specialized Master’s and MBA. Students complete the two degrees in sequence - Master of Science in Accountancy first, Accelerated MBA second. The dual degree is designed for students with an interest in broadening their business education beyond the scope of their first Master’s program. The MSA offers two separate tracks in assurance and corporate accounting. This dual degree program will provide a robust framework for acquiring both depth and breadth in business education.

Scholarships
University of Miami Herbert School of Business - Alumni Association Endowed Accounting Scholarships are available for students pursuing Graduate Studies in Accounting. Various other scholarships and assistantships may be available.

Accounting Summer Intensive Program
The Accounting Summer Intensive Program is designed for students who hold at least an undergraduate business degree in a field other than accounting from an accredited college or university and for foreign students.

Non-Accounting Majors
Students that have a non-accounting degree, preferably in business, can apply for admission to our Master of Science in Accountancy (MSA) and Summer Intensive Program. Applicants to the MSA program will automatically be considered applicants to the Accounting Summer Intensive Program if their undergraduate degree is not in accounting. Summer intensive students entering the MSA program must also take an advanced taxation course (ACC 639) which is offered following the Summer Intensive Program in an intersession format in August before the start of the fall semester. MSA students may complete the course in the summer or in term one of the spring semester.

Foreign Students
The Accounting Summer Intensive Program is also designed to meet the needs of foreign students. Foreign students must have successfully completed two semesters of intermediate accounting, one semester of cost accounting, one semester of auditing, one semester of accounting information systems and one semester of tax at a U.S. university accredited by the AACSB or alternatively, must attend the Summer Intensive Program before enrolling in graduate accounting courses. Foreign students entering the MSA program must also take an advanced taxation course (ACC 639) which is offered following the Summer Intensive Program in an intersession format and in term one of the spring semester. Foreign applicants to the MSA program will automatically also be considered applicants to the Accounting Summer Intensive Program.

Program Schedule
The Accounting Summer Intensive Program is fast-paced and requires full-time attention. As its name implies, the program is intensive and not designed for students that are working even part-time. The 7-week program begins each year about July 1 and continues through mid-August and consists of two 3½ -week modules. Three 2-credit courses are included in each module. Students who want to take any additional graduate tax classes should also plan to take the advanced taxation course (ACC 639) which is offered following the Summer Intensive Program in a 9-day intersession format in August before the start of the fall semester.

Program Prerequisite Accounting Courses
Students entering the program are required to have previously completed introduction to financial accounting and management accounting at a US or foreign university.

Summer Intensive Program Course Offerings
The Summer Intensive Program includes the following six 2-credit upper division accounting courses that are prerequisites for graduate study.

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Entering the MSA or MST Program

Upon successful completion of the intensive program, students immediately enter the MSA or MST program in the fall semester. To graduate with their MSA or MST degree, students must complete 30 credits beyond the 12-credit intensive program and may graduate in as little as two semesters, assuming they are full-time students.

CPA Licensure Requirements

Most of our students intend to become qualified as Certified Public Accountants (CPA). While the CPA exam is a national exam administered by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants, its execution and CPA licensing practices are governed by state law. For example, some states require a certain number of credit hours in particular subjects and have overall accounting and business credit hour requirements. As such, you should check with the state in which you intend to practice to determine what the specific course requirements are for that state. Our department is unable to make a determination of your eligibility to sit for the CPA exam. This can only be done by the appropriate state board. Please find the licensure requirements for the State of Florida, here (http://www.myfloridalicense.com/DBPR/certified-public-accounting/licensure/).

For your convenience, the Florida rules that apply to most individuals are summarized here. Please check the State of Florida Web site noted above for updates and rules which may apply in particular circumstances.

As of July 1, 2008 the Florida State Board of Accountancy (BOA) separated the requirements to become a Certified Public Accountant (CPA) into two parts: (1) the requirements to be eligible to take the CPA exam and (2) the requirements for licensure to practice as a CPA in Florida.

Requirements to Sit for the CPA Exam: To be eligible to take the CPA exam, applicants must have completed 120 semester hours including 24 semester hours of upper division (300-level or above) accounting to include auditing, cost and managerial accounting, financial accounting, accounting information systems, and taxation. Applicants must also complete 24 semester hours of upper division general business courses with some exceptions in that one microeconomics, one macroeconomics, one statistics, one business law, and one introduction to computers course may be lower division (freshman or sophomore level). As part of the general business hours, applicants are required to have a total of six semester hours of business law courses, which must cover contracts, torts, and the Uniform Commercial Code. Note that excess upper division accounting courses may be used to meet the general business requirement; however, elementary accounting classes are never acceptable for credit nor are courses for non-accounting majors and any MBA courses that are equivalent to elementary accounting.

The exam is offered in the following time periods; January – February, April – May, July – August and October – November. Note that applicants are not required to have a bachelor’s degree in order to sit for the CPA exam.

Requirements for Licensure: In addition to passing all four parts of the CPA exam with at least a 75% within 18 month rolling period, the Florida State Board of Accountancy requires that applicants have completed a bachelor’s degree plus an additional 30 hours for a total of 150 semester hours before you can become licensed as a CPA. One year of work experience under the supervision of a licensed CPA is now also required to become licensed. In addition to experience obtained in public accounting and government, Florida’s 2008 legislative change also allows experience obtained in industry and academia. This experience may be obtained before or after sitting for the exam, however, all requirements to sit for the exam must be met before the work experience commences. If you fail to apply for licensure within three years of receiving the licensure package, (sent after you pass all four parts) the CPA grades expire and you have to retake the examination.

The 150 semester hours must include a minimum of 36 semester hours of upper division accounting courses and at least 39 semester hours of upper division (with some exceptions) general business courses. Excess upper division accounting courses may be used to meet the general business requirement. Courses for non-accounting majors and any MBA courses that are equivalent to elementary accounting are not accepted for this requirement.

Licensed in Another State: If you are licensed in a state other than Florida you can obtain a license in Florida by a process called endorsement. You must provide evidence of meeting all of the requirements in effect at the time of your application. In addition if you passed the exam more than two years before applying you must provide evidence of meeting continuing professional education requirements.

CPA Accreditation Requirements

The Florida State Board of Accountancy accepts degrees from schools accredited by the following associations: Middle States Association, New England Association, North Central Association, Northwest Association, Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, Western Association of Schools and Colleges, Association of Independent Schools and Colleges who have been approved by the Florida State Board of Independent Colleges and Universities, and Canadian Schools who have been approved by their provincial educational bodies. If you have graduated from a school or college which is not accredited by the above mentioned means, then you must use the provisions of F.A.C. 61H1-27.001 (5) (see below).

Applicants Who Have Graduated from Non-Accredited Schools (61H1-27.001) (5)

Applicants who have graduated from a non-accredited school may still qualify to sit for the CPA examination. The candidate must take 15 semester hours of graduate classes. Those must consist of at least nine hours of graduate level accounting courses including a minimum of three semester hours of graduate tax. THESE HOURS MUST BE TAKEN AFTER ADMISSION TO GRADUATE SCHOOL. If the courses are taken before admission to a graduate program, the classes will not be accepted, even if the school includes them as part of the graduate program. These courses cannot duplicate other courses which the applicant has taken and they cannot be used to accredit the non-accredited degree and satisfy the educational requirements. The applicant must complete the graduate school courses to validate the non-accredited degree. The applicant must also meet all other requirements...
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**Duplicate Courses**

No credit will be given for courses which duplicate another course for which the applicant has received credit. CPA review courses are considered as duplicates.

**Admission Requirements**

For admission to MSA, based on an undergraduate degree from an accredited U.S. institution, we consider the applicant’s:

- Undergraduate grade point average
- GMAT score
- Grades in specific accounting courses
- Rigor of the undergraduate program
- Other factors such as work experience.

Admission decisions are made on a competitive basis from the applicant pool. Undergraduate students from the University of Miami that have a grade point average of 3.4 or higher do not have to take the GMAT exam. In addition individuals who have demonstrated their ability to do graduate work in accounting by becoming a CPA or who have earned a graduate degree from a business school accredited by the AACSB are also waved from the requirement to take the GMAT exam.

Students without an undergraduate degree in accounting will be required to take certain prerequisite courses to secure admission. These prerequisites will depend upon the undergraduate major and previous accounting courses taken. Necessary prerequisite accounting courses can be taken in the University of Miami’s Accounting Summer Intensive Program, which is a seven-week program beginning in early July.

Foreign students must provide evidence of proficiency in English by supplying a TOEFL score. Additionally, foreign students must have successfully completed two semesters of intermediate accounting, one semester of cost accounting, one semester of auditing, one semester of accounting systems and one semester of tax at a U.S. university accredited by the AACSB before enrolling in graduate accounting courses. Alternatively, foreign students may attend the University of Miami’s Accounting Summer Intensive Program to fulfill this requirement.

**Dual Degree Admission Process**

Students can apply for the dual degree upon initializing their application. Students may also consider applying for the Accelerated MBA while they are enrolled in the Master of Science in Accountancy.

**Master of Science in Accountancy + Accelerated MBA Dual Degree (MSA/MBA)**

**Master of Science in Accountancy**

The MSA program offers two tracks: Assurance (MSA-Assurance) for students planning to go into public accounting and Corporate Accounting (MSA-Corporate) for students planning careers as controllers, CFOs or financial analysts. The MSA is designed for the student who has taken the accounting and related courses required for an undergraduate major in accounting or other undergraduate business majors who have successfully completed the Accounting Summer Intensive Program. These students should be able to complete the MSA in a year or less provided they enroll as full time students.

**Undergraduate Course Requirements**

The courses listed below are undergraduate prerequisites that, unless already completed, must be fulfilled in order to be admitted for graduate study. For most graduate tax classes including ACC 648 (Financial Reporting Implications of Income Taxes,) the equivalent of ACC 404 (Advanced Taxation(Corporate and Partnership Income Taxation) is also required. Students can satisfy this prerequisite by taking ACC 639 (Income Taxation and Business Entities which is offered in a 9-day intersession format in August before the start of the fall semester. If a candidate does not have an undergraduate business degree, additional business prerequisites (economics, marketing, management, finance and others) will also be required.

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Master of Science in Accountancy—Assurance Track (MSA-Assurance)
The program requires 30 semester hours consisting of nine required courses and the balance of approved elective courses provided the student has an undergraduate degree in Accounting, or its equivalent, from an accredited institution. In addition to the nine required courses, students must select four courses from the designated course list. Other courses can be selected from the list of approved electives or in consultation with the program director. Courses with a 600-level designation are designed for graduate students. Courses with a 500-level designation are open to upper-level undergraduate students and do not count toward the MSA degree. Unless otherwise noted, courses in the program are two semester hours (two credits).

Master of Science in Accountancy—Corporate Accounting Track (MSA-Corporate)
The program requires 30 semester hours consisting of eight required courses and the balance of approved elective courses provided the student has an undergraduate degree in Accounting, or its equivalent, from an accredited institution. In addition to the eight required courses, students must select five courses from the designated course list. Other courses can be selected from the list of approved electives or in consultation with the program director. Courses with a 600-level designation are designed for graduate students. Courses with a 500-level designation are open to upper-level undergraduate students and do not count toward the MSA degree. Unless otherwise noted, courses in the program are two semester hours (two credits).

Accelerated MBA Program
The Accelerated MBA program at the University of Miami Herbert Business School allows students to fast-track their career through hands-on opportunities in the city that is shaping the future of business. The Accelerated MBA gives eligible students the unique opportunity to earn an MBA in less than a year. Candidates with an undergraduate degree in business or a graduate degree in business or related discipline are encouraged to apply. The program begins in May and runs through December, for a duration of 7 months.

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Corporate Finance

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Master of Science in Taxation & Accelerated MBA Dual Degree

Overview

The Master of Science in Taxation and Accelerated MBA Dual Degree (MST/MBA) program allows students to earn both a specialized Master's and MBA. Students complete the two degrees in sequence - Master of Science in Taxation first, Accelerated MBA second. The MST is designed for students interested in careers in taxation. The dual degree is designed for students with an interest in broadening their business education beyond the scope of their first Master's program. This dual degree program will provide a robust framework for acquiring both depth and breadth in business education.

Scholarships

University of Miami Herbert Business School - Alumni Association Endowed Accounting Scholarships are available for students pursuing Graduate Studies in Accounting. Various other scholarships and assistantships may be available.

Accounting Summer Intensive Program

The Accounting Summer Intensive Program is designed for students who hold at least an undergraduate business degree in a field other than accounting from an accredited college or university and for foreign students.

Non-Accounting Majors

Students that have a non-accounting degree, preferably in business, can apply for admission to our Master of Science in Accounting (MSA) or Master of Science in Taxation (MST) and Summer Intensive Program. Applicants to the MSA or MST program will automatically be considered applicants to the Accounting Summer Intensive Program if their undergraduate degree is not in accounting. Summer Intensive students entering the MSA or MST program must also take an advanced taxation course (ACC 639) which is offered following the Summer Intensive Program in an intersession format in August before the start of the fall semester. Although MST students must complete advanced taxation in the summer, MSA students may complete the course in the summer or in term one of the spring semester.

Foreign Students

The Accounting Summer Intensive Program is also designed to meet the needs of foreign students. Foreign students must have successfully completed two semesters of intermediate accounting, one semester of cost accounting, one semester of auditing, one semester of accounting information systems and one semester of tax at a U.S. university accredited by the AACSB or alternatively, must attend the Summer Intensive Program before enrolling in graduate accounting courses. Foreign students entering the MSA or MST program must also take an advanced taxation course (ACC 639) which is offered following the Summer Intensive Program in an intersession format and in term one of the spring semester. Foreign applicants to the MSA program will automatically also be considered applicants to the Accounting Summer Intensive Program.

Program Schedule

The Accounting Summer Intensive Program is fast-paced and requires full-time attention. As its name implies, the program is intensive and not designed for students that are working even part-time. The 7-week program begins each year about July 1 and continues through mid-August and consists of two 3½ -week modules. Three 2-credit courses are included in each module. Students who want to take any additional graduate tax classes should also plan to take the advanced taxation course (ACC 639) which is offered following the Summer Intensive Program in a 9-day intersession format in August before the start of the fall semester.

Program Prerequisite Accounting Courses

Students entering the program are required to have previously completed introduction to financial accounting and management accounting at a US or foreign university.

Summer Intensive Program Course Offerings

The Summer Intensive Program includes the following six 2-credit upper division accounting courses that are prerequisites for graduate study.

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Note that the Summer Intensive Program does not include an advanced taxation course (the equivalent of ACC 404) which is a required prerequisite for most tax courses in the MST program. Accordingly, in addition to the six summer intensive courses, students entering the MST program must complete ACC 639 which is offered following the Summer Intensive Program in an intersession format in August before the start of the fall semester.
Enter the MSA or MST Program

Upon successful completion of the intensive program, students immediately enter the MSA or MST program in the fall semester. To graduate with their MSA or MST degree, students must complete 30 credits beyond the 12-credit intensive program and may graduate in as little as two semesters, assuming they are full-time students.

CPA Licensure Requirements

Most of our students intend to become qualified as Certified Public Accountants (CPA). While the CPA exam is a national exam administered by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants, its execution and CPA licensing practices are governed by state law. For example, some states require a certain number of credit hours in particular subjects and have overall accounting and business credit hour requirements. As such, you should check with the state in which you intend to practice to determine what the specific course requirements are for that state. Our department is unable to make a determination of your eligibility to sit for the CPA exam. This can only be done by the appropriate state board. The licensure requirements for the State of Florida can be viewed here (http://www.myfloridalicense.com/DBPR/certified-public-accounting/licensure/).

For your convenience, the Florida rules that apply to most individuals are summarized here. Please check the State of Florida Web site noted above for updates and rules which may apply in particular circumstances.

As of July 1, 2008 the Florida State Board of Accountancy (BOA) separated the requirements to become a Certified Public Accountant (CPA) into two parts: (1) the requirements to be eligible to take the CPA exam and (2) the requirements for licensure to practice as a CPA in Florida.

Requirements to Sit for the CPA Exam

To be eligible to take the CPA exam, applicants must have completed 120 semester hours including 24 semester hours of upper division (300-level or above) accounting to include auditing, cost and managerial accounting, financial accounting, accounting information systems, and taxation. Applicants must also complete 24 semester hours of upper division general business courses with some exceptions in that one microeconomics, one macroeconomics, one statistics, one business law, and one introduction to computers course may be lower division (freshman or sophomore level). As part of the general business hours, applicants are required to have a total of six semester hours of business law courses, which must cover contracts, torts, and the Uniform Commercial Code. Note that excess upper division accounting courses may be used to meet the general business requirement; however, elementary accounting classes are never acceptable for credit nor are courses for non-accounting majors and any MBA courses that are equivalent to elementary accounting.

The exam is offered in the following time periods; January – February, April – May, July – August and October – November. Note that applicants are not required to have a bachelor’s degree in order to sit for the CPA exam.

Requirements for Licensure

In addition to passing all four parts of the CPA exam with at least a 75% within 18 month rolling period, the Florida State Board of Accountancy requires that applicants have completed a bachelor’s degree plus an additional 30 hours for a total of 150 semester hours before you can become licensed as a CPA. One year of work experience under the supervision of a licensed CPA is now also required to become licensed. In addition to experience obtained in public accounting and government, Florida’s 2008 legislative change also allows experience obtained in industry and academia.

This experience may be obtained before or after sitting for the exam, however, all requirements to sit for the exam must be met before the work experience commences. If you fail to apply for licensure within three years of receiving the licensure package, (sent after you pass all four parts) the CPA grades expire and you have to retake the examination.

The 150 semester hours must include a minimum of 36 semester hours of upper division accounting courses and at least 39 semester hours of upper division (with some exception) general business courses. Excess upper division accounting courses may be used to meet the general business requirement. Courses for non-accounting majors and any MBA courses that are equivalent to elementary accounting are not accepted for this requirement.

Licensed in Another State

If you are licensed in a state other than Florida you can obtain a license in Florida by a process called endorsement. You must provide evidence of meeting all of the requirements in effect at the time of your application. In addition if you passed the exam more than two years before applying you must provide evidence of meeting continuing professional education requirements.

CPA Accreditation Requirements

The Florida State Board of Accountancy accepts degrees from schools accredited by the following associations: Middle States Association, New England Association, North Central Association, Northwest Association, Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, Western Association of Schools and Colleges, Association of Independent Schools and Colleges who have been approved by the Florida State Board of Independent Colleges and Universities, and Canadian Schools who have been approved by their provincial educational bodies. If you have graduated from a school or college which is not accredited by the above mentioned means, then you must use the provisions of F.A.C. 61H1-27.001 (5) (see below).

Applicants Who Have Graduated from Non-Accredited Schools (61H1-27.001) (5)

Applicants who have graduated from a non-accredited school may still qualify to sit for the CPA examination. The candidate must take 15 semester hours of graduate classes. Those must consist of at least nine hours of graduate level accounting courses including a minimum of three semester
hours of graduate tax. THESE HOURS MUST BE TAKEN AFTER ADMISSION TO GRADUATE SCHOOL. If the courses are taken before admission to a graduate program, the classes will not be accepted, even if the school includes them as part of the graduate program. These courses cannot duplicate other courses which the applicant has taken and they cannot be used to accredit the non-accredited degree and satisfy the educational requirements. The applicant must complete the graduate school courses to validate the non-accredited degree. The applicant must also meet all other requirements for endorsement or transfer of credit. An evaluation of foreign transcripts must be completed by an evaluation service which has been approved by the Board (see Board Approval Evaluation Services).

**Duplicate Courses**

No credit will be given for courses which duplicate another course for which the applicant has received credit. CPA review courses are considered as duplicates.

For the CPA requirements in other states, you should consult the State Board of Accountancy for your state.

**Admission Requirements**

For admission to the MST, based on an undergraduate degree from an accredited U.S. institution, we consider the applicant's:

- Undergraduate grade point average
- GMAT score
- Grades in specific accounting courses,
- Rigor of the undergraduate program
- Other factors such as work experience

Admission decisions are made on a competitive basis from the applicant pool. Undergraduate students from the University of Miami that have a grade point average of 3.4 or higher do not have to take the GMAT exam. In addition individuals who have demonstrated their ability to do graduate work in accounting by becoming a CPA or who have earned a graduate degree from a business school accredited by the AACSB are also waved from the requirement to take the GMAT exam.

Students without an undergraduate degree in accounting will be required to take certain prerequisite courses to secure admission. These prerequisites will depend upon the undergraduate major and previous accounting courses taken. Necessary prerequisite accounting courses can be taken in the University of Miami's Accounting Summer Intensive Program, which is a seven-week program beginning in early July.

Foreign students must provide evidence of proficiency in English by supplying a TOEFL score. Additionally, foreign students must have successfully completed two semesters of intermediate accounting, one semester of cost accounting, one semester of auditing, one semester of accounting systems and one semester of tax at a U.S. university accredited by the AACSB before enrolling in graduate accounting courses. Alternatively, foreign students may attend the University of Miami's Accounting Summer Intensive Program to fulfill this requirement.

**Dual Degree Admission Process**

Students can apply for the dual degree upon initializing their application. Students may also consider applying for the Accelerated MBA while they are enrolled in the Master of Science in Accountancy.

**Master of Science in Taxation + Accelerated MBA (MST/MBA)**

**Master of Science in Taxation**

This program affords the accounting major or equivalent the opportunity to specialize in the area of taxation. Through electives, students are able to expand their areas of expertise, so that they may adequately prepare themselves for careers requiring a high degree of specialized tax knowledge in public accounting, private industry, and government. The program requires 30 semester hours consisting of six required courses and the balance of approved elective courses provided the student has an undergraduate degree in Accounting, or its equivalent, from an accredited institution and has completed ACC 403 Fundamentals of Taxation and ACC 404 Advanced Taxation, or their equivalents. Students who have taken only one tax course should plan to take an advanced taxation course (such as ACC 639 Income Taxation and Business Entities which is offered following the Summer Intensive Program in an intersession format in August before the start of the fall semester). In addition to the nine required courses, students must select four courses from the designated course list. Other courses can be selected from the list of approved electives or in consultation with the program director. Courses with a 600-level designation are designed for graduate students. Courses with a 500-level designation are open to upper-level undergraduate students and do not count toward the MST degree. Unless otherwise noted, courses in the program are two semester hours (two credits).

**Accelerated MBA**

The Accelerated MBA program at the University of Miami Herbert Business School allows students to fast-track their career through hands-on opportunities in the city that is shaping the future of business. The Accelerated MBA gives eligible students the unique opportunity to earn an MBA in less than a year. Candidates with an undergraduate degree in business or a graduate degree in business or related discipline are encouraged to apply. The program begins in May and runs through December, for a duration of 7 months.
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MD/MBA

Overview

The University of Miami Herbert Business School (http://bus.miami.edu) offers a joint M.D./M.B.A. degree program in partnership with the Miller School of Medicine. The business curriculum prepares future physicians for the business complexities related to running a private medical practice or heading a group practice, as well as prepare medical students for careers in health sector management, leadership and policy.

The M.D./M.B.A. program adds an additional year to the four-year medical school curriculum. The M.B.A. coursework ranges from financial reporting and corporate strategy to the legal aspects of health administration.

MD/MBA candidates have the option of choosing a Research Track (project based which provides practical hands on experience) or an Elective Track (provides business electives). Please refer to the curriculum for details.

Questions about the M.D. portion of the program should be directed to Senior Associate Dean Alex Mechaber, M.D., at the Miller School of Medicine, AMechabe@med.miami.edu (MOConnell@med.miami.edu), while questions about the MBA portion should be directed to Admission Advisors at the Miami Herbert Business School, 305-284-2510 or mba@miami.edu.

M.D. students are required to submit a Full-Time (https://www.applyweb.com/apply/miamibus/) MBA online application to be considered for the M.D./M.B.A. Program.

The application deadline for this program is April 1st of each year.

To obtain detailed program admission information, please reference the program brochure which can be requested by contacting the Office of Recruiting and Admissions at 305-284-2510 or visit our website (http://bus.miami.edu/graduate-programs/full-time-mba/md-mba/).

Admission Requirements

• Completed application for admission submitted through BusinessCAS
• A baccalaureate degree from an accredited institution
  • Official academic transcripts from all previously attended post-secondary institutions must be submitted directly to BusinessCAS.
  • International applicants must have their educational credentials from institutions outside of the United States verified by an approved international credentialing evaluation service such as World Education Services to confirm degree equivalency and GPA calculation.
• Statement of purpose and short-essay responses to the career goal and program-related questions in BusinessCAS
• A current resume
• At least one letter of recommendation (up to three allowed) may be submitted through the BusinessCAS portal by including recommender contacts within the Program Materials section of the application.
• Official GMAT (or GRE) score to be sent directly to the University of Miami Herbert Business School by using the relevant code below.
  • GMAT Institution Code is 7NV-S1-92
  • GRE institution Code is 5815
• An official TOEFL or IELTS score is required as proof of English proficiency for international applicants who did not receive a degree in the United States or a foreign country where English is the primary language. The following minimum score is required for admission to a graduate business degree program.
  • TOEFL - 94 or above (iBT only)
  • IELTS - 7.0 or above

If you do not yet have a GMAT or GRE score or TOEFL or IELTS score (international candidates only), you may complete and submit your application prior to taking the exam by indicating your approximate date within the Standardized Tests tab in the Academic History section. Select "Add Test Score" by the relevant test, then indicate that you have not yet taken the exam and add your estimated test date in the section provided.

We encourage candidates to upload unofficial transcripts and test scores (if required) with their BusinessCAS application in order to expedite the review of their file while official documents are processed.

QUESTIONS?

Connect with Miami Herbert Business School's graduate enrollment advisors at (305) 284-2510 or by email at mba@miami.edu.
### MD Requirements

Students will complete the full requirements for the MD degree:

- [http://bulletin.miami.edu/graduate-academic-programs/medicine/md/#curriculumtext](http://bulletin.miami.edu/graduate-academic-programs/medicine/md/#curriculumtext)

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**Two Year MBA (The Miami MBA)**

**Two Year MBA Program (The Miami MBA)**

The full-time two-year MBA Program (The Miami MBA) is innovative, flexible, and career-focused. Candidates with an undergraduate degree in any field with work experience who seek advanced business expertise as a springboard to their career are encouraged to apply. The curriculum not only prepares students for leadership in business, but it adds a valuable dimension to other professions.

The Miami Business School's full-time MBA program is 56 credit hours and is completed in less than two calendar years. The curriculum provides a framework that accelerates growth. Students gain new perspectives and have the opportunity to prove and polish their leadership skills. They learn to think critically across subjects, linking their knowledge of management, economics, and marketing with finance, business law, and technology.

To obtain detailed program admission information, please reference the program brochure which can be requested by contacting the Office of Recruiting and Admissions at 305-284-2510 or visit our website ([https://www.bus.miami.edu/academic-programs/mba-masters/two-year-mba/](https://www.bus.miami.edu/academic-programs/mba-masters/two-year-mba/)).

**Admission Requirements**

- A bachelor's degree (or the equivalent of a U.S. bachelor's degree) from an accredited school. Official transcripts and a foreign credential evaluation (if applicable) must be submitted.
- Professional, post-undergraduate work experience outlined in a formal resume. At least two years of full-time experience prior to enrollment is recommended. For dual-degree applicants, experience gained through internships, projects, and leadership roles may be considered.
- A competitive GMAT score (GRE considered on a case-by-case basis) and a qualifying score on the TOEFL or IELTS for non-native English speakers.
- At least one professional and/or academic letter of recommendation.
- A personal statement.

Admission interviews are a requirement of the Miami MBA application process for those candidates who meet the program requirements and will be conducted by invitation only after a complete application has been reviewed. Most interviews are conducted with candidates by online platform or in-person.
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## Plan of Study

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**Mission**

- To develop innovative ideas and principled leaders that transform global business and society.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- The MBA students will demonstrate the ability to integrate business information and knowledge within the strategies and perspectives of an organization.
- The MBA students will demonstrate the ability to understand and utilize the process of critical and analytical thinking in diverse business settings to solve problems and make decisions.
- The MBA students will demonstrate the ability to gain an awareness of and a sensitivity to issues in business decision-making from an ethical and social perspective (principled leaders).
- The MBA students will demonstrate an understanding of business operations and decision-making in a global environment.
Specialized Master Degrees

The Miami Herbert Business School offers a premier catalog of master’s degree programs geared toward specific career paths. Each of these full-time programs can be completed in less than one year. Students will focus on in-depth business analysis as well as enhancing their proficiency in topics like accounting, finance, and organizational leadership. A new skill-set in a specialized area will make students more valuable to their organizations and more competitive in the marketplace.

- M.H.A. in Health Sector Management and Policy
- Master in International Business
- Master of Accounting
- Master of Professional Accounting (online)
- Master of Science in Business Analytics
- Master of Science in Finance
- Master of Science in Finance (online)
- Master of Science in Leadership
- Master or Science in Sustainable Business
- Master of Science in Taxation

B.B.A./M.S. in Business Analytics Dual Degree

Bachelor of Business Administration in Business Analytics and Master of Science in Business Analytics

The dual BBA and Master of Science in Analytics program is designed in such a way that students can expect to complete both their Bachelor’s and Master’s degree within four and a half years. This accelerated program is designed to assist highly-motivated undergraduate students seeking an efficient path and an expedient start to their professional careers without sacrificing quality of education.

Students enroll in up to twelve credits of graduate work in their senior year*. Then, at least twenty credits of graduate work is completed in the fall semester after the senior year.

* Students in this program will only be permitted to take graduate classes if they are within 30 credits of completing the baccalaureate degree and have a minimum 3.0 GPA.

Admission Requirements

To qualify for admission to the BBA/BSBA-MSBA programs, a student must:

- Be within 30 credits of completing the baccalaureate degree with a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 or higher.

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**Business Analytics Major (21 credit hours)** 4, 5, 6

**MS IN BUSINESS ANALYTICS** 32

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**B.S.B.A./M.S. in Business Analytics Dual Degree**

**Bachelor of Science in Business Administration in Business Analytics and Master of Science in Business Analytics**

The dual BSBA and Master of Science in Analytics program is designed in such a way that students can expect to complete both their Bachelor's and Master's degree within four and a half years. This accelerated program is designed to assist highly-motivated undergraduate students seeking an efficient path and an expedient start to their professional careers without sacrificing quality of education.

Students enroll in up to twelve credits of graduate work in their senior year.* Then, at least twenty credits of graduate work is completed in the fall semester after the senior year.

*Students in this program will only be permitted to take graduate classes if they are within 30 credits of completing the baccalaureate degree and have a minimum GPA of 3.0.

**Admission Requirements**

To qualify for admission to the BBA/BSBA-MSBA programs, a student must:

- Be within 30 credits of completing the baccalaureate degree with a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 or higher.

**Requirements for Admission**

- Completed application for admission submitted through BusinessCAS

- Academic transcript(s)
  - An unofficial copy of your current transcript must be uploaded with your online application.
  - Request official evaluations of transcripts from all previously attended non-U.S. institutions to be sent to BusinessCAS.

- Statement of purpose and short-essay responses to the career goal and program-related questions in BusinessCAS

- A current resume

- At least one letter of recommendation (up to three allowed) may be submitted through the BusinessCAS portal by including recommender contacts within the Program Materials section of the application.

**QUESTIONS?**

Connect with Miami Herbert Business School's graduate enrollment advisors at (305) 284-2510 or by email at mba@miami.edu
**Curriculum Requirements**

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## Sample Plan of Study

**For students who do not earn an A- or better in MAS 311, 332, and 432**

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BBA/BSBA - MSF Dual Degree Programs

Overview
The dual degree programs allow Miami Herbert Business School students to efficiently complete both a bachelor's degree (either B.B.A. or B.S.B.A) and the M.S. in Finance degree in as short as 4 ½ years. The following combinations are possible under this dual degree program:

1. BBA in Accounting/MSF
2. BBA in Business Analytics/MSF
3. BBA in Business Technology/MSF
4. BBA in Economics/MSF
5. BBA in Entrepreneurship/MSF
6. BBA in Finance/MSF
7. BBA in General Business/MSF
8. BBA in Health Management and Policy/MSF
9. BBA in Human Resource Management/MSF
10. BBA in Legal Studies/MSF
11. BBA in Management/MSF
12. BBA in Marketing/MSF
13. BBA in Organizational Leadership/MSF
14. BBA in Real Estate/MSF
15. BSBA in Accounting/MSF
16. BSBA in Business Analytics/MSF
17. BSBA in Business Technology/MSF
18. BSBA in Economics/MSF
19. BSBA in Entrepreneurship/MSF
20. BSBA in Finance/MSF
21. BSBA in General Business/MSF
22. BSBA in Health Management and Policy/MSF
23. BSBA in Human Resource Management/MSF
24. BSBA in Legal Studies/MSF
25. BSBA in Management/MSF
26. BSBA in Marketing/MSF
The BBA and BSBA programs require successful completion of 120 credit hours. The MSF program will require successful completion of 30 credit hours in the dual degree program because BUS 640 Quantitative and Analytical Fundamentals for Finance (4 credit hours) is not required. Students graduating from UM’s BBA and BSBA programs and matriculating directly into the MSF dual degree program will not require this course because the material is covered in their undergraduate programs.

Requirements:
To qualify for admission to the BBA/BSBA-MSF programs, a student must:

1. Complete FIN 302 and receive a grade of B or higher (a B- in FIN302 does not fulfill this requirement).
2. Complete at least 96 credit hours of undergraduate courses with a cumulative grade point average of 3.3 or higher.
3. Apply to the program by the end of the semester in which the student completes 96 undergraduate credit hours. (Typically, application submission will be required by the end of the spring semester of a student’s junior year.)

In the dual degree programs, a student must:

1. Comply with all undergraduate degree requirements for a BBA major (undergraduate degree need not be in finance) for the BBA-MSF program or a BSBA major (undergraduate degree need not be in finance) for the BSBA-MSF program.
2. Comply with all MSF degree requirements in the newly revised MSF curriculum effective Fall 2019 except for the BUS 640 (commonly known as the boot camp) waiver as described below.
3. Enroll in a minimum of 12 undergraduate credit hours of courses per semester until the requirements of the student’s selected undergraduate degree (BBA or BSBA degree) have been met.
4. Enroll in a maximum of 6 graduate credit hours of courses per semester during the last two semesters of the student’s selected undergraduate degree (BBA or BSBA degree) program. (Typically, a student would enroll in 4 credit hours of graduate coursework per semester for a total of 8 graduate credit hours in the last two semesters (senior year)).
5. Maintain a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 or higher in all undergraduate course work after enrolling in the BBA/BSBA-MSF program.
6. Maintain a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 or higher on all graduate course work after enrolling in the BBA/BSBA-MSF program.

Undergraduate Curriculum
The individual BBA or BSBA degree requirements must be fulfilled as described in the University Bulletin.

In addition, during the last two semesters of the student’s selected undergraduate degree (BBA or BSBA degree) program, a student may enroll in up to 6 graduate credit hours per semester selected from courses in the MSF curriculum with prior approval of the MSF Faculty Director. A student will typically enroll in four graduate courses worth a total 8 credit hours in their last two semesters (senior year).

Graduate Curriculum
The MSF degree requirements must be fulfilled as described in the newly revised curriculum effective Fall 2019 in the University Bulletin with the exception that the BUS 640, Quantitative and Analytical Fundamentals for Finance, (4 credits; commonly known as the "boot camp" 4) requirement for the MSF degree will be waived for dual degree program students, thereby reducing the MSF degree required credit hours from 34 to 30.

Conferral of Undergraduate Degree and Withdrawal from Dual Degree Programs
Students will be awarded their undergraduate degree (BBA or BSBA) as usual upon completion of all standard undergraduate degree requirements. In addition, withdrawal from the dual degree program will not affect the award of the bachelor’s degree.

M.H.A. in Health Management and Policy
Overview
The MHA program helps students understand business principles and their application to the health care sector. Students enrolled in the Master in Health Administration (MHA) program hone skills in business fundamentals such as finance, accounting, human resources, and process improvement, and gain knowledge in health care specific areas including the structure, organization, policy, and delivery of health care; health economics; and information technology; among others. Students also gain a comprehensive lens through which they can approach solutions in their careers through first-hand experience of daily operations and opportunities to improve processes. Students have access to C-suite leaders in the classroom and other venues. Each student will also have the opportunity to participate in an off-site internship experience. Graduates of the program are prepared to be leaders in the management and administration of health care systems, physician groups, insurance companies, medical device companies and health care facilities.
Admission Requirements

- Completed application for admission submitted through BusinessCAS
- A $48 non-refundable application fee
- A baccalaureate degree from an accredited institution
  - Official academic transcripts from all previously attended post-secondary institutions must be submitted directly to BusinessCAS.
  - International applicants must have their educational credentials from institutions outside of the United States verified by an approved international credentialing evaluation service such as World Education Services to confirm degree equivalency and GPA calculation.
- Statement of purpose and short-essay responses to the career goal and program-related questions in BusinessCAS
- A current resume
- At least one letter of recommendation (up to three allowed) may be submitted through the BusinessCAS portal by including recommender contacts within the Program Materials section of the application.
- Official GMAT (or GRE) score to be sent directly to the University of Miami Herbert Business School by using the relevant code below.
  - GMAT Institution Code is 7NV-S1-86
  - GRE institution Code is 5815
- An official TOEFL or IELTS score is required as proof of English proficiency for international applicants who did not receive a degree in the United States or a foreign country where English is the primary language. The following minimum score is required for admission to a graduate business degree program.
  - TOEFL - 94 or above (iBT only)
  - IELTS - 7.0 or above

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QUESTIONS?
Connect with Miami Herbert Business School’s graduate enrollment advisors at (305) 284-2510 or by email at mba@miami.edu.

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Additional Required Courses

The remaining courses will be selected from the following electives or other courses approved by the program director:

- BSL 685 Legal Aspects of Health Administration 2
Mission

The Master in Health Administration (MHA) is designed to prepare future leaders to develop knowledge and mastery of skills to meet the critical challenges facing the health care industry.

Goals

The program objectives are to:

• Understand basic principles and their application to the health care sector.
• Expose participants to key health care industry concepts associated with the dynamic, continuously changing, and complex management and policy aspects of the health care sector.
• Prepare future leaders to develop knowledge and mastery of skills to meet the critical challenges facing the health care industry.

Student Learning Outcomes

• Students will be able to predict impacts and unintended consequences of health care policies, differentiating between associated and causal factors, using aggregate data to inform their predictions. This maps directly from the course objectives and analytic competency in the syllabus: using the most valid and reliable sources of information to assess the dimensions of health system issues and their solutions, and present such solutions in an organized, convincing framework.
• Students will demonstrate the ability to integrate key economics concepts of supply, demand, scarcity, and opportunity cost in the health care setting.
• Students will demonstrate the ability to integrate key MHA competencies with business principles and health care fundamentals to complete a capstone project working directly with a health care organization.

M.S. in Sustainable Business

Master of Science in Sustainable Business

The University of Miami Business School’s Master of Science in Sustainable Business provides students the opportunity to be a force for good inside a company by making positive impacts on the environment and society in a way that increases the long-term value of the firm and is consistent with the firm’s strategy and vision. The unique disciplinary team of the program unites business, science, theory, and practice to provide forward-thinking expertise for those focused on where the world is headed. Beyond the business core courses, students receive training in scientific basics through interdisciplinary electives from the University of Miami’s Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science and the Department of Civil Architecture and Environmental Engineering.

To obtain detailed program admission information, please reference the program brochure which can be requested by contacting the Office of Recruiting and Admissions at 305-284-2510 or visit our website (https://www.bus.miami.edu/academic-programs/mba-masters/masters/sustainable-business/).

Admission Requirements

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| **Electives**                                                                                     |              |
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* 9 credits of electives (approximately 3 courses) are required. Elective offerings are based on class demand.

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Mission
The M.S. in Sustainable Business aims to address the growing need for a master’s level program to prepare students for careers in corporate sustainability.

Goals
• To provide rigorous, business focused graduate education to those pursuing a degree in sustainable business.
• To educate students in the scientific basis of sustainability programs.
• To provide students with experiential training in the development of a business sustainability project.

Student Learning Outcomes
• Students will be able to apply rigorous, data driven methods to measure, report, and analyze sustainability programs.
• Students will be able to evaluate the economic value of sustainability programs.
• Students will demonstrate written and oral communication skills needed to succeed in sustainability-related professions.

Master in International Business

The Master in International Business (MIB) program seeks to develop global leaders. To this end, it offers to a select group of globally-minded students from throughout the world with rich experiential learning opportunities in Miami and other locations worldwide. The program incorporates a rigorous academic curriculum focusing on best practices by both global startups and leading multinationals in addressing their emerging opportunities and challenges. Students are exposed to South Florida’s rich multicultural business community and the hundreds of international conferences that it hosts every year. Students may focus their professional development efforts on developing both regional competencies and functional expertise of their choice. MIB program activities in and out of classrooms are designed to help its students bond, as well as expand their professional network with participants of other graduate business programs.

To obtain detailed program admission information, please reference the program brochure which can be requested by contacting the Office of Recruiting and Admissions at 305-284-2510 or visit our website (http://bus.miami.edu/graduate-programs/specialized-masters/international/).

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## Sample Plan of Study

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### Mission
To help students develop the competencies, expertise, and mindset with which to advance their goal of becoming principled leaders of global businesses and societies.

### Goals
Students completing the MIBS program will be able to understand and integrate basic international business concepts and to apply analytic models and techniques for international business decision making, planning and execution. They’ll acquire international functional skills to formulate and implement international business strategies, as well as gain an understanding of a particular region of the world and successfully apply the acquired international business frameworks and expertise to profit from international business opportunities and/or to cope with international business challenges.

### Student Learning Outcomes
- To develop the Business Core Foundations.
- To integrate all acquired knowledge/expertise through an internationally-focused practical project.
- To acquire a global perspective and gain the basic International Business expertise.

### Master of Professional Accounting (online)
**Master of Professional Accounting (online)**
The Master of Professional Accounting provides focused, accounting education meant to prepare students for a career in public accounting, private industry, as well as government/non-profit sector. The program consists of 32 credits that will be taken over a 16-month period with start dates in September, January, and May. The coursework will consist of 16 credits in basic accounting, taxation and information systems, followed by 16 credits in advanced topics including auditing and financial statement analysis and firm valuation. The courses offered in the MPrA are taught at both the undergraduate and graduate level in accounting at the Miami Herbert Business School. All of these courses have been taught as two-credit or three-credit courses, but have been modified, combined and packaged into four credit modules. Most students in the program will earn a Certificate in Accounting Practice along the way to earning their degree.

To obtain detailed program admission and curricula information please visit the website. (http://www.miami.edu/online/online-degrees/masters-professional-accounting/)

### Curriculum Requirements

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Two additional optional courses

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Total Credit Hours: 40

1. Should your state of residence require additional coursework in order to sit for the CPA certification exam, you may enroll in two additional (optional) advanced courses which will enable you to earn additional Accounting credits that may be required.

**Mission**

The MPRA program strives to conform to strategic priorities of the Miami Herbert Business School in the following ways:

- Integrate knowledge from the latest field-based research into classroom discussion so that students better understand financial and managerial decision making in practice and can take a professional leadership role in assessing the standard quantitative tools used in accounting.
- Recognize the context and implications of the conflicts of interest inherent in the accounting industry in both classroom discussion and extracurricular interaction with local leaders, in order to create principled leaders in the field of accounting.
- Expose students to the global aspect of the field of accounting through both coursework and interaction with masters-level students in one of the most culturally diverse graduate business schools in the United States.

**Goals**

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Understand and apply appropriate accounting techniques to a variety of transactions in business.
- Understand fundamental principles in taxation and basic rules of taxation as set out in Internal Revenue Service Code.
- Understand the basic principles guiding the design and implementation of accounting information systems with an emphasis on internal controls.

**Master of Science in Accountancy**

**Overview**

The Master of Science in Accountancy (MSA) and Master of Science in Taxation (MST) programs are similar in that they offer an opportunity to concentrate in accounting, but they differ in degree of specialization and career path orientation. The MSA offers two separate tracks in assurance and corporate accounting while the MST is designed for students interested in careers in taxation. In addition to the traditional one year of full-time study beyond the Bachelor's level, the MSA and the MST programs are offered as accelerated programs for University of Miami undergraduates.

**Scholarships**

University of Miami Herbert School of Business - Alumni Association Endowed Accounting Scholarships are available for students pursuing Graduate Studies in Accounting. Various other scholarships and assistantships may be available.

**Accounting Summer Intensive Program**

The Accounting Summer Intensive Program is designed for students who hold at least an undergraduate business degree in a field other than accounting from an accredited college or university and for foreign students.

**Non-Accounting Majors**

Students that have a non-accounting degree, preferably in business, can apply for admission to our Master of Science in Accountancy (MSA) or Master of Science in Taxation (MST) and Summer Intensive Program. Applicants to the MSA or MST program will automatically be considered applicants to the Accounting Summer Intensive Program if their undergraduate degree is not in accounting. Summer Intensive students entering the MSA or MST program must also take an advanced taxation course (ACC 639) which is offered following the Summer Intensive Program in an intersession format in August before the start of the fall semester. Although MST students must complete advanced taxation in the summer, MSA students may complete the course in the summer or in term one of the spring semester.

**Foreign Students**

The Accounting Summer Intensive Program is also designed to meet the needs of foreign students. Foreign students must have successfully completed two semesters of intermediate accounting, one semester of cost accounting, one semester of auditing, one semester of accounting information systems and one semester of tax at a U.S. university accredited by the AASCB or alternatively, must attend the Summer Intensive Program before enrolling in graduate accounting courses. Foreign students entering the MSA or MST program must also take an advanced taxation course.
(ACC 639) which is offered following the Summer Intensive Program in an intersession format and in term one of the spring semester. Foreign applicants to the MSA program will automatically also be considered applicants to the Accounting Summer Intensive Program.

**Program Schedule**

The Accounting Summer Intensive Program is fast-paced and requires full-time attention. As its name implies, the program is intensive and not designed for students that are working even part-time. The 7-week program begins each year about July 1 and continues through mid-August and consists of two 3½-week modules. Three 2-credit courses are included in each module. Students who want to take any additional graduate tax classes should also plan to take the advanced taxation course (ACC 639) which is offered following the Summer Intensive Program in a 9-day intersession format in August before the start of the fall semester.

**Program Prerequisite Accounting Courses**

Students entering the program are required to have previously completed introduction to financial accounting and management accounting at a US or foreign university.

**Summer Intensive Program Course Offerings**

The Summer Intensive Program includes the following six 2-credit upper division accounting courses that are prerequisites for graduate study.

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Note that the Summer Intensive Program does not include an advanced taxation course (the equivalent of ACC 404) which is a required prerequisite for most tax courses in the MST program. Accordingly, in addition to the six summer intensive courses, students entering the MST program must complete ACC 639 which is offered following the Summer Intensive Program in an intersession format in August before the start of the fall semester.

**Entering the MSA or MST Program**

Upon successful completion of the intensive program, students immediately enter the MSA or MST program in the fall semester. To graduate with their MSA or MST degree, students must complete 30 credits beyond the 12-credit intensive program and may graduate in as little as two semesters, assuming they are full-time students.

**CPA Licensure Requirements**

Most of our students intend to become qualified as Certified Public Accountants (CPA). While the CPA exam is a national exam administered by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants, its execution and CPA licensing practices are governed by state law. For example, some states require a certain number of credit hours in particular subjects and have overall accounting and business credit hour requirements. As such, you should check with the state in which you intend to practice to determine what the specific course requirements are for that state. Our department is unable to make a determination of your eligibility to sit for the CPA exam. This can only be done by the appropriate state board. Please find the licensure requirements for the State of Florida, here (http://www.myfloridalicense.com/DBPR/certified-public-accounting/licensure/).

For your convenience, the Florida rules that apply to most individuals are summarized here. Please check the State of Florida Web site noted above for updates and rules which may apply in particular circumstances.

As of July 1, 2008 the Florida State Board of Accountancy (BOA) separated the requirements to become a Certified Public Accountant (CPA) into two parts: (1) the requirements to be eligible to take the CPA exam and (2) the requirements for licensure to practice as a CPA in Florida.

**Requirements to Sit for the CPA Exam:** To be eligible to take the CPA exam, applicants must have completed 120 semester hours including 24 semester hours of upper division (300-level or above) accounting to include auditing, cost and managerial accounting, financial accounting, accounting information systems, and taxation. Applicants must also complete 24 semester hours of upper division general business courses with some exceptions in that one microeconomics, one macroeconomics, one statistics, one business law, and one introduction to computers course may be lower division (freshman or sophomore level). As part of the general business hours, applicants are required to have a total of six semester hours of business law courses, which must cover contracts, torts, and the Uniform Commercial Code. Note that excess upper division accounting courses may be used to meet the general business requirement; however, elementary accounting classes are never acceptable for credit nor are courses for non-accounting majors and any MBA courses that are equivalent to elementary accounting.

The exam is offered in the following time periods; January – February, April – May, July – August and October – November. Note that applicants are not required to have a bachelor’s degree in order to sit for the CPA exam.
Requirements for Licensure: In addition to passing all four parts of the CPA exam with at least a 75% within 18 month rolling period, the Florida State Board of Accountancy requires that applicants have completed a bachelor’s degree plus an additional 30 hours for a total of 150 semester hours before you can become licensed as a CPA. One year of work experience under the supervision of a licensed CPA is now also required to become licensed. In addition to experience obtained in public accounting and government, Florida’s 2008 legislative change also allows experience obtained in industry and academia. This experience may be obtained before or after sitting for the exam, however, all requirements to sit for the exam must be met before the work experience commences. If you fail to apply for licensure within three years of receiving the licensure package, (sent after you pass all four parts) the CPA grades expire and you have to retake the examination.

The 150 semester hours must include a minimum of 36 semester hours of upper division accounting courses and at least 39 semester hours of upper division (with some exception) general business courses. Excess upper division accounting courses may be used to meet the general business requirement. Courses for non-accounting majors and any MBA courses that are equivalent to elementary accounting are not accepted for this requirement.

Licensed in Another State: If you are licensed in a state other than Florida you can obtain a license in Florida by a process called endorsement. You must provide evidence of meeting all of the requirements in effect at the time of your application. In addition if you passed the exam more than two years before applying you must provide evidence of meeting continuing professional education requirements.

CPA Accreditation Requirements
The Florida State Board of Accountancy accepts degrees from schools accredited by the following associations: Middle States Association, New England Association, North Central Association, Northwest Association, Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, Western Association of Schools and Colleges, Association of Independent Schools and Colleges who have been approved by the Florida State Board of Independent Colleges and Universities, and Canadian Schools who have been approved by their provincial educational bodies. If you have graduated from a school or college which is not accredited by the above mentioned means, then you must use the provisions of F.A.C. 61H1-27.001 (5) (see below).

Applicants Who Have Graduated from Non-Accredited Schools (61H1-27.001) (5)
Applicants who have graduated from a non-accredited school may still qualify to sit for the CPA examination. The candidate must take 15 semester hours of graduate classes. Those must consist of at least nine hours of graduate level accounting courses including a minimum of three semester hours of graduate tax. THESE HOURS MUST BE TAKEN AFTER ADMISSION TO GRADUATE SCHOOL. If the courses are taken before admission to a graduate program, the classes will not be accepted, even if the school includes them as part of the graduate program. These courses cannot duplicate other courses which the applicant has taken and they cannot be used to accredit the non-accredited degree and satisfy the educational requirements. The applicant must complete the graduate school courses to validate the non-accredited degree. The applicant must also meet all other requirements for endorsement or transfer of credit. An evaluation of foreign transcripts must be completed by an evaluation service which has been approved by the Board (see Board Approval Evaluation Services).

Duplicate Courses
No credit will be given for courses which duplicate another course for which the applicant has received credit. CPA review courses are considered as duplicates.

Admission Requirements
- Completed application for admission submitted through BusinessCAS
- A $48 non-refundable application fee
- A baccalaureate degree from an accredited institution
  - Official academic transcripts from all previously attended post-secondary institutions must be submitted directly to BusinessCAS.
  - International applicants must have their educational credentials from institutions outside of the United States verified by an approved international credentialing evaluation service such as World Education Services to confirm degree equivalency and GPA calculation.
- Statement of purpose and short-essay responses to the career goal and program-related questions in BusinessCAS
- A current resume
- At least one letter of recommendation (up to three allowed) may be submitted through the BusinessCAS portal by including recommender contacts within the Program Materials section of the application.
- Official GMAT (or GRE) score to be sent directly to the University of Miami Herbert Business School by using the relevant code below.
  - GMAT Institution Code is 7NV-S1-02
  - GRE institution Code is 5815
- An official TOEFL or IELTS score is required as proof of English proficiency for international applicants who did not receive a degree in the United States or a foreign country where English is the primary language. The following minimum score is required for admission to a graduate business degree program.
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Master of Science in Accountancy (MSA)

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Undergraduate Course Requirements

The courses listed below are undergraduate prerequisites that, unless already completed, must be fulfilled in order to be admitted for graduate study. For most graduate tax classes including ACC 648 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=ACC%20648) Financial Reporting Implications of Income Taxes, the equivalent of ACC 404 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=ACC%20404) Advanced Taxation (Corporate and Partnership Income Taxation) is also required. Students can satisfy this prerequisite by taking ACC 639 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=ACC%20639) Income Taxation and Business Entities which is offered in a 9-day intersession format in August before the start of the fall semester. If a candidate does not have an undergraduate business degree, additional business prerequisites (economics, marketing, management, finance and others) will also be required.

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Master of Science in Accountancy—Assurance Track (MSA-Assurance)

The program requires 30 semester hours consisting of nine required courses and the balance of approved elective courses provided the student has an undergraduate degree in Accounting, or its equivalent, from an accredited institution. In addition to the nine required courses, students must select four courses from the designated course list. Other courses can be selected from the list of approved electives or in consultation with the program director. Courses with a 600-level designation are designed for graduate students. Courses with a 500-level designation are open to upper-level undergraduate students and do not count toward the MSA degree. Unless otherwise noted, courses in the program are two semester hours (two credits).

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**Master of Science in Accountancy—Corporate Accounting Track (MSA-Corporate)**

The program requires 30 semester hours consisting of eight required courses and the balance of approved elective courses provided the student has an undergraduate degree in Accounting, or its equivalent, from an accredited institution. In addition to the eight required courses, students must select five courses from the designated course list. Other courses can be selected from the list of approved electives or in consultation with the program director. Courses with a 600-level designation are designed for graduate students. Courses with a 500-level designation are open to upper-level undergraduate students and do not count toward the MSA degree. Unless otherwise noted, courses in the program are two semester hours (two credits).

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### Accelerated Masters Programs

In addition to offering the Master of Accounting (MAcc) and Master of Science in Taxation (MST) on the usual time frame involving one year of full-time study beyond the Bachelor’s level, the MAcc and MST are offered as accelerated programs. These programs permit high achieving accounting students who have accelerated their education by taking advanced courses in high school, testing out of classes, taking increased class loads, or going to summer school, to start their graduate work while seniors.

The accelerated programs are available only to students who are undergraduate students at the University of Miami. The programs are designed in such a way that students can expect to complete both their Bachelor’s and Master’s degrees and make significant progress on the CPA exam (if not complete it entirely) within 4½ years. In addition, these programs are extremely price competitive.

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Admission to the Accelerated Programs

Incoming Freshmen

- Prospective students apply to the accelerated program when they apply for admission to the University of Miami.
- SAT scores should meet or exceed 1400; high school unweighted GPA should meet or exceed 3.75.
- Students are required to have an overall and accounting GPA of 3.3 or higher by their junior year in college. Students must then maintain an overall GPA of 3.3 or higher and an accounting GPA of 3.3 or higher to remain in the program. Students who do not maintain the expected GPA may be placed on probation or transferred out of the program.
- Students will need to have completed 102 credit hours by the start of their senior year.

Current University of Miami Undergraduate Accounting Majors

- Students should apply to the accelerated program by September 15 of their junior year.
- Admission to the program will be based on GPA, letters of recommendation, and performance in upper division (300-level or above) accounting courses in progress or completed. It is expected that the students admitted to the program will have GPAs exceeding 3.3, but students with these scores are not guaranteed admission. The decision will depend on the quality and size of the applicant pool and will be made by senior school administrators and faculty.
- After admission, to remain in the program, students must maintain an overall GPA of 3.3 or higher and an accounting GPA of 3.3 or higher. Students who do not maintain the expected GPA may be placed on probation or transferred out of the program.
- Students will need to have completed 102 credit hours by the start of their senior year including ACC 311, ACC 312, ACC 402, ACC 403, BSL 401 and ACC 404.

Five-Year Accounting Program with Senior-Year Internship

The Five-Year Accounting Program with Senior-Year Internship is intended to allow exceptional students to acquire both undergraduate and graduate accounting degrees in five years while gaining valuable experience working at a full-time internship in the spring semester of their senior year. Students will also take a CPA review course and sit for the CPA exam so they can pass some (if not all) parts of the exam before they graduate with their Master of Accounting or Master of Science in Taxation degree.

Program Timeline

1. Fall semester of Junior Year: Complete an application to the program by September 15 and apply for an internship position to take place in the spring of senior year.
2. Fall semester of Senior Year: Submit the internship agreement and apply to graduate school.
3. Spring semester of Senior Year: Complete Internship followed by 9 credit hours of coursework to complete the undergraduate accounting degree in specially-designed short-duration courses that include ACC 301, ACC 406 and MGT 401 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=MGT%20401).
4. Summer following Senior Year: Take CPA review and exam.
5. Fall semester following Senior Year: Begin the Master of Accounting (MAcc) or Master of Science in Taxation (MST) Program.

Pre-requisites

The program is designed for University of Miami Herbert Business School undergraduate students who are pursuing the accounting major and who have a cumulative GPA of at least 3.2 at the time of application. Admission to the program is based on several criteria, so a 3.2 GPA does not
guarantee admission. Students should discuss the program and their academic plan for entering the program with an academic advisor in the Office of Undergraduate Business Education or with the Program Director in the Department of Accounting. Prior to the spring semester of their senior year, students will need to have completed all undergraduate degree requirements, except for two accounting major courses (ACC 301 and ACC 406) and MGT 401 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=MGT%20401).

**Senior Year Spring Semester Curriculum**
In the first half of the spring semester of the senior year, students will work full-time in an accounting internship for which they can receive 3 credit hours toward their undergraduate degree (ACC 550 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=ACC%20550)). Additionally, in the spring semester of their senior year, students will take 9 credit hours in three specially-designed short-duration courses that include ACC 301, ACC 406 and MGT 401 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=MGT%20401).

**Summer, Fall, and Spring after Senior Year**
In the summer after their senior year, students will have the opportunity to take a CPA review course and sit for the CPA exam. Students will complete their Master of Accounting or Master of Science in Taxation in the fall and spring semesters after senior year and begin working that following summer or fall.

**Admission to the Five-Year Accounting Program with Senior-Year Internship**
- Students must apply to the program in their junior year and obtain an “approved” internship through the Toppel Career Center.
- The internship must be scheduled to take place during the spring semester of their senior year.
- In the fall semester of their senior year, before registering for their senior-year spring classes, students must submit a copy of their internship agreement to the Program Director or Program Manager in the Department of Accounting.
- By the fall semester of their senior year, students must have applied for admission to the graduate program and submitted their verification deposit to pursue a Master of Accounting or Master of Science in Taxation degree in the fall semester immediately following their senior year.
- The GMAT will be waived for students admitted into the program.

**Mission**
The mission of the Accounting Department is to provide an environment recognized for educational excellence through our academic programs, intellectual contributions, and service to the academic and professional communities.

**Student Learning Outcomes**
- Students should demonstrate an understanding of International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) including its basic history, its standard setting structure, and significant accounting concepts and principles and how they compare to U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (U.S. GAAP).
- Students should understand the financial reporting related to the income tax provision in accordance with the requirements under ASC 740 (accounting for income taxes).
- Students should demonstrate good understanding of the importance of the footnotes to financial statements while evaluating reported financial numbers and be able to recast financial statements for comparability across years.

**Master of Science in Business Analytics**

**Overview**
The Master of Science in Business Analytics program is an intensive experience that develops well-trained business analysts armed with the skills necessary to understand, manage and make use of big data in a business context. Over the course of 10 months, students learn how to turn abstract data into meaningful information with which to predict consumer behavior and forecast revenue and expenses for virtually any business model and any industry sector.

To obtain detailed program admission information, please reference the program brochure which can be requested by contacting the Office of Recruiting and Admissions at 305-284-2510 or visit our website (http://bus.miami.edu/graduate-programs/specialized-masters/analytics/).

**Admission Requirements**
- Completed application for admission submitted through BusinessCAS
- A $48 non-refundable application fee
- A baccalaureate degree from an accredited institution
  - Official academic transcripts from all previously attended post-secondary institutions must be submitted directly to BusinessCAS.
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• Official GMAT (or GRE) score to be sent directly to the University of Miami Herbert Business School by using the relevant code below.
  • GMAT Institution Code is 7NV-S1-61
  • GRE institution Code is 5815

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Electives: 8 credits of electives (approximately 4 courses) are required. Elective offerings are based on class demand.

**Total Required Credits**: 32

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Mission

• To develop individuals that are prepared to use the methods and technology of analytics and data science to impact global business and society.

Student Learning Outcomes

• Students will develop skills in acquiring, preparing and visualizing data.
• Students will develop and use data mining methods and software tools.
• Students will learn to use decision models.
• Student will develop and use predictive models.

Master of Science in Finance

The Master of Science in Finance develops quantitative and analytical skills demanded in today’s competitive marketplace. The STEM-oriented curriculum integrates modeling, analytics, information technology, and quantitative methods into all of the finance courses. Students are able to personalize the curriculum by choosing course “clusters” that match their learning needs and areas of interest. Sample course clusters include:

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• Fintech
• Investment & Portfolio Management
• Wealth Management
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• Financial Analytics
• Psychology of Financial Markets
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Curriculum Requirements

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One semester of part-time (10-20 hours per week) practical training and concurrent enrollment in FIN 695 is mandatory for the Master of Science in Finance degree. Practical training is defined as "alternative work/study, internship, cooperative education, or any other type of required internship or practicum that is offered by sponsoring employers through cooperative agreements with the school." The practical training and concurrent enrollment in FIN 695 must be approved in advance by the faculty director. International students in F-1 status are required to obtain authorization for Curricular Practical Training (CPT) from the Department of International Student and Scholar Services (ISSS) prior to engaging in off-campus employment.

Regular MSF Track

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1 Students may take FIN 696 [here](https://miami-curr.courseleaf.com/search/?P=FIN%20696) as a replacement for FIN 695 [here](https://miami-curr.courseleaf.com/search/?P=FIN%20695) only if an internship cannot be obtained.

**The Professional MSF Track**

The Professional MSF Track does not require the one semester internship, FIN 695. In lieu of FIN 695, the Professional track requires FIN 696: Finance Capstone Project or an approved professional practice or research-based course. Students may opt into the Professional MSF track should
they have extensive professional work experience within the finance field, or an interest in a research-intensive course with doctoral degree aspirations or students who require a culminating academic experience that facilitates students to think critically to solve a finance-related issue.

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- BUS 610 Communicating for Career Success

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**Finance STEM Electives**

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Student Learning Outcomes
• Students will acquire the ability to apply appropriate analytical and quantitative models to a wide assortment of decisions encountered by finance professionals.

• Students will acquire the ability to write effectively in order to excel as a professional in the field of finance.

• Students will apply the financial concepts and quantitative and analytical techniques important to their chosen field of specialty, as defined by their Finance Internship (FIN 695) or Finance Capstone Project (FIN 696), in the solution of real-world problems.

Master of Science in Finance (online)

The Master of Science in Finance provides focused, graduate level education meant to prepare students for a professional career in finance. The program consists of 32 credits taken over a sixteen-month period beginning in August, January, or May. The program includes 4 credits of fundamental coursework in finance and quantitative methods plus 28 credits in more advanced finance topics. Students in the program will earn both the Certificate in Financial Decision Making and the Certificate in Corporate Finance along the way to earning their degree.

To obtain detailed program admission and curricula information, please visit the website (http://www.miami.edu/online/programs/masters-in-finance/).

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Certificate in Financial Decision Making

For students who want to advance in corporate finance functions without committing to a full degree program. This certificate is 16 credits taken over an eight-month period beginning in August, January or May. Students would typically be working in such functions as the controller’s office, treasury management, capital budgeting, or investor relations. After completion, it is possible to apply for admission to the online Master of Science in Finance which would then take another 16 credits and 8 months to complete.

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Certificate in Corporate Finance

For students who work in a financial setting and wish to further their understanding of finance but do not wish to commit to a full degree program. This certificate is 16 credits taken over an eight-month period beginning in August, January or May. Students would typically be working at a wealth management firm, a mutual fund, hedge fund, or pension fund. After completion, it is possible to apply for admission to the online Master of Science in Finance which would then take another 16 credits and 8 months to complete.

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Mission

The Master of Science in Finance online program is designed to prepare students for finance-focused careers, such as a personal financial adviser, financial manager, financial analyst, financial services sales agent, or insurance underwriter.

Goals

The 16-month program gives students the necessary knowledge in corporate finance and investments as well as the basic communication, teamwork, and organizational skills necessary to forge a successful career in corporate finance or financial decision making. Additionally, each student is expected to develop an analytical problem solving ability and to be able to apply current problem solving technologies in their financial decision making.

Student Learning Outcomes

- Use teamwork, business communication, and organizational skills to effectively analyze information and present results in group projects.
- Apply analytical and theoretical approaches to financial topics.
- Use technology for financial problem solving.

Master of Science in Leadership

The Master of Science in Leadership shapes students into competent, versatile and dynamic leaders ready to navigate the complex workplace of the 21st century. The program helps participants develop the interpersonal skills they need to influence others and lead effectively in today’s challenging work environment. Not only does the program include coursework to provide students with a foundation of basic management skills, it includes a set of courses that focus on the skills needed to achieve performance at the highest levels possible.

To obtain detailed program admission information, please reference the program brochure which can be requested by contacting the Office of Recruiting and Admissions at 305-284-2510 or visit our website (http://bus.miami.edu/graduate-programs/specialized-masters/leadership/).

Requirements for Admission

- Completed application for admission submitted through BusinessCAS
- A $48 non-refundable application fee
- A baccalaureate degree from an accredited institution
  - Official academic transcripts from all previously attended post-secondary institutions must be submitted directly to BusinessCAS.
  - International applicants must have their educational credentials from institutions outside of the United States verified by an approved international credentialing evaluation service such as World Education Services to confirm degree equivalency and GPA calculation.
- Statement of purpose and short-essay responses to the career goal and program-related questions in BusinessCAS
- A current resume
- At least one letter of recommendation (up to three allowed) may be submitted through the BusinessCAS portal by including recommender contacts within the Program Materials section of the application.
- An official TOEFL or IELTS score is required as proof of English proficiency for international applicants who did not receive a degree in the United States or a foreign country where English is the primary language. The following minimum score is required for admission to a graduate business degree program.
  - TOEFL - 94 or above (iBT only)
  - IELTS - 7.0 or above

If you do not yet have a TOEFL or IELTS score (international candidates only), you may complete and submit your application prior to taking the exam by indicating your approximate date within the Standardized Tests tab in the Academic History section. Select "Add Test Score" by the relevant test, then indicate that you have not yet taken the exam and add your estimated test date in the section provided.

We encourage candidates to upload unofficial transcripts and test scores (if required) with their BusinessCAS application in order to expedite the review of their file while official documents are processed.

QUESTIONS?

Connect with Miami Herbert Business School’s graduate enrollment advisors at (305) 284-2510 or by email at mba@miami.edu.
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Work Experience Admissions Requirement: Very few students are admitted to the MS, Leadership program without work experience. Those few students admitted directly from an undergraduate program without such experience must meet with the Academic Director to find an appropriate internship or field training to take part in during at least the second half of the program. Students entering the program with the requisite work experience will be exempt from this requirement.

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**Mission**

To develop professionals who successfully demonstrate the principled leadership skills necessary to effect positive change in their various communities and ultimately, in the global economy.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- The ability to assess their respective leadership strengths and weaknesses, and develop action plans to improve existing skills sets.
- The ability to apply leadership theories and concepts to actual leadership situations.
- The ability to identify the leadership ethical issues in various situations.

**Master of Science in Taxation**

**Overview**

The Master of Science in Accountancy (MSA) and Master of (MST) programs are similar in that they offer an opportunity to concentrate in accounting, but they differ in degree of specialization and career path orientation. The MSA offers two separate tracks in assurance and corporate accounting while the MST is designed for students interested in careers in taxation. In addition to the traditional one year of full-time study beyond the Bachelor’s level, the MSA and the MST programs are offered as accelerated programs for University of Miami undergraduates.

**Scholarships**

University of Miami Herbert Business School - Alumni Association Endowed Accounting Scholarships are available for students pursuing Graduate Studies in Accounting. Various other scholarships and assistantships may be available.

**Accounting Summer Intensive Program**

The Accounting Summer Intensive Program is designed for students who hold at least an undergraduate business degree in a field other than accounting from an accredited college or university and for foreign students.

**Non-Accounting Majors**

Students that have a non-accounting degree, preferably in business, can apply for admission to our Master of Science in Accountancy (MSA) or Master of Science in Taxation (MST) and Summer Intensive Program. Applicants to the MSA or MST program will automatically be considered applicants to the Accounting Summer Intensive Program if their undergraduate degree is not in accounting. Summer Intensive students entering the MSA or MST program must also take an advanced taxation course (ACC 639) which is offered following the Summer Intensive Program in an intersession format in August before the start of the fall semester. Although MST students must complete advanced taxation in the summer, MSA students may complete the course in the summer or in term one of the spring semester.

**Foreign Students**

The Accounting Summer Intensive Program is also designed to meet the needs of foreign students. Foreign students must have successfully completed two semesters of intermediate accounting, one semester of cost accounting, one semester of auditing, one semester of accounting information systems and one semester of tax at a U.S. university accredited by the AACSB or alternatively, must attend the Summer Intensive Program before enrolling in graduate accounting courses. Foreign students entering the MSA or MST program must also take an advanced taxation course (ACC 639) which is offered following the Summer Intensive Program in an intersession format and in term one of the spring semester. Foreign applicants to the MSA program will automatically also be considered applicants to the Accounting Summer Intensive Program.

**Program Schedule**

The Accounting Summer Intensive Program is fast-paced and requires full-time attention. As its name implies, the program is intensive and not designed for students that are working even part-time. The 7-week program begins each year about July 1 and continues through mid-August and consists of two 3½ -week modules. Three 2-credit courses are included in each module. Students who want to take any additional graduate tax classes should also plan to take the advanced taxation course (ACC 639) which is offered following the Summer Intensive Program in a 9-day intersession format in August before the start of the fall semester.

**Program Prerequisite Accounting Courses**

Students entering the program are required to have previously completed introduction to financial accounting and management accounting at a US or foreign university.

**Summer Intensive Program Course Offerings**

The Summer Intensive Program includes the following six 2-credit upper division accounting courses that are prerequisites for graduate study.

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Note that the Summer Intensive Program does not include an advanced taxation course (the equivalent of ACC 404) which is a required prerequisite for most tax courses in the MST program. Accordingly, in addition to the six summer intensive courses, students entering the MST program must complete ACC 639 which is offered following the Summer Intensive Program in an intersession format in August before the start of the fall semester.

Entering the MSA or MST Program

Upon successful completion of the intensive program, students immediately enter the MSA or MST program in the fall semester. To graduate with their MSA or MST degree, students must complete 30 credits beyond the 12-credit intensive program and may graduate in as little as two semesters, assuming they are full-time students.

CPA Licensure Requirements

Most of our students intend to become qualified as Certified Public Accountants (CPA). While the CPA exam is a national exam administered by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants, its execution and CPA licensing practices are governed by state law. For example, some states require a certain number of credit hours in particular subjects and have overall accounting and business credit hour requirements. As such, you should check with the state in which you intend to practice to determine what the specific course requirements are for that state. Our department is unable to make a determination of your eligibility to sit for the CPA exam. This can only be done by the appropriate state board. The licensure requirements for the State of Florida can be viewed here (http://www.myfloridalicense.com/DBPR/certified-public-accounting/licensure/).

For your convenience, the Florida rules that apply to most individuals are summarized here. Please check the State of Florida Web site noted above for updates and rules which may apply in particular circumstances.

As of July 1, 2008 the Florida State Board of Accountancy (BOA) separated the requirements to become a Certified Public Accountant (CPA) into two parts: (1) the requirements to be eligible to take the CPA exam and (2) the requirements for licensure to practice as a CPA in Florida.

Requirements to Sit for the CPA Exam

To be eligible to take the CPA exam, applicants must have completed 120 semester hours including 24 semester hours of upper division (300-level or above) accounting to include auditing, cost and managerial accounting, financial accounting, accounting information systems, and taxation. Applicants must also complete 24 semester hours of upper division general business courses with some exceptions in that one microeconomics, one macroeconomics, one statistics, one business law, and one introduction to computers course may be lower division (freshman or sophomore level). As part of the general business hours, applicants are required to have a total of six semester hours of business law courses, which must cover contracts, torts, and the Uniform Commercial Code. Note that excess upper division accounting courses may be used to meet the general business requirement; however, elementary accounting classes are never acceptable for credit nor are courses for non-accounting majors and any MBA courses that are equivalent to elementary accounting.

The exam is offered in the following time periods; January – February, April – May, July – August and October – November. Note that applicants are not required to have a bachelor’s degree in order to sit for the CPA exam.

Requirements for Licensure

In addition to passing all four parts of the CPA exam with at least a 75% within 18 month rolling period, the Florida State Board of Accountancy requires that applicants have completed a bachelor’s degree plus an additional 30 hours for a total of 150 semester hours before you can become licensed as a CPA. One year of work experience under the supervision of a licensed CPA is now also required to become licensed. In addition to experience obtained in public accounting and government, Florida’s 2008 legislative change also allows experience obtained in industry and academia. This experience may be obtained before or after sitting for the exam, however, all requirements to sit for the exam must be met before the work experience commences. If you fail to apply for licensure within three years of receiving the licensure package, (sent after you pass all four parts) the CPA grades expire and you have to retake the examination.

The 150 semester hours must include a minimum of 36 semester hours of upper division accounting courses and at least 39 semester hours of upper division (with some exception) general business courses. Excess upper division accounting courses may be used to meet the general business requirement. Courses for non-accounting majors and any MBA courses that are equivalent to elementary accounting are not accepted for this requirement.

Licensed in Another State

If you are licensed in a state other than Florida you can obtain a license in Florida by a process called endorsement. You must provide evidence of meeting all of the requirements in effect at the time of your application. In addition if you passed the exam more than two years before applying you must provide evidence of meeting continuing professional education requirements.

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Master of Science in Taxation (MST)

This program affords the accounting major or equivalent the opportunity to specialize in the area of taxation. Through electives, students are able to expand their areas of expertise, so that they may adequately prepare themselves for careers requiring a high degree of specialized tax knowledge in public accounting, private industry, and government. The program requires 30 semester hours consisting of six required courses and the balance of approved elective courses provided the student has an undergraduate degree in Accounting, or its equivalent, from an accredited institution and has completed ACC 403 Fundamentals of Taxation and ACC 404 Advanced Taxation, or their equivalents. Students who have taken only one tax course should plan to take an advanced taxation course (such as ACC 639 Income Taxation and Business Entities which is offered following the Summer Intensive Program in an intersession format in August before the start of the fall semester). In addition to the nine required courses, students must select four courses from the designated course list. Other courses can be selected from the list of approved electives or in consultation with the program director. Courses with a 600-level designation are designated for graduate students. Courses with a 500-level designation are designated for upper-level students.

Applications Who Have Graduated from Non-Accredited Schools (61H1-27.001) (5)

Applicants who have graduated from a non-accredited school may still qualify to sit for the CPA examination. The candidate must take 15 semester hours of graduate classes. Those must consist of at least nine hours of graduate level accounting courses including a minimum of three semester hours of graduate tax. THESE HOURS MUST BE TAKEN AFTER ADMISSION TO GRADUATE SCHOOL. If the courses are taken before admission to a graduate program, the courses will not be accepted, even if the school includes them as part of the graduate program. These courses cannot duplicate other courses which the applicant has taken and they cannot be used to accredit the non-accredited degree and satisfy the educational requirements. The applicant must complete the graduate school courses to validate the non-accredited degree. The applicant must also meet all other requirements for endorsement or transfer of credit. An evaluation of foreign transcripts must be completed by an evaluation service which has been approved by the Board (see Board Approval Evaluation Services).

Duplicate Courses

No credit will be given for courses which duplicate another course for which the applicant has received credit. CPA review courses are considered as duplicates.

For the CPA requirements in other states, you should consult the State Board of Accountancy for your state.

Admission Requirements

For admission to either the MSA or MST, based on an undergraduate degree from an accredited U.S. institution, we consider the applicant’s:

- Undergraduate grade point average
- GMAT score
- Grades in specific accounting courses,
- Rigor of the undergraduate program
- Other factors such as work experience

Admission decisions are made on a competitive basis from the applicant pool. Undergraduate students from the University of Miami that have a grade point average of 3.4 or higher do not have to take the GMAT exam. In addition, individuals who have demonstrated their ability to do graduate work in accounting by becoming a CPA or who have earned a graduate degree from a business school accredited by the AACSB are also waved from the requirement to take the GMAT exam.

Students without an undergraduate degree in accounting will be required to take certain prerequisite courses to secure admission. These prerequisites will depend upon the undergraduate major and previous accounting courses taken. Necessary prerequisite accounting courses can be taken in the University of Miami’s Accounting Summer Intensive Program, which is a seven-week program beginning in early July.

Foreign students must provide evidence of proficiency in English by supplying a TOEFL score. Additionally, foreign students must have successfully completed two semesters of intermediate accounting, one semester of cost accounting, one semester of auditing, one semester of accounting systems and one semester of tax at a U.S. university accredited by the AACSB before enrolling in graduate accounting courses. Alternatively, foreign students may attend the University of Miami’s Accounting Summer Intensive Program to fulfill this requirement.

QUESTIONS?

Connect with Miami Herbert Business School’s graduate enrollment advisors at (305) 284-2510 or by email at mba@miami.edu.
level undergraduate students and do not count toward the MST degree. Unless otherwise noted, courses in the program are two semester hours (two credits).

## Program Requirements

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Additional Courses: Any other electives must be selected in consultation with the Program Director.

## Accelerated Masters Programs

In addition to offering the Master of Accounting (MAcc) and Master of Science in Taxation (MST) on the usual time frame involving one year of full-time study beyond the Bachelor's level, the MAcc-Assurance Track, MAcc-Corporate Track, and MST are offered as accelerated programs. These programs permit high achieving accounting students who have accelerated their education by taking advanced courses in high school, testing out of classes, taking increased class loads, or going to summer school, to start their graduate work while seniors.
The accelerated programs are available only to students who are undergraduate students at the University of Miami. The programs are designed in such a way that students can expect to complete both their Bachelor's and Master's degrees and make significant progress on the CPA exam (if not complete it entirely) within 4½ years. In addition, these programs are extremely price competitive.

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1. Twelve credits of work in senior year will count towards the MAcc or MST degree (only students in the accelerated program are eligible to take these classes during their senior year).

2. Students must take one accounting graduate course in the summer following their senior year. Accounting courses are offered based on demand and could include ACC 620 Accounting Controls in Information Technology (offered every summer) or ACC 649 Issues in Tax Policy.

3. Students are also REQUIRED to take an approved CPA review course during the summer following their senior year. Students who do not take a CPA review course must complete an additional six graduate credits which will likely delay graduation to May instead of graduating in December.

   Students are also expected to pass part, if not all, of the CPA exam during this summer.

4. In the final fall semester students will complete the remaining 16 graduate credits including the requirements for their track and electives selected in consultation with the Program Director.

## Admission to the Accelerated Programs

### Incoming Freshmen

- Prospective students apply to the accelerated program when they apply for admission to the University of Miami.
- SAT scores should meet or exceed 1400; high school unweighted GPA should meet or exceed 3.75.
• Students are required to have an overall and accounting GPA of 3.3 or higher by their junior year in college. Students must then maintain an overall GPA of 3.3 or higher and an accounting GPA of 3.3 or higher to remain in the program. Students who do not maintain the expected GPA may be placed on probation or transferred out of the program.
• Students will need to have completed 102 credit hours by the start of their senior year.

Current University of Miami Undergraduate Accounting Majors
• Students should apply to the accelerated program by September 15 of their junior year.
• Admission to the program will be based on GPA, letters of recommendation, and performance in upper division (300-level or above) accounting courses in progress or completed. It is expected that the students admitted to the program will have GPAs exceeding 3.3, but students with these scores are not guaranteed admission. The decision will depend on the quality and size of the applicant pool and will be made by senior school administrators and faculty.
• After admission, to remain in the program, students must maintain an overall GPA of 3.3 or higher and an accounting GPA of 3.3 or higher. Students who do not maintain the expected GPA may be placed on probation or transferred out of the program.
• Students will need to have completed 102 credit hours by the start of their senior year including ACC 311, ACC 312, ACC 402, ACC 403, BSL 401 and ACC 404.

Five-Year Accounting Program with Senior-Year Internship
The Five-Year Accounting Program with Senior-Year Internship is intended to allow exceptional students to acquire both undergraduate and graduate accounting degrees in five years while gaining valuable experience working at a full-time internship in the spring semester of their senior year. Students will also take a CPA review course and sit for the CPA exam so they can pass some (if not all) parts of the exam before they graduate with their Master of Accounting or Master of Science in Taxation degree.

Program Timeline
1. Fall semester of Junior Year: Complete an application to the program by September 15 and apply for an internship position to take place in the spring of senior year.
2. Fall semester of Senior Year: Submit the internship agreement and apply to graduate school.
3. Spring semester of Senior Year: Complete Internship followed by 9 credit hours of coursework to complete the undergraduate accounting degree in specially-designed short-duration courses that include ACC 301, ACC 406 and MGT 401 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=MGT%20401).
4. Summer following Senior Year: Take CPA review and exam.
5. Fall semester following Senior Year: Begin the Master of Accounting (MAcc) or Master of Science in Taxation (MST) Program.

Pre-requisites
The program is designed for University of Miami Herbert Business School undergraduate students who are pursuing the accounting major and who have a cumulative GPA of at least 3.2 at the time of application. Admission to the program is based on several criteria, so a 3.2 GPA does not guarantee admission. Students should discuss the program and their academic plan for entering the program with an academic advisor in the Office of Undergraduate Business Education or with the Program Director in the Department of Accounting. Prior to the spring semester of their senior year, students will need to have completed all undergraduate degree requirements, except for two accounting major courses (ACC 301 and ACC 406) and MGT 401 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=MGT%20401).

Senior Year Spring Semester Curriculum
In the first half of the spring semester of the senior year, students will work full-time in an accounting internship for which they can receive 3 credit hours toward their undergraduate degree (ACC 550 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=ACC%20550)). Additionally, in the spring semester of their senior year, students will take 9 credit hours in three specially-designed short-duration courses that include ACC 301, ACC 406 and MGT 401 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=MGT%20401).

Summer, Fall, and Spring after Senior Year
In the summer after their senior year, students will have the opportunity to take a CPA review course and sit for the CPA exam. Students will complete their Master of Accounting or Master of Science in Taxation in the fall and spring semesters after senior year and begin working that following summer or fall.

Admission to the Five-Year Accounting Program with Senior-Year Internship
• Students must apply to the program in their junior year and obtain an “approved” internship through the Toppel Career Center.
• The internship must be scheduled to take place during the spring semester of their senior year.
• In the fall semester of their senior year, before registering for their senior-year spring classes, students must submit a copy of their internship agreement to the Program Director or Program Manager in the Department of Accounting.
By the fall semester of their senior year, students must have applied for admission to the graduate program and submitted their verification deposit to pursue a Master of Accounting or Master of Science in Taxation degree in the fall semester immediately following their senior year.

The GMAT will be waived for students admitted into the program.

Mission
The mission of the Accounting Department is to provide an environment recognized for educational excellence through our academic programs, intellectual contributions, and service to the academic and professional communities.

Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will demonstrate the ability to analyze complex tax problems and to use technology to locate solutions.
- Students will demonstrate an understanding of the tax professional's obligations when dealing with clients.
- Students will understand the financial reporting related to the income tax provision in accordance with the requirements under ASC 740 (accounting for income taxes).

Non-Degree Programs

Graduate Non Degree Programs
The School offers open enrollment certificate programs in general business as well as accounting and finance (online) which enable professionals to add basic business courses to their portfolios.

To obtain specific program information please visit:

- Certificate in Accounting Practice (online) (p. 2008)
- Certificate in Business (p. 2009)
- Certificate in Corporate Finance (online) (p. 2010)
- Certificate in Financial Decision Making (online) (p. 2011)
- Certificate in Leadership (p. 2011)

Certificate in Accounting Practice (online)

Certificate in Accounting Practice
Intended for candidates with no prior accounting credits, the Certificate of Professional Accounting program will provide the fundamental knowledge of financial and managerial accounting, as well as taxation and accounting information systems sufficient to equip students for entry-level jobs in public or corporate accounting.

The Certificate of Professional Accounting program strives to conform to the strategic priorities of the Miami Herbert Business School in the following ways:

1. Integrate knowledge from the latest field-based research into classroom discussion so that students better understand financial and managerial decision making in practice and can take a professional leadership role in assessing the pros and cons of standard quantitative tools used in accounting.

2. Recognize the context and implications of the conflicts of interest inherent in the accounting industry in both classroom discussion and extracurricular interaction with local leaders, in order to create principled leaders in the field of accounting.

3. Expose students to the global aspect of the field of accounting through both coursework and interaction with masters-level students in one of the most culturally diverse graduate business schools in the United States.

The specific CPrA program objectives are to address the growing demand for a masters-level business certificate focused in accounting by accomplishing the following goals:

- Provide focused, graduate level education to those wishing to pursue a professional career in accounting
- Develop communication skills critical to long-term success in the accounting profession
- Provide participants with an understanding of the day-to-day work environment accounting professionals face, and career guidance, through periodic interaction with other professionals
To obtain detailed program admission and curricula information please visit [website](http://welcome.miami.edu/online/programs/masters-in-professional-accounting/certificate/).

## Certificate Requirements

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## Mission

The CPrA program strives to conform to strategic priorities of the Miami Herbert Business Schools in the following ways:

- Integrate knowledge from the latest field-based research into classroom discussion so that students better understand financial and managerial decision making in practice and can take a professional leadership role in assessing the standard quantitative tools used in accounting.
- Recognize the context and implications of the conflicts of interest inherent in the accounting industry in both classroom discussion and extracurricular interaction with local leaders, in order to create principled leaders in the field of accounting.
- Expose students to the global aspect of the field of accounting through both coursework and interaction with Certificates-level students in one of the most culturally diverse graduate business schools in the United States.

## Goals

### Student Learning Outcomes

- Understand and apply appropriate accounting techniques to a variety of transactions in business.
- Understand fundamental principles in taxation and basic rules of taxation as set out in Internal Revenue Service Code.
- Understand the basic principles guiding the design and implementation of accounting information systems with an emphasis on internal controls.

## Certificate in Business

The Certificate in Business program provides professional and graduate students an opportunity to obtain valuable, fundamental business education and enhance their analytical skills, as well as soft skills. The program consists of seven courses in business covering all fundamental functions central to any business operation. Students can take one or more courses for credit, but must satisfactorily complete all seven courses to be awarded the certificate. One or more of these courses may also serve as part of the specialized master’s degrees. The Graduate Admissions Committee welcomes applications from individuals whose undergraduate degrees are from accredited colleges or universities. The GMAT and GRE are not required except from students seeking admission to the specialized master’s programs.

To obtain detailed program admission information, please contact the Office of Recruiting and Admissions at 305-284-2510 or visit our [website](http://www.bus.miami.edu/graduate-programs/business-certificate/).

*This program is not eligible for federal or state financial aid. Contact the Office of Student Financial Assistance and Employment ([https://finaid.miami.edu/](https://finaid.miami.edu/)) for further assistance.*

## Requirements for Admission

- Completed application for admission submitted through BusinessCAS
- A $48 non-refundable application fee
- A baccalaureate degree from an accredited institution
  - Official academic transcripts from all previously attended post-secondary institutions must be submitted directly to BusinessCAS.
  - International applicants must have their educational credentials from institutions outside of the United States verified by an approved international credentialing evaluation service such as World Education Services to confirm degree equivalency and GPA calculation.
- Statement of purpose and short-essay responses to the career goal and program-related questions in BusinessCAS
- A current resume
- At least one letter of recommendation (up to three allowed) may be submitted through the BusinessCAS portal by including recommender contacts within the Program Materials section of the application.
• An official TOEFL or IELTS score is required as proof of English proficiency for international applicants who did not receive a degree in the United States or a foreign country where English is the primary language. The following minimum score is required for admission to a graduate business degree program.
  • TOEFL - 94 or above (iBT only)
  • IELTS - 7.0 or above

If you do not yet have a TOEFL or IELTS score (international candidates only), you may complete and submit your application prior to taking the exam by indicating your approximate date within the Standardized Tests tab in the Academic History section. Select "Add Test Score" by the relevant test, then indicate that you have not yet taken the exam and add your estimated test date in the section provided.

We encourage candidates to upload unofficial transcripts and test scores (if required) with their BusinessCAS application in order to expedite the review of their file while official documents are processed.

QUESTIONS?

Connect with Miami Herbert Business School's graduate enrollment advisors at (305) 284-2510 or by email at mba@miami.edu.

## Certificate in Corporate Finance (online)

### Overview

This certificate is designed for students who are seeking a career change to corporate finance, or students wishing to advance in the corporate Treasurer’s office or similar structure. The certificate begins with a common core of financial tools. The core classes include an integrated foundation of finance, economics and accounting, as well as an integrated course on domestic and international corporate valuation, covering both financial and accounting problems. The certificate finishes with a course in applied corporate finance, which focuses on financial decision making from a corporation's perspective. Issues addressed include management of corporate liabilities, leasing and other asset-based financing techniques, short-term and long-term financing, capital budgeting decisions (CAPEX), corporate valuation, hedging with options and futures, dividend policy and share repurchases, corporate financial strategy, and other current issues in corporate finance.

Students completing the online Master of Science in Finance have the option of earning a certificate in either Corporate Finance or Financial Decision-Making to supplement their degree. Additionally, an individual certificate in each track can be earned online for those students who do not wish to complete the full degree at this time. The combined Certificate in Finance Decisions and Corporate Finance requires 20 credits, while the Certificate in Corporate

To obtain more information please visit the website (http://welcome.miami.edu/online/programs/masters-in-finance/certificate/).

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## Student Learning Outcomes

• The CBA students will demonstrate the ability to integrate and communicate business information.

• The CBA students will demonstrate the ability to understand and utilize the process of critical and analytical thinking in diverse business settings to solve problems and make decisions.

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Mission
The Certificate in Corporate Finance allows students to advance in corporate finance functions such as the controller's office, treasury management, capital budgeting, or investor relations.

Goals
Student Learning Outcomes

• Use teamwork, business communication, and organizational skills to effectively analyze information and present results in group projects.

Certificate in Financial Decision Making (online)

Overview
This certificate is designed for students who wish to either become financial managers or who wish to advance their financial careers. The certificate begins with a common core of financial tools and finishes with a course in financial decision-making. The core classes include an integrated foundation of finance, economics and accounting, as well as an integrated course on domestic and international corporate valuation, covering both finance and accounting problems. The financial decision making course, and the certificate will help managers use decision-making theory to better understand why investors, money managers, and corporate managers often make sub optimal economic and financial decisions. The course includes basic techniques and models that a manager or an investor should know. The certificate will provide students with a template for thinking through a variety of financial issues.

Students completing the master's in finance have the option of earning a certificate in either Corporate Finance or Financial Decision Making to supplement their degree. Additionally, an individual certificate in each track can be earned online for those students who do not wish to complete the full degree at this time. The combined Certificate in Finance Decisions and Corporate Finance requires 20 credits, while the Certificate in Financial Decision Making requires 16 credits.

To obtain detailed program admission and curricula information please visit the website (http://welcome.miami.edu/online/programs/masters-in-finance/certificate/).

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Total Credit Hours 16

Mission
The Certificate in Financial Decision Making is for those students who work, or plan to work, in a corporate setting or at a money management firm working with mutual funds, hedge funds, or pension funds.

Goals
Student Learning Outcomes

• Use teamwork, business communication, and organizational skills to effectively analyze information and present results in group projects.

Certificate in Leadership

Certificate in Leadership

The Certificate in Leadership is designed to help participants develop the interpersonal skills needed to influence others and lead effectively in today's challenging work environment. The program consists of four 2 credit hour courses. Students must have an undergraduate degree to be eligible for this certificate.

*This program is not eligible for federal or state financial aid. Contact the Office of Student Financial Assistance and Employment (https://finaid.miami.edu/) for further assistance.
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Communication

http://www.com.miami.edu

Departments

The School of Communication offers:

- the Master of Arts in the Department of Communication Studies (M.A. in Communication Studies), and
- the Master of Arts in the Department of Journalism and Media Management (M.A. in Journalism), and
- the Master of Arts in the Department of Strategic Communication (M.A. in Public Relations), and
- the Master of Science in the Department of Journalism and Media Management (M.S. in Media Management), and
- the Master of Fine Arts in the Department of Cinematic Arts (M.F.A. in Motion Pictures), and
- the Master of Fine Arts in the Department of Interactive Media (M.F.A. in Interactive Media).

The School also offers a Ph.D. in Communication.

Admission Requirements

Admission to Graduate Studies at the Master’s Level

The following is a list of the required conditions as well as the required documents/fees for your application for admission to the Master of Arts, Master of Science, or Master of Fine Arts degree in the School of Communication:

- A baccalaureate degree from an accredited institution
- The School’s official application
- An $85.00 non-refundable application fee
- Three letters of recommendation
- 500-word typed statement of academic and professional goals
  - Note: for the Interactive Media M.F.A., please visit this web site (http://com.miami.edu/interactive-media-mfa/) for specific instructions about the statement.
- Official transcripts of all college work, both undergraduate and graduate
  - Note: In addition, international applicants must send an official copy of their diploma for all degrees earned, and all documentation that confers their degree, with English translation for all degrees earned.
  - Note: All transcripts must be the original document, forwarded directly from the university; Xerox copies, true copies, notarized copies and other types of copies are not acceptable.
- Official TOEFL or IELTS scores
  - Note: Only for international applicants.
- Copy of current passport
  - Note: Only for international applicants. The name entered on the graduate application must exactly match your name as it appears on your passport.
- Official Graduate Record Examination (GRE) scores
  - Note: Required for M.A. applicants in Communication Studies
  - Note: Public Relations M.A. the GRE is not required but encouraged.
  - Note: Journalism M.A. and Interactive Media M.F.A. applicants may send GRE scores or a portfolio.
  - Note: Media Management M.S. applicants may send the official Graduate Record Examination (GRE) or Graduate Management Admission Test (GMAT) scores. Those applicants with at least three years of relevant professional media or business work experience (by the time they apply) may be eligible for a waiver. Eligibility for a waiver depends on the quality and type of professional experience and remains at the discretion of the Department of Journalism and Media Management Chairperson.
Admission to Graduate Studies for the Juris Doctor/Master of Arts in Communication Joint Degree

Requirements for admission to graduate studies for the Juris Doctor/Master of Arts in Communication joint degree are:

- Students must be admitted to the Law School first, prior to enrollment in the School of Communication, checking a box on their application indicating their interest in the joint degree program. Once accepted to the Law School, the student's law school application including LSAT score, undergraduate transcript, and letters of recommendation (two of them required for the J.D. program) will be sent to the School of Communication for review. The student will then receive notification from the School of Communication regarding his/her admission to the joint degree program.
- The LSAT score may be submitted in lieu of the GRE score.

General notes

- Students will be admitted to the Law School J.D. program and the School of Communication (SoC) master's program separately.
- Students in this joint degree program must commence law study first.
- Students who have already commenced work on the SoC M.A. are not eligible for the joint program.

Admission to Graduate Studies at the Doctoral Level

The following is a list of the required conditions as well as the required documents/fees for your application for admission to the Doctor of Philosophy in Communication program:

- A master's degree in communication or another appropriate field. The degree must be in addition to a bachelor's degree. All degrees must be from accredited institutions.
- The School's official application
- An $85.00 non-refundable application fee
- Three letters of recommendation
- Official transcripts of all college work, both undergraduate and graduate
  - Note: In addition, international applicants must send an official copy of their diploma for all degrees earned, and all documentation that confers their degree, with English translation for all degrees earned.
  - Note: All transcripts must be the original document, forwarded directly from the university; Xerox copies, true copies, notarized copies and other types of copies are not acceptable.
- Official TOEFL or IELTS scores
  - Note: Only for international applicants.
- Copy of current passport
  - Note: Only for international applicants. The name entered on the graduate application must exactly match your name as it appears on your passport.
  - Official Graduate Record Examination (GRE) scores
  - Current Curriculum Vitae (CV)
  - 500-word typed statement of your academic and professional goals, research area you want to pursue and why, and how your background has prepared you for this. A copy of the completed master's thesis if it has been completed. If the master's thesis is in progress, submit completed chapters. If a thesis is not required by your master's program, submit comparable scholarly work.

Degree Programs

The School of Communication offers graduate programs leading to the Master of Arts, Master of Science, Master of Fine Arts, and the Doctor of Philosophy degrees.

Communication Studies (M.A.)

COMMUNICATION STUDIES (M.A.) is a program designed to provide students with a rigorous educational experience, to develop an advanced understanding of the human communication process, to increase awareness of the interdisciplinary nature of the communication field, and to develop oral, written, critical thinking, and research skills. The 30 credit hour thesis track program emphasizes the student's development of research skills. The 36 credit hour non-thesis track program focuses on a theoretical foundation with emphasis on applied communication. Students have the option to concentrate in Communication Studies, Health Communication, Intercultural Communication, or Organizational Communication.

Journalism (M.A.)

JOURNALISM (M.A.) is an intensive program of academic study and hands-on practice designed to develop competitive, high-level, cross-platform digital media skills appropriate for today's media landscape. Students take a common core of courses designed to provide a foundation in all aspects of contemporary journalism (e.g., writing, reporting, multimedia, data visualization, broadcasting, media law and ethics). In addition, students have the
opportunity to focus their work in various areas of study, including broadcast journalism, news and feature writing and various aspects of multimedia journalism. Through a combination of journalism courses and related courses offered by other programs, students may also concentrate some of their work in particular areas of interest (e.g., sports reporting, travel and features). The program begins in the fall semester and lasts for 18 months. No prior training or experience in journalism is required.

Public Relations (M.A.)
PUBLIC RELATIONS (M.A.) offers two tracks. The 30 credit hour thesis track program provides an opportunity to supplement a working foundation and knowledge with pertinent theory and research methodologies. A second 36 credit hour, coursework-only non-thesis track program builds from a foundation of public relations and communication courses.

Media Management (M.S.)
MEDIA MANAGEMENT (M.S.) is a 32-credit interdisciplinary graduate program designed for students who seek new or advanced opportunities in the various and expanding areas of the media industry, such as content distribution, news and entertainment programming, research, and analytics. Students complete courses in the Business School to learn or strengthen their knowledge about business fundamentals, including managerial strategy, economics, and marketing. At the same time, students take courses in the Department of Journalism and Media Management to apply business principles to media situations and evaluate critically how technological and regulatory trends, changing business models, emergent content applications, and new audience measurement techniques influence decision-making in media operations. Students can also customize their coursework by selecting electives in the School of Communication that best match their personal or career interests.

Required classes are held on Saturdays and weekday evenings to provide flexibility for working professionals. Students can study full-time or part-time. The program begins every fall and lasts one year for full-time students or two years for part-time students. No prior business or media management experience or education is required.

Joint Degree Juris Doctor (J.D.)/M.A. in Communication
JOINT DEGREE JURIS DOCTOR (J.D.)/M.A. IN COMMUNICATION. A powerful background in law and in communication can be a launching pad for a career in law, business, entertainment or government. For this reason, the University of Miami School of Law and School of Communication have brought together these two dynamic fields to offer a joint degree program. Through this joint program, students can acquire a law degree and a master’s degree in communication in less time (3 to 3½ years). The joint degree program is intended for students with a variety of goals including students who plan to practice professionally in a communication field such as journalism or strategic communication with a law-related emphasis. Graduates of these programs may also work as in-house counsel for new communication technology companies, or serve with government agencies concerned with communication law or with law firms practicing in that field. This program also provides a solid foundation for future journalists who wish to report on legal affairs, and offers ideal preparation for the rapidly growing field of public affairs management, in which practitioners work in business, government and non-profits to communicate with key audiences.

The School of Communication M.A. degree programs participating in the joint J.D. program are:

- Communication Studies (Communication Studies, Health Communication, Intercultural Communication, Organizational Communication)
- Public Relations
- Journalism

Motion Pictures (M.F.A.)
MOTION PICTURES (M.F.A.) M.F.A. candidates are expected to follow a set sequence of courses during the first two semesters of their studies. During the second year of studies, candidates are strongly encouraged to explore not only a primary but also a secondary area of specialization in the program and develop a minimum of two creative projects consistent with their areas of primary interest and secondary specialization. A minimum of 6 credit hours in each area of specialization is required. Under faculty committee supervision, students will develop one or two creative projects in the third year of their studies. This three-year program culminates with a thesis portfolio that demonstrates, not only skillful execution of craft, but strong conceptual development rooted in collaborative work and innovative uses of technology.

Graduate students are encouraged to pursue independent and critical thinking, research and creative work as appropriate to the fulfillment of the requirements of their degree. In addition, the graduate program seeks to support innovative approaches and ideas and to aid in the pursuit of relevant scholarly and creative endeavors.

Interactive Media (M.F.A.)
INTERACTIVE MEDIA (M.F.A.) The Interactive Media graduate program aims to prepare a new generation of innovators and leaders in the field of interaction design. Our mission is to explore the use of technology, design, human behavior, and its impact on communication. The multidisciplinary curriculum brings together students from different backgrounds to learn about user experience design, game design, human-computer interaction, data visualization, wearables, immersive computing, and other emerging technologies. The program trains students to research, prototype, design, and build projects in business, social, academic, and cultural contexts.

Communication

COMMUNICATION (Ph.D.) provides students with the theory and research skills required to use communication to make positive change in society, community, and individuals. Possible areas of specialization, within this overarching framework of social and behavioral change, include health
communication (broadly defined), intercultural communication, organizational communication, international communication, advocacy, and journalism studies and accompanying new/digital media foundations and skills.

**Cinematic Arts**

The Cinematic Arts Department prepares a new generation of innovators, storytellers and leaders to succeed in the film, television, and digital emergent technologies. The M.F.A. in Motion Pictures guide students to advance their technical proficiency and critical studies while learning innovative narrative skills. Students concentrate in production, screenwriting, or producing.

The M.F.A. in Motion Pictures offers a comprehensive curriculum in the creative uses of technology, narrative and documentary, positioning students with the business practices needed to bring their work to the expanding marketplace.

Students are required to complete a minimum of 66 credit hours. At least 24 of these credit hours must be at or above the 700-level. At least 12 credit hours must be earned at the 800-level for thesis work. Motion Picture students must maintain an overall minimum GPA of 3.0 or above for all courses. By the end of the second year, students are required to achieve a minimum 3.0 score on the program's film and television literacy test.

Students in the Motion Picture program are strongly encouraged to explore not only a primary but also a secondary area of specialization and develop a minimum of 2 creative projects in consultation with their faculty advisory committee. The 3 year program culminates in a thesis portfolio. Students need to work closely with their primary advisor and committee to ensure they are fulfilling their degree expectations, which typically include a short motion picture project abroad and a summer internship.

**Masters Programs in Cinema and Interactive Media**

- M.F.A. in Motion Pictures (p. 2020)

CCA 601. Principles of Aesthetics and Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Provides graduate students with introductory immersion in aesthetics, analysis, and history of film and media.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CCA 602. Global Issues and Filmmaking. 3 Credit Hours.
A trans-disciplinary approach to study and analyze a variety of complex global Issues such as climate change, human security, globalization, and rise of nationalism while gaining hands-on experience to develop short analytical documentary films about such topics. Prior film-making experience is NOT required.
Components: HRK.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CCA 603. Film Directors. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address the conditions of authorship in film through an intensive study of the films of two or more directors, whose careers will serve as case studies. These directors will be historically important and their work will represent significant achievements in the art of film.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CCA 604. Aspects of Contemporary Cinema. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of the ways in which film communicates. Intensive analysis and criticism of cinematic techniques exemplified through particular films.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CCA 606. Genres. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of selected movie genres from a variety of critical perspectives. Issues pertaining to selfhood, sexual difference, and other concerns of present-day film criticism will be examined.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CCA 608. National Cinemas. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected films from Europe, Asia, Africa and Latin America will be studied in relation to their diverse social/political and cultural contexts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
CCA 609. Legal Aspects of Motion Pictures. 3 Credit Hours.
The law, contracts, and negotiating techniques of the business affairs aspects of the production of motion pictures.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 610. Foundation of Screenwriting. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the fundamental skill set necessary to manipulate the basic elements of cinematic writing. The course will investigate common dramatic elements found in all screenplays as well as teach format principles of feature, TV and emerging media scripts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CCA 611. Writing the Short Film. 3 Credit Hours.
A course in the fundamentals of screenwriting focused on the creation of a 15-30 page screenplay suitable for an MFA project film. Study of and practice in writing short narrative motion picture scripts. Focus is placed on concept, content, cinematic story structure and presentation of character.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CCA 612. Writing for Episodic Television. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will explore the art and craft required to write a "spec" Television episode. The course will explore how TV writing differs from feature writing and how the TV writer/producer business model works. By the end of the course the student will have finished an hour-long "spec" script for an existing TV show or a two-part sitcom teleplay.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 618. Seminar in Documentary Film History: Cinéma-vérité. 3 Credit Hours.
The primary focus of this course will be on the half-century old school or tradition of documentary filmmaking associated with the terms "Cinéma-vérité" and "direct cinema". Through close analysis of selected classic and contemporary documentaries, the class will explore their historical significance, their aspirations and achievements as films, and their ways of addressing the aesthetic, epistemological, political and moral issues that inevitably arise when filmmakers take their sync-sound camera into the world and undertake to film life as it is really lived.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 619. Seminar in Documentary Production. 3 Credit Hours.
The Seminar in Documentary Production is the capstone production class within the documentary track of the Cinema and Interactive Media Department. Students are entered into the course based on a proposal that outlines their documentary project.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 620. Cinematography. 3 Credit Hours.
This hands-on course provides students with the aesthetic and technical aspects of professional concepts and techniques in film and digital media cinematography.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CCA 621. Narrative Production. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to film and digital production techniques on narrative projects. Emphasis on collaboration, group process and social purpose. Students will be expected to produce a short film abroad as part of this course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 623. Advanced 3D Character Design. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the 3D game art development pipeline from modeling, texturing, rigging and animation to motion capture, and special effects.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
CCA 626. Adaptation. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will examine the craft and techniques of adapting sources such as novels, short stories, plays, articles comic books, and public domain material such as Shakespeare to the screen.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 629. Nonfiction Film. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of American and world nonfiction films.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 630. Introduction to Editing. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the theory and practice of motion picture editing. Short editing assignments are designed to develop students’ understanding of aesthetic, and technical considerations in the art of dramatic editing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 651. Motion Graphics and Compositing. 3 Credit Hours.
Methods, techniques and aesthetics of 2D computer animation and compositing including animated text, title design, and green screen.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 654. Advanced Motion Graphics and Compositing. 3 Credit Hours.
Extend the 2D skills of students who have taken CMP 550 to 3D motion graphics and animation. Emphasis on title design and animation.
Prerequisite: CCA 651.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 655. Science Documentary: Autism. 3 Credit Hours.
This course brings together student citizens across science, communication, and education to collaborate on content intended to reach audiences on multiple platforms. Students will be exposed to both history and cutting edge research surrounding Autism Spectrum Disorder. In addition to learning the neuroscience and genetics that underlie autism spectrum disorders, students will connect with people in the local community - to lend these issues a face and context. Students will gather information from readings, experts at the University of Miami, and the larger South Florida Community. Students will work in teams to share expertise from their fields of study to generate content for community consumption.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CCA 658. Documentary Production. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the documentary genre including the production of a documentary from start to finish.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 660. Directing the Actor. 3 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this course is to teach and practice the craft of directing, including text analysis, characterization, visualization, design, intention and rehearsal. to train students to articulate their ideas to actors and film crew.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CCA 666. Character and Dialogue. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the craft and techniques of creating original characters and dialogue.
Prerequisite: CCA 610.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
CCA 670. The Independent Producer. 3 Credit Hours.
Beyond covering the role of the producer, this hands-on class offers students a place to workshop their thesis projects. Students will brand themselves or their company and leave with a packaged project ready to take to market.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
CCA 686. Online Screenwriting. 3 Credit Hours.
The student will prepare and complete the first act of a feature-length screenplay or the student will prepare and commence the rewrite of an existing screenplay.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
CCA 694. Motion Picture Marketing and Distribution. 3 Credit Hours.
Economic and marketing considerations in the production and distribution of motion pictures.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
CCA 695. Advanced Motion Picture Marketing and Distribution. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced marketing considerations in the distribution of motion pictures.
Prerequisite: CCA 694.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
CCA 696. Directing Techniques II. 3 Credit Hours.
To build a more advanced set of professional skills and practices through scene work, shooting, and collaboration.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
CCA 697. Topics in Film Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester. Topics such as Film Directors, National Cinemas, Silent Film, Contemporary Cinema. Course may be repeated for credit if content varies.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
CCA 705. Production Management. 3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive examination of the skills and techniques employed by line producers and production managers in the preproduction, production, and post-production of motion pictures.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
CCA 707. Pedagogy and Film. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers a range of traditions in pedagogy, including history, theory, and practical applications. Intended for those who are currently teaching—or who intend to teach—at the college level, the course provides grounding in foundational approaches as well as a familiarity with recent research advancements in pedagogy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
CCA 710. Writing the Feature-Length Screenplay. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of and practice in writing feature-length, narrative motion picture scripts. Focus is placed on cinematic structure and presentation of character. Classes will generally be conducted as follows: a discussion of screenplay craft, an in-depth analysis of various films from the writer’s POV, and a critique of the various stages of your fellow student screenplays as they evolve throughout the semester.
Prerequisite: CCA 510.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
CCA 727. Scriptwriting. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of and practice in writing feature-length, narrative motion picture scripts. Focus is placed on cinematic structure and presentation of character.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CCA 730. Advanced Editing. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the art and techniques of post-production designed for students completing advanced motion picture projects. Lectures, group discussions and screenings. Emphasis on rhythm, dramatic moments, character arcs, symbolic vs. thematic editing, elements of sound editing, sound design, and professional mastering standards. This class is designed to develop editorial skills that will prepare students for professional careers in editing. In-depth examination of effects and sound palettes of the Avid Media Composer, as well as a discussion of how to integrate visual effects from external applications. Finishing and mastering techniques for a variety of mediums as well as a reel building will be covered.
Prerequisite: CCA 630.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 738. Writing the Short Film. 3 Credit Hours.
A course in the fundamentals of screenwriting focused on the creation of a 15-30 page screenplay suitable for an MFA project film.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 740. Sound Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Sound Design through seminar and workshop provides a practical and theoretical introduction to sound and its function in the narrative moving image process. The course utilizes professional environments to instruct in the basics of sound editing, studio recording and mixing as it is practiced in the film industry. It will also present the aesthetic use of sound and its integral part in the moving image narrative process.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 750. From Script to Screen. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced production concepts and techniques explored in a variety of media. Students will produce an approved film or script. The class will explore the language of motion picture and how this language is utilized in the story telling process. Knowledge of both the practical and aesthetic aspects of film will be stressed at all times.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CCA 752. Advanced Cinematography. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced technical and photographic principles begun in CMP 651. Preparation for the filming of the MFA project film.
Prerequisite: CCA 620.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 756. Motion Picture Post-Production Procedures. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the esthetics of editing, recording, re-recording, and laboratory procedures following completion of principal photography.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CCA 758. Directing the Camera. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to directing actors in low budget, independent films utilizing traditional, modern and evolving directorial techniques used by independent and traditional film makers: analyzing and orchestrating scripted material, developing a directorial concept, creating indelible characterizations, building a visual image, auditioning and casting the talent, blocking and directing the untrained amateur or highly skilled professional actor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 794. Motion Picture Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Prescribed study and supervised work with practitioners in motion pictures.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
CCA 795. Special Topics in Motion Pictures. 3 Credit Hours.
This course subject matter varies according to announced special topic. See class schedule for details.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CCA 799. Advanced Projects and Directed Research. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Individual study. No more than three credits may be counted toward a Communication major or minor.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CCA 815. MFA Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The focus is on completing the culminating thesis project, in consultation with the student's selected committee and thesis chair.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

M.F.A. in Motion Pictures

Overview
Students must complete a minimum of 66 credit hours with the approval of the faculty advisor. At least 24 must be at or above the 700-level and at least 12 must be earned for thesis. Motion Picture students must maintain an overall minimum GPA of 3.0 for all courses.

M.F.A. candidates are expected to follow a set sequence of courses during the first two semesters of their studies. Several courses are required during the second year of studies. Candidates are strongly encouraged to explore not only a primary but also a secondary area of specialization in the program and develop a minimum of two creative projects consistent with their areas of primary interest and secondary specialization. A minimum of 6 credit hours in each area of specialization is required. Under faculty committee supervision, students will develop one or two creative projects in the third year of their studies.

All M.F.A. students must demonstrate deeper, critical understanding of motion picture practice in diverse social and cultural contexts. To this end, students are encouraged to take advantage of available study abroad programs. Students are also encouraged to participate in an internship during the summer of the first year or second year of studies.

By the end of the second year, students must complete a film and television literacy test, based on a list of 150 culturally and historically significant titles compiled by the faculty. The list is circulated to each student upon entrance into the program. The test is administered annually in the spring semester. Students are required to earn 85/100% on the test in order to complete the degree.

This three-year program culminates with a thesis portfolio that demonstrates, not only skillful execution of craft, but strong conceptual development rooted in collaborative work and innovative uses of technology.

Admission Requirements
The following is a list of the required conditions as well as the required documents/fees for your application for admission to the Master of Fine Arts degree program in Motion Pictures in the School of Communication.

• A baccalaureate degree from an accredited institution
• The School’s official application
• An $85.00 non-refundable application fee
• Three letters of recommendation
• 500-word typed statement of academic and professional goals
• Official transcripts of all college work, both undergraduate and graduate.
  • Note: In addition, international applicants must send an official copy of their diploma for all degrees earned, and all documentation that confers their degree, with English translation for all degrees earned.
  • Note: All transcripts must be the original document, forwarded directly from the university. Xerox copies, true copies, notarized copies and other types of copies are not acceptable.
  • Official TOEFL or IELTS scores
  • Note: Only for international applicants.
• Copy of current passport
  • Note: Only for international applicants. The name entered on the graduate application must exactly match your name as it appears on your passport.
• Portfolio
Contact the Office of Graduate Studies, call 305-284-5236 or email (socgrad@miami.edu), for information.

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Required Course Work:

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CCA 612 Writing for Episodic Television
CCA 651 Motion Graphics and Compositing
CCA 655 Science Documentary: Autism
CCA 696 Directing Techniques II
CCA 707 Pedagogy and Film
CCA 710 Writing the Feature-Length Screenplay
CCA 752 Advanced Cinematography
CCA 795 Special Topics in Motion Pictures

Credit Hours 12

Spring

Select four of the following: 12

CIM 658 360° Immersive Filmmaking and Storytelling
CCA 697 Topics in Film Analysis
CCA 730 Advanced Editing
CCA 740 Sound Design
CCA 761 Directing the Camera
CCA 795 Special Topics in Motion Pictures

Credit Hours 12

Third Year

Fall

Required course work:

CCA 815 MFA Thesis 6

Select one of the following: 3

CIM 613 Mobile Application Development
CIM 658 360° Immersive Filmmaking and Storytelling
CCA 705 Production Management
CCA 750 From Script to Screen
CCA 795 Special Topics in Motion Pictures

Credit Hours 9

Spring

Required course work:

CCA 815 MFA Thesis 6

Select one of the following: 3

CCA 694 Motion Picture Marketing and Distribution
CCA 795 Special Topics in Motion Pictures

Credit Hours 9

Total Credit Hours 66

No more than 9 credit hours will be allowed for graduate internships and advanced projects and directed research. Courses may be taken, with program director approval, from other programs or departments within the University of Miami.
Mission
The M.F.A. in Motion Pictures focuses on media creation with an emphasis on combining advanced technical proficiency and innovative narrative skills. Students gain practical and theoretical mastery of their particular professional concentration in screenwriting, production, and producing. Additionally, all students engage in critical studies of film history and theory in order to develop the analytical skills necessary for creative, cutting edge experimentation.

Goals
The Program's objective is to nurture individual creative voices and encourage independent thinking, as well as to support the unique creative collaborative process of media creation. Graduates are prepared to pursue careers as professional moving image artists, enter the teaching profession, provide service to the community and beyond, and enter moving image related professional fields.

Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will demonstrate advanced production skills in their area of concentration (producing, directing, cinematography or editing) in both analog and digital technologies. Students are also expected to learn and practice the primary activities of both creative and physical production: to follow the producing process from idea through script to preparation and execution of a production plan, as well as finish and exhibit the resultant production.
- Students will demonstrate film literacy with a clear fluency regarding important classic and contemporary international cinema and its cultural and social contexts.
- Screenwriting students will demonstrate advanced skills in screenwriting and television writing, with attention to professional screenwriting standards.

Communication Studies
Two programs are offered in Communication Studies.

- The thesis program emphasizes the student’s development of research skills under faculty supervision (30 credit hours).
- The non-thesis program focuses on a theoretical foundation with emphasis on applied communication (36 credit hours).

Students will be prepared for leadership positions in public or private organizations at the national or international level, or pursue advanced degrees.

Thesis students must complete a minimum of 30 credit hours at the graduate level with the approval of a faculty advisor or department chair. Non-thesis students must complete a minimum of 36 credit hours at the graduate level with the approval of a faculty advisor or department chair. Communication Studies students must maintain an overall minimum GPA of 3.0 for all courses. Core courses must be completed during the first year of study, or by completion of 18 credit hours. No more than 6 credit hours will be allowed for advanced projects and directed research. Only one intersession course (3 credit hours) can be counted towards the degree. Electives credits must be chosen with prior approval of a Communication Studies advisor.

Masters Programs in Communication Studies

- M.A. in Communication Studies (p. 2027) with tracks in:
  - Communication Studies
  - Health Communications
  - Intercultural Communication
  - Organizational Communication

**COM 601. Theories of Communication. 3 Credit Hours.**
Comparison of theories dealing with the processes and effects of communication is discussed.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

**COM 602. Methods of Communication Research. 3 Credit Hours.**
A comprehensive survey of communication research methods. Qualitative and quantitative approaches will be explained and practiced.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.
COM 603. Qualitative Research Methodologies. 3 Credit Hours.
Research methods and theories for participant-observation, phenomenology, symbolic interactionism, ethnomethodology, content analysis, and historical-critical interpretation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

COM 604. Advanced Communication Research Methods and Statistics. 3 Credit Hours.
Provides an advanced examination of the problems and methods found in quantitative communication research.
Prerequisites: COM 601, COM 602.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COM 605. Theories and Methods for Mass Communication Research. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce you to the theoretical concepts and research methodologies that apply to work in, and study of, journalism and mass communication. The curriculum stresses critical thinking skills necessary to evaluate the credibility of research findings offered by various organizations, including government, business and academia.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

COM 606. Visual and Narrative Theories. 3 Credit Hours.
This course surveys theories of film, visual communication, design, game and interactive theory, critical analysis, cultural studies.
Prerequisite: COM 601 and Requisite: Doctoral Standing.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

COM 607. Survey of Media Production. 3 Credit Hours.
This course gives students an overview on how to produce compelling media stories. Students will learn key concepts and design principles used in modern media production. Students will develop a website and a short film using learned key concepts in creating and effective multimedia experience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

COM 608. Designing and Producing Messages. 3 Credit Hours.
Drawing on message design theories from areas such as persuasion and discourse studies and using creative and secondary research skills, students design and implement a production such as a public service announcement, short documentary, microsite, game prototype, or data visualization project.
Prerequisite: COM 601 and 602 and 607.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

COM 609. Special Topics in Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
This course subject matter varies according to announced special topic. See class schedule for details.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COM 610. Doctoral Colloquium. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce students to the nature and scope of doctoral study. The topics of this course include different aspects of engaging productively with the doctoral program, such as developing a research program, publication, grant writing, and job search dynamics.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

COM 612. Pedagogy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the traditions as well as the recent advances in pedagogy, including its historical, theoretical and practical applications with the aim of preparing students to teach at the University level.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
COM 615. Social Effects of Mass Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
Roles, functions, and consequences of mass communication in American society.
Prerequisite: COM 601.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

COM 620. Structured Research and Practice in SoC Consultancy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students engage in programmatic research and applied practice through structured participation at the SoC Consultancy.
Requisite: Graduate and Min Cumulative 3.0 GPA.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

COM 672. Seminar in Persuasive Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide students with a basic understanding of the role of communication in the persuasion process. This will be achieved by exploring historical and contemporary theories of persuasion as well as examining research that has focused on persuasion.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COM 695. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students work independently with a professor, researching a topic in a selected area. Repeatable up to 6 credits.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

COM 698. Independent Research. 3 Credit Hours.
An in-depth, hands-on course in which students conduct a research project using the specified research method. May include experimental design, advanced qualitative methods, content analysis, or survey methods. Repeatable up to 6 credits.
Prerequisites: COM 602, COM 603.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

COM 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

COM 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master's degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in COM 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

COM 825. Continuous Registration--Master's Study. 1 Credit Hour.
To establish residence for non-thesis master's students who are preparing for major examinations. Credit not granted. Regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

COM 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but for not less than a total of 12 hours.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

COM 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
COS 616. Small Group Processes. 3 Credit Hours.
Techniques of discussion applied to goal-oriented, small group situations. Consideration is given to research methods, leadership, and conflict resolution. Theory is applied to active classroom participation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

COS 618. Seminar in Nonverbal Communication (NVC). 3 Credit Hours.
Theory and application of selected areas of research in nonverbal communication is addressed. Discussion of environment, space, body movement, posture, eye contact, facial expression, vocal cues and physical appearance is included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

COS 620. Gender Issues in Leadership. 3 Credit Hours.
This course utilizes case studies of innovative executives to analyze different leadership and communication styles between men and women.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 630. Conflict Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an understanding of conflict dynamics and strategies for constructive conflict management.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 645. Intercultural Communication: International Perspectives. 3 Credit Hours.
Effects of cultural attitudes, beliefs, and attributions on meaning assignment. Effects of language on the structure of thought. Ethics and process of the diffusion of cultural innovations are analyzed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 646. Intercultural Communication: Domestic Perspectives. 3 Credit Hours.
Effects of cultural attitudes, beliefs, and attributions on meaning assignment. Diffusion of cultural innovations, prejudice, discrimination, and equality are discussed. Emphasis is placed on intercultural interactions within the United States.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 651. Survey of Health Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is intended to provide a graduate-level introduction to the study of health communication. Accordingly, it covers a wide range of topic areas informed by an equally diverse range of theories, research paradigms, and applied foci.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 652. Culture and Organizations. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the effects of cultural diversity on communication in organizations. Diffusion of innovations, prejudice, discrimination, and equality are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 653. Organizations, Communication, and Health. 3 Credit Hours.
This class focuses on the organizational, interpersonal and intercultural dimensions of communication in health care settings. It draws on material from the communication discipline as well as work from medical sociology, anthropology, medicine, humanities and discourse studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
COS 654. Risk Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will offer a foundational understanding of the psychological and sociological bases of risk perceptions that are necessary for effective risk communication.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 655. Health Communication Interventions. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will focus on the planning, development, and assessment of health communication intervention messages and materials.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 660. The Executive Communicator. 3 Credit Hours.
Audience analysis, speech writing, delivery in professional presentations, theory, and history of great speeches are covered. Detailed critiques of student speaking styles and performances are also included.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 674. Seminar in Interpersonal Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on theoretical approaches to interpersonal communication. Emphasis is placed on current research including fundamentals of relationships, developmental issues, interaction management, and interpersonal competence.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 680. Organizational Training and Development. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide an examination of internal organizational communication in order to understand appropriate strategies for training and development of supervisors and employees.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 682. Seminar in Organizational Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores theoretical perspectives and the impact of communication in organizations. Critical analysis includes management styles, decision-making, group interaction, conflict resolution, and diffusion of innovations.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 690. Communication Studies Practicum. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Prescribed graduate study and supervised work with practitioners in organizations.
Prerequisites: COM 601 and COM 602 and COM 603.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

COS 691. Advanced Special Topics in Communication Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
This course subject matter varies according to announced special topic. See class schedule for details.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 699. Advanced Projects and Directed Research. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Individual study. Course may be repeated to a maximum of six credits.

Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

M.A. in Communication Studies

Overview
The goals of the Master of Arts program in Communication Studies are to provide students with a rigorous educational experience, to develop an advanced understanding of the human communication process, to increase awareness of the interdisciplinary nature of the communication field, and to develop oral, written, critical thinking, and research skills. Students may complete coursework in persuasion, and interpersonal, intercultural,
organizational, and health communication together with research methods applicable to these areas. Two programs are offered. The thesis track emphasizes student development of research skills under faculty supervision (30 credit hours). The non-thesis track emphasizes a theoretical foundation based on application of communication courses (36 credit hours).

Students select a track from four options: Communication Studies, Health Communication, Intercultural Communication, and Organizational Communication.

**Communication Studies Track**
The Communication Studies track is a general track that allows students greater flexibility to design their course of study.

**Health Communication Track**
Health Communication is an emerging specialty in the field of communication. This graduate program is designed to provide a broad introduction to human communication in a health-care context. Career opportunities in this area include public health leaders, practitioners, and researchers who design, evaluate, and disseminate health communication messages for private and governmental organizations, advertising, public relations and marketing agencies, and journalists. Students will explore the roles of patients and caregivers, social and cultural issues, communication in health organizations, and the role of mass media.

**Intercultural Communication Track**
The Intercultural Communication Track is designed to provide students with an understanding of the way communication functions in intercultural settings, how culture affects the communication process, and the reciprocal effects of intercultural perceptions on policy in the history of Eastern-Western relations. Career opportunities in this field include corporate diversity trainer, communication director, human resource manager, international service representative, negotiator, and foreign correspondent with government and business organizations.

**Organizational Communication Track**
Organizational Communication is designed to provide students with a comprehensive and advanced understanding of communication in the organizational environment. Courses are designed to extend oral, written, and critical thinking skills through application of concepts using practical challenges in organizations. Students have the opportunity to explore essential areas of organizational communication, presentational skills, leadership styles, interpersonal and small group interaction, decision making, persuasion, conflict management, and diversity training.

**Admission Requirements**
The following is a list of the required conditions as well as the required documents/fees for your application for admission to the Master of Arts degree program in the School of Communication.

- A baccalaureate degree from an accredited institution
- The School's official application
- An $85.00 non-refundable application fee
- Three letters of recommendation
- 500-word typed statement of academic and professional goals
- Official transcripts of all college work, both undergraduate and graduate.
  - Note: In addition, international applicants must send an official copy of their diploma for all degrees earned, and all documentation that confers their degree, with English translation for all degrees earned.
  - Note: All transcripts must be the original document, forwarded directly from the university. Xerox copies, true copies, notarized copies and other types of copies are not acceptable.
- Official TOEFL or IELTS scores
  - Note: Only for international applicants.
- Copy of current passport
  - Note: Only for international applicants. The name entered on the graduate application must exactly match your name as it appears on your passport.
- Official Graduate Record Examination (GRE) scores

Contact the Office of Graduate Studies, call 305-284-5236 or email (socgrad@miami.edu), for information.

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| Total Credit Hours | 36 |

**Total Credit Hours for Thesis Option**

| Total Credit Hours | 30 |

1 A maximum of 6 credit hours thesis track may come from outside the Department of Communication Studies (COS or COM courses). Elective credits must be chosen with prior approval from a Communication Studies advisor.

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**Non-Thesis Option:** Select 6 - 9 courses from the list below.

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### Sample Plan of Study - Thesis

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Goals

The goals of the Master of Arts Program in Communication Studies are to provide students with a rigorous graduate level academic experience, comprehensive understanding of theoretical communication concepts, and development of advanced oral, written, critical thinking, and research skills.

Student Learning Outcomes

- Graduate students will demonstrate application of appropriate communication and professional skills.
- Graduate students will demonstrate a comprehensive understanding of communication concepts and critical analysis of research.
- Graduate students will demonstrate appropriate writing and presentational skills.

Doctor of Philosophy in Communication

The doctoral program is designed to provide students with the requisite foundation in theory as well as research skills for using communication to make positive change at the societal, community, and individual levels. The program allows learning across content and creative areas, methodological orientations, and platforms of expression for engaged scholarship and immersive experience, globally and locally. You will engage with communication theory, research, and practice using advocacy and storytelling, with particular attention to new and social media for social and behavioral change. This will be your niche: conducting research, engaging in immersive experience, and translating these into evaluation-based practice for the well being of community, society and the world.

The program includes field research experience and the teaching, writing, and media skills necessary for a career in higher education, research institutions, non-profits, government organizations, media, business, and industry. You may choose from health, environmental, international, intercultural and organizational communication as well as from journalism studies and media development to create an appropriate combination for your career goals.

Curriculum Requirements

For the doctoral program, students must complete 57 credit hours of course work beyond the master’s degree; 12 of the 57 credit hours must be dissertation credit hours. Doctoral students cannot take intersession courses.

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## Mission

The mission of the Doctor of Philosophy program in Communication is to provide students with a rigorous advanced education and field experience in communication theory, concepts and practice as well as in qualitative and quantitative research methods.

## Goals

The expected outcome from this education and experience is that students and graduates will be able to conduct original research, translate it into practice, and teach effectively.

## Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will demonstrate comprehensive knowledge of communication theory, research methods, and their areas of specialization.
- Students will demonstrate the ability to propose and implement original research and present and defend the research in academic and professional contexts. They will demonstrate effective written communication, oral communication, and critical thinking skills.
- Students will demonstrate the ability to teach undergraduate communication courses independently.

## Interactive Media

The Interactive Media Department offers a complete curricular experience in critical understanding and effective design and development of interactive products.

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**CIM 601. Prototyping Techniques. 3 Credit Hours.**

This course covers accepted prototyping techniques introducing students to a wide variety of approaches for different kinds of user experience design problems and platforms. Students will learn to develop preliminary iteration of a solution to a design problem in order to communicate the essence of their idea without committing to a costly implementation.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall.
CIM 602. Designing Innovation. 3 Credit Hours.
In this course you will be introduced to and will apply human centered design techniques and systems thinking to achieve goal-directed design of interactive systems. Students will work in small teams to iteratively generate and refine design concepts and to thoroughly document their design process.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CIM 603. Intro to Creative Coding. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce students to the building blocks of creative coding within the visual and media environment. Students will learn to create dynamic images, type and interfaces, that can translate into web, mobile and print forms. Students will learn programming fundamentals that translate in virtually all programming platforms.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CIM 604. Advanced Systems: Designing Playful Experiences. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will analyze and design games to gain vocabulary and tools to design playful interactive systems. Students will be exposed to a range of popular game prototyping technologies and will create several mini-projects as well as one final game project created using the platform of their choice.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CIM 605. Technology Trends. 3 Credit Hours.
This is a foundation course intended to promote a dialogue about the current state of business, art, health, culture, and innovation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CIM 611. Human Computer Interaction. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will teach students about the importance human computer interaction (HCI) in the design, implementation, and evaluation of interactive computing systems for human use. The course will provide both practical application and theoretical knowledge of HCI, with practical concerns balanced by discussion of relevant theory from the literature of computer science, human factors, and interaction design.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CIM 612. Mobile Application Development. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide students the ability to conceptualize, design, and develop a mobile application of their choosing. It covers various approaches to the development of mobile software applications using current development environments, frameworks, and programming paradigms. This course focuses on hands-on learning through which students practice with programming assignments and demonstrate the apps through virtual simulators and physical mobile devices.
Prerequisite: CIM 603.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CIM 615. Interactive Media Business Essentials. 3 Credit Hours.
This course takes a comprehensive look at managing interactive media projects from inception to implementation and maintenance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CIM 618. Internet and Media Activism. 3 Credit Hours.
In this course, students will examine the role of media in shaping social reform to document social issues such as poverty, human rights, social inequities, the environment, and powerless groups. We will review the philosophy and history of media as activism ranging from photography, documentary, cinema, the Internet, social media and newer forms of media. Emphasis is placed on developing a critical understanding of current media advocacy practices with a conscious goal; awareness, change minds, to affect policy, and action. At the end of the semester, students will have a fully developed project concept.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
CIM 622. Human Centered Design. 3 Credit Hours.
This course takes a comprehensive look at human limitations and abilities and how they are key to interaction design and a great user experience. Students will learn about human behavior and how to apply UX gridlines to the design of digital interfaces. Students will also learn how to produce design deliverables for real world practice.
Prerequisite: CIM 601.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CIM 623. Building Virtual Worlds. 3 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this course is to explore the construction of virtual environments. Students will learn the principles of constructing interactive 3D environments using a game engine. Students will be responsible for creating a world that can be interacted with on various platforms, including virtual and mixed reality.
Prerequisite: CIM 603 Or CSC 120 Or ECE 118.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CIM 631. Collaborative Innovation Laboratory. 3 Credit Hours.
In this collaboration studio course, students will form small teams and undertake real-world projects with a partnering organization. Students will be provided a design brief outlining project objectives identified by the partnering organization. Over the course of the semester, students will research, brainstorm, design, and test innovative interactive solutions for this core objective, including proposing ideas and presenting prototypes to the partnering organization. Projects that satisfy the partner's needs may result in on-going work for full implementation and exposure for students' work.
Prerequisite: CIM 601 and CIM 203 and CIM 602 and CIM 603.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CIM 633. Augmented Reality. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide students the ability to design and develop augmented reality apps. It covers various approaches to designing and programming augmented reality apps using the latest technologies and devices. Students will be given hands-on programming assignments and learn about the key advantages in each of the approaches via in-class discussions.
Prerequisite: CIM 603 Or CSC 120 Or ECE 118.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CIM 643. Front End Fundamentals. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the job-ready skills and production workflow techniques in highest demand for front end web developers. Students will learn, practice and demonstrate the skills and principles needed to make effective use of these technologies.
Prerequisite: CIM 601.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CIM 644. Designing Games for Impact. 3 Credit Hours.
In this course students will explore the use of games as a communication tool for social good and will study, play, and also begin designing game-based interventions with the goal of promoting positive social change in areas such as environment, health, or social justice. Students will play existing social impact and other relevant games and will analyze them in order to conceptualize and design their own game concepts, either individually or in small teams. Students should come ready to actively participate in this seminar-size class.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CIM 653. Dynamic Data. 3 Credit Hours.
This course teaches data analysis through the development of interactive web applications. The course focuses on communicating through computer programming. Students will learn to build and use databases as a primary source and explore data as content. For this course students will be required to build custom software solutions through web programming languages that utilize third party APIs to interpret, analyze and manipulate data.
Prerequisite: CIM 601.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
CIM 658. 360° Immersive Filmmaking and Storytelling. 3 Credit Hours.
A hands-on course dedicated to design and produce VR/360° immersive video. Through a wide selection of materials, including videos, 360° films, articles, and presentations, students will develop a strong foundation on storytelling techniques, technologies (cameras, microphones, VR headsets, software), and best practices used across immersive media.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CIM 663. Design with AI. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide students with the ability to understand the purpose, strengths and limitations of artificial intelligence (AI) technologies in order to design smart applications for everyday use. It covers topics including state-of-the-art AI technologies and the design principles for developing applications with such technologies. Issues such as ethics, bias, accountability, and privacy in these applications will also be discussed.
Prerequisite: CIM 603.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CIM 664. Video Game Spectatorship and Esports. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the historical and contemporary practices of game spectatorship, journalism, and Esports. It teaches the industry and best practices used in sharing video games through traditional media, streaming services, and Esports.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CIM 669. Internship in Interactive Media. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The internship is designed to provide valuable career-related work experience in a real-world setting, e.g., institutions, organizations and/or businesses. Students will identify an opportunity, supervisor, and write a proposal as to the relevancy to their goals. The Internship may be paid or unpaid.
Requisite: Sophomore Status, Cumulative GPA 2.5.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CIM 674. 2D Character Design. 3 Credit Hours.
This is a comprehensive course devoted to the development of skills in creating characters for 2D animation and games. Students will develop an understanding of how shape language relates to the characters personality through the creation of weekly exercises. The course will be delivered in the form of studio projects, individual and class critiques, lectures, discussions, workshops and readings.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CIM 679. Practicum in Interactive Media. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students will engage in the applied practice of Interactive Media to enhance classroom learning and provide opportunities to gain practical experience. The practicum course offers supervised activity in which interactive graduate students advance their skills and acquire professional experience by working on research and creative projects for various organizations.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CIM 682. UX Research. 3 Credit Hours.
The course provides a comprehensive overview of User Experience research methods and how they are incorporated into the product development lifecycle. Students will learn about user-centered design and will conduct a wide range of research methods including ethnography, questionnaires, online studies, and usability testing. There will be considerable focus on practicing research skills and reporting findings from these activities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
CIM 683. Physical Computing. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores how to build a bridge between the physical and digital world. Students will learn to develop software and hardware to sense and respond to physical interaction. Through various projects, students will learn how to program sensors and other electronic components to convert the human senses into creative inputs and outputs, such as lights, sounds, and movement. Students will learn the ideation and design process through challenges presented in their assignments and personal projects. In this course students will also learn how to design for and use various digital fabrication tools, such as 3D printing, laser and paper cutting, and CNC milling. Students will have access to work hands on with these fabrication tools to enhance and build their prototypes.
Prerequisite: CIM 603.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CIM 689. Special Topics in Interactive Media. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to keep up with the fast-changing world of interactive media allowing for contemporary classes to be periodically added to the curriculum. Special topics classes will be added to the Interactive Media curriculum as electives.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CIM 694. Game Development Studio. 3 Credit Hours.
Game Dev Studio is a project-based course devoted to developing a game. In groups, students will start with a concept and create prototypes that will be refined through multiple iterations and playtests. Your final game will either be a well-polished 2D or 3D digital game.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CIM 699. Advanced Projects and Directed Research. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Individual study, involving a project, paper or a program of research designed in consultation with a supervising faculty member. No more than six credits may be counted toward the degree.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CIM 701. Capstone. 3 Credit Hours.
The capstone seminar is designed to demonstrate a student’s accumulated training in Interactive Media in a single original project of their choice, subject to the instructor’s approval and under the additional supervision of a faculty mentor.
Prerequisite: CIM 602 and CIM 603 and CIM 601 and CIM 615 and CIM 631.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

M.F.A. in Interactive Media

Overview
The University of Miami Interactive Media Master of Fine Arts prepares students to innovate through understanding and experiencing the business, social, academic, and cultural contexts of emerging technologies.

The program prepares a new generation of innovators and leaders in the field of interaction design. Its mission is to explore the use of technology, design, human behavior, and their impact on communication. The multidisciplinary curriculum brings together students from different backgrounds to learn about game design, web design, mobile, data visualization, interaction design, and other emerging technologies. The program trains students to research, prototype, design, and build projects in business, social, academic, and cultural contexts.

Admission Requirements
The following is a list of the required conditions as well as the required documents/fees for your application for admission to the Master of Arts degree program in the School of Communication.

• A baccalaureate degree from an accredited institution
• The School’s official application
• An $85.00 non-refundable application fee
• Three letters of recommendation
• 500-word typed statement of academic and professional goals
• Official transcripts of all college work, both undergraduate and graduate.
• Note: In addition, international applicants must send an official copy of their diploma for all degrees earned, and all documentation that confers their degree, with English translation for all degrees earned.
• Note: All transcripts must be the original document, forwarded directly from the university. Xerox copies, true copies, notarized copies and other types of copies are not acceptable.

• Official TOEFL or IELTS scores
  • Note: Only for international applicants.

• Copy of current passport
  • Note: Only for international applicants. The name entered on the graduate application must exactly match your name as it appears on your passport.

• Official Graduate Record Examination (GRE) scores or portfolio.
  • Note: Students must submit a portfolio. Hard-copy or USB portfolios may also be mailed to the address below. Please note that we do not return portfolios or USB sticks. Students may choose to submit their GRE score if they don’t have a portfolio. Submitting a GRE instead of a portfolio will not affect their chances of getting accepted. Students may also submit both their GRE and portfolio. Our institution code for the GRE is #5815 and the department code is #4599.

Contact the Office of Graduate Studies, call 305-284-5236 or email (socgrad@miami.edu), for information.

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4. Specializations are recommended, but students have the flexibility to design their own specialization.

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**Mission**

The MFA in Interactive Media’s mission is to provide high quality graduate education for current and prospective professionals in the fields of interaction design, data visualization, and game design. Program activities are designed to explore the strategic role that interactive technologies play in communication and how they are shaping today’s business, culture, and society.
Goals
The program strives to achieve local, state, and national prominence through a contemporary hands-on curriculum, practical experience with outside organizations, and applied research designed to develop and enhance creative competence and design thinking skills.

Student Learning Outcomes
- Students will demonstrate the ability to design a system, component, or process to meet desired needs within system constraints.
- Students will be able to develop a product following a human-centered design that incorporates user research, innovation, design, and implementation.

J.D./M.A. in School of Communication
This program allows students to earn a J.D. and an M.A. in Communication in 3 to 3½ years. The three School of Communication programs participating in the joint J.D./M.A. program are Communication Studies, Journalism, and Public Relations. This joint degree program will allow 9 J.D. credit hours to be applied to the M.A. degree and 6 M.A. credit hours to be applied to the J.D. degree, saving the student 15 credit hours between the two programs.

In the J.D. program, students will complete 82 credit hours in the School of Law. Additionally, 6 credit hours from the School of Communication program will be applied to their Law School transcript, for a total of 88 required J.D. credit hours. In the M.A. program, students will complete 27 credit hours in the School of Communication. Additionally, 9 law school credit hours will be applied toward their master’s degree, for a total of 36 required M.A. credit hours. As defined above, 15 credit hours will be counted toward both degrees: 6 credit hours from the School of Law and 9 credit hours from the School of Communication. During the first year of the joint program, students will be required to attend the J.D. program full-time. Students will be able to take courses in the School of Communication beginning in the fall of their 2L year. Students must complete all J.D. requirements and all M.A. requirements as defined by their programs. Participants in the joint J.D./M.A. program are not required to complete the M.A. capstone project.

The thesis-track is not open to students in the J.D./M.A. joint program without specific approval of the School of Communication. Students may take summer law courses, which may reduce the length of the joint degree program by up to one semester. Students may take no more than 16 credit hours each semester, excluding summer sessions. 17 credit hours per semester may be taken with permission from the Associate Dean, Academic Affairs, School of Law.

Law School Requirements
9 Law School credit hours should come from the following courses:
- Administrative Law
- Communications law
- Constitutional Law II
- Copyright Law
- First amendment Law
- Intellectual Property Law
- Internet Law
- Mass Media Law


The Law School will accept 6 credit hours from School of Communication courses: (the courses selected will depend on the specific program, e.g., Communication Studies, Journalism, or Public Relations, though following consultation with, and approval by, a faculty advisor, substitutions may be allowed). Examples include:

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J.D./M.A. in Communication Studies

Joint J.D./M.A. in Communication Studies

This joint degree program allows students to earn a J.D. and an M.A. in Communication Studies in 3 to 3½ years. Student complete a total of 109 credit hours for the joint degree. This program will allow 9 J.D. credit hours to be applied to the M.A. degree and 6 M.A. credit hours to be applied to the J.D. degree, saving the student 15 credit hours between the two programs.

The MA in Communication Studies has four tracks:

1. Communication Studies
2. Health Communication
3. Intercultural Communication
4. Organizational Communication

Curriculum Requirements

JD/MA in Communication Studies - Non-Thesis Tracks Only

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J.D./M.A. in Journalism

J.D./M.A. in Journalism

This joint degree program allows students to earn a J.D. and an M.A. in Journalism in 3 to 3½ years. Student complete a total of 109 credit hours for the joint degree. The program will allow 9 J.D. credit hours to be applied to the M.A. degree and 6 M.A. credit hours to be applied to the J.D. degree, saving the student 15 credit hours between the two programs.

The program in journalism has 15 credits of required courses and 12 credits of elective courses (plus 9 credits that will be transferred from the School of Law). Law students with particular areas of interest may consult with a faculty advisor in Journalism to request course substitutions. As journalism evolves, the core and list of electives will evolve as well.
Admission Requirements

Requirements for admission to the graduate studies for the Juris Doctor/Master of Arts in Communication joint degree are:

- Students must be admitted to the Law School first, prior to enrollment in the School of Communication, checking a box on their application indicating their interest in the joint degree program. Once accepted to the Law School, the student's law school application including LSAT score, undergraduate transcript, and letters of recommendation (two of them required for the J.D. program) will be sent to the School of Communication for review. The student will then receive notification from the School of Communication regarding his/her admission to the joint degree program.
- LSAT score may be submitted in lieu of the GRE score.

General notes:

- Students will be admitted to the Law School J.D. program and the School of Communication (SoC) master's program separately.
- Students in this joint degree program must commence law study first.
- Students who have already commenced work on the SoC M.A. are not eligible for the joint program.

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J.D./M.A. in Public Relations

Public Relations (M.A. - Non-Thesis)

This program is focused on public relations with 15 credit hours of required courses and 12 credit hours of elective courses (plus 9 credit hours that will be transferred from the School of Law.) Public Relations students must receive a “B” or higher in core courses (COM 601, COM 602 OR COM 603, STC 620, STC 621, STC 622).

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Law School Credits

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Total Credit Hours

36

J.D./M.S. in School of Communication

This joint degree program allow students to earn a J.D. and an M.S. in Media Management in 3 to 31/2 years. It will allow 6 J.D. credit hours to be applied to the M.S. degree and 6 M.S. credit hours to be applied to the J.D. degree, saving the student 12 credit hours between the two programs.

This program is designed for J.D. students who have an interest in the regulatory and business side of the media industry. It includes a set of essential business courses (e.g., financial reporting and analysis, corporate strategy and organization, and foundations of marketing management) as well as an array of industry-specific courses (e.g. content strategy, audience research and analysis, and current issues in media management).

In the J.D. program, students will complete 82 credit hours in the School of Law. Additionally, 6 credit hours from the Media Management program will be applied to their Law School transcript, for a total of 88 required J.D. credit hours. In the M.S. program, students will complete 26 credit hours in the Miami Herbert Business School and the Department of Journalism and Media Management. Additionally, 6 Law School credit hours will be applied toward their master’s degree in Media Management, for a total of 32 required M.S. credit hours. As stated above, 12 credit hours will be counted toward both degree: 6 credit hours from the School of Law and 6 credit hours from the Department of Journalism and Media Management.

During the first year of the joint program, students will be required to attend the J.D. program full-time. Students will be able to take course in the Miami Herbert Business School and the Department of Journalism and Media Management beginning in the fall of their second year of Law School. Students must complete all J.D. requirements and all M.S. requirements as defined by their programs. Students may take summer law courses, which may reduce the length of the joint degree program by up to one semester. Students may not take more than 16 credit hours each semester, excluding summer sessions. Seventeen credit hours per semester may be taken with permission from the Associate Dean, Academic Affairs, School of Law.
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**J.D./M.S. in Media Management**

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Required courses in the M.S. program are held on Saturdays and weekday evenings offering flexibility to the program’s students. No prior business or media management experience is required.

**Admissions Process:**

• Students will be admitted to the Law School J.D. program and the Media Management master’s program separately. Typically students will begin in the Law School and then start the master’s program in their second year of Law School. However, it is possible for students in the Media Management program to apply to the Law School, be accepted, and begin the joint degree program/first year of the J.D. program the following year. (M.S. students need to save 6 credits to be completed after they begin their J.D. program.)

• Applications to the M.S. program may be submitted between December 1st and May 15th for a fall start. The GRE or GMAT will not be required; the student’s LSAT scores will be used instead. Once a student applies, the School of Communication will request the student's Law School application from the Law School.

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9 credits from the following list with at least one course from Content-Focused category (minimum of 2-credit course) and one course from the Corporate and Regulatory category (minimum of 2-credit course): 1

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| LAW 573 | Data Security and Incident Response |
| LAW 586 | Federal Policymaking: Legislation, Regulation, and Litigation |
| LAW 599 | Law, Policy, and Technology |
| LAW 600 | Privacy Seminar |
| LAW 741 | Introduction to the Deal |
| LAW 762 | Latin American Contracts |

M.S. Requirements

| ACC 671 | Accounting for Decision Making | 2 |
| BUS 610 | Communicating for Career Success | 2 |
| FIN 641 | Valuation and Financial Decision Making | 2 |
| JMM 614 | Law and Ethics in Journalism and Media Management | 3 |
| JMM 632 | Current Issues in Media Management | 3 |
| JMM 636 | Content Strategy in the Media Industry | 3 |
| JMM 642 | Audience Research and Analysis | 3 |
| MAS 631 | Statistics for Managerial Decision Making | 2 |
| MGT 620 | Managing Through People | 2 |
| MGT 677 | Corporate Strategy and Organization | 2 |
| MKT 640 | Foundations of Marketing Management | 2 |

Total Credit Hours 108

1. Six of these nine credits will be used to fulfill the electives required for the M.S. degree.
2. Six credits from these courses will also be counted toward the 88 total credits required for the JD.

Sample Plan of Study

3-Year Program with 2 Summers

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Journalism and Media Management

Journalism (M.A.)

Journalism is an intensive program of academic study and hands-on practice designed to develop competitive, high-level, cross-platform digital media skills appropriate for today’s media landscape. Students take a common core of courses designed to provide a foundation in all aspects of contemporary journalism (e.g., writing, reporting, multimedia, data visualization, broadcasting, media law and ethics). In addition, students have the opportunity to focus their work in various areas of study, including broadcast journalism, news and feature writing and various aspects of multimedia journalism. Through a combination of journalism courses and related courses offered by other programs, students may also concentrate some of their work in particular areas of interest (e.g., sports reporting and, travel and features). The program begins in the fall semester and lasts 18 months. No prior training or experience in journalism is required.

Media Management (M.S.)

This 32-credit interdisciplinary graduate program is designed for students who seek new or advanced opportunities in the various and expanding areas of the media industry, such as content distribution, news and entertainment programming, research, and analytics. Students complete courses in the Business School to learn or strengthen their knowledge about business fundamentals, including managerial strategy, economics, accounting, and marketing. At the same time, students take courses in the Department of Journalism and Media Management to apply business principles to media situations and evaluate critically how technological and regulatory trends, changing business models, emergent content applications, and new audience measurement techniques influence decision-making in media operations. Students can also customize their coursework by selecting electives in the School of Communication that best match their personal and career interests.

Students can study full time or part time. The program begins every fall and lasts one year for full-time students or two years for part-time students. No prior business or media management experience or education is required.

Masters Program in Journalism and Media Management

- M.A. in Journalism (p. 2054)
- M.S. in Media Management (p. 2057)

JMM 601. Editorial Interpretation of Contemporary Events. 3 Credit Hours.
Critical examination of fundamental issues in public life. Preparation of editorials and interpretive articles for mass media are included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 605. News Technologies. 3 Credit Hours.
This course emphasizes how television, digital, and multimedia technologies contribute to the storytelling process. Understanding of production theories and news processes will be gained through hands on work with television and multimedia projects.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 606. Multimedia Design. 3 Credit Hours.
This is a project-based course in multimedia design, with emphasis on visual concepts and graphics development. Students will be learning about the various software packages to design and integrate interaction into their projects. Topics covered include preparing existing content for multimedia journalism, animation, layout for interactive media, typography, photography and usability.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 607. Broadcast Journalism. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced instruction in techniques of news writing and field reporting, including conducting research for stories, preparing complete field packages for newscasts, filing live remotes, and conducting interviews.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
JMM 608. Long-Form Public Affairs Programming. 3 Credit Hours.
Development and production of longer form news, information magazine, and documentary style programming.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

JMM 609. Internship in Journalism and Media Management. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Prescribed study and supervised work with professional in print, broadcast, online, and other media organizations.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

JMM 610. Comparative Media Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
This course deals with issues in international news gathering and distribution, giving special attention to Latin America and the Caribbean. The class takes a comparative approach, looking at media systems in the United States and other nations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 611. Newswriting and Reporting Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
Development of newswriting and reporting skills for news media.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 612. History of Journalism Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
The development and impact of journalism in America traced through industry leaders and events.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 613. Computer-Assisted Reporting. 3 Credit Hours.
Use of computer applications for newsgathering with emphasis on the World Wide Web, commercial online services, and database tools.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 614. Law and Ethics in Journalism and Media Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on two critically important areas of the law for both aspiring news media professionals and those seeking management opportunities. Principles of free speech, deeply rooted in the First Amendment to the U.S. Constitution, delve into such topics as defamation, privacy, access to information, obscenity, and intellectual property. The course also introduces students to the fundamentals of business law as it pertains to the media industry with an emphasis on employment, workplace management, and business contracts. Ethical issues are addressed throughout the course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 615. Writing and Reporting Across Platforms. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to professional operating practices in multimedia journalism with emphasis on news writing and news production skills.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 616. Evolution and Impact of Television Content: The American Sitcom. 3 Credit Hours.
The seminar will examine how social, economic and political factors impacted the development and evolution of the content of sitcoms, as well as the impact such content had on American society.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 617. Television News Reporting. 3 Credit Hours.
Gathering and preparation of news stories for presentation in news programs. Includes field reporting, editing, preparation of visual and aural elements, writing, producing and performing for on-air presentation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
JMM 618. International Journalism. 3 Credit Hours.
News gathering, transmission, and distribution outside the United States, with emphasis on Latin America.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 619. Interactive Storytelling. 3 Credit Hours.
Digitization allows us to merge several forms of media that were not connected in the past. This course is intended as an exploration of how storytelling is re-inventing itself utilizing the new digital communication tools available to us today. This course will cover linear and non-linear storytelling techniques and production processes.
Prerequisites: JMM 628 and JMM 622 and JMM 630 and CIM 690.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

JMM 620. Reporting and the Internet. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of uses of online computer services for newsgathering and distribution with emphasis on the Internet.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 621. Global Media. 3 Credit Hours.
An analysis of issues and practices surrounding globalization, regionalization, and global/local as they relate to media industries, journalism, and communication.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 622. Introduction to Infographics and Data Visualization. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an introduction to the visual display of information with a special focus on the encoding of data by means of graphs, charts, maps, and diagrams.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 623. Sports Reporting. 3 Credit Hours.
A hands-on sports journalism course that will develop students’ skills in sports reporting and sports writing. Discussions range across the entire field of sports reporting, including broadcasting, but the greatest emphasis is concentrated on sports reporting and writing for print, online, social media and media relations. Students will go off-campus to cover professional and college sporting events live on deadline, hear from guest speakers across the industry, and cover on-campus UM sports beats.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 624. Seminar in Editing and Design for Print and Websites. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory and practice in news media copy editing, layout, and design.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 625. Advanced Newsgathering and Writing Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
Refining news writing and reporting skills for the media.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

JMM 626. Specialized Writing and Reporting Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
Techniques in writing and reporting about specialized and complex subjects for news media.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 627. Television News Producing. 3 Credit Hours.
Studio anchoring, newscast producing and field reporting for news and public affairs programming. Live field reporting and field and studio interviewing techniques are covered.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
JMM 628. Seminar in Visual Storytelling. 3 Credit Hours.
An advanced seminar class designed to enhance the knowledge and practice of the visual storytelling narrative. This seminar stresses the importance of converging media, still images, video, and sound. Particular emphasis will be placed upon the creation of a multimedia portfolio.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 629. Advanced Infographics and Data Visualization. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is a seminar designed to introduce interactive data visualization concepts in a web environment. Students will be introduced to code libraries which assist in this task, best practices for interactivity and data visualization. The course will also briefly cover working with data (i.e., how to find sources, cleaning and preparing data for visualizations, etc.).
Prerequisite: JMM 622 and JMM 630.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.

JMM 630. Programming for Interactivity. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is a multimedia class that will teach the fundamental programming skills required to create compelling online multimedia stories.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 631. Data Journalism. 3 Credit Hours.
This course teaches how to extract meaning from data for more powerful reporting.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 632. Current Issues in Media Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course addresses how recent developments in media technology, regulation, content, and measurement have influenced the structure and economics of the media industry. Given the rapid evolution of the media business across platforms, topics are likely to vary from year to year. Media cases are used to discuss appropriate strategies and decision-making and help students think as media managers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 633. Social Media. 3 Credit Hours.
This course looks at social media from an organizational perspective: best practices for news and media organizations; building digital communities; monitoring/listening to user-generated content; and branding and marketing through social media.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

JMM 634. Media Distribution for Film and Television. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the various aspects of the distribution process for films and television programs through conventional and emerging channels.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 635. The Broadcasting, Cable, and Electronic Media Industry. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of broadcasting, cable, and related electronic media from a business perspective.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

JMM 636. Content Strategy in the Media Industry. 3 Credit Hours.
What distinguishes the media industry from other sectors is the primacy of content. This course examines the practices involved in developing, distributing, scheduling, and monetizing media content, especially in the video space. Programming strategies are discussed across traditional and emergent media platforms.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
JMM 637. The Business of Modern Journalism. 3 Credit Hours.
The course examines the evolving business models for legacy news organizations as well as discusses entrepreneurial opportunities for news content in new media and digital platforms.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 638. Infographics and Data Visualization Studio. 3 Credit Hours.
A studio course in which the student will design a large visualization project that meets the standards of quality for professional publication. The student will be required to learn new technologies and to apply tools learned in previous classes.
Prerequisites: JMM 622 and JMM 629 or JMM 650 or JMM 631.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 639. Travel Journalism. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to teach travel journalism, which includes travel storytelling through writing, photography and videography.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

JMM 640. Web Design. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the basic aspects of interaction design and web development, focusing on production processes. It provides an overview of web design concepts including usability, accessibility, information architecture, basic animation, and graphic design; all discussed in the context of the web environment. This course further offers an introduction to fundamental and emerging web trends.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 641. Advanced Audio Video Narratives. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines uses of audio and video to communicate journalism. Students learn to investigate, gather content, and produce documentary stories primarily for online distribution.
Prerequisite: JMM 628.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

JMM 642. Audience Research and Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the primary research methods and metrics used to measure media audiences. Discussion of data collection procedures includes survey research, experimental design, content analysis, focus groups, and the growing use of big data analysis. Media metrics center on broadcast ratings and online exposure measurement. Applications or small-scale projects are conducted for practice.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 643. Media Industry Trends. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the organizational and economic issues that influence today's mass media environment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 644. Feature Writing. 3 Credit Hours.
Analyzing and writing feature articles for magazines, newspapers, and other new media.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 646. Travel Writing. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the major types and styles of travel news and features stories for newspapers, magazines, newsletters, and websites.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
JMM 647. Magazine Planning. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is a magazine planning class where students will create a 32-page print/digital cross-platform niche publication from scratch. It will be based on a business model creating a design and content for a specific audience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 648. Sports and the Media. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the relationship between sports and the media, including stakeholders and the financial component of sports and media, sports production and content, and sports media audiences. The course provides an understanding of the social and economic relationships between sports and media and the effects those relationships have on sports consumers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 649. Team Multimedia Project. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students will work in a team to produce a documentary multimedia project in conjunction with one or more partner universities. Students will study the genre of documentary multimedia storytelling, research their assigned topic(s), content-gather, edit, wireframe, design and program the project and produce it on multiple platforms depending on the topic and intended audience. Students will use audio, photographic, video, infographic and text reporting tools in producing the project. They will also study methodologies for evaluating multimedia and beta test the site using established research methodologies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

JMM 650. 3D Design and Graphics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the use of 3D Design software for communication and how to integrate with other print and digital technologies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

JMM 651. Advanced Programming. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the role of the programmer as journalist. Students will perform the basic tasks of journalism from a programmatic perspective including: gathering, distilling and presenting information. Students will learn how to gather information from public databases and government websites. They will learn how to automate processes for filtering information and learn how to present this information in a visual and interactive news report. Students will also learn how to combine multiple sources of information, to personalize information for the end reader, and account for the relevant permutations of the data. Students will learn to build and query databases as well as mine and visually present the information using programming languages such as PHP and Python. Rapid development frameworks such as Django, Zend and Symfony will also be covered in the class.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

JMM 653. Practicum in Producing News. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The mechanics of planning and executing professional style newscasts and/or long-form television news program.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 654. Writing for Publication. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on writing principles and practices of the news media. It is designed to give the student exposure and practical experience in writing for the print media.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

JMM 655. Media Technology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the deployment, use, and impact of communication technologies in various media contexts from an economic, regulatory, and social perspective.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
M.A. in Journalism

Overview
The Journalism M.A. program is designed to prepare students for professional participation in a number of digital and multimedia news environments, including television, online, mobile, magazine, and newspaper. Coursework stresses journalistic values, critical thinking, and storytelling, combined with the digital and technical skills to create content in the context of today's dynamic and evolving media landscape. In consultation with faculty advisors, students are strongly encouraged to develop areas of special interest, and are required to complete an individually produced, in-depth Qualifying Project.

Journalism M.A. students must complete a minimum of 36 credit hours at the graduate level with the approval of the Chair of the Department of Journalism and Media Management or Director of the Graduate Program in Journalism. Of the 36 credit hours, all must be at or above the 600 level. Students with strong prior experience in a particular area may request a written waiver of a required course from the department chair, upon the demonstration of sufficient expertise in that subject. The program begins in the fall semester with a mandatory bootcamp one week before classes.

JMM 657. Media Entrepreneurship. 3 Credit Hours.
Students generate comprehensive business plans for a proposed media enterprise. Organizational, financial, and marketing aspects of starting a media business are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 659. Web and Media Analytics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the computations, interpretations, and applications of metrics used to measure media audiences across electronic, print, and online platforms.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

JMM 663. Applied Data Analytics for Journalism and Media Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to the procedures used for extracting, processing, and analyzing datasets on web and social media sites.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 692. Special Topics in Journalism and Media Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course subject matter varies according to announced special topic. See class schedule for details.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 695. Special Topics in Journalism. 3 Credit Hours.
This course subject matter varies according to announced special topic. See class schedule for details.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 696. Special Topics in Visual Journalism. 1-6 Credit Hours.
This course subject matter varies according to announced special topic. See class schedule for details.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 699. Advanced Projects and Directed Research. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Individual study. Course may be repeated to a maximum of six credits.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

JMM 815. Multimedia Project. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Students, in consultation with program faculty, will complete a final project that reflects in-depth knowledge and analysis of a subject and professional competence in multimedia storytelling. Course may be repeated to a maximum of six credits.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
begin and the program typically lasts 18 months, unless the student is attending on a part-time basis. Prior training or experience in journalism is preferred, but not required or necessary. As journalism evolves, the core and list of electives will evolve as well.

**Admission Requirements**

The following is a list of the required conditions as well as the required documents/fees for your application for admission to the Master of Arts degree program in the School of Communication.

- A baccalaureate degree from an accredited institution
- The School's official application
- An $85.00 non-refundable application fee
- Three letters of recommendation
- 500-word typed statement of academic and professional goals
- Official transcripts of all college work, both undergraduate and graduate.
  - Note: In addition, international applicants must send an official copy of their diploma for all degrees earned, and all documentation that confers their degree, with English translation for all degrees earned.
  - Note: All transcripts must be the original document, forwarded directly from the university. Xerox copies, true copies, notarized copies and other types of copies are not acceptable.
- Official TOEFL or IELTS scores
  - Note: Only for international applicants.
- Copy of current passport
  - Note: Only for international applicants. The name entered on the graduate application must exactly match your name as it appears on your passport.
- Official Graduate Record Examination (GRE) scores or a portfolio

Contact the Office of Graduate Studies, call 305-284-5236 or email (socgrad@miami.edu), for information.

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CIM 603  Intro to Creative Coding
CIM 615  Interactive Media Business Essentials
CIM 631  Collaborative Innovation Laboratory
CIM 658  360° Immersive Filmmaking and Storytelling

**Final Qualifying Project**

Students, in consultation with a faculty committee of their choosing, will complete a final reporting project that reflects in-depth knowledge and analysis of a subject and professional competence in reporting and presenting it for the appropriate medium.

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**Mission**

The MA program in Journalism program at the University of Miami strives to prepare its students to conduct journalistic research and to turn that information into dynamic content—written, audio, video, digital—for presentation to global media audiences.

**Goals**

Upon graduation, students are prepared to work in a variety of news and information settings and are equipped to gather and analyze information, critically evaluate it, and write and produce material for various media formats, all within the guiding ethical and legal principles for journalism.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Students will demonstrate the ability to acquire, critically analyze, and present journalistic messages in an appropriate format using sound reasoning and journalistic principles.
- Students will demonstrate proficiency in the use of contemporary equipment, technologies, and workflows, as well as key theoretical concepts of audio/visual/interactive storytelling.
• Students will demonstrate the ability to articulate and practice the values, ethics, laws, social responsibilities, and theoretical and methodological foundations of the profession.

M.S. in Media Management

Overview

Created in partnership with the Miami Business School, the Master of Science in Media Management is designed to prepare students for careers on the business side of the industry, such as content distribution and audience research. Students will acquire a solid background to understand and operate in the different segments of the rapidly changing media industry by being exposed to both business principles and key aspects of media management, technology, economics, programming, distribution, measurement, and law. The program allows students to cultivate their own topical interests in required media management courses and electives.

Admission Requirements

The following is a list of the required conditions as well as the required documents/fees for your application for admission to the Master of Arts, Master of Science, or Master of Fine Arts degree in the School of Communication:

• A baccalaureate degree from an accredited institution
• The School’s official application
• An $85.00 non-refundable application fee
• Three letters of recommendation
• 500-word typed statement of academic and professional goals
  • Note: for the Interactive Media M.F.A., please visit this web site (http://com.miami.edu/interactive-media-mfa/) for specific instructions about the statement.
• Official transcripts of all college work, both undergraduate and graduate
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  • Note: All transcripts must be the original document, forwarded directly from the university; Xerox copies, true copies, notarized copies and other types of copies are not acceptable.
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• Official Graduate Record Examination (GRE) scores
  • Note: Required for M.A. applicants in Communication Studies and Public Relations.
  • Note: Journalism M.A. and Interactive Media M.F.A. applicants may send GRE scores or a portfolio.
  • Note: Media Management M.S. applicants may send the official Graduate Record Examination (GRE) or Graduate Management Admission Test (GMAT) scores. Those applicants with at least three years of relevant professional media or business work experience (by the time they apply) may be eligible for a waiver. Eligibility for a waiver depends on the quality and type of professional experience and remains at the discretion of the Department of Journalism and Media Management Chairperson.
• Portfolio
  • Note: Required for Motion Pictures M.F.A. applicants.

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### Mission

The M.S. program in Media Management will prepare students for careers on the business side of the media industry, such as operations, marketing, sales, and research. The program will cover both business principles and key aspects of media management, technology, economics, programming, distribution, research, and law as they pertain to the changing media environment. Students will gain strategic and analytical skills through media case studies and applications.

### Goals

Our graduates should be able to:

- Master business fundamentals;
- Understand the dynamics of the media ecosystem from technological, economic, and regulatory perspectives;
- Learn the role of content in the media ecosystem and its relationship to audience measurement;
- Develop problem-solving skills to address media industry issues and challenges through case studies and applications; and
- Acquire expertise in one or more areas that are consistent with their personal interests.

### Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will demonstrate knowledge of how technological change has influenced the economic transformation of the media ecosystem and the content delivery process across various platforms.
- Students will demonstrate the ability to analyze business plans and audiences using a variety of media industry metrics and research techniques.
- Students will demonstrate the ability to address technological, economic, financial, and legal challenges facing media companies and present cogent and effective solutions.

### Strategic Communication

#### Public Relations (M.A.)

The program offers two tracks. The 30-credit thesis track program provides an opportunity to supplement a working foundation and knowledge with pertinent theory and research methodologies. A second 36-credit, coursework-only non-thesis track program builds from a foundation of public relations and communication courses.
Masters Programs in Strategic Communication

- M.A. in Public Relations (p. 2062)

STC 620. Public Relations Fundamentals. 3 Credit Hours.
A seminar to explore the theories and methodologies of public relations encompassing writing, principles, and campaigns. Students will explore public relations history and gain an understanding of how the various types of public relations (e.g., corporate, firm or agency, not-for-profit, governmental) operate within the larger business system.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

STC 621. Writing for Public Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles and techniques for the development of strategic thinking, information-gathering, and writing public relations messages across traditional, digital, social and web-based media.
Prerequisite: STC 620.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

STC 622. Design for Strategic Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to design principles and tactics used in the creation of public relations messages and campaigns.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

STC 623. Crisis Communication and Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces the student to crisis communication and management from a strategies, theory-based approach steeped in case research from historical cases and business case studies.
Prerequisite: STC 620.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 624. Media Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
Students in this course will get the inside scoop on how to communicate with reporters, will learn why different media outlets cover the same story in different ways, and how fake news is impacting the field of journalism.
Prerequisite: STC 620.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 625. Cases in Public Relations Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
Course analyzes organizational principles, internal budgeting, and evaluation of public relations departments and counseling firms.
Prerequisite: STC 620. Or Requisite: Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 626. Sports, Publicity, and Promotions. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide a review, examination and practical application of sports communications, publicity and promotions in strategic communications.
Prerequisite: STC 620.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 628. Public Relations Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles and practice of public relations management in a variety of contexts including agency, consultancy, corporate, and nonprofit.
Prerequisite: STC 620.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
STC 629. Special Topics Seminar in Public Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
A seminar to identify and discuss the role of fundraising in the not-for-profit sector.
Prerequisite: STC 620.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 632. Seminar in Public Relations and Political Campaigns. 3 Credit Hours.
A seminar to examine the role of public relations in American political campaigns.
Prerequisite: STC 620.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 634. Non-Profit and Public Information Campaigns. 3 Credit Hours.
A public seminar that focuses on non-profit organizations and governmental institutions.
Prerequisites: STC 620, STC 621, STC 622.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 635. Advanced Research Methods for Public Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will delve into the measures, mechanisms, and necessary considerations for measuring public relations effectiveness and evaluating the impact of public relations efforts.
Prerequisites: COM 601, STC 620, COM 602 or COM 603.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 636. Public Relations Campaigns. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory and principles, audience research, strategic planning, and targeted communication are applied in developing a campaign to influence attitudes and behavior on behalf of a real client. A written plan, professional presentation, and teamwork are emphasized. You are expected to meet a substantial challenge by applying and building on knowledge and skills already acquired. Of special concern is how you acquit yourself as a working communication professional that is committed to the goal and who effectively budgets time, plans, exhibits leadership, adheres to ethical and legal practice, and demonstrates a strong work ethic.
Prerequisite: COM 601, STC 620, STC 621 And STC 622.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

STC 644. Seminar in Public Relations Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
To explore through readings, discussion, and research contemporary ethical issues in public relations.
Prerequisite: STC 620. Or Requisite: Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 650. Strategic Communication in Health Care. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides a general introduction to the role of media and strategic communication in healthcare industry. A variety of topics are addressed from handling internal and external communication practice of health-related organizations to applying the principles of strategic communication to areas such as healthcare public relations and social marketing.
Prerequisite: STC 620. Or Requisite: Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 660. Corporate Communication and Public Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on exploring external and internal environment of organizations. Students will learn how organizations use public relations and other forms of communication to strategically and effectively communicate with external and internal publics in today’s complex business environment.
Prerequisites: COM 601, STC 620. Or Requisite: Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
STC 682. International Public Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides a general introduction to the study and practice of public relations within a global marketplace. A variety of topics are addressed including the role of culture in global public relations, differences in styles of public relations practices across international groups and the role organizations play in this process.
Prerequisite: STC 620.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 690. Public Relations Practicum I. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Professional functions related to public relations requirements in a professional environment acting as an account executive.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

STC 691. Special Topics in Public Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
This course subject matter varies according to announced special topic. See class schedule for details.
Prerequisite: STC 620.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 699. Advanced Projects and Directed Research in Public Relations. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Individual study. May be repeated to a maximum of six credits.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

M.A. in Public Relations

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Total Credit Hours: 30

1. Public Relations students must receive a “B” or higher in core courses.
2. No more than 6 credit hours will be allowed for advanced projects and directed research (699).
3. Students must complete a minimum of 30 credit hours at the graduate level with the approval of a faculty advisor.
4. No comprehensive examinations are required for this degree.

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**Curriculum Requirements - Professional (Non-thesis) Track**

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**Electives**

6 elective credit hours must be taken outside the School of Communication’s Public Relations program, with approval of the program’s graduate coordinator.

**COM 825**  
Continuous Registration—Master’s Study

Total Credit Hours 36

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1. Public Relations students must receive a “B” or higher in core courses.
2. Students must complete a minimum of 36 credit hours at the graduate level with the approval of a faculty advisor.
3. No comprehensive examinations are required for this degree.

### Sample Plan of Study

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#### Professional (Non-thesis) Track

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**Total Credit Hours** 9
Mission
The Public Relations Program mission is to prepare professional communicators who understand and can demonstrate the use of theory, research, planning and evaluation in effective public relations practice. We are committed to building students’ ability to apply ethical principles to decision-making and to perceive each communication and its intended audience holistically, based on an understanding of and appreciation for cultural and other differences. We also seek to nurture students’ analytic and creative skills with the goal of graduating insightful, resourceful citizens of a global society.

Student Learning Outcomes
• Students will demonstrate in-depth knowledge of the public relations discipline.
• Students will demonstrate that they can write effectively for public relations.
• Students will demonstrate the ability to communicate orally and present public relations strategies and plans clearly and effectively.

Education and Human Development
http://www.education.miami.edu

Departments
• Educational and Psychological Studies (EPS)
• Kinesiology and Sport Sciences (KIN)
• Teaching and Learning (TAL)

Degree Programs
Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.)
The Doctor of Philosophy degree is designed to develop personnel competent to conduct research in a particular field of education or behavioral sciences. Concentrations are offered in:
• Community Well-Being (EPS)
• Counseling Psychology (EPS)
• Exercise Physiology (KIN)
• Research, Measurement, and Evaluation (EPS)
• Teaching and Learning (TAL)

Doctor of Education (Ed.D.)
The Doctor of Education degree is designed to develop personnel in education competent to utilize the results of research in practical situations. Concentrations are offered in:
Specialist in Education (Ed.S.)
The Specialist in Education degree is an advanced terminal, practice-oriented degree that is designed to prepare recipients to assume positions of leadership within educational and affiliated settings. Concentrations are offered in:

- Early Childhood Special Education (TAL)

Master of Science in Athletic Training (M.S.A.T.)
The Master of Science in Athletic Training degree is a graduate professional program accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Athletic Training Education (CAATE). The program is designed to provide a structured classroom and clinical experience to prepare students to become eligible to sit for the Board of Certification exam.

- Athletic Training (KIN)

Master of Science in Education (M.S.Ed.)
The Master of Science in Education degree is a practice-oriented degree that is designed to prepare its recipients to assume professional positions that require advanced course work and post-graduate degrees. Concentrations are offered in:

- Applied Learning Sciences (TAL)
- Applied Learning Sciences (online) (TAL)
- Applied Physiology (KIN)
- Community and Social Changes (EPS)
- Counseling: Marriage and Family Therapy (EPS)
- Counseling: Mental Health (EPS)
- Early Childhood Special Education (TAL)
- Education and Social Change (TAL)
- Higher Education: Enrollment Management (EPS)
- Higher Education: Institutional Research and Policy Analysis (EPS)
- Higher Education: Student Life and Development (EPS)
- Research, Measurement, and Evaluation (EPS)
- Special Education (TAL)
- Sport Administration (KIN)
- Sport Administration (online) (KIN)
- TESOL (TAL)

NOTE: The School of Education and Human Development’s graduate programs are governed by the rules, regulations, and policies of the larger University and Graduate School. In places where what appears in the following is judged to be in conflict with these other policies, the University and/or Graduate School’s policies will take precedence.

Application Requirements
Admission to all graduate-degree concentrations in the School of Education and Human Development is based on the recommendation of the faculty. Admissions decisions are based on faculty review of the following general requirements that apply to all Graduate Programs in the School as well as specific documents listed under each concentration. Applicants must:

- Graduate Record Exam (GRE) requirements may be waived for applications to Spring 2021 and following, pending final approvals. However, if the GRE is required for admissions, applicants must achieve acceptable scores on the GRE taken within the past five years. International applicants whose native language is not English or applicants whose degrees are from a non-U.S. University must pass the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) or International English Language Testing Systems (IELTS) and the GRE;
- provide official transcripts showing completion of a bachelor’s degree from an accredited institution and an acceptable undergraduate grade point average. A minimum of 3.0 undergraduate GPA is required. Official transcripts from every institution attended by an applicant, whether or not the applicant completed a degree program at the institution, are required;
- provide three letters of recommendation that address the issues and meet the criteria established by the program being applied to;
- provide a personal statement that addresses the mission and purpose of the program being applied to;
- resume;
- take part in an admissions interview (required by some programs); and
• exhibit personal and professional experiences and characteristics that are relevant to the profession and/or field and/or degree program for which the application is being submitted.

**Enrollment Deposit**

Once students have received their offer of admission or conditional admission, they will pay a **non-refundable** enrollment deposit in order to accept their offer of admission.

**Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.)**

*In addition* to the factors listed as general requirements for all applications to the SEHD’s graduate programs, consideration for admission to the Ph.D. program will include the following:

- letters of recommendation should address the applicant’s **academic** potential;
- available student space in the program;
  - For TAL: availability of faculty advisor willing to mentor the student.
  - For EPS: Counseling: receipt of completed applications by the predetermined cut-off date. Please reference the SEHD web site, as doctoral applications are reviewed once each year.

**Doctor of Education (Ed.D.)**

*In addition* to the factors listed as general requirements for all applications to the SEHD’s graduate programs, consideration for admission to the Ed.D. program will include the following:

- letters of recommendation should address the applicant’s academic potential;
- available student space in the program; and
- admissions interview.

**Specialist in Education (Ed.S.)**

*In addition* to the factors listed as general requirements for all applications to the SEHD’s graduate programs, consideration for admission to the Ed.S. program will include the following:

- completion of a master’s degree with an outstanding record from an accredited institution;
- adequacy of previous study in the field for which the Ed.S. is being requested;
- an appropriate period of successful teaching experience;
- acceptable scores on the Graduate Record Examination (GRE); or approval of a GRE waiver. Applicants who seek a GRE waiver must have taught for a minimum of three years in a full-time capacity, fill out and submit a GRE waiver form, and submit a 3-page essay on an important educational.

**Master of Science in Athletic Training (M.S.A.T.)**

*In addition* to the factors listed as general requirements for all applications to the SEHD’s graduate programs, consideration for admission to the M.S.A.T. program will include the following:

- B.A. or B.S. in exercise science/kinesiology or a related field,
- A minimum 3.0 cumulative GPA
- A minimum 297 GRE score and 4.0 Analytical Writing score. A waiver of the GRE requirement may be available. Please contact the program director for more information
- A minimum of 100 observation experience hours (volunteer hours or work hours) with an Athletic Trainer is required
- At least one of the recommendation letters above must be written by an Athletic Trainer
- An interview may be required. Applicants will be notified as appropriate; and
- Applicants must complete or be enrolled in the prerequisite coursework listed below prior to acceptance and/or enrollment (Please contact the Program Director for course equivalency information)

**Required prerequisite coursework for admissions**

At the undergraduate or graduate level

- Anatomy & Physiology (Separate or combined a minimum of 6 credits)
- Biology: Introduction with Lab
- Chemistry: Introduction with Lab
- Introduction to Physics
- Introduction to Statistics
- Psychology: Intro to Psychology or Sports Psychology (preferred)
In addition to the above courses, CPR Certification is required (AHA BLS for Healthcare Providers or equivalent as indicated by Board of Certification's ECC list). Students must have proof of current certification before the start of classes and maintain certification throughout the program.

**Recommended foundational coursework for admissions**

The following courses are suggested foundational areas of knowledge that are included in the curriculum of the MSAT program. However, introductory courses in the areas below may provide the student with extra preparation for the rigorous graduate coursework of the MSAT program. Therefore, these courses are suggested but not required for admissions or for completion of the degree program:

- Nutrition: Introduction to Nutrition or Sports Nutrition
- Exercise Physiology
- Kinesiology and/or Biomechanics
- Care & Prevention of Athletic Injuries, Intro to Athletic Training, or Equivalent

**Transfer of courses**

Transfer of graduate credits previously earned from other accredited healthcare degree-granting programs is determined on a case-by-case basis. The Program Director and the appropriate course instructor(s) will review the transfer course syllabus to ensure the content match those of the program’s course and that all competencies can be identified. Credits can be transferred ONLY if they are less than six years old, were taken from a graduate degree program, and taken in an accredited institution. In addition, students must have earned a grade of B or better in the course.

**Master of Science in Education (M.S.Ed.)**

In addition to the factors listed as general requirements for all applications to the SEHD’s graduate programs, consideration for admission to the M.S.Ed. program will include the following:

- For some M.S.Ed. programs in TAL: Teachers with at least three years full-time teaching experience may apply for a GRE waiver for programs in the Department of Teaching and Learning. An application for a waiver of the GRE requirement may be found on the SEHD web site. Teachers who apply for a GRE waiver must submit a 3-page essay on an important topic in education.
- For Community and Social Change (EPS): Professionals who have worked full-time for at least three years in a not-for-profit setting may apply for a waiver of the GRE requirement. Please contact the program directly for conditions governing this waiver.
- For Sport Administration (KIN): Applicants with 3-years of professional work experience or military experience may apply for a GRE waiver. Please contact the program directly for specific waiver criteria.

**International Applications**

All international applications must provide additional information and meet additional requirements as required by the UM Graduate School and the UM Office of International Admissions. For an appropriate link to these requirements, please visit the Graduate School website.

**Admission Decision**

Once an applicant has been admitted to graduate study, that individual should meet with the faculty advisor who was appointed to serve in that capacity and whose name appears in the admissions letter. This advisor will help the student enroll in courses that are appropriate to the program; to develop and to refine a Program of Study (all doctoral degrees) or Course Sequence Plan (all master degrees) that must be on file in the Office of Graduate Studies by the end of the first semester of study.

**Application Requirements for Online Programs**

In addition to holding the baccalaureate degree from an institution accredited by SACS or another regional accrediting body, the applicant for admission to the Graduate School should have the prerequisite coursework/work experience required by the program to which he/she is applying. In general, those applying for graduate admission should have achieved an overall average grade of “B” or better (3.0 G.P.A. on a 4.0 scale). International students will be required to give evidence of adequate knowledge of English through a TOEFL or IELTS test score.

*Admission of a student to the University of Miami for any semester does not imply that such student will be re-enrolled in any succeeding academic semesters.*

If students would like to apply to a UOnline program, they will need to create a profile and apply online via our on line application portal found here (https://myonline.miami.edu/SignIn/). Here students will be assigned a personal Enrollment Advisor who will help guide them as the student submits all the components and required documents for their application. Students’ Enrollment Advisors will also guide them through the onboarding process and be available to answer any questions. Students will then transition to their UOnline Student Advocate who will work with them through their first year, then transition to their designated Academic Advisor for important Graduation and completion requirements throughout the remainder of their program.

**International Students (who attended college/university outside of the United States)**

All graduate applicants who have attended a college or university outside the United States must submit official transcripts and diplomas (if available) from all colleges and universities attended to one of the three approved evaluation services listed below. Follow the specific instructions of the selected evaluation service to request a course-by-course evaluation with degree equivalency and grade point average (gpa) calculation. We do not issue any student Visa’s for International UOnline students.
All online international students who have been admitted to an online program at the University of Miami are not eligible for an F-1 visa.

The evaluation report and copy of all the official documents used in the evaluation must be sent directly from one of the three approved evaluation services to the address below. It is the responsibility of the student to ensure their evaluation is sent to the correct address. Evaluations sent to other addresses on campus will not be received and will delay the admissions process.

University of Miami
Online Enrollment Office
1320 South Dixie Highway
Gables One Tower – Suite 902, Locator Code: 2991
Miami, FL 33146

The evaluation report and supporting documents are required before the Admissions Committee can review the application. Any documents received by the University will become the property of the University and will not be returned to the applicant or sent to a third party including the evaluation services.

Approved Evaluation Services
- Educational Credential Evaluators, Inc. (ECE) (https://www.ece.org/)
- World Education Services (WES) (http://www.wes.org/students/)

TOEFL (Test of English as a Foreign Language)
If students do not hold a U.S. undergraduate degree, they may be required to take the TOEFL exam. If they are required to submit a TOEFL score, students should visit this web page (http://www.ets.org/toefl/) to arrange to take the test. The TOEFL and IELTS scores are valid for 2 years after the test date. The TOEFL code for the University of Miami is 5815.

The University will consider candidates with these minimum TOEFL scores; however, TOEFL score requirements may vary by program:

- TOEFL Internet Minimum Score: 94
- TOEFL Computer Minimum Score: 240
- TOEFL Paper Minimum Score: 600

TOEFL Waiver
The TOEFL requirement may be waived for non-native English speakers provided they meet one of the following criteria:

- Students earned their undergraduate degree in a country where the official language is English (this does not include degrees from just English-speaking institutions or just a country where English is spoken).
- Students studied in the United States at an undergraduate level for at least one year or the equivalent of 30 consecutive credit hours.
- Students have lived and worked in an English-speaking country for the past two or more years.

Letters of Recommendation
Students will input their recommender's information directly into the online application which will generate an email with a unique link sent directly to the recommender. Letters of Recommendations must be submitted directly by the student's recommender using the unique link provided to them via email. Letters of Recommendation received in a Word document, body of an email, or any other format will not be accepted. The student's Enrollment Advisor may provide guidance to the recommender if they have technical trouble or questions regarding the process.

Admissions & Admissions Decisions
Once the University receives the student's complete application with all required documents, the admissions review process will start.

Regular Admit (with Official Transcripts)
If the application meets the standard admissions requirements and the University has received all official transcripts, from all institutions entered on their online application, the student will receive an offer of full admission in approximately 48 business hours after the University has received the completed application. The student will receive an official email from the Enrollment Advisor and be able to view the admissions decision via their Online Application portal.

Conditional Admit (with Unofficial Transcripts and/or Test Scores)
If the application fully meets the standard admissions requirements, the student may be conditionally admitted if the University has received and accepted the unofficial transcripts for all institutions attended, as entered on their online application, and/or the student's unofficial test scores (if
required). Unofficial transcripts may be considered acceptable **ONLY IF** the document is in a pdf format and **ALL** of the following items are legible on the transcript document:

- Name of the institution
- Student name
- Cumulative Grade Point Average (preferred)
- Course numbers
- Course names
- Credit earned
- Grade earned
- Degree conferred with date (if applicable)
- No other documents will be accepted

Students receive notification typically **within 48 business hours** after the University has received a complete application (including other required documentation) that the student has been Conditionally Admitted. The notification of Conditional Admission will also address the requirements the student will have to satisfy in order to be officially admitted. The failure to meet any of these conditions will be grounds for the withdrawal of the Conditional Admission and/or the withdrawal from all programs. The student will receive an official email from his/her Enrollment Advisor and be able to view the admissions decision via your Online Application portal.

Students **MUST** pay their tuition bill or have accepted their Financial Aid Award, no later than by the payment due date. Once students are fully admitted and have paid their non-refundable enrollment deposit, and successfully passed the Student Readiness Orientation (SRO), they may be eligible to receive financial aid within the same term, provided the University has granted the student full admission during the same academic year. Students may start their course and continue through the term as long as they have been awarded Financial Aid, and have accepted their Financial Aid award no later than the first day of class. Student’s Financial Aid funds **will not be disbursed** until the student has participated in their first course and all official admissions documents and all required Financial Aid documents have been received. Students are responsible for checking CaneLink to ensure that their funding is ready for disbursement.

Students will not be registered for the next term until their current balance is paid in full. In the event the student’s financial aid award is delayed, students should work directly with their Student Advocate or Academic Advisor to determine the appropriate next steps and ensure they meet the appropriate payment deadlines. Students should refer to the Academic Calendar (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/) for important deadlines regarding Financial Aid Application due dates. Students may submit their FAFSA after the Financial Aid application priority consideration due date, but may have to use an alternative form of payment if their Financial Aid is not processed by the required payment deadlines.

Students should review the Monthly Payment Plan (MPP) (http://bulletin.miami.edu/graduate-student-handbook-online-students/cost-fees-billing-payment/) section for guidance on setting up a monthly payment plan, as well as the Payment Policies section for payment options and consequences for non-payment. Monthly payment plans are available for students at the beginning of each term. Fall and Spring MPP consist of four (4) payments; however, Summer MPP consist of three (3) payment options and is **only available to online students** at this time. **UM Employees are not eligible for Monthly Payment Plans at this time.**

Students should review the Transcripts section for official transcripts deadlines and consequences if the University has not received all official transcripts. Students should also review the UOnline (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/) Academic Calendar (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/) for official transcript deadlines.

**Accepting Admission**

When a student’s admission decision has been made, the student will receive an official Admissions decision email from the Enrollment Advisor which includes next steps (https://myonlinesupport.miami.edu/recently-admitted/) for accepting their offer. Students can also view the admissions decision the online application portal found here (https://myonline.miami.edu/).

A student’s Enrollment Advisor will guide him/her through the next steps (https://myonlinesupport.miami.edu/recently-admitted/) to accept their offer of admission and pay their non-refundable enrollment deposit. A student’s offer of admission has not been accepted until their non-refundable enrollment deposit has been paid.

Students will have **fourteen (14) calendar days** to accept their offer of admission by paying their non-refundable $300 Enrollment Deposit. If a student fails to accept their offer of admission within the fourteen (14) calendar day timeframe according to the Deposit Date on the official Admission letter, the student’s application will be withdrawn. Students who apply late will forfeit the full (14) calendar day acceptance policy and will be required to accept their offer no later than the last official Deposit Deadline as set on the UOnline Academic Calendar (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/), which may be less than (14) calendar days. Students should refer to their official Admissions letter for their exact deposit deadline. If a student chooses to reapply, they will need to wait one (1) additional term before reapplying. Deferrals are not permitted unless the student has been approved for a Deferral Exception (https://qafederation.ngwebsolutions.com/sp/startSSO.ping?RequestedDynamicFormTemplate=2688d0b9-6031-4812-8f79-84fe37812020).
Deferral Exception Appeal

In extenuating circumstances, students may choose to apply for a Deferral Exception ([https://qafederation.ngwebsolutions.com/sp/startSSO.ping?RequestedDynamicFormTemplate=2688d0b9-6031-4812-8f79-84fe37812020](https://qafederation.ngwebsolutions.com/sp/startSSO.ping?RequestedDynamicFormTemplate=2688d0b9-6031-4812-8f79-84fe37812020)). Students who choose not to accept their offer of admission must apply for a Deferral Exception no later than their Deposit Deadline as specified by the Admissions letter, or will be withdrawn and will need to wait one (1) additional term before reapplying. Deferral Exception Requests are only eligible for the next immediate term. Students who would like to wait to start in future terms will need to reapply and should contact their Enrollment Advisor for additional information regarding documents required for admission. Any student who has already accepted their offer of admissions must apply for a Deferral Exception no later than the official Completed Enrollment Application Deadline for their current term as per the Academic Calendar. ([http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/](http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/)) Deferral requests submitted after the deadline will not be reviewed. Any student who has already been withdrawn due to missing their deposit deadline, failing their SRO requirement, or by voluntarily submitting a Withdrawal request will not be eligible to defer and must reapply.

- If a student’s Deferral Exception application is **denied**, the student’s offer of admission will be withdrawn and they must wait one (1) additional term before reapplying.
- If a student’s Deferral Exception is **approved**, the student’s start date will be updated to the next immediate term and the student will be sent a new admissions letter indicating the approval and updated start date.
  - If a student **has not accepted** their offer of admission, and is approved for a deferral exception, the student will have fourteen (14) calendar days to accept their offer from the date of the deferral approval as per their deferral approval letter. If a student does not accept their offer of admission within the fourteen (14) calendar day time frame, the student’s application will be withdrawn and the student must sit out (1) one additional term before reapplying.
  - If a student **has already accepted** their offer of admission, and has been approved for a deferral exception, the student’s start date will be updated and a new admissions letter will be sent with the updated term and approval. If a student chooses to withdraw before the census date or is administratively withdrawn for any reason, the student must sit out one (1) additional term before reapplying to the program.

Any student who chooses to reapply for a future term is **not guaranteed admission** and will be subject to any changes in tuition, scholarships, and/or admissions requirements for that term.

The offer of Admission Expiration

Offers of Admission are **valid for one term only unless a Deferral Exception has been granted**. To officially accept the offer of admission, a student must log into Canelink ([https://myonlinesupport.miami.edu/recently-admitted/](https://myonlinesupport.miami.edu/recently-admitted/)) and pay their non-refundable enrollment deposit. If a student has not accepted an offer of admission within the fourteen (14) day time frame/deadline on their official Admissions Letter, he/she must reapply to the University and program after sitting out one additional term. Student should contact the Online Enrollment Office to verify what documents must be submitted for consideration.

Reapplying/Readmission

There are a few situations in which students have to reapply to a program. Students will have to reapply to a program if:

- A student’s original Offer of Admission has expired and he/she never started the online program.
- A student requests to change to a different program.
- A student has been withdrawn from his/her program for more than 1 calendar year (3 consecutive terms).
- A student failed to meet the requirements of a Conditional Admission.
- A student failed or did not complete the Student Readiness Orientation (SRO)
- A student’s Deferral Exception Appeal was denied

To reapply, students can login and start the Online Application ([https://myonline.miami.edu/signup/](https://myonline.miami.edu/signup/)) using their previous log-in credentials. A student should contact the Online Enrollment Office at 1-800-411-2290 if they have questions regarding the application. All students who are readmitted will need to complete the Student Readiness Orientation (SRO) by their deadline, regardless of prior completion, and adhere to all admissions deadlines as set forth in the Academic Calendar.

Not Admitted

If a student’s application does NOT meet the standard admissions requirements, he/she will receive a notification that he/she has not been admitted into the program typically **within 48 business hours** after the University received the student’s completed application. Students will receive an email from their Enrollment Advisor and be able to view their admissions decision via their Online Application portal ([https://myonline.miami.edu/signup/](https://myonline.miami.edu/signup/)).

If a student is not admitted into a program, he/she will receive an explanatory email from the Enrollment Advisor and will be able to view their admissions decision via their Online Application portal. Students may be eligible to reapply once they have met the admission requirements or choose to apply to a new program. A student’s Enrollment Advisor will contact a student to discuss their options.
**Transcripts for Admissions**

**Official Transcripts**
- MUST Arrive in a sealed envelope with the school's stamp/seal across the back or on the institution's official envelope
- Be opened only by a member of the University of Miami admission staff
- Have a Registrar's signature and/or watermark and/or indented seal which appears on the transcript

Mailing Address for submission of transcripts:

University of Miami

Online Enrollment Office

1320 South Dixie Highway

Gables One Tower –Suite 902, Locator Code: 2991

Miami, FL 33146

Please ensure that the locator code is included in the address. Transcripts may not be received if address is missing the locator code or sent to another address on campus. **Students are responsible for ensuring that they have their transcripts sent to the address above** and are subject to all deadlines as per the Academic Calendar (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/).

**Electronic Transcripts**

Electronic transcripts will be considered official only if they are sent directly from the accredited institution and received directly by the Online Enrollment Office at etranscripts@miami.edu. A transcript sent directly to the student's Enrollment Advisor will be considered as unofficial and will need to be re-sent to the official etranscripts address.

**Official Transcripts, Scores & Conditional Admission**

The University must receive official transcripts for all institutions attended, as entered on their online application, before any student can be considered fully admitted into the University.

**Official Transcripts/International Evaluations Due Date**

If a student was Conditionally Admitted into a program with unofficial transcripts, the University MUST receive the student's official transcripts from all institutions attended, as entered on their online application, or International Evaluations from an approved evaluation service, **by the date listed on the UOnline Academic Calendar**. A student's Admissions letter will provide the exact due date for the official transcript(s) and he/she may check Canelink to verify that the University has received the student's official transcripts. Students should refer to the Academic Calendar (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/) for important due dates.

**Official Test Scores Due Date**

If a student was Conditionally Admitted into a program with unofficial test scores and is required to submit official GRE, GMAT or TOEFL official test scores, the University MUST receive their official test scores **by the date listed on the UOnline Academic Calendar**. A student’s Admissions letter will provide the exact due date for the student’s official test score(s) and he/she may check Canelink to verify that the University has received the student’s official test scores. Students should refer to the Academic Calendar (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/) for important due dates.

**UONLINE OFFICIAL TEST SCORE SCHOOL CODES**

**TOEFL CODES:** Institution: 5815

**GRE CODES:** Institution (All UOnline programs): 4405

**GMAT CODES:**
- School of Business - UOnline Finance/Accounting Certificate: 7NV-S1-23
- School of Business - UOnline Master of Finance: 7NV-S1-35
- School of Business - UOnline Master of Professional Accounting: 7NV-S1-53
- School of Business - UOnline Professional MBA: 7NV-S1-01
- **College of Arts & Sciences** - UOnline Master of Public Administration: 7NV-HM-66
- **School of Education** - UOnline Master & EdD of Applied Learning Sciences: 7NV-HM-66

**Financial Aid & Tuition Payment**

If students apply for Financial Aid, Financial Aid will be **NOT be awarded until the University has received the official transcripts from all institutions attended and/or test scores, if required.**

Because Financial Aid will not be awarded until official transcripts from all institutions attended and test scores are received, a student MUST pay the tuition bill by the payment due date. Students should review the Payment policies for payment options and consequences for non-payment.
Official Transcripts and Test Scores Not Received
If Official Transcripts and/or Test Scores (if required) are NOT received by the due date:

• A student will be removed from their current course and next course
• A student will be administratively withdrawn and may be reinstated if the University receives the student's official transcripts.
• A student may owe a tuition balance from being withdrawn and must have their tuition bill paid in full before being eligible for reinstatement

Enrollment Deposit
Once students have received their offer of admission or conditional admission, they will pay a non-refundable enrollment deposit in order to accept their offer of admission. Once the deposit in full has been received, students will be required to complete and pass their Student Readiness Orientation (SRO) within (4) four weeks or by the deadline provided, in order to be eligible for their first term registration.

What the Enrollment Deposit Is
The enrollment deposit payment is:

• Paid one time per UOnline program
• Non-refundable including if the student's Offer of Admission has expired, he/she failed the Student Readiness Orientation (SRO), and he/she never started the program or if they were conditionally admitted and did not meet the conditions for full admission.
• Due no later than the date listed on the academic calendar.
• Applied against a student's 1st tuition bill
• Valid for as long as the Offer of Admission is valid:
  • If a student's Offer of Admission for their UOnline program has expired and he/she reapplications to any program (campus-based or online), a student will be required to pay the deposit again and any applicable fees.
  • Transferable to a new UOnline program: if a student applies to a new UOnline program while the existing Offer of Admission is still valid, the student will not have to pay the deposit again.
• Not transferrable to any campus-based program.

Paying the Enrollment Deposit
After a student has received the Offer of Admission, the student will be provided access to Canelink (https://canelink.miami.edu/) to pay the student's enrollment deposit with the following payment options:

• Online Credit Card payment:
  • MasterCard
  • Visa
  • American Express
  • Discover
• E-check (drawn on a US bank only)
  • Bank-to-Bank, Exchange Bureau or Wire Transfer.
    • Students are responsible for any fees or currency exchange processing charged by their bank or exchange bureau when transferring funds and should account for this when sending tuition payments.
• International Payments with Flywire (http://www.miami.edu/finance/index.php/student_account_services/cashier_services-1/international_student_payments/)

Degree Requirements
In addition to the formal academic requirements (as outlined below), the School of Education and Human Development requires its students to demonstrate personal qualities that, in the judgment of the faculty, would permit them to function effectively in their professional roles. The School of Education and Human Development reserves the right to dismiss any students who are academically or personally unwilling or unable to carry out the professional responsibilities of the respective profession for which they are being trained. Conduct which may be considered unprofessional may include, but is not limited to, research or professional misconduct; dishonesty, cheating, plagiarism; exercise of professionally poor judgment; sexual harassment, discrimination on the basis of race, ethnicity, religion, or sexual orientation; and inappropriate interpersonal behavior. It is up to all students to fulfill their responsibilities in a timely and professional manner, to represent themselves and the University with honesty, and to treat others with dignity and respect.

Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.)
Upon admission to graduate study, a supervisory committee, consisting of at least four members (composed as per UM Graduate School regulations), will be appointed by the School of Education and Human Development.

The student will meet with the chairperson of this committee to design a Program of Study/Residency Plan.
The Program of Study/Residency Plan must be approved by the supervisory committee, the department chairperson, and the Office of Graduate Studies in the School of Education and Human Development.

The Program of Study/Residency Plan must be filed with the Office of Graduate Studies in the School of Education and Human Development by the end of the second semester of enrollment or future registration will not be permitted.

All students are required to submit to the Admission’s Coordinator a signed Graduate Handbook Acknowledgement of Receipt and the Graduate Student Honor Code by the end of their first semester of enrollment.

The residence requirement is two full-time consecutive semesters of coursework at the University of Miami.

The minimum total credit hours required beyond the Bachelor’s are 60, plus a minimum of 12 dissertation research credit hours.

15 credit hours of statistics and research methods are required as prescribed by the supervisory committee.

A student must pass a Qualifying Examination before being admitted to Candidacy for a doctorate. The content and conditions for administering the Qualifying Examination are defined by the program area in which a student is enrolled.

A student's score on the Qualifying Examination is the professional judgment of the supervisory committee that was appointed to score that examination. As such, no academic appeals of scores on Qualifying Examination are possible.

If a student fails an initial attempt at passing a program's Qualifying Examination, the student's supervisory committee may allow a student a second opportunity to pass a new Qualifying Examination that is administered within a year of the original, at its sole discretion.

A student who fails a program's Qualifying Examination may not proceed any farther in the program and is, instead, dismissed at the end of the then-current term. Beyond the then-current term in which a student's Qualifying Examination is scored, no additional financial assistance will be provided to a student who is scheduled to be dismissed from the program for failure in the Qualifying Examination.

Students are required to complete all Ph.D. requirements within eight years of initial enrollment.

**Doctor of Education (Ed.D.)**

Upon admission to graduate study, a supervisory committee, consisting of at least four members (composed as per UM Graduate School regulations), will be appointed by the School of Education and Human Development.

The student will meet with the chairperson of this committee to design a Program of Study/Residency Plan.

The Program of Study/Residency Plan must be approved by the supervisory committee, the department chairperson, and the Office of Graduate Studies in the School of Education and Human Development.

The Program of Study/Residency Plan must be filed with the Office of Graduate Studies in the School of Education and Human Development by the end of the second semester of enrollment or future registration will not be permitted.

All students are required to submit to the Admission’s Coordinator a signed Graduate Handbook Acknowledgement of Receipt and the Graduate Student Honor Code by the end of their first semester of enrollment.

The minimum total credit hours required beyond the Bachelor’s are 60, plus a minimum of 12 dissertation research credit hours.

A supporting area consisting of at least 12 credit hours is required; the student must be qualified for admission to graduate status in this area, and receive approval for enrollment from the appropriate department and from the School of Education and Human Development.

A minimum of 12 credit hours of statistics and research methods are required as prescribed by the supervisory committee.

Students are required to complete all Ed.D. requirements within eight years of initial enrollment.

**Specialist in Education (Ed.S.)**

The Specialist in Education is a terminal degree that is independent of both doctoral degrees (Ph.D. and Ed.D.) that are offered by the SEHD.

Although there is normally some overlap in coursework, admission to a specialist program does not imply that the student has been or will be admitted to a doctoral program.

A supervisory committee consisting of three faculty members in the student’s area of study will be appointed by the School of Education and Human Development.

Upon admission to the specialist program, a formal program of study is approved by the Supervisory Committee.

A minimum of 60 graduate credit hours, (or 30 credit hours after completion of the Master’s program) is required.
The program must include at least 30 graduate credit hours earned at the University of Miami and at least 18 graduate credit hours earned following admission to the specialist program. The specialist program of study is developed in consultation with the Supervisory Committee that consists of 3 faculty members (a chairperson and 2 other members).

Students must pass a comprehensive written examination, portfolio (with an oral examination as a possible additional requirement), capstone course, project, thesis, or requirement specified by the program. When a thesis is chosen, a maximum of 6 credit hours may be counted toward the total degree requirements, and an oral examination in defense of the thesis will be required. The written comprehensive examination will cover the student's program of study. The examination must be taken during or after the final semester in which the student is enrolled for coursework in the program. The project will be directed by the Chairperson of the Specialist Supervisory Committee.

All specialist students must engage in teaching and/or research appropriate to their degree program.

All work for the degree of Specialist in Education must be completed within six years of initial enrollment.

Master of Science in Athletic Training (M.S.A.T.)
A minimum of 60 graduate credit hours is required.

All work towards the Master's degree must be completed within six years of initial enrollment.

Master of Science in Education (M.S.Ed.)
A minimum of 30 graduate credit hours is required.

EPS: Students enrolled in any counseling program must complete the required 15-credits of practicum and “Personal Growth Experience” form.

TAL: Students enrolled in any certification program that has been approved by Florida Department of Education must fulfill any and all additional requirements that are specified by the program approval.

Students must pass a comprehensive written examination, portfolio (with an oral examination as a possible additional requirement), capstone course, project, thesis, or requirement specified by the program. When a thesis is chosen, a maximum of 6 credit hours may be counted toward the total degree requirements, and an oral examination in defense of the thesis will be required. The written comprehensive examination will cover the student's program plan. The examination must be taken during or after the final semester in which the student is enrolled for coursework in the program. The project will be directed by the student's advisor.

All work towards the Master's degree must be completed within six years of initial enrollment.

Honor Code/Handbook of Policies and Procedures
The School of Education and Human Development follows the Graduate School's Honor Code. All students are required to review the Graduate Student Honor Code and the School of Education and Human Development's Handbook of Policies and Procedures for Graduate Students and submit the signed Acknowledgement of Receipt located on page 3 by the end of their first semester of enrollment.

Continuous Enrollment
The School of Education and Human Development adheres to the Graduate School's continuous enrollment requirement.

Financial Assistance
Financial assistance whose sources of funding are outside of the School of Education and Human Development, for example, Federal loans provided by the University of Miami, shall be governed by all applicable rules, regulations, and policies. Specifically, many federal loans and grants have conditions limiting the programs and/or courses to which they may be applied. Some federal loans are restricted to graduate courses only; some fellowships, grants or traineeships may entail post-graduation employment commitments. Alternatively, private scholarships or fellowships may have their own conditions. Before accepting any form of financial assistance, please be sure to ask about and to fully understand the conditions that govern whatever type of financial assistance you are offered.

In addition to University-wide fellowships and the availability of student loans, the School of Education and Human Development may provide financial assistance for students enrolled in its graduate programs. These may include tuition-based scholarships, teacher-tuition scholarships, training fellowships, graduate student assistants, and other forms of help.

Notwithstanding a student's time to completion, the School of Education and Human Development limits a student's eligibility for scholarships and other financial assistance that is under its control to five years from the time of initial enrollment.

Scholarship-based financial assistance is to be used only for courses that define each student's program of study. Students who enroll in courses outside of their program of study will be charged full tuition for those courses.

Teacher Tuition Scholarships do not apply to doctoral (Ph.D. and Ed.D.) programs.
Tuition scholarship assistance may not be applied to the retaking of courses for any reason whatsoever.

Educational and Psychological Studies

http://sites.education.miami.edu/eps/

Dept. Code: EPS

Programs

Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.)
- Community Well-Being
- Counseling Psychology
- Research, Measurement, and Evaluation

Doctor of Education (Ed.D.)
- Higher Education Leadership

Master of Science in Education (M.S.Ed.)
- Community and Social Change
- Counseling:
  - Marriage and Family Therapy
  - Mental Health Counseling
- Higher Education Administration:
  - Enrollment Management
  - Institutional Research and Policy Analysis
  - Student Life and Development
- Research, Measurement, and Evaluation

Certificates (Non-Degree Programs)
- Higher Education Administration:
  - Enrollment Management
  - Student Life and Development
- Latino Mental Health Counseling

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EPS 601. Field Studies in Education. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Individual study of a school or school system, identifying its strengths and weaknesses, and making positive recommendations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
EPS 605. Regression Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
The aim of this course is to provide a solid foundation in the basic concepts of multivariate statistics, and its application to practical research questions. This course extends the content of EPS 671 (ANOVA methods) and EPS 672 (regression methods) to cover methods used when there are multiple dependent variables to be modeled simultaneously. This course focuses on the traditional multivariate methods (as opposed to the contemporary models of structure equation modeling) that see wide use in the behavioral sciences. The general topics covered in the course include, but are not limited to: introductory matrix algebra, multivariate analysis of variance (MANOVA), factorial MANOVA, discriminant function analysis, and exploratory factor analysis. In all cases, this course is intended to provide a solid conceptual background of these topics, as well as a thorough description/practice of the application of these topics to real data scenarios.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 620. Workshop in Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Study in special interest areas in education.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPS 622. Community Well-being and Change: Theory and Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to promote an understanding of the factors associated with healthy communities. It provides a comprehensive overview of the relevant skills and theories including: ecological/systems theory/models; community theories (sense of community, social capital, environmental psychology); and critical social theory, social justice, and social determinants of well-being.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 623. Development and Change in Community Organizations: Theory and Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the unique role of non-profit, community-based organizations in promoting human and community development. Students will engage in an analysis of the range of functions that organizations serve and the various organizational strategies used in community settings.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 624. Essentials of Research in Social and Behavioral Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of the standards methods and techniques of research in the behavioral and social sciences. Brief orientation to quantitative and qualitative procedures used in the analysis and interpretation of research data are emphasized.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 625. Program Evaluation. 3 Credit Hours.
Terminology, models, standards, practices, and common problems associated with program evaluation in Educational and Social Service settings. Prerequisite: EPS 670 and 553 or equivalents.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 626. Multicultural Communities in a Globalized Society. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the relationship between multiculturalism and globalization and how these concepts impact education and the world at large. Topics include dimensions of human diversity, identities and acculturation; race and class; gender and power; children and youth; social inclusion and social justice; health disparities; poverty and work; racism and inequality.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 627. Community Youth Development. 3 Credit Hours.
This course in community youth development (CYD) will focus on the philosophical, sociological, and educational foundations of a youth development perspective that highlights youth as powerful catalysts for change and positive forces in shaping communities. We reflect on how youth development is inextricably linked with family and community development. After reviewing and critiquing traditional adolescent development theories, students will engage with theories and practices of CYD, youth empowerment, youth civic engagement, youth organizing, social justice youth development, youth activism, and critical youth engagement.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.
EPS 628. Social Change Praxis. 3 Credit Hours.
In this course, we will explore the meaning of social change and the nature of power, examine past and present social movements, and learn about the strategies and methods groups have used to build community and deploy collective power in their efforts to change minds, systems, institutions, policies, communities, and nations. Together, we will learn more about critical theories of power, collaboration, systems, and social mobilization, and look at real-life cases to see how theory can be applied in practice. The concept of praxis was chosen as the organizing framework because it requires students to develop an intellectual relationship to their activism. Praxis, simply put, means action informed by theory. In addition to reflecting upon our own values and assumptions as agents of change, we will develop skills for facilitating engaging discussions, recruiting and motivating community members, developing a shared social analysis, mobilizing resources, and building coalitions for social change. We will identify common strategies used in successful campaigns and analyze the choices groups have made in their pursuit of the collective power necessary to achieve their social change goals.
Prerequisite: EPS 622. And EPS 623. And EPS 624. And EPS 625. And EPS 626.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

EPS 629. Seminar in Community and Social Change. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is a combination of self-directed and guided elements aiming to build your skills as a reflective, theory and science-based practitioner. To this end, the course provides in-depth exploration and application of core readings and theories in community and social change. The purpose of this course is to apply these core concepts to your practicum and provide a space for critical reflection on your practicum experience (student placement in an organization or a foreign culture). Thus, the course includes both didactic and practicum elements throughout the semester. The didactic aspect focuses on intervention theory and method from a community psychology perspective; the student placement represents a structured opportunity to learn about intervention theory as applied to a particular setting.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPS 635. Special Topics in Educational and Psychological Studies. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Review of emerging policy, practice, empirical research and scholarly writing on important educational issues for which formal course title and syllabus have not been developed and formalized in the UM Bulletin. Allows for experimental instructional formats. This course is designed for students wishing to focus on a specific area of study within the umbrella of Educational and Psychological Studies. Topics will be offered based on current trends in the field as well as student and faculty interest. Students will be given supervision and support.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 667. Professional, Legal and Ethical Issues in Counseling. 3 Credit Hours.
Professional, legal, ethical, and licensing issues in the counseling profession.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

EPS 668. Social and Cultural Diversity and Counseling. 3 Credit Hours.
Interrelationship between psychology and sociology in understanding development of diversity in human social systems. Implications for counseling and therapy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 669. Psychopathology for Counselors. 3 Credit Hours.
In depth introduction to abnormal human behavior patterns of concern to mental health professionals. Clinical conditions will be examined within the context of currently most viable theory and research relating to etiology, assessment, diagnosis and treatment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 670. Dynamics of Marriage and Family Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the history and development of marriage and family systems theory as a method for understanding individuals' behavior and functioning. Introduction to several modes of family therapy. Throughout the course, lectures will also be integrated with other topics including race, culture, gender, sexual orientation, ability.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
EPS 671. Family Therapy. 3 Credit Hours.
Concentrated study of several approaches to family therapy including systemic and psychosocial perspectives. Theory and techniques of family therapy are taught in lecture, videotape, and simulation.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 672. Therapy for Couples. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory and technique linked to working with couples, in marriage and in other relationships.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

EPS 673. Counseling in Community Settings. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of a variety of perspectives on community services relevant to mental health counselors. Topics include: the variety of community settings; community, national, and international diversity in mental health services; diversity of clients (e.g., cultures, religions, GLBT, elderly, social classes, disabilities); mental health funding; the role of politics, policy, advocacy, and research; interviewing across cultures.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 674. Lifestyle and Career Counseling. 3 Credit Hours.
An introductory course in career development and career counseling, focusing on theories of career development, counseling tools, strategies, and sociological, economic, and psychological influences on the American worker.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 675. Therapeutic Group Procedures. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines both the theory and practice of group counseling. The course covers therapist issues, patient selection criteria, group structuring as well as basic therapeutic techniques. The course prepares students to design structured counseling groups, to prepare group counseling materials, and to lead counseling groups of various types.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

EPS 676. Counseling Process and Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
The development of basic communication and clinical skills necessary for establishing the counseling relationship and conducting therapy.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 677. Assessment Strategies for Counselors I. 3 Credit Hours.
This course places emphasis on diagnosis, appraisal, assessment, and testing for individual and interpersonal disorders. It addresses statistical procedures and psychometric principles necessary for responsible test use and exposes the student to a variety of test and non-test assessment techniques in marriage and family, and mental health counseling.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 678. Counseling Theories and Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of theories and concomitant practices in counseling and therapy.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 679. Lifespan Human Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Theories and research relating to the biophysical, cognitive, and psychosocial domains of human lifespan development.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 680. Theory and Practice with Children and Adolescents. 3 Credit Hours.
Course prepares students to provide preventive and therapeutic interventions with children and adolescents including theory, research, and practice.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.
EPS 681. Counseling and Sexuality. 3 Credit Hours.
Emphasis is placed on self-awareness and acceptance of all dimensions of human sexuality. Readings and classroom activities focus on biological aspects of sexuality, an understanding of sexual dysfunctions, and their treatment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

EPS 682. Practicum in Counseling I. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Supervised Practicum at the Institute for Individual and Family counseling and other appropriated clinical settings relating theoretical formulations to intervention strategies appropriate to specialization.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPS 684. Research and Program Evaluation in Counseling. 3 Credit Hours.
Course focuses on the interpretation and application of research data as applied to clinical practice. Skills in using behavioral research-based literature to identify, evaluate and interpret appropriate interventions are also emphasized.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 685. Substance Abuse and Addictions: Theories and Counseling. 3 Credit Hours.
Theories and research on individual, systemic causes, and outcomes of substance abuse, and concomitant practices in counseling and therapy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 686. Working with Black Clients: Treatment and Assessment Considerations. 3 Credit Hours.
This course presents three core content areas with respect to the treatment and assessment of Black populations. The first content area addresses historical aspects of the development of Black psychology. Additionally, it will review ethnocentrism, the misuse of Western psychology to marginalize African Americans and reasons for scientific abuses against people of color, such as the Tuskegee Syphilis Study. Lastly the first content area will focus on topics such as the Black family, racism, cultural mistrust, stereotype threat, Black/White relations, and Black mental health. Concomitant aspects of Black culture including; racial identity development, spirituality, sexuality, common misconceptions about Black populations, and within group differences related to gender, class, age, and sexual orientation will be peripherally addressed. The second content area presents a culturally-informed perspective on the psychological assessment and treatment of African Americans. It will focus on topics such as ethnic/racial identity models, cultural variables that may affect DSM 5 diagnoses, epidemiological mental health data across ethno-racial groups, biased measures, culturally specific interventions, and important factors to consider during the delivery of treatment. The third module will focus largely on the infusion and integration of the first two modules in therapeutic practice with Black populations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 687. Latino Youth and Families. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will focus on the Latino family with emphasis on the development of Latino youth in the U.S. Latino youth and their families will be described within an ecological context. The following social and cultural contexts and their impact on Latino youth development will be addressed: cultural values; parenting practices; religious belief systems; poverty and chronic stressors; immigration and acculturation; ethnic identity; psychosexual development; bilingualism; suicidality; resiliency; and academic barriers. Recommendations for culturally responsive counseling will be discussed throughout.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

EPS 688. Spanish for Mental Health Professionals. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address the nuances and role of language in the context of counseling, with a focus on the Spanish language. The course will include a dual lens: on the experience of the bilingual counseling client and on the experience of the counselor with varying degrees of proficiency in Spanish. We will address (1) the role of language within the counseling setting with bilingual clients, (2) how cultural values influence language, (3) how cultural values and customs influence the degree of emotion or energy expressed in language and emotion-laden states, (4) the common challenges and experiences of counselors in speaking in Spanish with their clients, and (5) recommended terms and words to use in Spanish in the counseling setting. The course will include assigned readings, lectures, class discussion, videos and role-plays to facilitate assimilation of the material.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.
EPS 689. Psychological Interventions with Hispanic/Latino Populations. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores the diversity of experiences among Hispanics and their implications for therapy. Topics include: racial diversity among Hispanics, sociopolitical factors in mental health, the impact of immigration on mental health, special psychological treatments: trauma treatment, family interventions and bilingual counseling.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 693. Bereavement and Attachment Factors for Children and Families. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course will focus on attachment and development of factors as they relate to the bereavement and loss experience of children, adolescents, young adults, and families. Effective methodology in the care of these populations will be explored. Content will include the trajectory of grief in childhood development, manifestation of loss and grief, risk factors in the loss experience, attachment issues, types of loss, popular notions of loss and treatment, and best practice in bereavement work.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

EPS 698. Continuous Registration--Master's Study. 1 Credit Hour.
To establish residence for non-thesis master's students who are preparing for major examinations. Credit not granted. Regarded as full time residence.

Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPS 699. Advanced Individual Study I. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Individual work on a special project under faculty guidance.

Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPS 700. Quantitative Methods I. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to data analysis and statistical inference. Students learn to describe data (quantitatively and graphically), to select and compute statistical estimates and hypothesis tests, to use computer packages (SPSS) to accomplish these tasks, and to interpret and write about the results of the estimates and tests. Knowledge of basic algebra is needed. Higher mathematics (e.g., trigonometry, calculus) is not used.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

EPS 701. Introduction to Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
The nature of disciplined inquiry in behavioral and social sciences. Includes philosophy of science, quantitative and qualitative research, basic concepts in sampling and measurement, and systematic searches of the research literature. Students required to complete literature search on a topic of their interest and submit a report of their findings.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 702. Quantitative Methods II. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to techniques of data analysis and statistical inference based on the General Linear Model (GLM). The major topics covered in this class include simple/multiple regression, one- and two-way Analysis of Variance (ANOVA) followed by multiple comparisons, Analysis of Covariance (ANCOVA), and Repeated Measures ANOVA. This course aims to provide a solid conceptual background of these topics, as well as the analytic skills for conducting educational and psychological research in practice. Knowledge of basic algebra and SPSS is required, as is an understanding of the fundamental principles of descriptive statistics and hypothesis testing (as taught, for example, in EPS 700 or equivalent). Knowledge of calculus is not required. Students will conduct statistical analyses using real datasets.
Prerequisite: EPS 700 or Equivalent.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPS 703. Applied Multivariate Statistics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide: (1) a conceptually-oriented introduction to regression methods and (2) opportunities to learn related data-analytic techniques.
Prerequisite: EPS 700 or Equivalent and EPS 702 or Equivalent.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
EPS 704. Computer Applications in Educational and Behavioral Science Research. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces the use of statistical software packages R for acquiring, managing, and preparing datasets that are required to produce reliable and valid statistical inferences. With a special focus on R, the course will cover a broad range of hands-on activities in the data analytic process including data coding, file manipulation tasks, data screening, and statistical analysis, and also provide a brief introduction to R programming.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

EPS 705. Measurement and Psychometric Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
EPS 705 (Measurement and Psychometric Theory) is a first component of a sequence of classes in order to acquaint students with cutting edge models in test theory and with the application of computer software with which to implement those theories. This sequence of classes provides an introduction to contemporary measurement principles implicated in the design and analysis of scales, tests, and psychological inventories. EPS 705 covers the essentials of classical test theory, factor models of test items, generalizability theory, and a brief introduction of item response theory. After completing the course, students should be provided foundations for further study of measurement theory and be prepared to take a course for item response theory.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 706. Categorical Data Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Categorical data is abundant in many different fields such as education, psychology, and marketing. The use of statistical methods for categorical data has increased dramatically in recent years. Categorical data can be numeric or character, but it is always a discrete number of levels. Virtually every research project categorizes some of its observations: male or female, marital status, political or religious affiliation, race of patient, and so on. Prerequisite: EPS 553 and EPS 671.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 707. Item Response Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
The purpose of the course is to provide training in the theory and application of item response theory (IRT) as it pertains to educational and psychological measurements. Focus will be given to discussing IRT as a measurement model used to measure the properties of items and individuals. Particular attention will be given to contrasting the properties of the IRT model to the classical test theory, and the application of IRT to actual data sets.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 708. An Introduction to Structural Equation Modeling for Multivariable Data. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide (1) a conceptually-oriented introduction to Structural Equation Modeling for multivariate data and (2) opportunities to learn related data-analytic techniques. Prerequisite: EPS 703 or Equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 709. Introduction to Multilevel Modeling. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide: (1) a conceptually-oriented introduction to multilevel modeling and (2) opportunities to learn related data-analytic techniques.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 710. Meta-Analytic Methods for Research Synthesis. 3 Credit Hours.
Meta-analysis is the general practice of combining, comparing, and interpreting statistics across a set of studies that investigate the same (or similar) phenomena using a properly motivated theoretical framework. Meta-analysis has become a popular tool in a variety of research disciplines, including the social sciences, education, medicine, and business. This course provides a thorough introduction to the theoretical foundations of meta-analysis, discusses commonly used statistical techniques, and analyzes several examples of the existing meta-analysis. Emphasis is placed on application, so that students are trained to independently perform a meta-analysis, from start to finish, in whatever substantive area interests students the most.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
EPS 711. Advanced Topics in Research, Measurement, and Evaluation. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of emerging quantitative methodological advances relevant to educational research for which formal course title and syllabus have not been
developed and formalized in the UM Bulletin. Allow for experimental instructional formats. See Course Notes for specific topic.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
EPS 712. Field Experience in Educational Research. 2-6 Credit Hours.
A total of 125 hours of supervised practical experiences in educational research. Emphasis is placed on actual participation in a wide variety of on-going research projects through associations with an approved educational R & D center. Normally taken in two or three credit blocks.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
EPS 714. Qualitative Methods I. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of the history, nature, characteristics, strategies, and ethics of qualitative research methods. Critical analysis and evaluation of various
types of qualitative studies, including design, sampling, processes of data collection and analysis, and reporting results.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
EPS 715. Qualitative Methods II: Case Studies and Grounded Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Types and designs of case studies, development of protocol, field work, data analysis, and report writing. Practical procedures and techniques for
conducting grounded theory studies, including data coding and analysis, and reporting of results.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
EPS 716. Qualitative Methods II: Interviews and Content Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Sociological and oral history interview methods, including methodological issues, computer-based coding, decoding, and interpreting data. Visual and
text based content analysis, scoring schemas, and inter-rated reliability are also covered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
EPS 717. Survey Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
Focus on standards and practical strategies for designing different types of survey instruments and conducting survey research. Students are required
to develop a proposal for survey research, develop a survey instrument, and conduct small pilot study by collecting, analyzing, and reporting survey
data.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
EPS 725. Seminar in Community Well-Being. 1-6 Credit Hours.
This course provides an overview of the field of community psychology. We will examine the conceptual and theoretical developments in community
psychology since the 1965 Swampscott Conference (the ‘birthplace’ of community psychology) through reading primary sources—articles,
monographs and book chapters—by those who have shaped the field. The readings will include some empirical research studies, but our key focus is
the conceptual writings. The goal of this course is to understand and critique different theoretical perspectives in the field of community psychology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
EPS 731. Theories of Community Research and Action. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an overview of theoretical perspectives and how they are applied to social and psychological issues in the field of community
psychology. The course examines the conceptual and theoretical developments in community psychology since the 1965 Swampscott Conference
(the ‘birthplace’ of the field) through reading primary sources—articles, monographs and book chapters—by those who have shaped the field.
Readings also include empirical articles that illustrate the application of these concepts to research. Class discussions are central to this course. In
addition, course assignments include the following: (1) brief reflections on readings 3 times during the course of the semester; (2) an interview with a
community psychologist and a short essay based on the interview; (3) the final paper is a systematic critical literature review on the topic of interest to
students. In this paper, students critique a body of empirical work using theoretical perspectives in community psychology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
EPS 732. Community Based Participatory Action Research. 3 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this course is to introduce students to several traditions of community based participatory action research (CBP AR). CBP AR is carried out in collaboration between academic researchers and members of communities, and involves an iterative process of developing research questions, designing methods, implementing data collection, interpreting results, and often developing interventions. Students will begin by reviewing different intellectual traditions in participatory research including Community Based Participatory Research (CBPR), Participatory Action Research (PAR), Critical PAR and others. We will also stress the ways that participatory research has developed within the traditions of Community Psychology, such as Ecological Inquiry and Participatory Evaluation. While all these three traditions are related and overlapping, students will be encouraged to critique and contrast these approaches.
Prerequisite: EPS 670.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

EPS 737. Organization and Administration of Higher Education I. 3 Credit Hours.
Theoretical approaches from organizational analysis. Applications to problems, processes, and patterns of higher education institutions. Consideration given to legal status, governance patterns, and external relations. Administrator, faculty, trustee, and student roles are also explored.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 738. Effective Teaching, Learning, Assessment, and Curriculum in Higher Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Provides an overview of current theories, research, and best practices in effective teaching, learning, assessment, and curricular design.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

EPS 739. The Community College. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of American community colleges including historical evolution, purposes and functions, characteristics of students and faculty, organization and administration, curricula, current issues, and trends.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

EPS 740. Administration of Student Affairs. 3 Credit Hours.
History and philosophy of student affairs will be addressed as well as principles and organization of student affairs administration, current problems, procedures, and recent developments.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

EPS 741. Basic Skills in Counseling and Interviewing. 3 Credit Hours.
Introductory course on essential skills used in counseling and interviewing. Through lectures, discussions, and small group exercises, students will explore their natural style of helping and learn effective listening and communication skills. This course is not intended to train students to become a professional counselor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 742. Higher Education in the United States: From Harvard to Present. 3 Credit Hours.
Broad view of issues and problems in higher education. Fundamental ideas and significant literature are analyzed from historical, philosophical, and societal perspectives.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 743. Psychological Bases of Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Review and extension of basic principles of psychology underlying educational practice. Basic concepts of educational psychology which contribute to effective education will be discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
EPS 744. Student Diversity in American Higher Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Emphasis on the diversity of today's undergraduate students. An examination of the sociological context and philosophical orientation of contemporary college students is included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 745. Organization & Administration of Higher Ed II: Governance, Leadership and Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
Provides an overview of selected topics in governance, administrative leadership and finance in higher education.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 746. College Student Development: Theory, Research and Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
Emphasis on student growth and development during college and an analysis of the factors which affect development along cognitive and affective dimensions. An in-depth examination of college student development theories is included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 747. Critical Issues in Student Affairs: The Law and Higher Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Emphasis on the most pressing issues facing the profession of student affairs today including diversity, funding, staff retention and the law and student affairs.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

EPS 748. Enrollment Management: Theory and Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
Comprehensive overview of principles and practices of a strategic process that begins with recruitment and continues through graduation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 749. Advanced Seminar in Enrollment Management. 3 Credit Hours.
In-depth exploration of topics in enrollment management, including market research, market testing, pricing strategies, strategic planning, and development of a future vision.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 751. Seminar in Higher Education Administration: Contemporary Issues. 3 Credit Hours.
A review of recent developments, research findings, changing issues, and problems in contemporary American higher education.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 752. Dissertation Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
The development and analysis of dissertation proposals will be required. Detailed coverage of the research process, proposal elements, dissertation writing and all aspects of doctoral research will be emphasized. Extensive feedback on research ideas and writing is involved.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

EPS 753. Internship in College Teaching. 3 Credit Hours.
A program in observation and supervised teaching in the community junior or liberal arts college. The student spends 15-20 hours per week. Included is a seminar held with the college supervisor which meets several times during the semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPS 754. Practicum: Administration of Higher Education. 1-6 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide students with an opportunity to develop professional competencies while they apply theory to practice. Opportunities can be pursued in enrollment management or student affairs related offices either on campus or at other higher education institutions. Students will contract for the type of experience desired and a formal research paper and presentation will culminate this activity.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
EPS 755. Group Dynamics and Communication Skills. 3 Credit Hours.
Emphasis on group dynamics, group procedures and communication skills.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 764. Workshop in Education: Selected Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Study in special interest areas in education.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPS 765. Workshop in Education: Selected Topics in Higher Education. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Study in special interest areas in higher education.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

EPS 766. Workshop in Education: Institutional Research & Higher Ed Policy Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Study in special interest areas in education.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPS 767. Counseling Psychology: Theory, Research and Practice I. 3 Credit Hours.
Orientation to counseling psychology as a discipline including theories, research methodology, contemporary research, lifestyle and career
development theory, and professional issues. Required of all first year counseling psychology students. May be taken for 3 or 6 credits to a maximum
of 12 credits.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 768. Counseling Psychology: Theory, Research and Practice II. 3 Credit Hours.
Orientation to counseling psychology as a discipline including theories, research methodology, contemporary research, lifestyle and career
development theory, and professional issues. Required of all first year counseling psychology students. May be taken for 3 or 6 credits to a maximum
of 12 credits.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 770. Psychological Appraisal I. 3 Credit Hours.
Orientation to psychological appraisal with emphasis on development of skill in assessment of intellectual functioning.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 771. Psychological Appraisal II. 3 Credit Hours.
Orientation to psychological appraisal with emphasis on use of procedures which facilitate preparation for, and evaluation of, intervention efforts in the
personality and social-behavioral areas.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 772. Vocational Psychology and Career Development. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is a doctoral level seminar on vocational psychology and career counseling. This course will consist of a critical review of the major
approaches to understanding traditional career behavior and development and the empirical support for prevailing theoretical constructs. We will also
explore how various aspects of identity may affect career development, including race, ethnicity, age, gender, sexual orientation, disability, religion, and
social class. Considerable attention will be devoted as well to the application of work-related issues in psychological practice. The course seeks to
integrate research, theory, practice, public policy, and social justice.
Academic Plan Equal Counseling.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
EPS 775. Doctoral Practicum I. 1-9 Credit Hours.
Supervised counseling experiences with clients at the Institute for Individual and Family Counseling. Individual and small group supervision by program faculty.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPS 776. Doctoral Practicum II. 1-9 Credit Hours.
This course is a combination of self-directed and guided elements aiming to build your skills as a reflective, theory and science-based practitioner. To this end, the course provides in-depth exploration and application of core readings and theories in community and social change. The purpose of this course is to apply these core concepts to your practicum and provide a space for critical reflection on your practicum experience (student placement in an organization or a foreign culture). Thus, the course includes both didactic and practicum elements throughout the semester. The didactic aspect focuses on intervention theory and method from a community psychology perspective; the student placement represents a structured opportunity to learn about intervention theory as applied to a particular setting.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPS 777. Advanced Practicum in Counseling Psychology. 1-9 Credit Hours.
Supervised experience appropriate to the work of the counseling psychologist.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPS 779. Vocational Psychology and Career Development. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is a doctoral level seminar on vocational psychology and career counseling. This course will consist of a critical review of the major approaches to understanding traditional career behavior and development and the empirical support for prevailing theoretical constructs. We will also explore how various aspects of identity may affect career development, including race, ethnicity, age, gender, sexual orientation, disability, religion, and social class. Considerable attention will be devoted as well to the application of work-related issues in psychological practice. The course seeks to integrate research, theory, practice, public policy, and social justice.
Requisite: Restricted to Doctoral Students in the Counseling Psychology program.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 780. Cultural Diversity and Mental Health. 3 Credit Hours.
This seminar course provides advanced training in conceptualizing the individual within cultural and sociopolitical contexts. Emphasis is placed on the 'state of the science' on multicultural empirical research as well as on the 'state of the art' in translating scientific findings to applied clinical contexts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 781. The Social Bases of Human Activity and Flourishing. 3 Credit Hours.
Human beings are the most intensely social animals, and this course explores the evolutionary, developmental, and social domains in which that social nature is expressed. Topics include attachment processes, imitation learning, identity formation, social norms, intergroup processes, aggression, and social hierarchy. The course has an evolutionary framework, and explores developmental and social domains of human behavior. These domains point to what makes it possible for humans to flourish as the social creatures we are
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 782. Supervision in Counseling Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
This seminar course provides an overview and discussion of theories, research, and practice of supervision and consultation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
EPS 785. Preparing Future Faculty Seminar. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The goal of this course is to introduce you to the larger role of university professor. The class is designed to give you some general sense of university structure and of the breadth of opportunities in higher education, to think through your own vision of "being a professor" particularly the part of that role that focuses on teaching, and to help you on the job search by preparing a professional portfolio that will help you get that first job and, hopefully, set you on a smooth career path. The PFF seminar will provide you with contextual and interdisciplinary knowledge of professoriate. Each seminar will be designed to aid you in your goal to become an outstanding faculty member. PFF will give you an overview of life on the academic job market and the pre-tenure years. It is your responsibility to tailor that information to fit your needs. It is expected that you take the information you learn in PFF and speak with mentors in your discipline to glean further insights into faculty life.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPS 789. Special Topics in Counseling Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
This graduate course will examine research and practice in a specialty area within counseling psychology. Content may vary from term to term. Probable topics include psychopathology and consultation. Readings will include articles, books, and/or book chapters by key scholars who have shaped and/or are shaping the field. A focus will be placed both on empirical research studies and conceptual writings. The goal of this course is for students to gain key counseling psychology competencies in a specialty area within the field.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 798. Advanced Individual Study. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual work on a special project under faculty guidance.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPS 799. Advanced Individual Study II. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual work on a special project under faculty guidance.

Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPS 802. Practicum Laboratory I. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Individual, dyad, and small group supervision at approved Practicum sites.
Corequisite: EPS 682 and Prerequisites: EPS 667 and EPS 669 and EPS 676 and EPS 678.

Components: PRA.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPS 803. Internship in Counseling Psychology. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Supervised internship in Counseling Psychology in an approved facility.

Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPS 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her adviser. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPS 820. Research in Residence. 0 Credit Hours.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master's degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in EPS 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPS 825. Continuous Registration Master's Study. 1 Credit Hour.
Master thesis Research. 1-12 Credit Hours. Master students enrolled for credit as determined by advisor. This course will be graded each term.

Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
EPS 830. Pre-Candidacy Dissertation Research. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor but not for less than a total of 24. Not more than 12 hours of EPS 730 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session. Where a student has passed his/her (a) qualifying examinations, and (b) is engaged in an assistantship, he/she may still take the maximum allowable credit stated above.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPS 835. Doctor of Education Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ed.D. The student enrolls for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the doctoral project has been accepted. Total enrollment may not exceed 12 credits.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPS 840. Post-Candidacy Dissertation Research. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Post-Candidacy Dissertation Research. 1-12 Credit Hours. Doctoral students enrolled for credit as determined by advisor. This course will be graded each term.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPS 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D. and Ed.D., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate school.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Certificate in Higher Education Administration/Enrollment Management
http://sites.education.miami.edu/higher-education-administrationenrollment-management-cert/

Overview
College and universities are complex institutions that constantly need skilled administrators who understand all aspects of the ever-shifting higher education environment. The Certificate in Enrollment Management is a 12-credit minimum program designed for working professionals who already have master’s degrees and seek career-enhancing skills and credentials.

The certificate can be integrated into the Master of Science in Higher Education Administration Program (for a total of 39 credits). It can be completed in addition to or after completion of a master’s program in higher education administration or related field.

*This program is not eligible for federal or state financial aid. Contact the Office of Student Financial Assistance and Employment (https://finaid.miami.edu/) for further assistance.

Application Requirements
Admission to all graduate-degree concentrations in the School of Education and Human Development is based on the recommendation of the faculty. Admissions decisions are based on faculty review of the following general requirements that apply to all Graduate Programs in the School as well as specific documents listed under each concentration.

Applicants must:
- provide official transcripts showing completion of a bachelor’s degree from an accredited institution and an acceptable undergraduate grade point average. A minimum of 3.0 undergraduate GPA is required. Official transcripts from every institution attended by an applicant, whether or not the applicant completed a degree program at the institution, are required;
- provide three letters of recommendation that address the issues and meet the criteria established by the program being applied to;
- provide a personal statement that addresses the mission and purpose of the program being applied to;
- resume;
- take part in an admissions interview (required by some programs); and
- exhibit personal and professional experiences and characteristics that are relevant to the profession and/or field and/or degree program for which the application is being submitted.
International Applications
All international applications must provide additional information and meet additional requirements as required by the UM Graduate School and the Office of International Student and Scholar Services. For an appropriate link to these requirements, please visit the Graduate School website.

Admission Decision
Once an applicant has been admitted to graduate study, that individual should meet with the faculty advisor who was appointed to serve in that capacity and whose name appears in the admissions letter. This advisor will help the student enroll in courses that are appropriate to the program; to develop and to refine a Course Sequence Plan that must be on file in the Office of Graduate Studies by the end of the first semester of enrollment.

Honor Code/Handbook of Policies and Procedures
The School of Education and Human Development follows the Graduate School’s Honor Code. All students are required to review the Graduate Student Honor Code and the School of Education and Human Development’s Handbook of Policies and Procedures for Graduate Students and submit the signed Acknowledgement of Receipt located on page 3 by the end of their first semester of enrollment.

Curriculum Requirements

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Mission
The Higher Education Administration Program Certificate offers a choice between concentrations in Enrollment Management and Student Life & Development. The Enrollment Management focus is on data-driven decision-making in the complex, ever-shifting higher education environment.
Goals

Designed for working professionals who already have a master's degree, the program aims to provide career-enhancing skills and credentials today's higher education administrators need to help their institutions and students succeed.

Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will demonstrate understanding of enrollment management (EM), the characteristics of a successful enrollment manager, and the components of an effective strategic plan.

Certificate in Higher Education Administration/Student Life and Development

http://sites.education.miami.edu/higher-education-administration-student-life-development-cert/

The Certificate in Student Life and Development is a 12-credit minimum program designed for working professionals who already have master's degrees and seek career-enhancing insights, skills, and credentials. The program is focused on students transition and adjustment to college and on elements of the college environment that enhance their academic achievement and personal development and well-being.

The certificate can be integrated into the Master of Science in Higher Education Administration Program (for a total of 39 credits). It can be completed in addition to or after completion of a master's program in higher education administration or related field.

*This program is not eligible for federal or state financial aid. Contact the Office of Student Financial Assistance and Employment (https://finaid.miami.edu) for further assistance.

Application Requirements

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Applicants must:

- provide official transcripts showing completion of a bachelor's degree from an accredited institution and an acceptable undergraduate grade point average. A minimum of 3.0 undergraduate GPA is required. Official transcripts from every institution attended by an applicant, whether or not the applicant completed a degree program at the institution, are required;
- provide three letters of recommendation that address the issues and meet the criteria established by the program being applied to;
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- resume;
- take part in an admissions interview (required by some programs); and
- exhibit personal and professional experiences and characteristics that are relevant to the profession and/or field and/or degree program for which the application is being submitted.

International Applications

All international applications must provide additional information and meet additional requirements as required by the UM Graduate School and the Office of International Student and Scholar Services. For an appropriate link to these requirements, please visit the Graduate School website.

Admission Decision

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### Certificate in Latino Mental Health Counseling

**Overview**

This Certificate requires previous graduate training. It can be acquired after graduation from the Master’s Program in Counseling or can be integrated into the Doctoral Program in Counseling Psychology. It can be completed in addition to or after completion of a degree program in counseling, psychology or a related field.

### Mission

The Higher Education Administration Program Certificate offers a choice between concentrations in Enrollment Management and Student Life & Development. The Student Life focus is on students’ transition and adjustment to college and on elements that enhance their academic achievement and personal well-being.

### Goals

Designed for working professionals who already have a master's degree, the program aims to provide career-enhancing skills and credentials today's higher education administrators need to help their institutions and students succeed.

### Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will demonstrate holistic understanding of how college affects diverse undergraduate students, including student development theories on psychosocial, cognitive, moral, identity, authorship, self-efficacy and other related indices.

### Certificate in Latino Mental Health Counseling

http://sites.education.miami.edu/latino-mental-health-counseling-cert/

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Admission Decision

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Student Learning Outcomes

• Students will demonstrate critical reasoning skills in their discussions of clinical and research material about Latinos in two courses: EPS 689 Psychological Interventions with Hispanic/Latino Populations, and EPS 687 Latino Youth and Families.
• Students will become knowledgeable about empirically supported interventions for mental disorders among Latino clients.
• Students will improve their Spanish-language proficiency for use in professional counseling settings.

Executive Ed.D. in Higher Education Leadership

http://sites.education.miami.edu/higher-education-leadership-et-ed-d/

Overview

The Higher Education Leadership program, which offers a Doctor of Education degree (Ed.D.), is committed to preparing students for senior leadership positions in colleges and universities, state and federal agencies, and other educational organizations. The Executive Ed.D. program is guided by a practitioner-scholar model that combines theoretical offerings with application to practical higher education problems. Students focus on areas of special interest and choose dissertation projects that address issues confronting the contemporary higher education workplace.
The Executive Ed.D. is designed to meet the needs of working professionals. Courses are offered on weekends, and a cohort design allows students to develop meaningful relationships, support one another, and learn from the diverse experiences of fellow educators.

The curriculum emphasizes the impact of theory and empirical evidence on administrative, organizational, and policy contexts in post-secondary education. Unique to the University of Miami Executive Ed.D. in Higher Education Leadership is its component in enrollment management, a comprehensive strategy that promotes the seamless integration of administrative responsibilities to efficiently and effectively meet institutional needs and support student success.

Admission Requirements
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Applicants must:
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• resume;
• take part in an admissions interview (required by some programs); and
• exhibit personal and professional experiences and characteristics that are relevant to the profession and/or field and/or degree program for which the application is being submitted.

Doctor of Education (Ed.D.)
In addition to the factors listed as general requirements for all applications to the SEHD's graduate programs, consideration for admission to the Ed.D. program will include the following:

• letters of recommendation should address the applicant's academic potential;
• available student space in the program; and
• admissions interview.

International Applications
All international applications must provide additional information and meet additional requirements as required by the UM Graduate School and the Office of International Student and Scholar Services. For an appropriate link to these requirements, please visit the Graduate School website.

Admission Decision
Once an applicant has been admitted to graduate study, that individual should meet with the faculty advisor who was appointed to serve in that capacity and whose name appears in the admissions letter. This advisor will help the student enroll in courses that are appropriate to the program; to develop and to refine a Program of Study that must be on file in the Office of Graduate Studies by the end of the first academic year of enrollment.

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**Sample Plan of Study**

This is a sample Plan of Study. Your actual course sequence may vary depending on your previous academic experience as well as current course offerings. Students should meet with their academic advisor each semester to determine the appropriate course selection.

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**Total Credit Hours**

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### Mission

The Executive Ed.D. Program in Higher Education Leadership prepares students for senior-level administrative, academic, policymaking, and other leadership roles in both public and private spheres of higher education. To nurture effective leaders, our emphasis is on data-driven decision-making. Grounded in research, theory, applications to daily practice, and enrollment management, our intensive weekend cohort format allows working professionals with master's degrees to retain full-time careers while earning a Doctor of Education.

### Goals

Students emerge with the knowledge, skills, versatility, and creativity for solving problems, taking advantage of opportunities, and leading change in a range of educational settings.

### Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will grasp the basics of social science research on issues in higher education and demonstrate skills in asking effective research questions, developing sound methodology and conducting appropriate analyses.
- Students will effectively apply knowledge of leadership theory, research and best practices to problems of practice in higher education.
- Students will master all doctoral dissertation components as demonstrated through communication effectiveness – written and oral deliveries – at quality academic and professional levels.

### M.S.Ed. in Community and Social Change

http://sites.education.miami.edu/community-and-social-change-m-s-ed/
Overview
The Community and Social Change Master’s program is a 30-36 credit program designed to prepare a new generation of creative leaders for the not-for-profit sector who are knowledgeable in the research, theories, and practice of individual and social well-being. The vision of the program is to be a hub for innovative and applied leadership in community well-being and social change. The mission of the program is to prepare globally aware leaders, researchers, and agents of change who create, inspire, and engage community organizations to foster well-being in diverse community settings. The program is designed to develop community leaders who can help understand and address the real challenges faced by local communities in a multicultural and global context. The program is designed to accommodate a variety of students by offering courses in a unique format that incorporates the following domains:

1. Core theory and skill-building coursework,
2. Core research coursework,
3. Experiential field experience (practicum), and
4. Capstone requirement (Independent project).

Application Requirements
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Master of Science in Education (M.S.Ed.)
In addition to the factors listed as general requirements for all applications to the SEHD’s graduate programs, consideration for admission to the M.S.Ed. program will include the following:

- For Community and Social Change (EPS): Professionals who have worked full-time for at least three years in a not-for-profit setting may apply for a waiver of the GRE requirement. Please contact the program directly for conditions governing this waiver.

International Applications
All international applications must provide additional information and meet additional requirements as required by the UM Graduate School and the Office of International Student and Scholar Services. For an appropriate link to these requirements, please visit the Graduate School website.

Admission Decision
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**Practicum Field Experience**

- EPS 629 Seminar in Community and Social Change 3

**Electives/Cognate**

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**Total Credit Hours**

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- EPS 629 Seminar in Community and Social Change 3

**Research Methods Courses**

- EPS 700 Quantitative Methods I (or EPS 714 Qualitative Methods I / EPS 715 Qualitative Methods II) 3
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**Elective Course**

Select 3 credit hours of electives

**Thesis Track Option**

- EPS 810 Master's Thesis 6

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Mission

The mission of the program in Community & Social Change (C&SC) is to prepare globally aware leaders, researchers, and agents of change who create, inspire, and engage community organizations to foster well-being in diverse community settings.

Goals

Program objectives include:

• Produce students who understand the constructs of well-being and how to apply them in community-based work settings;
• Produce students with an awareness of their values and how these impact their work in communities, as well as students who can critically think about and evaluate community based organizations, community and human services and programs; and
• Produce students with skills that translate across diverse settings and a basic understanding of emerging technology as it relates to community and social change efforts.

Student Learning Outcomes

• Students will demonstrate an awareness of their values and assumptions and be able to think analytically, logically and critically about social problems and solutions.
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• Students will demonstrate an understanding of multicultural settings and the components necessary to work with competence in diverse settings.
• Students will demonstrate an ability to organize and communicate information effectively and incorporate technology and digital media.

M.S.Ed. in Counseling

http://sites.education.miami.edu/marriage-family-therapy-m-s-ed/

Overview

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## Curriculum Requirements

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Goals

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M.S.Ed. in Higher Education Administration

http://sites.education.miami.edu/higher-education-administration-institutional-research-and-policy-analysis-m-s-ed/

Overview

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Curriculum Requirements
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**Curriculum Requirements**

**Institutional Research and Policy Analysis Concentration**

The Institutional Research and Policy Analysis concentration (33 credits) focuses on the skills necessary to conduct applied research that supports the effective functioning of post-secondary institutions. Areas of study extend beyond integrating research into effective administrative and policy initiatives to include understanding state and federal policies, higher education foundations, statistics, and data analytics.

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**Student Life and Development Concentration**

The Student Life and Development concentration (36 credit hours) provides knowledge and skills necessary to facilitate undergraduate students’ transition, adjustment, and involvement in college in ways that enhance their academic achievement and lead to persistence and graduation.

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Sample Plans of Study

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Mission

The Higher Education Administration Program leading to a Master of Science in Education prepares students to begin careers at colleges and universities, and professionals to acquire career-advancing knowledge and skills. The program’s three tracks are based in enrollment management, which uses theory, research, collaboration across office lines and strategic decision-making to effect student success. In emphasizing hands-on experiences, the tracks – Enrollment Management, Student Life & Development, and Institutional Research & Policy Analysis – instill comprehensive understanding of today’s higher education.

Goals

Our program works to impart the ability to apply theory and research to practice in complex, multicultural environments; to make sound decisions; and to obtain, at minimum, middle management positions in the field.

M.S.Ed. in Research, Measurement and Evaluation

http://sites.education.miami.edu/research-measurement-evaluation-m-s-ed/

The curriculum of the M.S. Ed. in RME is structured around three components: (A) a core set of 24 credits (8 courses of 3 credits each) of required coursework covering the fundamentals of research design, measurement, and statistical analysis; (B) 6 credits of elective coursework; and (C) a comprehensive exam occurring upon the completion of the 24 credits of required coursework. The specific details of the curriculum are given below.

Application Requirements

Admission to all graduate-degree concentrations in the School of Education and Human Development is based on the recommendation of the faculty. Admissions decisions are based on faculty review of the following general requirements that apply to all Graduate Programs in the School as well as specific documents listed under each concentration.
Applicants must:

- achieve acceptable scores on the Graduate Record Exam (GRE) taken within the past five years. International applicants whose native language is not English or applicants whose degrees are from a non-U.S. University must pass the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) or International English Language Testing Systems (IELTS) and the GRE;
- provide official transcripts showing completion of a bachelor’s degree from an accredited institution and an acceptable undergraduate grade point average. A minimum of 3.0 undergraduate GPA is required. Official transcripts from every institution attended by an applicant, whether or not the applicant completed a degree program at the institution, are required;
- provide three letters of recommendation that address the issues and meet the criteria established by the program being applied to;
- provide a personal statement that addresses the mission and purpose of the program being applied to;
- resume;
- take part in an admissions interview (required by some programs); and
- exhibit personal and professional experiences and characteristics that are relevant to the profession and/or field and/or degree program for which the application is being submitted.

International Applications

All international applications must provide additional information and meet additional requirements as required by the UM Graduate School and the Office of International Student and Scholar Services. For an appropriate link to these requirements, please visit the Graduate School website.

Admission Decision

Once an applicant has been admitted to graduate study, that individual should meet with the faculty advisor who was appointed to serve in that capacity and whose name appears in the admissions letter. This advisor will help the student enroll in courses that are appropriate to the program; to develop and to refine a Course Sequence Plan that must be on file in the Office of Graduate Studies by the end of the first semester of enrollment.

Honor Code/Handbook of Policies and Procedures

The School of Education and Human Development follows the Graduate School’s Honor Code. All students are required to review the Graduate Student Honor Code and the School of Education and Human Development’s Handbook of Policies and Procedures for Graduate Students and submit the signed Acknowledgement of Receipt located on page 3 by the end of their first semester of enrollment.

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- EPS 699 Advanced Individual Study I
- EPS 707 Item Response Theory
- EPS 709 Introduction to Multilevel Modeling
- EPS 710 Meta-Analytic Methods for Research Synthesis
- EPS 711 Advanced Topics in Research, Measurement, and Evaluation
- EPS 712 Field Experience in Educational Research
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- EPS 716 Qualitative Methods II: Interviews and Content Analysis

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Comprehensive Exam
Each student must successfully pass a comprehensive exam that covers the content of the core 24 credits. This exam assesses the student’s competency in these core areas of research methodology and use of statistical software, and is based on content that is aligned with the material covered in the core 24 credits.

Total Credit Hours 30

1 Students work with faculty member(s) to select from a large number of graduate courses relevant to the students’ interests and professional goals. Appropriate courses may be related to advanced statistical modeling or other content areas.

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The mission of the RME Master’s program is to provide students with the requisite training in the application of statistical and measurement methodologies to be a data analyst, research coordinator, or measurement advisor in a variety of professional (e.g., educational assessment) and/or academic (e.g., doctoral student in a related program) settings.

### Goals

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Students will demonstrate adequate mastery in the advanced statistical and measurement methodology.
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### Ph.D. in Community Well-Being

[http://sites.education.miami.edu/community-well-being-ph-d/](http://sites.education.miami.edu/community-well-being-ph-d/)

### Overview

The program in Community Well-Being trains community-engaged action-researchers committed to promoting social justice through rigorous theoretical analysis and community-based research. The program is grounded in the discipline of community psychology and focuses on...
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Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.)

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**Mission**

The mission of the program is to produce community-engaged scholars who promote individual, relational, and collective well-being through community-based research and action.

**Goals**

**Student Learning Outcomes**

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**Ph.D. in Counseling Psychology**

http://sites.education.miami.edu/counseling-psychology/

**Overview**

The Counseling Psychology Program has been fully accredited by The American Psychological Association since 1989 and has a proud tradition of preparing students as scholars, clinicians. The program is firmly committed to the foundational values of the discipline of counseling psychology, including its emphasis on prevention, optimal human development, and the promotion of individual, family, and community well-being. The program strives to prepare students who will make a difference in the world through research, scholarship, and reflective practice. The mission of the program...
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**Sample Plan of Study**

This is a sample Plan of Study. Please note that students may be admitted with or without a Master's degree. The sequence shown is combined for all students, regardless of graduate coursework prior to admission. Students who have taken graduate coursework prior to admission can petition for course waivers of prerequisite courses taken. There is no limit to the number of waivers we accept. Petitions for course waivers are evaluated to determine whether the courses are (a) fully equivalent, (b) partially equivalent, or (c) not equivalent. Students who are able to waive out of courses may lower their time to graduation, depending on the number of courses waived. Students should meet with their academic advisor each semester to determine the appropriate course selection.

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Total Credit Hours: 89

* Course taught in alternate years.

Mission

To nurture the development of counseling psychology graduate students and faculty as reflective researchers and scientist-practitioners committed to promoting psychological well-being in a multiculturally complex world.

Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will demonstrate an understanding of scientific knowledge in psychology and will be able to critically evaluate and conduct research relevant to the practice of counseling psychology.
- Students will demonstrate the ability to engage in competent clinical practice as scientist-practitioners.
- Students will demonstrate the ability to engage in ethical behavior and will be responsive to issues of diversity in multiple contexts.

Ph.D. in Research, Measurement, and Evaluation

http://sites.education.miami.edu/research-measurement-evaluation-ph-d/

The curriculum of the Ph.D. in RME is structured around six components: (A) a core set of 36 credits (12 courses of 3 credits each) of required coursework covering the fundamentals of research design, measurement, and statistical analysis; (B) 6 credits of a research apprenticeship, in which students conduct mentored research under the supervision of RME faculty members; (C) 6 credits of field experience in educational research, in which students play active roles in the design and analysis of an applied research or evaluation projects; (D) the doctoral qualifying exam; (E) 12 credits of the doctoral dissertation and (F) 6 credits of electives (12 credits of electives for students who do not hold a master degree).

Application Requirements

Admission to all graduate-degree concentrations in the School of Education and Human Development is based on the recommendation of the faculty. Admissions decisions are based on faculty review of the following general requirements that apply to all Graduate Programs in the School as well as specific documents listed under each concentration.

Applicants must:

- achieve acceptable scores on the Graduate Record Exam (GRE) taken within the past five years. International applicants whose native language is not English or applicants whose degrees are from a non-U.S. University must pass the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) or International English Language Testing Systems (IELTS) and the GRE;
- provide official transcripts showing completion of a bachelor's degree from an accredited institution and an acceptable undergraduate grade point average. A minimum of 3.0 undergraduate GPA is required. Official transcripts from every institution attended by an applicant, whether or not the applicant completed a degree program at the institution, are required;
- provide three letters of recommendation that address the issues and meet the criteria established by the program being applied to;
- provide a personal statement that addresses the mission and purpose of the program being applied to;
- resume;
- take part in an admissions interview (required by some programs); and
- exhibit personal and professional experiences and characteristics that are relevant to the profession and/or field and/or degree program for which the application is being submitted.

Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.)

In addition to the factors listed as general requirements for all applications to the SEHD’s graduate programs, consideration for admission to the Ph.D. program will include the following:
• letters of recommendation should address the applicant's academic potential;
• available student space in the program;

**International Applications**

All international applications must provide additional information and meet additional requirements as required by the UM Graduate School and the Office of International Student and Scholar Services. For an appropriate link to these requirements, please visit the Graduate School website.

**Admission Decision**

Once an applicant has been admitted to graduate study, that individual should meet with the faculty advisor who was appointed to serve in that capacity and whose name appears in the admissions letter. This advisor will help the student enroll in courses that are appropriate to the program; to develop and to refine a Program of Study that must be on file in the Office of Graduate Studies by the end of the first academic year of enrollment.

**Honor Code/Handbook of Policies and Procedures**

The School of Education and Human Development follows the Graduate School’s Honor Code. All students are required to review the Graduate Student Honor Code and the School of Education and Human Development’s Handbook of Policies and Procedures for Graduate Students and submit the signed Acknowledgement of Receipt located on page 3 by the end of their first semester of enrollment.

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**Research Apprenticeship 6**

For a minimum of 6 research apprenticeship credits, students work under the mentorship of RME faculty members (or approved faculty members outside of RME) on original studies pertinent to research, measurement, and evaluation. It is expected that the work completed during the apprenticeship culminates in a manuscript that is suitable for publication in an academic journal. The 6 credits of apprenticeship are documented as two 3-credit blocks of EPS799 (Advanced Individual Study II). Form for registering for EPS799 can be found on the SEHD website under the resource tab; and the research apprenticeship must be completed prior to the commencement of dissertation hours (EPS830).

**Field Experience in Educational Research 6**

Students must complete a minimum of 6 credits in field experience related to educational research. The field experience involves providing methodological assistance to a research or evaluation project at the University of Miami or other approved organization (e.g., the evaluation division of Miami-Date County Public Schools). The nature of the field experience must be approved by the student's advisor prior to commencing the credit hours. The field experience credits are currently documented as EPS712.

**Doctoral Qualifying Exam**

Students must successfully pass the doctoral qualifying exam prior to the commencement of the doctoral dissertation.

**Dissertation Hours 12**

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**Electives 6-12**
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1. EPS 799 (Advanced Individual Study) and EPS 712 (Field Experience in Educational Research) can be repeated over and above the credits fulfilling a student’s apprenticeship (6 credits) and field experience (6 credits) requirements.

2. 6 credits for students with a Master degree; 12 credits for students without a Master degree

3. Upon the approval of your academic advisor, you can take the classes from other departments.

4. Additional courses may be substituted upon approval from a student’s academic advisor. These options include a variety of graduate courses in the fields of computer science, psychology, education, and other areas of interest.

This is a sample Plan of Study. Your actual course sequence may vary depending on your previous academic experience as well as current course offerings. Students should meet with their academic advisor each semester to determine the appropriate course selection.

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## Mission
The mission of the RME doctoral program is to provide students with the requisite training in the application of statistical and measurement methodologies to conduct original research in the fields of educational research and measurement methodology, and to serve as experts in the areas of research design, data analysis, and measurement.

## Goals
### Student Learning Outcomes
- Students will demonstrate mastery of the computer programming skills that is required for conducting research project using computer simulation in R.
- Students will conduct original research in the field of statistical and measurement methodology.
- Students will demonstrate the ability to provide methodological consultation.

## Kinesiology and Sport Sciences

http://sites.education.miami.edu/kin/

Dept. Code: KIN

## Programs
### Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.)
- Exercise Physiology

### Master of Science in Athletic Training (M.S.A.T.)
- Athletic Training

### Master of Science in Education (M.S.Ed.)
- Applied Physiology
- Sport Administration

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- M.S. in Athletic Training (p. 2135)
- M.S.Ed. in Applied Physiology (p. 2139)
Doctoral Programs in Kinesiology and Sport Sciences

- Ph.D. in Exercise Physiology (p. 2149)

KIN 601. Organization and Administration of Sport Programs. 3 Credit Hours.
Administrative and organizational procedures and problems specific to athletic administration, recreation and leisure sports administration, and physical education.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 602. Fiscal Management in Sport Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
Fiscal management as related to athletic sports administration, recreation and leisure sports administration, and physical education.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 603. Principles of Sport Marketing. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will focus on the vast world of sports marketing. The basic principles of marketing and marketing management will be introduced and integrated with application of these principles to sport and sports-related organizations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 604. Essential Leadership Skills in Sport. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will examine the concept of leadership as it pertains to sports and other professions. Various leadership and management skills will be included with a focus on practical applications in a work environment. Theory and self-assessment strategies will be incorporated.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 605. Sport Sponsorship and Promotion. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide a detailed examination of the relationship between sport and corporate sponsorship. Topics covered will include the theoretical premise of sponsorship, alignment marketing, strategic communication through sponsorship, sponsorship sales and service, determining the value of sponsorship, and evaluation of sponsor activities. Individual athlete endorsement and mega-event sponsorship such as the Olympics will be examined in-depth. Objectives, risks, and benefits from the property or platform offering a sponsorship and from the sponsoring organization will be considered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

KIN 606. Ethical Decision Making in Sports. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will examine ethical decision-making in a variety of environments with an emphasis on sport professions. Real and hypothetical situations will be utilized, and the course will combine theory with practical application. The case method in sport ethics will be incorporated.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 607. Legal Aspects of Sports. 3 Credit Hours.
Legal liability, personal injury, negligence and other related legal aspects of sports and exercise science.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 608. Advanced Globalization in Sport. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address the intertwined relationship between globalization, sport, and development from a critical global perspective. This course highlights the extent to which contemporary sport cultures are the result of an interplay between local and global forces. We will explore the international character of professional and amateur sports including international competitions, league expansions beyond national boundaries, and the movement of athletes. Course topics include international sport organization, international competition, sport governance, international dispute resolution, international sports law, and new media.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
KIN 609. Advanced Sport Information Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the complex fields of sport communication. Students will investigate the unique, symbiotic relationship that exist between sport and the media; examine various theoretical framework (e.g., agenda set, hegemonic, uses and gratification, elaboration likelihood model) that are pertinent to developing an understanding of the sport/media complex.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

KIN 610. Event Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to introduce students to principles and practices of planning, funding and managing facilities associated with sports participation including professional sport venues, college sports, parks, recreational sport and health/fitness clubs. Students will gain an understanding of promoting, marketing, and maintaining sport facilities.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 611. Field Experience in Sport Administration I. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Practical experience not ordinarily available through coursework sequences. Placement in a variety of settings, clinics, public and private voluntary agencies and schools. Supervised by a faculty member of the department.

Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 612. Field Experience in Sport Administration II. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Practical experience not ordinarily available through coursework sequences. Placement in a variety of settings, clinics, public and private voluntary agencies and schools. Supervised by a faculty member of the department.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

KIN 613. Field Experience in Sport Administration III. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Practical experience not ordinarily available through coursework sequences. Placement in a variety of settings, clinics, public and private voluntary agencies and schools. Supervised by a faculty member of the department.

Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

KIN 615. Practical Approach to Motivation and Ethical Decision Making. 1-3 Credit Hours.
A critical study of practical problems of professionals in Exercise and Sport Sciences.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 616. Advanced Sport Governance. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides the student with an examination of the governing organizations of sport at the youth, secondary, intercollegiate, professional, international, sport specific and Olympic levels. In addition, policy development in sport management will be explored.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

KIN 617. Creative Approaches to Problem Solving and Conflict Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This hands-on course will examine the concepts of problem solving and conflict management from both personal and organizational perspectives. Students will have the opportunity to study in-depth both of these concepts (and the relationship between them) through a combination of lecture, theory, individual and group activities, readings, practical exercises, and self-assessment tools.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 619. Advanced International Club/Sport Management- Brazil. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to examine the various sport-based organizations that comprise the sport industry in Brazil. Examined areas will include products/services offered, marketing opportunities and challenges, public relations, economic impact on the local community, physical facilities, internship/employment opportunities, strengths, weaknesses, opportunities, threats, and the unique aspects and challenges of sport in Brazil. The class will also compare and contrast sport in the United States and sport in Brazil.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
KIN 620. Contemporary Issues in Sport. 3 Credit Hours.
Problem identification, investigation, analysis, and problem solving approaches in Kinesiology and Sport Sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 621. Advanced Systemic Exercise Physiology. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of the physiological effects of acute vs. chronic training on homeostatic function, musculoskeletal systems, energy system function, cardiovascular and the pulmonary systems. Students will be able to understand and interpret terminology and research literature published in the field.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 623. Food Science and Management Principles. 3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive course designed to provide knowledge of food chemistry, safety, service and management.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 624. Athletic Training Techniques - Manual Therapy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce theoretical concepts and hands-on techniques to mobilize joints and soft tissue in order to modulate pain, facilitate healing, and restore mobility and function.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 625. Applied Biomechanics in Athletic Training. 3 Credit Hours.
In-depth study of the human skeletal and muscular systems with a focus on the mechanics of movement as related to physical activity, sports, and athletics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 626. Nutrition Diet and Exercise. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will learn the latest concepts in weight management, physical fitness, and healthy eating. They will be able to understand the complex interplay of carbohydrates, protein, fat, water, fiber, vitamins, and minerals in the nourishment of their body and overall well-being. They will also examine serious health issues such as the use/misuse of anabolic steroids, weight control, and eating disorders.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

KIN 627. Community and Global Nutrition. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide an overview of nutritional issues & related aspects of infectious and chronic disease impacting the health and performance of athletes, individuals & groups domestically & globally. Economic and environmental issues which impact nutritional status and deficiency in the Western societies & third world countries will be addressed. An international and cultural perspective on food, eating behaviors and customs will be explored.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 628. Basic Statistics in Kinesiology and Sport Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to basic statistical techniques commonly used in the Exercise and Sport Sciences. Designed as a prerequisite for KIN 646 (Formally ESS 646).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

KIN 630. Cellular Exercise Physiology. 3 Credit Hours.
The course examines Bioenergetics and Muscular Physiology in training and detraining. Topics include the energy systems and their functional application during exercise, muscle structure and function, cellular and sub-cellular modifications of organelles and contractile mechanisms as result of training and physiological bases of training techniques.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
KIN 631. Laboratory Techniques in Functional Evaluation of Skeletal Muscle. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the theories of data collection and collection techniques used to evaluate musculo-skeletal and neuromuscular function. The application of both computerized and non-computerized collection systems for performance evaluation is covered. The course is also designed to establish a clear linkage between the acute and chronic musculo-skeletal and neuromuscular changes that occur during exercise and the laboratory methods used to assess those changes. Collection theory, musculoskeletal and neuromuscular function, methods of strength evaluation, anaerobic power testing, electromyography, and a number of other functional parameters will be discussed.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 632. Sports Injuries: Prevention and Treatment. 3 Credit Hours.
Prevention, diagnosis, treatment and rehabilitation of sports injuries. Anatomical and Kinesiological application to sports injuries.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 634. Integrative and Functional Nutrition. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will discuss integrative and functional medicine and how it emerged. This course will analyze the healthcare models that include personalized care and the whole-person perspective. In this course we will discuss various factors that influence disease including diet and nutrition, stress, activity level, pharmaceuticals and environmental pollutants. Alternative approaches to treatment will also be discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 635. Clinical Biomechanics for Sport Medicine Professionals. 3 Credit Hours.
A lecture course stressing biomechanics of joints and pathomechanics of orthopedic injuries.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 636. Strength and Conditioning I. 3 Credit Hours.
This course serves as the practical/technical foundation for major compound movements and Olympic lifts. It also provides comprehension of movement specific dynamic warm-ups, advanced stretching techniques, methods for identifying movement compensations and underlying issues as well as evaluating Olympic techniques. Due to the practical nature of the course, all the sections of this course are held in the Hecht Athletic Center (HAC).
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 637. Strength and Conditioning II. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is the continuation of Strength and Conditioning I (KIN 536). It provides more advanced Olympic weightlifting techniques and ballistic training, alongside a continued focus on corrective exercises to ensure a reduced risk of injury. The course also provides an introduction to exercise programming including specialized training techniques for athletic development. Due to the practical nature of the course, all sections of this course are held in the Hecht Athletic Center (HAC).
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 638. Nutrition during the Lifecycle. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to examine the changes in nutrition requirements during the life cycle, particularly as related to growth, development and aging. Psychosocial, cultural, and economic issues related to food intake at various life stages will be reviewed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 639. Dietary Supplements and Human Performance. 3 Credit Hours.
Evidence-based examination of supplements, food phytochemicals, and their relation to disease & performance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
KIN 640. Exercise Psychobiology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed primarily for graduate level Exercise and Sport science students who are interested in the biochemical basis of personality as affected by exercise and sport. The course involves interdisciplinary integration and comprehensive reviews of ancient and current literature dealing with exercise, stress, emotional, personality, immune system function and neuroendocrine function.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 641. Neurophysiology in Exercise Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of the functions of the central, peripheral, and autonomic nervous systems in regulating exercise homeostasis and the structural and functional modifications to the systems through training. NOTE: This course is a writing intensive course. This means that all examinations and papers include a critical evaluation of the student's ability to convey information using the written word.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 642. Strength and Conditioning. 3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive overview of strength and conditioning.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 643. Professional Training and Counseling for Intergrative Health. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will learn the integrative health care model, theories, behavior change models, approaches & techniques used in nutritional counseling to help athletes, individuals and groups implement and sustain behaviors, lifestyles, and attitudes to achieve optimal health. Lecture & personal application will allow for the development of skills in each of these areas.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 645. Therapeutic Lifestyle to Combat Chronic Disease. 3 Credit Hours.
This course presents an in-depth examination of chronic conditions and medical problems commonly observed in athletes. Students will learn about the etiology of the medical condition, how exercise affects the condition, how nutrition affects the condition, and the most recent therapeutic treatments prescribed for the condition.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 646. Elite Conditioning I. 3 Credit Hours.
Elite Conditioning I provides an introduction to evaluation techniques catered specifically to the athletic population including tests for strength, power, speed, agility, balance and stability. The courses also provides instruction on how to apply these evaluations to their respective sports/positions. These evaluation techniques provide data that students will use in the process of corrective exercise prescription. Students are taught how to implement corrective strategies to improve athletic performance. Due to the practical nature of the course, all sections of this course are held in the Hecht Athletic Center(HAC).
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 647. Elite Conditioning II. 3 Credit Hours.
Elite Conditioning II is the continuation of Elite Conditioning I (KIN 546). This course provides students with an understanding of the design and implementation of periodized conditioning programs for athletes based on the testing, evaluation, and applications to specific sports learned in Elite Conditioning I. The course focuses on speed agility and quickness for sports. It also includes practical implementation of ballistic, plyometric, speed, and conditioning drills emphasizing evidence based methods and training techniques. Due to the practical nature of the course, all sections of this course are held in Hecht Athletic Center(HAC).
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 649. Nutrition Assessment and Lab. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of the principles of normal and therapeutic nutrition, nutrition assessment, evaluation and intervention as related to sports performance and the management and treatment of disease states. Laboratories will allow for the development of skills in each of these areas.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
KIN 650. Nutritional Biochemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
To learn the fundamental biochemical structure and pathways governing nutrient intake and utilization. Students will learn how major forms of nutrients (macro-nutrients, vitamins, minerals and trace elements) are processed and utilized by different organs with a particular emphasis on muscle metabolism. Students will also learn how to relate their newly acquired knowledge to health and disease outcomes with focus on lifestyles disease related to metabolism such as diabetes and obesity.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 655. Medical Nutrition Therapy. 3 Credit Hours.
The role of nutrition in the prevention and treatment of various disease states including diabetes, cardiovascular disorders, endocrine and gastrointestinal disorders, enteral feeding, renal disease, cancer and AIDS/HIV, and weight management. This course instructs on the use of the Nutrition Care Process for assessment and documentation.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 657. Diagnostic Imaging Techniques in Sports Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed as an elective for undergraduate KIN students or graduate students. The basic physics of radiological imaging will be covered including radiology, fluoroscopy, CT scan, ultrasound, MRI, and nuclear medicine including image archiving. Normal anatomy will be compared to the corresponding radiographic anatomy. Common sports injuries will be evaluated by multiple radiographic modalities and will be correlated with the clinical condition. Discussion will include bony pathology as well as soft tissues such as ligaments, tendons, and menisci.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 661. Facility Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Facility management provides students with an understanding of fitness entrepreneurship, giving students a comprehensive understanding of the, laws, regulations, polociese, and work involved in setting up a fitness facility such as a gym, wellness center, or athletic training center. Students are responsible for developing a viable sports or fitness complex including all aspects of administrative and facility management.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 662. Fitness Facility Management II. 3 Credit Hours.
Fiscal management as related to athletic sports administration, recreation and leisure sports administration, and physical education.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 663. Foundations of Athletic Training. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will cover foundational knowledge in Athletic Training with an emphasis on health promotion and injury and disease prevention. Public Health and Epidemiology, Nutrition Health and Wellness, and basic principles of Exercise Physiology will be covered. Students will be required to complete an IPE service learning project with another health professional to promote health, wellness, or physical activity research, practice, and/or policy on campus or at the community, state, or federal level. Prerequisite: American Heart Association BLS CPR/AED certification for the Health Care Providers (or approved equivalent).

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 664. Orthopedic Assessment 1: Pathophysiology of Injuries. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides the student with an analysis of the etiology, pathology, and clinical science of muscular and skeletal diseases, disorders, and conditions. An introduction to clinical/laboratory assessment techniques, basic injury management, and knowledge of common imaging and surgical procedures are presented.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 665. Orthopedic Assessment 2: Examination of the Musculoskeletal System. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will prepare students to examine a patient with a musculoskeletal condition by obtaining a pertinent history from the patient, performing relevant systems review, and by selecting appropriate diagnostic tests and measures. The student will be able to synthesize examination data to complete the orthopedic evaluation and engage in the diagnostic process.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
KIN 667. Elements of Sports Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the study of sport and exercise psychology including theory, current research and practical application.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 668. Developmental Sports Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of the concept of sport psychology which includes but is not limited to performance, enhancement, student performance and academic application.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

KIN 669. The Foundations of Exercise Programming. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will learn various assessments of Health and Wellness, and discover how to most effectively prescribe exercise strategies to treat the diagnosed needs of an individual.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 670. Advanced Programming. 3 Credit Hours.
Advance programming allows students to dissect sports by movement, metabolism and limitation. The course investigates current trends and evidenced based applications of specific training techniques for optimal sport performance. Students will perform complete sports analysis and develop periodized programs for major sports.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 671. Sport Industry in South Florida. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will examine the various sport based organizations/events that are part of the sport industry in South Florida. Study of these organizations/events will include (a) products/services produced, (b) organizational structure, (c) economic impact on the local community, (d) key management personnel, (e) physical facilities, and (f) internship/employment opportunities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 673. Advanced Sport Governance. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides the student with an examination of the governing organizations of sport at the youth, secondary, intercollegiate, professional, international, sport specific and Olympic levels. In addition, policy development in sport management will be explored.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

KIN 677. Advanced Nutrition for Health and Fitness. 3 Credit Hours.
This course presents an in-depth study of the nutritional concerns of today's Recreational and competitive athlete. Topics include dehydration, classic carbohydrate loading, protein needs, ergogenic aids, and more. State-of-the-art research in the field is provided. This is also a writing intensive course. Thus, writing skills will represent an integral part of one's grade.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 678. Pharmacology for Allied Health Professionals. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of drug families and drugs in common use across spectra of age, illness, disease, and disability. Students will understand body systems treated with current pharmaceuticals over-the-counter (OTC) medications, and neutraceuticals. Actions, key adverse effects, and influences on individuals undergoing physical activity will be emphasized.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
KIN 679. Principles of Exercise Prescription/Assessment: Cardiovascular. 3 Credit Hours.
This course presents a comprehensive overview of the physical, physiological and metabolic responses of the human body to exercise testing and training both in health and disease. The successful student will gain an understanding of the process involved in prescribing safe and effective therapeutic exercise in healthy individuals as well as patients with heart and lung disease, diabetes and obesity. An overview of environmental and legal considerations in the prescriptive process will also be discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 680. Principles of Exercise Prescription: Neuromuscular. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the scientific bases of modern training techniques designed to optimize performance, their functional application and potential impact on performance in sport and everyday activity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 681. Development and Maturation of Athletes. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an in-depth study of pediatric exercise physiology with special emphasis on growth, maturation, physical activity, and performance. Topics include a comprehensive summary of biological growth and maturation, processes as it impacts physical performance. Additionally, students will learn the bases of pediatric exercise physiology in order to understand the concepts of motor development, strength, aerobic and anaerobic performance in the pediatric population.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 682. Clinical Pathology and Immediate Primary Care. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will focus on the pathology of non-orthopedic conditions including medical emergencies. Students will be able to recognize common injuries and illnesses, provide immediate treatment interventions, and make medical referrals and transport decisions when necessary. Pre-requisite: KIN663 and Current AHA BLS CPR/AED certification for the Health Care Providers (or approved equivalent as determined by ECC requirements from the BOC).
Prerequisite: KIN 663.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 684. Obesity, Metabolic Disease, and Inflammation. 3 Credit Hours.
The focus of this course is on the integrative neurophysiological functions that regulate and influence obesity, metabolic disease, and inflammation. Students will be able to understand the role that chronic inflammation plays in the pathology of disease. A combination of lecture, critical reading, and group discussion will be utilized to explore the underlying basis for metabolic abnormalities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 685. Advanced Topics in Kinesiology and Sport Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide a synthesis of essential concepts in specialty subjects relevant to one’s field of interest.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

KIN 686. Exercise Prescription/Assessment Laboratory. 3 Credit Hours.
This course presents an overview of the laboratory techniques used to assess cardiovascular endurance and general fitness, pulmonary function and anaerobias observed during competition.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 687. Laboratory Experience in Sports Nutrition. 3 Credit Hours.
This laboratory class provides case study analyses and computerized nutrient analysis systems designed to evaluate nutrition and hydration needs of the recreational and competitive athlete. From urinalysis and blood work, to body composition and computerized nutrient data base systems, this laboratory provides a clinical approach to evaluating the nutrition status of the exercising individual. Corequisite: ESS 577.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
KIN 688. Advanced Gross Anatomy in Kinesiology and Sport Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Human dissection of the major muscles, arteries, and nerves of the body. This course is held at the Medical Campus, cadaver laboratory. Special consideration is given to injury sites in sports such as the knee, shoulder, elbow, neck and spinal areas. Students are required to pay a $100 laboratory fee for the class. This course is to be taken by Athletic Training majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 689. Directed Readings in Kinesiology and Sport Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings focusing on research and contemporary trends in the field.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 690. Special Topics in Kinesiology and Sport Sciences. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed for students wishing to focus on a specific area of study within the umbrella of the Kinesiology and Sport Sciences curriculum. Students will be given supervision and support in a direction relevant to their needs and interests in a structured setting.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 698. Professional Training and Counseling for Integrative Health. 3 Credit Hours.
Current research in nutrition and nutritional care, nutrition profession, ethics and roles in food service, clinical and community. Seminars designed to cover state-of-the-art overview of current and emerging topics will be presented by invited outside guest speakers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 699. Advanced Programming for Endurance Athletes. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides students with training techniques to improve aerobic capacity, endurance, and lactate threshold for optimal performance. Students will review evidenced based principles of sports nutrition, strategies to ensure proper hydration, thermoregulation, and fuel (substrate) availability during prolonged exercise as well as develop programs for competitive sports including triathlon, marathon, and cycling.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

KIN 702. Athletics in the United States. 3 Credit Hours.
An Assessment of athletics in the United States. Focus on historical perspectives, contemporary issues, interface with international athletics, and future trends.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 704. Recreation in the United States. 3 Credit Hours.
An assessment of recreation and leisure in the United States. Focus on past, present, and future trends, problems, and issues.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

KIN 710. Advanced Adolescent Growth and Maturation. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an in-depth study of pediatric exercise physiology with special emphasis on growth, maturation, physical activity, and performance. Topics include a comprehensive summary of biological growth and maturation, processes that impact physical performance. Additionally, students will learn the basis of training pediatric populations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 712. Applied Sport Psychophysiology. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of the physiological effects of acute vs. chronic training on homeostatic function, musculoskeletal systems, energy system function, cardiovascular system, and the pulmonary system. Students will be able to understand and interpret terminology and research literature published in the field.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
KIN 714. Therapeutic Interventions. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will acquire the theoretical knowledge necessary for the clinical application of therapeutic exercise, modalities, and evidenced based rehabilitation programs. Principles of therapeutic exercise, open and closed chain exercise, muscle re-education, and special therapeutic techniques such as aquatic therapy. In addition, students will apply specific physiological effects, therapeutic indications, and contraindications associated with thermal, mechanical, electromagnetic, and acoustic modalities.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 715. Evidence-Based Sports Medicine and Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
The student will learn the systematic approach to creating and answering clinical questions through review and application of existing research. Students will learn how to develop a relevant clinical question using a pre-defined question format, use standard criteria or developed scales to critically appraise the structure, rigor, and overall quality of research studies, and determine the effectiveness and efficacy of an athletic training intervention. Students will also learn the theoretical foundation of clinical outcomes assessment and the standard methods of outcomes assessment in athletic training clinical practice.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 716. Advanced Rehabilitation Techniques in Athletic Training. 3 Credit Hours.
This is an advanced athletic training course designed to enhance the athletic trainer's ability to plan and implement a comprehensive sports injury rehabilitation program based on the sequential events of musculoskeletal tissue healing. Discussion focuses on the development of a conceptual model for sports injury rehabilitation which incorporates rehabilitation phases, intervention goals, and progression criteria. Application of the problem-oriented approach to the management of athletic injuries is a predominant theme throughout this course.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 717. Applied Clinical Techniques in Athletic Training. 3 Credit Hours.
This clinical laboratory course focuses on athletic training skills utilized in the diagnosis and treatment of primary care of patients. Students will become proficient in utilizing diagnostic tools and tests. In addition, students will become proficient in wound care, suturing, initiating and maintaining appropriate intravenous (IV) therapies and the collecting, handling, and processing of blood specimens for analysis.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 718. Administration and Professional Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Concepts of legal liability, insurance, budget/financial management, human resources, inventory control, facilities design and maintenance will be addressed. This course will enable the student to understand reimbursement guidelines; understand medical delivery systems, health care policy, and legislation in the United States. In addition, students will learn the basics related to accounting, billing, coding, accounts payable, and risk management.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 720. Practicum in Athletic Training. 3 Credit Hours.
Clinical education and field experience in a healthcare setting. Students are assigned to a licensed health care professional who will serve as the student's preceptor. Students will learn alongside their preceptors as they are exposed to the role, and function of a health care provider while practicing clinical skills with a variety of patient populations. In addition, students will meet for scheduled in-services and clinical labs with a focus on emergency preparedness and readiness through Simulation and Interprofessional Education. Prerequisite: KIN 663 Foundations of Athletic Training

Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 721. Independent Study 1: Clinical Internship Experience. 3 Credit Hours.
This elective internship course will allow students to seek a professional Athletic Training internship in a particular area of clinical interest under the supervision of a licensed/certified health care clinician.

Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
KIN 722. Practicum in Athletic Training 2. 3 Credit Hours.
Clinical education and field experience in a healthcare setting. Students are assigned to a licensed athletic trainer who will serve as the student’s preceptor. Students will learn alongside their preceptors as they are exposed to the role and function of an athletic trainer while practicing clinical skills with a variety of patient populations. In addition, students will meet for scheduled in-services and clinical labs with a focus on utilizing Interprofessional Education (IPE) and simulation to enhance physical evaluation and assessment skills. Prerequisite: KIN 720 Practicum in Athletic Training 1
Prerequisite: KIN 720.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 723. Independent Study 2: Research Experience. 3 Credit Hours.
This elective research experience course will allow students to pursue research in an area of particular interest under the supervision of a faculty member.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 724. Practicum in Athletic Training III. 3 Credit Hours.
Clinical education and field experience in a healthcare setting. Students are assigned to a licensed health care professional who will serve as the student’s preceptor. Students will learn alongside their preceptors as they are exposed to the role, and function of a health care provider while practicing clinical skills with a variety of patient populations. In addition, students will meet for scheduled in-services and clinical labs with a focus on integrating athletic training knowledge and skills through Simulation and Interprofessional Education (IPE). Prerequisite: KIN 722 Practicum in Athletic Training 2
Prerequisite: KIN 722.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 725. Independent Study III. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is an advanced study of a particular theme or topic in the athletic training field such as students’ research topic, current issues of relevance to certified athletic trainers and other professionals in the sports health care professions. Students will prepare for class discussion by reviewing assigned readings from professional journals and other pertinent sources. Class sessions will consist of lectures, laboratories, and discussion sessions.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 726. Practicum in Athletic Training IV. 3 Credit Hours.
Field experience at the athletic training setting through working with collegiate athletes to expose students to the role and function of athletic training as a certified athletic trainer and clinical instructor as well.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 727. Pract in Nutrition. 3 Credit Hours.
Planned supervised practice experience component in dietetic and nutrition practice of up to 900 hours shall provide the applicant with a broad spectrum of experiences in dietetics and Nutrition in clinical, community and food service to meet licensure requirements.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 735. Methods in Biomechanical Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of methods of research, instrumentation, and quantitative application of kinematic and kinetic concepts in the biomechanical analysis of human movement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 740. Neuropathology in Exercise Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of the functions of the central, peripheral, and autonomic nervous systems in regulating exercise homeostasis and the structural and functional modifications to the systems through training. NOTE: This course is a writing intensive course. This means that all examinations and papers include a critical evaluation of the student’s ability to convey information using the written word.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
KIN 741. Aging: Physiological Changes and Their Implications of Training. 3 Credit Hours.
The physiological changes that occur due to aging and their impact on fall prevention, independence, and the application of prophylactic exercise prescriptions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 742. Fundamentals of Cardiology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course represents an in-depth review and evaluation of the field of cardiology. Students must understand the etiology of coronary artery diseases, assessment techniques in the evaluation of cardiac pathologies, the latest risk factors, and most recent trends in treatment and rehabilitation. Phase I through Phase IV review of Cardiac Rehabilitation will be fully examined.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 743. Laboratory Experiences in Cardiac Rehabilitation. 3 Credit Hours.
This class provides hands-on clinical experiences in preparation of patient for testing, assessment of pre-existing medical conditions and risk factors as well as appropriate procedures for stress testing. Student will, in addition, have the opportunity to view Thallium stress tests, echocardiography and cardiac surgical procedures such as angioplasty and bypass surgery.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 744. Interpretation of the Electrocardiogram. 3 Credit Hours.
This class will provide information of the electrophysiology of the heart, medicines used to improve heart function, and critical examination of waveform analyses in interpreting the electrocardiogram. Prerequisite: KIN 642 (Formally ESS 642) or permission of the instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 746. Research Methods in Kinesiology and Sport Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
This Course reviews the approach and research methods used to evaluate quantitative research questions in the field of Kinesiology and Sport Sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 747. Analytic Methods in Kinesiology and Sport Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Methods of analyzing research data in Kinesiology and Sport Sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 755. Exercise Biochemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
This course presents an in-depth examination of the biochemical basis of exercise. Topics include carbohydrate and lipid metabolism at rest and during exercise, integration of metabolism, the use of stable isotopes in the characterization of substrate kinetics, and metabolic bases of fatigue. Both the instructor and the students will incorporate current peer-reviewed research in the field.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 763. Seminar and Special Topics in Athletic Training. 3 Credit Hours.
Scenarios and subject matter that will help facilitate the student's transition to practice will be emphasized. There will be a focus on current issues and emerging topics and technologies in the healthcare profession. Students will prepare for class discussion by reviewing assigned readings from professional journals and other pertinent sources. Class sessions will consist of lectures, laboratories, and discussion sessions. Also, career development and responsibility topics such as leaderships, entrepreneurship, ethics, patient values, diversity and cultural competency.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
KIN 764. Athletic Training Clinical Field Experience. 6 Credit Hours.
This course is an immersive clinical education experience, where Athletic Training students under the supervision of a preceptor will demonstrate the ability to integrate knowledge and skills with clinical problem-solving while assuming professional like roles in various clinical patient care settings. Students will be required to post weekly reflections in an electronic journal and to attend scheduled webinars.
Prerequisite: KIN 722.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 765. Teaching Assistant Training in Kinesiology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course involves training and teaching assistant experience under the supervision of faculty. Students will have the opportunity to assist faculty in the teaching of workshops, clinical laboratory and/or undergraduate theory courses offered in the Kinesiology department.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 766. Research in Athletic Training. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an advanced study of a particular theme or topic in the athletic training field including a research topic, current professional issues of relevance to certified athletic trainers and other sports medicine/allied healthcare professionals.
Prerequisite: KIN 715 and KIN 763.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 781. Issues Specific to Women's Health. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses upon clinical health issues relevant to women. Students will acquire a body of knowledge concerning the specific biological and physiological changes women experience from birth to maturity, and from the pre- to post menopausal state. Women will learn significant issues related to women's health and be able to make more educated decisions regarding their health and treatment options.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 782. Psychosocial Issues in Women's Health. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers a broad perspective of women and their self-esteem, their femininity, and their role in family household. Attention will be paid to the historical, cultural, and anthropological development of women and their role in society. The influence of gender will explore several areas which include a) pregnancy, b) menopause, c) menstrual cycle, d) stress and career vs. family, e) depression, and f) body image.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 783. Sports Medicine for the Female Athlete. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses upon the physiological effects of exercise on the female athlete as it relates to her performance and health. Physiological differences between male and female will be examined as it impacts the women's performance abilities and potential. Gender specific problems regarding the exercising female will be explored.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 784. Energetics of Obesity and Weight Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to evaluate dieting, rebound effect, set point theory, brown fat, and adaptive thermogenesis, as they relate to the etiology of obesity. The course will cover a step-by-step approach in the recognition, and management of the overweight patient. The course will also examine adipocyte morphology and the health implications of being overweight and obese. Students will examine the impact of both diet and exercise on long-term weight management.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 785. Neurological Mechanisms of Weight Regulation. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to evaluate dieting, rebound effect, set point theory, brown fat, and adaptive thermogenesis, as they relate to the etiology of obesity. The course will cover a step-by-step approach in the recognition and management of the overweight patient. The course will also examine adipocyte morphology and the health implications of being overweight and obese. Students will examine the impact of both diet and exercise on long-term weight management.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
KIN 790. Strength and Conditioning Independent Study/Project. 3 Credit Hours.
Practical experience not ordinarily available through coursework sequences. Placement in a variety of settings, clinics, public and private voluntary agencies and schools. Supervised by a faculty member of the department.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 791. Practicum in Kinesiology and Sport Sciences/Master's students. 1 Credit Hour.
The course presents graduate students with the theoretical and practical tools necessary for expanding their critical thinking and argumentative skills in order to present their scientific research results in an evaluative, logical and analytical manner. The course consists of weekly presentations of related literature, results, and findings on various Master’s projects.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 792. Optional Internship-Strength and Conditioning. 1 Credit Hour.
This 1 credit internship allows students to pursue professional internships in the field of strength and conditioning/fitness entrepreneurship. Students will be provided with contact information and a number of opportunities by Dr. Biagioli respective to their interests.
Components: SEM.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 793. Research Colloquium.. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course presents graduate students with the theoretical and practical tools necessary for presenting their scientific research in an organized, logical, and analytical manner.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 794. Advanced Individual Study. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The Application for Admission to Individual Study Form will be required.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 795. Graduate/Clinical Field Experience in Kinesiology and Sport Sciences. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Practical experience not ordinarily available through coursework sequences. Placement in a variety of settings, clinics, public and private voluntary agencies and schools. Supervised by a faculty member of the department.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 799. Special Project. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course represents the capstone course in a students field and should represent a culmination of all information learned in class.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 800. Supervised Practicum. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students will be engaged in supervised experiential learning designed especially for their entry into their field. The student will be supervised by an approved preceptor (industry professional, clinician, or researcher) for the practical application of previously studied theory. Practicum hours will vary based on the nature of the experience.
Components: PRA.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master’s thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
KIN 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master’s degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in ESS 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 825. Continuous Registration--Master's Study. 1 Credit Hour.
To establish residence for non-thesis master's students who are preparing for major examinations. Credit not granted. Regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 830. Pre-Candidacy to Dissertation Research. 1-10 Credit Hours.
Admission to doctoral program. Requires approval of advisor and department chair.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 835. Practicum. 1-2 Credit Hours.
The course presents graduate students with the theoretical and practical tools necessary for expanding their critical thinking and argumentative skills in order to present their scientific research results in an evaluative, logical and analytical manner. The course consists of weekly presentations of related literature, results, and findings on various Doctoral projects.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 840. Post-Candidacy Dissertation Research. 1-12 Credit Hours.
For doctoral students working on their dissertations.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the PH.D. Student, after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctor al research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate school.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

M.S. in Athletic Training

Overview
This is a 60-credit program for people interested in Athletic Training.

To be a prestigious international student-centered academic program that provides the student with the flexibility to formulate an individual educational, clinical, and research plan.

The Athletic Training program at the University of Miami is a graduate professional program accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Athletic Training Education (CAATE). The program is designed to provide a structured classroom and clinical experience to prepare students to become eligible to sit for the Board of Certification exam.

Athletic Trainers (ATs) are health care professionals who render service or treatment, under the direction of or in collaboration with a physician. As a part of the health care team, services provided by ATs include injury and illness prevention, wellness promotion and education, emergent care, examination, and clinical diagnosis, therapeutic intervention, and rehabilitation of injuries and medical conditions.

Please see the Athletic Training website or the Athletic Training Guidelines Manual for the course sequence requirements and other important information regarding the requirements for completion of the Athletic Training degree.

Application Requirements
Admission to all graduate-degree concentrations in the School of Education and Human Development is based on the recommendation of the faculty. Admissions decisions are based on faculty review of the following general requirements that apply to all Graduate Programs in the School as well as specific documents listed under each concentration.
Applicants must:

• Graduate Record Exam (GRE) requirements may be waived for applications to Spring 2021 and following, pending final approvals. However, if the GRE is required for admissions, applicants must achieve acceptable scores on the GRE taken within the past five years. International applicants whose native language is not English or applicants whose degrees are from a non-U.S. University must pass the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) or International English Language Testing Systems (IELTS) and the GRE;

• provide official transcripts showing completion of a bachelor’s degree from an accredited institution and an acceptable undergraduate grade point average. A minimum of 3.0 undergraduate GPA is required. Official transcripts from every institution attended by an applicant, whether or not the applicant completed a degree program at the institution, are required;

• provide three letters of recommendation that address the issues and meet the criteria established by the program being applied to;

• provide a personal statement that addresses the mission and purpose of the program being applied to;

• resume;

• take part in an admissions interview (required by some programs); and

• exhibit personal and professional experiences and characteristics that are relevant to the profession and/or field and/or degree program for which the application is being submitted.

Master of Science in Athletic Training (M.S.A.T.)

In addition to the factors listed as general requirements for all applications to the SEHD’s graduate programs, consideration for admission to the M.S.A.T. program will include the following:

• B.A. or B.S. in exercise science/kinesiology or a related field,

• A minimum 3.0 cumulative GPA

• A minimum 297 GRE score and 4.0 Analytical Writing score. A waiver of the GRE requirement may be available. Please contact the program director for more information

• A minimum of 100 observation experience hours (volunteer hours or work hours) with an Athletic Trainer is required

• At least one of the recommendation letters above must be written by an Athletic Trainer

• An interview may be required. Applicants will be notified as appropriate; and

• Applicants must complete or be enrolled in the prerequisite coursework listed below prior to acceptance and/or enrollment (Please contact the Program Director for course equivalency information)

Required prerequisite coursework for admissions

At the undergraduate or graduate level

• Anatomy & Physiology (Separate or combined a minimum of 6 credits)

• Biology: Introduction with Lab

• Chemistry: Introduction with Lab

• Introduction to Physics

• Introduction to Statistics

• Psychology: Intro to Psychology or Sports Psychology (preferred)

In addition to the above courses, CPR Certification is required (AHA BLS for Healthcare Providers or equivalent as indicated by Board of Certification’s ECC list). Students must have proof of current certification before the start of classes and maintain certification throughout the program.

Recommended foundational coursework for admissions

The following courses are suggested foundational areas of knowledge that are included in the curriculum of the MSAT program. However, introductory courses in the areas below may provide the student with extra preparation for the rigorous graduate coursework of the MSAT program. Therefore, these courses are suggested but not required for admissions or for completion of the degree program:

• Nutrition: Introduction to Nutrition or Sports Nutrition

• Exercise Physiology

• Kinesiology and/or Biomechanics

• Care & Prevention of Athletic Injuries, Intro to Athletic Training, or Equivalent

Transfer of courses

Transfer of graduate credits previously earned from other accredited healthcare degree-granting programs is determined on a case-by-case basis. The Program Director and the appropriate course instructor(s) will review the transfer course syllabus to ensure the content match those of the program’s course and that all competencies can be identified. Credits can be transferred ONLY if they are less than six years old, were taken from a graduate degree program, and taken in an accredited institution. In addition, students must have earned a grade of B or better in the course.
**International Applications**

All international applications must provide additional information and meet additional requirements as required by the UM Graduate School and the Office of International Student and Scholar Services. For an appropriate link to these requirements, please visit the Graduate School website.

**Admission Decision**

Once an applicant has been admitted to graduate study, that individual should meet with the faculty advisor who was appointed to serve in that capacity and whose name appears in the admissions letter. This advisor will help the student enroll in courses that are appropriate to the program; to develop and to refine a Course Sequence Plan that must be on file in the Office of Graduate Studies by the end of the first semester of enrollment.

**Honor Code/Handbook of Policies and Procedures**

The School of Education and Human Development follows the Graduate School's Honor Code. All students are required to review the Graduate Student Honor Code and the School of Education and Human Development's Handbook of Policies and Procedures for Graduate Students and submit the signed Acknowledgement of Receipt located on page 3 by the end of their first semester of enrollment.

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2. Upon the approval of the Program Director, you may take other KIN courses.

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**Sample Plan of Study**

This is a sample Plan of Study. Your actual course sequence may vary depending on your previous academic experience as well as current course offerings. Students should meet with their academic advisor each semester to determine the appropriate course selection.
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### Mission

To prepare students to be successful independent healthcare practitioners, immediately ready to assume the roles and responsibilities required to advance in the Athletic Training Profession.
Goals
1. Employ evidence-based strategies and practices
2. Gain diverse clinical experiences
3. Develop sound critical thinking skills
4. Utilize Administrative skills and knowledge to enhance best practices for patients and organizations
5. Be stewards of and advocates for the AT Profession
6. Value and employ Patient-Centered Care including cultural competency
7. Understand the AT’s role in public health education.
8. Be an active member of the IPE team

Student Learning Outcomes

• Educate and communicate with patients and stakeholders to enhance wellness and minimize the risk of injury and illness
• Implement and perform systematic, evidence-based examinations and assessments to formulate valid clinical diagnoses and determine patients’ plan of care
• Develop, implement, evaluate and update plans of care using evidence-based interventions to optimize patient outcomes
• Implement and perform appropriate emergency and immediate care procedures to prevent and reduce the risk of morbidity and mortality

M.S.Ed. in Applied Physiology
http://sites.education.miami.edu/exercise-physiology-m-s-ed/

Overview
This 30-credit program can be completed in one academic year. The program is designed to be flexible to allow students to tailor the curriculum to optimally align with their interests and career goals. All students complete 9 credits in the curriculum core and may select 21 credits from the electives. Career paths that align with national board exams in strength and conditioning, sports nutrition and clinical exercise physiology can be completed within the 30 credits including practical and clinical experiences.

Admission Requirements
This program accepts applications on a rolling basis for Spring, Summer, or Fall admissions.

• A B.A. or B.S. from an accredited institution is required.
• Undergraduate coursework in human anatomy, human physiology, and exercise physiology.
• Minimum 3.0 cumulative GPA
• TOEFL scores are required for international students whose native language is not English

Curriculum Requirements

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Mission

The mission of the M.S.Ed. program in Applied Physiology is to provide students with advanced-level knowledge, skills and competencies in the applied sciences concomitant with practical and clinical experiences. Students will develop the specific capabilities to enhance human health and performance through applied nutrition, physical training, and clinical practice which are applicable to careers in health, fitness and sport.

Goals

The M.S.Ed. in Applied Physiology provides students with advanced-level knowledge, skills and competencies in the applied sciences which reflect the role delineation for clinical board exams and careers in applied nutrition, human performance and clinical practice in cardiac rehabilitation. Students will develop the knowledge and skills to successfully practice in the health, fitness and sport sectors as high level practitioners and administrators.

Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will develop the competencies to successfully sit for national certification in sports nutrition, strength and conditioning or clinical exercise physiology.
- Students will be career-ready for jobs aligned with the selected path of applied physiology in either sports nutrition, strength and conditioning, fitness administration, or clinical practice in cardiovascular and metabolic disease management.
- Students will be highly capable of delivering and instructing effective programs for diverse population segments in health, fitness and sport sectors.

M.S.Ed. in Sport Administration

http://sites.education.miami.edu/sport-administration-m-s-ed/
Overview
This is a 30-credit program for persons interested in sport administration or sport management.

Application Requirements
Admission to all graduate-degree concentrations in the School of Education and Human Development is based on the recommendation of the faculty. Admissions decisions are based on faculty review of the following general requirements that apply to all Graduate Programs in the School as well as specific documents listed under each concentration.

Applicants must:
- Graduate Record Exam (GRE) requirements may be waived for applications to Spring 2021 and following, pending final approvals. However, if the GRE is required for admissions, applicants must achieve acceptable scores on the GRE taken within the past five years. International applicants whose native language is not English or applicants whose degrees are from a non-U.S. University must pass the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) or International English Language Testing Systems (IELTS) and the GRE;
- provide official transcripts showing completion of a bachelor’s degree from an accredited institution and an acceptable undergraduate grade point average. A minimum of 3.0 undergraduate GPA is required. Official transcripts from every institution attended by an applicant, whether or not the applicant completed a degree program at the institution, are required;
- provide three letters of recommendation that address the issues and meet the criteria established by the program being applied to;
- provide a personal statement that addresses the mission and purpose of the program being applied to;
- resume;
- take part in an admissions interview (required by some programs); and
- exhibit personal and professional experiences and characteristics that are relevant to the profession and/or field and/or degree program for which the application is being submitted.

Master of Science in Education (M.S.Ed.)
In addition to the factors listed as general requirements for all applications to the SEHD’s graduate programs, consideration for admission to the M.S.Ed. program will include the following:
- For Sport Administration (KIN): Applicants with 3-years of professional work or military experience may apply for a GRE waiver. Please contact the program directly for specific waiver criteria.

International Applications
All international applications must provide additional information and meet additional requirements as required by the UM Graduate School and the Office of International Student and Scholar Services. For an appropriate link to these requirements, please visit the Graduate School website.

Admission Decision
Once an applicant has been admitted to graduate study, that individual should meet with the faculty advisor who was appointed to serve in that capacity and whose name appears in the admissions letter. This advisor will help the student enroll in courses that are appropriate to the program; to develop and to refine a Course Sequence Plan that must be on file in the Office of Graduate Studies by the end of the first semester of enrollment.

Honor Code/Handbook of Policies and Procedures
The School of Education and Human Development follows the Graduate School’s Honor Code. All students are required to review the Graduate Student Honor Code and the School of Education and Human Development’s Handbook of Policies and Procedures for Graduate Students and submit the signed Acknowledgement of Receipt located on page 3 by the end of their first semester of enrollment.

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Sample Plan of Study

This is a sample Plan of Study. Your actual course sequence may vary depending on your previous academic experience as well as current course offerings. Students should meet with their academic advisor each semester to determine the appropriate course selection.

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Mission

Sport Administration's mission is to educate and nurture students; to create knowledge; and to provide service to our community and beyond. Committed to excellence and proud of the diversity of our University family, we strive to develop future leaders within the sport industry for our nation and the world. The program will prepare the next generation of leaders, researchers, and agents of change and well-being in the sport community; to promote knowledge with in the widespread realm of the sport sciences and prepare graduates for careers in the sport industry and academia, reflective of our multicultural community. The sport industry has been expanding rapidly, both in spectators and participants. As the industry grows, the need for administrators with specialized training becomes more complex and important. Sport Administration is an attractive field for young professionals. A degree in Sport Administration is widely recognized by industry professionals and gives graduates an important advantage when seeking employment.

Goals

The University of Miami program in Sport Administration prepares individuals for a career in this field according to their personal and professional goals.
Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will demonstrate an overall knowledge and understanding of the core concepts in Sport Administration.
- Students will demonstrate strong oral and written communication skills by demonstrating the ability to engage their peers, and clearly demonstrate both context and purpose of written and oral communications.

M.S.Ed. in Sport Administration (Online)

Overview

This is a 30-credit program for persons interested in sport administration or sport management.

Applying to the Online Programs

In addition to holding the baccalaureate degree from an institution accredited by SACS or another regional accrediting body, the applicant for admission to the Graduate School should have the prerequisite coursework/work experience required by the program to which he/she is applying. In general, those applying for graduate admission should have achieved an overall average grade of “B” or better (3.0 G.P.A. on a 4.0 scale). International students will be required to give evidence of adequate knowledge of English through a TOEFL or IELTS test score.

Admission of a student to the University of Miami for any semester does not imply that such student will be re-enrolled in any succeeding academic semesters.

If students would like to apply to a UOnline program, they will need to create a profile and apply online via our on line application portal found here (https://myonline.miami.edu/SignIn/). Here students will be assigned a personal Enrollment Advisor who will help guide them as the student submits all the components and required documents for their application. Students’ Enrollment Advisors will also guide them through the onboarding process and be available to answer any questions. Students will then transition to their UOnline Student Advocate who will work with them through their first year, then transition to their designated Academic Advisor for important Graduation and completion requirements throughout the remainder of their program.

International Students (who attended college/university outside of the United States)

All graduate applicants who have attended a college or university outside the United States must submit official transcripts and diplomas (if available) from all colleges and universities attended to one of the three approved evaluation services listed below. Follow the specific instructions of the selected evaluation service to request a course-by-course evaluation with degree equivalency and grade point average (gpa) calculation. We do not issue any student Visa’s for International UOnline students.

All online international students who have been admitted to an online program at the University of Miami are not eligible for an F-1 visa.

The evaluation report and copy of all the official documents used in the evaluation must be sent directly from one of the three approved evaluation services to the address below. It is the responsibility of the student to ensure their evaluation is sent to the correct address. Evaluations sent to other addresses on campus will not be received and will delay the admissions process.

University of Miami

Online Enrollment Office

1320 South Dixie Highway

Gables One Tower –Suite 902, Locator Code: 2991

Miami, FL 33146

The evaluation report and supporting documents are required before the Admissions Committee can review the application. Any documents received by the University will become the property of the University and will not be returned to the applicant or sent to a third party including the evaluation services.

Approved Evaluation Services

- Educational Credential Evaluators, Inc. (ECE) (https://www.ece.org/)
- World Education Services (WES) (http://www.wes.org/students/)

TOEFL (Test of English as a Foreign Language)

If students do not hold a U.S. undergraduate degree, they may be required to take the TOEFL exam. If they are required to submit a TOEFL score, students should visit this web page (http://www.ets.org/toefl/) to arrange to take the test. The TOEFL and IELTS scores are valid for 2 years after the test date. The TOEFL code for the University of Miami is 5815.

The University will consider candidates with these minimum TOEFL scores; however, TOEFL score requirements may vary by program.
TOEFL Internet Minimum Score: 94
TOEFL Computer Minimum Score: 240
TOEFL Paper Minimum Score: 600

**TOEFL Waiver**
The TOEFL requirement may be waived for non-native English speakers provided they meet one of the following criteria:

- Students earned their undergraduate degree in a country where the official language is English (this does not include degrees from just English-speaking institutions or just a country where English is spoken).
- Students studied in the United States at an undergraduate level for at least one year or the equivalent of 30 consecutive credit hours.
- Students have lived and worked in an English-speaking country for the past two or more years.

**Letters of Recommendation**
Students will input their recommender’s information directly into the online application which will generate an email with a unique link sent directly to the recommender. Letters of Recommendations must be submitted directly by the student’s recommender using the unique link provided to them via email. Letters of Recommendation received in a Word document, body of an email, or any other format will not be accepted. The student’s Enrollment Advisor may provide guidance to the recommender if they have technical trouble or questions regarding the process.

**Admissions & Admissions Decisions**
Once the University receives the student’s complete application with all required documents, the admissions review process will start.

**Regular Admit (with Official Transcripts)**
If the application meets the standard admissions requirements and the University has received all official transcripts, from all institutions entered on their online application, the student will receive an offer of full admission in approximately 48 business hours after the University has received the completed application. The student will receive an official email from the Enrollment Advisor and be able to view the admissions decision via their Online Application portal.

**Conditional Admit (with Unofficial Transcripts and/or Test Scores)**
If the application fully meets the standard admissions requirements, the student may be conditionally admitted if the University has received and accepted the unofficial transcripts for all institutions attended, as entered on their online application, and/or the student’s unofficial test scores (if required). Unofficial transcripts may be considered acceptable ONLY IF the document is in a pdf format and ALL of the following items are legible on the transcript document:

- Name of the institution
- Student name
- Cumulative Grade Point Average (preferred)
- Course numbers
- Course names
- Credit hours earned
- Grades earned
- Degree conferred with date (if applicable)
- No other documents will be accepted

Students receive notification typically within 48 business hours after the University has received a complete application (including other required documentation) that the student has been Conditionally Admitted. The notification of Conditional Admission will also address the requirements the student will have to satisfy in order to be officially admitted. The failure to meet any of these conditions will be grounds for the withdrawal of the Conditional Admission and/or the withdrawal from all programs. The student will receive an official email from his/her Enrollment Advisor and be able to view the admissions decision via their Online Application portal.

Students MUST pay their tuition bill or have accepted their Financial Aid Award, no later than by the payment due date. Once students are fully admitted and have paid their non-refundable enrollment deposit, and successfully passed the Student Readiness Orientation (SRO), they may be eligible to receive financial aid within the same term, provided the University has granted the student full admission during the same academic year.

Students may start their course and continue through the term as long as they have been awarded Financial Aid, and have accepted their Financial Aid award no later than the first day of class. Student’s Financial Aid funds will not be disbursed until the student has participated in their first course and all official admissions documents and all required Financial Aid documents have been received. Students are responsible for checking CaneLink to ensure that their funding is ready for disbursement.

Students will not be registered for the next term until their current balance is paid in full. In the event the student’s financial aid award is delayed, students should work directly with their Student Advocate or Academic Advisor to determine the appropriate next steps and ensure they meet the appropriate payment deadlines. Students should refer to the Academic Calendar (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/) for important
deadlines regarding Financial Aid Application due dates. Students may submit their FAFSA after the Financial Aid application priority consideration due date, but may have to use an alternative form of payment if their Financial Aid is not processed by the required payment deadlines.

Students should review the Monthly Payment Plan (MPP) (http://bulletin.miami.edu/graduate-student-handbook-online-students/cost-fees-billing-payment/) section for guidance on setting up a monthly payment plan, as well as the Payment Policies section for payment options and consequences for non-payment. Monthly payment plans are available for students at the beginning of each term. Fall and Spring MPP consist of four (4) payments; however, Summer MPP consist of three (3) payment options and is only available to online students at this time. UM Employees are not eligible for Monthly Payment Plans at this time.

Students should review the Transcripts section for official transcripts deadlines and consequences if the University has not received all official transcripts. Students should also review the UOnline (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/) Academic Calendar (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/) for official transcript deadlines.

Accepting Admission
When a student's admission decision has been made, the student will receive an official Admissions decision email from the Enrollment Advisor which includes next steps (https://myonlinesupport.miami.edu/recently-admitted/) for accepting their offer. Students can also view the admissions decision the online application portal found here (https://myonline.miami.edu/).

A student's Enrollment Advisor will guide him/her through the next steps (https://myonlinesupport.miami.edu/recently-admitted/) to accept their offer of admission and pay their non-refundable enrollment deposit. A student's offer of admission has not been accepted until their non-refundable enrollment deposit has been paid.

Students will have fourteen (14) calendar days to accept their offer of admission by paying their non-refundable $300 Enrollment Deposit. If a student fails to accept their offer of admission within the fourteen (14) calendar day timeframe according to the Deposit Date on the official Admission letter, the student’s application will be withdrawn. Students who apply late will forfeit the full (14) calendar day acceptance policy and will be required to accept their offer no later than the last official Deposit Deadline as set on the UOnline Academic Calendar (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/), which may be less than (14) calendar days. Students should refer to their official Admissions letter for their exact deposit deadline. If a student chooses to reapply, they will need to wait one (1) additional term before reapplying. Deferrals are not permitted unless the student has been approved for a Deferral Exception (https://qafederation.ngwebsolutions.com/sp/startSSO.ping?RequestedDynamicFormTemplate=2688d0b9-6031-4812-8f79-84fe37812020).

Deferral Exception Appeal
In extenuating circumstances, students may choose to apply for a Deferral Exception (https://qafederation.ngwebsolutions.com/sp/startSSO.ping?RequestedDynamicFormTemplate=2688d0b9-6031-4812-8f79-84fe37812020). Students who choose not to accept their offer of admission must apply for a Deferral Exception no later than their Deposit Deadline as specified by the Admissions letter, or will be withdrawn and will need to wait one (1) additional term before reapplying. Deferral Exception Requests are only eligible for the next immediate term. Students who would like to wait to start in future terms will need to reapply and should contact their Enrollment Advisor for additional information regarding documents required for admission. Any student who has already accepted their offer of admissions must apply for a Deferral Exception no later than the official Completed Enrollment Application Deadline for their current term as per the Academic Calendar. (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/) Deferral requests submitted after the deadline will not be reviewed. Any student who has already been withdrawn due to missing their deposit deadline, failing their SRO requirement, or by voluntarily submitting a Withdrawal request will not be eligible to defer and must reapply.

- If a student's Deferral Exception application is denied, the student's offer of admission will be withdrawn and they must wait one (1) additional term before reapplying.
- If a student's Deferral Exception is approved, the student's start date will be updated to the next immediate term and the student will be sent a new admissions letter indicating the approval and updated start date.
  - If a student has not accepted their offer of admission, and is approved for a deferral exception, the student will have fourteen (14) calendar days to accept their offer from the date of the deferral approval as per their deferral approval letter. If a student does not accept their offer of admission within the fourteen (14) calendar day timeframe, the student’s application will be withdrawn and the student must sit out (1) one additional term before reapplying.
  - If a student has already accepted their offer of admission, and has been approved for a deferral exception, the student's start date will be updated and a new admissions letter will be sent with the updated term and approval. If a student chooses to withdraw before the census date or is administratively withdrawn for any reason, the student must sit out one (1) additional term before reapplying to the program.

Any student who chooses to reapply for a future term is not guaranteed admission and will be subject to any changes in tuition, scholarships, and/or admissions requirements for that term.

The offer of Admission Expiration
Offers of Admission are valid for one term only unless a Deferral Exception has been granted. To officially accept the offer of admission, a student must log into Canelink (https://myonlinesupport.miami.edu/recently-admitted/) and pay their non-refundable enrollment deposit. If a student has not accepted an offer of admission within the fourteen (14) day time frame/deadline on their official Admissions Letter, he/she must reapply to the
University and program after sitting out one additional term. Student should contact the Online Enrollment Office to verify what documents must be submitted for consideration.

**Reapplying/Readmission**

There are a few situations in which students have to reapply to a program. Students will have to reapply to a program if:

- A student’s original Offer of Admission has expired and he/she never started the online program.
- A student requests to change to a different program.
- A student has been withdrawn from his/her program for more than 1 calendar year (3 consecutive terms).
- A student failed to meet the requirements of a Conditional Admission.
- A student failed or did not complete the Student Readiness Orientation (SRO)
- A student’s Deferral Exception Appeal was denied

To reapply, students can login and start the Online Application (https://myonline.miami.edu/signup/) using their previous log-in credentials. A student should contact the Online Enrollment Office at 1-800-411-2290 if they have questions regarding the application. All students who are readmitted will need to complete the Student Readiness Orientation (SRO) by their deadline, regardless of prior completion, and adhere to all admissions deadlines as set forth in the Academic Calendar.

**Not Admitted**

If a student’s application does NOT meet the standard admissions requirements, he/she will receive a notification that he/she has not been admitted into the program typically **within 48 business hours** after the University received the student’s completed application. Students will receive an email from their Enrollment Advisor and be able to view their admissions decision via their Online Application portal (https://myonline.miami.edu/signup/).

If a student is not admitted into a program, he/she will receive an explanatory email from the Enrollment Advisor and will be able to view their admissions decision via their Online Application portal. Students may be eligible to reapply once they have met the admission requirements or choose to apply to a new program. A student’s Enrollment Advisor will contact a student to discuss their options.

**Transcripts for Admissions**

**Official Transcripts**

- MUST Arrive in a sealed envelope with the school’s stamp/seal across the back or on the institution’s official envelope
- Be opened only by a member of the University of Miami admission staff
- Have a Registrar’s signature and/or watermark and/or indented seal which appears on the transcript

Mailing Address for submission of transcripts:

University of Miami

Online Enrollment Office

1320 South Dixie Highway

Gables One Tower –Suite 902, **Locator Code: 2991**

Miami, FL 33146

Please ensure that the locator code is included in the address. Transcripts may not be received if address is missing the locator code or sent to another address on campus. Students are responsible for ensuring that they have their transcripts sent to the address above and are subject to all deadlines as per the Academic Calendar (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/).

**Electronic Transcripts**

Electronic transcripts will be considered official only if they are sent directly from the accredited institution and received directly by the Online Enrollment Office at etranscripts@miami.edu. A transcript sent directly to the student’s Enrollment Advisor will be considered as unofficial and will need to be re-sent to the official etranscripts address.

**Official Transcripts, Scores & Conditional Admission**

The University must receive official transcripts for all institutions attended, as entered on their online application, before any student can be considered fully admitted into the University.

**Official Transcripts/International Evaluations Due Date**

If a student was Conditionally Admitted into a program with unofficial transcripts, the University MUST receive the student’s official transcripts from all institutions attended, as entered on their online application, or International Evaluations from an approved evaluation service, by the date listed on the UOnline Academic Calendar. A student’s Admissions letter will provide the exact due date for the official transcript(s) and he/she may
check Canelink to verify that the University has received the student’s official transcripts. Students should refer to the Academic Calendar (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/) for important due dates.

### Official Test Scores Due Date

If a student was Conditionally Admitted into a program with unofficial test scores and is required to submit official GRE, GMAT or TOEFL official test scores, the University **MUST receive their official test scores by the the date listed on the UOnline Academic Calendar**. A student’s Admissions letter will provide the exact due date for the student’s official test score(s) and he/she may check Canelink to verify that the University has received the student’s official test scores. Students should refer to the Academic Calendar (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/) for important due dates.

### UONLINE OFFICIAL TEST SCORE SCHOOL CODES

**TOEFL CODES:** Institution: 5815
**GRE CODES:** Institution (All UOnline programs): 4405
**GMAT CODES:**
- School of Business - UOnline Finance/Accounting Certificate: 7NV-S1-23
- School of Business - UOnline Master of Finance: 7NV-S1-35
- School of Business - UOnline Master of Professional Accounting: 7NV-S1-53
- School of Business - UOnline Professional MBA: 7NV-S1-01

**College of Arts & Sciences**: UOnline Master of Public Administration: 7NV-HM-66
**School of Education**: UOnline Master & EdD of Applied Learning Sciences: 7NV-HM-66

### Financial Aid & Tuition Payment

If students apply for Financial Aid, Financial Aid will be NOT be awarded until the University has received the official transcripts from all institutions attended and/or test scores, if required.

Because Financial Aid will not be awarded until official transcripts from all institutions attended and test scores are received, a student **MUST pay the tuition bill by the payment due date**. Students should review the Payment policies for payment options and consequences for non-payment.

### Official Transcripts and Test Scores Not Received

- A student will be removed from their current course and next course
- A student will be administratively withdrawn and may be reinstated if the University receives the student’s official transcripts.
- A student may owe a tuition balance from being withdrawn and must have their tuition bill paid in full before being eligible for reinstatement

### Enrollment Deposit

Once students have received their offer of admission or conditional admission, they will pay a **non-refundable** enrollment deposit in order to accept their offer of admission. Once the deposit in full has been received, students will be required to complete and pass their Student Readiness Orientation (SRO) within (4) four weeks or by the deadline provided, in order to be eligible for their first term registration.

### What the Enrollment Deposit Is

The enrollment deposit payment is:

- Paid one time per UOnline program
- **Non-refundable** including if the student’s Offer of Admission has expired, he/she failed the Student Readiness Orientation (SRO), and he/she never started the program or if they were conditionally admitted and did not meet the conditions for full admission.
- Due no later than the **date listed on the academic calendar**.
- Applied against a student’s 1st tuition bill
- Valid for as long as the Offer of Admission is valid:
  - If a student’s Offer of Admission for their UOnline program has **expired** and he/she reapplies to any program (campus-based or online), a student will be required to pay the deposit again and any applicable fees.
  - Transferrable to a new UOnline program: if a student applies to a new UOnline program while the existing Offer of Admission is still valid, the student will not have to pay the deposit again.
  - **Not transferrable** to any campus-based program.

### Paying the Enrollment Deposit

After a student has received the Offer of Admission, the student will be provided access to Canelink (https://canelink.miami.edu/) to pay the student’s enrollment deposit with the following payment options:
• Online Credit Card payment:
  • MasterCard
  • Visa
  • American Express
  • Discover
• E-check (drawn on a US bank only)
  • Bank-to-Bank, Exchange Bureau or Wire Transfer.
    • Students are responsible for any fees or currency exchange processing charged by their bank or exchange bureau when transferring funds and should account for this when sending tuition payments.
• International Payments with Flywire (http://www.miami.edu/finance/index.php/student_account_services/cashier_services-1/international_student_payments/)

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Mission
Sport Administration’s mission is to educate and nurture students; to create knowledge; and to provide service to our community and beyond. Committed to excellence and proud of the diversity of our University family, we strive to develop future leaders within the sport industry for our nation and the world. The program will prepare the next generation of leaders, researchers, and agents of change and well-being in the sport community; to promote knowledge with in the widespread realm of the sport sciences and prepare graduates for careers in the sport industry and academia, reflective of our multicultural community. The sport industry has been expanding rapidly, both in spectators and participants. As the industry grows, the need for administrators with specialized training becomes more complex and important. Sport Administration is an attractive field for young professionals. A degree in Sport Administration is widely recognized by industry professionals and gives graduates an important advantage when seeking employment.

Goals
The University of Miami program in Sport Administration prepares individuals for a career in this field according to their personal and professional goals.

Student Learning Outcomes
• Students will demonstrate an overall knowledge and understanding of the core concepts in Sport Administration.
• Students will demonstrate strong oral and written communication skills by demonstrating the ability to engage their peers, and clearly demonstrate both context and purpose of written and oral communications.

Ph.D. in Exercise Physiology
http://sites.education.miami.edu/exercise-physiology-ph-d/

Overview
The Ph.D. in Exercise Physiology requires 72 credits.

Application Requirements
Admission to all graduate-degree concentrations in the School of Education and Human Development is based on the recommendation of the faculty. Admissions decisions are based on faculty review of the following general requirements that apply to all Graduate Programs in the School as well as specific documents listed under each concentration.

Applicants must:
• Graduate Record Exam (GRE) requirements may be waived for applications to Spring 2021 and following, pending final approvals. However, if the GRE is required for admissions, applicants must achieve acceptable scores on the GRE taken within the past five years. International applicants whose native language is not English or applicants whose degrees are from a non-U.S. University must pass the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) or International English Language Testing Systems (IELTS) and the GRE;
• provide official transcripts showing completion of a bachelor’s degree from an accredited institution and an acceptable undergraduate grade point average. A minimum of 3.0 undergraduate GPA is required. Official transcripts from every institution attended by an applicant, whether or not the applicant completed a degree program at the institution, are required;
• provide three letters of recommendation that address the issues and meet the criteria established by the program being applied to;
• provide a personal statement that addresses the mission and purpose of the program being applied to;
• resume;
• take part in an admissions interview (required by some programs); and
• exhibit personal and professional experiences and characteristics that are relevant to the profession and/or field and/or degree program for which the application is being submitted.
Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.)

In addition to the factors listed as general requirements for all applications to the SEHD's graduate programs, consideration for admission to the Ph.D. program will include the following:

- letters of recommendation should address the applicant's academic potential;
- available student space in the program;

International Applications

All international applications must provide additional information and meet additional requirements as required by the UM Graduate School and the Office of International Student and Scholar Services. For an appropriate link to these requirements, please visit the Graduate School website.

Admission Decision

Once an applicant has been admitted to graduate study, that individual should meet with the faculty advisor who was appointed to serve in that capacity and whose name appears in the admissions letter. This advisor will help the student enroll in courses that are appropriate to the program; to develop and to refine a Program of Study that must be on file in the Office of Graduate Studies by the end of the first academic year of enrollment.

Honor Code/Handbook of Policies and Procedures

The School of Education and Human Development follows the Graduate School's Honor Code. All students are required to review the Graduate Student Honor Code and the School of Education and Human Development’s Handbook of Policies and Procedures for Graduate Students and submit the signed Acknowledgement of Receipt located on page 3 by the end of their first semester of enrollment.

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¹ For further information, please contact the Graduate Program Director.
² For guidance, please contact the Graduate Program Director.
* Coursework specialization is available in this program for persons interested in clinical and research orientation in the area of exercise physiology.
** 2/3 of all coursework must be at or above the 700 level. Students entering with a Master's degree in Exercise Physiology or a related degree must take a minimum of 30-credit hours of graduate coursework at the University of Miami in addition to 12-credit hours of dissertation.
# Sample Plan of Study

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| Year One          |  | Credit Hours |
|-------------------|--------------------------|
| **Fall**          | KIN 630                  | Cellular Exercise Physiology | 3 |
|                   | KIN 631                  | Laboratory Techniques in Functional Evaluation of Skeletal Muscle | 3 |
|                   | KIN 679                  | Principles of Exercise Prescription/Assessment: Cardiovascular | 3 |
|                   | **Credit Hours**         | 9 |
| **Spring**        | KIN 621                  | Advanced Systemic Exercise Physiology | 3 |
|                   | KIN 686                  | Exercise Prescription/Assessment Laboratory | 3 |
|                   | KIN 735                  | Methods in Biomechanical Analysis | 3 |
|                   | **Credit Hours**         | 9 |

| Year Two          |  | Credit Hours |
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| **Fall**          | EPS 702                  | Quantitative Methods II | 3 |
|                   | KIN 746                  | Research Methods in Kinesiology and Sport Sciences | 3 |
|                   | Outside Supporting Field Course | 3 |
|                   | **Credit Hours**         | 9 |
| **Spring**        | EPS 703                  | Applied Multivariate Statistics | 3 |
|                   | KIN 740                  | Neurophysiology in Exercise Science | 3 |
|                   | Outside Supporting Field Course | 3 |
|                   | **Credit Hours**         | 9 |

| Year Three        |  | Credit Hours |
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| **Fall**          | Outside Supporting Field Course | 3 |
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|                   | EPS 7XX Graduate Research Competency Elective | 3 |
|                   | **Credit Hours**         | 9 |
| **Spring**        | EPS 7XX Graduate Research Competency Elective | 3 |
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| Year Four         |  | Credit Hours |
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| **Fall**          | KIN 830                  | Pre-Candidacy to Dissertation Research | 3 |
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|                   | **Credit Hours**         | 9 |
| **Spring**        | KIN 840                  | Post-Candidacy Dissertation Research | 3 |
|                   | **Credit Hours**         | 3 |

| Year Five         |  | Credit Hours |
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| **Fall**          | KIN 840                  | Post-Candidacy Dissertation Research | 3 |
|                   | **Credit Hours**         | 3 |
Mission

The mission of the Ph.D. program in Exercise Physiology is to provide students with advanced knowledge, skills and competencies in the applied sciences concomitant with the ability to conduct advanced level research using laboratory proficiencies required of the field. Students will also learn to provide services related to health and wellness to our diverse Miami community.

Student Learning Outcomes

• Students will demonstrate advanced level knowledge, skills, and competencies in the field of Exercise Physiology.
• Students will be able to demonstrate advanced level clinical laboratory proficiencies required of the field of Exercise Physiology.
• Students will demonstrate proficiency in their ability to write intelligently about concepts and theory in Exercise Physiology and conduct scientific research in the field.
• Students will demonstrate proficiencies in their written and oral communication skills.

Teaching and Learning

http://sites.education.miami.edu/tal/

Dept. Code: TAL

Programs

Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.)

• Teaching and Learning

This individually-tailored program is designed to help students achieve their professional research-based career goals. A central component of the doctoral program in Teaching and Learning includes work on research projects that support collaboration with faculty and the application of course work as students develop their own research ideas. TAL’s Ph.D. program emphasizes an understanding of theory in scholarly inquiry; the intellectual framing and conduct of empirical research; the placement of research within cultural contexts and policy settings; designing, implementing and testing of transformative learning-environments that promote deep learning; and critical analysis of policy, research and practice.

Specializations are offered in:

• Language & Literacy Learning in Multilingual Settings (LLLMS)
• Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM)
• Special Education (SPED)

Doctor of Education (Ed.D.)

• Applied Learning Sciences
• Applied Learning Sciences (online)

Master of Science in Education (M.S.Ed.)

• Applied Learning Sciences
• Applied Learning Sciences (online)
• Early Childhood Special Education
• Education and Social Change
• Special Education
• Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL) and Bilingual Education (BE)

Specialist in Education (Ed.S.)

• Early Childhood Special Education

The Ed.S. degree is a terminal degree, for educators who already have a relevant Master’s degree and who wish to increase their proficiency in their chosen field. The program requires 30 additional credit hours beyond the Master’s Degree (minimum) and is individually designed after admission. Some programs for cohorts of teachers feature lock-step curricula. These programs typically combine students pursuing M.S.Ed. degrees with those...
pursuing Ed.S. degrees. While all students in these programs follow the same curriculum, students pursuing Ed.S. degrees receive additional or different assignments. Please contact the Department of Teaching and Learning for a program sheet and course listings for the above programs.

Certificates (Non-Degree Programs)

- Applied Learning Sciences (online)

Masters Programs in Teaching and Learning

- M.S.Ed. in Applied Learning Sciences (p. 2182)
- M.S.Ed in Applied Learning Sciences (Online)
- M.S.Ed in Early Childhood Special Education (p. 2191)
- M.S.Ed. in Education and Social Change (p. 2192)
- M.S.Ed. in Special Education (p. 2195)
- M.S.Ed. in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL) and Bilingual Education (BE) (http://bulletin.miami.edu/graduate-academic-programs/education-human-development/teaching-learning/tesol/)

Specialist Programs in Teaching and Learning


Doctoral Programs in Teaching and Learning

- Ed.D. in Applied Learning Sciences (p. 2170)
- Ed.D. in Applied Learning Sciences (p. 2170) (online)
- Ph.D. in Teaching and Learning (p. 2200)

TAL 600. Human Learning. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an overview of major theories of human development from childhood through adulthood. This course will focus on the individual learner as influenced by individual- and social-learning processes; the interrelationships between human learning and development; social settings for learning such as classroom, business, and informal learning environments; the applications of learning theories and models; the learning of language(s), content, social practices, and reasoning processes. Emphasis will be placed on how social, cultural, and linguistic diversity interact to create variation in human learning.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 601. Educational Assessment and Accountability. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the principles and classroom applications of educational measurement and assessment as well focuses on accountability policies and practices at the school, district, state and federal levels.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 602. Organizational Learning. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an overview on how organizations adapt and change, including changes that could be thought of as constituting “learning.” Changes in shared values, structures, and practices can facilitate and/or hinder an organization’s capacity to gather, select, and process information, to retain that information, and to act upon knowledge valued and created by members. Emphasis is placed on how participants’ own careers fit within their employment or field-placement sites as learning organizations and how their efforts can help their sites to learn.

Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 603. Technology Applications in Education. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to help you better understand why and how to use modern technologies in educational settings. Throughout the course, you will identify and share accessible technological resources, participate in hands-on activities, conduct mini-teaching, and create technology-enhanced instructional materials. You will examine the affordances and constraints of a variety of technologies including mobile learning, computer-based visualizations, web-based curriculum platforms, augmented and mixed reality, and online collaboration tools. You will discuss with the instructor and peers critical issues and policy relevant to the effective use of technologies in K-12 classrooms or informal learning environments. As a graduate level course, you will need to conduct a small-scale research that investigates the effectiveness of a technology-enhanced learning environment.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
TAL 604. Building Positive Relationships in Inclusive Secondary Schools. 3 Credit Hours.
Designed to assist general education teachers in meeting the needs of diverse secondary school students. Focus on students with disabilities, language and culture in the classroom, and developing culturally competent classroom management methods.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 605. Mentoring and Internship in Classroom Teaching. 3-6 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive program of supervised teaching in elementary or secondary class rooms.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 606. Issues and Strategies for ESOL. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides a comprehensive foundation in ESOL (English for Speakers of Other Languages) competencies based on Florida’s mandates and TESOL standards. Theory and practice will be emphasized in the areas of applied linguistics, cross cultural communication and understanding, methods of teaching, assessment, and curriculum and material development.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 607. Instructional Leadership. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the components of effective supervision of instruction. Leadership theories which apply to educational settings: legal rights and responsibilities of students, teachers and administrators will be covered. As well as the examination of various models of teaching.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 608. Language Development for Linguistically and Culturally Diverse Students. 3 Credit Hours.
Course will provide an introduction to theories of linguistics, first and second language acquisition, as well as foundations of English learner education. Readings and lectures will serve to highlight the development of language and literacy, including challenges faced by students for whom Standard English is a second language and/or a second dialect. This course will be the first in a two-course ESOL sequence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 609. Supervised Practicum in Reading and Writing. 3 Credit Hours.
Supervised practicum in reading and writing. Emphasis is on assessment and interventions for elementary and secondary students with a range of academic, linguistic and cultural challenges in becoming proficient readers.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 610. Literacy and Learning Strategies in the Content Area. 3 Credit Hours.
Literacy instruction in content areas for grades 6 through 12; instructional methods and materials for development of language arts, reading, and study skills. Emphasis on appropriate materials, motivation, and support for students with exceptional needs and English language learners.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 611. Topics in the Professional Development and Supervision of Teachers. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics include the preparation of clinical teachers to induct, guide, and supervise the field experiences of students and associate teachers; techniques in the observation and supervision of in-service teachers; creation and implementation of professional development plans; reading in the research on teacher development across the career.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 612. Building Positive Relationships with Diverse Learners. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the principles of various theoretical perspectives of classroom management and discipline. Applications to the management of behavior problems of children and adolescents. Contemporary research analyzed and discussed. Writing intensive course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
TAL 613. Prescriptive Teaching of Exceptional Students. 3 Credit Hours.
Techniques for individualization of instruction for exceptional students, including educational prescription, and curriculum adaptation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

TAL 614. Assessment in Special Education. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of assessment instruments used to assess and evaluate exceptional students in inclusive and special education settings. Emphasis is on assessments for students in K-12 settings with a range of academic, linguistic, and cultural challenges in becoming proficient learners. Graduate students will complete a research paper using APA writing format.
Prerequisite: TAL 629.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 615. Reading in the Elementary School. 3 Credit Hours.
Extending competencies in teaching reading, including exceptional children in the regular classroom, with emphasis on applying findings from research in reading to classroom practices. 20 hours of field experience required for all students who are not currently teaching.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

TAL 616. Mathematics in the Elementary School. 3 Credit Hours.
Content, methods, and research appropriate for teaching mathematics in the elementary school, including exceptional children in the regular classroom. Content is defined as a pre-algebra mathematics. 20 hours of field experience required for all students who are not currently teaching.
Writing intensive course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

TAL 617. Science in the Elementary School. 3 Credit Hours.
Extending competencies of elementary school teachers in teaching science to children, including exceptional children in the regular classroom. Development of science programs based on research which has classroom applications. 20 hours of field experience required for all students who are not currently teaching.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

TAL 618. Social Studies in the Elementary School. 3 Credit Hours.
Extending competencies in teaching social studies to children, including exceptional children in the regular classroom, with an emphasis on research applications. 20 hours of field experience required for all students who are not currently teaching.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

TAL 619. Exceptional Student Education and Classroom Management. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Introduction to theories and methods of effective classroom management and learning environments, perceptions of disabilities, addressing disruptive behaviors in classrooms and behavioral assessment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 620. Teaching and Management for Diverse Classrooms. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will emphasize building a classroom culture and community that meets the needs of all students, including learners with disabilities and learners with culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds. A history of major legal requirements for diverse populations is examined, including the meaning of learning differences, definitions and causes of disabilities, language acquisition processes, and methods for teaching diverse populations. An introduction to theories and methods of effective classroom management for building learning communities is integrated throughout the course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
TAL 621. Student Teaching in the Elementary School. 5-6 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive semester-long program in observation and supervised teaching in the elementary school. The student spends full-time in an elementary school participating in all activities of the teacher under the guidance of school and university personnel.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 622. Student Teaching in the Secondary School. 5-6 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive program in observation and supervised teaching in the secondary school. The student spends full-time in a secondary school participating in all activities of the teacher under the guidance of school and university personnel.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 623. Seminar on Teaching. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topical seminar to accompany associate teaching
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 624. Education and the Arts. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of the fine and performing arts and their relation to PreK-12 education. Emphasis is placed on experiential learning and methods of incorporating the arts in school curricula. The course also includes a focus on the value of the arts to the individual and society.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 625. Online Teaching and Leadership. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to teaching-learning process in online learning environments, including asynchronous modalities, assessment and evaluation, technology and digital copyright usage.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 626. Workshop in Education. 1-6 Credit Hours.
A critical study of practical problems of teachers. Significant problems are defined, literature and research are reviewed, and individual or small group projects are required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 627. Understanding Culture in the Classroom. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the conflicts and the strategies for resolution between the patterns of culture in the classroom and the patterns of culture that school children bring to the classroom - patterns which are learned in their families and communities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

TAL 628. Internship in Special Education Settings. 3-6 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive program of supervised teaching in special education settings. The student spends two full semesters employed as a full-time teacher while under the guidance of school and university personnel.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 629. Educating Exceptional Students. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey course in special education emphasizing characteristics and problems associated with various categories of exceptional learners. Policy, issues, and trends in special education will be discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
TAL 630. Instructing Students Who Have Literacy Challenges. 3 Credit Hours.
Administration and interpretation of instructional assessments with instructional strategies and materials based upon scientifically based reading research for the prevention and remediation of reading difficulties.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 631. Assessment of Reading and Related Learning Disabilities. 3 Credit Hours.
Theories and procedures for screening, diagnosis, and progress-monitoring of reading and related learning disabilities. Includes instruction and supervised clinical experiences in administration and interpretation of assessments with an emphasis on prevention, identification, and remediation of reading and related learning disabilities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

TAL 632. Intervention for Reading and Related Learning Disabilities. 3 Credit Hours.
Theories and procedures for screening, diagnosis, and progress-monitoring of reading and related learning disabilities. Includes instruction and supervised clinical experiences in administration and interpretation of assessments with an emphasis on prevention, identification, and intervention of reading and related learning disabilities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

TAL 633. Reading Comprehension. 3 Credit Hours.
Development of comprehension, rate, and study skills; reading in the content areas; evaluation of materials, organization of programs; issues, problems, and exceptional readers. Emphasis is placed on understanding reading as a process of student engagement in fluent decoding of words and construction of meaning.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

TAL 634. Language and Reading Instruction. 3 Credit Hours.
Extending competencies of K-12 school teachers in teaching reading to children, including exceptional children in the regular classroom. Emphasis on applying findings from research in reading and writing to classroom practices.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 635. Inclusive Models of Teaching. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on models of inclusion and the educational roles to support student success in inclusive settings. Topics addressed include: differentiated staffing patterns; working as a member of team; successful collaborative practices; effective communication; including differentiation of instruction and application of principles of Universal Design for Learning (UDL); co-teaching; strategies for working effectively with students, families, parents, guardians, administrators, general education teachers, paraprofessionals, and other professionals, including students, families, and team members; and creating school partnerships.
Prerequisite: TAL 629. And TAL 614.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 636. Universal Design for Learning and Assistive Technology Strategies for Transition. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on evidence-based interventions and models of support for students with disabilities in K-12 settings and strategies for preparing students for transition from school. Topics addressed include: strategies for using Assistive Technology effectively; strategies for enhancing self advocacy and self determination for students with disabilities; strategies for enhancing family involvement in career development and post school employment; transition services and models; preparing students with disabilities for employment and postsecondary education; residential alternatives; recreation and leisure for students with disabilities.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
TAL 637. Field Experience Seminar I. 0 Credit Hours.
This hybrid zero credit course has been designed to provide additional support for students in our teacher preparation programs. Students will enroll in this course while they participate in a series of field experiences where they gain practical experience integrating theory and practice while working with students in K-12 settings. Major topics include: the Florida Educator Accomplished Practices, Live Text, and guidelines and procedures. Corequisite: TAL 612.
Components: SEM.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 638. Language Arts and Culture in the Classroom. 3 Credit Hours.
Extending competencies in the language arts including linguistic and cultural diversity and children with disabilities in elementary classrooms. Emphasis on research applications. 20 hours of field experience required for all students who are not currently teaching. Writing intensive course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

TAL 639. Field Experience Seminar II. 0 Credit Hours.
This hybrid zero credit course has been designed to provide additional support for students in our teacher preparation programs. Students will enroll in this course while they participate in a series of field experiences where they gain practical experience integrating theory and practice while working with students in K-12 settings. Major topics include: the Florida Educator Accomplished Practices, Live Text, and guidelines and procedures. Co-requisite: TAL 606.
Components: LAB.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 640. Typical and Atypical Child Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Theories and research in the development of children from conception through eight years of age. Factors which influence development and the relationship of typical development to patterns of delayed and atypical development. Writing intensive course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

TAL 641. Working with Families of Young Children with Disabilities: Strategies and Medical Issues. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address issues related to working with families of young children with special educational and health needs. This will include strategies for effective communication and collaboration with all members of the interdisciplinary team. This is a writing intensive course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

TAL 642. Evaluation and Assessment in Infant and Early Childhood Special. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will become familiar with a variety of formal and informal screening, evaluation, assessment instruments, and procedures currently in use with children birth to eight. They will learn criteria for selecting and using developmentally and culturally appropriate instruments and become familiar with the multi-, inter-, and trans-disciplinary team approaches. Students will write formal reports and develop an IEP and an IFSP. May require field experience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

TAL 643. Intervention Strategies in Infant and Early Childhood Special Education. 3 Credit Hours.
The focus of this course will be the implementation of IEPs and IFSPs through the use of developmentally appropriate curriculum, methods, and intervention strategies for infants, toddlers, and young children with special needs. This will include implementation and adaptation of existing curriculum and materials for young children to meet the special needs of this population. May require field experience. Writing Intensive course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

TAL 644. Early Childhood Curriculum Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Development of curriculum for children from birth to eight years of age. Emphasis on application of research findings. 20 hours of field experience required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.
TAL 645. Methods for Communications and Language in Young Children with Disabilities. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will focus on language theories, models, and methods for birth-eight year olds. The course will present an overview of normal development in communication and discuss conditions that might impede progress as well as signs that would suggest a problem is present. This course may require field experience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

TAL 646. Working with Children who Exhibit Challenging Behaviors. 3 Credit Hours.
Challenging behaviors in young children; influences of culture, language, ethnicity; applying Response to Intervention in Preschool settings; evidence-based classroom and behavior management strategies; planning intensive individualized interventions; applying positive behavioral support.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 647. Language and Early Reading Instruction. 3 Credit Hours.
Factors related to emergent literacy with an emphasis on diverse aspects of language that influence literacy and learning; development of emergent literacy and word perception; emergent literacy curriculum development; appropriate assessment and instructional techniques. Understanding of reading as a process of student engagement in fluent decoding and construction of meaning. Writing intensive.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

TAL 648. Practicum/Internship with Infants and Toddlers with Disabilities. 3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive program in observations and supervised teaching in a school/center for infants and toddlers with disabilities (0-3 yrs.). The student spends full time in the school/center participating in all activities of the teacher under the guidance of school and university personnel.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 649. Practicum/Internship with Children with Disabilities (3-5 yrs.). 1-6 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive program in observation and supervised teaching in a school/center for children with disabilities (3-5 yrs.). The student spends full time in the school/center participating in all activities of the teacher under the guidance of school and university personnel.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 650. Early Reading Instruction and Literature for Young Children. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of literature for young children emphasizing multicultural literature and use of literature across the curriculum. Development of emergent literacy; examination of emergent literacy curriculum as well as appropriate assessment and instruction techniques. Emphasis on understanding or reading as a process.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 651. Affective, Relational, and Cultural Factors and Processes in Learning. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the impacts of non-cognitive factors on learning and the inter-relationships among what are usually thought of as cognitive and non-cognitive spheres of learning. At times, there may be conflicts between cultural practices as found in learning settings (including classrooms, businesses, and informal learning environments) and the practices into which learners have been encultured by families and communities; at other times, an individual's identity and the values being imparted in a learning environment may work synergistically. The course includes a critical examination of the sources of these factors on human and organizational learning programs and practices.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 652. Assessment of Human and Organizational Learning. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an overview of the assessment of learners in educational, business, work place, and informal settings, with an emphasis on considerations related to cultural and linguistic diversity. Topics include classroom-based assessment, high-stakes assessment in educational settings, testing for job placement and certification, and program evaluation. Among the assessment techniques to be covered are cognitive interviews, the analysis of group-based processes, discourse analysis, and focus-group work.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
TAL 654. STEM Methods for Diverse Learners. 3 Credit Hours.
Research-based instructional practices and processes to meet the needs of all learners, including diverse populations, for mathematics/science education in schools.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

TAL 659. Practicum in Education and Social Change. 3 Credit Hours.
This practicum course is the culminating project for the Education and Social Change Master's Program. Participants will review the literature, design, and present an action project within the context of a school or community setting.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 660. Instruction and Assessment in the Secondary School.. 3 Credit Hours.
Research-based instructional processes in the secondary school.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 661. Instruction in Secondary English.. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of methods, materials, and content appropriate for teaching language arts in the secondary school.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 662. Instruction in Secondary Mathematics. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of methods, materials, and content appropriate for teaching mathematics in the secondary school.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 663. Instruction in Secondary Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of methods, materials, and content appropriate for teaching science in the secondary school.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 664. Instruction in Secondary Social Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of methods, materials, and content appropriate for teaching the social sciences in the secondary school.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 665. Methods of Teaching in the Elementary School. 3 Credit Hours.
Theories and research-based practices for reading/language arts, science, social studies, and math instruction for all learners, including diverse populations in elementary classrooms.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 666. Introduction to the Politics of Education, Teaching, and Learning. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey overview of political debates involving education as a nested and loosely-coupled system where pressures at one level can be supported or countermanded at another. Historical and critical take on present-day debates. Depending on student interests, may go in-depth on topics such as economic politics, cultural politics, state and local control.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

TAL 667. Education Reform, Policy, and the Social Organization of Schooling. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to introduce students to the politics and policy debates in American education, including how the U.S. K-12 public education is organized as a socially-constructed system. We will examine the politics of a variety of recent reforms at the local, federal and state levels and their impact on institutions, students and the public.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
TAL 668. Human Development, Learning and Schooling. 3 Credit Hours.
Major theories of child development and learning will be discussed with a focus on how they apply to teaching and learning in K-12 schools.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 669. Teacher and Student Well-Being in Education. 3 Credit Hours.
This will be an intensive, 600 level course specifically designed for students taking the Master's degree in Education and Social Change. The main thrust of the course will be to link theory and research on personal, organizational, and collective well-being with educational success and school reform. Well-being is a positive state of affairs, brought about by the simultaneous satisfaction of personal, relational, organizational, and community needs. In this course we will examine the signs, sources, and strategies of well-being in individuals, relationships, organizations and communities. The course will focus on applications of theory and research to the well-being of students, parents, teachers, and schools. We will explore the organizational well-being of schools and the policy changes needed to improve the linkages between community development and educational success of children living in poverty. Some of the questions that will be explored in the course include: What is well-being? How is your personal well-being related to the well-being of other people, organizations, and communities? What is the role of values in promoting a just society? What strategies might work for engaging relevant constituencies in educational and social change? The course will be divided into five sections as follows: - Paradigms of well-being and educational reform - Personal well-being of children, teachers, parents, and administrators - Organizational well-being with a focus on schools and educational settings - Community well-being and its relationship to educational policy - Challenges and conclusions. We will cover theory and research as well as practical skills. We will watch videos, engage in role playing, discuss, and write about well-being. Our hope is that the theory and skills that you pick up in this class will help you in your personal life, your educational work, and your community change efforts. You should begin thinking about your final paper as you learn through the presentations, readings, discussions, and other assignments for this course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 670. Teacher Preparation Seminar I. 0 Credit Hours.
This hybrid zero credit course has been designed to provide additional support for students in our teacher preparation programs. Students will enroll in this course while they participate in a series of field experiences where they gain practical experience integrating theory and practice while working with students in K-12 settings. Major topics include: the Florida Educator Accomplished Practices, Live Text, and guidelines and procedures.
Components: SEM.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 671. Curriculum, Assessment, Teaching and Learning for Physical Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of content knowledge, pedagogy, and materials appropriate for teaching physical science, K-16. The course content focuses on instructional practice with an emphasis on developing teacher content knowledge in physical science, pedagogy, and student literacy in physical science.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 672. Curriculum, Assessment, Teaching and Learning for Number, Operations, and Algebra. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines topics that address the mathematical ideas underlying number, operations and algebra. Related K-16 curriculum, instructional and assessment issues will be also discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 673. Curriculum, Assessment, Teaching and Learning for Measurement and Geometry. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics involving measurement and geometry in the K-16 mathematics curriculum, how students learn and reason, assessment, instructional strategies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 674. Internship in the Elementary School. 3-6 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive program of supervised teaching in a K-6 classroom in the elementary school. The student spends a full semester employed as a full-time teacher while under the guidance of school and university personnel.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
TAL 675. Curriculum, Assessment, Teaching and Learning in the Earth Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of content knowledge, pedagogy, and materials appropriate for teaching Earth science, K-16. The course content focuses on instructional practice with an emphasis on developing teacher content knowledge in Earth science, pedagogy, and student literacy in life science.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 676. Curriculum, Assessment, Teaching and Learning for Data Analysis and Probability. 3 Credit Hours.
Data in the K-16 mathematics: how to gather (biased and unbiased samples), store, manage, represent, analyze. Probabilistic inferences in K-16 mathematics: chance, odds, counting, related topics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 677. Applied Research in Education. 3 Credit Hours.
A graduate course in education emphasizing different research methods educators and researchers can utilize to gauge and improve student learning.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 679. Teacher Preparation Seminar II. 0 Credit Hours.
This hybrid zero credit course has been designed to provide additional support for students in our teacher preparation programs. Students will enroll in this course while they participate in a series of field experiences where they gain practical experience integrating theory and practice while working with students in K-12 settings. Major topics include: the Florida Educator Accomplished Practices, Live Text, and guidelines and procedures.
Components: SEM.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 680. Foundations of Bilingual Education. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will focus on the historical foundations of bilingual education in the U.S., current models of bilingual or dual language programs in PK-12 school settings, and contemporary understandings of bilingualism/biliteracy development using sociolinguistic and sociocultural perspectives.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 681. Principles of Curriculum Development and Engagement for TESOL. 3 Credit Hours.
Components of curriculum and instructional management and engagement in ESOL classrooms. Pupil/teacher interaction, curriculum organization, student assessment and evaluation, materials development and adoption, utilization of resources, and classroom organization.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 682. Methods of Teaching Content Areas in TESOL. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines subject matter education for English language learners (ELLs) in the K-12 and international English as a foreign language (EFL) settings. Best practices are investigated and applied within different teaching contexts with a focus on helping students gain access to core subject knowledge.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 683. Introduction to Theories and Practice of TESOL. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory and practical methodology of language and literacy instruction and assessment to children, adolescents, and adults for whom English is not their first language, in alignment with current state, national, and professional standards (as applicable). There will be a focus on inquiry into instructional approaches based on contemporary theories of learning, standards-based and data-driven lesson planning, and reflective practices in the teaching and assessment of English learners.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
TAL 684. Advances Techniques in TESOL. 3 Credit Hours.
This course addresses advanced techniques in TESOL. The course focuses on methods and approaches for teaching English language learners and specific strategies to deliver instruction in the content areas.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 685. Language Assessment. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will familiarize students with the nature of and current methodologies of language assessment within a framework of psychometric and linguistic.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 686. Principles of First and Second Language Acquisition. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will familiarize students with the principles and processes at work in the acquisition of first and other languages. The course focuses on similarities and differences in the ways that first and second languages are learned and factors that influence the learning process for both. Participants will become familiar with current research related to language acquisition through course lectures, interactive course activities and individual as well as collaborative presentations.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 687. Home Language Strategies. 3 Credit Hours.
As a culminating course in the Bilingual/Biliteracy program track, this course will review theories in bilingual development, sociolinguistics, and language teaching in Spanish to build Spanish language proficiency for dual language teachers. There will also be an emphasis on communicating with Spanish-speaking parents of K-12 English learners.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 689. Language and Literacy for Academic Learning. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces key concepts and practical teaching approaches for learning the academic literacies needed to be successful in school contexts. Review of language theories and research concerning teaching academic literacy for education are highlighted throughout the course and embedded within disciplinary contexts for different subject areas (i.e., mathematics, social studies/history, English language arts, and science). Linguistic pedagogy is a central focus of the course to examine applications of language theory in K-12 classrooms serving English learners.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 690. Topics in Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of emerging policy, practice, empirical research and scholarly writing on important educational issues for which formal course title and syllabus have not been developed and formalized in the UM Bulletin. Allows for experimental instructional formats. Course number indicates appropriate student audience. See Course Notes for specific topic.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

TAL 691. Workshop in Education. 1-6 Credit Hours.
A critical study of practical problems of teachers. Significant problems are defined, literature and research are reviewed, and individual or small group projects are required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 692. Curriculum, Assessment, Teaching and Learning for the Life Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of content knowledge, pedagogy, and materials appropriate for teaching life science, K-16. The course content focuses on instructional practice with an emphasis on developing teacher content knowledge in life science, pedagogy, and student literacy in life science.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
TAL 700. Professional Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
The TAL Pro-seminar consists of a series of interactive sessions at which faculty, doctoral students, and guest speakers have the opportunity to
discuss current topics in education research. Its purpose is to enhance the culture of scholarship and collegiality within the Department and to provide
informal guidance to doctoral students on research and career directions in education.
DOCTORAL STANDING.
Components: SEM.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 701. Teacher in American Society. 3 Credit Hours.
An historical, philosophical, and sociological analysis of the teaching profession in American society. The role and status of teachers in American
culture will be discussed. Contemporary issues such as the union movement, status assignment, rewards and incentives, and the role of the teacher
as an instrument in the definition of the culture will also be covered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

TAL 702. The Social and Cultural Foundation of Education. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an interdisciplinary seminar reviewing the major literature in the Social and Cultural Foundation of Education. Classic, Modern and Post-
Modern texts will be read with an emphasis on the literature written after 1980 (Post-Modern). Emphasis will be placed on the exploration of key policy
questions, as well as the analysis of key sociological concepts related to the field such as hegemony, cultural reproduction, social capital and privilege.
The course is intended to provide a “baseline” for understanding the field.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 703. Issues and Trends in Multicultural Education. 3-6 Credit Hours.
The study and critical examination of the theory and practice of multicultural education. Development of a personal theory of effective education for
pluralism is included.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 704. Introduction to the Learning Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
In this course we will explore perspectives and research on domain-specific and domain-general learning in and out of schools, especially those
typically considered in the field of the Learning Sciences. We will examine various perspectives researchers use to inform their work and how these
perspectives provide insight into what it means to learn and know. The course objectives include the following: -Understand key questions addressed
in research on learning -Understand foundational and modern theories and perspectives in learning -Understand how various learning theories are
applied in domain-specific/general research contexts and their limitations -Develop and articulate your own perspectives and research questions on
learning.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 705. Design of online learning environments. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an overview of technology applications in learning environments, including history, theoretical foundations, design processes,
and available technologies. The course includes an exploration of online learning applications/software, instructional design considerations, and
curriculum development for online settings. Topics could include multi-literacies, digital youth network, media and connected learning, web-based
learning, AI and machine based learning models.
TAL 704 OR TAL 600.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 706. Design of Formal Learning Environments. 3 Credit Hours.
This course on instructional design provides an overview of theoretical approaches to learning that can be used to analyze learning environments,
of learning goals for creation and sequencing of learning activities, and of how resources can be deployed in support effective learning. Topics can
include the use of theoretical learning trajectories, tenets and applications of universal design, and social support and intellectual scaffolds for
learning.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
TAL 707. Design for workplace related learning. 3 Credit Hours.
This course deepens participants’ understandings of workplace training and professional development by relating learning to needs assessments; instructional design techniques; program planning, marketing, and delivery techniques; and evaluation of adult learning programs within a variety of organizational settings. Emphasis is placed on constructing training and professional development programs that are meaningful to a diverse workforce and that achieve individual and organizational outcomes to improve an individual's and the organization's performance.

Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 708. Design of Out-of-School, Informal Learning. 3 Credit Hours.
This graduate seminar focuses on learning concepts and practices in and out of formal (school) instructional settings. People learn across a variety of places and over their entire lifespans; much of this learning is elective or interest-driven, in the sense that people voluntarily engage in activity in order to learn. In this we course, we consider how learning is organized within and across a variety of informal settings, including state and national parks, museums, theater organizations, zoos, aquariums, sports teams, one-on-one performance coaching, after school programs, non-profit community centers, in families or home environments, in virtual or online social spaces, and even in interactions between medical personnel and their clients. This course will include ties to sociocultural theories of development and learning as applied to out-of-school, informal contexts. The course provides a review of new empirical research and an overview of theoretical approaches to learning that can be used to analyze informal learning environments. The course will involve theoretical and empirical readings with group discussion, but also visits from and to people who are involved in learning in informal settings.

Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 709. Applied Research and Development in Learning Sciences - Seminar I. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students define and conceptualize a group-based project on learning within their particular employment settings. Groups will develop and implement a plan for a well-focused first effort. The project and its results may be submitted as a digital artifact making use of multiple media in a single language (such as English, French, Italian, Spanish, Portuguese or Chinese) by a team where that language was used to implement the plan and where its use will facilitate the project’s completion. Each individual member of the team submits a paper defining their unique contributions to the project in such a way that it is clear that the work built upon and drew from course work in the Learning Sciences. Individual contributions must be substantive and should be complementary. Projects must be approved by advisor before it is implemented; if a language other than English will be employed, it must also be approved by faculty who will review and evaluate it.

Components: SEM.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 710. Introduction to Research. 3 Credit Hours.
This graduate course focuses on diverse philosophies and epistemologies of research and the various methodological traditions that arise from them. Students will develop an understanding of and appreciation for a range of complementary educational research traditions. The goal is to enable students to participate meaningfully and critically in multiple discourse communities that employ and/or produce research bearing on substantive local, national, and international issues in education.

Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 711. Video Analysis Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
Video-based data has become ubiquitous in educational research. This methods course is designed to facilitate learning how to use video-based research methods in educational research. Despite the growing interest in video-based approaches, we are still beginning to theorize about various points of view when collecting and analyzing video data. There are practical questions about collecting video data and a growing number of software programs to support data analysis. The goal of this course is to learn about video-based methods for data analysis by critically engaging with how others do video analysis and by doing it collectively in the classroom and individually in a final paper.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

TAL 712. Applied Research and Development in the Learning Sciences - Seminar 2. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students build upon, (re)define, (re)conceptualize, (re)develop and (re)implement their group-based project from TAL709 by using the research methods employed in its evaluation. The advanced project and its results may be submitted as a digital artifact making use of multiple media in a single language (such as English, French, Italian, Spanish, Portuguese or Chinese) by a team where that language was used to implement the plan and where its use will facilitate the project's completion. Each individual member of the team submits a paper defining their unique contributions to the project in such a way that it is clear that the work built upon and drew from course work in the Learning Sciences. Individual contributions must be substantive and should be complementary. Projects must be approved by advisor before it is implemented; if a language other than English will be employed, it must also be approved by faculty who will review and evaluate it.

Components: SEM.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
TAL 714. Introduction to Qualitative Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this course is to introduce graduate students to qualitative research methods and enable them to become educated consumers of such research. Students will also be introduced to basic strategies of qualitative interviewing and observation and will be encouraged to reflect on the potential fit between their own developing skills and their research interests.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 720. Research in Residence - Masters. 1 Credit Hour.
Masters-degree and Ed.S. students enrolled for credit as determined by advisor. Credit awarded when thesis is accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 730. Topics in Language and Literacy Learning. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Review of emerging policy, practice, empirical research and scholarly writing on important educational issues for which formal course title and syllabus have not been developed and formalized in the UM Bulletin. Allows for experimental instructional formats. Course number indicates appropriate student audience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 731. Language Policy and Planning (K-12). 3 Credit Hours.
The course focuses on the areas that have been of particular interest to sociolinguists and language planners, namely, status planning, corpus planning, prestige planning, language-in-education planning, the language rights of linguistic minorities and the more recent movements from macro issues on language policy and planning (LPP) to micro issues involved in indexing linguistic, ethnic and racial identities. In addition, the course will address matters of migration, imperialism, state formation and political conflicts due to LPP in the United States as well as in countries in Latin America, the Caribbean, Africa, Asia and Europe.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 732. Seminar in Reading. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminar providing intensive study of contemporary topics in reading. Open to advanced graduate students in reading.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 733. Applied Linguistics. 3 Credit Hours.
In-depth study of phonology, morphology, syntax, semantics and pragmatics of spoken and written discourse and the application to second language acquisition theories. Issues of nonstandard dialects and creoles as well as their impact on literacy challenges will be discussed. Globalization of English and linguistic imperialism will be addressed.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 734. Theory and Research in Reading. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the intellectual roots of theories of reading and how these are used to generate testable research hypotheses about linguistic, psychological, social, and cultural factors that influence and sustain reading development and reading performance. The course surveys works that have influenced research and theory in the field of reading from its inception in the early 1900’s—through the work of experimental psychologists such as Huey—to present times. The readings and lectures will include work that represents the influence of the intellectual traditions of the introspectionists, behaviorism, cognitive psychology, constructionism, socio-cultural theory, and cognitive neuroscience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 735. Theory and Research in Writing. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminar that explores the complementary relationship between reading and writing through the reading and analysis of theoretical and research literature on writing theory and writing instruction.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
TAL 736. Pidgins, Creoles and African-American English in Sociolinguistic Research. 3 Credit Hours.
The course examines the typology of languages that emerged in North and South America as well as in the Caribbean as a result of sociolinguistic contact between European languages and west African languages, namely, pidgins, creoles and African-American English. The course also examines current debates on the extent to which the superstrate and substrate languages as well as the principles of Universal Grammar and the Language Bioprogram Hypothesis have contributed to the linguistic structures of Atlantic Pidgins, Creoles and African-American and Creole cultures are explored. Additionally, the course addresses the sociolinguistic research that advocates dialect diversity and the affirmation of vernacular languages as a means of social and educational reform.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

TAL 752. Seminar in Reading/Learning Disabilities. 3-12 Credit Hours.
Contemporary topics in reading and learning disabilities. Rotating topics and faculty. Open only to advanced graduate students in reading and learning disabilities pursuing specialist or doctoral degrees. Specialist students enroll for a total of six hours, and doctoral students for a total of 12 hours. Course may be repeated for a total of 12 credits. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 753. Introduction to Science of Learning. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an overview of the major theoretical traditions and foundations that undergird and inform the Science of Learning across human settings. We will learn about the study and design of learning experiences as well as technologies and strategies for facilitating learning including access to learning and learner linguistic and cultural diversity and inclusion.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 754. Disability and Diversity: Critical Views. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines critical issues in the cultural/historical conceptualization of the field of special education against the background of cross-cultural views of disabilities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 755. Current Issues in Special Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Current issues and trends in special education from historical, societal, policy, practice, and research perspectives. Topics may include identification, referral, and eligibility; inclusion and Least Restrictive Environment; parent involvement; participation of students with disabilities in high-stakes testing; cultural/linguistic diversity; the disproportionate placement of minorities; and teacher qualifications, certification, and education.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 756. Research in Special Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Critical analysis of empirical research studies in selected areas of special education research, focusing on research designs, data analysis methods, and interpretation of findings.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 757. Seminar in Special Education. 3-12 Credit Hours.
Study in special interest areas in special education. May be taken for up to 12 credits.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 758. Topics in Special Education. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Review of emerging policy, practice, empirical research and scholarly writing in important educational issues for which format course title and syllabus have not been developed and formalized in the UM Bulletin. Allows for experimental instructional formats. Course number indicates appropriate student audience. See Course Notes for specific topics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
TAL 770. Topics in STEM Education. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Review of emerging policy, practice, empirical research and scholarly writing on important educational issues for which format course title and syllabus have not been developed and formalized in the UM Bulletin. Allows for experimental instructional formats. Course number indicates appropriate student audience. See Course Notes for specific topics.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 772. Instructional Design and Technology in STEM Education. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to help you take an engineering approach in instructional design, development, and evaluation in STEM education. The course focuses on instructional systems development with a particular emphasis on technology-enhanced K-12 STEM education environments. We will develop an in-depth theoretical understanding and practical skills of instructional design and technology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 773. Teaching and Teacher Education. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on several key dimensions of schools and schooling and their relationship to larger historical and social contexts, including the history of U.S. education; equity issues in past and present U.S. education; contemporary educational issues & theory; and international/global education.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 774. STEM Learning. 3 Credit Hours.
Provides an overview of the historical roots and current state of the learning sciences, as they apply to the study of learning in science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM). Organized around reading, discussion and synthesis of research.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 775. STEM Curriculum and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of mathematics and science curricula, with the inclusion of engineering and technology as applied science and mathematics. Study of the competing forces that shape curriculum including standards documents, state and national policy, conceptions of the disciplines, modern and postmodern analyses of curriculum theory.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 776. Assessment in STEM Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of the theoretical and research frameworks for student assessment in science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM). Topics include classroom-based assessment, testing for high stakes and other purposes, national and international comparisons in mathematics and science achievement and factors impacting on STEM-related persistence and careers.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 777. STEM-Education Research Practicum. 3 Credit Hours.
Defining an empirical or theoretical research issue, arguing for its importance; framing the study based on related research; designing, implementing and documenting appropriate research methods; reporting and interpreting the results; writing and submitting a manuscript – in the fields that comprise STEM-education.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 778. Diversity and Equity in STEM Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Issues of unequal student achievement, course taking, degree-seeking, and careers that rely on science, engineering, technology and mathematics (STEM). Focus is on social-demographic groups defined along lines of race, ethnicity, social class, gender language, and their interactions. Historical and social antecedents, current day policies and practices, extant research consequences and future trends.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
TAL 790. Advance Topics in Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of emerging policy, practice, empirical research and scholarly writing on important educational issues for which formal course title and syllabus have not been developed and formalized in the UM Bulletin. Allows for experimental instructional formats. Course number indicates appropriate student audience. See Course Notes for specific topic.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 793. Advanced Individual Study. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual work on a special project under faculty guidance. Application for Admission to Advanced Individual Study form will be required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 794. Advanced Individual Study. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual work on a special project under faculty guidance. Application for Admission to Advanced Individual Study form will be required.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 796. Practicum/Internship: Elementary Exceptional Student Education Classroom. 1-6 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive program of observations and supervised teaching in an elementary exceptional student education classroom. The student spends full time in the classroom participating in all activities of the teacher under the guidance of school and university personnel.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 801. Advanced Individual Study for Doctoral Students. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual work on a special project under faculty guidance. Application for Admission to Advanced Individual Study form will be required.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's or Ed.S. thesis enrolls for credit. In most departments no to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 815. Post-Candidacy Thesis Research. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Masters-degree and Ed.S. students enrolled for credit as determined by advisor. Credit awarded when thesis is accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 825. Continuous Registration - Master's Study.. 1 Credit Hour.
To establish residence for non-thesis master's study who are preparing for major examinations or working on culminating project. Credit not granted. Regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 830. Pre-Candidacy Dissertation Research.. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Doctoral students enrolled for credit as determined by advisor. Credit is awarded when dissertation is accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 835. Doctor of Education Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ed.D. The student enrolls for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the doctoral project has been accepted. Total enrollment may not exceed 12 credits.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
TAL 840. Post-Candidacy Dissertation Research. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Doctoral students enrolled for credit as determined by advisor. Credit is awarded when dissertation is accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Doctoral students enrolled for credit as determined by advisor. Credit awarded when dissertation is accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 862. Principles of Curriculum Development and Classroom Management for TESOL. 3 Credit Hours.
Components of curriculum and instructional management in ESOL classrooms. Pupil/teacher interaction, curriculum organization, student assessment and evaluation, materials development and adoption, utilization of resources, and classroom organization will be covered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

TAL 878. Teaching in the Elementary School (YR). 3-6 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive year-long program in observation and supervised teaching in the elementary school. The student spends full time in an elementary school participating in all activities of the teacher under the guidance of school and university personnel following the calendar of the school system.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

Ed.D. in Applied Learning Sciences
Overview
The 45-credit post-Master's EDD in Applied Learning Sciences prepares students for careers that require expertise in multiple facets of human learning.

Admission Requirements
Admission to all graduate-degree concentrations in the School of Education and Human Development is based on the recommendation of the faculty. Admissions decisions are based on faculty review of the following general requirements that apply to all Graduate Programs in the School as well as specific documents listed under each concentration.

Applicants must:
- Graduate Record Exam (GRE) requirements may be waived for applications to Spring 2021 and following, pending final approvals. However, if the GRE is required for admissions, applicants must achieve acceptable scores on the GRE taken within the past five years. International applicants whose native language is not English or applicants whose degrees are from a non-U.S. University must pass the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) or International English Language Testing Systems (IELTS) and the GRE;
- provide official transcripts showing completion of a bachelor’s degree from an accredited institution and an acceptable undergraduate grade point average. A minimum of 3.0 undergraduate GPA is required. Official transcripts from every institution attended by an applicant, whether or not the applicant completed a degree program at the institution, are required;
- provide official transcripts showing completion of an earned master's degree from an accredited institution and an acceptable master's grade point average. A minimum of 3.0 master GPA is required.
- provide three letters of recommendation that address the issues and meet the criteria established by the program being applied to;
- provide a personal statement that addresses the mission and purpose of the program being applied to;
- resume;
- take part in an admissions interview (required by some programs); and
- exhibit personal and professional experiences and characteristics that are relevant to the profession and/or field and/or degree program for which the application is being submitted.

Doctor of Education (Ed.D.)
In addition to the factors listed as general requirements for all applications to the SEHD’s graduate programs, consideration for admission to the Ed.D. program will include the following:
- an earned master’s degree is required;
- letters of recommendation should address the applicant’s academic potential;
• available student space in the program; and
• admissions interview.

International Applications
All international applications must provide additional information and meet additional requirements as required by the UM Graduate School and the Office of International Student and Scholar Services. For an appropriate link to these requirements, please visit the Graduate School website.

Admission Decision
Once an applicant has been admitted to graduate study, that individual should meet with the faculty advisor who was appointed to serve in that capacity and whose name appears in the admissions letter. This advisor will help the student enroll in courses that are appropriate to the program; to develop and to refine a Program of Study that must be on file in the Office of Graduate Studies by the end of the first academic year of enrollment.

Honor Code/Handbook of Policies and Procedures
The School of Education and Human Development follows the Graduate School’s Honor Code. All students are required to review the Graduate Student Honor Code and the School of Education and Human Development’s Handbook of Policies and Procedures for Graduate Students and submit the signed Acknowledgement of Receipt located on page 3 by the end of their first semester of enrollment.

Curriculum Requirements

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Sample Plan of Study
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Ed.D. in Applied Learning Sciences (Online)

Overview
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Applying to the Online Programs
In addition to holding the baccalaureate degree from an institution accredited by SACS or another regional accrediting body, the applicant for admission to the Graduate School should have the prerequisite coursework/work experience required by the program to which he/she is applying. In general, those applying for graduate admission should have achieved an overall average grade of “B” or better (3.0 G.P.A. on a 4.0 scale). International students will be required to give evidence of adequate knowledge of English through a TOEFL or IELTS test score.

Admission of a student to the University of Miami for any semester does not imply that such student will be re-enrolled in any succeeding academic semesters.

If students would like to apply to a UOnline program, they will need to create a profile and apply online via our on line application portal found here (https://myonline.miami.edu/SignIn/). Here students will be assigned a personal Enrollment Advisor who will help guide them as the student submits all the components and required documents for their application. Students’ Enrollment Advisors will also guide them through the onboarding process and be available to answer any questions. Students will then transition to their UOnline Student Advocate who will work with them through their first year, then transition to their designated Academic Advisor for important Graduation and completion requirements throughout the remainder of their program.

International Students (who attended college/university outside of the United States)
All graduate applicants who have attended a college or university outside the United States must submit official transcripts and diplomas (if available) from all colleges and universities attended to one of the three approved evaluation services listed below. Follow the specific instructions of the selected evaluation service to request a course-by-course evaluation with degree equivalency and grade point average (gpa) calculation. We do not issue any student Visa’s for International UOnline students.

All online international students who have been admitted to an online program at the University of Miami are not eligible for an F-1 visa.

The evaluation report and copy of all the official documents used in the evaluation must be sent directly from one of the three approved evaluation services to the address below. It is the responsibility of the student to ensure their evaluation is sent to the correct address. Evaluations sent to other addresses on campus will not be received and will delay the admissions process.

University of Miami
Online Enrollment Office
1320 South Dixie Highway
Gables One Tower –Suite 902, Locator Code: 2991
Miami, FL 33146

The evaluation report and supporting documents are required before the Admissions Committee can review the application. Any documents received by the University will become the property of the University and will not be returned to the applicant or sent to a third party including the evaluation services.

Approved Evaluation Services
- Educational Credential Evaluators, Inc. (ECE) (https://www.ece.org/)
- World Education Services (WES) (http://www.wes.org/students/)
TOEFL (Test of English as a Foreign Language)
If students do not hold a U.S. undergraduate degree, they may be required to take the TOEFL exam. If they are required to submit a TOEFL score, students should visit this web page (http://www.ets.org/toefl/) to arrange to take the test. The TOEFL and IELTS scores are valid for 2 years after the test date. The TOEFL code for the University of Miami is 5815.

The University will consider candidates with these minimum TOEFL scores; however, TOEFL score requirements may vary by program:

TOEFL Internet Minimum Score: 94
TOEFL Computer Minimum Score: 240
TOEFL Paper Minimum Score: 600

TOEFL Waiver
The TOEFL requirement may be waived for non-native English speakers provided they meet one of the following criteria:

• Students earned their undergraduate degree in a country where the official language is English (this does not include degrees from just English-speaking institutions or just a country where English is spoken).
• Students studied in the United States at an undergraduate level for at least one year or the equivalent of 30 consecutive credit hours.
• Students have lived and worked in an English-speaking country for the past two or more years.

Letters of Recommendation
Students will input their recommender's information directly into the online application which will generate an email with a unique link sent directly to the recommender. Letters of Recommendations must be submitted directly by the student's recommender using the unique link provided to them via email. Letters of Recommendation received in a Word document, body of an email, or any other format will not be accepted. The student's Enrollment Advisor may provide guidance to the recommender if they have technical trouble or questions regarding the process.

Admissions & Admissions Decisions
Once the University receives the student's complete application with all required documents, the admissions review process will start.

Regular Admit (with Official Transcripts)
If the application meets the standard admissions requirements and the University has received all official transcripts, from all institutions entered on their online application, the student will receive an offer of full admission in approximately 48 business hours after the University has received the completed application. The student will receive an official email from the Enrollment Advisor and be able to view the admissions decision via their Online Application portal.

Conditional Admit (with Unofficial Transcripts and/or Test Scores)
If the application fully meets the standard admissions requirements, the student may be conditionally admitted if the University has received and accepted the unofficial transcripts for all institutions attended, as entered on their online application, and/or the student's unofficial test scores (if required). Unofficial transcripts may be considered acceptable ONLY IF the document is in a pdf format and ALL of the following items are legible on the transcript document:

• Name of the institution
• Student name
• Cumulative Grade Point Average (preferred)
• Course numbers
• Course names
• Credit hours earned
• Grades earned
• Degree conferred with date (if applicable)
• No other documents will be accepted

Students receive notification typically within 48 business hours after the University has received a complete application (including other required documentation) that the student has been Conditionally Admitted. The notification of Conditional Admission will also address the requirements the student will have to satisfy in order to be officially admitted. The failure to meet any of these conditions will be grounds for the withdrawal of the Conditional Admission and/or the withdrawal from all programs. The student will receive an official email from his/her Enrollment Advisor and be able to view the admissions decision via your Online Application portal.

Students MUST pay their tuition bill or have accepted their Financial Aid Award, no later than by the payment due date. Once students are fully admitted and have paid their non-refundable enrollment deposit, and successfully passed the Student Readiness Orientation (SRO), they may be eligible to receive financial aid within the same term, provided the University has granted the student full admission during the same academic year. Students may start their course and continue through the term as long as they have been awarded Financial Aid, and have accepted their Financial...
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Students will not be registered for the next term until their current balance is paid in full. In the event the student’s financial aid award is delayed, students should work directly with their Student Advocate or Academic Advisor to determine the appropriate next steps and ensure they meet the appropriate payment deadlines. Students should refer to the Academic Calendar (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/) for important deadlines regarding Financial Aid Application due dates. Students may submit their FAFSA after the Financial Aid application priority consideration due date, but may have to use an alternative form of payment if their Financial Aid is not processed by the required payment deadlines.

Students should review the Monthly Payment Plan (MPP) (http://bulletin.miami.edu/graduate-student-handbook-online-students/cost-fees-billing-payment/) section for guidance on setting up a monthly payment plan, as well as the Payment Policies section for payment options and consequences for non-payment. Monthly payment plans are available for students at the beginning of each term. Fall and Spring MPP consist of four (4) payments; however, Summer MPP consist of three (3) payment options and is only available to online students at this time. UM Employees are not eligible for Monthly Payment Plans at this time.

Students should review the Transcripts section for official transcripts deadlines and consequences if the University has not received all official transcripts. Students should also review the UOnline (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/) Academic Calendar (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/) for official transcript deadlines.

Accepting Admission

When a student’s admission decision has been made, the student will receive an official Admissions decision email from the Enrollment Advisor which includes next steps (https://myonlinesupport.miami.edu/recently-admitted/) for accepting their offer. Students can also view the admissions decision online application portal found here (https://myonline.miami.edu/).

A student’s Enrollment Advisor will guide him/her through the next steps (https://myonlinesupport.miami.edu/recently-admitted/) to accept their offer of admission and pay their non-refundable enrollment deposit. A student’s offer of admission has not been accepted until their non-refundable enrollment deposit has been paid.

Students will have fourteen (14) calendar days to accept their offer of admission by paying their non-refundable $300 Enrollment Deposit. If a student fails to accept their offer of admission within the fourteen (14) calendar day timeframe according to the Deposit Date on the official Admission letter, the student’s application will be withdrawn. Students who apply late will forfeit the full (14) calendar day acceptance policy and will be required to accept their offer no later than the official Deposit Deadline as set on the UOnline Academic Calendar (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/register/calendar/), which may be less than (14) calendar days. Students should refer to their official Admissions letter for their exact deposit deadline. If a student chooses to reapply, they will need to wait one (1) additional term before reapplying. Deferrals are not permitted unless the student has been approved for a Deferral Exception (https://qafederation.ngwebsolutions.com/sp/startSSO.ping?RequestedDynamicFormTemplate=2688d0b9-6031-4812-8f79-84fe37812020).

Deferral Exception Appeal

In extenuating circumstances, students may choose to apply for a Deferral Exception (https://qafederation.ngwebsolutions.com/sp/startSSO.ping?RequestedDynamicFormTemplate=2688d0b9-6031-4812-8f79-84fe37812020). Students who choose not to accept their offer of admission must apply for a Deferral Exception no later than their Deposit Deadline as specified by the Admissions letter, or will be withdrawn and will need to wait one (1) additional term before reapplying. Deferral Exception Requests are only eligible for the next immediate term. Students who would like to wait to start in future terms will need to reapply and should contact their Enrollment Advisor for additional information regarding documents required for admission. Any student who has already accepted their offer of admissions must apply for a Deferral Exception no later than the official Completed Enrollment Application Deadline for their current term as per the Academic Calendar. (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/register/calendar/) Deferral requests submitted after the deadline will not be reviewed. Any student who has already been withdrawn due to missing their deposit deadline, failing their SRO requirement, or by voluntarily submitting a Withdrawal request will not be eligible to defer and must reapply.

- If a student’s Deferral Exception application is denied, the student’s offer of admission will be withdrawn and they must wait one (1) additional term before reapplying.
- If a student’s Deferral Exception is approved, the student’s start date will be updated to the next immediate term and the student will be sent a new admissions letter indicating the approval and updated start date.
  - If a student has not accepted their offer of admission, and is approved for a deferral exception, the student will have fourteen (14) calendar days to accept their offer from the date of the deferral approval as per their deferral approval letter. If a student does not accept their offer of admission within the fourteen (14) calendar day time frame, the student’s application will be withdrawn and the student must sit out (1) one additional term before reapplying.
  - If a student has already accepted their offer of admission, and has been approved for a deferral exception, the student’s start date will be updated and a new admissions letter will be sent with the updated term and approval. If a student chooses to withdraw before the census date or is administratively withdrawn for any reason, the student must sit out one (1) additional term before reapplying to the program.
Any student who chooses to reapply for a future term is not guaranteed admission and will be subject to any changes in tuition, scholarships, and/or admissions requirements for that term.

The offer of Admission Expiration
Offers of Admission are valid for one term only unless a Deferral Exception has been granted. To officially accept the offer of admission, a student must log into Canelink (https://myonlinesupport.miami.edu/recently-admitted/) and pay their non-refundable enrollment deposit. If a student has not accepted an offer of admission within the fourteen (14) day time frame/deadline on their official Admissions Letter, he/she must reapply to the University and program after sitting out one additional term. Student should contact the Online Enrollment Office to verify what documents must be submitted for consideration.

Reapplying/Readmission
There are a few situations in which students have to reapply to a program. Students will have to reapply to a program if:

- A student’s original Offer of Admission has expired and he/she never started the online program.
- A student requests to change to a different program.
- A student has been withdrawn from his/her program for more than 1 calendar year (3 consecutive terms).
- A student failed to meet the requirements of a Conditional Admission.
- A student failed or did not complete the Student Readiness Orientation (SRO)
- A student’s Deferral Exception Appeal was denied

To reapply, students can login and start the Online Application (https://myonline.miami.edu/signup/) using their previous log-in credentials. A student should contact the Online Enrollment Office at 1-800-411-2290 if they have questions regarding the application. All students who are readmitted will need to complete the Student Readiness Orientation (SRO) by their deadline, regardless of prior completion, and adhere to all admissions deadlines as set forth in the Academic Calendar.

Not Admitted
If a student’s application does NOT meet the standard admissions requirements, he/she will receive a notification that he/she has not been admitted into the program typically within 48 business hours after the University received the student’s completed application. Students will receive an email from their Enrollment Advisor and be able to view their admissions decision via their Online Application portal (https://myonline.miami.edu/signup/).

If a student is not admitted into a program, he/she will receive an explanatory email from the Enrollment Advisor and will be able to view their admissions decision via their Online Application portal. Students may be eligible to reapply once they have met the admission requirements or choose to apply to a new program. A student’s Enrollment Advisor will contact a student to discuss their options.

Transcripts for Admissions

Official Transcripts
- MUST Arrive in a sealed envelope with the school’s stamp/seal across the back or on the institution’s official envelope
- Be opened only by a member of the University of Miami admission staff
- Have a Registrar’s signature and/or watermark and/or indented seal which appears on the transcript

Mailing Address for submission of transcripts:

University of Miami
Online Enrollment Office
1320 South Dixie Highway
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Miami, FL 33146

Please ensure that the locator code is included in the address. Transcripts may not be received if address is missing the locator code or sent to another address on campus. Students are responsible for ensuring that they have their transcripts sent to the address above and are subject to all deadlines as per the Academic Calendar (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/).

Electronic Transcripts
Electronic transcripts will be considered official only if they are sent directly from the accredited institution and received directly by the Online Enrollment Office at etranscripts@miami.edu. A transcript sent directly to the student’s Enrollment Advisor will be considered as unofficial and will need to be re-sent to the official etranscripts address.
Official Transcripts, Scores & Conditional Admission
The University must receive official transcripts for all institutions attended, as entered on their online application, before any student can be considered fully admitted into the University.

Official Transcripts/International Evaluations Due Date
If a student was Conditionally Admitted into a program with unofficial transcripts, the University MUST receive the student’s official transcripts from all institutions attended, as entered on their online application, or International Evaluations from an approved evaluation service, by the date listed on the UOnline Academic Calendar. A student’s Admissions letter will provide the exact due date for the official transcript(s) and he/she may check Canelink to verify that the University has received the student’s official transcripts. Students should refer to the Academic Calendar (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/) for important due dates.

Official Test Scores Due Date
If a student was Conditionally Admitted into a program with unofficial test scores and is required to submit official GRE, GMAT or TOEFL official test scores, the University MUST receive their official test scores by the the date listed on the UOnline Academic Calendar. A student’s Admissions letter will provide the exact due date for the student’s official test score(s) and he/she may check Canelink to verify that the University has received the student’s official test scores. Students should refer to the Academic Calendar (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/) for important due dates.

UONLINE OFFICIAL TEST SCORE SCHOOL CODES

TOEFL CODES: Institution: 5815

GRE CODES: Institution (All UOnline programs): 4405

GMAT CODES:
School of Business - UOnline Finance/Accounting Certificate: 7NV-S1-23
School of Business - UOnline Master of Finance: 7NV-S1-35
School of Business - UOnline Master of Professional Accounting: 7NV-S1-53
School of Business - UOnline Professional MBA: 7NV-S1-01
College of Arts & Sciences - UOnline Master of Public Administration: 7NV-HM-66
School of Education - UOnline Master & EdD of Applied Learning Sciences: 7NV-HM-66

Financial Aid & Tuition Payment
If students apply for Financial Aid, Financial Aid will be NOT be awarded until the University has received the official transcripts from all institutions attended and/or test scores, if required.

Because Financial Aid will not be awarded until official transcripts from all institutions attended and test scores are received, a student MUST pay the tuition bill by the payment due date. Students should review the Payment policies for payment options and consequences for non-payment.

Official Transcripts and Test Scores Not Received
If Official Transcripts and/or Test Scores (if required) are NOT received by the due date:

• A student will be removed from their current course and next course
• A student will be administratively withdrawn and may be reinstated if the University receives the student’s official transcripts.
• A student may owe a tuition balance from being withdrawn and must have their tuition bill paid in full before being eligible for reinstatement

Enrollment Deposit
Once students have received their offer of admission or conditional admission, they will pay a non-refundable enrollment deposit in order to accept their offer of admission. Once the deposit in full has been received, students will be required to complete and pass their Student Readiness Orientation (SRO) within (4) four weeks or by the deadline provided, in order to be eligible for their first term registration.

What the Enrollment Deposit Is
The enrollment deposit payment is:

• Paid one time per UOnline program
• Non-refundable including if the student’s Offer of Admission has expired, he/she failed the Student Readiness Orientation (SRO), and he/she never started the program or if they were conditionally admitted and did not meet the conditions for full admission.
• Due no later than the date listed on the academic calendar.
• Applied against a student’s 1st tuition bill
• Valid for as long as the Offer of Admission is valid;
  • If a student’s Offer of Admission for their UOnline program has expired and he/she reapplies to any program (campus-based or online), a student will be required to pay the deposit again and any applicable fees.
• Transferrable to a new UOnline program: if a student applies to a new UOnline program while the existing Offer of Admission is still valid, the student will not have to pay the deposit again.

• Not transferrable to any campus-based program.

**Paying the Enrollment Deposit**

After a student has received the Offer of Admission, the student will be provided access to Canelink (https://canelink.miami.edu/) to pay the student’s enrollment deposit with the following payment options:

• Online Credit Card payment:
  • MasterCard
  • Visa
  • American Express
  • Discover

• E-check (drawn on a US bank only)
  • Bank-to-Bank, Exchange Bureau or Wire Transfer.
    • Students are responsible for any fees or currency exchange processing charged by their bank or exchange bureau when transferring funds and should account for this when sending tuition payments.

• International Payments with Flywire (http://www.miami.edu/finance/index.php/student_account_services/cashier_services-1/international_student_payments/)

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### Ed.S. Early Childhood Special Education

http://sites.education.miami.edu/early-childhood-special-education-ed-s/

This program is closing and no longer accepting new students pending approval by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges.

The Specialist in Education (Ed. S.) degree program with a concentration in Early Childhood Special Education includes coursework and practicum experiences that could lead to endorsement in Pre-Kindergarten Disabilities. Please contact the Florida Department of Education’s Bureau of Educator Certificate for any questions regarding endorsement.

In addition to the required 30 credits listed below, students in this program (a) may be assigned advanced level assignments within courses; (b) may be required to complete additional graduate level coursework; (c) will be required to increase the level of implementation of the capstone project; and (d) will be required to write a publishable paper based on the advocacy project and submit it a practitioner special education journal.

### Application Requirements

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Applicants must:

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### Master of Science in Education (M.S.Ed.)

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### International Applications

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Admission Decision

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M.S.Ed. in Applied Learning Sciences

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- **Learning**: how people, as individuals, groups, or parts of an organization, learn;
- **Design**: the design, implementation, and revision of learning environments that enhance human learning; and
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Mission
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Goals
As a result of the MSEd program, graduates will:

• Be able to assess learners’ initial knowledge as regards to what said learners are supposed to understand;
• Be able to design and implement learning environments that will help learners to learn and to understand their intended outcomes; and,
• Be able to evaluate and modify learning environments against how well learners achieved their own learning outcomes.

Student Learning Outcomes
M.S.Ed. in Applied Learning Sciences (Online)

Overview
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Applying to the Online Programs
In addition to holding the baccalaureate degree from an institution accredited by SACS or another regional accrediting body, the applicant for admission to the Graduate School should have the prerequisite coursework/work experience required by the program to which he/she is applying. In general, those applying for graduate admission should have achieved an overall average grade of “B” or better (3.0 G.P.A. on a 4.0 scale). International students will be required to give evidence of adequate knowledge of English through a TOEFL or IELTS test score.

Admission of a student to the University of Miami for any semester does not imply that such student will be re-enrolled in any succeeding academic semesters.

If students would like to apply to a UOnline program, they will need to create a profile and apply online via our online application portal found here (https://myonline.miami.edu/SignIn/). Here students will be assigned a personal Enrollment Advisor who will help guide them as the student submits all the components and required documents for their application. Students’ Enrollment Advisors will also guide them through the onboarding process and be available to answer any questions. Students will then transition to their UOnline Student Advocate who will work with them through their first year, then transition to their designated Academic Advisor for important Graduation and completion requirements throughout the remainder of their program.

International Students (who attended college/university outside of the United States)
All graduate applicants who have attended a college or university outside the United States must submit official transcripts and diplomas (if available) from all colleges and universities attended to one of the three approved evaluation services listed below. Follow the specific instructions of the selected evaluation service to request a course-by-course evaluation with degree equivalency and grade point average (gpa) calculation. We do not issue any student Visa’s for International UOnline students.

All online international students who have been admitted to an online program at the University of Miami are not eligible for an F-1 visa.

The evaluation report and copy of all the official documents used in the evaluation must be sent directly from one of the three approved evaluation services to the address below. It is the responsibility of the student to ensure their evaluation is sent to the correct address. Evaluations sent to other addresses on campus will not be received and will delay the admissions process.

University of Miami
Online Enrollment Office
1320 South Dixie Highway
Gables One Tower –Suite 902, Locator Code: 2991
The evaluation report and supporting documents are required before the Admissions Committee can review the application. Any documents received by the University will become the property of the University and will not be returned to the applicant or sent to a third party including the evaluation services.

**Approved Evaluation Services**
- Educational Credential Evaluators, Inc. (ECE) (https://www.ece.org/)
- World Education Services (WES) (http://www.wes.org/students/)

**TOEFL (Test of English as a Foreign Language)**
If students do not hold a U.S. undergraduate degree, they may be required to take the TOEFL exam. If they are required to submit a TOEFL score, students should visit this web page (http://www.ets.org/toefl/) to arrange to take the test. The TOEFL and IELTS scores are valid for 2 years after the test date. The TOEFL code for the University of Miami is 5815.

The University will consider candidates with these minimum TOEFL scores; however, TOEFL score requirements may vary by program:

TOEFL Internet Minimum Score: 94
TOEFL Computer Minimum Score: 240
TOEFL Paper Minimum Score: 600

**TOEFL Waiver**
The TOEFL requirement may be waived for non-native English speakers provided they meet one of the following criteria:

- Students earned their undergraduate degree in a country where the official language is English (this does not include degrees from just English-speaking institutions or just a country where English is spoken).
- Students studied in the United States at an undergraduate level for at least one year or the equivalent of 30 consecutive credit hours.
- Students have lived and worked in an English-speaking country for the past two or more years.

**Letters of Recommendation**
Students will input their recommender’s information directly into the online application which will generate an email with a unique link sent directly to the recommender. Letters of Recommendations must be submitted directly by the student's recommender using the unique link provided to them via email. Letters of Recommendation received in a Word document, body of an email, or any other format will not be accepted. The student's Enrollment Advisor may provide guidance to the recommender if they have technical trouble or questions regarding the process.

**Admissions & Admissions Decisions**
Once the University receives the student's complete application with all required documents, the admissions review process will start.

**Regular Admit (with Official Transcripts)**
If the application meets the standard admissions requirements and the University has received all official transcripts, from all institutions entered on their online application, the student will receive an offer of full admission in approximately 48 business hours after the University has received the completed application. The student will receive an official email from the Enrollment Advisor and be able to view the admissions decision via their Online Application portal.

**Conditional Admit (with Unofficial Transcripts and/or Test Scores)**
If the application fully meets the standard admissions requirements, the student may be conditionally admitted if the University has received and accepted the unofficial transcripts for all institutions attended, as entered on their online application, and/or the student’s unofficial test scores (if required). Unofficial transcripts may be considered acceptable ONLY IF the document is in a pdf format and ALL of the following items are legible on the transcript document:

- Name of the institution
- Student name
- Cumulative Grade Point Average (preferred)
- Course numbers
- Course names
- Credit hours earned
- Grades earned
• Degree conferred with date (if applicable)
• No other documents will be accepted

Students receive notification typically **within 48 business hours** after the University has received a complete application (including other required documentation) that the student has been Conditionally Admitted. The notification of Conditional Admission will also address the requirements the student will have to satisfy in order to be officially admitted. The failure to meet any of these conditions will be grounds for the withdrawal of the Conditional Admission and/or the withdrawal from all programs. The student will receive an official email from his/her Enrollment Advisor and be able to view the admissions decision via your Online Application portal.

Students **MUST** pay their tuition bill or have accepted their Financial Aid Award, no later than by the payment due date. Once students are fully admitted and have paid their non-refundable enrollment deposit, and successfully passed the Student Readiness Orientation (SRO), they may be eligible to receive financial aid within the same term, provided the University has granted the student full admission during the same academic year. Students may start their course and continue through the term as long as they have been awarded Financial Aid, and have accepted their Financial Aid award no later than the first day of class. Student's Financial Aid funds **will not be disbursed** until the student has participated in their first course and all official admissions documents and all required Financial Aid documents have been received. Students are responsible for checking CaneLink to ensure that their funding is ready for disbursement.

Students will not be registered for the next term until their current balance is paid in full. In the event the student's financial aid award is delayed, students should work directly with their Student Advocate or Academic Advisor to determine the appropriate next steps and ensure they meet the appropriate payment deadlines. Students should refer to the Academic Calendar (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/) for important deadlines regarding Financial Aid Application due dates. Students may submit their FAFSA after the Financial Aid application priority consideration due date, but may have to use an alternative form of payment if their Financial Aid is not processed by the required payment deadlines.

Students should review the Monthly Payment Plan (MPP) (http://bulletin.miami.edu/graduate-student-handbook-online-students/cost-fees-billing-payment/) section for guidance on setting up a monthly payment plan, as well as the Payment Policies section for payment options and consequences for non-payment. Monthly payment plans are available for students at the beginning of each term. Fall and Spring MPP consist of four (4) payments; however, Summer MPP consist of three (3) payment options and is **only available to online students** at this time. **UM Employees are not eligible for Monthly Payment Plans at this time.**

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**Accepting Admission**

When a student's admission decision has been made, the student will receive an official Admissions decision email from the Enrollment Advisor which includes next steps (https://myonlinesupport.miami.edu/recently-admitted/) for accepting their offer. Students can also view the admissions decision the online application portal found here (https://myonlinesupport.miami.edu/). A student's Enrollment Advisor will guide him/her through the next steps (https://myonlinesupport.miami.edu/recently-admitted/) to accept their offer of admission and pay their non-refundable enrollment deposit. A student's offer of admission has not been accepted until their non-refundable enrollment deposit has been paid.

Students will have **fourteen (14) calendar days to accept their offer of admission** by paying their non-refundable $300 Enrollment Deposit. If a student fails to accept their offer of admission within the fourteen (14) calendar day timeframe according to the Deposit Date on the official Admission letter, the student's application will be withdrawn. Students who apply late will forfeit the full (14) calendar day acceptance policy and will be required to accept their offer no later than the last official Deposit Deadline as set on the UOnline Academic Calendar (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/), which may be less than (14) calendar days. Students should refer to their official Admissions letter for their exact deposit deadline. If a student chooses to reapply, they will need to wait one (1) additional term before reapplying. Deferrals are not permitted unless the student has been approved for a Deferral Exception (https://qafederation.ngwebsolutions.com/sp/startSSO.ping?RequestedDynamicFormTemplate=2688d0b9-6031-4812-8f79-84fe37812020).

**Deferral Exception Appeal**

In extenuating circumstances, students may choose to apply for a Deferral Exception (https://qafederation.ngwebsolutions.com/sp/startSSO.ping?RequestedDynamicFormTemplate=2688d0b9-6031-4812-8f79-84fe37812020). Students who choose not to accept their offer of admission must apply for a Deferral Exception no later than their Deposit Deadline as specified by the Admissions letter, or will be withdrawn and will need to wait one (1) additional term before reapplying. Deferral Exception Requests are only eligible for the next immediate term. Students who would like to wait to start in future terms will need to reapply and contact their Enrollment Advisor for additional information regarding documents required for admission. Any student who has already accepted their offer of admissions must apply for a Deferral Exception no later than the official Completed Enrollment Application Deadline for their current term as per the Academic Calendar. (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/) Deferral requests submitted after the deadline will not be reviewed. Any student who has already been withdrawn due to missing their deposit deadline, failing their SRO requirement, or by voluntarily submitting a Withdrawal request will not be eligible to defer and must reapply.
• If a student's Deferral Exception application is denied, the student's offer of admission will be withdrawn and they must wait one (1) additional term before reapplying.

• If a student's Deferral Exception is approved, the student's start date will be updated to the next immediate term and the student will be sent a new admissions letter indicating the approval and updated start date.
  • If a student has not accepted their offer of admission, and is approved for a deferral exception, the student will have fourteen (14) calendar days to accept their offer from the date of the deferral approval as per their deferral approval letter. If a student does not accept their offer of admission within the fourteen (14) calendar day time frame, the student’s application will be withdrawn and the student must sit out (1) one additional term before reapplying.
  • If a student has already accepted their offer of admission, and has been approved for a deferral exception, the student's start date will be updated and a new admissions letter will be sent with the updated term and approval. If a student chooses to withdraw before the census date or is administratively withdrawn for any reason, the student must sit out one (1) additional term before reapplying to the program.

Any student who chooses to reapply for a future term is not guaranteed admission and will be subject to any changes in tuition, scholarships, and/or admissions requirements for that term.

The offer of Admission Expiration

Offers of Admission are valid for one term only unless a Deferral Exception has been granted. To officially accept the offer of admission, a student must log into Canelink (https://myonlinesupport.miami.edu/recently-admitted/) and pay their non-refundable enrollment deposit. If a student has not accepted an offer of admission within the fourteen (14) day time frame/deadline on their official Admissions Letter, he/she must reapply to the University and program after sitting out one additional term. Student should contact the Online Enrollment Office to verify what documents must be submitted for consideration.

Reapplying/Readmission

There are a few situations in which students have to reapply to a program. Students will have to reapply to a program if:

• A student’s original Offer of Admission has expired and he/she never started the online program.
• A student requests to change to a different program.
• A student has been withdrawn from his/her program for more than 1 calendar year (3 consecutive terms).
• A student failed to meet the requirements of a Conditional Admission.
• A student failed or did not complete the Student Readiness Orientation (SRO)
• A student’s Deferral Exception Appeal was denied

To reapply, students can login and start the Online Application (https://myonline.miami.edu/signup/) using their previous log-in credentials. A student should contact the Online Enrollment Office at 1-800-411-2290 if they have questions regarding the application. All students who are readmitted will need to complete the Student Readiness Orientation (SRO) by their deadline, regardless of prior completion, and adhere to all admissions deadlines as set forth in the Academic Calendar.

Not Admitted

If a student’s application does NOT meet the standard admissions requirements, he/she will receive a notification that he/she has not been admitted into the program typically within 48 business hours after the University received the student's completed application. Students will receive an email from their Enrollment Advisor and be able to view their admissions decision via their Online Application portal (https://myonline.miami.edu/signup/).

If a student is not admitted into a program, he/she will receive an explanatory email from the Enrollment Advisor and will be able to view their admissions decision via their Online Application portal. Students may be eligible to reapply once they have met the admission requirements or choose to apply to a new program. A student’s Enrollment Advisor will contact a student to discuss their options.

Transcripts for Admissions

Official Transcripts

• MUST Arrive in a sealed envelope with the school’s stamp/seal across the back or on the institution’s official envelope
• Be opened only by a member of the University of Miami admission staff
• Have a Registrar’s signature and/or watermark and/or indented seal which appears on the transcript

Mailing Address for submission of transcripts:

University of Miami
Online Enrollment Office
1320 South Dixie Highway
Gables One Tower –Suite 902, Locator Code: 2991
Please ensure that the locator code is included in the address. Transcripts may not be received if address is missing the locator code or sent to another address on campus. Students are responsible for ensuring that they have their transcripts sent to the address above and are subject to all deadlines as per the Academic Calendar (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/).

**Electronic Transcripts**

Electronic transcripts will be considered official only if they are sent directly from the accredited institution and received directly by the Online Enrollment Office at etranscripts@miami.edu. A transcript sent directly to the student’s Enrollment Advisor will be considered as unofficial and will need to be re-sent to the official etranscripts address.

**Official Transcripts, Scores & Conditional Admission**

The University must receive official transcripts for all institutions attended, as entered on their online application, before any student can be considered fully admitted into the University.

**Official Transcripts/International Evaluations Due Date**

If a student was Conditionally Admitted into a program with unofficial transcripts, the University MUST receive the student’s official transcripts from all institutions attended, as entered on their online application, or International Evaluations from an approved evaluation service, by the date listed on the UOnline Academic Calendar. A student’s Admissions letter will provide the exact due date for the official transcript(s) and he/she may check Canelink to verify that the University has received the student’s official transcripts. Students should refer to the Academic Calendar (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/) for important due dates.

**Official Test Scores Due Date**

If a student was Conditionally Admitted into a program with unofficial test scores and is required to submit official GRE, GMAT or TOEFL official test scores, the University MUST receive their official test scores by the date listed on the UOnline Academic Calendar. A student’s Admissions letter will provide the exact due date for the student’s official test score(s) and he/she may check Canelink to verify that the University has received the student’s official test scores. Students should refer to the Academic Calendar (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/) for important due dates.

**UONLINE OFFICIAL TEST SCORE SCHOOL CODES**

**TOEFL CODES:**  Institution: 5815

**GRE CODES:**  Institution (All UOnline programs): 4405

**GMAT CODES:**

- School of Business - UOnline Finance/Accounting Certificate: 7NV-S1-23
- School of Business - UOnline Master of Finance: 7NV-S1-35
- School of Business - UOnline Master of Professional Accounting: 7NV-S1-53
- School of Business - UOnline Professional MBA: 7NV-S1-01
- College of Arts & Sciences - UOnline Master of Public Administration: 7NV-HM-66
- School of Education - UOnline Master & EdD of Applied Learning Sciences: 7NV-HM-66

**Financial Aid & Tuition Payment**

If students apply for Financial Aid, Financial Aid will be NOT be awarded until the University has received the official transcripts from all institutions attended and/or test scores, if required.

Because Financial Aid will not be awarded until official transcripts from all institutions attended and test scores are received, a student MUST pay the tuition bill by the payment due date. Students should review the Payment policies for payment options and consequences for non-payment.

**Official Transcripts and Test Scores Not Received**

If Official Transcripts and/or Test Scores (if required) are NOT received by the due date:

- A student will be removed from their current course and next course
- A student will be administratively withdrawn and may be reinstated if the University receives the student’s official transcripts.
- A student may owe a tuition balance from being withdrawn and must have their tuition bill paid in full before being eligible for reinstatement

**Enrollment Deposit**

Once students have received their offer of admission or conditional admission, they will pay a non-refundable enrollment deposit in order to accept their offer of admission. Once the deposit in full has been received, students will be required to complete and pass their Student Readiness Orientation (SRO) within (4) four weeks or by the deadline provided, in order to be eligible for their first term registration.
What the Enrollment Deposit Is

The enrollment deposit payment is:

- Paid one time per UOnline program
- **Non-refundable** including if the student’s Offer of Admission has expired, he/she failed the Student Readiness Orientation (SRO), and he/she never started the program or if they were conditionally admitted and did not meet the conditions for full admission.
- Due no later than the date listed on the academic calendar.
- Applied against a student’s 1st tuition bill
- Valid for as long as the Offer of Admission is valid:
  - If a student’s Offer of Admission for their UOnline program has **expired** and he/she reapply to any program (campus-based or online), a student will be required to pay the deposit again and any applicable fees.
  - Transferrable to a new UOnline program: if a student applies to a new UOnline program while the existing Offer of Admission is still valid, the student will not have to pay the deposit again.
- **Not transferrable** to any campus-based program.

Paying the Enrollment Deposit

After a student has received the Offer of Admission, the student will be provided access to Canelink (https://canelink.miami.edu/) to pay the student’s enrollment deposit with the following payment options:

- Online Credit Card payment:
  - MasterCard
  - Visa
  - American Express
  - Discover
- E-check (drawn on a US bank only)
  - Bank-to-Bank, Exchange Bureau or Wire Transfer.
    - Students are responsible for any fees or currency exchange processing charged by their bank or exchange bureau when transferring funds and should account for this when sending tuition payments.
- International Payments with Flywire (http://www.miami.edu/finance/index.php/student_account_services/cashier_services-1/international_student_payments/)

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**Total Credit Hours** 30

### Mission

The MSEd program in the Applied Learning Sciences will provide people across a broad array of fields with the intellectual tools to (re)think about how they interact with subordinates, trainees, mentees, and students as learners and to (re)think their own roles as being that of a teacher where teachers design, implement, and evaluate the impacts of learning environments for their students.

### Goals

The program’s three specific foci, which students are expected to integrate in a culminating applied project, are:

- **Learning**: how people, as individuals, groups, or parts of an organization, learn;
- **Design**: the design, implementation, and revision of learning environments that enhance human learning; and
- **Assessment**: the assessment of learning and the evaluation of individual, social, technological, and design factors that advance or impede learning.

### Student Learning Outcomes

As a result of the MSEd program, graduates will:

- **Learning**: Be able to assess learners’ initial knowledge as regards to what said learners are supposed to understand;
- **Design**: Be able to design and implement learning environments that will help learners to learn and to understand their intended outcomes; and,
- **Assessment**: Be able to evaluate and modify learning environments against how well learners achieved their own learning outcomes.
M.S.Ed. in Early Childhood Special Education

http://sites.education.miami.edu/early-childhood-special-education-m-s-ed/

This program is closing and no longer accepting new students pending approval by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges.

Early Childhood Special Education prepares students to work with young children with disabilities and their families in inclusive, collaborative, and natural environments. As part of the 30 credits of coursework, students complete 6 credits of practicum experiences in high-need urban settings involving collaborative partners within the UM as well as community agencies. The program culminates in the presentation of an Advocacy Capstone project. Coursework, practicum experiences and Capstone projects start scholars on a pathway to advocacy for high-need children and their families.

The program includes coursework and practicum experiences that could lead to endorsement in Pre-Kindergarten Disabilities. Please contact the Florida Department of Education’s Bureau of Educator Certificate for any questions regarding endorsement.

Application Requirements

Admission to all graduate-degree concentrations in the School of Education and Human Development is based on the recommendation of the faculty. Admissions decisions are based on faculty review of the following general requirements that apply to all Graduate Programs in the School as well as specific documents listed under each concentration.

Applicants must:

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- provide official transcripts showing completion of a bachelor's degree from an accredited institution and an acceptable undergraduate grade point average. A minimum of 3.0 undergraduate GPA is required. Official transcripts from every institution attended by an applicant, whether or not the applicant completed a degree program at the institution, are required;
- provide three letters of recommendation that address the issues and meet the criteria established by the program being applied to;
- provide a personal statement that addresses the mission and purpose of the program being applied to;
- resume;
- take part in an admissions interview (required by some programs); and
- exhibit personal and professional experiences and characteristics that are relevant to the profession and/or field and/or degree program for which the application is being submitted.

Master of Science in Education (M.S.Ed.)

In addition to the factors listed as general requirements for all applications to the SEHD’s graduate programs, consideration for admission to the M.S.Ed. program will include the following:

- For some M.S.Ed. programs in TAL: Teachers with at least three years full-time teaching experience may apply for a GRE waiver for programs in the Department of Teaching and Learning. An application for waiver of the GRE requirement may be found on the SEHD web site. Teachers who apply for a GRE waiver must submit a 3-page essay on an important topic in education.

International Applications

All international applications must provide additional information and meet additional requirements as required by the UM Graduate School and the Office of International Student and Scholar Services. For an appropriate link to these requirements, please visit the Graduate School website.

Admission Decision

Once an applicant has been admitted to graduate study, that individual should meet with the faculty advisor who was appointed to serve in that capacity and whose name appears in the admissions letter. This advisor will help the student enroll in courses that are appropriate to the program; to develop and to refine a Course Sequence Plan that must be on file in the Office of Graduate Studies by the end of the first semester of enrollment.

Honor Code/Handbook of Policies and Procedures

The School of Education and Human Development follows the Graduate School’s Honor Code. All students are required to review the Graduate Student Honor Code and the School of Education and Human Development’s Handbook of Policies and Procedures for Graduate Students and submit the signed Acknowledgement of Receipt located on page 3 by the end of their first semester of enrollment.
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### M.S.Ed. in Education and Social Change

http://sites.education.miami.edu/education-social-change-m-s-ed/
Overview

The Education and Social Change program's conceptual framework focuses on the world of education beyond classroom walls, the classroom context of teaching, and the students in classrooms, comprising a holistic, developmental approach across the three areas. Overall, the goals of the program track are to improve instruction for diverse populations, to prepare teachers for leadership roles within their schools, and to develop capacity to lead future change efforts in support of public education.

The Education and Social Change M.S. Ed. program track is made up of 10 courses (3 credits each) or 30 credits. Following the University of Miami’s policies for credit transfer, it is possible to transfer in and apply up to six (6) graduate credit hours from an accredited institution's similar course content listed below to meet the program's 30-credit requirement for degree completion. See graduate program advisor for guidance.

Application Requirements

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Electives (6 credits): With advisor approval, students may select up to 6 credits (2 courses) to be included in their program plans.  

Total Credit Hours: 30

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Mission
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Goals
The ESoC program coursework will build the leadership and advocacy skills of graduates to become more effective teachers of diverse students and lead efforts that support public education and equitable opportunities for all public school students. Upon completion of the program, students will have the knowledge and capacity needed to advocate, create and lead social change efforts in education.

Student Learning Outcomes
• Students will demonstrate knowledge of diversity from ecological, multicultural, and global perspectives.
• Students will be able to communicate well in oral, written, and digital media formats.
• Students will demonstrate knowledge of instructional practices for diverse learners and a Systems Change approach to education reform efforts.

M.S.Ed. in Special Education
http://sites.education.miami.edu/special-education-m-s-ed/

Overview
This degree prepares individuals to work with students with disabilities in collaborative school environments. The course of study consists of 30-36 credits over six terms (one year that includes two summers). The program accommodates both working teachers and individuals seeking initial teacher certification in special education.

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M.S.Ed. in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL) and Bilingual Education (BE)
https://sites.education.miami.edu/tesol-and-bilingual-education/

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This program is for teachers in Pre-K-16 contexts—English as a Second Language (ESL) specialists or mainstream content area teachers who work with emergent bilinguals or English language learners (ELLs) in the U.S. The Florida Department of Education ESOL Endorsement requirements are embedded within the program’s courses. This is a hybrid program with face-to-face meetings for locals; those not able to join the local meetings would be able to join virtually.

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Mission

The mission of this program is to address the critical need for English language professionals who possess the requisite knowledge and skills to pursue careers in TESOL.
Goals

• Students will acquire foundational knowledge of language acquisition and development, research, partnership, and research in TESOL and Bilingual education.
• Students will acquire knowledge of planning, implementing, and managing ESL/bilingual education and content instruction.
• Students will acquire knowledge of assessment for English language learners, including language proficiency assessment and classroom-based assessment for ESL/bilingual education.

Student Learning Outcomes

• Students will demonstrate knowledge of foundations of TESOL and bilingual education, including language and culture, language acquisition and development, and ESL/bilingual education research, partnerships and advocacy.
• Students will acquire knowledge of planning, implementing, and managing ESL/bilingual education and content instruction.
• Students will demonstrate knowledge of assessment for English language learners, including language proficiency assessment and classroom-based assessment for ESL/bilingual education.

Ph.D. in Teaching and Learning

Overview

The Ph.D. Program in the Department of Teaching and Learning prepares highly qualified individuals to serve as educational leaders, researchers, designers and teacher educators whose work will contribute to improving teaching and learning both in and out of schools. The program has a strong focus on diversity and equity and supports faculty and student research in areas such as early development, instructional interventions, innovative use of technology, multilingualism, teacher preparation, family engagement, disability, education policy, and science, technology and mathematics learning. Incoming students are assigned a Supervisory Committee to advise them in developing their Program of Study. With the approval of their Supervisory Committee, doctoral students may apply up to 30 credits from an earned Master's degree towards the 60 required credits of coursework. Students must also enroll in 12 dissertation credits.

Application Requirements

Admission to all graduate-degree concentrations in the School of Education and Human Development is based on the recommendation of the faculty. Admissions decisions are based on faculty review of the following general requirements that apply to all Graduate Programs in the School as well as specific documents listed under each concentration.

Applicants must:

• Graduate Record Exam (GRE) requirements may be waived for applications to Spring 2021 and following, pending final approvals. However, if the GRE is required for admissions, applicants must achieve acceptable scores on the GRE taken within the past five years. International applicants whose native language is not English or applicants whose degrees are from a non-U.S. University must pass the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) or International English Language Testing Systems (IELTS) and the GRE;
• provide official transcripts showing completion of a bachelor’s degree from an accredited institution and an acceptable undergraduate grade point average. A minimum of 3.0 undergraduate GPA is required. Official transcripts from every institution attended by an applicant, whether or not the applicant completed a degree program at the institution, are required;
• provide three letters of recommendation that address the issues and meet the criteria established by the program being applied to;
• provide a personal statement that addresses the mission and purpose of the program being applied to;
• resume;
• take part in an admissions interview (required by some programs); and
• exhibit personal and professional experiences and characteristics that are relevant to the profession and/or field and/or degree program for which the application is being submitted.

Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.)

In addition to the factors listed as general requirements for all applications to the SEHD’s graduate programs, consideration for admission to the Ph.D. program will include the following:

• letters of recommendation should address the applicant’s academic potential;
• available student space in the program;
• For TAL: availability of faculty advisor willing to mentor the student.
**International Applications**

All international applications must provide additional information and meet additional requirements as required by the UM Graduate School and the Office of International Student and Scholar Services. For an appropriate link to these requirements, please visit the Graduate School website.

**Admission Decision**

Once an applicant has been admitted to graduate study, that individual should meet with the faculty advisor who was appointed to serve in that capacity and whose name appears in the admissions letter. This advisor will help the student enroll in courses that are appropriate to the program; to develop and to refine a Program of Study that must be on file in the Office of Graduate Studies by the end of the first academic year of enrollment.

**Honor Code/Handbook of Policies and Procedures**

The School of Education and Human Development follows the Graduate School’s Honor Code. All students are required to review the Graduate Student Honor Code and the School of Education and Human Development’s Handbook of Policies and Procedures for Graduate Students and submit the signed Acknowledgement of Receipt located on page 3 by the end of their first semester of enrollment.

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**Total Credit Hours** 72
Some core courses may also be counted towards the fulfillment of the diversity requirement. See Academic Advisor.

Required.

See Academic Advisor for course options.

## Sample Plan of Study

This is a sample Plan of Study. Your actual course sequence may vary depending on your previous academic experience as well as current course offerings. Students should meet with their academic advisor each semester to determine the appropriate course selection.

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Total Credit Hours 72

**Mission**

The mission of the School of Education and Human Development is to produce knowledge and prepare the next generation of leaders, researchers, and agents of change and well-being in education and the community.

**Goals**

The goal of the doctoral program in Teaching and Learning (TAL) is to provide professional preparation for careers in research and teacher education in one of the following three specialty areas: Language, Literacy, and Learning in Multilingual Settings (LLLMS); Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) Education; and Special Education (SPED).

All students are expected to develop and demonstrate a high level of competency in their area of specialization, in their knowledge of research methods, and in their knowledge of diversity as it applies to their area of research and practice. We expect that our graduates will go on to work as faculty in Institutions of Higher Education or as educational leaders in school systems, educational foundations, research organizations, and other settings.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Students will demonstrate knowledge of the literature on diversity in education, with particular attention to racial, ethnic, linguistic, and cultural diversity.
- Students will demonstrate in-depth knowledge of their area of specialization, i.e., LLLMS, STEM, or Special Education.
- Students will demonstrate their knowledge of research methods appropriate to their area of specialization.

**Engineering**

[http://www.miami.edu/engineering](http://www.miami.edu/engineering)

**Degree Programs**

The College of Engineering offers courses of graduate study leading to the degrees of:

- Master of Science (Environmental Health and Safety)
- Master of Science (Construction Management)
- Master of Science (Management of Technology)
- Master of Science in Architectural Engineering
- Master of Science in Biomedical Engineering
- Master of Science in Biomedical Engineering (Medical Physics)
- Master of Science in Civil Engineering
- Master of Science in Electrical and Computer Engineering
- Master of Science in Industrial Engineering
- Master of Science in Mechanical Engineering
- Master of Science in Mechanical Engineering (Additive Manufacturing)
- Master of Science in Ocean Engineering

Ph.D. degrees are offered in the areas of:

- Biomedical Engineering
- Biomedical Engineering (Medical Physics)
- Civil Engineering
- Civil Engineering (Architectural or Environmental Emphasis)
- Electrical and Computer Engineering
Admission Requirements

Students with an appropriate B.S. degree may seek direct entry to either the M.S. track or Ph.D. track. Admission guidelines for the various tracks are as follows. Please refer to program specific sections of the bulletin for more information with respect to admission and degree requirements or visit coe.miami.edu/apply

B.S. to M.S.

In engineering, the master’s – not the bachelor’s – degree is the first professional degree, so all engineers should seek to obtain an M.S. degree. In order to facilitate the obtainment of an M.S. degree, the University of Miami (UM) College of Engineering (CoE) offers the M.S. degree through a number of possible venues or entry points, as summarized below. Every one of our M.S. degree programs requires 10 courses or 30 credit hours to complete; this can be typically undertaken in one, 9-month academic year (i.e., by enrolling in 15 credit hours per semester).

General Admission Requirements
1. A B.S. degree from an accredited program.
2. Typically a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale
3. Most international students must provide a TOEFL iBT score of 80 or higher, or an IELTS score of 6.5 or higher to demonstrate English proficiency.

B.S. to Ph.D.

Direct admission to the Ph.D. track by students holding B.S. degrees is limited to students with exceptional credentials. These credentials typically include a minimum GPA of 3.5 on a 4.0 scale and a minimum GRE of 308 (verbal plus quantitative). After completion of the Departmental M.S. requirements, students enrolled in the direct B.S. to Ph.D. track may apply for an M.S. degree.

M.S. to Ph.D.

Criteria for admission into the Ph.D. program for students with an appropriate M.S. degree include a minimum GPA of 3.5 on a 4.0 scale within their M.S. degree program and a minimum GRE of 302 (verbal plus quantitative).

The College offers graduate programs leading to degrees in both traditional and interdisciplinary areas of study. The primary focus of the College lies in those areas and problems that cross traditional lines. Given the interdisciplinary nature of programs, flexibility is provided in course selection which allows each student to pursue a program especially tailored to the goals of the individual. Given the strengths of the University, graduate programs are offered in conjunction with other schools or units. These programs include:

- Biomedical Engineering in conjunction with the School of Medicine
- Engineering Management
  - Dual M.S. in Industrial Engineering and M.B.A. in conjunction with the Miami Herbert Business School
- M.S. program in Management of Technology in conjunction with the Miami Herbert Business School
- M.S. in Environmental Health and Safety in conjunction with the School of Medicine.

The M.S. and Ph.D. programs in Interdepartmental Graduate Studies permit, with approval of the Graduate Council, highly qualified students to pursue a privileged individualized program which cuts across disciplinary lines.

Further details on the various College of Engineering areas of specialization are given under the Departmental and Program headings that follow this section.

Students applying for graduate admission to the College must submit three letters of recommendation from individuals familiar with the applicant’s abilities and background.

Students who hold a bachelor’s degree in a field other than their proposed major may be admitted to the graduate program and to candidacy upon completion of appropriate undergraduate deficiency courses, in addition to the regular requirements for the graduate degree.

A student’s overall program is planned by the student and the student’s advisory committee. Requirements for the M.S. thesis and non-thesis options (not available in all areas of specialization) are shown below.

Accepted M.S. applicants can apply and be considered on a competitive basis for partial tuition scholarships. Need based aid also can be awarded, as determined through the financial aid process. A minimum graduate GPA of 3.0 must be maintained in order to maintain satisfactory progress.

Accepted Ph.D. applicants financial assistance is available in the form of fellowships, partial tuition scholarships, teaching and research assistantships, and graduate cooperative assistantships combining study and work assignments with private engineering and architectural firms and government agencies. A minimum graduate GPA of 3.3 must be maintained in order to maintain satisfactory progress.
Financial support is provided predominantly to students pursuing Ph.D. degrees.

For further information, contact Office of Admission, College of Engineering at gradadm.eng@miami.edu or 305-284-2404, option 2.

**Degree Requirements**

**Requirements for the Master of Science Degree (Thesis Option)**
- An approved integrated program with a minimum of 30 credit hours with an average grade of B or better and no grade below C.
- At least 6 course credit hours must be at the 700-level.
- 6 credit hours of the required 30 must be earned in thesis work.
- An oral examination in defense of the thesis.

**Requirements for the Master of Science Degree (Non-Thesis Option)**
- An approved integrated program with a minimum of 30 credit hours with an average grade of B or better and no grade below C.
- At least 12 of the course credit hours must be at the 700 level.
- In most departments a 3 credit hour graduating project is required.

**Requirements for the Doctor of Philosophy Degree**
- The programs leading to the degree of Doctor of Philosophy comply in full with the regulations of the Graduate School concerning admission, residence requirements, qualifying and final examinations and dissertation.
- Applicants for admission to the Ph.D. program will be expected to have superior records in their M.S. and B.S. degree programs, well above average scores on the Graduate Record Examination, and strong letters of recommendation.
- At least 18 credit hours in courses must be taken beyond the requirements for the M.S. degree of which 6 credit hours must be at the 700 level.
- All candidates for the doctorate are expected to complete an appropriate integrated program of studies in preparation for the comprehensive Qualifying Examination.
- Students are expected to take their qualifying exams during the first year of enrollment. Admission to candidacy across College of Engineering Departments includes passing the qualifying exam and successful defense of a proposal for research.
- Minimum of one year beyond admission to candidacy is usually necessary for the completion of an acceptable dissertation (12 credit hours or more), whereupon the student is then expected to defend their Ph.D. thesis during the Final Oral Examination.
- Departments may have requirements in addition to the above general requirements for their own graduate programs.

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**Postgraduate Certificate Program**
- A Postgraduate Certificate Program is available requiring the completion of a minimum of 15 credit hours of individually planned advanced course work in an area of engineering specialization, or interdisciplinary study.
- Course sequences culminate at an advanced level, but may begin at a basic level if a new area of specialization is to be undertaken.
- The Program must be completed with a grade average of at least C, within a period of five calendar years from the date of enrollment.
- No transfer credit hours will be accepted. International students requiring a student visa must be in a degree program, and cannot obtain a student visa for the Certificate Program; but international students with certain other types of visas may enroll in the Program.
- Basic admission requirement for the Program is a bachelor's degree in a recognized field of engineering or registration as a Professional Engineer by examination.
- Students demonstrating marked ability in the Program may be encouraged to apply for admission to study for the Master's Degree, and may apply up to 6 credit hours toward the M.S. degree.

**Ph.D. Course Exchange with Florida International University**

University of Miami Ph.D. students are eligible to enroll in courses at Florida International University for a maximum of 6 credit hours. Enrollment in FIU courses requires approval through the student's program of study committee. See FIU/UM Ph.D. exchange section of the Graduate School section of the bulletin for more details.

**Biomedical Engineering**

**Dept. Code:** BME

**Degree Programs**

The Department of Biomedical Engineering offers three different programs of graduate study leading to the degrees of Master of Science (MS) and Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) in Biomedical Engineering:
• BS/MS in Biomedical Engineering
• MS in Biomedical Engineering
• PhD in Biomedical Engineering (including MD/PhD).

The Bachelor of Science / Master of Science (BS/MS) program is available only to qualified undergraduate students enrolled within the Department of Biomedical Engineering. This program gives qualified internal undergraduate students the opportunity to receive a BS and MS degree in five years.

The graduate program in biomedical engineering includes a medical physics program accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Medical Physics Educational Programs (CAMPEP). This program is coordinated by the Department of Biomedical Engineering and the Department of Radiation Oncology at the School of Medicine.

The graduate programs in Biomedical Engineering at the University of Miami provide a diverse interdisciplinary training experience through collaboration with clinical programs at the University of Miami School of Medicine.

Areas of Research

The broad areas of research in Biomedical Engineering include:

• Imaging, optics and lasers, diagnostic and surgical instrumentation
• Biomechanics, microfluidics, biomaterials and tissue engineering
• Neural engineering, brain-computer-interfaces
• Medical physics

Graduate students receive training and conduct research at the Department of Biomedical Engineering and at clinical departments and research centers at the School of Medicine, including the Bascom Palmer Eye Institute, the Miami Project to Cure Paralysis, the Diabetes Research Institute, the University of Miami Ear Institute, Biomedical Nanotechnology Institute, the Departments of Pathology, Radiology, Radiation Oncology, Otolaryngology, and Surgery, and the Miami Veterans Administration Research Service. Most of our graduate students work closely with physicians to develop and investigate new therapies, devices, and technologies that address real-world clinical problems.

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BME 601. Biochemistry and Cellular Physiology for Engineers. 3 Credit Hours.
Treatment of the basic biological and medical elements in physiological systems. The anatomy, physiology, biophysics, biochemistry and certain aspects of clinical medicine are unified with an emphasis on cellular and subcellular systems. Not open to BME undergraduates.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BME 602. Human Physiology for Engineers. 3 Credit Hours.
Treatment of the basic biological and medical elements in physiological systems. The anatomy, physiology, biophysics, biochemistry, and certain aspects of clinical medicine are unified with an emphasis on cardiovascular, renal, digestive, endocrine, and reproductive systems. Not open to BME undergraduates.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BME 603. Neurophysiology for Engineers. 3 Credit Hours.
Treatment of the basic biological and medical elements in physiological systems. The anatomy, physiology, biophysics, biochemistry, and certain aspects of clinical medicine are unified with an emphasis on neural, sensory, and muscular systems. Not open to BME undergraduates.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
BME 606. Computer Aided Design in Biomedical Engineering. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory course for computer based two and three dimensional drawing and design based on ProEngineer. Parametric design, parts, features, assemblies for complex modeling. Applications in biomedical engineering design.
Prerequisite: BME 112. And BME 211.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 607. LabView Applications for Biomedical Engineering. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory course for computer based instrumentation and design based on Labview. Virtual instrumentation, data acquisition and display, GPIB instrument control, biomedical applications in biosignal recording, and monitoring are discussed.
Prerequisite: BME 112. And BME 211.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 610. Introduction to Medical Robotics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will discuss the basic principles of robotics and focus on its medical applications. The course integrates previously learned math, programming and imaging knowledge into an application platform to enable students to understand fundamentals of robotics methods in biology and medicine and to train students to build a robotics prototype through hands-on projects.
Prerequisite: BME 211. And BME 310. And BME 330.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BME 612. Regulatory Control of Biomedical Devices. 3 Credit Hours.
Regulatory agencies and requirements, Food and Drug Administration, 510(k) and premarket approval (PMA), international regulatory requirements, ISO 9000 series, CE, UL, product and process validation, quality engineering, quality improvement programs, rapid prototyping, packaging and sterilization, and project management are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 613. Biomedical Systems Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides students with an understanding and appreciation of Biomedical Systems Engineering with emphasis on current day industrial project management and product development processes. The components of Systems Engineering to be presented include: functional system analysis, requirements analysis, translation of functions and requirements into a system and product architecture, and, finally, testing methods to verify the biomedical product meets all design requirements. Decision methodology, alternative concept analysis, trade-off studies, integration of human factors, manufacturability, reliability, maintainability, feasibility demonstration, and safety are all addressed as part of the product design system. The entire product development life cycle will be analyzed with relevant concepts from initial market evaluation, to requirement development, through final product manufacturing and product launch. The regulatory environment for biomedical devices will also be presented for both US FDA and international compliance. The lectures will provide detailed notes on the subjects; other articles as handouts or additional readings will also be assigned.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BME 620. Medical Imaging Systems: X-ray and CT. 3 Credit Hours.
Engineering and scientific principles of medical imaging systems. The physics concepts and engineering implementations for different medical imaging modalities are discussed. Topics include imaging fundamentals, radiographic imaging (X-ray) system, and computed tomography (CT) system.
Prerequisite: ECE 201, BME 211, BME 330 Or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BME 621. Medical Imaging Systems: MRI, NMI and Ultrasound. 3 Credit Hours.
Engineering and scientific principles of medical imaging systems. The physics concepts and engineering implementations for different medical imaging modalities are discussed. Topics include magnetic resonance imaging (MRI) system, nuclear medicine imaging (NMI) system, and ultrasound imaging system.
Prerequisite: ECE 201. And BME 211. And BME 330. Or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
BME 622. Scanning Electron Microscopy for Engineers. 3 Credit Hours.
Physics and operating principles of scanning electron microscope (SEM), transmission electron microscope (TEM), and optical light microscope. Biological tissue preparation, storage, fixation and digital image storage. Each student will learn to use the SEM in the design and/or analysis of a biomedical device.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 623. Neurosensory Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Biophysics of neural communication, quantitative electroencephalography and evoked potentials, sleep, seizure, anesthesia and intraoperative monitoring, neural stimulation, neural signal processing, cochlear and visual implants.
Prerequisite: BME 265 and BME 470.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 624. Neuromotor Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Advances in Neural Engineering have led to improved medical-device designs with novel functions. This course focuses on the fundamental engineering approaches, technical principles, neurophysiology, and applications of neuroprosthetics. We will cover Neural Engineering theory and applications from the perspectives of electronics design, neural signal analysis, and neurophysiology.
Prerequisite: BME 265 and BME 470.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 625. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Research and/or design projects consisting of an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BME 626. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Research and/or design projects consisting of an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 635. Advanced Biomaterials. 3 Credit Hours.
Applications of biomaterials in different tissue and organ systems. Relationshi p between physical and chemical structure of materials and biological system re sponse are discussed as well as choosing, fabricating, and modifying materials for specific biomedical applications.
Prerequisite: BME 335.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 640. Microcomputer-Based Medical Instrumentation. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles and design of microcomputer-based biomedical instruments, analog and digital signal conversion, microcomputer hardware and software design, algorithm development for medical applications, medical signal processing with microcomputers, software safety in life support systems, and current applications are discussed.
Prerequisite: ECE 315. And ECE 304. Or ECE 211.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BME 641. Medical Electronic Systems Laboratory. 2 Credit Hours.
Laboratory course for BME 540. Design of medical instruments integrated with microcomputers and telemetry devices.
Pre/Corequisite: BME 540. Or BME 640.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
BME 645. Biomedical Optical Instruments. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to geometrical optics, light sources, detectors, and fiber optics with an emphasis on engineering aspects and medical applications. Fiber-optic delivery systems for medical applications, optics of the eye and visual instruments, and optical instruments used in medicine (microscopes, endoscopes, ophthalmic instruments) are discussed. Hands-on sessions in the laboratory are included. 
Prerequisite: PHY 222. And PHY 223. And MTH 311.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

BME 646. Medical Applications of Lasers. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of geometrical optics, fiber optics, wave optics, laser physics, and technology. Medical laser systems, optical properties of tissue, light propagating in tissue, laser-tissue interactions, and surgical applications of lasers are also covered. Hands-on sessions in the laboratory are included.
Prerequisite: PHY 222. And PHY 223. And MTH 311.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 655. Fundamentals of Computational Neuroscience. 3 Credit Hours.
Major concepts include neural signaling and communication from the single neuron to system of neural ensembles and the role of neural computation in engineering applications. Theory and principles of information processing in the brain are presented. Experimental data and computer simulations are used to provide real examples for students experimentation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 656. Principles of Cellular and Tissue Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to cellular and tissue engineering. Current therapeutic approaches for lost/damaged tissue or organ function, tissue engineering strategies to replace/repair tissue or function: infusion of cells, production and delivery of tissue-inducing substances, cells placed on or within biomaterial scaffolds, examples of tissue engineering applications: skin, heart muscle, blood vessels, and blood.
Prerequisite: BME 302. And BME 335.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BME 666. Cell and Tissue Engineering Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
The principles of cell and tissue engineering will be presented in a hands-on laboratory experience. General techniques learned will include sterile methods, cell culture techniques and integration of cells within biomaterials. Cell engineering topics include cell cycle/metabolism, adhesion, signal transduction, and assessment. Tissue engineering topics include fabrication, biomaterials/scaffolds and cell integration, and functional assessment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BME 667. Tissue Engineering Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
The principles of tissue engineering will be presented in a hands-on laboratory experience. General techniques learned will include hydrogel spectroscopy analysis, swelling tests, permeability tests, rheological tests, cell culture techniques, cell imaging, cell culture in hydrogels. Cell & Tissue engineering topics include cell cycle/metabolism, adhesion, biomaterials synthesis and characterization, biocompatibility.
Co-requisite: BME 635 or BME 665.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 670. Advanced Biomedical Signal Processing. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an overview of advanced topics in biomedical signal processing with an emphasis on practical applications. Topics include quantitative description, analysis, on-line and real-time processing of biophysical and physiological signals (cardiovascular, neural, sensory, muscular, respiratory and other) using adaptive, learning, pattern recognition and data dimension reduction methods.
Prerequisite: BME 470.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 671. Introduction to Biosignal Processing Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory course in conjunction with BME 570 course. Corequisite: BME 570.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
BME 675. Tissue Mechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
Applications of linear and nonlinear viscoelastic concepts to the biomedical characteristics of biological tissues and structures at small and large
deformations of blood flow, experimental methods of analysis, artificial organs, and life-support systems.
Prerequisite: BME 375. And BME 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BME 681. Radiation Biology and Physics. 3 Credit Hours.
The principles, methods, and results of radiation biology with physics applications in radiation therapy will be introduced in the course. The course
will focus on mechanisms of radiation and biological system interaction, biological aspects of the foundation of radiation therapy, and mathematical
models for radiobiological analysis. Corequisite or prerequisite: BME 502 or permission of instructor.
Corequisite: BME 602.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BME 682. Radiation Therapy Physics. 3 Credit Hours.
The principles and instrumentation of radiation dosimetry with focus on the applications in radiation therapy will be introduced in this course. The
course will emphasize radiation dose computation algorithms and applications in treatment dose planning. The course will also cover a categorized
dosimetric analysis of radiation therapy to different clinical conditions.
Prerequisite: BME 310. Or Pre/Corequisite: BME 681.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BME 683. Radiation Protection. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers radiation safety principles for all areas of clinical medical physics, including regulatory requirements for personnel, equipment
and facilities and detailed structural shielding design requirements for medical facilities. The student will become proficient in practical aspects of
radiation safety objectives and regulatory requirements in clinical practice, including those for patients, members of the general public and staff.
Students will learn the principles for designing and installing structural shielding in clinical facilities that satisfies both regulatory requirements and
clinical needs.
Prerequisite: BME 681. Or Pre/Corequisite: BME 682.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BME 685. Immunoengineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Immunoengineering is a novel interdisciplinary field that combines biomaterial science and bioengineering design with immunology to develop cutting
edge technology for the prevention, rapid diagnosis and treatment of infectious diseases, cancer, autoimmune and inflammatory diseases. The goal of
this course is to provide a basic background in immunology that will allow understanding the need for immunoengineering and providing the tools to
be able to design novel vaccines, anti-inflammatory agents, and immunotherapy. Application of biomaterials for immunoengineering applications will
be reviewed through lectures, reading assignments and journal clubs. This course will provide valuable knowledge of an emerging field that will impact
both the academic and industrial world.
Prerequisite: BME 335.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 687. Finite Element Analysis for Engineers. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the finite-element method. Hands-on applications of FEMLAB software to the analysis of structural, thermal, chemical, electro-
magnetic, optical, and fluid flow problems.
Prerequisite: MTH 311.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 695. Current Trends in Regenerative Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
This team-taught course provides background, clinically-relevant applications and ethical aspects of regenerative medicine as it applies to multiple
types of cell, tissues and organs. The course is divided into modules focused on one application of regenerative medicine and taught by an expert in
that specific topic area. The course includes hands-on demonstrations of key techniques and problem-based group projects.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
BME 699. Cooperative Education. 1 Credit Hour.
Practical application of classroom theory through alternating semester or summer employment with firms offering positions consistent with the
student's field of study. Course may be repeated. Periodic reports and conferences are required.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BME 702. Organs on Chips. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides a comprehensive introduction to engineering the living and non-living components of cellular systems in a dish. The first part of
the course will focus on cell source, with an emphasis on human stem cell acquisition and differentiation. The second part of the course will focus on
biomaterials and methods for engineering tissues. The final portion of the course will be a survey of tissue engineering in the clinic today and existing
"Organ on Chip" platforms. Throughout the course, laboratory principles will be discussed, including cell culture and gene editing. Most of the assigned
reading will be recent primary literature articles.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 705. Senior Design Project. 3 Credit Hours.
Team-based capstone design project. Students will apply the Biodesign concepts learned in BME 401, including the phases of identify, invent and
implement. In the identify phase, students will perform unmet-need identification, technical and economic feasibility and screening to end with a
need statement and a set of specifications and constraints. In the invent phase, the students design a proof of concept prototype and perform a
technological de-risking exercise by means of a killer experiment. In the implement phase, student teams develop a device for which a risk analysis is
completed, and verification protocols are designed and performed. Student teams are required to report their progress on a regular basis.
Prerequisite: BME 401.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BME 706. Master's Project. 3 Credit Hours.
Comprehensive MS research or design project in biomedical engineering. Open only to students who are enrolled in the MS program. This course is a
requirement for all MS students in biomedical engineering.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BME 711. Accelerated Basic Science Curriculum. 1-9 Credit Hours.
Beginning in the latter part of June each year, extending to the middle of February of the ensuing year, the following accelerated and intensive
complete basic science medical curriculum is offered: Embryology, Gross Anatomy, Histology, Biochemistry, Neuroanatomy, Biophysics and
Neurophysiology, Systematic Physiology, Pathology, Medical Microbiology, and Pharmacology. A single grade will be entered on the graduate transcript
for this course. MD-PhD Students Only
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BME 713. Application of Computers in Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
Applications in the clinical and medical research laboratories for physiological data acquisition, analysis, and management of patient records.
Differences among computer systems and languages for clinical and research activities are also covered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BME 722. Scanning Electron Microscopy Special Projects. 3 Credit Hours.
An advanced course for graduate students with basic skills in SEM. Course is open only to masters or Ph.D. students. Students will have an
opportunity to do independent research under supervision of the instructor on special projects of interest that may be related to their field of study as
long as it is not part of their thesis or dissertation.
Prerequisite: BME 522 Or BME 622.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BME 725. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Research and/or design projects through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
BME 726. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Research and/or design projects through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 728. Advanced Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Subject matter offerings based upon student demand and availability of faculty. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title "Advanced Topics".
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 729. Advanced Medical Imaging. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of contemporary medical imaging systems and the associated technologies. The course focuses on principles of advanced medical imaging systems. Topics include multimodality imaging, three-dimensional image reconstruction and visualization, clinical and research applications, and derivation and comparison of algorithms.
Prerequisite: BME 620.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 731. Advanced Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Subject matter offerings based upon student demand and availability of faculty. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title "Advanced Topics."
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 732. Advanced Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Subject matter offerings based upon student demand and availability of faculty. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title "Advanced Topics."
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 735. Auditory and Visual Neural Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Design and application of auditory and visual neural systems and devices for medical purposes. Methodologies and instrumentation using electrophysiological, psychophysical and other measurements are explored focusing on diagnostic and therapeutic applications.
Prerequisite: BME 603.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BME 740. Implantable Biomedical Devices. 3 Credit Hours.
Development and advances in implantable materials and devices especially those used as electrically driven prostheses. Topics include pacemakers, defibrillators, catheters, neurological stimulators, heart assist, bone repair, and other diagnostic and therapeutic devices. The historical, medical significance, business, economic, and technical aspects of these devices and the associated instruments for monitoring are discussed. Fundamentals of electrochemical corrosion and stimulation as well the technology of implantable power sources are reviewed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BME 745. Biomedical Optical Imaging and Diagnostics. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of geometrical optics, fiber optics, and tissue optics. Introduction to physical optics: interference, diffraction, and polarization; optical imaging resolution limits, super-resolution imaging, advanced optical microscopy, and optical coherence tomography (OCT). Imaging through scattering tissue, imaging and diagnostics with polarized light, fluorescence, infrared, and Raman spectroscopy and applications are also discussed. Optical diagnostics using scattered light: laser Doppler flowmetry, and dynamic light scattering; and opto-chemical and evanescent wave sensors are also covered.
Prerequisite: BME 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BME 760. Stem Cell-Based Tissue Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles and advanced topics on cellular and tissue engineering. Topics include biodegradable and non-biodegradable biomaterials, cytokines, the traditional and stem cell-based tissue engineering approaches, bioreactors and special topics such as bone, cartilage and other tissues.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

BME 761. Stem Cell Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Stem cell engineering is a relatively new field of research that focuses on using stem cells and tissue derived products to repair damaged or diseased tissues. This course will examine through the most recent publications the role of stem cells and tissue derived donors for tissue repair, wound healing, and as well as regeneration/repair. In addition, we will highlight the use of engineered products developed from tissue banks associated with the different type of cells for clinical application. The course will use a mix of lectures/article presentations and discussion format to effectively present relevant information.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

BME 779. Biomedical Engineering Seminar Series. 1 Credit Hour.
A course for Biomedical Engineering doctoral students. Students will attend lectures and roundtable discussions with leading experts from both academia and industry.
**Components:** SEM.
**Grading:** SUS.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

BME 780. Graduate Scholarship in Biomedical Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
A course for Biomedical Engineering doctoral students. Students will learn to critically review scientific journal articles as well as NIH research proposals (i.e. R01, R03, F30/31 and R21). Students will also learn how to read federal grant application guidelines and determine what is required for a highly competitive written application. The students will have the opportunity to prepare their own research proposal in the form of an F31 NIH application on a biomedical engineering topic of interest. Students will also learn how to prepare and present their research findings at conferences.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

BME 781. Radiation Dosimetry and Physics. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of radiation physics in the field of radiation therapy. The course will cover the relevant subjects of modern physics, the basic modalities and basic instrumentations of radiation therapy, the principles of particle transport and radiation dose computation and quality assurance of radiation therapy instruments. The subject of radiation protection will also be discussed.
Prerequisite: BME 582. Or BME 682.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

BME 783. Radiation Therapy Physics Clinical Rotation. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will observe clinical activities at a designated radiation therapy center for ten hours per week. Rotation includes observation of daily treatment, simulation, dose planning, physics quality assurance and routine physics support activities (special physics consultation, weekly physics chart check, monitoring radiation safety activities, support of brachytherapy procedures). Students will meet with the course instructor one and a half hours/week to discuss the schedule and the progress of the rotation activities. Students need to submit reports on each radiation therapy category.
Prerequisite: BME 682. And BME 781.
**Components:** THI.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

BME 784. Medical Physics Journal Club. 1 Credit Hour.
The course aims to keep track of recent developments in the field of Medical Physics for therapeutic and diagnostic purposes in oncology through reading, discussion and presentation of identified scientific papers from the major journals of Medical Physics among enrolled students.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

BME 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
**Components:** THI.
**Grading:** SUS.
**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.
B.S./M.S. Five-Year Program in Biomedical Engineering

Overview
The Department of Biomedical Engineering offers a dual-degree program that culminates with students receiving both Bachelor of Science and Master of Science (BS/MS) in Biomedical Engineering concurrently. This program is available only to qualified students enrolled in the undergraduate program in Biomedical Engineering at the University of Miami. This program is intended to give qualified Biomedical Engineering students the opportunity to acquire both a baccalaureate degree (BSBE) and a Master of Science (MSBE) degree in five years rather than the 4 plus 2 years (approximately) that is traditionally expected. The two degrees are awarded simultaneously when the combined requirements have been met for both degrees.

- Juniors from any of the four BME Concentrations who have maintained at least a 3.0 CGPA have the option to apply for admission to the combined BS-MS in Biomedical Engineering program.
- Those who are accepted into this accelerated program must maintain at least a 3.0 CGPA and a minimum of a 3.0 GPA for the final 30 credit hours to meet the requirements of the Graduate School.
- The participants complete BME 705 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=BME%20705) in lieu of BME 402 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=BME%20402)/BME 403 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=BME%20403).
- Up to 6 credit hours of Technical electives earned during the fourth year can be counted toward the 30 credit hours required for the MS degree. If their schedule allows, students may be able to complete an additional 3 credits of graduate classes during their fourth year.
- Students must be registered for a minimum of 12 undergraduate credit hours per semester in their fourth year.
- Students can register for a maximum of 6 graduate credit hours in each semester of their fourth year.
- If a student needs to withdraw from the BS/MS BME program then all the requirements for the specific BS BME Concentration must be completed for graduation with the BS BME degree.

Admission Requirements
The dual BS/MS program is available only to qualified undergraduate students enrolled in the Department of Biomedical Engineering, in any of the four Concentrations (Electrical, Mechanical, Biomaterials and Tissue, PreMed). Typically, students must have undergraduate student status and a cumulative G.P.A. of at least 3.0 at the time of application.
Undergraduate students must take the Graduate Record Examination (GRE) before the end of their classification as a senior and attain a combined score of more than 300 on the verbal and quantitative portions. Students must meet all other pertinent graduate school and College of Engineering requirements.

Qualified students must apply prior to the beginning of final exams in the second semester of their junior year. Students are strongly advised to apply to the BS/MS program as early as possible in their junior year to facilitate academic advising and course selection in the second semester of their junior year. Before submitting an application, interested students should discuss the program and the possibility of entering the program with an academic advisor.

The College of Engineering Office of Admission will carefully review academic credentials for admission into the program and will notify students of their acceptance into the program. All admitted students will have a special advising appointment with Dr. Narasimhan, Assistant Dean for Undergraduate Studies, to discuss academic issues specific to the BS/MS program.

**Curriculum Guidelines**

In the dual-degree BS/MS program in the Department of Biomedical Engineering, the first four years of the curriculum are altered as follows:

- The 3 credits of Senior Design Project (BME 402/BME 403) are eliminated.
- In Semester I of the senior year, one 3-credit Undergraduate Technical Elective is replaced with BME 705 (MS Design Project I).
- In Semester II of the senior year, one 3-credit Undergraduate Technical Elective is replaced with one 3-credit Graduate Technical Elective.

Graduate Technical Electives taken in the senior year must be chosen from the BME graduate course offerings, with the approval of their academic advisor. The credits of Graduate Technical Electives completed in the fourth year are counted toward the 30 credits required for the MS degree.

Students admitted in the dual degree BS/MS program can take a maximum of six (6) graduate credits per semester in their senior year, for a maximum of twelve (12) graduate credits per year, without incurring additional costs if they are full-time undergraduate students during this period. Students should register for courses towards their graduate degree as "G" credits and not as "U" credits. These registrations must be completed prior to taking courses. Retroactive add/drops will not be processed.

To register for graduate credits during their senior year, students must be in senior status and must complete and submit the Graduate School’s "Application for Undergraduates to Take Graduate Coursework" form. This form must accompany the Add/Drop and/or Course Request form to ensure that students are registered with the correct registration status.

In the Senior year, students must be registered for a minimum of 12 undergraduate credits each semester to maintain full-time status as an undergraduate student. After completing the senior year, students must register as graduate students.

**BS/MS Design Project (BME 705/706)**

In lieu of the 3-credit senior design project (BME 402/BME 403) students enrolled in the dual-degree BS/MS program register for 6 credits of Master Design Project (BME 705/BME 706). The 3 credits of BME 705 satisfy the undergraduate senior design requirements, in which students complete a year-long capstone design project that follows the same guidelines and format as BME 402/BME 403. Students enroll in BME 705 during the first semester of their senior year and receive their final project grade at the end of their senior year. The 3 credits of BME 706 satisfy the non-thesis Master’s project requirement. Students enroll in BME 706 during the first semester of their fifth year. The BME 706 project can be a continuation of the student's BME 705 project, or an entirely new project. The format and guidelines for BME 706 are described in the MS section of the bulletin.

**Graduation Requirements**

Students accepted into the dual degree program must maintain at least a 3.0 Cumulative GPA, and meet all other pertinent Graduate School requirements, including a minimum of 3.0 GPA in the credits applied toward the MS degree.

**Curriculum Requirements**

**BSBE/MSBE (Biomaterials and Tissue Concentration)**

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BME 480  Biomedical Instrumentation  3
BME 512  Regulatory Control of Biomedical Devices  3
BME 535  Advanced Biomaterials  3
BME 565  Principles of Cellular and Tissue Engineering  3
BME 567  Tissue Engineering Lab  1
ECE 201  Electrical Circuit Theory  3

Math and Science Courses
BIL 150  General Biology  4
BIL 151  General Biology Laboratory  1
BME 312  Biomedical Statistics and Data Analysis  3
CHM 121  Principles of Chemistry  4
CHM 113  Chemistry Laboratory I  1
CHM 205  Chemical Dynamics Laboratory  1
CHM 221  Introduction to Structure and Dynamics  4
MTH 151  Calculus I for Engineers  5
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MTH 311  Introduction to Ordinary Differential Equations  3
PHY 221  University Physics I  3
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Additional Requirements
ENG 105  English Composition I  3
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MSBE REQUIREMENTS
BME 705  Senior Design Project  3
Graduate Technical Electives  27
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| PHY 222       | University Physics II | 3 |

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Fifth Year (Graduate)

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Total Credit Hours 154-157

1. PS/HA Cognate: Students must complete a minimum of 1 People & Society (PS) cognate and 1 Humanities & Arts (HA) cognate, to be selected from the list of available cognates (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/cognates/). Each cognate should be a minimum of 3 courses (9 credit hours).

2. Technical Electives are chosen from BME course offerings (300 level & above) with the approval of the advisor.

3. Technical Elective Lab is selected from BME 303, BME 395, BME 507 or BME 567.

4. Graduate courses are 600 or 700 level courses chosen from the BME course offerings with the approval of the advisor. Up to 6 credits of graduate courses can be taken in other engineering disciplines.

5. Students may be able to register for this additional graduate class if their course load allows.

**Suggested Plan of Study**

**Pre-Med Concentration**

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M.S. in Biomedical Engineering

Masters Program Objectives

The goal of the MS program in Biomedical Engineering at the University of Miami is to prepare students for successful careers in the biomedical industry, academia, or government (FDA, US Patent Office), or for further study in doctoral or health-related programs.

The educational objective of the program is to provide students with the technical and intellectual skills required to solve complex technical or scientific problems at the interface of engineering and medicine or biology.

Admission Requirements

The qualifications and documentation required for admission to the MS program in Biomedical Engineering are the same as for the College of Engineering.

The Department of Biomedical Engineering generally admits four types of students to its MS program:

• Students with undergraduate degrees in biomedical engineering and other engineering disciplines who seek advanced professional training or specialization in a particular area of biomedical engineering
• Professional engineers with degrees in other engineering disciplines who plan to enter the field of biomedical engineering
• Students with an undergraduate degree in Physics, Mathematics, Computer Science, Chemistry, Biology or other fields of natural or health science who seek to diversify their career opportunities by acquiring an engineering degree
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Curriculum Requirements
The curriculum combines advanced coursework which provides depth in a specific area of concentration and advanced problem-solving skills, with supervised research or design in one of the laboratories of the faculty from the Department of Biomedical Engineering or the School of Medicine, or in the local biomedical industry.

Except for the Medical Physics program there are no formalized graduate curricular tracks in the MS program. Master's students select a course of study together with the graduate advisor and/or with their mentor and the thesis committee (for the thesis option) based on their own needs or interests. Students can choose from any of the graduate course offerings, as long as they satisfy the general course requirements and the course prerequisites.

Required Core Courses
All students enrolled in the MS program in Biomedical Engineering are required to complete the following core graduate courses:

• Human Physiology Courses (BME 601/BME 602/BME 603, 3 credits each). Students enrolled in the BS/MS program must take exactly two of these three courses, no more and no less. Other students can choose to complete all three courses.
• Regulatory Control of Biomedical Devices (BME 612, 3 credits)

The three human physiology courses are designed to provide a basic understanding of organ-level physiology and anatomy, neurophysiology, and cellular and molecular biology. Students with an MD from a medical school accredited by the World Health Organization are exempted from taking these courses. Students holding advanced degrees in the life sciences, or equivalent experience in the field, may also be exempt. Each such exception requires the approval of the Department Chairperson and Faculty member responsible for the course of concern. Students who receive an exemption, must replace the exempted course(s) with another 3-credit graduate course(s) that meets the degree requirements.

Students with a background in an engineering or scientific field with no prior exposure to biology/medicine are required to complete all three Unified Medical Sciences courses.

Non-Thesis MS Program
The MS non-thesis option is intended for students with an undergraduate degree in biomedical engineering or related disciplines who seek advanced training or specialization in a specific area of biomedical engineering; for professional engineers with undergraduate degrees in other disciplines who want to enter the field of biomedical engineering; and for students who want to prepare for admission to advanced health-related or other professional programs.

Graduation Requirements
Graduation requirements for the MS Non-Thesis Option include:

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**Non-Thesis MS Project**

**General description**
All students enrolled in the MS non-thesis program must complete a 3 credit Master's project (BME 706), under the supervision of a project mentor and departmental project coordinator. The project must demonstrate the candidate’s ability to solve complex scientific or technical problems at the interface of engineering and medicine or biology.

The MS project can be a research or design project. The project must include a significant research or design component contributed by the M.S. student, including, but not limited to, the design of an experiment or process; the development of a device, instrument, or system; the development of a computer program; the analysis of experimental data. Projects cannot be limited solely to the review of literature, the development of research or design proposals, or the collection of experimental data.

At the completion of their project, students must submit a written project report and complete a public oral defense of their project.

**Project Mentor**
Students who select the MS non-thesis track must identify a project mentor and select a project before they register for their second semester of full-time study. The project mentor is generally a primary faculty member of the Department of Biomedical Engineering. The role of the project mentor is to help the student identify a suitable project, to monitor the progress of the student, to provide guidance and training in the relevant topics, and to review the final report and presentation.

Students may complete their project under the supervision of a faculty member from another Department at the University of Miami, or from the local biomedical industry, under the following conditions:

- The student must receive the approval of the Department Chairman and Graduate Program Director.
- The student must identify a co-mentor who must be a primary faculty member of the Department of Biomedical Engineering. The co-mentor must be familiar with the topic of the proposed project. The role of the co-mentor will be to monitor the student progress and ensure that the Master's project report and presentation satisfy all of the relevant requirements.

**Project Coordinator**
The project coordinator is a member of the primary faculty of the Department of Biomedical Engineering who is responsible for teaching the BME 706 course. The role of the project coordinator is to:

- Help students identify a project and mentor.
- Ensure that the projects satisfy the program objectives.
- Provide general guidance and graduate scholarship training.
- Ensure that the students are making suitable progress towards the project goals.

**Project Abstract**
Non-Thesis MS students must submit a one-page project abstract to the Department Chairman or Graduate Program Director and to the MS Project Coordinator at the time when they register for BME 706. The abstract must include the name of the project mentor (and co-mentor, if any), the title of the proposed project, and a brief description of the goals of the project and proposed methods. The abstract must be approved by the mentor, MS Project Coordinator, and Department Chairman or Graduate Program Director before the student can start work on the project. ([Project Abstract Template](http://bulletin.miami.edu/graduate-academic-programs/engineering/biomedical-engineering/biomedical-engineering-ms/Abstract_Template.pdf))

**Project Report**
Non-thesis MS students must submit a detailed report describing the work completed during the project. The report must describe the objectives and significance of the work, and summarize the activities completed by the student as part of the MS project. The report must demonstrate that the work performed by the student satisfies the general project criteria. The typical length of non-thesis M.S. project reports is 20 to 30 pages. If the project resulted in the submission of a full-length peer-reviewed scientific article, the article can be submitted in lieu of a report, as long as the following conditions are satisfied:

- The student must be the first author of the article.
- The article must reflect the work performed by the student as part of the project.
- The article must be submitted for publication in a peer-reviewed journal or conference proceedings volume.
- A one to two page introduction must be submitted to summarize the project goals and main outcomes.

The report must be reviewed and approved by the project mentor (and co-mentor, if any). Once the report is approved by the mentor(s), one printed copy and one electronic version in PDF format must be submitted to the Project Coordinator by the specified deadline. The final report must be approved and signed by the Project Mentor(s), Project Coordinator and Graduate Program Director or Department Chairman. ([Signature Page Template](http://bulletin.miami.edu/graduate-academic-programs/engineering/biomedical-engineering/biomedical-engineering-ms/Signature_Page_Template.pdf))
Project presentation
Non-thesis MS students must give an oral presentation of their project. The oral presentation is generally scheduled during the scheduled final examination time of BME 706 in the semester of graduation.

Project grade
The final grade for the project is given by the Project Coordinator. The final grade is a combination of a grade submitted by the Project Mentor(s) assessing the overall performance of the student on the project, and a grade given by the Project Coordinator assessing the quality of the oral presentation and report.

MS Thesis Program
The thesis option is typically selected by students who are oriented towards a career in academic or industrial research and development, or students who want to acquire an initial independent biomedical research experience before seeking admission to doctoral programs.

Graduation Requirements
Graduation requirements for the MS Thesis Option include:

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MS Thesis
General Description
The Master's thesis is a research monograph which describes the significance of the research and summarizes the research activities completed as part of the MS degree requirements. The objective of the thesis is to evaluate the candidate's competence in the area of the MS research. The thesis must demonstrate that the research is original and that the candidate has the ability to solve complex scientific and/or technical problems at the interface of engineering and medicine or biology.

Thesis Mentor
Students who select the MS thesis track must identify a thesis mentor before they register for their second semester of full-time study. The thesis mentor must hold a primary or secondary faculty appointment in the Department of Biomedical Engineering. Exceptions can be made only with approval of the Graduate Program Director and Department Chairman.

The thesis mentor supervises the research work of the student and provides training and guidance in the relevant research topics, including design of experiments, experimental techniques, and scholarship activities. The mentor helps the student select a thesis topic and develop a plan, and chairs or co-chairs the thesis committee. The mentor works closely with the student to ensure that there is satisfactory progress towards the thesis goals.

Thesis Committee
The thesis must be approved by a thesis committee. The duties of the thesis committee are:

- to consult with and to advise students on their research;
- to meet, at intervals, to review progress and expected results;
- to read and comment upon the draft thesis;
- to meet, when the thesis is completed, to conduct the final oral examination and to satisfy itself that the thesis work is original; that it demonstrates the candidate's ability to solve complex scientific and/or technical problems at the interface of engineering and medicine or biology; that it is written in lucid and correct English; and that it is submitted in approved format.

The thesis committee will consist of not less than three members, with the following requirements:

- The committee chair shall be a Primary Faculty member of the Department of Biomedical Engineering, as well as a regular member of the Graduate Faculty. The Committee Chair is generally also the thesis mentor.
A thesis mentor who is not a member of the Primary Faculty of the Department of Biomedical Engineering, can serve as Co-Chair of the Thesis Committee, together with a second Co-Chair who shall be a member of the primary faculty of the Department of Biomedical Engineering.

It is an additional requirement of the Department of Biomedical Engineering that at least two committee members should be primary Faculty members from the Department.

One committee member must be from outside the Department. Outside members of the thesis committee can include part-time faculty that teach within the Department.

At least one committee member must be a regular member of the Graduate Faculty of the University of Miami.

The committee is nominated by the Graduate Program Director. Usually, the student consults with his/her research mentor and with the Chairperson or Graduate Program Director to select the Committee members.

**Thesis Format and Deadlines**

It is the duty of the student to ensure that the thesis defense is scheduled and that a final version of the thesis approved by the Dissertation Editor is submitted to the Dissertation Editor by the required deadlines set by the Graduate School. All information pertaining to the formatting and electronic guidelines for electronic thesis submission can be found on the Graduate School website (https://grad.miami.edu/).

Each thesis must be accompanied by a Certificate of Defense Approval for Master’s Thesis (https://grad.miami.edu/policies-and-forms/forms/) signed by all members of the Committee. Forms can be downloaded from the Graduate School website.

**Evaluation Forms**

The student is responsible for distributing dissertation evaluation forms (http://bulletin.miami.edu/graduate-academic-programs/engineering/biomedical-engineering/biomedical-engineering-ms/SACS_Graduate_Rating_Grid_Rubric_2016.pdf) to the members of the Thesis Committee for the final oral examination. The evaluation forms are used to assess the overall quality of the graduate program at the Department, College, and University level. The evaluation forms are available on the Graduate School and Department of Biomedical Engineering websites. The completed forms must be collected by the Thesis Mentor and forwarded to the Office Manager at the Department of Biomedical Engineering.

**Transfer to MS Non-Thesis Program**

Students enrolled in the MS thesis program who do not wish to complete their thesis can transfer to the MS non-thesis program and graduate from the MS program under the following conditions:

- The transfer must be approved by the Department Chair or Graduate Program Director.
- All requirements of the MS non-thesis option must be satisfied, including completion of a 3 credit MS project (BME 706), submission of a project report, and oral defense of project. Completed thesis credits may count towards the three credit MS project requirement.

**MS in Biomedical Engineering: Medical Physics**

The MS in Biomedical Engineering offers a special track in Medical Physics. The objective of the Medical Physics program is to provide advanced knowledge in the field of therapeutic medical physics, and to provide the training required for students to become licensed medical physicists. This program is coordinated by the Department of Biomedical Engineering and the Department of Radiation Oncology at the School of Medicine.

The program is opened to students enrolled in the regular MS program, as well as the dual degree (BS/MS) program. Candidates are required to have completed a 3 credit course in Modern Physics (PHY 360 or equivalent) and a 3 credit course covering the physical foundations of medical imaging (BME 330 or equivalent) before they start their course work in the Medical Physics program.

Students in the Medical Physics Program must complete Human Physiology for Engineers (BME 602) and one of the remaining two courses from the human physiology (BME 601 or BME 603) course series, and the following 22-credit core curriculum in the area of medical physics:

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Any remaining credits required to complete the degree must satisfy the general requirements of the MS program. Students enrolled in the MS program in Medical Physics may require a total of 31 credits (non-thesis option) or 34 credits (BS/MS and thesis option) to complete the program requirements.
The topic of the BS/MS project (BME 705/BME 706), MS project (BME 706, non-thesis option), or MS thesis must be related to medical physics. In general, the project is co-supervised by Faculty from the Department of Biomedical Engineering and the Department of Radiation Oncology.

Sample Plan of Study

Non-Thesis MS Program

A typical curriculum for the MS non-thesis option is shown in the following table. The course sequence and timeline can be adjusted based on individual needs. The minimum residence requirement for the MS degree is two semesters in full-time study or the equivalent in part-time work.

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Sample Plan of Study

MS Thesis Program

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Sample Plans of Study

MS Program in Medical Physics

Typical curricula for each option of the MS program in Medical Physics are shown in the following tables. The curriculum for the BS/MS in Medical Physics can be found in the BS/MS section of the bulletin. The course sequence and timeline can be adjusted based on individual needs. The minimum residence requirement for the MS degree is two semesters in full-time study or the equivalent in part-time work.
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**Mission**

The mission of the Biomedical Engineering Program is to prepare students to become knowledgeable and skilled engineers with an understanding of the ethical and other professional aspects of biomedical engineering. Design skills and an ability to work both independently and as part of a team are emphasized.

**Goals**

The educational objective of the program is to provide students with the technical and intellectual skills required to solve complex technical or scientific problems at the interface of engineering and medicine or biology.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- High level ability to apply knowledge of mathematics, science and engineering to formulate and solve relevant biomedical engineering problems.
- Ability to communicate the scientific and technical research effectively in writing and oral presentations.
- Ability to conduct supervised research and development.

**Ph.D. in Biomedical Engineering**

**Program Objectives**

The goal of the PhD program in Biomedical Engineering at the University of Miami is to train students for independent research and innovation in biomedical engineering. The program is designed to prepare graduates for careers in academia, industrial research and development, or government (FDA, US Patent Office).

PhD students conduct research at the Department of Biomedical Engineering and at clinical departments and research centers at the School of Medicine, including the Bascom Palmer Eye Institute, the Miami Project to Cure Paralysis, the Diabetes Research Institute, the University of Miami Ear Institute, Biomedical Nanotechnology Institute, the Departments of Pathology, Radiology, Radiation Oncology, Otolaryngology, and Surgery, and the Miami Veterans Administration Research Service. Many of our doctoral students work closely with physicians to develop and investigate new therapies, devices, and technologies that address real-world clinical problems.

**Admission Requirements**

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**Graduation Requirements**

The general requirements for award of the Doctor of Philosophy include:

- Completion of a minimum of 60 course credits beyond the BS degree.
- Satisfactory completion of an oral qualifying examination.
- The submission, oral defense, and approval of a dissertation proposal.
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• Completion of the publication requirements.

All work, including credit transferred from other institutions, must be completed within 8 years of the time of admission to graduate work, and/or within four years of approval of the dissertation proposal. An average of B (3.0) is required for a graduate degree, and no “D” credit may be counted toward the degree. A C- is the lowest passing grade for graduate students.

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**Curriculum Requirements**

The PhD curriculum was designed to provide the technical and intellectual skills required to identify and solve complex scientific or technical problems at the interface of engineering and medicine or biology. The curriculum combines advanced coursework which provides depth in a specific area of concentration, with independent original research in one of the laboratories of the faculty from the Department of Biomedical Engineering or the School of Medicine.

Except for the Medical Physics program there are no formalized graduate curricular tracks in the PhD program. The student's mentor and supervisory committee work with the student to develop a personalized course plan, based on the student's own needs and interests. The personalized course plan is designed to ensure that the student is prepared for advanced independent research and technical innovation in biomedical engineering. The course plan can include any of the graduate course offerings, as long as the student satisfies the course pre-requisites.

The proposed individualized course curriculum must be submitted to the Graduate Program Director for final approval or to the Department Chairperson when the Graduate Program Director is the student's mentor.

**Required Core Courses**

There are four core graduate courses: Human Physiology courses (BME 601/BME 602/BME 603, 3 credits each) and a Graduate Scholarship course (BME 780, 3 credits). Additionally, students are required to register for the Biomedical Engineering Seminar Series (BME 779, 1 credit) for their first four semesters.

The three human physiology courses are designed to provide a basic understanding of organ-level physiology and anatomy, neurophysiology and cellular and molecular biology. Students admitted to the PhD program with a BS degree are required to take all three courses. Students admitted to the PhD program with an MS degree only need to complete 2 of the 3 courses. Students enrolled in the MD-PhD program and students with an MD from a medical school accredited by the World Health Organization are exempted from taking these 3 courses. With the permission of the graduate advisor, students who have completed these courses or similar coursework in a previous graduate course of study may substitute technical electives for this requirement.

The Graduate Scholarship course (BME 780) provides training in grant proposal writing, manuscript preparation and other doctoral-level research and professional skills. The Biomedical Engineering Seminars course (BME 779) is a seminar series on research and professional topics in Biomedical Engineering.

**MD-PhD program**

Students enrolled in the MD-PhD program start the PhD program after completion of the first two years of medical school.
MD-PhD students who choose BME as their degree-granting program can count up to 15 credits of work completed during the first two years of medical school towards their PhD degree requirements (See: Credit Requirements). To receive credit, students enroll in the following courses:

- BME 711- Accelerated Basic Science Medical Curriculum (9 credits). BME 711 satisfies the Unified Medical Sciences (9 credits) requirement.
- PIB 731 - Laboratory Research (1-6 credits). Students receive up to 3 credits for each research rotation that they complete during their first two years of medical school, up to a maximum total of 6 credits. To receive credit, students must submit a report for each rotation, following the guidelines for BME Independent Study reports.

All MD PhD students must complete a 3-credit biostatistics course. Students who have successfully completed equivalent coursework in a previous course of study can be exempted from this requirement.

**Medical Physics Program**

The Department of Biomedical Engineering at the University of Miami offers a special PhD program in Medical Physics accredited by CAMPEP. The objective of the Medical Physics program is to provide advanced knowledge in the field of therapeutic medical physics, and to provide the training required for students to become licensed medical physicists. This program is coordinated by the Department of Biomedical Engineering and the Department of Radiation Oncology at the School of Medicine.

Candidates are required to have completed a 3 credit course in Modern Physics (PHY 360 or equivalent) and a 3 credit course covering the physical foundations of medical imaging (BME 330 or equivalent) before they start their course work in the Medical Physics program.

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Students enrolled in the Medical Physics program must also complete an additional separate qualifying examination focused on the medical physics curriculum (see below section on qualifying examination).

**Credit Requirements**

The credit requirements are summarized below. Students admitted with non-engineering degrees are generally accepted conditionally, with the requirement to complete a set of undergraduate courses in engineering and/or mathematics before gaining full admission into the PhD program. The list of pre-requisite courses is defined before the start of the first semester of study by the Graduate Program Director and Department Chairperson, in consultation with the student mentor. Course pre-requisites are not counted towards the degree requirements.

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A minimum of 15 credits of additional courses to be selected by the student in consultation with his/her mentor and the supervisory committee. Beyond the minimum requirement of 27 course credits, the supervisory committee shall decide which additional courses, if any, will be required to ensure that the student is prepared for advanced independent research and technical innovation in biomedical engineering. A three credit advanced biostatistics course is strongly recommended.

More information about these courses can be found on the CoE website (http://www.coe.miami.edu/) and the UM RCR website (https://bioethics.miami.edu/clinical-and-research-ethics/responsible-conduct-of-research/).

A minimum of 12 credits of dissertation work must be completed. Students should enroll into BME 830 before admission to candidacy and BME 840 after admission to candidacy.

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**Research in Residence**

Once a student has completed all required course and dissertation credits, he or she must enroll in Research in Residence status (BME 850, 0 credit) until the degree has been granted. Research in Residence status is considered full time enrollment. Credit is not granted for research in residence, but a fee is charged for each enrollment.

**Qualifying Examination Schedule**

The examination will be administered at the beginning of the third semester that a student is enrolled in the PhD program.

**Qualifying Examination Committee**

The oral qualifying examination will be administered by a qualifying examination committee, to be nominated by the Graduate Program Director or Department Chair, with input from the research mentor. The committee will consist of 3 tenured or tenure-track primary faculty in the Department of Biomedical Engineering. The committee members will be selected based on the student's research area. The research mentor cannot be a member of the qualifying examination committee for his/her students. At least one additional tenured, primary BME faculty member who is not part of the committee will serve as neutral observer. The observer will moderate the examination and will ensure that the examination follows the required standards and will help resolve any conflicts that may arise.

**Format**

The committee will provide the student with a list of topics to study at least 3 months before the exam, including fundamental knowledge of physiological and engineering principles, data analysis, and experimental methods. At the start of the exam, the student will provide a brief overview of his/her research topic. During the exam, the committee will assess the student's grasp of the topics as well as critical thinking and problem-solving skills. The oral qualifying examination will be closed to the public. The examination should last approximately 1 hour, and will be followed by a deliberation period of the qualifying examination committee. The entire examination will be recorded and the recording will be stored in a secured database until the student graduates from the program.

**Evaluation and Repeat Rule**

After the oral examination, the student's qualifying examination committee will deliberate and determine if the student passed the examination. The findings of the qualifying examination committee will be summarized in a letter to the student from the Graduate Program Director. A student who fails will be given an opportunity to retake the examination. The letter will include a list of topics where the student needs improvement that will be included in the second examination. The second examination must be scheduled within 3 months and will be given by the same committee. A student who fails the examination at the second trial will be dismissed from the program.
Medical Physics Qualifying Examination

Students enrolled in the Medical Physics program must pass an additional written examination focused on topics covered in the Medical Physics curriculum. The examination is typically scheduled the semester following the regular BME screening examination, and consists of 6 separate written tests on the following topics, corresponding to courses in the curriculum: Anatomy/Radiobiology BME 602/BME 681; Medical Imaging (BME 620/BME 729); Radiation Therapy Physics (BME 682); Radiation Protection (BME 683); Radiation Dosimetry (BME 781); Medical Physics Clinical Rotation (BME 783). The entire examination is scheduled in a single day, with each test lasting 55 minutes. The minimum passing score for each test is 70%. Students who fail one or more of the tests must retake the test(s) before the end of the semester. Students who fail the same test twice are dropped from the Medical Physics program.

Supervisory Committee

Following the successful completion of the oral qualifying examination, a Ph.D. Supervisory Committee is appointed by the Chairperson of the Department of Biomedical Engineering. Usually, the student consults with his/her research mentor and with the Chairperson to select the Committee members. In the Department of Biomedical Engineering, the members of the Supervisory Committee usually also eventually serve on the Dissertation Committee. The role of the Supervisory Committee is to administer the dissertation proposal, and to make up any additional written or oral examination deemed necessary to complete the qualifying examination.

In the Department of Biomedical Engineering, the Supervisory Committee must be comprised of at least five members. The minimum requirements of the committee composition are given below:

- At least three primary BME faculty members
- At least one external member. The external member is either a University of Miami faculty member who holds a primary appointment outside of BME, a faculty member from another University or from outside of academia. If the external member is from outside of academia, he/she must be a recognized expert in the field holding a leadership position.

The five members include the committee chair, who is a Graduate Faculty member of the Department of Biomedical Engineering. If the committee chair is not a Primary Faculty member of the Department of Biomedical Engineering, a second Co-Chair who is a Primary Faculty of the Department of Biomedical Engineering is required.

For more information about the Supervisory Committee, please also see the Graduate Student Handbook, which can be found on the Graduate Student Handbook, which can be found on the Graduate School website (www.grad.miami.edu (https://www.grad.miami.edu/)). The Graduate School website also provides a list of Faculty who are members of the University of Miami Graduate Faculty.

Dissertation Proposal

Format

Each student must submit an original written proposal describing the goals of the dissertation research project, the significance of the work, preliminary studies, and the research plan. The proposal must be submitted to the Supervisory Committee and orally defended before the end of the fourth semester for students admitted with an MS degree and before the end of the first semester of the third year for students admitted with a BS degree. The student’s knowledge of the proposed research topic will be tested during the oral defense. If any deficiencies are discovered during the defense of the proposal, an additional written or oral examination may be required by the Ph.D. Supervisory Committee.

Evaluation Forms

The candidate is responsible for distributing dissertation proposal evaluation forms (http://bulletin.miami.edu/graduate-academic-programs/engineering/biomedical-engineering/biomedical-engineering-phd/SACS_Graduate_Rating_Grid_Rubric_2016.pdf) to the members of the Supervisory Committee. The evaluation forms are used to assess the overall quality of the graduate program at the Department, College, and University level. The evaluation forms are available on the Graduate School and Department of Biomedical Engineering websites. The forms must be completed by the Committee members after the dissertation defense. The completed forms must be collected by the Dissertation mentor and forwarded to the Office Manager at the Department of Biomedical Engineering.

Admission to Candidacy

A student who has passed the written qualifying examination, and successfully defended the dissertation proposal must:

- submit a signed "Approval of the Dissertation Proposal (http://bulletin.miami.edu/graduate-academic-programs/engineering/biomedical-engineering/biomedical-engineering-phd/Department_Dissertation_Proposal_Approval.pdf)" form to the Graduate Program Director of the Department of Biomedical Engineering.
- form a Dissertation Committee (see below)
- submit an Application for Admission to Candidacy (https://grad.miami.edu/policies-and-forms/forms/) for the Ph.D./Ed.D./D.M.A. to the Graduate School to be granted admission to candidacy.

Admission to candidacy recognizes the fact that a student enrolled in the PhD program has completed all doctoral degree requirements except completion of an acceptable dissertation project and defense of the dissertation. Completion of the required course credits and dissertation credits (BME 830 and/or BME 840) is not a requirement for admission to candidacy in the Department of Biomedical Engineering.
No student may receive the degree in the same semester or summer session in which he or she is admitted to candidacy. The student must be admitted to candidacy before the dissertation defense is scheduled.

**Dissertation Committee**
In the Department of Biomedical Engineering, the Dissertation Committee is generally the same as the Supervisory Committee, but it may also be a committee formed anew to undertake the duties of advising and passing upon the dissertation. The Dissertation Committee is nominated by the Department, and is approved and appointed by the Dean of the Graduate School.

As with the Supervisory Committee, the Dissertation Committee must be comprised of at least five members, including the committee chair. The minimum requirements of the committee composition are given below:

- At least three primary BME faculty members
- At least one external member. The external member is either a University of Miami faculty member who holds a primary appointment outside of BME, a faculty member from another University or from outside of academia. If the external member is from outside of academia, he/she must be a recognized expert in the field holding a leadership position.

The five members include the committee chair, who is a Graduate Faculty member of the Department of Biomedical Engineering. If the committee chair is not a Primary Faculty member of the Department of Biomedical Engineering, a second Co-Chair who is a Primary Faculty member of the Department of Biomedical Engineering is required.

One additional requirement is that the Dissertation Committee of students enrolled in the M.D.-Ph.D. program must include one member of the M.D.-Ph.D. program committee.

If a student and his/her mentor decide to change the members of the Dissertation Committee after being admitted to candidacy, a Committee Composition Change Request Form must be completed. This form can be completed electronically via Dynamic Forms on the Graduate School's website.

**Bi-Annual Progress Review**
The student must schedule a bi-annual meeting with the dissertation committee. The purpose of the meeting is to give the student an opportunity to present his/her doctoral research progress to the committee and to receive the committee's feedback and recommendations. The student must submit a brief progress report to the dissertation committee at least seven days before the meeting. During the meeting, the student will present his/her doctoral research progress to the committee. The presentation will be followed by a discussion session. At the end of the discussion session, the committee will meet alone to discuss the student's progress and provide recommendations to the mentor. The mentor will provide a written summary of the discussion and committee recommendations to the student and to the Graduate Program Director. Students who are not making adequate progress may be terminated from the program.

**Doctoral Dissertation**
**General Description**
The doctoral dissertation is a monograph which describes the significance of the research and summarizes the research activities completed as part of the doctoral degree requirements. The objective of the dissertation is to evaluate the candidate's competence in the area of the Ph.D. research. The dissertation must demonstrate that the research is original and that it makes a significant contribution to the field of study.

A final public oral defense of the dissertation is required. However, none but the members of the dissertation committee may interrogate the candidate. The defense must be held before the deadline published on the Graduate School website (https://grad.miami.edu/), generally at least two weeks prior to the last day of class in the semester the student wishes to graduate. The student must submit the Defense Notice Form (https://grad.miami.edu/policies-and-forms/forms/) available on the Graduate School website (https://grad.miami.edu/) and provide a copy to the Department of Biomedical Engineering.

The candidate is well advised to have a final, acceptable typescript of the dissertation in the hands of each member of his/her committee at a time reasonably in advance of the final defense of the work a minimum of two weeks prior to the defense.

**Dissertation Format and Deadlines**
It is the duty of the student to ensure that the dissertation defense is scheduled and that a final version of the dissertation approved by the Dissertation Editor is submitted to the Dissertation Editor by the required deadlines set by the Graduate School. All information pertaining to the formatting and electronic guidelines for electronic thesis and dissertation submission can be found on the Graduate School website (https://grad.miami.edu/). The Graduate School also encourages students to contact the Dissertation Editor at the Graduate School when they start preparing their dissertation.

Students must inform the Department of Biomedical Engineering of their intent to defend at least 2 weeks in advance of the defense date, by email to the Department staff. The email must include the dissertation title and the date, time and location of the defense. The information will be posted in the Department's physical and online bulletin boards.
Each dissertation must be accompanied by Certificate of Defense Approval for Doctoral Dissertation signed by all members of the Committee. Forms can be downloaded from the Graduate School website (https://www.grad.miami.edu/).

**Evaluation Forms**
The candidate is responsible for distributing dissertation evaluation forms (http://bulletin.miami.edu/graduate-academic-programs/engineering/biomedical-engineering/biomedical-engineering-phd/SACS_Graduate_Rating_Grid_Rubric_2016.pdf) to the members of the Dissertation Committee. The evaluation forms are used to assess the overall quality of the graduate program at the Department, College, and University level. The evaluation forms are available on the Graduate School and Department of Biomedical Engineering websites. The forms must be completed by the Committee members after the dissertation defense. The completed forms must be collected by the Dissertation mentor and forwarded to the Office Manager at the Department of Biomedical Engineering.

**Publication Requirements**
As a requirement for graduation, all PhD Candidates at the University of Miami Department of Biomedical Engineering are expected to have published, or have in press (i.e., the manuscript must have received final acceptance), in high quality peer-reviewed journals, a minimum of 2 publications describing work related to the dissertation. The candidate must be the first author on at least one of these two publications. In addition, the candidate must have been the presenting author of at least 2 oral or poster presentations describing the dissertation work at major peer-reviewed international conferences.

**Teaching Requirements**
Students enrolled in the PhD program in Biomedical Engineering who passed their qualifying examination are required to participate in undergraduate teaching activities. The minimum requirement will be to teach one undergraduate classroom lecture per academic year, under the supervision of the primary or secondary mentor, and/or the faculty responsible for the course and to help supervise at least one undergraduate student research project per academic year. For each classroom lecture, the mentor will provide feedback to the student and complete and sign a teaching evaluation form (http://bulletin.miami.edu/graduate-academic-programs/engineering/biomedical-engineering/biomedical-engineering-phd/Grad_Teaching_Eval.pdf) which must be returned to the Graduate Program Director.

**Suggested Plan of Study**

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Mission
The mission of the Biomedical Engineering Program is to prepare students to become knowledgeable and skilled engineers with an understanding of the ethical and other professional aspects of biomedical engineering. Design skills and an ability to work both independently and as part of a team are emphasized.

Goals
The goal of the PhD program in Biomedical Engineering at the University of Miami is to train students for independent research and innovation in biomedical engineering. The program is designed to prepare graduates for careers in academia, industrial research and development, or government (FDA, US Patent Office).

Student Learning Outcomes
• Advanced ability to apply knowledge in mathematics, science and engineering to formulate and solve relevant biomedical engineering problems and conduct research.
• An ability to communicate the scientific and technical research effectively in writing and oral presentations.
• Ability to conduct independent research and contribute to existing knowledge.

Certificate Program in Medical Physics
Overview
Associated with the Department of Biomedical Engineering's graduate program in Medical Physics, the University of Miami offers a Certificate Program in Medical Physics. The Certificate Program is accredited by CAMPEP (Commission on Accreditation of Medical Physics Educational Programs) and is a non-degree granting program. The objective of this two-semester program is to allow qualified individuals who have obtained PhD degrees in Physics, Engineering or a related field with a physics-minor-equivalent background to transition into a career in medical physics.

*This program is not eligible for federal or state financial aid. Contact the Office of Student Financial Assistance and Employment for further assistance.

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Civil, Architectural and Environmental Engineering

https://cae.coe.miami.edu/index.html

Dept. Code: CAE

Mission Statement
The mission of the Department of Civil, Architectural, and Environmental Engineering is to:

• Provide high-quality undergraduate and graduate education in civil, architectural, and environmental engineering that will prepare graduates for professional careers and a lifetime of learning.
• Conduct high-quality research that will advance the body of knowledge and improve the quality of human life.
• Serve the engineering profession and society through active involvement in professional organizations and contribution of professional expertise.

Disciplines
Civil engineers are leaders in the planning, design, construction, and operation of systems that are essential to modern life. These systems include: buildings, highways, airports, pipelines, bridges, dams, irrigation systems, drainage systems, water-supply and distribution systems, and wastewater collection and treatment works. Civil engineers are employed by government agencies, public utility companies, private consulting firms, construction companies, architectural firms, and universities.

Architectural engineers are leaders in the planning, design, construction, and operation of engineered systems for commercial, industrial, and institutional buildings and other facilities. These engineered systems include electrical, communications and control, lighting, heating, ventilating, air conditioning, fire protection, plumbing, acoustic, and structural components. Architectural engineers are employed by consulting firms, construction companies, facility management companies, HVAC equipment manufacturers, architectural firms, government agencies, and universities.

Environmental engineers are leaders in the application of engineering principles to improve and maintain the environment for the protection of human health, for the protection of nature's beneficial ecosystems, and for environment-related enhancement of the quality of human life. Environmental engineers are employed by government agencies, consulting firms, and universities.

Degree Programs
The Department of Civil, Architectural, and Environmental Engineering offers graduate programs leading to the degrees of:

• Master of Science in Architectural Engineering
• Master of Science in Civil Engineering
• Master of Science in Civil Engineering - Environmental Engineering emphasis
• Doctor of Philosophy in Civil Engineering
• Doctor of Philosophy in Civil Engineering - Architectural Engineering emphasis
• Doctor of Philosophy in Civil Engineering - Environmental Engineering emphasis

The specialty areas of study in Civil Engineering include:

• Structural Engineering and Structural Materials
• Environmental Engineering
• Water-Resources Engineering

The specialty areas of study in Architectural Engineering include:
Admission Requirements

All applicants to the graduate program are required to submit official academic transcripts, GRE scores (optional for some MS programs), and a minimum of three letters of reference. Specific admission criteria are described in this Bulletin under Engineering (p. 2203) - General Admission Requirements.

Applicants who hold a bachelor's degree in a field other than civil, architectural, or environmental engineering may be admitted to the graduate program (and to candidacy, if applicable) upon completion of (a) the regular graduate degree requirements, and (b) 31 undergraduate deficiency credits, which include:

1. Calculus (6 credits)
2. Advanced Mathematics
   - Differential Equations, or other mathematics similar in rigor (3 credits)
   - Probability and Statistics (3 credits)
3. General Chemistry (3 credits)
4. Calculus-based Physics (7 credits)
5. Statics (3 credits)
6. Engineering Science related to area of study (3 credits)
   - Examples of Engineering Science courses include Mechanics of Materials, Fluid Mechanics, Dynamics, and Thermodynamics
7. Engineering Design related to area of study (3 credits)
   - Examples of Engineering Design courses include Concrete Structures, Steel Structures, Water-Resources Engineering I, and Water Quality Control Systems

The deficiency courses listed above apply to students without an earned undergraduate degree in engineering, while the Engineering Science and Engineering Design courses apply to students with an earned undergraduate degree in engineering, but not necessarily in civil, architectural, or environmental engineering.

The list represents the minimum number of required deficiency credits for each subject area. Additional deficiency credits may also be warranted based upon the recommendations of a student's advisor and/or Supervisory Committee. Students should be cognizant that the deficiency course list is not exhaustive and may not necessarily include all pre-requisite courses needed to enroll in their desired graduate-level coursework. A student must still satisfy the pre-requisites of graduate-level courses prior to enrollment. Therefore, ample care should be taken when planning a Program of Study upon matriculation.

Prior Coursework Evaluation: Students may be exempt from individual deficiency courses if they have already completed these deficiency credits at another institution. A student's prior coursework can be evaluated and shall be based upon a student's official transcript. A delegated CAE Faculty member in the student's primary area of study shall determine which, if any, deficiency credits have already been satisfied. Questions regarding the equivalency of coursework (completed at another institution) to its counterpart here at the University of Miami shall be addressed by the relevant department and instructor at the University of Miami.

Prior Work Experience: In rare cases, students may be able to satisfy specific deficiency credits if they can demonstrate a substantive knowledge of the subject area through examination using written/oral assessment and supportive evidence such as peer-reviewed journal articles authored by the student, professional licenses, or other quantifiable experience. An examination of all evidence of experience shall be vetted by the relevant instructor at the University of Miami prior to making a recommendation to the CAE Graduate Program to either waive or require deficiency credits for a specific subject area.

Course Selection and Enrollment: Undergraduate-level deficiency courses at the University of Miami typically range between the 100 and 400 levels. The student shall enroll in the corresponding courses identified in the undergraduate CAE curriculums to satisfy the deficiency credits for Calculus, Advanced Mathematics, Chemistry, Physics, and Statics. To satisfy the deficiency credits for Engineering Science and Engineering Design, the student's advisor and/or Supervisory Committee will select courses on an individual bases. If a student has not yet selected an advisor nor established a Supervisory Committee, the Graduate Program Director shall serve as the student's advisor in the interim. The Graduate Program Director will identify coursework in consultation with a delegated faculty member in the student's area of study.

In accordance with Graduate School Policy, a student in deficiency status may not enroll in supervised research, but is permitted to enroll in graduate-level courses as long as the student has satisfied the course pre-requisites.
Research Opportunities

Civil Engineering: Current research activities include properties of concrete materials, composite structural systems, fiber-reinforced concrete, modeling and simulation of engineering materials, multi-scale modeling of materials, fracture mechanics, structural steel behavior, structural health monitoring, structural repair and rehabilitation.

Architectural Engineering: Current research activities include energy, indoor air quality, heating, ventilating and air conditioning (HVAC), environmentally compatible construction materials and systems, life-cycle building systems integration, and sustainable affordable housing.

Environmental Engineering: Current research activities include development of new physicochemical water and wastewater treatment processes, potable wastewater reuse, solid and hazardous waste management, health and environmental risks analysis, environmental/economic planning for sustainable development, hazardous waste remediation, environmental health studies, water quality studies, ground-water, surface-water, and contaminant-transport processes, hydrologic processed, water resources planning and management, and water policy.

Graduate Academic Standing

A student enrolled in any CAE graduate program is required to make adequate progress towards graduation, maintain a minimum Grade Point Average (GPA), and achieve acceptable course grades.

Throughout their graduate study, a student's graduate academic standing will either be Good Standing, or Probation.

Good Standing: A student's status is considered Good Standing if he/she is:

1. maintaining an overall cumulative GPA greater than or equal to 3.000,
2. achieving a term GPA greater than or equal to 3.000 in every semester,
3. achieving grades of "C" or better in all coursework,
4. complying with the University of Miami’s Honor Code,
5. making adequate progress towards graduation (see below for criteria), and
6. making satisfactory progress towards the completion of a dissertation or thesis (for Ph.D. and thesis-based M.S. students)

To be eligible for graduation, a student must have a GPA greater than or equal to 3.000, and no grade below "C" in all courses in the student’s approved Program of Study. In accordance with university policy, all course grades are included in the GPA, and the Graduate School's Repeat Rule applies to courses with grades lower than "C".

Progress: Failure to make adequate progress towards graduation includes, but is not limited to:

• failure to maintain the GPA requirements or grades specified for Good Standing
• having incomplete grades in more than 30% of the total credit hours registered towards the degree
• withdrawing (with a W grade) from more than 30% of the total credit hours registered towards the degree
• Failure to progress in research needed to complete a dissertation or thesis

It is the student’s responsibility to provide regular updates (at least once per semester) to his/her Advisor and Supervisory Committee members, and inform them of any courses in which they withdrew (with a W grade), received grades of C or below, or received an Incomplete. A student who does not satisfy all of the above requirements (for Good Standing) may be placed on Probation or dismissed from the program.

At the request of a student’s Advisor or Supervisory Committee member, or at the discretion of the Graduate Program Director, the Graduate Program Director can initiate a formal assessment of a student's progress. This assessment may include a joint meeting of the student’s Supervisory Committee, the Graduate Program Director, and the student. The student will be given an opportunity to present his/her case to explain any shortcomings in his/her progress or performance. The Supervisory Committee will place the student in Good Standing, on Probation, or dismiss the student from the program.

Probation: A student who does not meet all of the requirements for being in Good Standing must consult with his/her Advisor and/or Supervisory Committee to review his/her progress and develop a plan to rectify the performance problems. A student will be given one semester (on Probation status) to improve his/her performance and satisfy the requirements of Good Standing. Otherwise, the student will be dismissed from the program.

A student on Probation may not be permitted to enroll in courses, or may be limited to a certain number of credit hours specified by the Supervisory Committee, and may have an electronic hold placed on future enrollment until grades for work-in-progress are reviewed by the student's Supervisory Committee.

Dismissal: The decision to dismiss a student shall be made by the student's Supervisory Committee. If the decision is made not to dismiss, the student may be placed on Probation. A student dismissed from the graduate program can appeal the dismissal through the Graduate Program Director, then the Department Chair, then by following the guidance provided in the Graduate Student Handbook. The initial appeal must be formally submitted in its entirety (including all relevant supporting documents) in writing or by email to the Graduate Program Director within 30 calendar days.
of the dismissal notification. A subsequent appeal to the Department Chair must also be submitted within 30 calendar days of being notified that the initial appeal was denied by the Graduate Program Director.

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**Graduate Course Grouping Convention**

Graduate students may be permitted to enroll in courses offered by any department in the University of Miami. Each course is categorized into one of 8 groups:

1. Group A: 700-level lecture-based CAE Courses in civil, architectural, and environmental engineering
2. Group B: 600-level lecture-based CAE courses in civil, architectural, and environmental engineering
3. Group C: 600- or 700-level CAE courses in Construction Management (CM)
4. Group D: Any pre-approved course in any UM Department at the 600- or 700-level (i.e. XXX 600-799)
5. Group E: CAE Independent Study (Special Problems)
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**Group A**

Description: 700-level lecture-based CAE Courses in civil, architectural, and environmental engineering.

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Course Descriptions

CAE 604. Master's Design Project. 3 Credit Hours.
Course is taken in place of CAE 404 for students accepted to the Bachelor to Master (4+ 1) degree program in the CAE Department. A project elaborating on a topic from the students Senior Design course is the basis of the course. See CAE 403 and CAE 404 for the description of the Senior Design Project.
Prerequisite: CAE 403.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 610. Structural Mechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of stress and deformation of solids. Application to systems in the elastic and inelastic range. Topics include beams of special geometry and support, stress concentrations, stresses in elastic foundations, torsion, energy methods, failure theories, and brittle fracture.
Prerequisite: CAE 211. And CAE 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 611. Advanced Structural Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
General methods of indeterminate analysis. Elements of energy method in indeterminate analysis of axial, flexural torsional, and composite members. Basic flexural and stiffness methods and matrix development are also included.
Prerequisite: CAE 211. And CAE 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 620. Advanced Design of Concrete Structures. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis and design of reinforced concrete elements in the context of the current ACI Building Code; beams subjected to combined loading, flat plates, flat slabs, slender columns, connections, and concrete building systems are included.
Prerequisite: CAE 310. And CAE 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 621. Advanced Design of Steel Structures. 3 Credit Hours.
Steel framing systems, design of members and connections of braced and rigid frames, design for torsion, and design of steel-concrete composite members are discussed.
Prerequisite: CAE 310. And CAE 321.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CAE 622. Design of Prestressed Concrete Structures. 3 Credit Hours.
Materials and systems for prestressing, design of prestressed concrete members for flexure and shear, camber, deflection, and crack control are discussed. Design of continuous beams, compression members, two-way concrete floor systems, and the loss of prestress are also included.
Prerequisite: CAE 310. And CAE 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 623. Design of Masonry Structures. 3 Credit Hours.
Masonry construction. Design of flexural and compression members, bearing walls, shear walls, diaphragms, and connections of masonry structures. Arches, vaults, and buttresses are also included.
Prerequisite: CAE 310. And CAE 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 625. Timber Structural Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Engineering properties of timber, design of tension, compression, and flexural members are covered. The design and detail of connections and hardware, and the design of timber systems and heavy timber construction is also included.
Prerequisite: CAE 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
CAE 630. Water Resources Engineering II. 3 Credit Hours.
Runoff models, routing models, water-quality models, and evapotranspiration models. Design of storm water management systems. Principles of groundwater flow. Design of wells and wellfields for public water supply. Legal regulatory, and economic components of water-resources management systems. Comprehensive design project.
Prerequisite: CAE 430.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CAE 631. Surface-Water Hydrology. 3 Credit Hours.
Rainwater characteristics, abstraction processes, surface-runoff, routing, and water-quality models. Design of stormwater-management systems, evapotranspiration, and regional water-management is also included as well as case studies.
Prerequisite: CAE 430.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 632. Ground-Water Hydrology. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CAE 430.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 633. Water-Quality Control in Natural Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Water quality regulations, fate and transport processes, water-quality control in rivers, lakes, wetlands, oceans, and ground water.
Pre or Corequisite: CAE 430. And CAE 440.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 640. Environmental Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Kinetics, equilibrium, acid-base, oxidation-reduction, and reaction chemistry applied to water and wastewater engineering.
Prerequisite: CHM 112.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 641. Engineering Systems for Disease Control and Bioremediation. 3 Credit Hours.
Classification of microorganisms. Microbial agents of infectious diseases and modes of disease transmission. Control of pathogens through water and waste treatment, food protection, and insect control. Microbial ecology and bioremediation systems. Laboratory exercises in microbiology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CAE 642. Solid and Hazardous Waste Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Solid-waste characteristics, recycling, incineration, hazardous waste characteristics, prevention, and physical and chemical treatment are covered. Design projects are also included.
Prerequisite: CAE 340.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CAE 660. Sustainable Construction. 3 Credit Hours.
Pre or Corequisite: CAE 403. Or CAE 404.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
CAE 661. Computer Aided Architecture Engineering Design. 3 Credit Hours.
The course prepares students to utilize Building Information Modeling (BIM) and Building Performance Analysis (BPA) in a coordinated, integrated
and consistent approach in the Architecture, Engineering and Construction (AEC) Industry. The basics of high-quality 5 dimensional BIM modeling are
covering including 3D modeling of buildings and building components, embedded cost-estimating and the phasing the construction process. Basics of
REVIT Structure and MEP are also covered. BPAC components covered include climate analysis, daylighting, wind and airflow analysis, solar radiation
analysis and whole building energy analysis. Upon completion student can receive a PBA certification from Autodesk.
Requisite: Senior Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CAE 665. Facilities Operation and Management. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Facilities management topics based on core concepts of International Facility Management Association (IFMA) involving management of corporate
needs, health, safety, security, operation and maintenance of physical facilities. This course will focus on development and understanding of
sustainable facilities management responsibilities involving the building envelope, preventative maintenance, system operational efficiencies, data
analytics and intelligent building systems, building security, maintenance staffing, infrastructure utility requirements as well as holistically integrated
assets, people, corporate strategic planning and technology. Additionally development of skills to engage in facilities management functions
which include EPA environmental / waste disposal, fleet management and statutory regulations as well as emergency management planning will be
emphasized.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 669. Construction Management Seminars. 1 Credit Hour.
Seminar series on construction management required for all students in the construction Management MS program. The faculty coordinator will set
up a series of weekly Seminars on topics such as risk management, construction safety, environmental conservation and policy, conflict resolution,
ethics, quality control and construction permitting. Speakers will include leading researchers and specialists from the construction industry. Grades
will be based on reports submitted by the students on the seminar topics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 670. Advanced Foundation Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CAE 470.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 681. Energy-Efficient Building Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Concepts and methods of energy-efficient and environmentally-friendly building design. Topics include energy and sustainable design strategies,
climate, passive and active solar design, passive cooling systems, day lighting, and computer simulation of energy flows in buildings. A quantitative
understanding of energy fundamentals, examples from practice, and design exercises using computer simulation programs are emphasized.
Prerequisite: CAE 481.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 682. Building Energy Modeling and Simulation. 3 Credit Hours.
Modeling and analysis of building energy performance using state-of-art whole building energy simulation programs. Topics include dynamic
simulation of heating and cooling loads in buildings, modeling of building equipment and control system, and integrated simulation of equipment and
building loads.
Pre-Co-requisite: CAE 581.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 690. Special Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Sub-titles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title "Special Topics."
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
CAE 691. Special Topics in Construction Management. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Sub-titles describing the topics to be offered in Construction Management's Special Topics will be shown in parenthesis, in the printed class schedule following the title, "Special Topics.”
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 695. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 702. Finite Element Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
Variational principles and their application to finite element methods. Applications to: plane stress and plane strain, three-dimensional stress analysis, bending of plates, and axi-symmetric shells. Lecture, 3 hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 711. Theory of Elasticity. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 712. Structural Reliability. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic theory and tools of structural reliability including theory of probability, statistical assessments as well as inference and model building. Topics include: review probability theory; descriptive statistics; uncertainty modeling; estimation and model building; structural reliability theory; first and second order reliability methods; Level I methods/code calibration; load combinations; Bayesian decision analysis and reliability updating. Prerequisite: IEN 311.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 714. Structural Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
Elementary structural dynamic analysis covering single degree-of-freedom and multiple degree-of-freedom systems. Topics include: free, damped and forced vibrations; transmissibility and ground motion; arbitrary, step and pulse excitation; numerical evaluation; rigid and flexible bodies; natural frequencies and modes; tuned-mass dampers; responses and spectrum; practical indications as well as an introduction to wind and earthquake engineering. Prerequisite: CAE 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 716. Fracture Mechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory of fracture mechanics for linear elastic and nonlinear material behavior, energy release rate, stress intensity factor, and J-integral with practical application to brittle fracture and fatigue. Case studies involving civil infrastructure such as bridges, buildings, pipelines and ships. Metallurgical aspects of fatigue and fracture.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 730. Environmental Hydrology. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of ecohydrology, agricultural hydrology, impacts of climate change, fundamentals of remote sensing and geographic information systems for hydrologic applications, statistical applications in hydrology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
CAE 735. Water and Wastewater Engineering: Treatment and Reuse. 3 Credit Hours.
Physical treatment processes; Chemical unit processes; Advanced biological treatment processes; Sludge treatment and disposal; Industrial water supply and wastewater treatment; Membrane systems for wastewater treatment and case studies; Advanced wastewater treatment and reuse; Environmental nanotechnology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CAE 743. Risk Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 744. Risk Management and Resilience. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 761. Building Information Modeling II. 3 Credit Hours.
The course prepares students to utilize the predictive capabilities Building Information Modeling (BIM) technology in the Architecture, Engineering, and Construction (AEC) Industry. Continuing from the fundamental lessons of CAE 361 BIM I, this course prepares students for in depth modeling of engineering systems within AEC projects. Modeling of Structural, Mechanical, Electrical and Plumbing systems will be covered. Using the BIM of these systems to predict the system performance will be covered in the form of analytical modeling and detailed energy modeling.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 762. Construction Project Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide a practical background and working knowledge of how Construction Projects are developed and managed through professional Program Management. Elements consisting of Program Organization, Program and Project conception, Project planning, Scoping, effective project communication strategies, budgeting, scheduling, controls, resource and cost management and behaviors of the Program Manager to lead. The Project Management Body of Knowledge (PM BoK) guide relating to scope, time, cost, quality and other knowledge areas for planning and control of projects throughout their entire lifecycle. This course will also explore various applications that use construction project management software such as Primavera, eBuilder, etc. as interactive platform tools. Key leadership skills and managerial styles needed to effectively build, manage, and lead a successful project team.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CAE 765. Construction Accounting and Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will investigate the theory and practice of financing large projects. Insights into the logic of capital structure decisions – the mix of debt and equity, the choices among debt alternatives, private/public partnerships - will require an understanding of financial theory and an investigation of the relevant literature will be conducted. Accounting techniques will be reviewed that will provide students with a toolset for performing financial analyses in the construction industry. Finally, case projects will be evaluated by the class and decisions made regarding project viability using the tools presented during the course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
CAE 766. Forensic Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
OBJECTIVE OF THE COURSE IS TO INTRODUCE STUDENTS INTO THE FIELD OF FORENSIC ENGINEERING. THIS COURSE IS DESIGNED TO PROVIDE BACKGROUND AND WORKING KNOWLEDGE OF HOW FORENSIC ENGINEERING PROJECTS ARE INITIATED AND MANAGED FROM THE ENGINEER'S AND ATTORNEY'S PERSPECTIVES. VARIOUS ELEMENTS REQUIRED IN A FORENSIC INVESTIGATION PROJECT FROM CONDITION ASSESSMENT TO EXPERT REPORT PREPARATION AND EXPERT TESTIMONY WILL BE COVERED. THE ROLE OF THE FORENSIC ENGINEERING EXPERT WILL BE EXPLAINED FROM THE VIEW OF THE ENGINEER AND FROM THE ATTORNEY. BY ENGAGING STUDENT IN THE GROUP PROJECT ASSIGNMENT, IN WHICH HE/SHE IS DEALING WITH THE REAL-LIFE EXAMPLES (DEFECTS), AND BY PARTICIPATING IN A MOCK MEDIATION AND DEPOSITION/TRIAL BY THE END OF THIS COURSE STUDENT WILL BE EQUIPPED WITH KNOWLEDGE ALLOWING HER/HIM TO BETTER DEAL WITH A REAL LIFE SITUATIONS.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CAE 769. Construction Management Capstone Course. 3 Credit Hours.
The Construction Management Capstone Project is taken during the final semester of study in the MS in construction management program. It is designed to reinforce the knowledge and skills acquired during the program of study via a simulated construction project. The faculty coordinator will pair student teams with industry partners who will guide them through the steps in planning, coordination and execution of a building project. The course will provide students experience in the use of various project management tools in a virtual setting. Site visits and interaction with the project members will also provide experience in solving complex and strategic issues that often arise on actual construction projects. A comprehensive project report will be due at the end of semester which will be graded by the faculty coordinator in consultation with the industry partners.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CAE 780. Indoor Environmental Modeling. 3 Credit Hours.
Prediction of indoor environment using computational fluid dynamics techniques. Advanced topics in thermal comfort and indoor air quality. Basic concepts of turbulence modeling and numerical methods for natural, forced, and mixed convection and jet flows indoors. Simulation of air velocity, temperature, and contaminant concentrations in buildings. Comparison of the simulated results with measured data.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 781. Advanced Building Energy Modeling and Simulation. 3 Credit Hours.
Equation-based object-oriented building energy modeling. Coupling of different building simulation tools. Applications in rapid prototyping of new building systems, model-based design and evaluation of building control, and building performance evaluation.
Prerequisite: CAE 582. Or CAE 682.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CAE 790. Advanced Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Subject matter offerings based upon student demand and availability of faculty. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title “Advanced Topics”.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 791. Advanced Topics in Construction Management. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Sub-titles describing the topics to be offered in Construction Management’s Special Topics will be shown in parenthesis, in the printed class schedule following the title, “Special Topics.”
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 795. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Research and/or design projects. Individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
CAE 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.  
The student working on his/her Master's thesis enrolls for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.  
Components: THI.  
Grading: SUS.  
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.  

CAE 820. Research in Residence. 1-6 Credit Hours.  
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the Master’s degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in CAE 810. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence.  
Components: THI.  
Grading: SUS.  
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.  

CAE 825. Continuous Registration--Master's Study. 1 Credit Hour.  
To establish residence for non-thesis master’s students who are preparing for major examinations. Credit not granted. Regarded as full-time residence.  
Components: THI.  
Grading: SUS.  
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.  

CAE 830. Pre-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.  
Doctoral dissertation credits taken prior to the Ph.D. student’s candidacy. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Not more than 12 credit hours of CAE 830 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than 6 credit hours in a summer session.  
Components: THI.  
Grading: SUS.  
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.  

CAE 840. Post-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.  
Doctoral dissertation credits taken after the Ph.D. student has been admitted to candidacy. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Not more than 12 credit hours in CAE 840 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than 6 credits in a summer session.  
Components: THI.  
Grading: SUS.  
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.  

CAE 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.  
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D. after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.  
Components: THI.  
Grading: SUS.  
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.  

B.S./M.S. in Civil Engineering  

Admission Requirements  
Undergraduate students of the department having a GPA of 3.0 or better are encouraged to apply to the 5-year BS/MS program during their junior year. Applicants are required to submit official transcripts, official GRE scores, and three letters of recommendation. Admission criteria are described under Colleges of Engineering – Graduate Admission Requirements.  

Graduation  
Requirements for graduation are:  

- Minimum of 30 graduate-level credits with a GPA of at least 3.0, and no grade lower than C  

Of the 30 graduate-level credits:  

- At least 24 credits of lecture-based courses  
- At least 15 credits in CAE  
- At least 12 credits of courses at the 700 level  
- At least 6 credits of lecture-based CAE courses at the 700 level (not Independent Study / Special Problems)  
- Up to 6 credits can be Independent Study (Special Problems and/or Master’s Design Project)  

Thesis research (CAE 810) will not count towards the degree. CAE 665 - 669 and CAE 765 - 769 shall not count towards the degree.
Transfer of credits from other institutions

- A total of 6 credits of transfer and/or exchange coursework not counted towards the student’s BS may be taken at another institution and used to satisfy requirements for the M.S. The number of eligible credits for transfer is 9, when pre-approved coursework is taken as part of a semester abroad experience.

Curriculum

The program of study is tailored to the student’s background and goals by their advisor, and must be approved as constituting an MS in Civil or Architectural Engineering by the student’s Program of Study Committee. The committee comprises a minimum of 3 members, as follows:

- The CAE Committee Chair (Advisor) shall be a full-time faculty member from the CAE Department, one member must be from outside the Department and hold a Ph.D., and one member other than the CAE Committee Chair (Advisor) must be either a full-time or part-time member of the Department; and
- In addition to the Committee Chair, at least one of the members must be tenured/tenure-earning, or a member of the Graduate Faculty.

M.S. in Architectural Engineering

Overview

The Department of Civil, Architectural, and Environmental Engineering (CAE) offers a Master of Science degree in Architectural Engineering (MSAE).

The educational objectives of the Master of Science program in Architectural Engineering are to produce graduates whom:

1. Have advanced technical knowledge in at least one specialty area of Architectural Engineering
2. Have advanced capability to apply knowledge to engineering problems

The degree program has the following options:

- Thesis option
- Non-Thesis option
- 5-Year B.S./M.S. option available for qualified undergraduate students enrolled within the CAE Department

For all options, a minimum of 30 graduate-level credits are required with an average of "B" or better and no grade below "C". A total of 6 credits of transfer and/or exchange coursework (not counted towards the B.S. degree, and with grades of "B" or above) may be taken at another institution (with pre-approval) to satisfy the requirements for the M.S. degree. The M.S. degree can be typically completed within one calendar year.

The Program of Study is the student's specific set of coursework that defines the course requirements for graduation and must be approved by an advisory committee (known as the Supervisory Committee).

Curriculum Requirements - Thesis Option

A minimum of 30 graduate-level credits are required with an average of "B" or better and no grade below "C". Of the 30 credits:

- At least 24 credits of lecture-based courses
- At least 15 credits in CAE courses
- At least 6 credits of lecture-based CAE courses at the 700 level (not Independent Study)
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3. Master's Design Project (CAE 604) will not count towards the degree requirements

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Additional Details

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In addition to the Committee Chair, at least one member must be tenured/tenure-earning or a member of the Graduate Faculty.

Mission

The mission of the Department of Civil, Architectural, and Environmental Engineering is to:

• Provide high-quality undergraduate and graduate education in civil, architectural, and environmental engineering that will prepare graduates for professional careers and a lifetime of learning;
• Conduct high-quality research that will advance the body of knowledge and improve the quality of human life; and
• Serve the engineering profession and society through active involvement in professional organizations and contribution of professional expertise.

Goals

The educational objectives of the M.S. program in Architectural Engineering are to produce graduates whom:

• Have advanced technical knowledge in at least one specialty area of architectural engineering; and
• Have advanced capability to apply knowledge to engineering problems.
Student Learning Outcomes
- Students will demonstrate an advanced knowledge of the discipline (mathematics, science, and engineering), including methodology relevant to a specialty area.
- Students will demonstrate an advanced ability to identify, formulate, and solve engineering problems.
- Students will demonstrate an advanced ability to generate technical contributions and effectively communicate them to the scientific community.

M.S. in Civil Engineering
Overview
The Department of Civil, Architectural, and Environmental Engineering (CAE) offers a Master of Science degree in Civil Engineering (MSCE) with three areas of specialty:
- Structural Engineering and Structural Materials
- Environmental Engineering
- Water-Resources Engineering

The educational objectives of the Master of Science program in Civil Engineering are to produce graduates whom:

1. Have advanced technical knowledge in at least one specialty area of civil engineering
2. Have advanced capability to apply knowledge to engineering problems.

In each of the specialty areas, several options are available:
- Thesis option
- Non-Thesis option
- 5-Year B.S./M.S. option available for qualified undergraduate students enrolled within the CAE Department
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For all options, a minimum of 30 graduate-level credits are required with an average of "B" or better and no grade below "C". A total of 6 credits of transfer and/or exchange coursework (not counted towards the B.S. degree, and with grades of "B" or above) may be taken at another institution (with pre-approval) to satisfy the requirements of the M.S. degree. The M.S. degree can be typically completed within one calendar year.

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Mission
The mission of the Department of Civil, Architectural, and Environmental Engineering is to:
Goals

The educational objectives of the M.S. program in Civil Engineering are to produce graduates who:

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M.S. in Construction Management

Situational Background

The U.S. Census Bureau puts the total annual value of construction in the United States at approximately $900 billion (8% of the U.S. gross national product), making the construction industry one of the most important sectors of the nation’s economy.

The University of Miami’s MS in Construction Management program is a practice-oriented advanced graduate degree that offers a blend of construction and business management courses. This degree program is designed to develop leaders and managers for complex building projects, with mastery in best practices related to resiliency, sustainability, building information modeling, project delivery and decision-making. The University is uniquely situated in a booming metropolis where commercial and residential construction is a large and important industry.

The Construction Management Program

• Offers an interdisciplinary approach with the participation of other graduate programs at the University of Miami.
• Prepares graduates for a variety of employment opportunities. Potential employers include general contractors, real estate developers, subcontractors, construction management firms and architectural engineering firms.

Objective

The MS in Construction Management provides a foundation for those who want to effectively lead a construction project or business.

Who Is the MS Program For?

The program is open to both entry-level graduate students who want to pursue a career in construction management and professionals who have responsibilities in engineering, architecture, business and law fields, and want to further their knowledge and skills.

Industry Advisory Board

One of the differentiators of the MS program is that it is informed by an industrial advisory board with significant experience in construction management. The advisory board currently consists of:

• Henry E. Adams, Kiewit Corporation
• Rodney Barreto, Floridian Partners, LLC; Chairman - Fish & Wildlife Foundation of Florida
• Scott Desharnais, Moss Construction
• Kobi Karp, Kobi Karp Architecture and Interior Design
• Thomas Koulouris, AECOM / Jackson Health Systems
• Ana Veiga Milton, President of Jose Milton Foundation
• John L. Murphy, DLA Piper LLP (US)
• Ari Pearl, South Florida Developer
• Jaime S. Saavedra, Turner Construction
• Victor Sanchez, Goldman Properties
Description

Graduates of the program obtain the technical proficiency, financial knowledge, entrepreneurial skills, and business acumen needed for success in this continuously evolving industry.

Graduates of the program will learn how to integrate multiple professional requirements for bringing construction projects to successful completion, including estimating, cost control, risk, new technologies, project planning, scheduling, negotiation and labor relations. Coursework also examines how to manage the various types of contractual relationships governing the owner, the contractor, subcontractors, consultants and architects, as well as the essential skills of bidding, negotiating, handling disputes and claims, devising and implementing strategic business plans, and leadership.

Through consultations with industry leaders, advisory board members, faculty members, and colleagues in the construction industry, the curriculum for the University of Miami’s MS-CM is continually evaluated against current best practices and the highest standards. Participants have immediate access to knowledge and skills that address current issues and developments in the industry.

The current director of this program is Dr. Esber Andiroglu. (http://www.coe.miami.edu/faculty-directory/name/esber-andiroglu/)

Admission Requirements

All students applying to the graduate program are required to submit GRE scores and three letters of recommendation. All students applying for admission, but most especially International students should consult the College of Engineering Admissions webpages for Prospective MS Students (https://www.umcoe.miami.edu/apply/prospective-ms-students/) or PhD Students (https://www.umcoe.miami.edu/apply/prospective-phd-students/).

Students who hold a bachelor’s degree in a field other than civil, architectural, and environmental engineering may be admitted to the graduate program upon completion of appropriate deficiency courses, in addition to the regular requirements for the graduate degree.

Deficiency courses are as follows:

1. Calculus, 10 semester credits
2. Advanced Mathematics, 6 semester credits
3. General Chemistry, 4 semester credits
4. Physics (with Calculus), 8 semester credits
5. Engineering Mechanics (Statics), 3 semester credits
6. Engineering Science related to area of study, 3 semester credits
7. Engineering Design related to area of study, 6 semester credits

In general, items 1 through 7 apply to students without an undergraduate degree in engineering, and items 6 and 7 apply to students with an undergraduate degree in engineering. The student’s graduate committee will select courses for items 6 and 7 on an individual basis.

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1. For Students who have not taken CAE 762 or IEN 763 during Fall Semester
2. Not required if enrolled in RED 670 during Spring Semester

**Mission**

The vision of the MS CM program is to provide an interdisciplinary, flexible and state-of-the-art curriculum that provides students with knowledge and marketable skills to become future leaders of construction related organizations worldwide, by utilizing existing infrastructure resources at University of Miami, with program-generated additional resources as necessary.

**Goals**

Graduates of the program obtain the technical proficiency, financial knowledge, entrepreneurial skills, and business acumen needed for success in this continuously evolving industry.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Students will develop technical professional proficiency
- Students will acquire financial knowledge
- Students will develop entrepreneurial skills

**Dual M.S. in Civil Engineering with the University of Bologna**

The Department of Civil, Architectural, and Environmental Engineering (CAE) at the University of Miami (UM) has partnered with the University of Bologna (UNIBO) in Italy to offer a dual Master of Science degree program in Civil Engineering (Dual MSCE). Each dual degree program is structured in four semesters and consists of courses and research with two semesters to be completed at UM, and two semesters to be completed abroad at UNIBO. The degrees conferred by each institution are as follows:

**Dual Degree Program Area of Emphasis**

- **Civil Engineering**
- **Environmental Engineering**

**Academic Degree Obtained at UNIBO**

- **Laurea Magistrale in Civil Engineering (Classe LM) - Taught in English**
  - Laurea Magistrale in Ingegneria per l'Ambiente ed il Territorio (Classe LM 35) - “Earth Resources Engineering” International Curriculum taught in English

**Academic Degree Obtained at UM**

- **MS in Civil Engineering (Environmental Emphasis)**

Upon Completion of the Dual Degree Program requirements, the students will be awarded two separate and distinct Master’s of Science degrees.

This program is open to students who are admitted to the graduate program at the end of their junior year as part of the 4+1 (BS + MS) program. Students applying for this program must have a minimum grade point average of 3.0, and score more than 300 on the Graduate Record Examination (GRE).
Once enrolled in the 4+1 (BS+MS) program, students are eligible to apply to the dual MS degree program. The five-year program leading to a B.S. and dual M.S. degrees (BS/2MS) can be completed in 10 semesters as long as the student makes satisfactory progress.

Admission to the 4+1 (BS+MS) program and the BS + dual M.S. program is conducted through the College of Engineering Admissions Office. Any student interested in applying should contact the Director of Admissions in the College of Engineering and their academic advisor in the CAE Department. Both should conduct an overview and feasibility study based on the student's current program of study, and discuss the application requirements and timeline.

The curriculum for the dual M.S. degree program consists of courses that are required for the MS-UM degree, courses for the MS-UNIBO degree, and common courses shared between the programs. In general, students will enroll in the following program of study during their 4th year (Senior Year), and 5th year (at UNIBO). The table is shown in UM credit equivalents:

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Students shall submit an individual Program of Study to select courses as part of the program. The individual study program must be approved by both institution's Academic Coordinators. A thesis is required as part of the program and will be completed at UNIBO while working with an advisor at UM. Students must defend their Master's Thesis according to the rules and modalities of UNIBO to obtain the Laurea Magistrale degree.

Program credits are reported using two systems: the European Credit Transfer System (ECTS) and the United States College Credit System (US). The transfer rate between the systems is 2 ECTS credits = 1 US credit. The credit requirements for each MS program are based on the transfer credits between the institutions.

Any deviation from the designated course lists requires pre-approval by the student's UM supervisory committee, the UM CAE Graduate Program Director, and the UNIBO Academic Advisor prior to course registration.
5 YEAR BS/DUAL MS
COURSE SCHEDULE FOR CIVIL ENGINEERING

4TH Year (Senior Year at UM): All courses in Table A (24 U.S., 48 ECTS) + 2 courses in Table B (6 U.S., 12 ECTS)

5th Year (at UNIBO): The remaining courses in Tables B and C (24 U.S., 48 ECTS) + Civil Engineering Research (6 U.S., 12 ECTS) + CAE 795: Special Problems (4 U.S., 8 ECTS). Courses in Table C consist of Curriculum courses and Elective courses which can be chosen by the student, depending on the study area they are interested. They are shown in Tables E, F, and G.

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**Sustainability in Construction**\(^{ECTS}\) 6

**Biotechnology for the Sustainable Reclamation of Contaminated Lands and Waters**\(^{ECTS}\) 6

**COURSE SCHEDULE FOR ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING**

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Each Student is required to complete a Program of Study and have it approved by their Supervisory Committee and the Graduate Program Director prior to entering the program.

Internships, Practical Training, Workshops, or other types of practicum are neither required nor optional credit-earning components in the established graduate curriculum (Program of Study). Credit earned through these experiences (such as UMI 605 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?search=umi+605)) will not count towards any CAE degree requirements. CAE 665 - 669 and CAE 765 - 769 shall not count towards the degree.

The Supervisory Committee at the University of Miami must have a minimum of 3 members, including:

1. Committee Chair (Advisor) shall be full-time CAE Faculty and a member of the Graduate Faculty
2. Full-time or Part-time CAE Faculty
3. Non-CAE member with an earned Ph.D.

In addition to the Committee Chair, at least one member must be tenured/tenure-earning or a member of the Graduate Faculty.

**Ph.D. in Civil Engineering**

**Overview**

The Department of Civil, Architectural, and Environmental Engineering (CAE) offers a Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) degree in Civil Engineering with the following areas of emphasis:

- Civil Engineering
- Architectural Engineering
- Environmental Engineering

The educational objectives of the Doctor of Philosophy program in Civil Engineering are to produce graduates whom:

1. Have advanced technical knowledge in at least one specialty area of civil engineering
2. Have advanced capability to apply advanced knowledge to engineering problems
3. Have made significant contributions in at least one specialty area of civil engineering

The specialty areas of study for the Ph.D. include:

- Structural Engineering and Structural Materials
- Environmental Engineering
- Water Resources Engineering
- Integrated Building Systems
- Mechanical, Electrical, and Plumbing (MEP) Systems

For students who already have an earned Master of Science (in either civil, architectural, or environmental engineering, or a closely related engineering field), 30 graduate-level credits are required beyond the M.S. degree. For students who do not have an M.S. (in civil, architectural, or environmental engineering, or a closely related engineering field), a minimum of 60 graduate-level credits are required beyond the B.S. degree. All students are required to engage in supervised research and defend a dissertation.
The Program of Study is the student’s specific set of coursework that defines the course requirements for graduation and must be approved by an advisory committee (known as the Supervisory Committee). Depending on whether the student already has an earned M.S. degree, the Ph.D. degree can typically be completed within two to five years.

**Curriculum Requirements**

**For a Ph.D. following an M.S.**

For students who already have an earned M.S. (in civil, architectural, or environmental engineering), a minimum of 30 graduate-level credits are required beyond the B.S. degree with an average of "B" or better and no grade below a "C". Of the credits:

- At least 18 credits in CAE
- At least 18 credits of lecture-based and/or Independent Study courses
- At least 6 credits of lecture-based CAE courses at the 700 level (not Independent Study)
- 12 credits of Doctoral Dissertation (CAE 830 and/or CAE 840)
- A total of 6 credits of transfer and/or exchange coursework (not counted towards the B.S. or M.S. degrees) may be taken at another institution and used to satisfy the requirements for the Ph.D. degree.

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Note: All courses, except Dissertation, are 3 credit hours unless otherwise indicated. Refer to the Additional Details section (below) for additional options and restrictions.

**For a Ph.D. without prior M.S.**

For students who do not have an M.S. (in civil, architectural, or environmental engineering), a minimum of 60 graduate-level credits are required beyond the B.S. degree with an average of "B" or better and no grade below "C". Of the 60 credits:

- At least 42 credits of lecture-based and/or Independent Study courses
- At least 12 credits of lecture-based CAE courses at the 700 level (not Independent Study)
- At least 30 credits in CAE
- 18 credits of Doctoral Dissertation (CAE 830 and/or CAE 840)
- A total of 12 credits of transfer and/or exchange coursework (not counted towards the B.S. or M.S. degrees) may be taken at another institution and used to satisfy the requirements for the Ph.D. degree.

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**Qualifying Examination**

A Ph.D. student must pass a Qualifying Examination, generally taken at the end of the first year of study, before being allowed to defend a dissertation proposal. The examination, administered by the student’s Supervisory Committee, must consist of a written component, and may also include an oral component if deemed appropriate by the Supervisory Committee. Three outcomes of the examination are possible: Pass, Fail, and Fail with option to re-take once. For students retaking the exam, the Committee will determine a suitable time frame, but not to exceed 6 months.
Dissertation Proposal Defense
Subsequent to passage of the Qualifying Examination, the student can defend his/her Dissertation Proposal to their Dissertation Committee, which is typically the same as the student’s Supervisory Committee or, if not, has makeup equivalent to the Supervisory Committee. All Committee members must approve the Proposal.

Admission to Candidacy
Admission of the student to Candidacy is subject to passage of the Qualifying Examination and passage of the oral Dissertation Proposal Defense.

Dissertation Defense
The Ph.D. thesis must be defended to, approved by, and signed by the student’s Dissertation Committee, which is typically the same as the student’s Supervisory Committee or, if not, has a composition that is equivalent to the Supervisory Committee.

Additional Details
- Master’s Design Project (CAE 604) will not count towards the Ph.D. degree requirements.
- Internships, Practical Training, workshops, or other types of practicum are neither required nor optional credit-earning components in the established graduate curriculum (Program of Study). Credit earned through these experiences (such as UMI 605) will not count towards any CAE degree requirements. Courses CAE 665 - 669 and CAE 765 - 769 shall not count towards the degree.
- At a minimum, a qualifying exam and a final public oral examination in defense of the thesis are required.
- The Supervisory Committee (and Dissertation Committee) must have a minimum of 4 members, including:
  1. Committee Chair (Advisor) shall be full-time CAE faculty and a member of the Graduate Faculty.
  2. CAE faculty and a member of the Graduate Faculty
  3. CAE faculty and a member of the Graduate Faculty
  4. Non-CAE member with an earned Ph.D.

Mission
The mission of the Department of Civil, Architectural, and Environmental Engineering is to:
- Provide high-quality undergraduate and graduate education in civil, architectural, and environmental engineering that will prepare graduates for professional careers and a lifetime of learning;
- Conduct high-quality research that will advance the body of knowledge and improve the quality of human life; and
- Serve the engineering profession and society through active involvement in professional organizations and contribution of professional expertise.

Goals
The educational objectives of the Ph.D. program are to produce graduates whom:
- Have advanced technical knowledge in at least one specialty area of civil engineering;
- Have advanced capability to apply advanced knowledge to engineering problems; and
- Have made significant contributions in at least one specialty area of civil engineering.

[Specialty areas include structural, environmental, water-resources, and architectural engineering.]

Student Learning Outcomes
- Students will demonstrate an advanced knowledge of the discipline (mathematics, science, and engineering), including methodology relevant to a specialty area.
- Students will demonstrate an advanced ability to identify, formulate, and solve engineering problems to carry out supervised research.
- Students will demonstrate an advanced ability to generate technical contributions and effectively communicate them to the scientific community.

Electrical and Computer Engineering
https://ece.coe.miami.edu/
The Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering offers graduate programs leading to the degrees of Master of Science (thesis or non-thesis option) and Doctor of Philosophy in Electrical and Computer Engineering. Five-year BS and MS dual degree programs are available for qualified undergraduate students enrolled within the Department.

Current research interests of the faculty include:
• Statistical signal processing.
• Image and video processing, pattern recognition, computer vision, automation of visual tasks.
• Machine learning and big data analytics.
• Bioinformatics, computational biology, and genomics.
• Nano-photonics, plasmonics, micro/nano-electronic devices, nano-materials and structures.
• Fusion and learning in networks.
• Data mining, multimedia information systems, multimedia networking and security.
• Intelligent sensor microchips and MEMS, BioMEMS, implantable medical devices, VLSI, ASICS, system-on-a-chip, FPGAs.
• Integrated optics, holography, lithography, spectral imaging, optical coherence tomography.
• Game theory, multi-agent systems.

Master of Science in Electrical and Computer Engineering (MSECE)
Must complete either a thesis option (consisting 24 course credits + 06 thesis credits) or a non-thesis option (30 course credits). Thesis option requirements include the submission and oral defense of a thesis supervised by a Research Supervisor.

Doctor of Philosophy (PhD)
Must complete 30 credits (18 course credits + 12 dissertation credits). Requirements include successful completion of a Qualifying Examination, an oral defense of a research proposal, and submission and oral defense of a dissertation supervised by a Research Supervisor.

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ECE 600. Engineering Analytical Techniques. 3 Credit Hours.
Complex variables, analytic functions, power series, residue theorem, conformal mappings, series solution, Bessel functions, Legendre polynomials. singular value decomposition, vector, and matrix norms are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 602. Engineering Acoustics. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to basic principles of acoustics, methods of sound measurement, physiological, psychological acoustics, the acoustics of the major classes of musical instruments and speech, fundamentals of transducers, architectural acoustics, and the effects and control of noise are covered. Prerequisite: ECE 336.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 603. Laser Communications. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of optics, optical fibers, electro-optics, light wave propagation in free space and anisotropic media, and waveguides are discussed. Communication devices including lasers, detectors, electro-optic modulators, optical fiber communication links are covered. The course includes seven hands-on experiments. Prerequisite: PHY 222 and PHY 223 and ECE 301 or equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ECE 604. Fundamentals of Optical Imaging. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to optical imaging, optical coherence tomography imaging, fiber endoscope imaging, and spectral imaging. Learn grating diffraction, interferometer, and optical spectrometer. The course includes ten hands-on experiments. Gain system level understanding of optical coherence tomography and spectral imaging.
Prerequisites: ECE 301 or BME 545.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 605. Semiconductor Photonic Devices. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of semiconductor electronics: energy bands of semiconductors; Fermi level; carrier distribution and transport mechanisms. Application of semiconductor theory to various junction and field effect devices.
Prerequisite: ECE 302, 306, 405.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 606. Microfabrication. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of operation, properties and applications of semiconductor devices, junction, metal-semiconductor, metal-oxide-semiconductor, optoelectronic, bulk-effect, and charge-coupled are covered
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 632. VLSI Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of MOS Technology in VLSI. System data, control flow, structures, design, layout, maskmaking, fabrication, packaging, and testing of VLSI chips are discussed. Highly concurrent Very Large Scale Integration computational systems are also covered. * For students who are taking it as ECE 632 there will be a separate advanced final project that will include the use of all digital circuit library that will be developed in the lab exercises and in addition include an analog component to achieve a mixed signal system integration. This will require additional research study as well as comprehension of more advanced topics in VLSI. Supplemental material and additional project instruction will be delivered in the lab.
Prerequisite: ECE 202. Or ECE 305. And ECE 211. Or ECE 304.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 633. Random Signals and Noise. 3 Credit Hours.
Probability models, Bayes’ theorem, Limit theorems of Laplace and Poisson, functions of random variables, Central limit theorem, conditional expectation and estimation, Stochastic processes, stationarity and ergodicity, cross-spectral analysis, filtering, and prediction are discussed.
Prerequisite: ECE 310. Or IEN 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 634. Communication Networks. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of digital communications, Local Area Networks (LANs), Wide Area Networks(WANs), Open systems Intercommunication (OSI), Internet reference models, internet architecture and protocols, packet switching a3nd routing, and network performance are discussed. * For students who are taking it as ECE 634 there will be a separate requirement.
Prerequisite: ECE 212. Or ECE 312. And ECE 310. Or IEN 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 636. Adaptive Filters and Signal Processing. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics include linear models and estimation, orthogonality principle, Wiener filters, stochastic gradient methods, LMS and RLS algorithms, mean square error and tracking performance and applications.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 637. Principles of Artificial Intelligence. 3 Credit Hours.
Search techniques, game trees, use of heuristics, logic, representation of knowledge, algorithms for automated reasoning including automated reasoning under imperfect information, some advanced approaches to AI-Problems such as planning.
Prerequisite: ECE 218.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ECE 638. Introduction to Digital Image Processing. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: ECE 206. Or ECE 307. And MTH 210.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 639. Digital Communications. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles for the analysis and design of digital communications systems. Nyquist sampling, signal space representation, digital modulation techniques and optimal receiver design, ISI channels, error control coding, convolutional codes, Viterbi decoder, and wireless applications.
Prerequisite: ECE 404.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ECE 640. Digital Speech and Audio Processing. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to human speech production, hearing, and perception. Digital speech and audio signal analysis in time and frequency, speech and audio coding, speech synthesis and recognition, language modeling, design of systems for human-machine interaction are also covered.
Prerequisite: ECE 336.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 642. MEMS: Sensors and Electronics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce the fundamentals of Microelectromechanical Systems (MEMS). An introductory foundation of MEMS concepts will be established through lectures on sensors, actuators, readout electronics, and noise. Physical principles of electromechanical, piezoresistive, capacitive, and piezoelectric sensing will be introduced. Based on these design and analysis principles the course will focus on commercial applications such as accelerometers, biochemical sensors, RF components, microfluidics, and optical devices. Sensor electronics will be discussed with a focus on integration with Complementary Metal Oxide Semiconductor (CMOS) technology.
Prerequisite: Permission of Instructor OR ECE 532.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 643. BioNanotechnology. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction on the fundamentals of nanotechnology with a focus on Biomedical Applications. A foundation of nanotechnology concepts will be established through lectures on nanometrology with quantum physics basics, nano manufacturing tools, physical, chemical properties of nanomaterials. Application of these principles in electronics, magnetics, mechanics and optics will be discussed. Use of these nanoengineering principles and concepts to focus on biomedical technology applications such as biosensors, biomaterials, biomimetics and therapeutics
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 646. Reliable Digital System Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics include descriptive technique for digital systems, synchronizer failure and metastability estimation, design for testability, and estimating digital system reliability. Computer-Aided Engineering (CAE) tools are also covered. Not open to students with credit in ECE 454. Offered only for Graduate students.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 648. Machine Learning. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of intelligent system design and strategies of learning capability simulation. Selected case studies of learning systems for engineering applications are included.
Prerequisite: ECE 218. Or MTH 309.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 653. Neural Networks. 3 Credit Hours.
Artificial neural network algorithms and structures, learning process, perceptron, least-mean-square algorithms, multilayer perceptron, error back-propagation, radial-basis function networks, the Hopfield network, and self-organizing systems are discussed.
Prerequisite: ECE 218. Or MTH 309.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ECE 662. Wireless and Cellular Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
Wireless Channel Characterization: path loss, shadowing, fading, frequency-selective channels, Doppler spread, and delay spread. Diversity techniques: frequency, time and space diversity. Multiple Antenna Systems: space-time coding, beamforming and layered space-time system. Digital Modulation: adaptive modulations and Orthogonal Frequency Division Multiplexing (OFDM). Cellular Concept: frequency reuse, co-channel interference and handoff. Multiple Access Methods: Frequency Division Multiple Access (FDMA), Time Division Multiple Access (TDMA), Code Division Multiple Access (CDMA) and random access. CDMA: spreading codes, RAKE receiver, multiuser detection and power control.
Prerequisite: ECE 404.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 664. Wireless Networks. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction of wireless channels and network. Introduction of medium access control: Frequency Division Multiple Access (FDMA), Time Division Multiple Access (TDMA), Code Division Multiple Access (CDMA) and Carrier Sense Multiple Access. Wireless data networks. IEEE 802.11 (Wi-Fi), IEEE 802.16 (WiMax) and Bluetooth. Wireless network layer: mobile IP and mobile ad-hoc networks. Wireless transport layer: mobile TCP. Wireless Cellular systems: network structure and call processing of GSM and CDMA systems.
Pre or Corequisite: ECE 634.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 672. Object-Oriented and Distributed Database Management Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 673. Information Assurance. 3 Credit Hours.
Assurance as the basis for believing an information system will behave as expected. Security design fundamentals that help create systems that are fit for their purpose and worthy of being trusted. The concepts of information assurance fundamentals. Vulnerabilities and Risk Management assessment. Security Life-Cycle, Mechanisms, Frameworks and Emerging Threats.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 674. Agent Technology. 3 Credit Hours.
Agent definition and applications, agent modeling, theories, agent representation using KIF (Knowledge Interchange Format), agent behavior, ethical and emotional agents, agent communication languages (KQML (Knowledge Query and Manipulation Language)), agent development environments and tools, agent systems (cooperative agents, interface agents, information agent, learning agents, believable agents, agents for workgroups, mobile agents), and agent case studies are covered.
Prerequisite: ECE 537 Or ECE 637.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 675. Digital Forensics. 3 Credit Hours.
The techniques and skills to apply forensics techniques throughout an investigation life cycle while complying with legal requirements. Preservation, identification, extraction and documentation of computer evidence stored on a computer. Application of forensics techniques to investigate and analyze a host in a network, devices including mobile, and techniques to investigate and analyze network traffic.
Prerequisite: ECE 634.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 676. Internet and Intranet Security. 3 Credit Hours.
Security issues and applications for securing internet and Intranet-based information exchange. Secure information models, security tools, security services, security protocols, electronic commerce, virtual private networks, firewalls, and security versus cost tradeoffs are covered.
Prerequisite: ECE 218 or CSC 322 or equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ECE 677. Data Mining. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the general principles of inferring useful knowledge from large data sets. Data mining algorithms, including inferring rules, linear regression, decision trees, association rules, and predictive models. Evaluation of data mining algorithms, including training, testing, prediction, comparison, cost, and cross-validation. Data mining applications.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 678. Network Security. 3 Credit Hours.
Information about the threats that may be present in the cyber realm and the techniques that can be taken to protect a network and communication assets from cyber threats. Threat examination and application of security measures. Implementation of network defense measures and adjustments for cloud and hybrid applications.
Prerequisite: ECE 634.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 680. Electrical and Computer Engineering Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Analysis, design, and research experience obtained at an operating and recognized industry. Approved project jointly supervised and assessed by departmental faculty and industrial partner.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 681. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 682. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 683. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ECE 684. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ECE 685. Special Topics in Computer Engineering. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Lecture courses in selected areas of specialization within Computer Engineering.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 686. Special Topics in Computer Engineering. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Lecture courses in selected areas of specialization within Computer Engineering.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 687. Special Topics in Computer Engineering. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Lecture courses in selected areas of specialization within Computer Engineering.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ECE 697. Special Topics in Electrical Engineering. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Lecture courses in selected areas of specialization within Electrical Engineering.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 698. Special Topics in Electrical Engineering. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Lecture courses in selected areas of specialization within Electrical Engineering.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 699. Special Topics in Electrical Engineering. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Lecture courses in selected areas of specialization within Electrical Engineering.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 715. M.S. Design Project I. 3 Credit Hours.
Comprehensive M.S. design project in electrical or computer engineering. Open only to students in the BS/MS dual-degree program.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 716. M.S. Design Project II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ECE 715. Open only to students in the BS/MS dual-degree program.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 720. Convex Optimization. 3 Credit Hours.
This course aims to give students the tools and training to recognize convex optimization problems that arise in scientific and engineering applications, presenting the basic theory, and concentrating on modeling aspects and results that are useful in applications. Topics include convex sets, convex functions, optimization problems, optimality condition and duality, and algorithms. Applications to signal processing, machine learning and wireless communications are presented.
Prerequisite: MTH 210.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 725. Statistical Signal Processing. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of statistical signal processing, focusing on detection and estimation. Detection: hypothesis testing, Neyman-Pearson criterion, Bayes risk, generalized likelihood ratio tests. Estimation: minimum variance, maximum likelihood, maximum a-posteriori, and minimum mean squared error methods, Cramer-Rao and Bayesian bounds, expectation maximization, least squares, Kalman filter, sparse solutions, applications. Students should have completed basic courses on linear algebra and probability prior to taking this course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 730. Statistical Learning. 3 Credit Hours.
Statistical learning theory, high-dimensional data models, regression, classification, sparse kernel machines, mixture models, graphical models, Markov chain Monte Carol simulation, model assessment and selection, model inference and combining.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 735. Fundamentals of Network Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Mathematics of networks; network measures and metrics; power laws and scale-free networks; Erdos-Renyi random networks; random networks with general degree distributions; models of network formation, including preferential attachment models.
Prerequisite: MTH 210.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ECE 738. Computer Vision. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of computer vision. Segmentation, shape and texture analysis, 3D scene analysis, polyhedral scenes, time-varying image analysis, parallel processing algorithms, matching, and recognition are covered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 753. Pattern Recognition and Neural Networks. 3 Credit Hours.
Statistical pattern classification, feature extraction, cluster analysis, neural net models, Hopfield net, competitive learning, multi-layer perceptron, and the Boltzmann machine are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 756. Information Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Measure of uncertainty and entropy, two dimensional sources, noisy channels, mutual and transinformation, equivocation, efficiency and channel capacity, minimum redundancy coding, error-detecting, error-correcting codes, continuous channel without memory. Gaussian additive noise, sampling theorem, and vector space are covered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 781. Advanced Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Research and/or design projects through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 782. Advanced Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Research and/or design projects through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 783. Advanced Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Research and/or design projects through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ECE 784. Advanced Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Research and/or design projects through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ECE 785. Advanced Problems in CyberSecurity. 3 Credit Hours.
Comprehensive M.S. capstone project in CyberSecurity.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 792. Professional Communications Skills for Engineering Grad Students. 0 Credit Hours.
This course covers fundamental areas in professional communication for Engineering graduate students. Topic areas include: presenting research at conferences, writing manuscripts for publication, preparing the dissertation, the PhD comprehensive exams, effective teaching and mentoring, and obtaining positions in academia. Through interactive workshops, in-class exercises, brief presentations and assignments, students will have an opportunity to practice and strengthen necessary communication skills, developing collaborations, and developing effective presentation skills.
Components: MOD.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 795. Advanced Topics in Computer Engineering. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Subject matter offerings in computer engineering based upon student demand and availability of faculty. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title "Advanced Topics".
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ECE 796. Advanced Topics in Computer Engineering. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Subject matter offerings in computer engineering based upon student demand and availability of faculty. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title "Advanced Topics".

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 797. Advanced Topics in Electrical Engineering. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Subject matter offerings in electrical engineering based upon student demand and availability of faculty. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title "Advanced Topics".

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 798. Advanced Topics in Electrical Engineering. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Subject matter offerings in electrical engineering based upon student demand and availability of faculty. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title "Advanced Topics".

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 799. Advanced Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Subject matter offerings based upon student demand and availability of faculty. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title "Advanced Topics".

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
 Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master's degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in ECE 810 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.

Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 825. Continuous Registration--Master's Study. 1 Credit Hour.
To establish residence for non-thesis master's students who are preparing for major examinations. Credit not granted. Regarded as full time residence.

Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 830. Pre-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Doctoral dissertation credits taken prior to Ph.D. student's candidacy. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor. No more than 12 hours of ECE 830 may be taken in a regular semester; no more than six in a summer session.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
 Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECE 840. Post-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Doctoral dissertation credits taken after Ph.D. student has been admitted to candidacy. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor. No more than 12 credits in ECE 840 may be taken in a regular semester; no more than six credits in a summer session.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
 Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
ECE 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

M.S. in Electrical and Computer Engineering

The Electrical and Computer Engineering Department offers the Degree of Master of Science in Electrical and Computer Engineering (M.S.E.C.E.) with a thesis option (24 course credit hours and 6 thesis credit hours) or a non-thesis option (30 course credit hours and no thesis credit hours). The M.S.E.C.E. program offers five tracks: audio engineering, data analytics, Microdevices and Photonics, cybersecurity, and a general ECE track.

Admissions Requirements
Admission to MS degree programs in the College of Engineering (CoE) at the University of Miami is competitive. A qualified applicant needs a strong academic record, as evidenced by their grades in relevant coursework (traditionally a cumulative gpa of 3.0 or higher). Additionally, prospective students should have a 300 or higher on the GRE General Test (verbal plus quantitative), acceptable scores on TOEFL or ILETS exams (English proficiency exams for international students only), as well as comprehensive letters of recommendation. Transfer of credits from other institutes complies with the rules of the graduate school. Many of our applicants have research experiences that have resulted in publication.

Traditionally a BS degree in engineering is required for admission into one of our MS programs. Students who do not have a degree in an Engineering field can still apply and will be considered by the admission committee, but if admitted pre-requisite coursework is traditionally required before being fully admitted into MS studies with us.

Graduation Requirements
The M.S.E.C.E. program with the non-thesis option complies in full with the CoE degree requirements
- An approved integrated program with a minimum of 30 credit hours with an average grade of B or better and no grade below C.
- At least 12 course credit hours must be at the 700-level.
- In addition, the cybersecurity track requires a 3-credit-hour graduating project.

The M.S.E.C.E. program with the thesis option, complies with the following CoE degree requirements
- An approved integrated program with a minimum of 30 credit hours with an average grade of B or better and no grade below C.
- At least 6 of the course credit hours must be at the 700 level
- 6 credit hours of the required 30 must be earned in thesis work.

In addition to the CoE degree requirements, the M.S.E.C.E. program with the thesis option requires the following:
- Appointment of a Thesis Defense Committee comprised of at least 3 members: the Chair of the committee is the Research Advisor who must have RF/GF status within ECE; at least one other member (excluding the Research Advisor) must have RF/GF status within ECE; at least one member must be from outside ECE.

Curriculum Requirements

General ECE Option
Any 600-level and 700-level ECE courses and courses in other departments with the approval of the academic advisor.

Audio Engineering Option

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Remaining credits may be taken from 600/700 level courses in ECE, CS, MTH, or any other department in consultation with the academic advisor.

## Data Analytics Option

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## Microdevices and Photonics Option

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## Cybersecurity Option

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Total Credit Hours 21

1 Remaining credits may be taken from 600/700 level courses in ECE, CS, MTH, or any other department in consultation with the academic advisor.

2 Additional Elective Course Areas: Legal Issues (Digital Evidence and Analysis, Privacy, Legal Response/Responsibilities, Policies)
Mission
The MS program in the Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering is designed to prepare students for both of the following:

- Advanced academic degrees leading to successful careers in teaching and research; and
- Rewarding and productive careers in industrial and government research positions.

Goals
Student Learning Outcomes
- The graduate will be able to exhibit broad understanding and mastery of the basic corpus of knowledge representing the discipline. They should be able to apply in their work 1) advanced mathematical principle and 2) advanced knowledge of science and engineering.
- The student will leave the university with the ability to apply critical thinking to complex engineering problems. This means that they should be able to 1) identify advanced engineering problems and address then, and 2) demonstrate proficiency in critically analyzing and solving advanced engineering problems.
- The students will demonstrate proficiency in conveying the results of their work both in terms of written communication and convincing oral presentation.

Ph.D. in Electrical and Computer Engineering
The Ph.D. degree is designed so that it
- offers students the theoretical, practical, and professional knowledge that will enable them to pursue discovery of new knowledge;
- allows students to conduct visible high-quality research that will advance the state of knowledge; and
- serves to train, motivate, and inspire our graduates to become leaders in their fields.

Admission Requirements
The minimum GRE requirement is 310 (verbal plus quantitative) for the B.S. to Ph.D. track, and 305 for the M.S. to Ph.D. track. Other requirements are identical to the CoE requirements. The transfer policy complies with the rules of the graduate school.

Graduation Requirements
The average grade of course works should be B or better, and no grade can be below C. Other requirements are identical to the CoE requirements.

Qualifying Examination
The Ph.D. Qualifying Examination is held twice a year, one week prior to the beginning of the Fall and Spring semesters. The applicant must select four subject areas listed in the following:

Computer Engineering (CE) Program
CE1 Programming Languages and Algorithms
CE2 Computer Networks
CE3 Computer Architecture and Digital Systems
CE4 Database and Distributed Systems
CE5 Analytical Techniques

Electrical Engineering (EE) Program
EE1 Signals and Systems
EE2 Communications
EE3 Circuits and Electronics
EE4 Solid-State Physics and Devices
EE5 Analytical Techniques

The criteria for subject selection are as follows:
- Select the PROGRAM (CE or EE) (in consultation with Research Advisor).
- Select FOUR subjects as follows:
  - THREE from the selected PROGRAM
  - ONE from the other PROGRAM

Subject matter in CE5 and EE5 are identical, and both CE5 and EE5 cannot be selected in one sitting.
Requirements for satisfactory completion of the Ph.D. qualifying examination are:

- **Taking the Ph.D. Qualifying Examination:**
  - The first attempt must be within two semesters (summers excluded) of initial enrollment in the Ph.D. program.
  - Any student failing to pass the examination during the first attempt, can retake the examination a second time during its immediate next offering (see Passing the Ph.D. Qualifying Examination section below).
  - Any student failing to pass the examination a second time will have his/her Ph.D. status terminated.

- **Passing the Ph.D. Qualifying Examination:** To pass the examination, a student's grades must satisfy the following criteria:
  - **Criterion 1:** Average grade of "B" (3.000) or better for the entire 4-subject examination: a student failing to meet this criterion will be required to repeat the whole examination during its immediate next offering. The student may change the subject areas selected.
  - **Criterion 2:** Grade of "C" (2.000) or better for each subject: each subject failing to meet this criterion will have to be repeated during the immediate next offering of the Ph.D. Qualifying Examination. No change in the subject area is allowed and the average grade computed with the re-taken subject together with the remaining subject areas previously taken must satisfy Criteria 1 and 2 to successfully pass the examination.

**Dissertation Committee**

The dissertation committee should comprise at least 5 members: the Chair of the committee is the Research Advisor who must be a member of the Graduate Faculty; at least two other members (excluding the Research Advisor) must be ECE faculty members as well as members of the Graduate Faculty; at least one member must be from outside ECE.

**Dissertation Proposal Defense**

An oral defense of a dissertation proposal on an original research topic before the dissertation committee is required.

**Admission to Candidacy**

Requirements are identical to the CoE requirements.

**Mission**

Provide outstanding graduate educational programs to students in electrical engineering, and computer engineering. Conduct visible high-quality research programs that will advance the state of knowledge in the fields of electrical engineering and computer engineering and will serve to train, motivate and inspire our graduates to become leaders in their fields.

**Goals**

Graduates of the Ph.D. program will have the theoretical, practical, and professional knowledge that will enable them to independently pursue the discovery of new knowledge and methods that enhance the theory and practice of electrical engineering and computer engineering. Graduates will be qualified for entry-level academic positions, or research positions in industrial and government research institutions and laboratories.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Students will demonstrate advanced understanding of a broader range of subject areas and expertise in their research work that will allow them to be at a vanguard position when entering the workforce, in either academic or industrial/government careers.
- Students will demonstrate an established record of original and independent research contributions.
- Students will demonstrate ability to communicate the results of their technical both in writing and in oral presentations.

**Industrial Engineering**

**Department Mission Statement**

The Department of Industrial Engineering mission is to provide contemporary and relevant industrial and systems engineering education and research; impart knowledge and skills necessary to design and to improve a variety of manufacturing and service processes; promote life-long learning; and contribute to emerging societal needs.

**Degree Programs**

The Department of Industrial Engineering offers graduate programs leading to the:

- Master of Science in Industrial Engineering
- Master of Science in Environmental Health and Safety
- Master of Science in Occupational and Ergonomics Safety
• MSIE/MBA Weekend Executive Program (in conjunction with the School of Business)
• Master of Science in Management of Technology (in conjunction with the School of Business)

The Department also offers:

• a Ph.D. in Ergonomics and Human Factors
• a Ph.D. in Industrial Engineering.

Masters Program in Industrial Engineering

• M.S. in Industrial Engineering (p. 2290)
• M.S. in Environmental Health and Safety (p. 2290)
• M.S. in Management of Technology (p. 2292)
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Doctoral Program in Industrial Engineering

• Ph.D. in Industrial Engineering (p. 2294)

IEN 601. Manufacturing Analysis and Design I. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of Production Systems stressing diagnosis of problems associated with work measurement, manufacturing methodologies, and their interaction with cost factors.
Prerequisite: IEN 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

IEN 602. Manufacturing Analysis and Design II. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of production systems stressing diagnosis of problems of quality and production control, utilizing quantitative techniques and analytical methods.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

IEN 605. Robotics. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of robotics including kinematics and dynamics, trajectory planning, sensors and actuators, robotic vision, and case studies. Building your own robot is an integral part of hands-on laboratory exercises. Matlab control toolbox and image analysis toolbox will be extensively used for design and analysis.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

IEN 607. Design of Manufacturing Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
State-of-the-art techniques and tools relevant to the design, analysis, and control of modern manufacturing systems. Topics include modeling of manufacturing systems, tools for manufacturing system analysis, manufacturing system planning and scheduling, and lean manufacturing systems.
Prerequisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 612. Statistical Quality Control and Quality Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course addresses the concepts, theories, tools and methodologies employed in the management and improvement of quality. The course examines many of the advanced topics in statistical quality control including control charts and process capability studies, acceptance sampling, as well as Quality Function Deployment (QFD) and introduction to reliability. Also covered in the course are Lean Six Sigma methodology, tools and concepts.
Prerequisite: IEN 311 or MAS 311 or equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
IEN 613. Quality Management in Service Organizations. 3 Credit Hours.
Course examines the issues of quality and productivity management in the service sector. Topics covered include the development and use of questionnaires, service industry applications of quality such as in banking, insurance, healthcare, transportation, government, public utilities, and retail trade.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 616. Introduction to Applied Data Analytics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on some of the most commonly-used data analytics models and covers the basics of data analytics using the open source software R (which is one of the fastest growing open source software platforms). Specific course topics include Data Preprocessing and Cleaning, Fundamentals of R (for basic data analytics tasks), Regression Analysis, Discriminant Analysis & Classification, Segmentation/Clustering, Model Tuning/Selection, Performance Measurement in Data Analytics, and Decision Making with Data. This course provides hands-on skills to engineering graduate students with performing statistical data analysis and decision-making utilizing common types of data sets.
Prerequisite: IEN 442 And IEN 312.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 624. Decision Support Systems in Industrial Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory and application of decision support systems in industrial engineering. Topics include the study of model-based, data-based, knowledge-based, and communication-based decision support systems. Emphasis is placed on the selection process of the appropriate systems for various decision problems in industrial environments.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 647. Computer Simulation Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Computer simulation and the development of simulation models. Application of discrete and continuous system simulation languages to systems studies is also included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 648. Games and Decision Making. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers fundamentals of decision theory and game theory. The course is research oriented and a significant part of the grading will be based on students' research. Topics include optimization with multiple variables, constrained optimization, Lagrange relaxation, utility theory, decision making under uncertainty, simultaneous move (Nash) games, sequential decision making, sequential (Stackelberg) games, games with imperfect information, contracting and coordination, and bargaining. This course is composed of lectures, in-class discussions and problem solving, homework assignments, and research paper assignments.
Prerequisite: IEN 310. And IEN 441.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 651. Accident Prevention Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the basic principles of accident prevention and how to apply the safety engineering approach to the design of industrial accident prevention systems
Prerequisites: IEN 311 and IEN 351.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 654. Applied Computational Biomechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will become familiarized with current tools in the field of computational biomechanics for applications in ergonomics, sports performance, simulations of occupational activities and human movement in general. Through the presentation of case studies and the completion of assignments, students will gain hands-on experience on full-body simulation environments (e.g., OpenSim), biomechanically oriented finite elements packages (e.g., FEBio), and software for reconstruction of human anatomy from medical images (Seg3D).
Prerequisite: IEN 557. Or BME 375.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
IEN 657. Ergonomics and Human Factors Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of human capacities and limitations with emphasis on human performance in system design. Topics include design of displays and controls, workload, job design, human information processing, anthropometry, workplace design, biomechanics, task analysis, and research techniques in human factors engineering. Lecture, 3 hours.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

IEN 658. Industrial Hygiene I. 3 Credit Hours.
Recognition of occupational chemical health hazards. Evaluation methods and analytical procedures used to determine level of exposure to chemical and toxic hazards. Control measures and compliance with OHSA requirements with special emphasis on industrial ventilation, and other methods of control are included.
Prerequisite: IEN 557.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 668. Materials Handling and Facilities Planning. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis and design of production and service facilities, emphasis on material handling requirements. Capacity requirements, facility location, layout, storage systems and warehousing are discussed
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

IEN 670. Engineering Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Integrating engineering discipline into the social and economic considerations of managing systems. Tools and techniques used by engineering managers including engineering project life cycle, role playing, communication, decision-making in engineering management, and managing change in engineering organizations are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 671. Engineering Entrepreneurship. 3 Credit Hours.
The conversion of technological know-how and engineering theories into business enterprises. The role of technology in creating wealth, connecting technology with market, the role and characteristics of entrepreneurs, starting a business and the business plan, innovation, industrial and service organizations, and the new business environment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 672. Management of Technological Innovation. 3 Credit Hours.
Engineering, Science and Management Principles contributing to the development of a successful framework for Managing technology with an organization, nationally or internationally. The process of technological innovations, technological, planning and forecasting, and socio-economic changes. Prerequisite: Senior or graduate standing.
Prerequisite: IEN 572.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 690. Special Topics in Industrial Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Sub-titles describing the topics are shown in parentheses in the class schedule, following the title "Special Topics".
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

IEN 694. Master’s Capstone Design Project. 3 Credit Hours.
A capstone design project for students in the five-year BSIE/MSIE program. Integration of Industrial Engineering principles and techniques in the design and improvement of production and service systems is emphasized. Offered for students in this program only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 695. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
IEN 696. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

IEN 699. Cooperative Education. 1 Credit Hour.
Practical application of classroom theory through alternating semester or summer employment with industries offering positions consistent with the student’s field of study. Course may be repeated. Periodic reports and conferences are required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

IEN 712. Design of Experiments. 3 Credit Hours.
Design and analysis of experiments, randomized blocks, Latin Squares, factorials, multiple correlation and regression, and application to response surfaces are discussed. 3 hours.
Prerequisite: IEN 311 or MAS 311 or equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 713. Applied Regression Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory and applications of regression based models. Focus will be on empirical model building, estimation, inference and prediction with emphasis on interpretation of results and understanding model assumptions. Key Topics will be linear regression, panel data and time series analysis.
Prerequisite: IEN 311.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

IEN 715. Quality Through Planned Experimentation. 3 Credit Hours.
Sequential experimentation and guidance on how to build the sequence and use graphical methods to ascertain how much the planned changes contribute to the variation in the data. Experimentation is presented as a system in the context of a model to improve quality and integrate statistical process control (SPC) with methods of design. Examples presented contain problems often encountered in actual experimentation in a manufacturing or a service facility. Not open to students with credit in IEN 712.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

IEN 716. Advanced Quality Control. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced topics in variables and attributes acceptance sampling and control charting. Statistical and economical design of control chart and sampling plan, sampling design and analysis with inspection and measurement errors, product liability prevention, value engineering, quality costs, Metrology, military standards, quality manuals, customer and vendor relations, and total quality control concepts are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

IEN 742. Linear Programming and Extensions. 3 Credit Hours.
Formulation, solution, postoptimality analysis of linear programming problems; revised simplex, parametric programming, decomposition of large-scale systems. Use of computer packages. Introduction to integer programming, network flows, and nonlinear programming applications.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 757. Ergonomics and Occupational Biomechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
Effects of human factors in the improvement of performance of systems. Human capacities, capabilities, and limitations as derived from anatomical, physiological, and psychological principles are applied to the design of tools and equipment. Incorporation of all factors into systems design to achieve better system performance is emphasized
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
IEN 758. Ergonomics and Special Populations. 3 Credit Hours.
Ergonomic issues relevant to design for older adults and special populations such as the handicapped. Primary emphasis is placed on work environments, transportation and communication systems, and home environments. Topics include cognitive and physiological characteristics of special populations, workplace design, job and equipment design, rehabilitation engineering, clinical ergonomics, and legislation such as the ADA. Lecture, 3 hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 760. Productivity Measurement and Evaluation. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic concepts. Productivity measurement approaches at international, national, industry, and company levels. Latest measurement models for manufacturing companies. Relationships between total and partial productivities, profit and total productivity. Productivity evaluation: theory and methodology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 761. Engineering Cost Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Issues of cost management, including activity based costing of engineering projects. A detailed study of how to separate, identify, understand and manage the major activities performed, and how these activities relate to customer needs. Overall view of costs associated with products, processes, and customers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 763. Project Management Techniques. 3 Credit Hours.
Techniques and Tools in Project Management. Use of network flow techniques including PERT/CPM, planning, systems concepts, time management, conflicts, cost and resource control, tradeoff analysis.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 764. Supply Chain Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Supply Chain Management focuses on the flow of products, information, and money throughout the supply chain. An overview of issues, opportunities, tools, and approaches is provided. Emphasis is placed on business processes, system dynamics, control, design and re-engineering, and on the relationship between the supply chain and the company’s strategic position relative to its clients and its competition. The dimensions of intercorporate relationships with partners, including decision-making, incentives, and risk are also covered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

IEN 765. Advanced Production Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 772. Strategic Management of Technological Innovation.. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced topics in the management of technology emphasizing the relationship between technology and competitiveness in the global marketplace. Technology development in the U.S., Japan, and Europe, industrial R & D, strategic technological planning, and conditions for successful implementations. Case studies are used with individual and group assignments. Prerequisite: IEN 572 - Management of Technology or permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

IEN 791. Industrial Engineering Seminar. 0 Credit Hours.
Oral presentation and discussion of current topics in Industrial Engineering.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
IEN 792. Professional Communications Skills for Engineering Grad Students. 0 Credit Hours.
This course covers fundamental areas in professional communication for Engineering graduate students. Topic areas include: presenting research at conferences, writing manuscripts for publication, preparing the dissertation, the PhD comprehensive exams, effective teaching and mentoring, and obtaining positions in academia. Through interactive workshops, in-class exercises, brief presentations and assignments, students will have an opportunity to practice and strengthen necessary communication skills, developing collaborations, and developing effective presentation skills.

Components: MOD.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

IEN 794. Master's Project. 3 Credit Hours.
A capstone project for M.S. students in the non-thesis option.

Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

IEN 795. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Research and/or design projects through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.

Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

IEN 796. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Research and/or design projects through an individual investigation. of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

IEN 799. Advanced Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Subject matter offerings based upon student demand and availability of faculty. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title “Advanced Topics”.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

IEN 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

IEN 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master's degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in IEN 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.

Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

IEN 825. Continuous Registration--Master's Study. 1 Credit Hour.
To establish residence for non-thesis master's students who are preparing for major examinations. Credit not granted. Regarded as full time residence.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

IEN 830. Pre-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Doctoral dissertation credits taken prior to Ph.D. student's candidacy. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Not more than 12 hours of IEN 730 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

IEN 840. Post-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Doctoral dissertation credits taken after Ph.D. student has been admitted to candidacy. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Not more than 12 credits in IEN 740 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six credits in a summer session.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
IEN 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D. and D.A., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

M.S. in Environmental Health and Safety
Master of Science in Environmental Health and Safety
An interdisciplinary M.S. degree program in Environmental Health and Safety is offered through the Department of Industrial Engineering in collaboration with the School of Medicine. These programs of study are individually structured to fit the student's interests and career objectives.

The program will consist of a 36 credit hours in the areas of environmental health and safety.

Curriculum Requirements

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Goals
Student Learning Outcomes

- Graduates will demonstrate an ability to apply knowledge and methodology to advanced problems in Environmental Health and Safety.
- Graduates will demonstrate an ability to write effectively about advanced Environmental Health and Safety topics.
- Graduates will have an ability to present their findings effectively about advanced Environmental Health and Safety topics.

M.S. in Industrial Engineering
Overview
The Master of Science degree in Industrial Engineering includes the following areas of concentration:

1. Engineering Management
2. Ergonomics and Human Factors
3. Health Care Systems
4. Management of Technology
5. Manufacturing Engineering
6. Data Analytics
7. Operations Research
8. Productivity Engineering
9. Quality
Admission Requirements

1. Students (other than University of Miami graduates) applying for graduate admission to the College should submit three letters of recommendation from individuals familiar with the applicant’s abilities and background. Students who hold a bachelor’s degree in a field other than Industrial Engineering may be admitted to the graduate program and to candidacy upon completion of appropriate undergraduate deficiency courses, in addition to the regular requirements for the graduate degree. A student’s overall program is planned by the student and the Graduate Advisor.

2. The Department of Industrial Engineering offers a 5-Year Bachelor of Science in Industrial Engineering and Master of Science in Industrial Engineering Program (BSIE/MSIE Program).
   a. This program is specifically designed for those students who want to pursue their graduate study as soon as they complete their undergraduate study in Industrial Engineering.
   b. The special conditions for this 5-Year BSIE/MSIE Program are as follows:
      i. The student must declare his/her intent to participate before the end of their Junior year by submitting an official application to the department graduate committee for admission into the MSIE portion of the program. Exceptions to this rule must be approved by the department faculty.
      ii. A student wishing to withdraw from the 5-Year Program without the MSIE degree must complete all the requirements for the BSIE program, including the IEN 694 in order to get his/her BSIE degree.
      iii. To qualify for the MSIE degree, the student must meet all the pertinent Graduate School requirements, including a minimum of 3.0 GPA.
      iv. The student is awarded both the BSIE and MSIE degrees at the end of the fifth year when all requirements are satisfied.
   c. More details can be found in the Undergraduate bulletin (p. 1162).

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Requirements for the Master of Science Degree (both thesis and non-thesis option):

1. An approved integrated program with a minimum of 30 credit hours with a 3.0 average or better on all credit hours attempted and no single grade below “C” at the University of Miami while a graduate student.

2. At least 12 course credit hours must be at the 700 level.

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Notes:

a. In addition to the above required courses, the student will have to take other graduate level elective courses to fulfill the degree requirements. A list of approved electives is maintained by the Graduate Advisor in the Department of Industrial Engineering. Substitution of courses is allowed, but must be approved by the Graduate Advisor and the Department Chairman.

b. Students who do not have previously earned Industrial Engineering degrees must take IEN647 and IEN765.

c. 500-level courses are open to advanced undergraduates and to graduate students; 600-level courses are open only to graduate students.

d. 500-level and 600-level courses are also open to qualified graduate students majoring in other disciplines.

Sample Plan of Study

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Student Learning Outcomes

- Graduates will demonstrate an advanced ability to design a system, component, or process to meet the desired business needs of the project.
- Students will gain an ability to write effectively about advanced topics in Industrial Engineering.
- Graduates will have an ability to present their findings effectively about advanced topics in Industrial Engineering.

M.S. in Management of Technology

Master of Science in Management of Technology is an academically challenging program that allows you to gain significant training in both technology and management.

It is a 36 credit hour curriculum with 12 credits in Technology oriented courses and 12 credits in Management topics.

A bachelor’s degree from a regionally accredited university with a GRE or GMAT score that is acceptable.

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Goals

Student Learning Outcomes

- Graduates will demonstrate an ability to apply knowledge and methodology to advanced problems in Management of Technology.
- Graduates will demonstrate an ability to write effectively about advanced Management of Technology topics.
- Graduates will have an ability to present their findings effectively about advanced Management of Technology topics.

M.S.I.E./M.B.A. Executive Program

Dual MSIE/MBA Weekend Executive program makes it possible to earn two separate degrees at the same time, a Master of Business Administration Degree (MBA) and a Master of Science in Industrial Engineering (MSIE).

It is a 57 credit hour program that starts every January and is completed in two years and one semester. Classes are held on Saturdays and during intersessions.

A bachelor's degree in any engineering discipline, an acceptable GRE score, and at least 3 years of work experience is required.

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Ph.D. in Industrial Engineering

Policies and Important Details
1. The Department offers a Ph.D. in Industrial Engineering for students with a background in engineering.
2. To maintain status as a graduate student, registration in each fall and spring semester is required. Otherwise, admission lapses and permission to re-enter must be granted.
3. Once a student has completed all course and required research credit hours, he or she must enroll in “Research in Residence” status until the degree has been granted. “Research in Residence” status is considered full time enrollment. Time restrictions on obtaining degrees will be strictly enforced and can be waived only by the Dean of the Graduate School.
4. Upon completing the course requirements, passing the qualifying exams, and successfully defending the Ph.D. proposal, the student is eligible for admission to the Ph.D. candidacy.
5. Upon passing the qualifying exams, the student in consultation with his/her selected Ph.D. Dissertation committee chair will decide on the dissertation committee members. The Dissertation committee will consist of not less than four members, three from the Department's graduate faculty, one from outside the Department. The chairman has to be a member of the graduate faculty. The duties of the Dissertation Committee are:
   a. To consult with and to advise students on their research.
   b. To meet, at intervals, to review progress and expected results.
   c. To read and comment upon the draft dissertation.
   d. To meet, when the dissertation is completed, to conduct the final oral examination and to satisfy itself that the dissertation is a contribution to knowledge and that it is written in lucid and correct English and submitted in approved form.
   e. The candidate is well advised to have a final acceptable typescript of the dissertation in the hands of each member of his/her committee at a time reasonably in advance of the final defense of the work.
6. There are no foreign language requirements for the Ph.D. degree.

Course work requirements depend on the student’s background, and are established by the Graduate Advisor and the Department Chairman. 60 credit hours beyond the baccalaureate degree are the minimum requirement for this Ph.D. Students with a Master's degree may take the minimum hours listed below, while students without a master's must take the maximum hours.

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¹ A written qualifying examination is to be taken by each doctoral degree candidate during the first year of graduate work. The department may specify that the student must take an oral examination as well. In those cases, normally, the student shall pass the written examination before the oral examination is conducted. Upon completion of the examination process, the Graduate Advisor notifies the Department Chairman that the student has passed or failed the examination. A student who fails the examination may be permitted to retake it, with the permission of the Graduate Advisor and the Chairman. Qualifying examinations normally will not be given during the summer months. The applicant must hold a 3.0 average on all credit hours attempted with no single grade below "C" at the University of Miami while a graduate student.

² At least 24 credits must be taken in residence at the University of Miami.

³ 6 hours of Graduate Engineering coursework outside of IEN courses may be substituted in lieu of IEN courses with Graduate Advisor approval.
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Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering
https://mae.coe.miami.edu/index.html
Dept. Code: MAE

Degree Programs
The Department of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering offers courses and provides facilities for two programs of graduate study and research in Mechanical Engineering, leading to the degrees of:

1. Master of Science (p. 2296)
2. Doctor of Philosophy (http://bulletin.miami.edu/graduate-academic-programs/engineering/mechanical-aerospace-engineering/mechanical-engineering-phd/)

The program of study must reflect the importance of underlying principles of the physical sciences and mathematical analysis to all phases of modern mechanical engineering.

Areas of Research
• Fluid Mechanics
• Biomechanics
• Solid Mechanics
• Composite Materials
• Optimization and Reliability
• Nano Mechanics
• Heat Transfer
• Hydrogen Energy
• Materials Science
• Internal Combustion Engines
• Controls and Design
• Aerodynamics and CFD
• Nano-Bio-Systems
• Fuel Cells

It is expected that each graduate student will indicate early in his/her graduate work (within the first year), the particular area in which he/she intends to concentrate his/her efforts as well as the faculty advisor for dissertation.

500 level courses are open to advanced undergraduates and to graduate students; 600 level courses are open only to graduate students.

Clean Energy Research Institute
1. The Clean Energy Research Institute in the Department of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering acts as the focal point of energy and environment related activities in the College of Engineering.
2. Its goals are:
• to conduct research and to generate research proposals to investigate energy and environmental problems;
• to organize seminars, workshops and conferences using researchers within and without the University;
• to assemble, compile, publish and disseminate information on every aspect of energy and environmental problems; and
• to cooperate with other organs of the University, other academic institutions, government and private organizations in connection with the above listed activities.

3. The current activities of the Institute include research into hydrogen as a clean, inexhaustible synthetic fuel, environmental damage caused by fossil fuels, global warming and its remediation, instabilities in boiling systems, solar cooling and heating, hybrid solar collectors, remote sensing applied to energy related problems and solar energy, system optimization and reliability of solar and wind energy systems, and organization of national and international conferences and symposia on energy and environmental problems.

Research Laboratories

• Advanced Nano Systems Laboratory
• Advanced Research for the Exploration of Space
• Aerospace Materials Simulation Laboratory
• Center for Advanced Multi-Scale Studies
• Computational Fluid Dynamics Laboratory
• Fuel Cells Laboratory
• Internal Combustion Laboratory
• Materials Laboratory
• Measurements Laboratory
• Multi-Functional Composite Materials Laboratory
• Optimization and Reliability Laboratory
• Robotics and Intelligent Systems Engineering Laboratory
• Thermo-Fluid Mechanics Laboratory
• Tissue Biomechanics Laboratory
• Wind Tunnel Laboratory

Masters Programs in Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering

1. M.S. in Mechanical Engineering (p. 2302)
   a. non-thesis option
   b. thesis option

2. B.S./M.S. in Mechanical Engineering (http://bulletin.miami.edu/undergraduate-academic-programs/engineering/mechanical-aerospace-engineering/mechanical-engineering-bs-ms/)

   The five-year BS/MS program leads to both the B.S. degree and the M.S. degree in Mechanical Engineering in five years. The program is intended for exceptional students who are admitted to the graduate program in their junior year. Students applying for this program must have a grade point average of at least 3.0 and must attain a score of 300 or more on the Graduate Record Examination (taken before the fifth year).

Doctoral Program in Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering

• Ph.D. in Mechanical Engineering (p. 2303)

MAE 504. Orbits Mechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of orbits in an inverse-square gravitational field; elementary rocket dynamics, impulsive orbit transfer and rendezvous, and Lambert’s Theorem with applications; patched-conic trajectories, planetary gravity-assist maneuvers, and linearized orbit theory with application to simplified analytical models: perturbations
Prerequisite: MAE 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAE 531. Scientific and Engineering Foundations of Additive Manufacturing). 1-4 Credit Hours.
This course introduces the AM technologies and covers the core materials science and manufacturing engineering fundamentals upon which the technologies are built. Advantages and limitations of the AM technologies are highlighted, along with future opportunities.
Prerequisite: MAE 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MAE 532. Additive Manufacturing of Engineering Materials. 1-4 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on teaching the processing, structure, and property relationships in metals, polymers, polymer-based composites, and biocompatible materials fabricated using additive manufacturing (AM). Students will be exposed to conventional and advanced applications of AM technologies.
Prerequisite: MAE 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 601. Methods of Engineering Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of engineering systems in equilibrium and motion. Examples considered from mechanical, electrical, thermal and fluids engineering. Mathematical theory and computer methods for obtaining numerical solutions are developed for various cases involving discrete and continuous systems. Lecture, 3 hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 602. Vibrations. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic theory of free and forced vibrations of mechanical systems with and without damping. Applications to systems with one and several degrees of freedom are included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MAE 603. Internal Combustion Engines. 3 Credit Hours.
Course discusses engine types, characteristics, and operation. Topics include performance factors, fuel combustion, power cycles, knock and engine variables, exhaust emissions, fuel metering, compressors, and turbines.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 604. Orbital Mechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of orbits in an inverse-square gravitational field; elementary rocket dynamics, impulsive orbit transfer and rendezvous, and Lambert's Theorem with applications; patched-conic trajectories, planetary gravity-assist maneuvers, and linearized orbit theory with application to simplified analytical models; perturbations. Prerequisite: MAE 202, or consent of instructor. 3 undergraduate hours or 3 graduate hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 605. Design for Manufacturability. 3 Credit Hours.
Manufacturing concerns at design stage. Design theory and methodology. Statistical considerations in geometric dimensioning, tolerances, reliability-based design, and quality control. Producibility, design for assembly, and value engineering. Life cycle costs and optimum design using nonlinear programming and Taguchi approaches. Hands on projects on machine tools.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAE 607. Advanced Mechanics of Solids. 3 Credit Hours.
Courses discusses the basic elements of elasticity, plasticity, and viscoelasticity. Application to mechanical systems at rest and in motion are included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 608. Intermediate Heat Transfer. 3 Credit Hours.
Course discusses steady and unsteady heat transfer by conduction, convective heat transfer in laminar and turbulent fluid flow, natural convection, and heat transfer by radiation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MAE 609. Turbomachinery Aero-thermodynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic concepts of turbo machinery principle and thermo-aerodynamic design, including gas-turbine engine cycles, compressor and turbine cascade, energy transfer in turbomachines, velocity diagrams, design and prediction of axial-flow compressors and turbines, radial-flow turbomachines, etc. Prerequisite: MAE 371 And MAE 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 612. Intermediate Fluid Mechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include conservation of mass, momentum, and energy, potential flow, viscous laminar and turbulent flows, the Reynolds analogy, and Boundary-layer approximations. Gas dynamics are also discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 614. Advanced Internal Combustion Engines Experimental Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Experimental mechanical engineering as it pertains to internal combustion engines. The principal measurements necessary to analyze the operation of an internal combustion engine are covered. Emphasis is placed on experiment planning, data interpretation, and error analysis.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 616. Introduction to Composite Materials. 3 Credit Hours.
Course provides an introduction to composite materials and terminology. Topics include advantages offered by composite materials, current aerospace, automotive, and bio-mechanics applications, experimental results, analytical models, and effects of impact and fatigue loads. The environment's impact on composite materials' performance and design procedures are discussed. Case studies examining composite materials as efficient replacements are also included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAE 621. Exhaust Emission Control. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include automotive emissions, air pollution, combustion of homogeneous mixtures, emission control systems, Federal emission standards, and emission instrumentation and measurement. Lecture, 2 hours; Laboratory, 3 hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 628. Fuel Cells. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to fuel cells, thermodynamics of fuel cells, electrochemical kinetics in fuel cells, transport phenomena in fuel cells, introduction to various types of fuel cells.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 631. Scientific and Engineering Foundations of Additive Manufacturing. 1-4 Credit Hours.
This course introduces the AM technologies and covers the core materials science and manufacturing engineering fundamentals upon which the technologies are built. Advantages and limitations of the AM technologies are highlighted, along with future opportunities. Prerequisite: MAE 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 632. Additive Manufacturing of Engineering Materials. 1-4 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on teaching the processing, structure, and property relationships in metals, polymers, polymer-based composites, and bio-compatible materials fabricated using additive manufacturing (AM). Students will be exposed to conventional and advanced applications of AM technologies. Prerequisite: MAE 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MAE 639. Heating, Ventilating and Air Conditioning System Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include basic HVAC systems, multizone systems, dual-duct systems, terminal reheat systems, variable air volume systems, induction and induction reheat systems, special applications, hydronic systems, unitary and heat pump systems, hydronic heat recovery systems, cooling and heating load calculation duct and piping design, overall system design, and integration.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 640. Energy Conversion. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include energy conversion, utilization, present and projected consumption of energy, thermodynamic principles, nuclear energy, fission and fusion reactions, hydroelectric power, and solar energy. Alternatives energy sources, the hydrogen economy, and the energy-environment-economy system are also discussed.
Requisite: Senior Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 651. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAE 652. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAE 670. Aero Propulsion. 3 Credit Hours.
Definition of the atmosphere, propulsion basics, rocket fundamentals, turbine fundamentals, gas turbine cycles, component matching, math and computer models, aircraft missions, cycle section, reliability, and durability are analyzed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 690. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Subtitles describing the topics will be shown in parentheses in the class schedule, following the "Special Topics."
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 691. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Subtitles describing the topics will be shown in parentheses in the class schedule, following the "Special Topics."
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAE 692. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Subtitles describing the topics will be shown in parentheses in the class schedule, following the "Special Topics."
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAE 699. Cooperative Education. 1 Credit Hour.
Practical application of classroom theory through alternating semester or summer employment with industries offering positions consistent with the student's field of study. Course may be repeated. Periodic reports and conferences are required.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MAE 701. Advanced Heat Transfer--Conduction and Radiation. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced analytical methods of solutions of boundary value problems of steady, periodic, and unsteady heat conductions. Topics include techniques of transient point, line, and plane sources and sinks, thermodynamics of radiative equilibrium, radiative exchange, geometrical factors, network, and other methods. Lecture, 3 hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 702. Advanced Heat Transfer--Convection. 3 Credit Hours.
The analogy between heat, mass, and momentum transfers. Topics include the transfer mechanism, heat transfer to liquid metals, boiling and condensation mechanisms, heat transfer in two-phase flow, ablation heat transfer, transpiration, film cooling, and heat exchanges. Lecture, 3 hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 705. Finite Element Methods in Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Finite-element analysis methods for static and dynamic analysis of mechanical and aerospace structures, heat transfer analysis, and fluid flow applications. Primary emphasis is placed on underlying mechanics and numerical techniques. Consideration is also given to the use of existing programs, such as ANSYS, NASTRAN and FIDAP, designing proper meshes, and choosing the proper element. A term project is included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 706. Experimental Methods in Fluid Mechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include methods of flow visualization, laser techniques in measurement of wall motions, conduit compliance, Newtonian and non-Newtonian properties of fluids, measurement of unsteady flow and pressure, laser Doppler anemometry, ultrasound Doppler velocimetry, electromagnetic flowmetry, measurement of steady and unsteady wall sheer stresses and boundary layers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAE 713. Transport Phenomena. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include laws of molecular transfer, the kinetic theory explanation of molecular transfer phenomena, introduction to turbulence, and molecular transfer in laminar and turbulent flows with experimental results. A unified treatment of salient aspects of momentum, heat, and mass transfer including the relationship between rate and conservation equations are also discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAE 714. Computational Fluid Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
Incompressible flow equations in rectangular co-ordinates. Topics include basic computational methods for incompressible flow, three dimensional flows, compressible flow equations in rectangular coordinates, basic computational methods for compressible flows, treatment of shocks, artificial viscosities, convergence, other mesh systems, programming, testing, and information processing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 730. Mechanical Systems Optimization. 3 Credit Hours.
Optimization as an element of the engineering design process. Topics include comparative examination of unconstrained algorithms, as well as development and application of methods for constrained optimization problems. Case studies which demonstrate the theory and application of mathematical programming as a design tool are also included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 740. Continuum Mechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
Course discusses concepts that are common to all continuous media. Topics include elements of tensor analysis, motion, deformation, vorticity, material derivatives, mass balance equation, and balance of linear and angular momentum as well as energy. Stress and its geometric characterization, constitutive equations of solid and fluid type behavior, fundamental applications, and the Clausius-Duhem inequality are also covered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MAE 751. Master's Project. 3 Credit Hours.
A required project for M.S. students in the non-thesis option.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAE 752. Master's Capstone Project. 4 Credit Hours.
A required project for the five year BSME/MSME program.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAE 762. CAD and FEM for Stress Analysis of 3D Printed Structures. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Computer aided design and analyses of physical systems behavior using discrete models. Topics include CAD design, numerical analysis, and FEM modeling of 3D printed materials and structures. Students solve engineering problems using student-developed and existing software.
Prerequisite: MAE 362 and Graduate student standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 780. Graduate Colloquium. 1 Credit Hour.
Presentations by selected speakers of weekly programs dealing with topics of interest in Mechanical Engineering. Attendance is required of all students registered in Mechanical Engineering graduate programs.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAE 791. Professional Communications Skills for Engineering Grad Students. 0 Credit Hours.
This course covers fundamental areas in professional communication for Engineering graduate students. Topic areas include: presenting research at conferences, writing manuscripts for publication, preparing the dissertation, the PhD comprehensive exams, effective teaching and mentoring, and obtaining positions in academia. Through interactive workshops, in-class exercises, brief presentations and assignments, students will have an opportunity to practice and strengthen necessary communication skills, developing collaborations, and developing effective presentation skills.
Components: MOD.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAE 792. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Research and/or design projects consisting of individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAE 798. Advanced Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Subject matter offerings based upon student demand and availability of faculty. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title "Advanced Topics".
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAE 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAE 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master’s degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in MAE 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MAE 830. Pre-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Doctoral dissertation credits taken prior to Ph.D. student's candidacy. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Not more than 12 hours of MAE 730 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAE 840. Post-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Doctoral dissertation credits taken after Ph.D. student has been admitted to candidacy. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Not more than 12 credits in MAE 740 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six credits in a summer session.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAE 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D. and D.A., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

M.S. in Mechanical Engineering
http://www.coe.miami.edu/dept-mac/

Admission Requirements
Students applying for acceptance to degree status must comply with the general requirements of the Graduate School. General requirements for the M.S. degree are listed under the Engineering heading of this section and in the general information of this Bulletin.

Graduation Requirements
General requirements for the M.S. degree are listed under the Engineering heading of this section and in the general information of this Bulletin.

Curriculum Requirements
1. One academic year, or equivalent, spent in full time graduate study will be the minimum time necessary for a student to fulfill the requirements for the degree of Master of Science in Mechanical Engineering.

2. The student is required to complete only graduate-level courses, 600-level or 700-level, to fulfill the course requirement.
   a. A minimum of two 700-level courses are to be completed as part of the total expected credits of coursework required in their chosen option.
   b. If no 700-level courses are available in the chosen area of interest of the student during their stay in the M.S. program, the requirement of 700-level course(s) can be waived with the recommendation of their faculty advisor.
   c. Any M.S. student can take a maximum of two 600-level or 700-level courses from other Engineering Department(s) or other Departments such as Mathematics and Computer Science with the approval of his/her faculty advisor. The student is expected to state his reasons for taking the outside departmental course and get his/her faculty advisor's approval before registering for the course(s). The only exception is that a course from Industrial Engineering Department needs to be a course that involves lectures for the entire duration of the semester instead of those that are conducted over weekends for only 4-to-6 weeks of the semester.
   d. A maximum of only one course is allowed among 600-level or 700-level courses of the MAE Department that are designated as “Special Topics” or “Special Problems” that do not have scheduled lecture classes for the entire duration of the semester.

3. Both a 30 credit hour thesis option and a 30 credit hour non-thesis option are available.
   a. M.S. with Thesis Option: The student is required to complete 24 credits of course work and 6 credits of thesis in their chosen area of specialization. The thesis involves research-type work completed under the supervision or guidance of a faculty advisor. At the completion of the thesis, the student is required to write a thesis and make an acceptable oral presentation of the thesis before a committee of three faculty members that includes the faculty thesis advisor as the Chair of the committee. The faculty advisor is required to be from the Department of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering.
   b. M.S. with Non-Thesis Option: The student is required to complete 27 credits of course work and 3 credits of an independent project in an area of his/her interest under the supervision of a faculty advisor. The faculty advisor is required to be from the Department of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering. After completing the project, the student is required to submit a project report to the faculty advisor and also make an oral presentation of the project before two faculty members, including the faculty advisor. The student will receive a grade for the project. The independent project credits do not count toward the required minimum of two 700-level courses to be completed as part of the total expected credits of coursework required in their chosen option.
   c. M.S. with Management Option: This is a Non-Thesis Option in which a student completes 15 credits from Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering courses and 12 credits from the general area of Management, and 3 project-based credits. The independent project credits do not...
count toward the required minimum of two 700-level courses to be completed as part of the total expected credits of coursework required in their chosen option. The courses in Management area can be taken either from the School of Business, if available, or from the Department of Industrial Engineering. The student will select the courses in consultation with his/her faculty advisor. The faculty advisor is required to be from the Department of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering. An undergraduate degree in engineering is required.

4. Students can also concentrate their studies in Additive Manufacturing, providing students hands-on training in methods to design, analyze, and fabricate complex structures using state-of-art additive manufacturing printing facilities. This area of study is designed for students who want to further their career by enhancing their analytical and practical skills, critical thinking and problem solving strategies.
   a. Special areas of study include: Advanced material science and mechanics of materials, Computer Aided Design (CAD) for novel structural design and Finite Element Methods (FEM) for structural optimization and stress analysis, and Algorithm design for the additive manufacturing process.
   b. Students who choose to concentrate their studies in Additive Manufacturing take the following courses, as well as their required thesis or project credits:
      • Methods of Engineering Analysis
      • Scientific and Engineering Foundation of Additive Manufacturing
      • Additive Manufacturing of Engineering Materials
      • Additive Manufacturing Lab
      • Computer Aided Design (CAD) for novel structural design and Finite Element Methods (FEM) for structural optimization and stress analysis
      • Engineering Optimization
      • Electives [for the remainder of their required credit hours]: Advanced Mechanics of Materials, Introduction to Composite Materials and Analysis, Intermediate Heat Transfer, Mechanical Vibrations, Design for Manufacturability, or Special Topics (with multidisciplinary options).

Mission
The mission of the graduate program is to prepare students to become knowledgeable and skilled engineers and researchers with an understanding of the ethical and other professional aspects of mechanical engineering.

Goals
Student Learning Outcomes
• Students will demonstrate competence in the theoretical and practical knowledge of mechanical engineering.
• Students will demonstrate the ability to effectively communicate the results of their scientific research in writing and in oral presentations.
• Students will demonstrate the ability to think critically in learning and/or research.

Ph.D. in Mechanical Engineering
http://www.umcoe.miami.edu/dept-mac/

Admission Requirements
The program leading to the degree of Doctor of Philosophy in the Department of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering complies in full with the regulations of the Graduate School concerning admission, residence requirements, qualifying and final examinations and the dissertation.

Curriculum
1. All candidates for the Ph.D. degree are expected to complete an integrated program of studies in mechanical engineering, mathematics, physics and/or chemistry in preparation for the Qualifying Examination. For students entering with a Master's degree, a maximum of only one course is allowed among 600-level or 700-level courses of the MAE Department that are designated as "Special Topics" or "Special Problems" that do not have scheduled lecture classes for the entire duration of the semester. For students entering with a Bachelor's degree, a maximum of only two courses is allowed among 600-level or 700-level courses of the MAE Department that are designated as "Special Topics" or "Special Problems" that do not have scheduled lecture classes for the entire duration of the semester.
2. A qualifying examination, typically offered the last week of September, is to be taken by each doctoral degree student within the first three semesters of study. In the qualifying examination, the student is expected to demonstrate their competence in certain basic courses appropriate to modern mechanical engineering to the satisfaction of the department. A Ph.D. student will be admitted to candidacy after passing the qualifying examination as well as the defense of dissertation proposal.
3. There is no foreign language requirement.
4. One or two years beyond admittance to candidacy will usually be found necessary for the completion of an acceptable dissertation, whereupon the student will be required to pass the Final Oral Defense of the Dissertation.
5. The candidate may, if he/she so desires, pursue for their dissertation an investigation in connection with any of the research projects in progress in the Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering Department or, in the case of interdisciplinary programs, in other Colleges/Schools such as the School of Marine and Atmospheric Science or the Medical School.

**Curriculum Requirements**

For students who joined the program in Spring 2009 or after:

**For students with a M.S. degree in Engineering:**

- Minimum 18 credits of course work + 12 credits of dissertation.
- At least 6 credits must be at the 700 level.
- Expected duration of the program: 3 years.

**For students with only a B.S. degree in Engineering:**

- Minimum 36 credits of course work + 12 credits (or more) of dissertation.
- At least 12 credits must be at the 700 level.
- Expected duration of the program is 4 years.

**For Ph.D. students with a non-engineering degree:**

- Required credits and the expected duration of the program as specified in the assistantship offer letter.

In order to register for courses and/or dissertation in each semester, students are required to select the courses and/or dissertation credits by consulting their respective dissertation (research) advisors. They must also see the Graduate Advisor of the Department (Chair of the Department) for approval and signature.

Please note that the number of credits to be taken in various semesters is stated in each student's Ph.D. assistantship offer letter.

**For Dissertation Credits**

- Register as MAE 830 before passing both parts of the Qualifying Exam
- Register as MAE 840 after becoming a PhD candidate (usually after PhD proposal is passed)
- Register as MAE 850 Research in residence (after completing the required 12 credits of dissertation through MAE 830 and MAE 840).

**Qualifying Exam**

Ph.D. students are required to pass a 2-part Qualifying Exam.

**Part 1 of the Qualifying Exam:**

It consists of a written examination (no oral exam). Each student is required to select three areas, including Methods of Analysis, out of the following six areas:

- Methods of Analysis (Level of MAE 601) – compulsory for all students
- Mechanics of Solids (Undergraduate level)
- Fluid Mechanics (Undergraduate level)
- Heat Transfer (Undergraduate level)
- Materials (Undergraduate level)
- Control and dynamics (Undergraduate level)

A list of topics in each course will be given to the student at least one month before the Exam. All three areas will be covered in one exam of 6-hour duration (2 hours for each of the three areas) with a 30-minute break. It is expected that each student passes Part 1 of Qualifying Exam within the first year. If a student fails in one or more areas, a second chance may be given (within 3 months of the first exam).

**Part 2 of the Qualifying Exam:**
It consists of an oral exam before the student’s Dissertation Committee.

- The student presents a research proposal (in the form of a written report) to the Dissertation Committee after completing some preliminary research work including the Literature Review.
- Part 2 of the Qualifying Exam is to be taken within 2 years if the student has a Master’s degree in Engineering and 2.5 years if the student has only a B.S. degree in Engineering.

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**Goals**

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Students will demonstrate competence in the theoretical and practical knowledge of mechanical engineering.
- Students will demonstrate the ability to communicate effectively the scientific and technical research in writing and oral presentations.
- Graduates will demonstrate the ability to conduct independent research and contribute to existing knowledge.

**Ocean Engineering**

**About the Program**

The University of Miami has a long history in Ocean Engineering. The University of Miami’s College of Engineering together with the Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science offered a Master of Science degree in Ocean Engineering. The program and others of its kind in the nation, were popular in the 1970s and 1980s.

In the past decade, several major incidents – the 2010 Deep Water oil spill in the Gulf of Mexico, a series of devastating hurricanes in 2003-2005 and 2017, and the Japan Tsunami have turned our collective attention to the vulnerability of the nation’s coastal infrastructure. Furthermore there have been significant demands for an increased emphasis on port and harbor security since September 11, 2001. These events have led to a renewed interest in the field of Ocean Engineering, albeit with a new focus and broader scope. Our program offers an MS degree for students not interested in a research based education but rather a practical skills-based training in real world applications of engineering theory.

**Ocean Engineering**

Ocean Engineering concentrates on problems associated with human interaction with the ocean.

- The ocean engineer combines competence as an engineer with both a practical experience in and theoretical understanding of the ocean.
- The Ocean Engineering program, offered jointly with the Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science, is intended to lay the foundation of this competence, experience and understanding.
- The areas of faculty specialization in this program include coastal engineering, off-shore engineering, structures, turbulence, computer modeling of fluids, acoustics, remote sensing and maritime security.
- Tracks offered in the program include Coastal Engineering and Remote Sensing

**Additional Information**

For additional information on this program, including curriculum requirements, please visit: [https://graduate.rsmas.miami.edu/graduate-programs/ocean-engineering/](https://graduate.rsmas.miami.edu/graduate-programs/ocean-engineering/)

M.S. in Ocean Engineering (p. 2305)

**M.S. in Ocean Engineering**

**Overview**

The MS in Ocean Engineering provides participants with a combination of engineering skills and strong scientific knowledge in the marine sciences, preparing them to address a variety of ocean-related engineering concerns (e.g. prepare coastal communities for a changing climate; port and harbor security; coastal observation networks; coastal infrastructure; etc.) in a rational and responsible manner.

The program is open to students who want to pursue a career in engineering or marine science and professionals who have responsibilities in engineering, marine science, business and law fields and want to further their knowledge and skills. According to the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, Ocean Engineering is projected to grow 9% from 2014-2024.

The program has two tracks:
Coastal engineering
Remote sensing and maritime security
Both tracks build upon the unique world-class resources available through the University of Miami’s Center for Southeastern Tropical Advanced Remote Sensing (https://www.cstars.miami.edu/) (CSTARS) satellite receiving facility and Surge Structure Atmosphere Interaction Facility (http://sustain.rsmas.miami.edu/) (SUSTAIN) wind-wave laboratory.

Curriculum Requirements
The curriculum is divided into three groups. The first group of four core courses (12 cr) provides an introduction to the field, as well as analytical tools and theoretical background in the fundamental areas of fluid dynamics and wave propagation.

Requirement for those students entering this program without an engineering background are three terms of Calculus, Ordinary Differential Equations, Physics II, Statics and Dynamics.

The initial semester of the program is designed to introduce students to the different subjects encompassed within modern Ocean Engineering and to provide the fundamental knowledge in oceanic applications of mathematics and fluid mechanics necessary to excel in the later courses.

The student then elects one course (3 cr) from a group focusing on computational (numerical) methods and one course (3cr) from a group focusing on experimental methods. These courses give the student the additional tools needed in the profession.

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Total Credit Hours

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Electives should be chosen based on the intended track of study:
- Track A: Coastal Engineering
- Track B: Remote Sensing and Maritime Security

Mission
The mission of the MS Ocean Engineering degree is to educate students with a combination of strong applied scientific knowledge in the marine sciences and engineering. These students will possess the skills needed to address a range of marine related concerns in a rational and responsible manner.

Goals
Within this context, the objective of the MSOE program is to educate and train students who, upon completion of their degree, are prepared to assume positions in industry, government, academic, and non-governmental institutions that require advanced scientific training and engineering skills in the fields of Applied Remote Sensing and coastal/ocean engineering.

Student Learning Outcomes
- Students will demonstrate competency in applying the applied scientific and engineering knowledge required for employment in the broad field of ocean engineering in the industrial or governmental sector.
Students will demonstrate oral and written communication skills required for employment in the broad field of ocean engineering in the industrial or governmental sector.

**Interdisciplinary**

**Interdisciplinary Degrees**

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**M.A. in Environment, Culture, & Media**

**Overview**

The Abess Center’s MA in Environment, Culture, & Media enables students to tap into synergistic research networks across a range of schools and colleges at the University of Miami, including the College of Arts and Sciences, the Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science, the Miller School of Medicine, the School of Law, School of Education, School of Architecture, and the College of Engineering. This graduate programs draw upon existing interdisciplinary collaborations that have been created by the Abess Center. For more information: [https://abess.miami.edu/academics/masters-degrees/index.html](https://abess.miami.edu/academics/masters-degrees/index.html)

The Master of Arts in Environment, Culture, and Media (ECM) integrates the study of the environment with emerging screen technologies, digital culture, cultural theory, and ethics. For new scientists, the defining creative and intellectual challenge of the 21st century exists in the use and design of digital content aimed at engaging an increasingly participatory media culture. Comparable in its cultural complexity and historical significance to the invention of the book, interactive digital content has become the dominant means of contemporary communication. In today’s leading 21st century career fields, theoretical proficiency with digital and visual culture has become a necessary skill. The proliferation of screen technologies has opened new opportunities and challenges for communicating environmental information. Governmental, non-profit and private sector organizations that deal with a range of scientific issues are scrambling to develop an effective digital presence. Responding to this demand, the ECM program has been designed to address the practical and theoretical aspects of this new environmental culture, preparing students for an expanded and innovative sector of employment opportunities.

This innovative program is the first and only graduate degree of its kind intersecting environmental studies, emerging screen technology, and cultural studies. Surveying public perspectives of the environment across cultures, the ECM program will investigate how societies have perceived natural phenomena in differing ways, and the implications this has had on popular thought and the comprehension of scientific issues. Students in the program will benefit from the Abess Center’s affiliated faculty across UM’s schools, in disciplines such as biology, geology, marine conservation, computer science, archaeology, ecology, and communication.

Students will examine the ways in which various forms of visual media such as Internet blogging, ethnographic film, television, social media, documentary video, user generated content [YouTube], reality TV and so forth affect the reception of scientific media messages in popular culture, international politics, education, and law. The goal of the program is to advance and innovate societal engagement through understanding visual forms of scientific communication, research strategies, public outreach, and education concerning ecosystem science and issues of sustainability.

**Practical aspects will vary based on personal goals, but may include:** negotiating problems in representation of cultures and environments through media, digital media curation, understanding the political economy shaping the production and distribution of environmental media worldwide, designing innovative forms of science communication, research into the social practice of screen use across cultures (from western iPhone addiction to viral videos in South Korea), and analyzing the practical consequences of the media’s representation of specific scientific issues.

This unique program is aimed at a diverse range of students, offering scientific insights to those with social science or humanities backgrounds, and anthropological perspectives to those with science backgrounds. This graduate program will provide students with a foundation in the science that underlies environmental issues, and the ability to integrate media theory with practical use. Students will evaluate the histories and limitations of both analog and digital visual culture as tools of research and communication. By investigating various media forms, students will explore emerging theoretical debates around digital culture and the role of visual artifacts in shaping societal values and perceptions of the environment. Students will be exposed to ethical issues through an anthropological lens that examines and contextualizes how knowledge and culture are created, transmitted, and maintained through visual culture.

Employment opportunities in this field require an advanced degree. **Students in the MA track will be required to complete a research thesis, they are not required to complete an internship, but may also pursue an internship during their studies.** The program is designed to prepare graduates of the MA for a range of careers, including for example: environmental media consultant (Google), digital content curator (U.S. National Parks), climate and energy campaigner (Greenpeace), and director of green initiatives campaigns (Toyota). **Graduates of the MA program will be prepared to go on to doctoral studies and other research related employment.**
One of the central challenges we face as a society is an array of complex, large scale environmental problems. The ECM program will train students with diverse backgrounds in the use and conceptual design of visual and digital content for engaging an increasingly participatory media culture to address these challenges.

**Curriculum Requirements**

*For more info:* [http://abess.miami.edu/cesp/academics/ecm/degree-program-requirements/](http://abess.miami.edu/cesp/academics/ecm/degree-program-requirements/)

**Degree Requirements for the ECM MA**

Completion of the MA will take 18 months (three semesters).

Prerequisite: students admitted into the program must have earned a Bachelor’s degree with a minimum 3.0 GPA.

**Core Courses and Credit Requirements**

Students must complete 18 credits worth of coursework in the following core courses:

- ECS 609  Contemporary Media Representations of the Environment
- ECS 610  Technology and Human Behavior
- ECS 611  Nature, the Anthropocene, and Visual Anthropology
- ECS 612  Environmental Communication, New Media & Policy

6 credits  Research Thesis (MA) or Internship Report (MPS)

The 12 remaining credits are chosen electives that align with each student’s interest.

**Mission**

The media play a major role in influencing public perception of environmental problems and solutions. Effective understanding of the global and local drivers of consumption and risk perception require crosscultural understanding of the interpretation of print and visual media. Complementing an understanding of the media’s influence in environmental issues is a pressing need to create effective communication strategies, and products for education, entertainment, and warning. Successfully communicating probabilistic scientific information is a particularly critical and challenging endeavor. The mission of this program is to prepare a new generation of students for the hybrid role of science-communicator, a position for which the current generation of academics is under-equipped.

**Goals**

The MA degree will provide excellent preparation for employment on local, regional, and international levels in areas of interactive media curation, sustainability awareness, science education, government and non-profit work, and corporate marketing strategies.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Thorough understanding of the theories, processes, and interactions of media and environmental studies, policy, and justice.

**ECS 601. Interdisciplinary Environmental Research: Introduction to the Why and the How. 3 Credit Hours.**

The why and the how of developing and implementing interdisciplinary environmental research; research objectives and design choices informed by philosophies of knowledge and policy relevance. Assignments include development of research questions, a preliminary literature review, a draft dissertation proposal, and oral communication of research. Course is structured around peer critique and discussion of work in progress.

*Components:* DIS.
*Grading:* GRD.
*Typically Offered:* Fall.

**ECS 603. Interdisciplinary Environmental Methods. 3 Credit Hours.**

Environmental methods related to core programmatic themes of Urban Ecology, Global Public Health, Climate and Society, Environment and the Media, Integrated Marine and Terrestrial Management, and Regulatory Regimes. The course focuses on the application of Interdisciplinary approaches and methods for addressing complex environmental problems. Students will learn to design and employ interdisciplinary approaches, using qualitative and quantitative methods and analysis, through lectures, reading assignments, discussion sessions, and assignments.

*Requisite:* Plan of Ecosystem Science and Policy.
*Components:* SEM.
*Grading:* GRD.
*Typically Offered:* Fall.
ECS 605. Interdisciplinary Environmental Law and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of science-based environmental decision-making and policy implementation at the federal and state levels in the United States, with comparative international perspectives, and an introduction to international institutions that fashion and carry out environmental policy. Case studies will cover authorization, appropriations and oversight functions of Congress and state legislatures; the role of the executive, federal and state, in initiating and implementing statutes by regulation and other means; and the role of negotiation, litigation, mediation and consensus-building in resolving disputes and advancing or thwarting environmental policy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

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Approaches to studying and interpreting human behavior related to a range of decision making at the level of individual, group, and firm. Multidisciplinary theories and methods informing work in the decision sciences will be covered from fields of psychology, business, economics, political science, and anthropology.
Requisite: Plan of Ecosystem Science and Policy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECS 608. Interdisciplinary ECS Seminar. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Seminar centering on research and case studies illustrating cutting edge human-environment research, and including both qualitative and quantitative methods. Intensive reading and writing related to relevant topics in the field.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECS 609. Contemporary Representations of the Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will combine media studies, environmental studies, and critical theory to give students a broad introduction to ways in which screen media are used today to represent both the natural world and also environmental issues such as climate change, animal extinction, and natural resource use. From more conventional media such as feature fiction films (e.g. Wall-e, The Day After Tomorrow, Avatar), documentary films (e.g. An Inconvenient Truth, HBO's Gasland), and television news coverage, to more niche formats like Google Earth's global mapping and in-dash monitors that depict miles-per-gallon, screen technology has long been and is increasingly used to mediate our relationship with surrounding ecosystems. Students will look at mainstream television channels (e.g. Discover, National Geographic, and the Weather Channel) alongside the digital campaigns of agencies and institutions directly aimed at conservation efforts, including the ecotourism industry, non-profit environmental groups, and governmental bodies such as the National Parks Service. In addition, this course will investigate the increasing role of interactive media in museums and science centers, as well as the rising power of social media in disseminating news regarding environmental issues.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECS 610. Technology and Human Behavior. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will explore the social aspects of technology use and cultural adaptation through cross-cultural ethnographic research on science and traditional beliefs. From the adoption of chainsaws in Amazonian forestry to the use of smart watches in Japanese cities, technological choice will be examined through psychological theories of behavior, socio-cultural perspectives, and institutional and economic forces. Reflecting the rising social, cultural, scientific, and political importance of emerging digital culture (e.g. virtual reality, smart devices, artificial intelligence), a key focus of the second half of the course will focus on philosophical notions of post-human cyborgism. Students will be introduced to recent research on the cognitive issues of social media use and consumption, including social media addiction and other neurological impacts of chronic screen use. Coursework will connect historical understandings and larger social analysis of digital media use and encourage students to participate in an ongoing exploration of their own technological choices and media practices. Students will also be exposed to multidisciplinary theories and research on risk perception and the psychology and effectiveness of environmental messaging in order to address how various media technologies impact individual and collective thinking and action.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ECS 611. Nature, the Anthropocene, and Visual Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
Different cultural and historical contexts have conceived of humanity's relationship to the natural world in vastly different ways, from 'sacred and part of' to 'separate from' and 'steward over.' A culture's techniques of representation, use of imagery, and ways of seeing are a key part of the shaping of its worldview and cognitive framework of shared ideas and beliefs. This course is an opportunity for students to use an anthropologist's eye to actively engage with the human production of knowledge about the natural world through visual culture. Rather than approaching visual anthropology with its usual divide between 'anthropological content' and 'aesthetic composition,' this course will foster both approaches as it examines human perceptions of the environment from prehistoric cave paintings to modern day street art. Key elements of visual anthropology will be introduced, including symbols and symbolism, reflexivity, visual data of everyday life, art analysis, ethics, society-as-text paradigm, urban visual data, and ways of conceiving systems of visual representation. Representations of Other will be analyzed through theories of the exotic, gender, race, post-colonialism, nationalism, and heritage studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECS 612. Environmental Communication, New Media, and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Facebook and Twitter to the rhetorical film essay documentaries that have waged ideological wars over the past twenty years, screen and new media are an increasingly powerful force in the shaping of policy, political awareness, and popular ideological views of the environment. This course will draw on critical approaches of media theory, rhetoric, and political science to study and interpret the political use of visual media. Just as FDR's WPA used film to propagandize the agricultural importance of public works, and Hollywood has been harnessed for ecological causes from natural conservation to climate change, today screen and digital media (e.g. television commercials, podcasts, social media blasts) are the driving force of PR campaigns for both governmental bodies and private companies that greatly impact environmental understanding and policy. From information to misinformation, viral content streams constantly onto screens across the world, whose apps are also used for activism and citizen science—students will look at what strategies of circulation and rhetoric are used to wage digital campaigns to communicate and shape ecological values and policy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECS 615. Environment, Culture, and Media Internship. 3-6 Credit Hours.
This course is for hands-on experience and research culminating in a final Master's internship report. Students will enroll in 3-6 credits while completing their internship and researching their final project for the ECM Masters of Professional Science.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECS 672. Special Topics in ECS. 0-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in class schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECS 680. Field Studies. 1-4 Credit Hours.
This course will provide participants with the opportunity for intensive field research geared toward an interdisciplinary understanding of environmental issues and conservation concerns.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

ECS 725. Problems in Environmental Science and Policy. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Content and prerequisites announced when offered. Course may be repeated for credit if content varies.
Requisite: Plan of Ecosystem Science and Policy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECS 790. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individually supervised readings on special topics. Offered by arrangement with the instructor. May be retaken for credit.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECS 814. Environment, Culture, and Media Thesis. 3-6 Credit Hours.
This course is for research culminating in a Master’s thesis. Students will enroll in 3-6 credits while researching and writing their final project for the ECM Masters of Arts.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
Theoretical debates around digital culture and the role of visual artifacts in shaping societal values and perceptions of the environment. Students will both analog and digital visual culture as tools of research and communication. By investigating various media forms, students will explore emerging underlies environmental issues, and the ability to integrate media theory with practical use. Students will evaluate the histories and limitations of anthropological perspectives to those with science backgrounds. This graduate program will provide students with a foundation in the science that underlies environmental issues, and the ability to integrate media theory with practical use. Students will evaluate the histories and limitations of both analog and digital visual culture as tools of research and communication. By investigating various media forms, students will explore emerging theoretical debates around digital culture and the role of visual artifacts in shaping societal values and perceptions of the environment. Students will

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**Employment opportunities in this field require an advanced degree, and most require participatory field experience in the form of an internship.** Students in the MPS track will be required to complete an internship and submit an internship report. The program is designed to prepare graduates of the MPS for a range of careers, including for example: environmental media consultant (Google), digital content curator (U.S. National Parks), climate and energy campaigner (Greenpeace), and director of green initiatives campaigns (Toyota).

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**Curriculum**

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**Degree Requirements for the ECM MPS**

Completion of the MPS/MA will take 18 months (three semesters).

**Core Courses and Credit Requirements**

Students must complete 18 credits worth of coursework in the following core courses:

ECS 609  Contemporary Media Representations of the Environment

ECS 610  Technology and Human Behavior

ECS 611  Nature, the Anthropocene, and Visual Anthropology

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**Goals**

The MPA degree will provide excellent preparation for employment on local, regional, and international levels in areas of interactive media curation, sustainability awareness, science education, government and non-profit work, and corporate marketing strategies.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

• Thorough understanding of the theories, processes, and interactions of media and environmental studies, policy, and justice.

**ECS 601. Interdisciplinary Environmental Research: Introduction to the Why and the How. 3 Credit Hours.**

The why and the how of developing and implementing interdisciplinary environmental research; research objectives and design choices informed by philosophies of knowledge and policy relevance. Assignments include development of research questions, a preliminary literature review, a draft dissertation proposal, and oral communication of research. Course is structured around peer critique and discussion of work in progress.

**Components:** DIS.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall.
ECS 603. Interdisciplinary Environmental Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
Environmental methods related to core programmatic themes of Urban Ecology, Global Public Health, Climate and Society, Environment and the Media, Integrated Marine and Terrestrial Management, and Regulatory Regimes. The course focuses on the application of interdisciplinary approaches and methods for addressing complex environmental problems. Students will learn to design and employ interdisciplinary approaches, using qualitative and quantitative methods and analysis, through lectures, reading assignments, discussion sessions, and assignments.
Requisite: Plan of Ecosystem Science and Policy.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

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Components: LEC.
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Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

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Requisite: Plan of Ecosystem Science and Policy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECS 608. Interdisciplinary ECS Seminar. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Seminar centering on research and case studies illustrating cutting edge human-environment research, and including both qualitative and quantitative methods. Intensive reading and writing related to relevant topics in the field.
Components: SEM.
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Typically Offered: Fall.

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Typically Offered: Fall.
ECS 611. Nature, the Anthropocene, and Visual Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
Different cultural and historical contexts have conceived of humanity’s relationship to the natural world in vastly different ways, from ‘sacred and part of’ to ‘separate from’ and ‘steward over.’ A culture’s techniques of representation, use of imagery, and ways of seeing are a key part of the shaping of its worldview and cognitive framework of shared ideas and beliefs. This course is an opportunity for students to use an anthropologist’s eye to actively engage with the human production of knowledge about the natural world through visual culture. Rather than approaching visual anthropology with its usual divide between ‘anthropological content’ and ‘aesthetic composition,’ this course will foster both approaches as it examines human perceptions of the environment from prehistoric cave paintings to modern day street art. Key elements of visual anthropology will be introduced, including symbols and symbolism, reflexivity, visual data of everyday life, art analysis, ethics, society-as-text paradigm, urban visual data, and ways of conceiving systems of visual representation. Representations of Other will be analyzed through theories of the exotic, gender, race, post-colonialism, nationalism, and heritage studies.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECS 612. Environmental Communication, New Media, and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Facebook and Twitter to the rhetorical film essay documentaries that have waged ideological wars over the past twenty years, screen and new media are an increasingly powerful force in the shaping of policy, political awareness, and popular ideological views of the environment. This course will draw on critical approaches of media theory, rhetoric, and political science to study and interpret the political use of visual media. Just as FDR's WPA used film to propagandize the agricultural importance of public works, and Hollywood has been harnessed for ecological causes from natural conservation to climate change, today screen and digital media (e.g. television commercials, podcasts, social media blasts) are the driving force of PR campaigns for both governmental bodies and private companies that greatly impact environmental understanding and policy. From information to misinformation, viral content streams constantly onto screens across the world, whose apps are also used for activism and citizen science—students will look at what strategies of circulation and rhetoric are used to wage digital campaigns to communicate and shape ecological values and policy.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECS 615. Environment, Culture, and Media Internship. 3-6 Credit Hours.
This course is for hands-on experience and research culminating in a final Master's internship report. Students will enroll in 3-6 credits while completing their internship and researching their final project for the ECM Masters of Professional Science.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECS 672. Special Topics in ECS. 0-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in class schedule.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECS 680. Field Studies. 1-4 Credit Hours.
This course will provide participants with the opportunity for intensive field research geared toward an interdisciplinary understanding of environmental issues and conservation concerns.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

ECS 725. Problems in Enviromental Science and Policy. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Content and prerequisites announced when offered. Course may be repeated for credit if content varies.
Requisite: Plan of Ecosystem Science and Policy.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECS 790. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individually supervised readings on special topics. Offered by arrangement with the instructor. May be retaken for credit.

Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECS 814. Environment, Culture, and Media Thesis. 3-6 Credit Hours.
This course is for research culminating in a Master's thesis. Students will enroll in 3-6 credits while researching and writing their final project for the ECM Masters of Arts.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
ECS 820. Master's Research. 0-9 Credit Hours.
Individual study for students exiting the doctoral program without a successful dissertation proposal.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECS 830. Pre-Candidacy Research. 1-9 Credit Hours.
Research for ECS Ph.D. students who have not attained candidacy.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECS 840. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required for all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor but not for less than a total of 13 credits total. No more than 12 hours of ECS 730 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECS 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Ph.D. in Environmental Science and Policy
Dept. Code: ECSD

Through the Graduate School, the Abess Center for Ecosystem Science and Policy offers an interdisciplinary course of study leading to a Ph.D. Details regarding areas of specialization can be found at the Abess Center website (http://www.cesp.miami.edu/). Doctoral students are supported by research assistantships, which include tuition remission and a monthly stipend. All students are also required to serve satisfactorily for two terms as teaching assistants in the Abess Center undergraduate program.

Prerequisite
Students admitted to the program must have earned a bachelor’s or master’s degree and should display a strong interest in the interdisciplinary study of ecosystem science and policy.

Curriculum Requirements

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Proposed Additional Courses ¹

Additional Courses to get to 60 Credits
Examinations ²
Dissertation ³

Total Credit Hours

1 By the end of their second semester, students must submit a proposed group of additional courses, totaling at least 18 hours, related to their research interest and intended dissertation research area. This group of courses requires approval of both the student’s advisor and the Director of Graduate Studies.
Mission

The Environmental Science and Policy (ECS) graduate program was formulated in response to increasing societal demand for academicians and practitioners at the Ph.D. level with interdisciplinary training aimed at addressing complex problems concerning the impact of human activity and global climate change on so-called linked social-ecological systems. Our graduate program targets top caliber students whose demonstrated skills and interests bridge science and social science, and who seek the theoretical and analytical skills to address human-environment problems from academic and applied perspectives.

Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will demonstrate command of interdisciplinary environmental policy literature.
- Students will demonstrate the ability to perform sound interdisciplinary analyses of environmental problems and formulate sound interdisciplinary research approaches.
- Students will exhibit an ability to communicate effectively in oral presentations and in writing.

Marine and Atmospheric Science

The Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science (RSMAS) was established in 1943 as the Marine Laboratory of the University of Miami. It has grown from its modest beginnings in a boathouse to be one of the nation's leading institutions for oceanographic and atmospheric research and education.

Originally a tropical marine biological facility, the Marine Laboratory initiated a program of studies leading to the Master of Science degree in 1949. In 1953, laboratory and classroom buildings were constructed on the School's present campus on Virginia Key, and in the late fifties, the Marine Laboratory expanded its staff and developed its oceanographic capabilities in response to the increased interest in scientific research in the United States. It became the Institute of Marine Science in 1961. Ocean-going research vessels were acquired, and additional buildings were constructed to accommodate new wide-ranging projects. In 1969 the Institute, now a School, was named for Dorothy H. and Lewis Rosenstiel in recognition of a major contribution made through the Rosenstiel Foundation to encourage progress in the marine and atmospheric sciences at the University of Miami.

Today, RSMAS has a faculty of 70 scientists who conduct sponsored research while offering graduate studies leading to the Master of Professional Science, Master of Science, and Doctor of Philosophy degrees. The School offers graduate programs in Atmospheric Sciences, Marine Ecosystems and Society, Marine Biology and Ecology, Marine Geosciences, Meteorology and Physical Oceanography, Ocean Engineering, and Ocean Sciences. Undergraduate programs leading to a Bachelor of Science in Marine and Atmospheric Science (with majors in Marine Science, and Meteorology), and a Bachelor of Arts in Marine Affairs are also offered.

RSMAS uses multiple laboratory and high-performance computing facilities and a state-of-the art catamaran. The Marine Technology and Life Sciences Seawater Complex (MTLSSC), opened in 2014, houses studies that rely on seawater for observing air-sea interactions in a controlled environment and for holding, spawning and rearing marine organisms. This complex is the centerpiece of an updated RSMAS campus. The catamaran, named the F. G. Walton Smith, in honor of the founder of the Rosenstiel School has been in service since 2000. The 96-foot-long catamaran is able to explore the deep ocean as well as normally inaccessible shallow environments such as reefs, mangroves and grassbeds.

Academic Programs

The Rosenstiel School is made up of seven academic programs:

- Atmospheric Sciences (p. 2328)
- Marine Biology and Ecology (p. 2353)
- Marine Ecosystems and Society (p. 2371)
- Marine Geosciences (p. 2423)
• Meteorology and Physical Oceanography (p. 2436)
• Ocean Engineering (p. 2305)
  • The College of Engineering and the Rosenstiel School offer a joint program that leads to a non-thesis M.S. degree in Ocean Engineering.
• Ocean Sciences (p. 2450)

General Degree Requirements
Master of Professional Science (M.P.S.) Program
The Master of Professional Science (M.P.S.) degree offers many tracks within the departments of Atmospheric Sciences, Marine Biology and Ecology, Marine Ecosystems and Society, and Ocean Sciences. The curriculum is structured to allow students to complete their degree in as little as 12 months (for select tracks), with the training and real-world experience necessary to prepare them for careers in today's professional science job market.

Checklist
All M.P.S. students should follow the M.P.S. Checklist (https://mps.rsmas.miami.edu/our-students/form/), which indicates all the milestones that must completed in order to graduate from the Rosenstiel School.

Credit Hour Requirements
M.P.S. students must complete 30 credits of graduate coursework, with a minimum, cumulative GPA of 3.0 to graduate with the M.P.S. degree. These credits are typically distributed as follows: 24 course credits and maximum 6 internship credits. All RSMAS students are required to complete the Research Ethics course (RSM 700).

Academic Advisor and Committee Chair
Students will be assigned an Academic Advisor during their first semester in residence. The advisor must hold an appointment in the department representing each student's track. This individual will offer guidance regarding University expectations, coursework, registration, program details, and graduation requirements. At the beginning of the first semester, the student and the Academic Advisor will establish the curriculum to be followed, based on the student's personal and professional goals and M.P.S. track requirements. During a student's second semester in residence (Fall or Spring), each student will begin forming their internship committee, starting with the committee chair. This person can be different from the student's academic advisor. The Committee Chair acts as a resource to the student regarding career guidance and the selection of an appropriate internship, as well as providing guidance during the internship and report/presentation creation. Any RSMAS graduate faculty member may act as a committee chair, but it should be someone with relevant experience in the students chosen career/internship path. Students should identify their chair no later than the end of the second semester.

Committee
All M.P.S. students must have a graduate committee of at least 3 members. This committee will include a committee chair from the RSMAS faculty (described above), an additional faculty member from UM, and one outside committee member, who is usually the direct supervisor at the student's internship. Each member should be an expert in the student's chosen track, and more specifically, the topic of their final report. Though deviations from these guidelines are possible, they must be approved by the M.P.S. Associate Dean and Program Director. The Appointment to Student Committee (https://mps.rsmas.miami.edu/our-students/form/) form solidifies the committee and is due 1 week after starting an internship.

Comprehensive Examination
Students must respond to and successfully pass 4 comprehensive exams during his or her time in residence. The exams will be written and will be based on core course content. Your overall evaluation for all 4 comprehensive exams is cumulative. The Program Director will collect the exams from your course instructors and submit your comprehensive exam's final report (indicating your overall result) to you via email upon completion of your 4th comprehensive exam. The Comprehensive Exam form (https://mps.rsmas.miami.edu/our-students/form/) will be used to indicate your overall result. In the event of a failure, a student may be re-examined once, or choose a different course's exam. Successful completion of 4 comprehensive exams is a requirement for graduation.

Pre-Internship
Before commencing an internship, a student must:

• Submit the Internship Commitment Form (https://mps.rsmas.miami.edu/our-students/form/) including a 1-page summary of the proposed project, highlighting the timeline, goals, expectations, and objectives of your internship.
• Complete at least 12 graduate-level credits with a minimum GPA of 3.0.
• Removal all I (Incomplete), NG (No Grades), grades lower than C-, and deficiencies such as: failure to submit items listed on student's Certificate of Admission; failure to complete online courses (RSM 700); failure to successfully pass 4 comprehensive exams.

Internship
Each student will be required to complete an internship with an organization engaged in some activity associated with marine and/or atmospheric science and identify an Internship Supervisor. Such organizations can be national or international agencies, private corporations, or foreign governments with clearly defined marine and/or atmospheric-oriented programs or activities. Internships can be either paid or unpaid by the organization, or interns can complete the internship by formal participation in a University-sponsored program in some area of marine
or atmospheric science. The Internship Commitment Form (https://mps.rsmas.miami.edu/our-students/form/) is due no later than 2 weeks after the start of an internship, but should ideally be completed before the internship begins. Additionally, a detailed synopsis of a proposed contribution to the hosting organization is required as a formal proposal no later than 1 month after the start date. The internship proposal will include: an introduction to the topic (i.e., a literature review), a statement of the problem, the purpose of the study, methods and materials (i.e., the proposed activities and analyses), a timeline, and plans for disseminating the information. The internship proposal template and guidelines are available on the M.P.S. website (https://mps.rsmas.miami.edu/our-students/form/).

Institutions may release an intern before the end of the proposed time commitment, and an intern may also terminate the position with an institution at any time, provided there are significant reasons not to proceed. In either case, due process will include a conference with the intern, the supervisor, and the student’s academic committee members. The resolution of any problems should occur during this meeting. However, should the problems continue, or are deemed to be irreparable/irrevocable, the internship may be terminated, and the plans for the involved student will be reevaluated by the student’s committee.

Internship Report
The final grade (Pass/Fail) will be based on a written report and an oral presentation. The final assessment will be based on a written report and an oral presentation. The internship report is not a summary of involvement but rather a contributory assessment of the experience, including developmental insight and a summary of any research performed. Copies of the final, approved report should be distributed as follows:

- One electronic copy to each member of student’s committee
- One copy for the representative agency, institution, or business (electronic and/or hard copy, at their request)
- One electronic copy (as a Word document file), plus the fully-signed title page (PDF or hard copy is accepted) submitted via e-mail to the M.P.S. Office

Oral Presentation
A strict requirement for the completion of the M.P.S. degree is an oral presentation. Oral presentations should be no longer than 30 minutes in length (includes time for Q&A from the committee and other attendees), should include a visual component (e.g., PowerPoint, Prezi, etc.), and may not be scheduled until all committee members have edited at least one draft of the internship report. Additionally, the PowerPoint (or equivalent) must be reviewed and edited by your Committee Chair, and all committee members must be invited to the presentation, to attend either in person or virtually (e.g., Skype, GoToMeeting, etc.). If presenting at RSMAS, please coordinate with your committee to identify a mutually agreeable time and date, and then follow the instructions and deadlines on the M.P.S. Graduation Checklist (https://mps.rsmas.miami.edu/our-students/form/). If presenting off-campus or at a different UM campus (e.g., Coral Gables, Medical, etc.), follow the instructions above as well as those listed on the checklist. Hosting an oral presentation and submitting its visual content (e.g., PowerPoint, Prezi, PDF) to the M.P.S. Office is a requirement for graduation.

Conference Attendance
Though not mandatory, M.P.S. students are strongly encouraged to attend a scientific conference during their academic residency at RSMAS.

Graduation
Students must be registered for at least 1 graduate-level credit during the semester in which they plan to graduate. Also, all students must have at least a 3.0 cumulative GPA, all passing grades, 30 graduate level credits total on his/her graduate record in order to graduate from the M.P.S. program. All M.P.S. students, including joint J.D./M.P.S. students, must apply to graduate via CaneLink during the semester in which they intend to graduate. Application deadlines for graduation are available on the Academic Calendar (https://registrar.miami.edu/dates-and-deadlines/academic-calendars/). If you applied to graduate, and then elected to defer graduation to a future term, you must apply for graduation again. Students who applied for Spring graduation but chose to defer to Summer graduation must notify the M.P.S. Office via email.

J.D./M.P.S. students can only apply to graduate from the UM School of Law via CaneLink. J.D./M.P.S. students must email the M.P.S. Office of his or her intent to graduate and indicate the semester for graduation.

All M.P.S. students, regardless of track, must follow the deadlines and instructions listed on the M.P.S. Graduation Checklist (https://mps.rsmas.miami.edu/our-students/form/) for successful clearance by the M.P.S. Office. Students who fail to complete the requirements listed on the M.P.S. Graduation Checklist (https://mps.rsmas.miami.edu/our-students/form/) will not be cleared for graduation. Clearance delays will delay the release of a student’s degree/ diploma.

Master of Science (M.S.) Program
The Master of Science (M.S.) degree is offered in Atmospheric Sciences, Marine Biology and Ecology, Marine Ecosystems and Society, Marine Geosciences, Meteorology and Physical Oceanography, and Ocean Sciences. The expected time to completion for the M.S. degree is two years of full-time study.

Checklist and Academic Plan
Each student should follow the RSMAS Checklist for Defense and Graduation (https://www.graduate.rsmas.miami.edu/students/forms-guidelines-and-handbooks/), which will guide the student through all the milestones required in order to graduate from the Rosenstiel School. This begins with an Academic Plan (https://www.graduate.rsmas.miami.edu/students/forms-guidelines-and-handbooks/) that identifies the number of courses a student must complete to be eligible for graduation, according to Program Handbook. Part I should be reviewed and
completed by the student and Program Director during the first semester; Part II must be completed at least one semester before expected graduation.

**Credit Hour Requirements**

M.S. students are required to take a minimum of 30 credit hours, which consists of 24 graduate course credits (of which 18 must be taken at UM) and 6 research credits, PGM 810 (“PGM” is the program abbreviation). All RSMAS students are required to complete the Research Ethics course (RSM 700).

M.S. students with prior graduate coursework from another accredited institution may transfer up to 6 course credits (with grades of "B" or above) with approval from the Program Director. Credit hours that pertain to or have been counted toward another degree cannot be transferred. Work taken more than six years prior to transfer will not be accepted; all work transferred is subject to examination by the program. Students must have an approved Academic Plan (https://www.graduate.rsmas.miami.edu/students/forms-guidelines-and-handbooks/) on file prior to completing the Graduate School’s Petition for Transfer of Credit (https://grad.miami.edu/policies-and-forms/forms/).

Any student whose cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA) falls below 3.0 will receive written notice from their Program with copies to the Graduate Studies Office (GSO) stating that they are on academic probation. Any graduate student who receives this warning letter must meet the full standards of academic progress set forth by the University by the end of the subsequent semester. Students who fail to meet the cumulative GPA requirement have failed to meet the satisfactory academic progress standards established by the university and are no longer eligible to receive any graduate assistantship, fellowship or tuition scholarship and are subject to dismissal from the school.

**Committee**

The “Thesis Committee” described in the UM Graduate Student Handbook (https://www.grad.miami.edu/policies-and-forms/) is commonly known as the student’s “Committee” at RSMAS. Specific requirements for committee formation are set by the UM Graduate School (https://www.grad.miami.edu/policies-and-forms/); individual programs may have additional requirements.

The thesis committee will consist of not less than three members. The committee chair must be regular faculty (https://www.grad.miami.edu/graduate-education/graduate-faculty/) from the student’s program or department of concentration (this includes secondary appointments). In addition to the chair, one of the remaining members must also be regular faculty or have graduate faculty status (https://www.grad.miami.edu/graduate-education/graduate-faculty/) in the student’s program or department of concentration; the third member must be an outside member.

Once the Committee is formed (typically by the end of the first year), the Appointment to Student’s Committee (https://www.graduate.rsmas.miami.edu/students/forms-guidelines-and-handbooks/) form should be completed, approved by all members and the Program Director, then submitted to GSO. The Committee should meet regularly to review the student’s progress, and prepare a short report on research directions with the student. Proposed changes to the membership of a committee must be approved by the Committee Chair and must carry the endorsement of the Program Director. Approved changes to the Committee must be submitted to GSO using the Change to Student’s Committee (https://www.graduate.rsmas.miami.edu/students/forms-guidelines-and-handbooks/) form.

**Comprehensive Examination**

A comprehensive examination may be required by the end of the first year. Whether or not to host the exam, as well as the required content and format, is at the discretion of each program. The Comprehensive Exam (https://www.graduate.rsmas.miami.edu/students/forms-guidelines-and-handbooks/) form notifying GSO of the outcome must be submitted by the Committee Chair and approved by the Program Director.

**Thesis Proposal and Proposal Defense**

The thesis proposal, containing the items listed below, must be defended and approved by the student’s Committee. The purpose of the proposal defense is to certify the readiness of the student to conduct thesis research, as well as facilitate an open discussion regarding the objectives of the thesis and the relevant experimental approach.

1. Tentative title
2. Statement of the problem and objectives
3. Methodology, including equipment and facilities required
4. Timetable

The Thesis Proposal (https://www.graduate.rsmas.miami.edu/students/forms-guidelines-and-handbooks/) (https://www.graduate.rsmas.miami.edu/students/forms-guidelines-and-handbooks/) form must be approved by the members of the student’s Committee and Program Director. The completed form must be submitted to GSO with the approved copy of the proposal.

**Thesis Defense**

Before scheduling the defense, a student must fulfill the following requirements:

- Have an approved committee on file
- Pass the comprehensive exam (if applicable)
• Submit and successfully defend the thesis proposal
• Have a minimum 3.0 GPA in all credits earned
• Remove all incomplete grades or deficiencies

The defense must occur by the "Deadline to Defend" during the semester a student intends to graduate. Students must be enrolled for research credits during the semester of defense. The Announcement of Defense form must be submitted to GSO at least 14 days prior to the defense date. The student is responsible for reserving the room and obtaining approvals from all Committee members and Program Director. Each committee member must be given no less than 14 days to review material prior to approving the Announcement of Defense. Thus, the student must provide the Committee with a complete version of the dissertation at least 1 month prior to the desired defense date. If a student is receiving a stipend, the Student Payroll End Date form should accompany the Announcement of Defense. The Committee Chair should notify GSO of the outcome of the defense via the Completion of Defense memo and Defense Rubric.

Thesis Submission
All graduating students must adhere to the ETD guidelines provided by the Graduate School. In addition to submitting an electronic copy of their manuscript to the UM Scholarly Repository, students must complete the following forms by the deadlines specified in the Academic Calendar.

1. Certificate of Defense Approval: This form is the student's proof of successful defense. Students must prepare this form at least one week before the defense date for committee members to electronically sign after the successful defense.
2. ETD Final Content Approval Form: This form replaces the signed hard copy of the signature page to formally document the Committee's approval of the content in the final manuscript. Students must complete this form prior to uploading the final manuscript to the Scholarly Repository.
3. ETD Availability Agreement Form: This form informs the Graduate School of the availability option for the final manuscript in the UM Scholarly Repository.

Graduation Clearance and Submission Deadlines
A student must apply for graduation during the semester in which they intend to graduate. Applications must be submitted online through Canelink by the deadline specified on the Academic Calendar. The defense and submission deadlines are set by the Graduate School. If a student applies for graduation and does not meet the Deadline for Completion, they must reapply for graduation for the following semester. A graduating student must submit a Clearance Form to GSO prior to the last day of the semester. In order to be cleared for graduation, the student must satisfy the minimum degree requirements set by the Program and Graduate School; fulfill all milestones noted on the RSMAS Checklist for Defense and Graduation; and complete the Graduate School's form must be submitted by the identified deadlines. The Clearance Form must be returned to GSO prior to the last day of the semester.

Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) Program
The Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) degree is offered in Atmospheric Sciences, Marine Biology and Ecology, Marine Ecosystems and Society, Marine Geosciences, Meteorology and Physical Oceanography, and Ocean Sciences. The expected time to completion for a Ph.D. degree is five years. A student in residence in the program beyond 8 years requires approval by the Program Director and Associate Dean.

Checklist and Academic Plan
Each student should follow the RSMAS Checklist for Defense and Graduation, which will guide the student through all the milestones required in order to graduate from the Rosenstiel School. This begins with an Academic Plan that identifies the number of courses a student must complete to be eligible for graduation, according to the Program Handbook. Part I should be reviewed and completed by the student and Program Director during the first semester; Part II must be completed at least one semester before expected graduation.

Credit Hour Requirements
Each program sets their own requirements with regard to course and research credits. PGM 830 (where "PGM" is the program abbreviation), as stated in the Program Handbook, as long as a minimum of 60 total credits are taken. The Graduate School requires at least 24 credit hours and a minimum of 12 dissertation credit hours taken in residence at UM. It is up to each program to determine, upon admission whether a student requires more course credits to fulfill the Ph.D. requirements. Ph.D. students entering with a Master's Degree from another accredited university may apply up to 24 course credits toward their Ph.D. degree at the discretion of the Graduate Program Director. Individual programs may require
more course credits to remove deficiencies. Of the 36 remaining credits needed for the Ph.D., a minimum of 12 must be taken as research credits (PGM 830). All RSMAS students are required to complete the Research Ethics course (RSM 700).

Ph.D. students with prior graduate coursework from another accredited institution and have not earned a graduate degree may transfer up to 9 course credits (with grades of "B" or above) with approval from the Program Director. Students must have an approved Academic Plan (https://www.graduate.rsmas.miami.edu/students/forms-guidelines-and-handbooks/) on file prior to completing the Graduate School's Petition for Transfer of Credit (https://grad.miami.edu/policies-and-forms/forms/). Credit hour transferred is subject to the same recency rules as all other credit hour counted toward the degree, and is also subject to examination by the program.

Any student whose cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA) falls below 3.0 will receive written notice from their Program with copies to GSO stating that they are on academic probation. Any graduate student who receives this warning letter must meet the full standards of academic progress set forth by the University by the end of the subsequent semester. Students who fail to meet the cumulative GPA requirement have failed to meet the satisfactory academic progress standards established by the university and are no longer eligible to receive any graduate assistantship, fellowship or tuition scholarship and are subject to dismissal from the school.

Committee
The "Supervisory Committee" and "Dissertation Committee" described in the UM Graduate Student Handbook (https://www.grad.miami.edu/policies-and-forms/) are commonly known as the student's "Committee" at RSMAS, and are normally the same committee. Specific requirements for committee formation are set by the UM Graduate School (https://www.grad.miami.edu/policies-and-forms/); individual programs may have additional requirements.

The dissertation committee is composed of at least four members; this includes the committee chair (i.e. the primary research mentor/ advisor), who may or may not be from the student's program, department or school (this includes secondary appointments), and must be a permanent member of the graduate faculty. Of the remaining members, it is also required that two shall be members of the program or department of concentration, as well as permanent members of the graduate faculty, and one from outside the program or department of concentration. A program may require additional members.

Once the Committee is formed (typically in the second year), the Appointment to Student's Committee (https://wwwgraduate.rsmas.miami.edu/students/forms-guidelines-and-handbooks/) form should be completed, approved by all members and the Program Director, then submitted to GSO. The Committee should meet regularly to review the student's progress, and prepare a short report on progress and research directions with the student. Proposed changes to the membership of a committee must be approved by the Committee Chair and must carry the endorsement of the Program Director. Approved changes to the Committee must be submitted to GSO using the Change to Student's Committee (https://www.graduate.rsmas.miami.edu/students/forms-guidelines-and-handbooks/) form.

Comprehensive Examination
A comprehensive examination may be required by the end of the first year. Whether or not to host the exam, as well as the required content and format, is at the discretion of each program. The Comprehensive Exam (https://www.graduate.rsmas.miami.edu/students/forms-guidelines-and-handbooks/) form notifying GSO of the outcome must be submitted by the Committee Chair and approved by the Program Director. In the event of a failure, a student may be re-examined once, upon the advice of the student's advisor and/or Committee, and at the discretion of the Program Academic Committee with advice from the Comprehensive Exam Committee. If granted, the re-examination must be given before the end of the following semester.

Dissertation Proposal and Proposal Defense
The dissertation proposal, containing the items listed below, must be defended and approved by the student's Committee. The purpose of the proposal defense is to certify the readiness of the student to conduct dissertation research, as well as facilitate an open discussion regarding the objectives of the dissertation and the relevant experimental approach.

1. Tentative title
2. Statement of the problem and objectives
3. Methodology, including equipment and facilities required
4. Timetable

The Dissertation Proposal (https://www.graduate.rsmas.miami.edu/students/forms-guidelines-and-handbooks/) form must be approved by the members of the student's Committee and Program Director. The completed form must be submitted to GSO with the approved copy of the proposal.

Qualifying Examination
The written qualifying examination is normally administered around the time of the proposal defense. In addition, an oral qualifying examination may be required by the program or the student's Committee. The Committee will prepare and administer the written examination (and oral examination, if required) within the program guidelines. The Qualifying Exam (https://www.graduate.rsmas.miami.edu/students/forms-guidelines-and-handbooks/) form notifying GSO of the outcome must be submitted by the Committee Chair and approved by the Program Director.
Admission to Candidacy
Before being admitted to candidacy, a student must fulfill the following requirements:

- Have an approved committee on file
- Pass the comprehensive exam (if applicable)
- Submit and successfully defend the dissertation proposal
- Pass the qualifying exam
- Have a minimum 3.0 GPA in all credits earned
- Remove all incomplete grades or deficiencies

The Application for Admission to Candidacy (https://grad.miami.edu/policies-and-forms/forms/) must be completed and approved by the Graduate School at least one semester prior to the expected semester of graduation. No student may receive the degree in the same semester or summer session in which they are admitted to candidacy. The student must be admitted to candidacy before the defense dissertation is scheduled. If there are any changes to the student’s Committee after this form is approved by the Graduate School, the student must submit a Committee Composition Change Request Form (https://grad.miami.edu/policies-and-forms/forms/) to the Graduate School and the Change to Student’s Committee (https://wwwgraduate.rsmas.miami.edu/students/forms-guidelines-and-handbooks/) form to GSO.

Dissertation Defense
The defense must occur by the "Deadline to Defend (https://www.grad.miami.edu/electronic-thesis-and-dissertation/defense-and-submission-deadlines/"/ during the semester a student intends to graduate. Students must be enrolled for research credits during the semester of defense. The Announcement of Defense (https://wwwgraduate.rsmas.miami.edu/students/forms-guidelines-and-handbooks/) must be submitted to GSO at least 14 days prior to the defense date. The student is responsible for reserving the room and obtaining approvals from all Committee members and Program Director. Each committee member must be given no less than 14 days to review material prior to approving the Announcement of Defense. Thus, the student must provide the Committee with a complete version of the dissertation at least 1 month prior to the desired defense date. If a student is receiving a stipend, the Student Payroll End Date (https://wwwgraduate.rsmas.miami.edu/students/forms-guidelines-and-handbooks/) form should accompany the Announcement of Defense. The Committee Chair should notify GSO of the outcome of the defense via the Completion of Defense (https://wwwgraduate.rsmas.miami.edu/students/forms-guidelines-handbooks/) memo and Defense Rubric (https://wwwgraduate.rsmas.miami.edu/students/forms-guidelines-and-handbooks/).

Dissertation Submission
All graduating students must adhere to the ETD guidelines (https://wwwgrad.miami.edu/electronic-thesis-and-dissertation/) provided by the Graduate School. In addition to submitting an electronic copy of their manuscript to the UM Scholarly Repository, students must complete the following forms by the deadlines specified in the Academic Calendar (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/). Additional requirements for Ph.D. students are listed in the UM Graduate Student Handbook (https://wwwgrad.miami.edu/policies-and-forms/). ETD guidelines (https://wwwgrad.miami.edu/electronic-thesis-and-dissertation/)

1. Certificate of Defense Approval: (https://wwwgrad.miami.edu/policies-and-forms/forms/) This form is the student’s proof of successful defense. Students must prepare this form at least one week before the defense date for committee members to electronically sign after the successful defense.
2. ETD Final Content Approval Form: (https://wwwgrad.miami.edu/policies-and-forms/forms/) This form replaces the signed hard copy of the signature page to formally document the Committee’s approval of the content in the final manuscript. Students must complete this form prior to uploading the final manuscript to the Scholarly Repository.
3. ETD Availability Agreement Form: (https://wwwgrad.miami.edu/policies-and-forms/forms/) This form informs the Graduate School of the availability option for the final manuscript in the UM Scholarly Repository.

Graduation Clearance and Submission Deadlines
A student must apply for graduation during the semester in which they intend to graduate. Applications must be submitted online through CaneLink by the deadline specified on the Academic Calendar (http://registrar.miami.edu/dates-and-deadlines/academic-calendars/). The defense and submission deadlines (http://grad.miami.edu/electronic-thesis-and-dissertation/defense-and-submission-deadlines/) are set by the Graduate School. If a student applies for graduation and does not meet the Deadline for Completion (http://grad.miami.edu/electronic-thesis-and-dissertation/defense-and-submission-deadlines/), they must reapply for graduation for the following semester. A graduating student must submit a Clearance Form (https://wwwgraduate.rsmas.miami.edu/students/forms-guidelines-and-handbooks/) to GSO prior to the last day of the semester. In order to be cleared for graduation, the student must satisfy the minimum degree requirements set by the Program and Graduate School; fulfill all milestones noted on the RSMAS Checklist for Defense and Graduation (https://wwwgraduate.rsmas.miami.edu/students/forms-guidelines-and-handbooks/); and complete the Graduate School’s (https://www.grand.miami.edu/electronic-thesis-and-dissertation/etd-process/) ETD Process (https://www.grad.miami.edu/electronic-thesis-and-dissertation/etd-process/) by the identified deadlines. The Clearance Form (https://wwwgraduate.rsmas.miami.edu/students/forms-guidelines-and-handbooks/) must be completed by the student then returned to GSO prior to the last day of the semester.

Educational Training Program (Teaching Assistants)
RSMAS Ph.D. students are expected to be a Teaching Assistant (TA) for two courses while pursuing their degree. A training session and two teaching opportunities are offered as courses in educational training (RSM 771, RSM 772, RSM 773). The mandatory TA program will
include training of new TAs, evaluation of their performance, and recognition of excellence. Faculty nominations for the RSMAS TA Excellence Awards are solicited each semester, and will be given at the end of the academic year.

The goal of the TA program goal is to make the experience as valuable as possible for the TA, the faculty, and the students taking our courses. RSMAS TAs must comply with the following requirements:

- Register for and complete the RSMAS TA training workshop, RSM 771
- Review the TA Resources posted on Blackboard
- Register for the Educational Training courses: RSM 772 and RSM 773
- Refer to the guidelines and course documentation provided with the TA appointment letters

### Master of Professional Science (M.P.S.) Programs

The M.P.S. degree prepares students for science careers in industry, government, and non-profit organizations, where employment demands are growing. M.P.S. degrees were developed and implemented nationally in response to employer demands for well-rounded, highly trained employees with a breadth of knowledge and practical skills to address emerging environmental issues and improve the management of natural and cultural resources. The curriculum is structured to allow students to complete their degree in as little as 12 months (for select tracks), with the training and real-world experience necessary to prepare them for careers in today's professional science job market.

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RSM 600. Research Diving Techniques. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to introduce students to the practices and policies of scientific diving. The object is to prepare students to use SCUBA as a research tool for the marine sciences. The course content will qualify students as scientific divers under the auspices of the UM/RSMAS Scientific Diving Program and will meet the standards set by the American Academy of Underwater Sciences (AAUS). Students must be certified as a recreational diver with a RSTC recognized certification agency; have a minimum of 10 logged open water dives, two dives within 6 months of starting the course; pass a swim test and complete a physical exam.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

RSM 601. Scientific Freediving. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide students who have an interest in conducting underwater research with the skills and competencies to be certified as a University of Miami Scientific Freediver in accordance with the Standards for Scientific Freediving. This course will discuss and evaluate topics related to the history and evolution of freediving and the common techniques; marine mammals and human physiology in relation to freediving activities and adaptations; safety and problem management in the aquatic realm; the practical application of underwater research skills, techniques, and methodologies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

RSM 611. Principles of Mass Spectrometry and Applications to Marine, Atmospheric, and Environmental Science. 3 Credit Hours.
This course goes in depth into the principles and uses of mass spectrometry. It is intended for graduate students who use mass spectrometry to conduct their research. Concepts taught will include the components of mass spectrometers (vacuum systems, ionization methods, mass analyzers, detectors), different types of mass spectrometers and their uses, and coupling chromatography to mass spectrometry. Each student will be required to give presentations on new advances in mass spectrometry and an in-depth presentation on a mass spectrometer that they use and new findings in the literature relevant to their technique and personal research.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

RSM 612. Statistics for Marine Scientists. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers statistical theory, tools, and methods required for data analysis, emphasizing marine science applications.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

RSM 613. Statistical Modeling of Extreme and Rare Events. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will focus on rare events and extreme values observed in nature. In particular, students will learn: advanced statistical methods of data analysis, as well as concepts of probability and predictability; statistical modeling of rare and extreme events; and applications of these advanced techniques to real atmospheric and oceanic data.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

RSM 615. Marine Tourism and Conservation. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to critical concepts in the practice and management of marine tourism, and explores the potential of tourism to contribute to marine conservation across different geographical locations and taxa. Discussion, readings, and lectures encourage students to draw connections between the biology and ecology of organisms and ecosystems and existing human-environment relationships. We also consider the social context in which tourism is occurring, and how this may shape the success or failure of tourism operators in contributing to conservation. This course will also explore questions about "consumptive" and "non-consumptive" uses of marine resources. Discussion will evaluate both the potential and the limitations of marine tourism as a tool for environmental protection.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

RSM 616. Florida Topics in Environmental Law & Policy. 1 Credit Hour.
This course will provide an overview of environmental law at the state and local level in Florida. The course will include an analysis of relevant law, legislation, and emerging issues for Florida-specific environments. The course will focus on environmental themes that are of particular importance to marine professionals, such as Everglades restoration, coral reef protection, marine protected areas, coastal wetland regulation, water pollution litigation, home rule and state preemption, and climate change policies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.
RSM 617. Instrument Design and Quick Prototyping for Marine Science. 2 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the principles and applications of 3D printing, scanning, and digital manufacturing for non-engineers. It will cover the basic principles and practice of: (1) computer-aided design and drafting (CAD); (2) digital manufacturing techniques, including 3D printing and CNC machining (milling and laser cutting); and (3) performance assessment of student-manufactured prototypes. This will be achieved through lectures and hands-on training in the RSMAS Makers Lab, whereby each student will be required to design, construct, and field-test a new piece of hardware that is relevant to their field and/or individual research.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

RSM 620. Climate and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide students from different disciplinary backgrounds with an overview of physical processes, general concepts and policy debates surrounding climate issues.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

RSM 621. Object-Oriented Programming and Agent-Based Modelling. 3 Credit Hours.
Hands-on training in object-oriented programming using Java, including Java statistical packages, and in the development of agent-based and individual-based simulation models for ecological, physiological, social, economic and physical sciences. Course includes introductions to cellular automata and models based on social and behavioral networks. No prior programming experience required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

RSM 622. Data Management for Scientists. 2 Credit Hours.
This course will cover techniques used in data profiling, filtering, and archiving. Online tools will be used for elaborating data management plans and well-established database techniques for manipulating data. Participants will develop data management plans and introduce techniques for data manipulation, such as database design and implementation concepts, query coding, and data cleaning/importing/exporting. Course participants will be exposed to theoretical concepts and engage in hands-on activities throughout the semester. Participants are encouraged to bring their own data for processing or asked to select a dataset from the many online data repositories.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.

RSM 645. Science Communication: Professional Writing. 1 Credit Hour.
This course introduces students interested in scientific research to various techniques for processing and presenting research data and information. Students will learn techniques to effectively present research to the general public and to the scientific community in written form, such as research papers, grant proposals, conference presentations and fact pages.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

RSM 646. Presentation Boot Camp. 1 Credit Hour.
This course focuses on presenting scientific concepts and research findings more effectively to both technical audiences and the general public.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

RSM 647. Methods for Marine and Atmospheric Education. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on curriculum and instructional methods for teaching marine and atmospheric content in formal and informal settings. The course will introduce students to recent national science and engineering, climate, and ocean education standards and best curricula and instructional approaches for teaching and learning science. The course will also focus on identifying and analyzing research on marine and atmospheric education and effectively communicating scientific topics to different audiences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
RSM 648. Management and Leadership in Marine and Atmospheric Science. 3 Credit Hours.
The goal of this course is to become an effective leader/manager while leveraging the individual strengths of a team in the marine and atmospheric field. The course will use leadership theories and case studies to understand how decisions affect outcomes. Students will develop the ability to manage teams effectively amidst a changing world. Students discuss literature and case studies to explore the foundations of effective leadership and support task triage, decision-making, shared mental models, and appropriate executive styles. The course will introduce students to recent national science and engineering, climate, and ocean standards and best approaches when it comes to managing a staff in the marine and atmospheric sciences. The course will also focus on identifying and analyzing marine and atmospheric leadership and effectively communicating scientific topics to different audiences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

RSM 649. Advanced Presentation Boot Camp. 1 Credit Hour.
This follow-up course builds upon the topics and approaches covered in the basic training session and focuses on advanced techniques for designing and delivering effective scientific presentations to both technical audiences and the general public. The course provides opportunities for students to expand and practice their critique language and hone their presentation evaluation and design skills.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

RSM 650. Data Management in the Research Environment. 2 Credit Hours.
This course covers theoretical and practical approaches to research data management in academic contexts. Theoretical aspects include overviews of information science, data policy and data governance. The practical approaches include skills and best practices in research data management, and basic command line computing for data analysis and visualization (python and R). The purpose of the course is to increase research productivity, to enable data stewardship, and to help the student exceed data management expectations/requirements in the research environment. This is a practical methods course with tangible products; students produce a data management plan for their specific research endeavor, or prepare and deposit data into a discipline specific repository (other projects subject to instructor approval will be considered). The class is open to all graduate students in all disciplines. There are no prerequisites and while the course is designed for the first or second year of a graduate program, students who are further along will benefit as well.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

RSM 665. Fish Ecology and Oceanography. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is intended to introduce students to key biological, ecological, oceanographic, and climatic processes of direct relevance to fishery species, with a view toward development of an ecosystem perspective.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

RSM 666. Polar Science. 3 Credit Hours.
The course covers the physical, chemical and biological components of the polar oceans, atmosphere and coastal regions. The interactions between ocean, ice, atmosphere and land are discussed in detail not only in terms of local relationships, with links to the climate system.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

RSM 667. Motorboat Operator Certification Course. 1-2 Credit Hours.
The MOCC course was developed and formalized by the United States Department of the Interior in the early 1990’s. This course is designed to give students broad academic knowledge and practical training running small boats (boats 26’ in length or shorter). In addition to the relevant theory, students will get hands-on training trailering small boats, launching and loading at boat ramps, slow and high speed maneuvering, marlinspike (knot tying), as well as in water emergency training and the use of flares and pyrotechnics. The MOCC certification is the training standard for occupational small boating and used by government organizations, public and private research organizations, public aquaria, etc. The certification is a marketable skill for students moving ahead in their careers in marine science. Students must have a valid U.S. driver’s license and good driving record (less than 6 points) to be eligible for training in this course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
RSM 668. Techniques in Respirometry, Swim Performance and Behavior of Aquatic Organisms. 2 Credit Hours.
The objectives of this course is to give participants an understanding and overview of methods and hands-on with modern equipment. The emphasis of the course will be on marine fish, but the techniques can be used for freshwater fish and aquatic invertebrates as well. The course is based on lectures, lab exercises and plenary discussions. The final part of the course constitutes a written project based on data collected during the week.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

RSM 671. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures and research projects in special topics related to Marine and Atmospheric Science.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

RSM 672. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures and research projects in special topics related to Marine and Atmospheric Science.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

RSM 673. Special Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Lectures and research projects in special topics related to Marine and Atmospheric Science.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

RSM 700. Research Ethics. 0 Credit Hours.
Online research ethics training, required for all graduate students.
Components: DIL.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

RSM 710. The Physical Environment of Marine Organisms. 3 Credit Hours.
The physical environment of the sea influences the growth, distribution, and survival of marine organisms. The physical processes that affect organisms occur in space and time, ranging from the molecular properties of water to basin-wide linkages between oceanic regime and climate shifts are discussed. Course emphasis is placed on how physical processes affect the life of plankton to nekton. Students are required to present reviews based on the literature.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

RSM 771. Educational Training 1. 0 Credit Hours.
Educational training workshop and presentations.
Components: WKS.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

RSM 772. Educational Training 2. 0 Credit Hours.
First semester of educational training.
Components: WKS.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

RSM 773. Educational Training 3. 0 Credit Hours.
Second semester of educational training.
Components: WKS.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

RSM 780. Directed Readings. 1 Credit Hour.
The goal of this directed readings course is to cover a wide range of current marine and atmospheric science topics, and to give students experience independently reading about recent advances in research. The course will also give the students an opportunity to practice presentation and communication skills. Students will be assessed based on their presentations and participation.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
Atmospheric Sciences

https://www.graduate.rsmas.miami.edu/graduate-programs/atmospheric-sciences/index.html

Dept. Code: ATM

The Atmospheric Sciences (ATM) program is designed to prepare students with the tools, training, and education necessary to tackle critical research problems in the atmospheric sciences today. Our faculty are experts in a wide range of research areas, including tropical meteorology, climate dynamics, cloud and aerosol processes, and atmospheric chemistry. Their expertise and guidance and our world-class facilities prepare our students for successful careers in the atmospheric sciences and related fields.

Degree Programs

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  • Requires 30 credit hours, including 24 course credit hours and 6 internship credit hours.

• Master of Science (M.S.) (p. 2328)
  • Requires 30 credit hours, including 24 course credit hours and 6 research credit hours.

• Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) (p. 2329)
  • Requires 60 credit hours, including a minimum of 25 course credit hours and a minimum of 12 research credit hours.

Research Areas

Atmospheric Chemistry

The atmospheric chemistry group in ATM is interested in understanding the atmospheric emissions, transport, and fate of gases and particles that influence air quality and climate. These interests are explored through laboratory studies and fieldwork. Using state-of-the-art instrumentation and techniques, ATM scientists take measurements in tropical and high-latitude oceans, in forests and urban centers, and at the critical air-sea and troposphere-stratosphere interfaces. These measurements are used in models to predict the impact of atmospheric chemistry on human health and climate.

Climate Dynamics & Prediction

Climate research in ATM includes numerical climate modeling at both regional and global scales, and analysis of satellite data, global data products, and observations. There is a large focus on the diagnosis and modeling of climate variability on interannual, decadal, and millennial timescales, the prediction and modeling of El Niño, and the observation and modeling of anthropogenic climate change.

Cloud & Aerosol Processes

Scientists in ATM study aerosols, clouds, their interactions with each other, with radiation, and with the larger-scale environment. We strive for a better understanding of the cloudy boundary layer structure, its processes, and the effects of atmospheric transport of aerosols such as dust, smoke, and air pollutants, upon both air quality and climate. A focus on marine aerosols and south Florida’s Cloud-Aerosol-Rain-Observatory (CAROb) takes advantage of Miami’s unique location on the edge of the Atlantic basin.

Tropical Meteorology & Hurricanes

One broad area of research in ATM is aimed at improving our understanding and prediction of tropical weather and hurricanes. Through a combination of field observations, modeling, and theory, faculty and students study the dynamics of hurricanes: their formation, rapid intensification, and how their behavior might change in a warming climate. Other research foci include the advancement of computer model forecasts of tropical cyclones, data assimilation schemes, and observation strategies. Other weather phenomena in the tropics are also investigated in ATM and through the Rosenstiel School, such as monsoons, the intertropical convergence zone, and the Madden-Julian Oscillation.

Other Research Areas

Researchers in ATM also perform research in a number of other areas including:

• Geophysical Fluid Dynamics
• Tornado Dynamics
• Atmospheric Boundary Layer
• Atmospheric Convection
• Model Parameterizations
Master of Professional Science (M.P.S.) Programs
There are three ATM tracks for the M.P.S. degree:

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ATM 611. Geophysical Fluid Dynamics I. 3 Credit Hours.
The basic equations of state, continuity, and motion. Topics include wave motions, group velocity, theory of stratified fluids and internal waves
turbulence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 614. Introduction to Weather and Climate. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will cover the structure, physics, dynamics and thermodynamics of the atmosphere; including weather analysis, weather forecasting,
climate and climate change. Contemporary topics covered in this class will include global warming, the ozone hole, hurricanes, thunderstorms and
other severe weather phenomena.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 624. Applied Data Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
The course is intended to jump-start students in strategies for fruitful computer interaction practices for careers in MPO areas of science. Academic
topics include key concepts in probability & statistics, issues of graphical evidence and inference, linear models and regression, spectral analysis, and
matrix decomposition. Practical topics include hands-on exercises in data analysis and the sharing of code+results and interpretation. Students do
projects on data from their research or interests.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ATM 632. Broadcast Meteorology. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will learn the proper techniques involved in preparing and presenting a complete and professional weathercast with a heavy emphasis on
communication skills, computer graphics, and on-camera delivery.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ATM 633. Atmospheric Boundary Layer. 3 Credit Hours.
The boundary layer is the lowest 1-2 km of the atmosphere, where we live. It is necessary to understand boundary layer processes to pursue research
in clouds and radiation, weather and climate, air/sea/land interaction, and chemistry of the lower atmosphere. In this course, students will learn the
basic physical concepts, from observational, theoretical and modeling perspectives.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ATM 634. Introduction to Atmospheric Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the basic principles of atmospheric chemistry. Concepts taught will include gas phase reactions, the production and destruction of ozone, aerosol size and composition.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ATM 636. Hurricanes. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is intended to provide a broad overview of tropical cyclones, starting from the basic structure, dynamics and thermodynamics, then expanding through to observations, modeling, forecasting and impacts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ATM 637. Natural Hazards: Atmosphere and Ocean. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide students with an understanding of natural hazards in both the atmosphere and ocean. In the atmosphere, we will explore both weather events such as storms and hurricanes and tornadoes as well as longer term phenomena such as monsoons and excess rainfall in the tropics. Oceanographically, the course will address hazards such as storm surge and flooding, rogue waves, rip currents, and tsunamis that occur on short time scales as well as the longer terms effects such as sea level rise and the impacts of El Niño and La Niña oceanographic conditions on weather conditions. Thus, the course focus is on hazards and their impacts around the globe.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ATM 651. Introduction to Atmospheric Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course surveys the dynamics of atmospheric flow and the physically-grounded description and depiction of weather phenomena. It is intended to serve as core preparation for incoming PhD students whose research will be dynamical, while also serving as an accessible overview for students in other subdisciplines. For these reasons, it stresses phenomena and the essentials of our physical discourses about them (emphasizing useful approximations and lucid treatments), with enough exposure to the underlying full-complexity fundamentals to facilitate more advanced study in the future.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 652. Introduction to Atmospheric Physics. 3 Credit Hours.
The goal of this class is to develop an understanding of the fundamental physical processes governing cloud behavior and atmospheric radiative transfer, including atmospheric thermodynamics. The class will focus on processes with temporal scales of one day or less, and spatial scales of 1km or less, and will recognize the links to weather and climate, or through the student presentations. Students will learn about: cloud formation, lifetime, and dissipation, and how clouds interact with the aerosol, thermodynamic, and dynamic environments; about how clouds and clear skies interact with sunlight and infrared. This course is split into two sections: the first half will cover thermodynamics and cloud physics, and the second half will cover atmospheric radiation. Guest lectures by advanced graduate students and postdoctoral research associates will introduce students to current research areas.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 653. Climate Change. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of the physical processes which regulate the earth's climate and response to forcing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 654. Climate Variability. 3 Credit Hours.
This class will cover the physical mechanisms that govern the earth's climate and climate variability. It is intended for beginning graduate students in marine and atmospheric science, and upper-level undergraduate physical science students.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ATM 660. Tropospheric Chemistry I. 3 Credit Hours.
Process-Oriented lower atmospheric chemistry. Topics include photochemical oxidant formation, nighttime chemistry, air-sea exchange, cloud droplet and aerosol reactions, physical properties of aerosols, and transport properties of the troposphere.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
ATM 662. Advanced Weather Forecasting. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will learn the skills needed in researching and preparing a professional weather forecast. There is a plethora of forecast resources available online. Students will learn about using these forecast resources and share resources of their own. Specifically, we will cover topics such as the basics of atmospheric meteorology, large and small scale weather forecasting, operational weather forecasting, tropical weather, severe weather, nor’easters, lake effect snow, oscillations and various other weather phenomena. During the course of the semester a couple of Guest speakers in various parts of the field will visit to discuss relevant topics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 663. Mesoscale Meteorology and Severe Storms. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include the structure and dynamics of clouds, thunderstorms, and mesoscale convective systems, radar and satellite observations of clouds and precipitation, severe storm forecasting, mesoscale disturbances, frontal and orographic clouds, and precipitation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ATM 681. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics related to Atmospheric Sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ATM 682. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics related to Atmospheric Sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ATM 683. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, special projects or directed readings in special topics related to Atmospheric Sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ATM 684. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, special projects or directed readings in special topics related to Atmospheric Sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ATM 685. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics related to Atmospheric Sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ATM 701. Seminar in Atmospheric Sciences. 1 Credit Hour.
Oral presentation of research and special topics by students, faculty, and visiting scientists.
Components: SEM.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ATM 711. Geophysical Fluid Dynamics II. 3 Credit Hours.
The focus of this course is on the effects of stratification, on time variable phenomena, and on the interaction between large-scale circulation and mesoscale eddies. Course topics include quasi geostrophic scale analysis, Rossby waves, barotropic and baroclinic instability, wave-mean flow interaction and non-geostrophic waves.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ATM 713. Predictability. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to concepts of predictability and error growth, beginning from the seminal papers of Ed Lorenz, and expanding into state estimation, data assimilation, forecast sensitivity and ensemble prediction.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
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ATM 716. Lagrangian Fluid Dynamics and Predictability. 3 Credit Hours.
The ash cloud produced by the eruption of Eyjafjallajokull in Iceland, the oil spill produced by the explosion of the Deepwater Horizon drilling rig in the Gulf of Mexico, and release of debris and radioactive contamination into the Pacific Ocean after the Fukushima nuclear reactor was hit by the Tohoku tsunami, are examples of events that have caused considerable impact to the environment. They all represent problems in Lagrangian ocean or atmospheric dynamics in which predicting where the material released into the environment will be transported by the ocean currents or winds is critical. A common approach to predict the outcome of an event like the above is to run an ocean or atmosphere circulation model simulations and then integrate the resulting velocity fields from a given release location to predict pollutant trajectories. An important drawback of such an approach is that the predictions are highly sensitive to small changes in the release time and location. Attempts to cope with the sensitivity to initial conditions include running several different models for the same scenario, but this typically leads to even larger distributions of advected tracers, hiding the key organizing structures of the flow. Improved understanding and forecasting requires novel notions and techniques capable of casting light on why material is transported the way it is by a given flow. The goal of this course is acquaint the student with a series of recent developments originated at the interface of nonlinear dynamics and fluid dynamics that have led to a number of novel such notions and techniques.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 731. Air-Sea Interaction. 3 Credit Hours.
Oceanic and atmospheric mixed layers including fluxes of heat, momentum, moisture and salt between the ocean and atmosphere; vertical distribution of energy sources and sinks at the interface including the importance of surface currents; forced upper ocean dynamics, the role of surface waves on the air-sea exchange processes and ocean mixed layer processes.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 732. Climate Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic understanding of the Earth's Climate System and its variability on time scales ranging from weeks to millennia. Topics include internal atmospheric variability, coupled ocean-atmosphere interactions, and the theory, observations and modeling of climate change.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ATM 750. Reaction Kinetics and Molecular Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
Theories and experimental techniques for studying kinetics in the gas-phase, association, unimolecular and bimolecular reactions, chain reactions, flames, statistical theories, potential energy surfaces, collision dynamics, kinetics in solution and the solid-state, experimental methods, diffusion-controlled processes, transition state theory, thermal decomposition, and nucleation are discussed.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ATM 761. Atmospheric Chemistry II. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced atmospheric chemistry.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 762. Computer Models in Fluid Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include numerical techniques of dealing with dynamic problems in meteorology and oceanography. Dynamic prediction models, initial data conditioning, computational stability, and error estimates are also included.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 764. Atmospheric and Oceanic Turbulence. 3 Credit Hours.
Structure and dynamics of planetary boundary layers, turbulent transport processes, Fickian and statistical theories of turbulence, influence of stratification, and rotation on turbulent motion are discussed.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 765. General Circulation of the Atmosphere. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include structure and behavior of planetary scale motions, energy, momentum, and moisture budgets of the general circulation, and models of the general circulation and climatic change.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
ATM 767. Spectral and Finite Element Methods in Computational Fluid Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
The simulation of fluid flows in geometrically complex domains (like ocean basins) and/or with high fidelity requires the adoption of new discretization techniques that can simultaneously handle the complicated geometry and permit high accuracy solution. The finite element method has traditionally been used to tackle the geometric complexity while spectral methods have been developed to handle high accuracy in simple geometries. Here we present an approach to handle both complexity within a single framework, namely the spectral element method. The course starts by describing the weak formulation common to all finite element methods which, by design, are geometrically flexible. The second part of the course describe how high order polynomial can be implemented within the finite element framework to achieve high accuracy rates.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ATM 768. ENSO Dynamics, Prediction, and Predictability. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide students with a comprehensive observational and mechanistic understanding of the El Nino and the Southern Oscillation (ENSO) phenomena and how ENSO impacts the natural variability of the global climate system. Topics will include: Observations and theories of the seasonal and interannual changes in the ocean circulation and temperature, and interactions with the atmosphere; equations of motion and theories of tropical ocean and atmosphere circulation; tropical wave dynamics; large scale air-sea coupling; mechanisms for ENSO: delayed oscillator theory, recharge oscillator theory, slow SST modes; ENSO prediction and predictability; ENSO-monsoon-Indian Ocean interactions; Global climate response to ENSO; decadal ENSO variability; ENSO in a changing climate. This course has a phenomenological focus, which complements current MPO course offerings. In particular, students who have taken dynamic and physical meteorology, ocean general circulation or geophysical fluid dynamics will be exposed to how general theory (e.g., wave dynamics) relates to particular phenomena and current research foci. In addition, student will have the opportunity to design and implement numerical hypothesis testing experiments.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 772. Vortex Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will cover fundamental to advanced topics in vortex dynamics. A review of fluid dynamics and vorticity in two dimensions will be followed by studies of vortex dynamics in three-dimensional, incompressible flow and in three-dimensional, stratified flow.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ATM 774. Advanced Studies. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Supervised study of special interest to graduate students.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ATM 805. MPS Internship. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The MPS internship is an approved, supervised internship project with an organization engaged in activities associated with the student's degree track. The internship results in a collaborative project, written report, and oral presentation on a topic approved by the student's advisory committee. Up to 6 credits are necessary for graduation.
Components: PRA.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ATM 810. Master Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ATM 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor but not for less than a total of 12. Not more than 12 hours of ATM 830 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session. Where a student has passed his/her (a) qualifying examinations, and (b) is engaged in an assistantship, he/she may still take the maximum allowable credit stated above.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
M.P.S in Broadcast Meteorology

Overview

The Master of Professional Science (MPS) in Broadcast Meteorology (BME) provides a greater understanding of the broad environmental issues of the 21st Century, and prepares students with the tools, training, and education necessary for careers in broadcast meteorology.

Admission Requirements

Prerequisites:

1. Bachelor of Science degree (B.S.) or Bachelor of Arts degree (B.A.)
2. One year of Calculus and a minimum of 12 credits in natural science strongly recommended

Note to students: Deficiencies in the required courses may be considered on a case by case basis for otherwise highly qualified students.

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• Three (3) letters of recommendation
• Valid TOEFL or IELTS scores (for international applicants)
• Personal statement (statement of purpose)

If admission to the MPS program is granted, it will be contingent upon receipt of all items listed above (including official transcripts and test scores) and the following for international applicants:

• Statement of Financial Responsibility Form (SFR) and corresponding bank letter
• Color copy of current visa (if available).
• Color copy of valid passport (must include picture page and barcode page)

Permanent Residents must provide a color copy of Permanent Resident Card (Green Card).

Previous graduate and undergraduate scholastic performance, work and volunteer experience, valid test scores (GRE, TOEFL/IELTS), and the letters of recommendation are all considered in evaluating an applicant.

Transcript from U.S. Academic Institutions:

Please make sure you possess the required undergraduate coursework and/or degree before applying. Official transcripts must be mailed or e-mailed directly from the relevant academic institution (Office of the Registrar) to the MPS office. Our email is mps@rsmas.miami.edu; mailing address is available on the MPS website's Contact Us page. If an applicant is not able to submit an unofficial transcript with his/her application, the applicant may submit unofficial transcripts via email to mps@rsmas.miami.edu. Unofficial transcripts are accepted for review purposes only, not for admission. If admission to the MPS program is granted, it will be contingent upon receipt of all official records. Please be advised, official transcripts will only be accepted if they are sent to us directly from the academic institution. Transcripts sent by you or issued to you (even if they are in a sealed envelope) are not considered official.

Transcripts from Non-U.S. Academic Institutions:

All graduate applicants who received degrees or are currently enrolled in a degree-seeking program from a college or university outside the United States (except applicants to Law* and Nursing**) must submit official transcripts and diplomas (if available) from all colleges and universities to an approved international credentialing agency. Applicants attending a non-U.S. institution for non-credit must also submit academic records to an approved evaluation agency.
Transcripts in a language other than English must be provided in that language and must be accompanied by a certified English translation. International applicants must also submit a copy of his/her diploma in the official language of the country from which the degree was awarded and provide a certified English translation of the diploma. Submit these items to an approved international credentialing agency. Follow the specific instructions of the selected evaluation agency to request a course-by-course evaluation with degree equivalency and grade point average (GPA) calculation. Applicants must request that the evaluation report and copy of all the official documents used in the evaluation are sent directly from the approved evaluation agency to the MPS office mps@rsmas.miami.edu.

- **Josef Silny & Associates (JS&A), Inc, International Education Consultants**, is the preferred evaluation vendor for international applicants to the University of Miami due to their competitive prices and high-quality service. Click here for more information including the Application for Evaluation of Foreign Educational Credentials.
- Please note that international applicants are not required to use the services of JS&A. The international credential evaluation services of any approved vendor may be used. Click here to view a list of approved vendors.
- Please be sure the vendor sends your evaluation directly to mps@rsmas.miami.edu.
- **Evaluation Fee -** Applicants are responsible for the evaluation fee. Please note that failure to comply with these instructions may cause significant delays in the review and processing of your application, and therefore also significant delays in the processing of your I-20.

**Letters of Recommendation:**

Three (3) letters of recommendation are required for admissions consideration. Each applicant must request letters of recommendation from three (3) different references using the guidelines provided in the online application. Applications from CollegeNet may be submitted without letters of recommendation. However, an applicant’s file will not be reviewed by Track Leaders until all required admissions materials (including letters of recommendation) are received by the MPS office. Upon completion of the application, your references will receive an email from CollegeNet, requesting the online submission of the required documentation (questionnaire + letter of recommendation).

Academic references are ideal and highly preferred, but we will accept letters from employers and/or supervisors. Please do not request letters from friends, family, ministers, or coaches. If your references have trouble using the online submission portal, they may e-mail their letters (signed and on letterhead) to the MPS office at mps@rsmas.miami.edu. We cannot accept letters that are not signed. Letters sent by the applicant or forwarded to the MPS office by the applicant will not be accepted.

**GRE:**

Due to COVID-19, the GRE requirement is suspended for Fall 2020 admissions only.

The MPS office must receive your official Graduate Record Examination test (GRE [http://www.ets.org/gre](http://www.ets.org/gre)) scores directly from ETS. Please use institution code 7690 (department code) when submitting your request with ETS. This code indicates delivery of test scores to the RSMAS campus, home of the MPS office.

A minimum, combined score of 297 (Verbal + Quantitative only) is required for admissions consideration. Applicants must also complete the Analytical Writing section of the GRE. However, the Analytical Writing score will not be calculated into your combined score, nor will it be used for tuition waiver eligibility. To learn about our merit-based partial tuition waivers, please visit our Financing Your Education page.

**TOEFL/IELTS (for Non-native English Speakers):**

To prove language proficiency, students must take either the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) or the International English Language Testing System (IELTS).

- **Paper Based TOEFL (PBT) -** minimum score is 550
- **Internet Based TOEFL (IBT) -** minimum score is 80
- **IELTS (Academic) -** minimum score is 6.5

Please use institution code 2919 (no department code). This institution code is for the TOEFL only; please note that the GRE institution code is different (see above).

If English is not your native language, the TOEFL/IELTS requirement **may be waived** if you hold an undergraduate or graduate degree from an academic institution within the United States or from one of the following English-speaking countries:

- Antigua and Barbuda
- Australia
- Bahamas
- Barbados
· Belize
· Canada (except Quebec)
· Dominica
· Grenada
· Guyana
· Ireland
· Jamaica
· New Zealand
· Kitts and Nevis
· Lucia
· Vincent and the Grenadines
· Trinidad and Tobago
· United Kingdom

Intensive English Program (IEP)

The University of Miami’s Division of Continuing and International Education offers a fully-accredited Intensive English Program (IEP) to prepare individuals to understand and use English in a variety of academic, professional, and personal situations. Some of the services that IEP offers to graduate students include an international teaching assistant training course, customized classes, LL.M. Intensive English, and volunteer opportunities.

Personal Statement (statement of purpose):

Please indicate your track of choice, and all relevant field, lab, and work experience (past and present) in your personal statement. Include your academic and professional goals, and how you envision the MPS program contributing to those goals. We strongly encourage you to include information and/or links to relevant publications, organizations, research projects, supervisors, collaborators, project results, and your role in relation to this.

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### Elective Options

Students may take any elective on the RSMAS campus with the consent of their faculty advisor. Below are a few examples of courses past students in this program used as electives.

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### Mission

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### Goals

The goal of the Broadcast Meteorology (BME) track is to integrate graduate coursework in broadcast journalism from UM’s School of Communications with advanced courses in Meteorology from the Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science (https://www.rsmas.miami.edu/) (RSMAS) for
comprehensive training in the field of broadcast meteorology. Within this realm, students will receive hands-on training in UM's state-of-the-art digital studio and learn the proper techniques involved in preparing and presenting a complete and professional weathercast.

**Student Learning Outcomes**
- Students will learn to research, analyze, predict, and then graphically and verbally communicate local and national weather forecasts “on camera”.
- Students will demonstrate professionalism in all aspects of field and lab work during their internships.
- Students will submit a written, final report and give an oral presentation based on original work/research in their chosen field completed during their internship.

**M.P.S. in Climate and Society**

**Overview**
The Master of Professional Science (MPS) in Climate and Society (CS) emphasizes the relationship between weather, climate and societal impacts. This program provides advanced training for individuals seeking careers in government, insurance, energy, and a number of other weather-impacted industries. Students in this track are fluent in both the fundamentals of business and the physical sciences.

**Admission Requirements**

**Prerequisites:**
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| GEG 648        | Climate Change and Public Health (or ELECTIVE)                             | 3 |

#### Credit Hours

12

### Spring

| ATM 765 | General Circulation of the Atmosphere (or ELECTIVE) | 3 |
| MES 662 | Intermediate Spatial Analysis (or ELECTIVE)         | 3 |
| RSM 620 | Climate and Society                                 | 3 |
| Elective |                                                        | 3 |

#### Credit Hours

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**Admission Requirements**

**Prerequisites:**

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Note to students: Deficiencies in the required courses may be considered on a case by case basis for otherwise highly qualified students.

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| ATM 805 | MPS Internship (Enrollment in 2-6 internship credits required during a student's time in MPS. Completion of less than 2 internship credits must be approved by MPS Director. Typically 2 semesters are needed to complete all aspects of the internship phase of MPS.) | 6 |
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## Mission

The mission of the Weather Forecasting (https://mps.rsmas.miami.edu/degree-tracks/weather-forecasting/) track is to provide students who have an undergraduate degree in meteorology and seek graduate-level training and experience in applied weather forecasting. The curriculum includes graduate-level course work in the analysis and preparation of weather forecasts, the effective use of numerical models, satellite, Doppler radar, and upper air data, and the application of this information to support a variety of specialized end-users, including agriculture, utilities, insurance, transportation, construction and other weather-sensitive industries. This track also fosters skills in writing and public communication in the context of professional weather forecasting.

## Goals

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## M.S. in Atmospheric Sciences

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Application for Admission to the Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science (Ph.D. and M.S.)

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Dates and Deadlines

RSMAS accepts applications year round. For best chances of fall admission into one of our PhD or research based Masters of Science programs, your complete application including all supporting documents must be received in the application period of November 1st - January 10th. However, complete applications received by December 1st will have the highest chance of being invited to our on-site annual recruitment weekend visit in early February.

Application Requirements

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1. Minimum of 24 course credits and 6 thesis credits.
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Goals

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Ph.D. in Atmospheric Sciences

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These guidelines complement those given in the UM Graduate Student Handbook.

All students are expected to take the Qualifying Exam and Proposal Defense by the end of their third year in the program. If the student needs to take the Exam in their fourth year, they will need to write a petition to the ATM Faculty with an explanation. A second extension after the end of the fourth year will not be permitted, unless there are exceptional circumstances.

While the exact format is left to the discretion of the Ph.D. Committee, a typical Oral Qualifying Exam comprises an hour of questions from the written Qualifying Exam and other related questions, and a second hour in which the student presents their Dissertation Proposal. It is recommended that the presentation emphasizes future work and is not a review of previous results, which are in the written Proposal.

Expectations of the Qualifying Exam

a. Dissertation Proposal: Written by the student in clear English befitting the standard of writing in a peer-reviewed journal. The proposal should demonstrate the capability of the student to produce and present research that is of the quality suitable for a journal article. Emphasis needs to be placed on the proposed research: the questions and hypotheses to be tested, the data and methodology used to test the hypotheses, and some anticipated results (which may or may not be realized). A student is encouraged to discuss the proposal with the advisor, but the writing must be their own.

b. Oral Exam: Demonstration of oral communication skills in responding satisfactorily to questions raised by the Committee in relation to the written questions, and any other questions asked by the Committee members.

c. Written Exam: Written answers judged by each Committee member to demonstrate that the student has the ability to understand and investigate the concept asked in the question. The questions are usually related to the research described in the dissertation proposal.

Attendance to the ATM seminars is required every semester.

ATM Ph.D. students must give at least one 15-minute presentation each year after completing the Comprehensive Exam and a one-hour presentation after advancing to Ph.D. candidacy, and at least 6 months before the dissertation defense.

Ph.D. students are expected to be a Teaching Assistant (TA) for two courses while pursuing their degree.

The mandatory TA program will include training of new TAs, evaluation of their performance, and recognition of excellence. The goal is to make the experience as valuable as possible for the TA, the faculty, and the students taking our courses.

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Specific requirements for TAs are outlined in the RSMAS Student Handbook.
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Marine Biology and Ecology

https://www.graduate.rsmas.miami.edu/graduate-programs/marine-biology-and-ecology/index.html

Dept. Code: MBE

The Marine Biology and Ecology (MBE) academic program focuses on a wide range of field, laboratory, and theoretical coursework in a range of research areas, such as as physiology, genetics, evolution, diseases, molecular biology, coral reef ecology, tropical marine ecosystem conservation, fish biology, ecology, conservation and management, and biological oceanography.

MBE faculty, students, and their many international collaborators participate in multi-institutional, multi-disciplinary research programs. The UM Rosenstiel School hosts many research centers and groups, such as the experimental hatchery, the Rescue-a-Reef citizen science initiative, and the world-renowned NIH/University of Miami National Resource for Aplysia.

Graduate students can choose from a diversity of research areas and coursework taught by internationally recognized scientists studying animal behavior and physiology, coastal ecosystem ecology, coral reef biology and ecology, fisheries biology and management for sustainability, genomics, mangrove and marshland ecology, marine life population dynamics, microbiology, marine toxins, and marine organism diseases, zoogeography and invertebrate systematics, and zooplankton and phytoplankton ecology.

Degree Programs

- Master of Professional Science (M.P.S.) (p. 2354)
  - Requires 30 credit hours, including 24 course credit hours and 6 internship credit hours.
- Master of Science (M.S.) (p. 2354)
  - Requires 30 credit hours, including 24 course credit hours and 6 research credit hours.
- Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) (p. 2354)
  - Requires 60 credit hours, including a minimum of 24 course credit hours and a minimum of 12 research credit hours.

Research Areas

Coral Reef and Coastal Ecology

Employs ecological, physiological and molecular approaches to understand, conserve, manage, and restore coral reefs, seagrasses, mangroves and their associated biota.

Marine Organismal and Biomedical Science

Focuses on how marine organisms respond to their environment on physiological and evolutionary time scales. This research integrates whole animal and cellular studies of physiology, biochemistry, neurobiology, genomics, molecular biology, aging, pathology and toxicology to understand factors controlling these responses and to develop these systems as models for human health.

Biological Oceanography

Focuses on adaptations, ecological interactions, food webs, and biogeochemical cycles of the ocean.
Fisheries Science
Studies the direct and indirect impacts of living marine resource exploitation on marine populations, communities and habitats and investigates solutions to the problems of unsustainable, habitat-damaging and/or inefficient fishing, including the minimization of bycatch and food web disruption.

Master of Professional Science (M.P.S.) Programs
There are two MBE tracks for the M.P.S degree:

- M.P.S. in Marine Mammal Science (MMS) (p. 2359)
- M.P.S. in Tropical Marine Ecosystem Management (TME) (p. 2361)

Master of Science (M.S.) Program
- M.S. in Marine Biology and Ecology (MBE) (p. 2366)

Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) Program
- Ph.D. in Marine Biology and Ecology (MBE) (p. 2368)

MBE 604. Biology of Marine Mammals. 3 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this class is to introduce students to the biology, evolution, taxonomy, physiology, natural history, behavior, conservation, and management of marine mammals.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MBE 605. Marine Mammal Disease and Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will cover the basics (theory and application) of marine mammal disease and medicine. Applications will focus on the medical management of managed care and wild populations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MBE 606. Procedures in Marine Mammal Health and Disease. 1 Credit Hour.
The aim of this course is to provide the student with more in-depth exposure and study of various practical health related techniques/skills that are integral to marine mammal health and disease assessment. While the procedures are most applicable to marine mammals in managed care, several of the procedures can be adapted and/or are used in study of wild marine mammals. Health and disease assessment procedures will be divided into the following five categories/areas: physical examination and behavioral assessment; multimodal and advanced diagnostics (eg., electrocardiogram, ultrasound, etc.); sample collection (types, procedures); clinical pathologic (eg., hematology, biochemistry, serology) interpretation; gross and histopathologic necropsy techniques and interpretation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MBE 607. Marine Mammal Applied Behavior Analysis and Managed Care. 3 Credit Hours.
This course involves a thorough examination of specific aspects of marine mammal managed care and conservation programs, with an emphasis on behavior management, analysis, and modification as a basis for adaptive response to changing environments both in-situ and ex-situ. Coursework will also focus on health management and assessment, emergency handling and transportation, government regulations, and wildlife conservation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MBE 614. Tropical Marine Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
In this intensive one-week field course, students are introduced to the ecology, biology, and interconnections of all of South Florida’s major marine habitats through a combination of lectures and field excursions from UM’s remote private island research station in the Florida Keys.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.
MBE 615. Tropical Marine Ecology. 3 Credit Hours.
Marine ecology with emphasis on tropical ecosystems and local habitats. Physical environmental and biotic adaptations, population, and community ecology are discussed. Field exercises in mangrove, sea grass, and coral reef ecosystems are also included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MBE 618. Reef Coral Biology, Ecology, and Conservation. 3 Credit Hours.
Scleractinian (stony) corals are the principal builders of contemporary coral reefs and their unique biology underpins the ecological success of reef ecosystems in the world’s shallow tropical seas. This class covers the physiology and ecology of these critical organisms, the environmental factors governing their health, and their biotic interactions with other species. Examples of topics covered include algal symbiosis, calcification, reproduction, taxonomy, microbial ecology, competition with macroalgae, and herbivory, with insights at all levels from molecules to ecosystems. A special focus is on the decline of coral reefs due to anthropogenic stressors including climate change and coral bleaching, diseases, nutrient pollution, overfishing, and ocean acidification.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MBE 621. Field Techniques and Instrumentation in Tropical Marine Ecology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the instrumentation and field techniques commonly used to characterize the structure and function of the three dominant ecosystems in the tropics and subtropics, i.e. coral reefs, seagrass beds and mangroves.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MBE 622. Marine Microbial Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of the function of microbes in the ocean from a chemical perspective, building a quantitative understanding of cellular needs and metabolic functions, and the role these microbial processes play in controlling chemical fluxes and biogeochemical cycles in the ocean.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MBE 629. Population Genetics and Genomics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to population genetics, which examine the evolutionary processes that affect genomes of natural populations: mutation, genetic drift, natural selection, and gene flow.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MBE 630. Marine Microbiology. 4 Credit Hours.
This course introduces the diversity, habitats and ecology of the marine microbial biosphere. Microbes drive many elemental cycles in the oceans. As primary producers and final degraders of organic matter they provide the foundations of marine trophic webs and biogeochemical processes. This course will place microbes into the context of marine ecosystem function and biogeochemistry.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MBE 632. Marine Mammal Research Techniques. 3 Credit Hours.
The goal of this course is to provide an overview of the field of marine mammal research (historic, current, and future), hands-on training in applied research skills relevant to the field of marine mammalogy, as well as an understanding of the biological and ecological significance of captive and wild research and contributions to management and conservation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MBE 635. Practical Computing for Biologists. 3 Credit Hours.
Biology is becoming far more computationally intensive, yet the undergraduate and graduate biology curricula have not kept pace with this new reality. Practical Computing for Biologists, based on Haddock's and Dunn's book of the same name, is a problem-centric course that provides resources for biologists to analyze the increasingly complex data sets generated by new technologies. We will cover flexible, scalable tools to accomplish a diversity of tasks using open source software. Topics will include: regular expressions, command line operations, Python programming, and bioinformatics pipelines. Exercises relevant to the students’ needs will be used to illustrate and develop new skills. After doing several assigned homework problems, students will have an opportunity to develop a bioinformatic analysis on their own data set.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MBE 639. Oceanic Productivity. 3 Credit Hours.
History, methods, and current topics relevant to studies of marine primary production. Magnitude and fate of primary production in the sea is essential to understand secondary production, the success of fisheries recruitment, and global climate.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MBE 640. Marine Phytoplankton and Primary Productivity. 3 Credit Hours.
Ecology of marine phytoplankton and overview of major taxa including cyanobacteria. Distribution and magnitude of primary production in the sea and relationship to marine food webs and biogeochemical cycling is included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MBE 641. Reef Restoration Techniques. 2 Credit Hours.
This course will provide a comprehensive background on the theory and practice of active coral reef restoration. This 5-day lab and field-intensive course will be structured with lectures and demos in the morning followed by lab or field activities in the afternoon. Readings for this class will include 2 restoration manuals and papers from the primary literature. Grades will be based on 1 exam, 2 quizzes, and 1 field monitoring report. Field activities will be carried out at sites around Key Biscayne. During these field trips, students will conduct hands-on restoration activities (e.g., nursery maintenance, equipment deployment, coral collections, coral planting, coral monitoring). The data collected during these activities will be used by the students to write a monitoring report.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

MBE 642. Oceans and Human Health. 3 Credit Hours.
The objective of this interdisciplinary course is to provide students with introductory knowledge of the broad and relatively young field of Oceans and Human Health. The focus is the present, future, and potential effects of oceanic processes and aquatic organisms on human health, and vice versa. These diverse factors reflect the physical, chemical, biotic and social processes which require an integration of information and knowledge from the medical, marine and social sciences. The course covers harmful algal blooms, marine microbes, and global climate change as well as an overview of coastal impacts and remedies (e.g. drugs from the sea and marine models) through a series of coordinated lectures and case studies on human health, physical environment, and oceanographic processes. Prerequisite: Permission of instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MBE 643. Ecology, Conservation, and Ecotourism in the Galapagos. 3 Credit Hours.
This class takes place over three weeks in the Galapagos, Ecuador. It first gives a broad view of the physical/biological/ecological setting of the Galapagos Islands, and then analyzes the intersection between human development and nature in this fragile environment. It also provides an exploration of how tourism offers an alternative income source to unsustainable fisheries that once drove the local economy, and now has created a new set of pressures on the people and the environment.
Components: FLD.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

MBE 650. Analytical Techniques in Marine Biology. 2 Credit Hours.
Theory and applications of selected analytical techniques necessary to conduct quantitative research in marine biology (e.g., electrophoresis, metabolite assays, enzyme assays, radioisotope methodology). One hour lecture followed by three hour laboratory per week.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MBE 670. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics related to Marine Biology and Fisheries.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MBE 671. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics related to Marine Biology and Fisheries.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MBE 672. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics related to Marine Biology and Fisheries.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MBE 674. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics related to Marine Biology and Fisheries.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MBE 676. Diseases of Marine Organisms. 3 Credit Hours.
Infectious, genetic, and environmentally induced diseases of marine fishes and invertebrates as well as diagnostic methods, cellular, and molecular pathology. Lecture, 3 hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MBE 678. Evolutionary Genetics. 3 Credit Hours.
A Graduate course that presents and overview from "New Evolutionary Synthesis" (1900) to Evolutionary Genomics. The critical points to emphasize is the importance of standing genetic variation, the role of neutral evolutionary process versus evolution by natural selection and how a evolution perspective provides meaning insights into the biology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MBE 686. Fish Physiology. 3 Credit Hours.
Ecology, dispersal, and modes of life of fishes. Adaptations by larvae and adults to various habitats are covered as well as the effects of man on fish faunas and the importance of fishes to various ecological systems. Lecture, 3 hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MBE 702. Marine Biology and Ecology Graduate Student Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
Participation is required of all students in the Department of Marine Biology and Ecology every semester they are in residence, whether or not they are registered for the course, beginning in year 1 for PhD students with a MS, year 2 for PhD students without an MS, and approximately in their second semester in residence for MS students. Talks consist of one, 15-minute presentation per year on the research or research plan. The moderator assigns talk dates in May before the academic year. The course may be taken for credit once, but registration is not required.
Components: SEM.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MBE 704. Biological Oceanography. 3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive course in biological oceanography, including energy flow, biogeochemical cycles, planktonic and benthic ecosystem structure, the evolutionary ecology and adaptations of marine organisms, and paleoceanography.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MBE 707. Biochemical Toxicology. 3 Credit Hours.
Biochemical mechanisms of absorption, distribution, metabolism, and excretion of natural and synthetic environmental toxicants. Methods for evaluation of acute and chronic toxicity, carcinogenesis, mutagenesis, and teratogenesis including in vivo, isolated organ, tissue culture, and subcellular approaches to toxicity testing are included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MBE 710. Advanced Marine Mammal Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this class is to build upon foundational knowledge relevant to the biology, taxonomy, physiology, natural history, behavior, ecology, and conservation of marine mammals. Advanced concepts will include hydrodynamics, osteology and myology, respiratory system and diving physiology, circulatory/lymphatic systems, the nervous system, urinary/genital/reproductive systems, and neurobiology. Students must have 1 year of general biology/labs and general chemistry, 1 semester of calculus, and at least 9 credits in the natural sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MBE 715. Advanced Topics in the Ecology of Coastal Tropical Marine Ecosystems. 3 Credit Hours.
This advanced class in tropical marine ecology is targeted at students in the MS and PhD programs as well as students in the MPS program with a strong background in marine ecology. The class describes the status, trends, and disturbance ecology of tropical coastal ecosystems and organisms, with a focus on coastal ecosystems of South Florida. In addition to reinforcing and expanding knowledge of basic ecological principles through lecture materials, students will be required to complete extensive readings on current topics relating to these ecosystems from the primary scientific literature. Students will participate in several paper discussions based on these readings. Additionally, students will complete two data analysis activities and write brief reports based on these analyses. Some prior knowledge of statistics is expected to complete these assignments.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MBE 716. Bayesian Statistics for Marine Scientists. 3 Credit Hours.
Bayesian methods are increasingly used in ecology, fisheries science and marine biology, as a statistically rigorous means to incorporate information from diverse sources into a single analysis, deal with missing or incomplete data, and directly estimate the probabilities of hypotheses or outcomes. This course will cover Bayesian methods from the theory to the practical use of the statistics packages OpenBUGS and JAGS for Bayesian analysis. Topics will include development of prior probability density functions, numerical methods for integrating posterior probability density functions, diagnostics of convergence, and methods for model selection and model averaging. Examples will be taken from ecology and marine science and will include Bayesian meta-analysis of life history parameters, fisheries stock assessment models, tag-recapture models, molecular biology, decision analysis and estimation of animal abundance from surveys. Students will be encouraged to read the peer reviewed literature critically, and evaluate whether the Bayesian methods that are commonly applied are being used and interpreted appropriately. After doing several assigned homework problems, students will have an opportunity to develop a Bayesian analysis on their own data set. Knowledge of the R language is useful but not required.
Prerequisite: RSM 612 Or MES 608.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MBE 771. Advanced Studies. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Supervised study in areas of special interest to graduate students.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MBE 772. Advanced Studies. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Supervised study in areas of special interest to graduate students.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MBE 773. Advanced Studies. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Supervised study in areas of special interest to graduate students.
Components: LEC.
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MBE 775. Advanced Studies. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Supervised study in areas of special interest to graduate students.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MBE 787. Biology and Systematics of Fishes. 3 Credit Hours.
Lectures and laboratories on comparative evolution, morphology, physiology, and ecology of fishes. Laboratory emphasis is placed on family level taxonomy and systematics of marine and estuarine fishes.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MBE 805. MPS Internship. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The MPS internship is an approved, supervised internship project with an organization engaged in activities associated with the student's degree track. The internship results in a collaborative project, written report, and oral presentation on a topic approved by the student's advisory committee. Up to 6 credits are necessary for graduation.
Components: PRA.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MBE 810. Master’s Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master’s thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MBE 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor but not for less than a total of 12. Not more than 12 hours of MBE 830 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session. Where a student has passed his/her (a) qualifying examinations, and (b) is engaged in an assistantship, he/she may still take the maximum allowable credit stated above.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

M.P.S. in Marine Mammal Science

Marine Mammal Science ( MMS (https://mps.rsmas.miami.edu/degree-tracks/marine-mammal-science/))

Students in the Marine Mammal Science (https://mps.rsmas.miami.edu/degree-tracks/marine-mammal-science/) (MMS) track of the Master of Professional Science (MPS) program will prepare for employment in marine mammal management (including associated ecosystems), population assessments, acoustics, and care. Please see our track web site (http://mps.rsmas.miami.edu/degree-program/marine-mammal-science/) for more information about this program.

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Students may take any elective on the RSMAS campus with the consent of their faculty advisor. Below are a few examples of courses past students in this program used as electives.

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### Mission

The mission of the Master of Professional Science degree in Marine Mammal Science (MMS) is to prepare students for employment in marine mammal management (including associated ecosystems), population assessments, acoustics, and care. Coursework integrates topics such as marine mammal medicine and pathology, medical diagnostics and laboratory analysis, population assessment and management, state and federal regulations, applied ocean acoustics, research, education, and applied behavior analysis. The MMS track provides opportunities for students to interact with medical, training, and research experts in our community, as well as conduct an internship at one of many marine mammal rehab, managed care, or research facilities. As part of the practical training incorporated into the Marine Mammal Science curriculum, this track provides opportunities and training for students to participate in mark-recapture surveys, public education, wild health assessments, behavior analysis and modification studies, clinical care and diagnostics, necropsies, and regional and national conferences.

### Goals

The goal of the Master of Professional Science degree in Marine Mammal Science (MMS) is to prepare students for employment in marine mammal management (including associated ecosystems), population assessments, acoustics, and care. Students develop an understanding of topics such as marine mammal medicine and pathology, medical diagnostics and laboratory analysis, population assessment and management, state and federal regulations, applied ocean acoustics, research, education, and applied behavior analysis. Students engage with medical, training, and research experts in our community, as well as participate in an internship at one of many marine mammal rehab, managed care, or research facilities for hands-on training, application of scientific strategies and tools, development of professional networks and communication skills, and advancement of related research. As part of the experiential learning curriculum, MMS students receive training and/or participate in mark-recapture surveys, public education, wild health assessments, behavior analysis and modification studies, clinical care and diagnostics, necropsies, and regional and national conferences.

### Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will have a strong foundation in marine mammal concepts and theories, with the ability to engage in productive academic and professional discussions with experts in the field.
- Students will be capable of evaluating specific threats to marine mammals and consider management objectives in light of cultural and socio-economic values, many of which will differ from their own.
• Students will be capable of thinking critically about question-based research and science-based management of marine mammals in the wild and in captivity, with an emphasis on ethics.
• Students will be able to effectively communicate marine mammal science to a variety of demographics, culminating in a meaningful and real-world contribution to outreach.
• Students will have a broader understanding of marine mammal managed care across various settings and will be capable of critically and strategically considering the intersection between animal care, welfare, management, and science.
• Students will demonstrate professionalism in all aspects of field and lab work during their internships.
• Students will submit a final, written report and deliver a final presentation based on the work completed in their internship.

M.P.S. in Tropical Marine Ecosystem Management

The Master of Professional Science in Tropical Marine Ecosystem (TME), a track within the Department of Marine Biology and Ecology (https://marine-biology-ecology.rsmas.miami.edu/) at the Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science (RSMAS), provides students with advanced training in the theoretical aspects of tropical marine ecology, as well as the practical aspects needed to begin a career in this field. Please refer to the MPS website (https://mps.rsmas.miami.edu/degree-tracks/tropical-marine-ecosystem-management/) for more information about the TME track.

Admission Requirements

Prerequisites:

1. Bachelor of Science degree (B.S.) or Bachelor of Arts degree (B.A.)
2. One year of General Biology + General Biology Labs
3. One year of General Chemistry
4. At least one semester of Calculus
5. 9 additional credits in natural science (Research in these fields may, in some cases, substitute for coursework hours.)

Note to students: Deficiencies in the required courses may be considered on a case by case basis for otherwise highly qualified students.

Accepting applications for Fall 2020 admissions:

• July 25th, 2019 - July 20th, 2020 (U.S. Citizens and Permanent Residents)
• July 25th, 2019 - June 1st, 2020 (International Applicants)

An application to the MPS program consists of the following (fall & spring admissions only):

• Online CollegeNet application
• Transcripts from all past/present academic institutions (colleges and universities), including all study abroad and community colleges and, if applicable, a transcript evaluation report from an approved international credentialing agency (for non-U.S. academic institutions).
• Valid Graduate Record Examination (GRE) scores. NOTE: GRE requirement suspended for Fall 2020 admissions only due to COVID-19.
• Three (3) letters of recommendation
• Valid TOEFL or IELTS scores (for international applicants)
• Personal statement (statement of purpose)

If admission to the MPS program is granted, it will be contingent upon receipt of all items listed above (including official transcripts and test scores) and the following for international applicants:

• Statement of Financial Responsibility Form (SFR) and corresponding bank letter
• Color copy of current visa (if available).
• Color copy of valid passport (must include picture page and barcode page)

Permanent Residents must provide a color copy of Permanent Resident Card (Green Card).

Previous graduate and undergraduate scholastic performance, work and volunteer experience, valid test scores (GRE, TOEFL/IELTS), and the letters of recommendation are all considered in evaluating an applicant.

Transcript from U.S. Academic Institutions:

Please make sure you possess the required undergraduate coursework and/or degree before applying. Official transcripts must be mailed or e-mailed directly from the relevant academic institution (Office of the Registrar) to the MPS office. Our email is mps@rsmas.miami.edu; mailing address is available on the MPS website's Contact Us page. If an applicant is not able to submit an unofficial transcript with his/her application, the applicant may submit unofficial transcripts via email to mps@rsmas.miami.edu. Unofficial transcripts are accepted for review purposes only, not for admission. If admission to the MPS program is granted, it will be contingent upon receipt of all official records. Please be advised, official transcripts
will only be accepted if they are sent to us directly from the academic institution. Transcripts sent by you or issued to you (even if they are in a sealed envelope) are not considered official.

**Transcripts from Non-U.S. Academic Institutions:**

All graduate applicants who received degrees or are currently enrolled in a degree-seeking program from a college or university outside the United States (except applicants to Law* and Nursing**) must submit official transcripts and diplomas (if available) from all colleges and universities to an approved international credentialing agency. Applicants attending a non-U.S. institution for non-credit must also submit academic records to an approved evaluation agency.

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Academic references are ideal and highly preferred, but we will accept letters from employers and/or supervisors. Please do not request letters from friends, family, ministers, or coaches. If your references have trouble using the online submission portal, they may e-mail their letters (signed and on letterhead) to the MPS office at mps@rsmas.miami.edu. We cannot accept letters that are not signed. Letters sent by the applicant or forwarded to the MPS office by the applicant will not be accepted.

**GRE:**

Due to COVID-19, the GRE requirement is suspended for Fall 2020 admissions only.

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- Australia
- Bahamas
- Barbados
- Belize
- Canada (except Quebec)
- Dominica
- Grenada
- Guyana
- Ireland
- Jamaica
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- Kitts and Nevis
- Lucia
- Vincent and the Grenadines
- Trinidad and Tobago
- United Kingdom

Intensive English Program (IEP)

The University of Miami's Division of Continuing and International Education offers a fully-accredited Intensive English Program (IEP) to prepare individuals to understand and use English in a variety of academic, professional, and personal situations. Some of the services that IEP offers graduate students include an international teaching assistant training course, customized classes, LL.M. Intensive English, and volunteer opportunities.

Personal Statement (statement of purpose):

Please indicate your track of choice, and all relevant field, lab, and work experience (past and present) in your personal statement. Include your academic and professional goals, and how you envision the MPS program contributing to those goals. We strongly encourage you to include information and/or links to relevant publications, organizations, research projects, supervisors, collaborators, project results, and your role in relation to this.

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### Goals

The goal of the Master of Professional Science degree in Tropical Marine Ecosystem (https://mps.rsmas.miami.edu/degree-tracks/tropical-marine-ecosystem-management/) is to introduce students to theoretical aspects of nearshore, benthic ecosystems common to tropical and subtropical regions worldwide (coral reefs, seagrasses, and mangroves) with an emphasis on threats facing these ecosystems. The TME program assists students in the development and application of scientific field methods and techniques, taxonomy and identification of common vertebrates, invertebrates, algae and marine plants, GIS and remote sensing of shallow water marine environments, scientific diving (through the American Academy of Underwater Sciences), and small boat handling (through the Department of the Interior’s Motorboat Operator Certification Course). The goal of the TME track is to prepare graduates for technical positions in marine conservation, management, and marine ecosystem science at one of a number of state and federal agencies, institutions, and NGOs by providing students with advanced training in the theoretical and practical aspects of tropical marine ecology.

### Student Learning Outcomes

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- Students will demonstrate professionalism in all aspects of field and lab work during their internships.
- Students will submit a final, written report and deliver a final presentation based on the work completed in their internship.
M.S. in Marine Biology and Ecology

Admission Requirements

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1. Minimum of 24 course credits and 12 dissertation credits.  
2. No core courses are required. Students choose courses with the advice of their committee.  
3. • At the end of the second year, a written qualifying examination is required of all Ph.D. students that focuses on the subject matter needed to complete the research proposed for the dissertation.  
   • The purpose of the qualifying examination is to demonstrate that the MBE doctoral student has the necessary understanding and expertise in research and related fields to complete the dissertation research. The topic areas should be agreed upon by the student, chair, and the dissertation committee soon after the proposal defense. The student is strongly encouraged to discuss the specific topics with each member of the dissertation committee, well in advance of the examination, to clarify the expected questions. The committee is encouraged to provide specific reading or areas of knowledge they will test the student on.  
   • The qualifying exam is 4-5 partial days (4 hours per day) on questions written by their committee. It is the advisor’s responsibility to provide the test and to have the student’s committee grade it in a timely manner. The scheduling of the exam sessions is the responsibility of the student’s advisor, but in all cases the written portion of the examination shall be completed within one week.  
   • An additional oral qualifying examination may be required by the student’s committee, but may not serve as a substitute for the written examination, which is a Graduate School requirement.  
   • The decision of passing or failing the qualifying examination rests with the dissertation committee. The qualifying examination (written and, if required, oral) must be successfully completed, as documented by the dissertation committee, before the student can be admitted to candidacy.  
   • In the event of a failure, a student may be re-examined once upon the recommendation of the student’s committee in consultation with the academic committee. If permitted, the reexamination must be given before the end of the following semester.  

4. • Attendance to the MBE seminars is required every semester.  
   • All MBE students must give a talk in the series annually after the first year.  
      • Students entering the MBE Ph.D. program with a Master’s degree begin to give seminars in their first year.  

5. • Ph.D. students are expected to be a Teaching Assistant (TA) for two courses while pursuing their degree.  
   • The mandatory TA program will include training of new TAs, evaluation of their performance, and recognition of excellence. The goal is to make the experience as valuable as possible for the TA, the faculty, and the students taking our courses.  
   • A training session and two teaching opportunities are offered as courses in educational training (RSM 771, RSM 772, RSM 773). Students will be registered accordingly.  
   • Specific requirements for TAs are outlined in the RSMAS Student Handbook.

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**Mission**

The mission of the Marine Biology and Ecology (MBE) PhD program is to train the next generation of scientists in the fundamental skills, knowledge, and practice of biology of the oceanic environment. Through coursework and independent research, we strive to prepare our students for positions
in academia, government, or industry in jobs that leverage their skills in critical thinking, current technical knowledge such as statistical analysis and modeling, and understanding of the global marine environment. Our program commits to inspire graduates to continued scholarship, service, and innovation in an environment that is inclusive and diverse.

Goals
The goal is for PhD students to demonstrate mastery of the fundamental skills, knowledge, and practice of biology of the oceanic environment, and commitment to scholarship, service, and innovation in an environment that is inclusive and diverse.

Student Learning Outcomes
• Students will demonstrate a broad understanding of marine and atmospheric science and an awareness of how scientific research in their topical areas bears on current human and societal issues.
• Students will be able to critically evaluate scientific literature, review previous knowledge on a topic, formulate testable hypotheses, and skillfully use available data and tools to advance knowledge in a topical area. They will be able to conduct high-quality, doctoral research as evidenced by their dissertation research.
• Students will demonstrate advanced oral and written communication skills, and be able to effectively communicate scientific information to a peer audience.

Marine Ecosystems and Society
https://www.graduate.rsmas.miami.edu/graduate-programs/marine-ecosystems-and-society/index.html

Dept. Code: MES

Students enrolled in the Marine Ecosystems and Society (MES) program work at the intersection of science and society, committed to assessing, managing, and conserving marine resources through innovation and research. Although course selections are tailored to match individual research and career objectives, our graduates acquire knowledge and expertise critical to ensuring the sustainability of natural resources.

MES faculty expertise spans quantitative and qualitative disciplines that integrate the biological, ecological, economic, and social dimensions of marine resources and how they are shaped by policy and regulatory frameworks. The essence of the MES program lies in the diversity of our faculty and curriculum, fostering the cross- and interdisciplinary collaborations necessary to solve some of the world’s most challenging ocean conservation issues. The goal of our Ph.D. and M.S. program is to prepare students as future leaders in the fields of marine fisheries science, ecosystem modeling, aquaculture, conservation, ecosystem science, coastal geography, socioeconomics, cultural and natural resource management, climate change, environmental law, and marine policy.

Degree Programs
• Master of Professional Science (M.P.S.)
  • Requires 30 credit hours, including 24 course credit hours and 6 internship credit hours.
• Master of Science (M.S.) (p. 2372)
  • Requires 30 credit hours, including 24 course credit hours and 6 research credit hours.
• Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.)
  • Requires 60 credit hours, including a minimum of 27 course credit hours and a minimum of 12 research credit hours.

Program Concentrations
• Aquaculture and Fisheries Science
• Climate Science and Policy
• Coastal Zone Management
• Ecosystem Modeling and Sustainability
• Exploration Science
• Fisheries Management Science
• Marine Mammal Science
• Marine Population Dynamics
• Marine Resource Economics
• Ocean Law and Policy
• Shark Ecology and Conservation
• Underwater Archaeology
Master of Professional Science (M.P.S.) Programs

There are eight MES tracks for the M.P.S. degree:

- B.A./M.P.S. in Marine Ecosystems and Society (MES) (p. 2382)
- J.D./M.P.S. in Marine Ecosystems and Society (MES) (p. 2388)
  - The School of Law and the Rosenstiel School offer a joint degree program (https://www.law.miami.edu/academics/jd-mps-marine-ecosystems-and-society/) in law and marine ecosystems and society. Upon completion of this program, a student earns a Juris Doctor degree from the School of Law and M.P.S. degree in Marine Ecosystems and Society from RSMAS.
- M.P.S. in Aquaculture (AQU) (p. 2390)
- M.P.S. in Coastal Zone Management (CZM) (p. 2394)
- M.P.S. in Exploration Science (ESC) (p. 2399)
- M.P.S. in Fisheries Management and Conservation (FMC) (p. 2403)
- M.P.S. in Marine Conservation (MCO) (p. 2408)
- M.P.S. in Underwater Archaeology (UA) (p. 2412)

Master of Science (M.S.) Program

- M.S. in Marine Ecosystems and Society (MES) (p. 2417)

Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) Program

- Ph.D. in Marine Ecosystems and Society (MES) (p. 2420)

MES 601. Political Ecology of Marine Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Course provides a grounding in political ecology as an important theoretical approach to resource policy and management. The social analysis of resource use, social change, and development are discussed. Models of development and concepts of nature relate to resource use and policy formation are also included. Within this framework, ethnicity, class, and the politics of conservation are explored.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MES 602. Economics of Natural Resources. 3 Credit Hours.
Course brings together the approaches of natural resource and environmental economics to provide a comprehensive overview of the economics of national, international, and global environmental problems. A unifying theme throughout the course is the concept of sustainable development, defined as maximizing the net benefit to economic development while maintaining the services and quality of natural resources over time. Economic reasoning is used to examine the causes and consequences of environmental and resource problems and measures for dealing with them.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MES 603. Interdisciplinary Environmental Research: Introduction to the Why and the How. 3 Credit Hours.
The why and the how of developing and implementing interdisciplinary environmental research; research objectives and design choices informed by philosophies of knowledge and policy relevance. Assignments include development of research questions, a preliminary literature review, a draft dissertation proposal, and oral communication of research. Course is structured around peer critique and discussion of work in progress.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MES 604. Fieldwork in Coastal Management: Tourism, Conservation, and Development. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will select a coastal research site and explore its physical geography, culture, legal framework and institutions, and tourist development/conservation conflicts. In addition, we will examine different methodologies for diagnosing the site’s socioeconomic, governance, and environmental characteristics. Participants will meet weekly throughout the semester in Miami to discuss background readings and develop a group research field project that course participants will carry out during a Spring Break trip to the research site. Upon return to the University of Miami, the class will prepare manuscripts and presentations based on the field data that course participants have collected during the trip.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MES 605. Fieldwork in Coastal Cultures. 3 Credit Hours.
Field course in which the student participates in a social and economic analysis of a coastal culture (i.e., stone crab fishermen in Everglades City, spiny lobster fishermen in Key West, boat builders and commercial divers in the Abacos, Bahamas). Preliminary lectures and reading introduce the theory and method which the student then practices during a week-long field trip.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MES 606. Advanced Fieldwork in Coastal Cultures. 3 Credit Hours.
This ethnographic fieldwork course lets you experience coastal cultures first-hand in Miami and the Keys. Learning the political ecology approach in the field, you keep an in-depth field journal, complimenting entries with photography as visual anthropology. We will be interacting with some of Miami’s wealth of ethnic communities, both Latino and Haitian.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MES 608. Biometrics in Marine Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Applied statistical analysis in marine biology and biological oceanography. Descriptive statistics, probability distributions, and hypothesis testing are discussed. Concepts of analysis of variance, simple linear regression, and computer statistical distribution-free methods are also included as well as principles and procedures with computer statistical packages for data analysis. Lecture and laboratory.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MES 610. Environmental Planning and the Environmental Impact Statement. 3 Credit Hours.
Course takes a broad view of environmental planning and analysis while focusing specifically on the preparation of environmental impact statements. Statutory requirements and procedures at the federal level are examined. Judicial opinions are studied that reflect environmental disputes and controversies. The course also considers some of the substantive requirements of environmental impact analyses such as the assessment of physical and biological environment and socioeconomic impacts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MES 612. Aquaculture I. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the various strategies of resource exploitation and utilization related to aquaculture development. It focuses on environmental, technological, management, social and economic aspects of sustainable aquaculture. Advanced, emerging technologies and management strategies are examined, both at the hatchery and growout levels. The course also covers systems and all stages of planning and development, from site and species selection to feasibility studies, evaluation and sustainable use of natural resources, advanced hatchery and growout technologies. Emphasis is given on environmental sustainability as well as technical and economic feasibility of aquaculture projects.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MES 613. Aquaculture II Lab. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers basic science and advanced aquaculture technologies, with emphasis on production. It encompasses reproduction, spawning, larval husbandry, nursery and growout techniques of commercially important species of fish, crustaceans, mollusks, algae, non-traditional species and the production of live feeds such as microalgae, rotifers, Artemia spp. and other zooplanktonic organisms. The course also covers ontogeny, nutrition, physiology, bioenergetics and growth, environmental monitoring, disease prevention and control (prophylaxis, probiotics and vaccines), water quality management and growout technologies such as recirculating aquaculture systems (RAS), bioflocs and offshore surface and submerged cages. The course addresses advanced technology and proper management practices for sustainable aquaculture development. Aquaculture II is primarily a lab course, with a great deal of hands-on experience at the experimental hatchery and are required to conduct experimental trials and assist with ongoing projects. Course requires a background in either aquaculture and biological sciences or business.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MES 614. Underwater Archaeology Field Techniques. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide students the practical and scientific tools necessary to conduct archaeological investigations in underwater contexts. Critical skills such as baseline mapping, trilateration, artifact illustration, photography, and others are discussed, practiced, and ultimately applied over the course of the semester. The in-field practicum portions of the course will take place on nearby shipwrecks within Biscayne National Park. Please note that there is a significant amount of diving to complete this this course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MES 615. Marine Archaeological Survey and Technology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide students with an introduction to current technologies and marine remote sensing tools utilized in archaeological survey. Instruction in the use of technology such as the magnetometer, sidescan sonar, sector scan sonar, scanning lasers, and other tools are covered. The use of data acquisition software and the post processing of data are also key elements of this course. The bulk of this course takes place at the Broad Key Research Station over the week of spring break. In addition to the week, students meet several times before and during the semester to in order to prepare for the week and also draft a final group report for submission. There is a significant component of this course utilizing boats and also a smaller diving component.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MES 616. Ocean Policy and Development and Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Ocean policy development and analysis of issues such as: offshore oil drilling, fisheries resource conflicts, marine mammal protection, ocean dumping and incineration, multiple use conflicts in marine protected areas, pollution from land based sources, and oil spill contingency planning.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MES 617. Aquaculture IV: Aquaculture Business, Regulatory, and Environmental Considerations. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the substantive business, regulatory, and environmental issues concerning Aquaculture from offshore and coastal projects to land-based systems. Legal and regulatory considerations related to Aquaculture project development and operation will be covered. Aspects of business planning for different species and production systems will be examined. The interdisciplinary approach to Aquaculture will combine business and legal considerations with biological and environmental limitations.
Prerequisites: MES 612 and MES 613.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MES 618. Coastal Zone Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Development of a framework for formulation and assessment of coastal zone policy. Analysis of issues and conflicts in coastal zone management (CZM), such as: zoning and planning, coastal and beach protection, ecosystem protection, the federal flood insurance program, adaptations to sea level rise, coastal pollution from land-based sources, and tourism impacts.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MES 619. Aquaculture III. 3 Credit Hours.
Aquaculture III will complement Aquaculture I and II-Lab. It is a field course conducted simultaneously with an annual UM-IATTC Tuna Workshop at the world renowned Achotines Laboratory in Panama, Central America. Students will be able to apply most of the topics taught in MES 512/612 and MES 513/613. It covers reproduction and larval development of commercially and ecologically important marine fish species, focusing on tuna. Topics include physiology, biology, ecology, genetics, nutrition and environmental issues related to marine fish aquaculture. The course covers and requires participating in capture, handling, transportation, maturation, spawning, larval husbandry, nursery and growout techniques. Participants will learn about the research projects being conducted by the IATTC with yellowfin tuna, Thunnus albacares, and will visit and spend time at Open Blue Offshore farm in the Atlantic Ocean side of Panama.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

MES 620. Environmental Law and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide an overview of environmental law and its practical applications at the federal, state, and local level. The course will also include an introduction to the United States legal system, the administrative state, environmental regulations, and current issues in environmental law and policy. Finally, the course will focus on environmental themes that are of particular importance to marine professionals, such as marine mammal protection, marine protected areas, coastal wetland regulation, water pollution litigation, and environmental justice.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MES 621. Water Resources in China and Vietnam: Science and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
The course examines Water Resources from broad perspectives (water quality and quantity, ground water, international river management, watershed management, coastal issues). Additionally, it compares management strategies and problems in three countries: China, Vietnam, and the USA. The course is also highly interdisciplinary - combining natural science, policy, and the social sciences. We spend half of the time in Vietnam and the other half in China, and in both countries have long-term established cooperation with three universities: Hanoi University of Mining and Geology (HUMG), Hanoi University of Natural Resources and the Environment (HUNRE) and Yunnan University, Asian International Rivers Centre (AIRC). In both countries, we arrange lectures and discussions with local students at these universities for one week. The other week is dedicated to field work and travel.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

MES 622. Principles and Practices of Marine Social Science Research. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce students to the theory of marine social science methods, focusing on how the methods relate to the design, planning, implementation, analysis, and reporting of marine social science research. The course will be divided into three sections: theory, design, and planning; statistical analysis; and spatial data construction and analysis.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MES 623. Applied Environmental Economics. 3 Credit Hours.
The objective of this course is to familiarize students with economic arguments and methods applied to environmental problems, such as environmental quality, natural resource management, and conservation. The course will cover economics and computer programing, but the emphasis will be set on developing communication skills to inform policy making. The class is intended for graduate students seeking to develop intuition and the skills necessary for the discussion of environmental policies.
Prerequisite: MES 624.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MES 624. Statistics and Data Analysis for Environmental Science and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
The objective of this class is to provide students with applied skills that will allow them to understand, discuss, and perform general quantitative analyses related to environmental science and policy. The course will cover required statistical background and methods, as well as an introduction to advanced topics and challenges in population and causal inference. Students will also be trained on how to use computing programming tools to manipulate data and perform analyses. The class is intended for graduate students seeking to learn the foundation of modern methods and techniques for quantitative analysis of environmental problems, as well as their application in science and policy making. Students should have a background in undergraduate statistics and algebra or permission of the instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MES 625. Fisheries Socioeconomics and Management. 3 Credit Hours.
The course covers both conceptual and practical aspects dealing with the management of commercial and recreational fisheries. The first part of the course offers an introduction to micro-economic principles, focusing on efficient resource allocation. Building on these principles, we develop bio-economic models to illustrate the interactions between the resource, harvesting sector and environment. We also review the theory and practice of unregulated open access, limited entry and rights-based management. Last, we study the economics of the recreational sector and explore a number of contemporary fishery management challenges.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MES 626. Submerged Cultural Resource Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course discusses various aspects and details of managing underwater cultural heritage/submerged cultural resources. Topics will include ethics, policies and procedures, marine protected areas, and federal, state, and international laws governing management of submerged archaeological sites. Specific focus is placed on examining the variety of management concepts and frameworks utilized both in the U.S. and internationally. Finally, the role and value of public archaeology in management is also presented and discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MES 627. Exploration Science Field Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will be held as a sailing expedition to the Channel Islands in California traveling aboard the sailing vessel Sea Dragon. This course provides students with an opportunity to gain field experience by being part of an expedition team that is tasked with observing, documenting, and communicating discovery, which are the hallmarks of exploration. Students will be tasked with collecting data and producing media while learning to travel and work as an expedition team. They will learn expedition skills including navigating and sailing a circumnavigation class 72-foot sailing vessel. In addition to the week of spring break, students meet throughout the semester to work on logistics, background research, and presentations.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MES 628. Seafood Market and Marketing. 3 Credit Hours.
This course aims at educating the next generation of professionals in the seafood business and present future managers of an aquaculture business with the necessary knowledge in the packaging, pricing, placement, promotion and distribution of their finished product to give them the best return on their investment. The course covers basic theories but it is primarily a practical approach to the production, marketing and distribution of seafood products in the U.S. and the world market.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MES 629. Biology, Ecology, and Management of Mangrove Ecosystems. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is intended to introduce students to mangrove ecosystems, one of the most productive, and biologically diverse, ecosystems in the world, and one of South Florida's key coastal ecosystems. The principal objective is to explain how our scientific understanding of mangrove ecosystems has been unfolding and how today they are considered paramount not only for their organic carbon contributions to coastal areas, but as protectors of the coast, mitigators of global climate change, reservoirs of biodiversity, and supporters of the livelihoods of millions of inhabitants throughout the world. The course will consist of lectures, class discussions, and presentations of student assignments. The lectures will follow an open seminar format in which all students are expected to actively participate in the discussion of the presented material. Two lectures will take place during field trips to local mangrove areas.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MES 630. Port Operations and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will include: Introduction to ports; port geography; port operations; port administration; Federal port policy; free ports/free zones; port investment/tariffs; port marketing; Coastal Zone Management and ports; case studies, CZM; fostering economic development; and Port planning and development.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MES 631. Marine and Coastal Protected Area Theory, Planning, Management, and Issues. 3 Credit Hours.
This course shall present the study and analysis of marine and coastal protected areas in an interdisciplinary manner, commencing with an overview of conservation biology and protected area principles (ex. island biogeography), a survey of coastal and marine protected area (MPA) theory, and the influence of ecological parameters on MPA design. Another critical component of the course will be a historical review on MPAs and MPA management, how the concept developed and proliferated, and its present status. The course will next address the human dimensions and socioeconomic impacts of MPAs, including the economic performance and financing mechanisms of MPAs, stakeholder engagement, participation, and conflicts, and management approaches. Finally, the course will review a series of MPA case studies, which incorporate the aforementioned topics in a 'real world' environment and demonstrate how the concept has been applied across the world.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MES 632. Theory and Method in Underwater and Maritime Archaeology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers archaeological theory and methodologies used to interpret underwater and maritime sites in both prehistoric and historic contexts. The interconnection of theoretical constructs with submerged archaeological remains is emphasized, providing a broad toolset that can be used to better understand and explain the archaeological assemblage and associated data sets acquired from the investigation of these sites.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MES 633. Decision Analysis: Natural Hazards and Catastrophes. 3 Credit Hours.
This course addresses the behavioral factors (cognitive biases, heuristics, risk perception, social influences, and past experiences) that together help explain why people tend to underprepare for potential natural and man-made disasters. Implications for science communication and public policy are emphasized.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MES 634. Shark Behavioral Ecology and Conservation. 3 Credit Hours.
Within a semester, students will learn core concepts in shark behavioral ecology and key aspects of shark biology needed for the holistic understanding and study of shark behavioral ecology and conservation, including shark sensory, reproductive, physiological, movement and foraging ecology. These concepts will be used to link shark behavioral ecology to its consequences for conservation and management. Students will also be given the unique opportunity to interact with and be trained in advanced technologies used to study shark behavioral ecology, such as biotelemetry (acoustic and satellite tags). Through demonstrations and in-class exercises, students work with real shark biotelemetry data and are taught basic spatial analyses of shark satellite tracking data, such as home range analysis. Students will also participate on a shark research trip out of Miami with UM's Shark Research and Conservation Program, where they will be shown shark research survey, sampling and tagging techniques as well as gain hands-on experience in ongoing research.
Pre or Corequisite: MSC 460 or MES 560 or MES 660.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MES 645. Marine Population Assessment Surveys and Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
In spite of global conservation efforts, marine animal populations show increasingly critical low levels of abundance. Marine population assessment techniques are mostly based on fishery-dependent data for those species that are commercially exploited. Population assessment techniques based on these types of data usually lack spatial resolution and they do not provide spatial-temporal patterns of species diversity and community structure. Conversely, direct resource surveys aim to provide representative estimates of the relative abundance and population structure of the species (and community) of interest. These surveys can generate multi-species population databases that are fundamental for the modeling and understanding of important ecosystem-wide mechanisms of resource conservation. Multi-species indices of relative abundance are also important in the “tuning” of modern stock assessment and conservation methods. In this course, students will learn about experimental sampling concepts and designs, instrumentation, survey implementation and statistical methods to directly assess size-structured population abundance (i.e., density estimates scaled to survey area), and of exploited and non-target species (e.g. sea turtles, marine mammals, etc.) in the ecosystem. Students will analyze real data from various surveys carried out in the past using statistical techniques to estimate valid population parameters and variances. Comparative analyses of survey designs are discussed based on an ample literature on the subject matter, which will be made available to the students.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MES 646. Marine Population Biology Processes and Modeling. 3 Credit Hours.
The course examines some of the fundamental life history processes that control wild aquatic populations and uses mathematics to help describe and understand such processes. Mathematical models, developed for each process following a series of simplifying assumptions, should be an adequate description of the biological traits of interest. In this course, students will learn basic population biology concepts, models to describe and estimation methods for population parameters included in such models. The course focuses on ageing determination, individual growth, survival, migration, reproduction and feeding. The course also covers the data requirements and statistical validation of statistical model fits such that students will develop an ability to integrate and summarize complex biological knowledge through a set of well-defined mathematical and statistical methods. It uses examples of a broad range of marine taxa including harvested species and protected species (marine mammals, sea turtles and corals).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MES 660. Introduction to Marine Geographic Information Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Marine Geographic Information Systems are emerging as a distinct subset of GIS, due to fundamental differences between terrestrial and underwater spatial information (2-D vs. 3-D, multiresolution, synoptic data collection, time depth (4-D) modeling). Approximately the first half of this course is a brief review of basic GIS, and the second half concentrates on aspects of marine data acquisition and manipulation in the GIS context.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MES 661. Introduction to Marine Geographic Information Systems - Laboratory. 0 Credit Hours.
Introduction to Marine Geographic Information Systems - Laboratory introduces students to the basic methods and technology in Marine Geographic Information Systems. The course is taught with hands-on laboratory exercises following the evolution of Marine Geographic Information Systems, from basic cartography to topological and network modeling to internet access and application.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

MES 662. Intermediate Spatial Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
This is an advanced GIS course and is intended for students who have taken an introductory course in GIS. The course will consist of raster data modeling, spatial analysis, introductory concepts in remote sensing and geostatistical analysis. Additionally, we will be using modules or scripts for more GIS functionality. The course will have a lecture part and laboratory part to advance the student’s knowledge in spatial analysis. Students will also be assigned journal readings showing practical applications of raster data modeling. The students will use ArcGIS Pro 2.2 and with several extensions to complete the lab exercises and the required GIS project.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MES 664. Citizen and Participatory Science. 3 Credit Hours.
The Citizen and Participatory Science course will focus on preparing students for designing and implementing citizen and participatory science projects aimed at addressing questions and problems around specific environmental issues. As social networks grow, open data comes online and mobile technologies proliferate and advance, the opportunity to tap into eager and interested citizens to collect data for research and documentation purposes is quickly rising. This program will look at history of citizen science, which is over 100 years old, and will analyze current and past projects. Students will be exposed to how citizen science projects are designed and implemented and how they can be best leveraged to gain useful data for research. Guests lecturers will be invited for virtual and in-person presentations. A key component of the course will be for students to design a citizen science project using best practices. These projects can provide the baseline for launching real projects with organizations interested in applying citizen science to their work. The course will look at both technology driven projects as well as low-tech projects to expose students to the range of work being done in this rapidly evolving area.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MES 665. Science and Natural History Media Production. 3 Credit Hours.
The emphasis of this course is on documentary video production using a variety of technologies and methods. As video becomes increasingly used in communication, this course will provide an overview of the production process (pre-production, production, post-production) for those with backgrounds in science, education, and outreach. A variety of films will be reviewed and the process of science storytelling will be examined. In addition, the course will touch on mobile, mapping, imaging, ROV and UAV (drone) technologies as they relate to media production.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MES 670. Conservation and Management of Marine Mammals. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores current and pressing threats to large marine vertebrates, particularly mammals, and the relative legislation in place to protect them. Additionally, we will explore the methods and tools used to assess, manage, and conserve marine mammal populations, including case studies that exemplify both successes and failures. Discussions will include anthropogenic impacts, the Marine Mammal Protection Act/IWC/ESA/Florida Manatee Sanctuary Act/IUCN, a stock as a management unit, OSP/PBR, mark-recapture and other methodologies integral to wild population management, marine mammal strandings response, and the ethics of human intervention as it relates to the management of marine ecosystems as a whole. Emphasis will also be placed on the acquisition of relevant skill sets, such as communication of conservation messages using social media, advocacy with integrity, grant writing, and stranding and rehabilitation procedures and certifications.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MES 671. Marine Conservation Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
Until now, fisheries management has used a species-specific approach to conservation, focusing attention on economically important species that people consume. There has been some research on charismatic mega-fauna, particularly whales, seabirds and sea turtles. To this day, fishery biologists are concerned mainly with assessing stocks of commercially harvested species to maintain biomass production, rather than maintaining and restoring biological integrity: species composition, habitat structure and ecosystem function. It is only in the past few years that a new biodiversity-focused, ecosystem-based, multidisciplinary scientific approach to marine conservation has emerged. This new paradigm is known as Marine Conservation Biology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MES 672. The Archaeology of Seafaring. 3 Credit Hours.
Ships and seafarers have had considerable influences on civilization throughout history. The ship typically represents the pinnacle of a society's understanding of many disciplines: astronomy, geography, metallurgy, physics, warfare, et cetera. No other process similarly spread the delights and devastation of the world so effectively. This course studies man's evolutionary relationship with the sea from early civilization through the 20th century. Emphasis will be on archaeological and ethnographical investigations concerning shipwrecks and maritime epicenters supporting maritime culture. This will be a lecture course supported by visual, audible, and hands-on presentations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MES 673. Marine Conservation Outreach. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will explore the concepts, theories and practices of creating and evaluating effective Marine Conservation Outreach. The course will cover the project life cycle from planning to implementation to evaluating effectiveness.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MES 674. From Gold to Glory: History and Ethics of Exploration. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address changes in motivation and approaches to exploration with a focus on risk perception, physiological limitations, and social-cultural context, including how past colonial legacy is still influencing perceptions of the current generation of scientists, explorers, and the groups they interact with. Assignments will include critical readings of source materials and case studies of particular expeditions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MES 676. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics related to marine affairs.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MES 677. Management and Conservation of Marine Ecosystems. 3 Credit Hours.
In this course students will learn how marine ecosystem management operates to achieve its objectives of sustainable use, optimization and allocation of resources. The primary focus is on how fisheries interactions with marine ecosystems are monitored, assessed and regulated. It examines how fisheries management achieves its objectives through different operational strategies. As the ecosystem-based approach to fisheries management requires seeing fisheries as integrated systems within the broader ecosystem, the course puts management in the context of impacts of all human activities not just fisheries. Particular attention is given to management of habitats, harvested and protected species. Impacts of marine transport, tourism, and mineral extraction are also considered albeit in less detail. The course includes individual chapter introductions to all components of ecosystem management and policy including, ecological sustainability, governance, social, economics and legal aspects.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MES 678. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics related to marine affairs.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MES 679. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics related to marine affairs.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MES 680. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics related to marine affairs.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MES 681. Special Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects, or directed readings in special topics related to Marine Ecosystems and Society.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MES 682. Special Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects, or directed readings in special topics related to Marine Ecosystems and Society.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MES 683. Special Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects, or directed readings in special topics related to Marine Ecosystems and Society.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MES 690. Acoustic Measurement of Nekton, Plankton and Underwater Habitat. 3 Credit Hours.
This is an introductory course on the theory, history and applications of acoustics to measure nekton, plankton and underwater habitat. It was designed for those students who wish to learn how to make quantitative measures of organisms and structure underwater. It is a prerequisite for MES 790, which focuses on data acquisition in the field and laboratory signal processing. This course is essential for students who need to make precise and accurate underwater measurements for their research.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MES 691. Maritime Archaeology Field Study. 3 Credit Hours.
This field-based course focuses on the acquisition of data from shipwreck sites and subsequent interpretation and analysis. Topics of study include shipwrecks from the 16th century to World War II era. Students will learn about historic maritime activity and be exposed to analyzing both the archaeological and historical record in examination of these sites. This course will be taught in collaboration with partners at the National Park Service and/or NOAA, and dives will take place in Biscayne National Park, Dry Tortugas National Park, or the Florida Keys National Marine Sanctuary. Students must be approved UM divers to take this course.
Components: FLD.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

MES 692. Archaeological Study of Submerged Pre-Contact Sites. 3 Credit Hours.
This is a field-based course with a focus on submerged pre-contact or prehistoric archaeological sites within North America, Latin America, and the Caribbean. Students will learn about the past human activity, settlement patterns, and habitation of various regions and sites, while conducting fieldwork. Focus will be placed on topics such as the peopling of the Americas over 13,500 years ago, human adaptation to environmental change, and the location and investigation of now-inundated coastal sites and submerged caverns and caves. Techniques and methods of data acquisition relevant to these site types will be taught, and students will receive hands-on experience in specific methodologies. Students must be approved UM divers to take this course.
Components: FLD.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

MES 693. Maritime Archaeology and the Conquest of Mexico. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will allow students to experience firsthand the archaeological and historical sites associated with the conquest of Mexico and to participate in archaeological fieldwork investigating maritime archaeological sites associated with this seminal historic event. Site-based learning experiences will include world-renowned museums and very significant archaeological sites, both prehistoric and historic, which will provide perspective on cultural transition and conflict over time within the prehistoric societies in Mesoamerica and the eventual collision of cultures and civilizations at the height of the Aztec empire and the advent of Spanish colonialism. The fieldwork portion of the course will take place in the town of Villa Rica de la Vera Cruz and will be conducted from a borderlands/landscape lens, incorporating both terrestrial and underwater efforts. Students will participate in the archaeological study of and search for ships scuttled by Hernán Cortés in 1519 and 1520.
Prerequisite: RSM 500 or RSM 600.
Components: FLD.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.
MES 710. International Ocean Law and Governance. 3 Credit Hours.
This course shall track the history and development of international ocean law, from a series of bi-lateral and multi-lateral treaties, the evolving customary law framework, and coastal and maritime state claims to the codification and proliferation of international legal agreements addressing the panoply of ocean use and management issues. Applying a chronological approach, the course shall identify and discuss key developments in international ocean law, leading to the drafting of the Third United Nations Law of the Sea Convention (UNCLOS III). By evaluating the multifold themes addressed under the convention, the course will analyze the effects of convention in a post UNCLOS III world, especially in the fields of environmental protection, the management of marine fisheries and living resources, the allocation of seabed and subsoil resources, issues affecting the high seas, and polar regions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MES 713. Marine Population Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to the mathematical and statistical models that underpin the study of the fluctuations of marine populations. It focuses on the understanding and theory of the dynamics of marine harvested and protected species (marine mammals, sea turtles, and other endangered taxa). Particular attention is given to understanding these dynamics with the support of data related to marine fisheries. Whereas MES 646 focuses on basic processes (ageing, growth, reproduction, migration) MES 713 focuses on how understanding of these basic processes can help develop population models. The first half of MES 713 is devoted to the estimation of abundance from surveys, fishery data and mark recapture experiments. The second part of the course covers the study of population models that explain abundance fluctuations. The last part of the course covers forecasting models that can be used to provide advice to resource managers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MES 714. Population Modeling and Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Mathematical and computer-intensive models of exploited populations fish, shell fish, marine mammals, and sea turtles. Stock production (surplus production), structured analytical yield (yield-per-recruit and age-size structured assessments), stock and recruitment, simulation modeling, adaptive control theory, risk assessments, and decision theoretic analyses are discussed. Techniques of management, concepts of resource allocation, and fishery management institutions with case studies are also included. Lecture and computer-based laboratory.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MES 715. Advanced Biometrics in Marine Science. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to advanced statistical analysis of multivariate empirical observations with primary emphasis on applications in the assessment and interpretation of the dynamics of marine populations and communities in marine biology, biomedical sciences, fisheries, and biological oceanography. Advanced methods in linear, multiple and nonlinear regression analysis, probability and estimation theory, multiple partial correlation, ANCOVA, GLIM, general additive models, nonlinear optimization, multivariate statistics (classification and ordination), and sampling techniques. Exploratory data analysis and modeling are emphasized using the software SAS, S-PLUS, and MATLAB.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MES 720. Coastal Law and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Course examines the authority of different levels and agencies of government to make decisions affecting the coastal zone. Course also explores the coastal problems of shoreline use and development, uses of water areas and the seabed, and the related questions of environmental protection.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MES 774. Advanced Studies in Marine Ecosystems and Society. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Supervised study in areas of special interest to graduate students.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MES 790. Advanced Acoustic Measurement of Nekton, Plankton, and Underwater Habitat. 3 Credit Hours.
This is the second course in a series on the acoustic measurement of nekton, plankton and underwater habitat. This course will focus on the acquisition and processing of plankton, nekton and marine habitat data using sonar hydrophones. Students will also review and discuss the classic papers that have been published on this topic. This class was designed for those students who wish to learn how to make quantitative measures of organisms and underwater habitat structure for their research.
Prerequisite: MES 590 Or MES 690.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MES 805. MPS Internship. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The MPS internship is an approved, supervised internship project with an organization engaged in activities associated with the student's degree track. The internship results in a collaborative project, written report, and oral presentation on a topic approved by the student's advisory committee. Up to 6 credits are necessary for graduation.
Components: PRA.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MES 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MES 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master's degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in MAF 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MES 825. Continuous Registration--Master's Study. 1 Credit Hour.
To establish residence for non-thesis master's students who are preparing for major examinations. Credit not granted. Regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MES 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor but not for less than a total of 12. Not more than 12 hours of MES 830 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session. Where a student has passed his/her (a) qualifying examinations, and (b) is engaged in an assistantship, he/she may still take the maximum allowable credit stated above.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

B.A./M.P.S. in Marine Ecosystems and Society

B.A. / M.P.S.
The Department of Marine Ecosystems and Society (https://marine-ecosystems.rsmas.miami.edu/) (MES), in cooperation with the Undergraduate Marine and Atmospheric Science Program (https://undergraduate.rsmas.miami.edu/), also offers a five-year B.A./M.P.S (https://undergraduate.rsmas.miami.edu/academics/majors/marine-affairs/) Program in Marine Affairs. This program enables qualified students to earn a B.A. in Marine Affairs in four years with the opportunity to earn a Master of Professional Science (https://mps.rsmas.miami.edu/) (M.P.S). with only one additional year.

Admission Requirements
Conditional acceptance to the M.P.S program is based on the student's GPA at the end of their sophomore year. Students must then take GRE exams and apply for acceptance to the graduate program at Rosenstiel during their junior year.

Prerequisites:
1. Underwater Archaeology applicants should refer to Dr. Hanselmann’s Underwater Archeology Track Guide (https://mps.rsmas.miami.edu/_assets/pdf/dr-hanselmanns-underwater-archeology-track-guide.pdf)

Accepting applications for Fall 2020 admissions:
• July 25th, 2019 - July 20th, 2020 (U.S. Citizens and Permanent Residents)
• July 25th, 2019 - June 1st, 2020 (International Applicants)

Accepting applications for Spring 2021 admissions:
• Now until December 1st, 2020 (U.S. Citizens and Permanent Residents)
• Now until November 1st, 2020 (International Applicants)
An application to the MPS program consists of the following (fall & spring admissions only):

- Online CollegeNet application
- Transcripts from all past/present academic institutions (colleges and universities), including all study abroad and community colleges and, if applicable, a transcript evaluation report from an approved international credentialing agency (for non-U.S. academic institutions).
- Valid Graduate Record Examination (GRE) scores. NOTE: GRE requirement suspended for Fall 2020 admissions only due to COVID-19.
- Three (3) letters of recommendation
- Valid TOEFL or IELTS scores (for international applicants)
- Personal statement (statement of purpose)

If admission to the MPS program is granted, it will be contingent upon receipt of all items listed above (including official transcripts and test scores) and the following for international applicants:

- Statement of Financial Responsibility Form (SFR) and corresponding bank letter
- Color copy of current visa (if available).
- Color copy of valid passport (must include picture page and barcode page)

Permanent Residents must provide a color copy of Permanent Resident Card (Green Card).

Previous graduate and undergraduate scholastic performance, work and volunteer experience, valid test scores (GRE, TOEFL/IELTS), and the letters of recommendation are all considered in evaluating an applicant.

**Transcript from U.S. Academic Institutions:**

Please make sure you possess the required undergraduate coursework and/or degree before applying. Official transcripts must be mailed or e-mailed directly from the relevant academic institution (Office of the Registrar) to the MPS office. Our email is mps@rsmas.miami.edu, mailing address is available on the MPS website's Contact Us page. If an applicant is not able to submit an unofficial transcript with his/her application, the applicant may submit unofficial transcripts via email to mps@rsmas.miami.edu. Unofficial transcripts are accepted for review purposes only, not for admission. If admission to the MPS program is granted, it will be contingent upon receipt of all official records. Please be advised, official transcripts will only be accepted if they are sent to us directly from the academic institution. Transcripts sent by you or issued to you (even if they are in a sealed envelope) are not considered official.

**Transcripts from Non-U.S. Academic Institutions:**

All graduate applicants who received degrees or are currently enrolled in a degree-seeking program from a college or university outside the United States (except applicants to Law* and Nursing**) must submit official transcripts and diplomas (if available) from all colleges and universities to an approved international credentialing agency. Applicants attending a non-U.S. institution for non-credit must also submit academic records to an approved evaluation agency.

Transcripts in a language other than English must be provided in that language and must be accompanied by a certified English translation. International applicants must also submit a copy of his/her diploma in the official language of the country from which the degree was awarded and provide a certified English translation of the diploma. Submit these items to an approved international credentialing agency. Follow the specific instructions of the selected evaluation agency to request a course-by-course evaluation with degree equivalency and grade point average (GPA) calculation. Applicants must request that the evaluation report and copy of all the official documents used in the evaluation are sent directly from the approved evaluation agency to the MPS office mps@rsmas.miami.edu.

- Josef Silny & Associates (JS&A), Inc, International Education Consultants, is the preferred evaluation vendor for international applicants to the University of Miami due to their competitive prices and high-quality service. Click here for more information including the Application for Evaluation of Foreign Educational Credentials.
- Please note that international applicants are not required to use the services of JS&A. The international credential evaluation services of any approved vendor may be used. Click here to view a list of approved vendors.
- Please be sure the vendor sends your evaluation directly to mps@rsmas.miami.edu.
- Evaluation Fee - Applicants are responsible for the evaluation fee. Please note that failure to comply with these instructions may cause significant delays in the review and processing of your application, and therefore also significant delays in the processing of your I-20.

**Letters of Recommendation:**

Three (3) letters of recommendation are required for admissions consideration. Each applicant must request letters of recommendation from three (3) different references using the guidelines provided in the online application. Applications from CollegeNet may be submitted without letters of recommendation. However, an applicant's file will not be reviewed by Track Leaders until all required admissions materials (including letters of recommendation) are received by the MPS office. Upon completion of the application, your references will receive an e-mail from CollegeNet requesting the online submission of the required documentation (questionnaire + letter of recommendation).
Academic references are ideal and highly preferred, but we will accept letters from employers and/or supervisors. Please do not request letters from friends, family, ministers, or coaches. If your references have trouble using the online submission portal, they may e-mail their letters (signed and on letterhead) to the MPS office at mps@rsmas.miami.edu. We cannot accept letters that are not signed. Letters sent by the applicant or forwarded to the MPS office by the applicant will not be accepted.

GRE:
Due to COVID-19, the GRE requirement is suspended for Fall 2020 admissions only.

The MPS office must receive your official Graduate Record Examination test (GRE http://www.ets.org/gre) scores directly from ETS. Please use institution code 7690 (department code) when submitting your request with ETS. This code indicates delivery of test scores to the RSMAS campus, home of the MPS office.

A minimum, combined score of 297 (Verbal + Quantitative only) is required for admissions consideration. Applicants must also complete the Analytical Writing section of the GRE. However, the Analytical Writing score will not be calculated into your combined score, nor will it be used for tuition waiver eligibility. To learn about our merit-based partial tuition waivers, please visit our Financing Your Education page.

TOEFL/IELTS (for Non-native English Speakers):
To prove language proficiency, students must take either the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) or the International English Language Testing System (IELTS).
- Paper Based TOEFL (PBT) - minimum score is 550
- Internet Based TOEFL (IBT) - minimum score is 80
- IELTS (Academic) - minimum score is 6.5

Please use institution code 2919 (no department code). This institution code is for the TOEFL only; please note that the GRE institution code is different (see above).

If English is not your native language, the TOEFL/IELTS requirement may be waived if you hold an undergraduate or graduate degree from an academic institution within the United States or from one of the following English-speaking countries:
- Antigua and Barbuda
- Australia
- Bahamas
- Barbados
- Belize
- Canada (except Quebec)
- Dominica
- Grenada
- Guyana
- Ireland
- Jamaica
- New Zealand
- Kitts and Nevis
- Lucia
- Vincent and the Grenadines
- Trinidad and Tobago
- United Kingdom

Intensive English Program (IEP)
The University of Miami’s Division of Continuing and International Education offers a fully-accredited Intensive English Program (IEP) to prepare individuals to understand and use English in a variety of academic, professional, and personal situations. Some of the services that IEP offers graduate students include an international teaching assistant training course, customized classes, LL.M. Intensive English, and volunteer opportunities.

**Personal Statement (statement of purpose):**

Please indicate your track of choice, and all relevant field, lab, and work experience (past and present) in your personal statement. Include your academic and professional goals, and how you envision the MPS program contributing to those goals. We strongly encourage you to include information and/or links to relevant publications, organizations, research projects, supervisors, collaborators, project results, and your role in relation to this.

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Website: https://mps.rsmas.miami.edu/index.html  
Phone: (305) 421-4340  
Fax: (305) 421-4246

**Curriculum Requirements**

Students must follow the curriculum corresponding to their respective track in the MPS program. A list of courses (required and elective) are listed on each track page of the MPS website (https://mps.rsmas.miami.edu/degree-tracks/).

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MTH 130  Introductory Calculus
MTH 140  Calculus Concepts with Foundations A
MTH 161  Calculus I
or MTH 171  Calculus I
Select one of the following:  
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MSC 204  Environmental Statistics
CSC 120  Computer Programming I
MTH 224  Introduction to Probability and Statistics
MSC 203  Foundations of Computational Marine Science

Courses in approved minor  
                      15
Electives
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                      35

**MPS REQUIREMENTS**  
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See specific MPS track curriculum for course listing.

Total Credit Hours  
                      150-152

1 At least 6 of which must be at the 300-level or higher. MSC 204 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=MSC%20204) does not satisfy the MSC elective requirement but does satisfy the Statistics requirement. With the approval of the MPS advisor (Track Leader), students in MPS may enroll a different graduate-level course if statistics was successfully completed and passed at the undergraduate level. Completion of graduate-level statistics is a requirement for select tracks in the MPS program.

2 General Biology BIL 150 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=BIL%20150) and Evolution and Biodiversity BIL 160 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=BIL%20160) must be passed with a grade of "C-" or higher.

3 Chemistry for the Biosciences must be passed with a grade of "C-" or higher.

* 600-level courses offered through the graduate Marine Ecosystems and Society programs at the Rosenstiel School may be taken by Junior or Senior students with permission:

**Application for Undergraduates to Take a Graduate Course**

Click here (https://www.grad.miami.edu/policies-and-forms/forms/application-for-undergraduates-to-take-a-graduate-course-revised-mar-2020.pdf) to download the form.

University of Miami undergraduate students within 30 credits of meeting the requirements for the baccalaureate degree may take and receive credit for graduate courses, while completing the requirements for the baccalaureate degree. No more than six (6) graduate credits may be taken in one semester, and no more than a total of twelve (12) graduate credits may be taken as an undergraduate. The student should be enrolled in at least 12 undergraduate credits each semester to avoid eligibility issues for some aid programs. Students may take no more than 15 credit hours of combined undergraduate and graduate credits. Admission to take graduate courses does not automatically admit the student to a graduate degree program at the University of Miami. The graduate credits earned may NOT be used to meet undergraduate graduation requirements or be used to meet the 120 credit hour requirements at the University of Miami.

Undergraduate students who request to take graduate coursework must complete the Application for Undergraduates to Take a Graduate Course and then email the completed form and a completed drop/add form (https://www.grad.miami.edu/policies-and-forms/forms/drop-add-form_9-25-2018.pdf) to the Graduate School, at gradforms@miami.edu, for final approval. Once the form is signed by the Graduate School representative, the student will receive it signed via email. The student then must send that form and the associated drop/add form to the Office of the Registrar, at registrar@miami.edu, for processing.

*For forms on fellowships and grants, please visit the Financial Aid and Funding Opportunities (https://www.grad.miami.edu/costs-and-funding/financial-aid-and-funding-opportunities/internal-fellowships-and-scholarships/) section under the Costs & Funding tab.

**Sample Plan of Study**

Students must follow the curriculum corresponding to their respective track in the MPS program. A list of courses (required and elective) are listed on each track page of the MPS website (https://mps.rsmas.miami.edu/degree-tracks/).

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J.D./M.P.S. in Marine Ecosystems and Society

Overview

The University of Miami School of Law and the Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science (RSMAS) offer a joint degree program in law and Marine Ecosystems and Society (MES). Upon completion of this program, a student earns the Juris Doctor degree from the School of Law and a Master of Professional Science in Marine Ecosystems and Society (https://www.law.miami.edu/academics/jd-mps-marine-ecosystems-and-society/) from RSMAS.

The M.P.S. degree allows students to focus their coursework in one of four areas:

1. Aquaculture Track: Focuses on the environmental, technological, social, economic, legal and political aspects of sustainable aquaculture.
2. Coastal Zone Management Track: Gain exposure to the legal and governance frameworks associated with the management of near-shore waters. These areas present unique challenges to resource managers in the shipping, tourism, development, fisheries, aquaculture and oil industry.
3. Marine Conservation Track: Design a curriculum around personal career goals while focusing on innovative solutions to current marine ecosystem threats. This track combines science, law, economics, and policy to foster the conservation awareness of marine ecosystems.
4. Underwater Archaeology: (https://mps.rsmas.miami.edu/degree-tracks/underwater-archeology/) Focuses on the theory, field techniques, and management practices necessary to work within the field of archaeology and the broader general field of marine sciences. Coursework integrates topics such as site mapping and documentation, interpretation of shipwrecks and submerged sites, best management practices, marine protected areas, and marine survey technology. Underwater Archaeology (UARCH) students receive training as AAUS Science Divers during their first semester in the MPS Program. Students will have opportunities to work side-by-side with professional archaeologists through internships and field projects with private, public, or non-governmental agencies, both nationally and internationally, and conduct relevant fieldwork. UARCH applicants and students should be aware of and follow the guidelines (https://mps.rsmas.miami.edu/_assets/pdf/dr-hanselmanns-underwater-archeology-track-guide.pdf) outlined by UARCH faculty Track Leader, Dr. Frederick Hanselmann. (https://people.miami.edu/profile/fhanselmann@rsmas.miami.edu)

Admissions

- Students who apply for the joint J.D./M.P.S. program must apply to both the School of Law and to Master of Professional Science program at the Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science (RSMAS).
- Prospective students must achieve a qualifying score on the Law School Admissions Test (LSAT) and on the General Graduate Record Examination (GRE) for admission to the respective schools. A minimum, combined score of 297 (Verbal + Quantitative only) is required to be considered for MPS.
- Three (3) letters of recommendation are required for admission to RSMAS. An applicant may use letters submitted to his/her law school application for consideration into RSMAS. Applicants must submit a written request to the law school in order to release his/her letters of recommendation to the MPS office for his/her RSMAS application.
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- An applicant must notify both schools that he or she is applying for the joint J.D./M.P.S. program and, in order to remain in the joint program, must meet the minimum standards of both schools.

Credits
A student may complete requirements for both degrees within seven regular semesters or, subject to course availability, in an intensive program of six regular semesters and two full summers. The joint degree program saves a student 12 credits over earning the degrees separately. An individual would essentially complete 82 credits (rather than the normal 88) in law courses and 24 credits (rather than the normal 30) in marine and atmospheric science courses for a total of 106 credits in order to receive the J.D. and the M.P.S. degrees. A maximum of 6 credits from the law school must be petitioned and approved for transfer to the student's graduate record in order to meet the 30-credit minimum for a master's degree. Prior to submitting a formal petition to the Graduate School, a student's academic advisor from the law school and the MPS Director/Associate Director must approve the credits requested for transfer.

**Curriculum**

The student's work in the joint degree program, whether connected with a course, seminar or individual research project at the School of Law or the Rosenstiel School, must result in a substantial research project of publishable quality in marine law or policy or related scientific issues. Students may use their required upper-class research paper at the School of Law to fulfill this requirement. JD/MPS students should follow the MPS Checklist (https://mps.rsmas.miami.edu/our-students/form/), which outlines requirements for all JD/MPS students regardless of track.

**Requirements: Juris Doctor (J.D.)**

Students must complete at least 12 credits from among the following courses or seminars:

**Requirements: RSMAS courses are identified and organized by each MPS track (https://mps.rsmas.miami.edu/degree-tracks/)**

**A student must complete 24 credits of courses from RSMAS:**

Courses (https://graduate.rsmas.miami.edu/students/course-schedules/) will be updated from time to time and students should consult with a faculty advisor, or other designated person, prior to registering for any course not specifically listed above, or to ensure a course not listed will be credited toward this degree. RSMAS, Department of Marine Ecosystems and Society, makes no representation that all of the above courses will be available to any given student at all times during the course of his or her studies.

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**Admission Requirements**

- Students who apply for the joint J.D./M.P.S. program must apply to both the School of Law and to the Master of Professional Science (MPS) program at the Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science (RSMAS).
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Curriculum Requirements
Curriculum within the MPS program will be decided on a case-by-case basis during academic advising. However, students select from a variety of multidisciplinary courses across many departments and schools at RSMAS/UM, in a holistic effort to meet their personal and professional goals. JD/MPS students may follow the Plan of Study Grid corresponding to their respective area of focus, which identifies required and elective courses. Students must enroll in graduate level courses during their time a RSMAS; no credit will be awarded for undergraduate courses.

- Aquaculture Track (https://mps.rsmas.miami.edu/degree-tracks/aquaculture/)
- Coastal Zone Management Track (https://mps.rsmas.miami.edu/degree-tracks/coastal-zone-management/)
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M.P.S. in Aquaculture
Overview
The Master of Professional Science (MPS) in Aquaculture focuses on the environmental, technological, social, economic, legal, and political aspects of sustainable aquaculture. The program covers all stages of planning and development, from site and species selection to feasibility studies, resource evaluation, hatchery and grow-out technology, and commercialization. Please see our departmental website (https://marine-ecosystems.rsmas.miami.edu/) for more information about this program.

Admissions Requirements
Accepting applications for Fall 2020 admissions:
• July 25th, 2019 - July 20th, 2020 (U.S. Citizens and Permanent Residents)
• July 25th, 2019 - June 1st, 2020 (International Applicants)

Accepting applications for Spring 2021 admissions:
• Now until December 1st, 2020 (U.S. Citizens and Permanent Residents)
• Now until November 1st, 2020 (International Applicants)

An application to the MPS program consists of the following (fall & spring admissions only):
• Online CollegeNet application
• Transcripts from all past/present academic institutions (colleges and universities), including all study abroad and community colleges and, if applicable, a transcript evaluation report from an approved international credentialing agency (for non-U.S. academic institutions).
• Valid Graduate Record Examination (GRE) scores. NOTE: GRE requirement suspended for Fall 2020 admissions only due to COVID-19.
• Three (3) letters of recommendation
Due to COVID-19, the GRE requirement is suspended for Fall 2020 admissions only.

GRE:

Letters of Recommendation:

Three (3) letters of recommendation are required for admissions consideration. Each applicant must request letters of recommendation from three (3) different references using the guidelines provided in the online application. Applications from CollegeNet may be submitted without letters of recommendation. However, an applicant’s file will not be reviewed by Track Leaders until all required admissions materials (including letters of recommendation) are received by the MPS office. Upon completion of the application, your references will receive an e-mail from CollegeNet, requesting the online submission of the required documentation (questionnaire + letter of recommendation).

Academic references are ideal and highly preferred, but we will accept letters from employers and/or supervisors. Please do not request letters from friends, family, ministers, or coaches. If your references have trouble using the online submission portal, they may e-mail their letters (signed and on letterhead) to the MPS office at mps@rsmas.miami.edu. We cannot accept letters that are not signed. Letters sent by the applicant or forwarded to the MPS office by the applicant will not be accepted.

GRE:

Due to COVID-19, the GRE requirement is suspended for Fall 2020 admissions only.
The MPS office must receive your official Graduate Record Examination test (GRE http://www.ets.org/gre) scores directly from ETS. Please use institution code 7690 (department code) when submitting your request with ETS. This code indicates delivery of test scores to the RSMAS campus, home of the MPS office.

A minimum, combined score of 297 (Verbal + Quantitative only) is required for admissions consideration. Applicants must also complete the Analytical Writing section of the GRE. However, the Analytical Writing score will not be calculated into your combined score, nor will it be used for tuition waiver eligibility. To learn about our merit-based partial tuition waivers, please visit our Financing Your Education page.

**TOEFL/IELTS (for Non-native English Speakers):**
To prove language proficiency, students must take either the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) or the International English Language Testing System (IELTS).
- Paper Based TOEFL (PBT) - minimum score is 550
- Internet Based TOEFL (IBT) - minimum score is 80
- IELTS (Academic) - minimum score is 6.5

Please use institution code 2919 (no department code). This institution code is for the TOEFL only; please note that the GRE institution code is different (see above).

If English is not your native language, the TOEFL/IELTS requirement may be waived if you hold an undergraduate or graduate degree from an academic institution within the United States or from one of the following English-speaking countries:
- Antigua and Barbuda
- Australia
- Bahamas
- Barbados
- Belize
- Canada (except Quebec)
- Dominica
- Grenada
- Guyana
- Ireland
- Jamaica
- New Zealand
- Kitts and Nevis
- Lucia
- Vincent and the Grenadines
- Trinidad and Tobago
- United Kingdom

**Intensive English Program (IEP)**
The University of Miami's Division of Continuing and International Education offers a fully-accredited Intensive English Program (IEP) to prepare individuals to understand and use English in a variety of academic, professional, and personal situations. Some of the services that IEP offers graduate students include an international teaching assistant training course, customized classes, LL.M. Intensive English, and volunteer opportunities.

**Personal Statement (statement of purpose):**
Please indicate your track of choice, and all relevant field, lab, and work experience (past and present) in your personal statement. Include your academic and professional goals, and how you envision the MPS program contributing to those goals. We strongly encourage you to include
information and/or links to relevant publications, organizations, research projects, supervisors, collaborators, project results, and your role in relation to this.

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Mission
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Goals
The goal of this track is to advance sustainable marine aquaculture and address issues affecting seafood industries. Within this realm, students will be exposed to all stages of planning and development, from site and species selection to feasibility studies, resource evaluation, hatchery and grow-out technology, and commercialization. In addition, students will learn to develop and/or improve an aquaculture business.

Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will be able to effectively plan and execute an aquaculture operation including all related aspects of rearing, harvest, storage, shipping, and marketing.
- Students will demonstrate professionalism in all aspects of field and lab work during their internships.
- Students will submit a final, written report and deliver a final presentation based on the work completed in their internship.

M.P.S. in Coastal Zone Management

Overview: Coastal Zone Management (CZM (https://mps.rsmas.miami.edu/degree-tracks/coastal-zone-management/))

Students will be introduced to the legal and governance frameworks on topics such as coastal fisheries management, marine protected areas, port management, tourism development, environmental impact assessment, and oil exploration.
Admission Requirements

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- Personal statement (statement of purpose)

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Personal Statement (statement of purpose):

Please indicate your track of choice, and all relevant field, lab, and work experience (past and present) in your personal statement. Include your academic and professional goals, and how you envision the MPS program contributing to those goals. We strongly encourage you to include information and/or links to relevant publications, organizations, research projects, supervisors, collaborators, results, and your role in relation to this.

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Coastal Zone Management (MES 618) is the only required class for this track, all other classes are selected on a case by case basis during academic advisement. Enrollment in 2-6 internship credits required during a student’s time in MPS. Completion of less than 2 internship credits must be approved by MPS Director. Typically 2 semesters are needed to complete all aspects of the internship phase of MPS.

Potential Courses

- MES 601: Political Ecology of Marine Management
- MES 602: Economics of Natural Resources
- MES 604: Fieldwork in Coastal Management: Tourism, Conservation, and Development
- MES 606: Advanced Fieldwork in Coastal Cultures
- MES 610: Environmental Planning and the Environmental Impact Statement
- MES 612: Aquaculture I
- MES 613: Aquaculture II Lab
- MES 619: Aquaculture III
- MES 618: Coastal Zone Management
- MES 620: Environmental Law and Policy
Plan of Study

The Coastal Zone Management (CZM) track requires completion of one core course, MES 618, Coastal Zone Management (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?search=MES+618). The rest of the curriculum will be decided on a case-by-case basis during academic advising. However, students select from a variety of multidisciplinary courses across many departments and schools at RSMAS/UM, in a holistic effort to meet their personal and professional goals. A list of suggested electives is available on the CZM track page of the MPS website (https://mps.rsmas.miami.edu/degree-tracks/). Completion of 2-6 internship credits are required during a student’s time in the MPS program; exceptions to this must be approved by the Chair of the student’s committee and the MPS Director.

Mission

This track provides students with interdisciplinary training in the theoretical aspects of marine science and conservation, as well as advanced knowledge of the legal and governance frameworks for careers in environmental consulting, marine Geographical Information Systems (GIS), assessment and management of coastal ecosystem, resources, and related industries.

Goals

The goal of the Coastal Zone Management track exposes students to the development of environmental impact statements, advanced knowledge of coastal and/or ocean law and policy, and training in statistics for environmental management. By selecting courses from various departments at RSMAS and other schools within UM, and participation in an internship, students learn applications of the legal and governance frameworks for areas such as coastal fisheries management, marine protected areas, port management, tourism development, environmental impact assessment, and oil exploration.

Student Learning Outcomes

• Students will be able to understand the legal and governance frameworks related to coastal fisheries and other marine resource management, tourism development, environmental impact assessment, and oil exploration, for the development and application of comprehensive marine conservation strategies and policies.
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M.P.S. in Exploration Science

Overview: Exploration Science (ESC) (https://mps.rsmas.miami.edu/degree-tracks/exploration-science/)

Exploration Science is the applied practice and study of field research using a variety of methods, technologies, and approaches to drive question-based scientific endeavors. This field fosters scientific inquiry and the application of expedition skills within a context that acknowledges the cultural and ethical implications of exploration.

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Mission
The mission of the Master of Professional Science in Exploration Science (ESC) is to foster scientific inquiry and the application of expedition skills within a context that acknowledges the cultural and ethical implications of exploration. The ESC track exposes students to citizen science project design, exploration technology applications, and field-based skills training, while receiving essential background information on the history, ethics and risks related to exploration. This program prepares students to lead and conduct professional exploration initiatives and expeditions in a variety of environments. A flexible curriculum allows students to focus on courses and subjects that best fit their interests and goals for careers in environmental education, surveying, resource management, citizen science, conservation, media production, government agencies, museums, and ecotourism companies among others. This track is being offered at RSMAS in partnership with UM’s Abess Center for Ecosystem Science and Policy. The Abess Center fosters innovative, interdisciplinary initiatives that bridge the gap between science and environmental policy.

Goals
The goal of the Master of Professional Science in Exploration Science (ESC) is to introduce and help students understand citizen science project design, exploration technology applications, and field-based skills training, while receiving essential background information on the history, ethics and risks related to exploration. Tailored class selection and experiential learning helps students obtain the skills and scientific knowledge needed to lead and conduct professional exploration initiatives and expeditions in a variety of environments. Through this integrative process, students are better prepared for careers related to environmental education, surveying, resource management, citizen science, conservation, media production, government agencies, museums, and ecotourism companies. In addition, some have continued their formal education in PhD programs.

Student Learning Outcomes
- Exploration Science (ESC) students will develop and execute citizen science project design, identify and engage exploration technologies where applicable, implement field-based skills training, and lead and conduct professional exploration initiatives in a variety of environments.
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M.P.S. in Fisheries Management and Conservation

The MPS in Fisheries Management and Conservation (https://mps.rsmas.miami.edu/degree-tracks/fisheries-management-and-conservation/) (FMC) allows students to develop the professional skills required to be a fisheries scientist with curriculum options in various relevant areas of interest, such as fisheries management, fisheries surveys, and quantitative fisheries.

Admission Requirements
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• Josef Silny & Associates (JS&A), Inc., International Education Consultants, is the preferred evaluation vendor for international applicants to the University of Miami due to their competitive prices and high-quality service. Click here for more information including the Application for Evaluation of Foreign Educational Credentials.
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GRE:
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The MPS office must receive your official Graduate Record Examination test (GRE http://www.ets.org/gre) scores directly from ETS. Please use institution code 7690 (department code) when submitting your request with ETS. This code indicates delivery of test scores to the RSMAS campus, home of the MPS office.

A minimum, combined score of 297 (Verbal + Quantitative only) is required for admissions consideration. Applicants must also complete the Analytical Writing section of the GRE. However, the Analytical Writing score will not be calculated into your combined score, nor will it be used for tuition waiver eligibility. To learn about our merit-based partial tuition waivers, please visit our Financing Your Education page.

TOEFL/IELTS (for Non-native English Speakers):

To prove language proficiency, students must take either the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) or the International English Language Testing System (IELTS).

- Paper Based TOEFL (PBT) - minimum score is 550
- Internet Based TOEFL (IBT) - minimum score is 80
- IELTS (Academic) - minimum score is 6.5

Please use institution code 2919 (no department code). This institution code is for the TOEFL only; please note that the GRE institution code is different (see above).

If English is not your native language, the TOEFL/IELTS requirement may be waived if you hold an undergraduate or graduate degree from an academic institution within the United States or from one of the following English-speaking countries:

- Antigua and Barbuda
- Australia
- Bahamas
- Barbados
- Belize
- Canada (except Quebec)
- Dominica
- Grenada
- Guyana
- Ireland
- Jamaica
- New Zealand
- Kitts and Nevis
- Lucia
- Vincent and the Grenadines
- Trinidad and Tobago
- United Kingdom

Intensive English Program (IEP)

The University of Miami's Division of Continuing and International Education offers a fully-accredited Intensive English Program (IEP) to prepare individuals to understand and use English in a variety of academic, professional, and personal situations. Some of the services that IEP offers graduate students include an international teaching assistant training course, customized classes, LL.M. Intensive English, and volunteer opportunities.

Personal Statement (statement of purpose):
Please indicate your track of choice, and all relevant field, lab, and work experience (past and present) in your personal statement. Include your academic and professional goals, and how you envision the MPS program contributing to those goals. We strongly encourage you to include information and/or links to relevant publications, organizations, research projects, supervisors, collaborators, project results, and your role in relation to this.

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## Elective Options

Students may take any elective on the RSMAS campus with the consent of their faculty advisor. Below are a few examples of courses past students in this program used as electives.

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### Mission

Fisheries Management and Conservation (FMC) supports the management of marine resources by providing society with quantitative knowledge and modeling of the natural and anthropogenic processes that regulate the dynamics and functioning of fishery ecosystems and by providing predictions on the future behavior of such systems. The FMC track is a unique, academic program that allows students to develop the professional skills required to be a fishery scientist. This program fosters critical thinking and provides a comprehensive study of the science and skills needed for employment in government agencies such as the National Marine Fisheries Service, state agencies, Fishery Councils, regional NOAA laboratories, as well as Non-Governmental Organizations (NGO).

### Goals

The goal of the Fisheries Management and Conservation (FMC) track is to assist students in the development of professional skills required to be a fishery scientist and provide guidance for studies in relevant areas of interest such as fishery management, fishery surveys, and quantitative fisheries. Advisors and course instructors help students understand the processes influencing fisheries management and the development of fisheries policy alternatives, develop knowledge about the statistical design and implementation of fishery surveys and monitoring programs, and apply advanced statistical and mathematical modeling tools in support of fishery stock assessments.

### Student Learning Outcomes

- Fisheries Management and Conservation (FMC) students will be able to understand the processes influencing fisheries management and the development of fisheries policy alternatives, develop knowledge about the statistical design and implementation of fishery surveys and monitoring programs, and apply advanced statistical and mathematical modeling tools in support of fishery stock assessments.
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M.P.S. in Marine Conservation

Overview

The Master of Professional Science in Marine Conservation (https://mps.rsmas.miami.edu/degree-tracks/marine-conservation/) provides students with advanced training in the theoretical aspects of marine science and conservation, as well as the practical aspects required to begin a career in this field. This degree track is unique in that students design a curriculum that emphasizes their personal goals and interests, while focusing on innovative solutions to current marine ecosystem and organism threats.

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### Suggested Plan of Study

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  - Credit Hours: 3
- RSM 612 or MES 608: Statistics for Marine Scientists
  - Credit Hours: 3
- MBE 615: Tropical Marine Ecology (or ELECTIVE)
  - Credit Hours: 3
- MES 620, 720, or 616: Environmental Law and Policy
  - Credit Hours: 3
- or Coastal Law and Policy
- or Ocean Policy and Development and Analysis

- Credit Hours: 12

##### Spring

- MES 710 or 618: International Ocean Law and Governance (or ELECTIVE)
  - Credit Hours: 3
- MES 660 & MES 661: Introduction to Marine Geographic Information Systems
  - Credit Hours: 3
- (Can be taken in Fall or Spring)
- MES 673: Marine Conservation Outreach (or ELECTIVE)
  - Credit Hours: 3
- RSM 671: Special Topics (Science Communication: Professional Writing OR ELECTIVE)
  - Credit Hours: 1-3

- Credit Hours: 10-12
Mission
This mission of the Marine Conservation (https://mps.rsmas.miami.edu/degree-tracks/marine-conservation/) track is to provide students with an interdisciplinary study of marine science and conservation, as well as advanced training in scientific field techniques, scientific literacy and communication, public outreach and integration, and education within the marine realm. A flexible curriculum allows students to concentrate on subjects and applications required for careers in marine conservation.

Goals
The goal of this track (https://mps.rsmas.miami.edu/degree-tracks/marine-conservation/) is to advance conservation efforts, scientific literacy and communication, public outreach and integration, and education within the marine realm. Practical aspects of the program will vary between individuals but may include exposure to field methods and techniques, GIS and remote sensing of shallow water marine environments, shark behavioral ecology and conservation, the development of environmental impact statements, coastal law, the development of social media, scientific communication, and statistics for environmental management.

Student Learning Outcomes

• Students will be able to formulate comprehensive marine conservation plans for marine organisms and ecosystems from planning, through implementation, assessment, and outreach.
• Students will demonstrate professionalism in all aspects of field and lab work during their internships.
• Students will submit a final, written report and deliver a final presentation based on the work completed in their internship.

M.P.S. in Underwater Archaeology

Overview: Underwater Archaeology (UA) (https://mps.rsmas.miami.edu/degree-tracks/underwater-archeology/)

The MPS Underwater Archaeology (https://mps.rsmas.miami.edu/degree-tracks/underwater-archeology/) track (UARCH) is a two-year program that focuses on the theory, field techniques, and management practices necessary to work within the field of archaeology and the broader general field of marine sciences. Coursework integrates topics such as site mapping and documentation, interpretation of shipwrecks and submerged sites, best management practices, marine protected areas, and marine survey technology. UARCH students receive training as AAUS Science Divers during their first semester. Students will have opportunities to work side-by-side with professional archaeologists through internships and field projects with private, public, or non-governmental agencies, both nationally and internationally, and conduct relevant fieldwork.

Admission Requirements

• BA/BS in Anthropology, History, or related field
• Meet minimum RSMAS diving standards as outlined by the RSMAS Dive Office.
  • Minimum open water scuba certification with a minimum of 10 logged dives
  • Ability to complete the required swimming test:
    • 400 yard swim in 12 minutes
    • 25 yard underwater swim on 1 breath (no push off)
    • 15 minute float and/or tread
    • 400 yard swim with mask/snorkel/fins in 8 minutes (no arms/hands)
    • Free dive to 15 feet to retrieve 5 pound weight
• Certified divers with more than 50 logged dives, especially those with prior scientific diving training, may qualify for the Experienced Diver Checkout and not be required to take RSM 600

Recommended:

• Participation in an archaeological field school prior to commencing the UARCH program
• Volunteer for terrestrial archaeological projects
Accepting applications for Fall 2020 admissions:

- July 25th, 2019 - July 20th, 2020 (U.S. Citizens and Permanent Residents)
- July 25th, 2019 - June 1st, 2020 (International Applicants)

Accepting applications for Spring 2021 admissions:

- Now until December 1st, 2020 (U.S. Citizens and Permanent Residents)
- Now until November 1st, 2020 (International Applicants)

An application to the MPS program consists of the following (fall & spring admissions only):

- Online CollegeNet application
- Transcripts from all past/present academic institutions (colleges and universities), including all study abroad and community colleges and, if applicable, a transcript evaluation report from an approved international credentialing agency (for non-U.S. academic institutions).
- Valid Graduate Record Examination (GRE) scores. NOTE: GRE requirement suspended for Fall 2020 admissions only due to COVID-19.
- Three (3) letters of recommendation
- Valid TOEFL or IELTS scores (for international applicants)
- Personal statement (statement of purpose)

If admission to the MPS program is granted, it will be contingent upon receipt of all items listed above (including official transcripts and test scores) and the following for international applicants:

- Statement of Financial Responsibility Form (SFR) and corresponding bank letter
- Color copy of current visa (if available).
- Color copy of valid passport (must include picture page and barcode page)

Permanent Residents must provide a color copy of Permanent Resident Card (Green Card).

Previous graduate and undergraduate scholastic performance, work and volunteer experience, valid test scores (GRE, TOEFL/IELTS), and the letters of recommendation are all considered in evaluating an applicant.

Transcript from U.S. Academic Institutions:

Please make sure you possess the required undergraduate coursework and/or degree before applying. Official transcripts must be mailed or e-mailed directly from the relevant academic institution (Office of the Registrar) to the MPS office. Our email is mps@rsmas.miami.edu; mailing address is available on the MPS website's Contact Us page. If an applicant is not able to submit an unofficial transcript with his/her application, the applicant may submit unofficial transcripts via email to mps@rsmas.miami.edu. Unofficial transcripts are accepted for review purposes only, not for admission. If admission to the MPS program is granted, it will be contingent upon receipt of all official records. Please be advised, official transcripts will only be accepted if they are sent to us directly from the academic institution. Transcripts sent by you or issued to you (even if they are in a sealed envelope) are not considered official.

Transcripts from Non-U.S. Academic Institutions:

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Mission
Underwater archaeology is the study of the remains of past human activity through the exploration, documentation, and study of a variety of submerged sites, from shipwrecks to caves and springs to lakes and rivers. The Underwater Archaeology track helps students understand how archaeological sites and artifacts can play a large role in education, community cohesion, national identity, economic development, sustainable tourism, conservation, and, of course, entertainment among others. This program focuses on the theory, field techniques, and management practices necessary to work within the field of archaeology and the broader general field of marine sciences. This program provides training in the areas of mapping and documentation, interpretation of shipwrecks and submerged sites, best management practices, marine protected areas, and marine survey technology.

Goals
Students in the MPS Underwater Archaeology (https://mps.rsmas.miami.edu/degree-tracks/underwater-archeology/) track (UARCH) will learn the theories, field techniques, and management strategies necessary to work on a variety of submerged fresh and saltwater sites.

Student Learning Outcomes
• Students in the MPS Underwater Archaeology track (UARCH) will learn site mapping and documentation, interpretation of shipwrecks and submerged sites, best management practices, marine protected areas, and marine survey technology to effectively apply these skills and knowledge to submerged fresh and saltwater sites.
• Students will demonstrate professionalism in all aspects of field and lab work during their internships.
• Students will submit a final, written report and deliver a final presentation based on the work completed in their internship.

M.S. in Marine Ecosystems and Society
Overview
Students enrolled in the Marine Ecosystems and Society (MES) program work at the intersection of science and society, committed to assessing, managing, and conserving marine resources through innovation and research. Although course selections are tailored to match individual research and career objectives, our graduates acquire knowledge and expertise critical to ensuring the sustainability of natural resources.

Application for Admission to the Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science (Ph.D. and M.S.)
Getting Started
All applicants should review undergraduate preparation requirements and recommendations for a competitive application (https://graduate.rsmas.miami.edu/admissions/undergraduate-prep/). In addition to satisfactory scores (as judged by the graduate program) on the appropriate tests, the general requirement for admission is a bachelor’s degree from an accredited college or university with a 3.0 GPA average. If you have any questions about these requirements, please contact the Graduate Program Director for the program you are interested in.

When submitting an application, prospective students must indicate the program(s) of interest. The online application will allow you to submit one application to multiple RSMAS graduate programs with no additional application fee.

The online application will ask you to identify up to 5 faculty with whom you would be interested in meeting if you are offered the opportunity to interview. We encourage you to review faculty associated with various research areas and the list of available research assistantships (https://graduate.rsmas.miami.edu/admissions/phy-assistships/). Please note your application will be considered regardless of your selection. Applicants are welcome to contact faculty via email before and during the application process, but this is not required.

Dates and Deadlines
RSMAS accepts applications year round. For best chances of fall admission into one of our PhD or research based Masters of Science programs, your complete application including all supporting documents must be received in the application period of November 1st - January 10th. However, complete applications received by December 1st will have the highest chance of being invited to our on-site annual recruitment weekend visit in early February.

Application Requirements
Online Application Form and Upload Supporting Documents
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1. Minimum of 24 course credits and 6 thesis credits.
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Application for Admission to the Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science (Ph.D. and M.S.)

Getting Started

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3. MES Ph.D. students must take a comprehensive exam at the end of their second semester in residence.
   - The exam format and content is defined by the Committee Chair and members. The exam is graded as pass/fail.
   - If a student fails the exam, the option to pursue remediation occurs at the sole discretion of the Committee and the Program faculty. A failed Comprehensive Exam with no endorsement to retake the exam will result in immediate dismissal from the MES graduate program.

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   - The Committee is encouraged to provide direction and readings for study, as well as establish a clear format for the exam. It is the Chair's responsibility to host the exam and organize and distribute grades (pass/fail) in a timely manner. Students must pass the qualifying exam in order to be admitted to candidacy.
   - In the event of a failure, a student may be reexamined once upon the recommendation of the Committee, in consultation with the MES Academic Committee. If approved, the reexamination must occur before the end of the subsequent semester.
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   - The mandatory TA program will include training of new TAs, evaluation of their performance, and recognition of excellence. The goal is to make the experience as valuable as possible for the TA, the faculty, and the students taking our courses.
   - A training session and two teaching opportunities are offered as courses in educational training (RSM 771, RSM 772, RSM 773). Students will be registered accordingly.
   - Specific requirements for TAs are outlined in the RSMAS Student Handbook.

**Mission**

The goal of the Marine Ecosystems and Society department is to educate, inspire, and train students to respond to the complex challenges associated with human utilization of and dependency upon vulnerable marine ecosystems. Our goal is to help our students better understand the emerging role they can play in shaping and ensuring the sustainability of marine resources, including strategic management efforts coupled with the highest standards of resource governance. Students will develop an interdisciplinary perspective through exposure to a wide breadth of intrinsically linked disciplines, including but not limited to fisheries ecosystem management, resource economics, mariculture, habitat restoration, climate change, anthropology, and social science. This facilitates their development as future leaders of the institutions and organizations charged with the responsibility of defining, utilizing, and conserving the marine environment and its resources.

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Marine Geosciences

https://www.graduate.rsmas.miami.edu/graduate-programs/marine-geosciences/index.html

Dept. Code: MGS

The Marine Geosciences (MGS) graduate program is focused on studying the geology, geophysics, and geochemistry of the earth system, beneath, within, and above the oceans.

Students work closely with faculty at the forefront of research on marine sedimentary systems, earthquakes, volcanoes, plate tectonics, and paleoclimate. MGS faculty and students also emphasize interdisciplinary study where geological phenomena interact with or are influenced by processes generally studied in other disciplines, such as ocean currents, climate, and biological evolution.

MGS research uses pioneering remote sensing techniques to assess the earth's crustal movement and sedimentation in coastal zones. MGS degree programs are at the forefront of understanding carbonate depositional systems, stromatolites, reefs and deep sea sediments to learn more about past climate change by studying the interaction between biological and geological processes. Ocean observing systems, such as hydrological observatories, play prominent roles in research efforts as well.

Degree Programs

- Post-Bachelor's Certificate (p. 2423)
  - Offered for working professionals who seek specialization in Applied Carbonate Geology.
  - Requires 16 course credit hours for successful completion.
- Master of Science (M.S.)
  - Requires 30 credit hours, including 24 course credit hours and 6 research credit hours.
  - Interdisciplinary studies with expertise in physics, chemistry, mathematics, and/or biology are encouraged.
- Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) (p. 2423)
  - Requires 60 credit hours, including a minimum of 30 course credit hours and a minimum of 12 research credit hours.
  - Interdisciplinary studies with expertise in physics, chemistry, mathematics, and/or biology are encouraged.

Post-Bachelor's Certificate Program

The goal of the certificate program is to provide first-rate continuing education to professionals or geology students who want to become experts in carbonate geology. To reach this goal courses are offered in carbonate sedimentology, seismic stratigraphy, petrophysics, and geochemistry for an advanced knowledge and understanding in carbonate systems. A successful completion of the program will require 16 course credits to be taken. There are ten electable 2-credit or 3-credit courses in the program. Participants will not write a thesis but the courses are structured in a way that classroom knowledge is directly used in subsequent laboratory classes and projects.

- Certificate in Applied Carbonate Geology (https://marine-geosciences.rsmas.miami.edu/academics/certificate-program/)

Master of Science (M.S.) Program

- M.S. in Marine Geosciences (MGS) (p. 2430)

Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) Program

- Ph.D. in Marine Geosciences (MGS) (p. 2432)
**MGS 601. Oceanography I (Geological). 2 Credit Hours.**
The first section of the core course curriculum designed as an integrated and multidisciplinary view of ocean processes, covering the major disciplines of marine science and their applications to the study of the marine environment. To be taken in sequence with Oceanography II - Physical (MPO 502), Oceanography III - Chemical (MAC 501), and Oceanography IV - Biological (MBF 502). This course is for non-MGG majors only.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

**MGS 611. Earth Surface Processes. 3 Credit Hours.**
An introduction into the sedimentologic, geomorphic, biotic, and hydrologic processes on the Earth surface from the terrestrial to the marine environment and their resultant sedimentary product with the goal to be able to read the rock record and make interpretation on the depositional processes in each environment.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**MGS 613. Introductory Geochemistry. 3 Credit Hours.**
Fundamentals of atomic structure and quantum mechanics applied to Chemistry. Topics include origin and distribution of the elements, chemical bonding and substitution, basic thermodynamics of solids, liquids, and gases. Applications of these concepts to such geochemical processes as magmatic differentiation, rock-water interactions, low temperature aqueous geochemistry, and the geochemical cycling of the elements is also included.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

**MGS 614. Geophysics. 3 Credit Hours.**
Course topics include seismology, gravity, heat flow, thermal history, geomagnetism, plate tectonics, and their importance in understanding the Earth's crust, mantle, and core.

**Components:** LEC.
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**Typically Offered:** Fall.

**MGS 619. Field Studies of Geobiology in Tropical Marine Environments. 3 Credit Hours.**
Geobiology is an interdisciplinary field that explores interactions between the physical Earth and the biosphere. Biological processes are, for example, critical to the formation of carbonate sediments and sedimentary structures in shallow tropical marine environments. This class will conduct field studies to investigate geobiological processes involved in carbonate sedimentation, maximizing the learning process through a combination of field work, lectures and independent research.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring & Summer.

**MGS 625. Applied Environmental Geophysics. 3 Credit Hours.**
Application of subsurface geophysical tools to environmental problems. Course includes the theory and application of shallow refraction and reflection seismology, conducting field experiments and processing both marine and land seismic data, other marine survey techniques such as side-scan sonar surveying, potential field techniques (gravity, magnetics, EM), ground penetrating radar, and borehole geophysics.

**Components:** LEC.
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**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

**MGS 634. Hydrological Hazards. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course will explore the causes, effects, and societal response to hydrological hazard.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

**MGS 635. Geological Hazards. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course will explore the hazards related to the dynamic solid Earth. We will look at the physics, causes and effects of earthquakes, volcanic eruptions and tsunamis, their societal impacts, and on measures available to reduce the disaster risks.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.
MGS 641. Field Evaluation of Fossil Platforms, Margins, and Basins. 2 Credit Hours.
Field investigation of classic rock sequences formed within ancient platform, margin, and basin environments. The use of ancient exposures as a guide to the interpretation of modern marine environments.
Components: FLD.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MGS 642. Field Evaluation of Fossil Platforms, Margins, and Basins II. 2 Credit Hours.
The course is a field investigation of rock sequences of ancient platforms margins and basins. Students will learn how to read the rock record in an outcrop, including recognition of lithology, sedimentary structures, tectonic units, and stratigraphic relationships; how to prepare a field campaign, geological guidebook, and how to record the field observations for scientific analysis; and illustrate how ancient strata can be a source for deciphering depositional, tectonic and environmental processes.
Components: FLD.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MGS 650. Mathematical Methods for Geoscientists. 3 Credit Hours.
Background mathematics needed to solve problems in the geosciences. Applications in tectonics, geodynamics, structural geology, seismology, and hydrology. Topics include linear inverse problems, least squares, linear algebra, matrix theory, vectors, dimensional analysis, probability and scientific inference, continuum mechanics, transform and numerical methods to solve differential, and partial differential equations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MGS 670. Continental Tectonics. 3 Credit Hours.
Reviews major research techniques used in the study of the structure and evolution of continental crust and topical discoveries, with an emphasis on the Neogene to Recent time. The course begins with brief introductions to the fields of structural geology, seismology, and geodesy as they relate to continental tectonics. New research in areas such as the rheology of the lithosphere, plate motion models, deformation of continental crust in plate boundary zones, oblique subduction, and earthquake hazard assessment are also discussed.
Components: LEC.
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MGS 679. Plate Tectonics. 3 Credit Hours.
The theory of plate tectonics, sea floor spreading, and continental drift. Mathematical description of plate motions, finite and instantaneous rotation poles, consequences of plate tectonics, mountain building, rifting, erosion, and recycling of continental materials are also discussed.
Components: LEC.
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MGS 680. Geological and Environmental Remote Sensing. 3 Credit Hours.
This one semester course will cover major remote sensing techniques used in the geological and environmental sciences. The course will begin with an introduction to the basic physics of remote sensing, followed by a review of major remote sensing techniques used in aircraft and satellite platforms, including IR and near IR, optical and microwave systems. We will then discuss specific terrestrial and coastal applications using a case history approach, including geologic, soil and biomass mapping, environmental monitoring, and natural hazard assessment. The course is aimed at graduate students and senior undergraduates with some background in math and physics. Grades are based on problems sets (a minimum of three), a mid-term test, and a report or lab exercise involving image processing, due at the end of the semester.
Components: LEC.
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Typically Offered: Spring.

MGS 681. Petroleum Geology. 4 Credit Hours.
Students will learn the basics of hydrocarbon generation, migration and entrapment using a variety of tools and real subsurface datasets. Participants should be comfortable with sedimentary geology, stratigraphy, structural geology. Some basic geophysics is helpful but not necessary. At the end of the course, students will be able to use ARCGIS and other software tools to build risk maps of hydrocarbon prospectively, assess exploration potential of an area and understand the basics of reserve estimation, prospect level risk assessment and ways to estimate yet-to-find volumes for a basin using a variety of statistical as well as geological techniques. The course stresses an understanding of practical applications of petroleum geochemistry, source rock and fluids characterization, burial history and oil and gas show evaluation to predict new accumulations and appraise discoveries. Basic principles of rock property analysis, coupled with an understanding of subsurface pressures, seals and ways to recognize hydrocarbons on electric logs are also covered. Lastly, seismic stratigraphy and plate tectonics are touched upon. A large for number of subsurface datasets are used and the opportunity exists to learn additional software packages for those interested. Many subsurface problems will involve small teams of students working together to make final presentations simulating real work-place discussions and processes.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MGS 682. Introduction to Seismology. 3 Credit Hours.
This class provides an approachable and concise introduction to seismic theory.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MGS 683. Scanning Electron Microscopy. 2 Credit Hours.
Theory and practical application of the SEM and the electron probe to research problems. Lectures and laboratory with emphasis on independent operation of the SEM, special preparation techniques, and interpretation of results are included. Course is designed to provide students with a broad and thorough background in scanning electron microscopy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MGS 684. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics related to Marine Geology and Geophysics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MGS 685. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics related to Marine Geology and Geophysics.
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MGS 686. Special Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics related to Marine Geology and Geophysics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MGS 687. Facies Succession of Great Bahama Bank. 2 Credit Hours.
To illustrate the vertical and horizontal variability of facies and rock properties in carbonate platforms and to illustrate the processes that create these variabilities.
Bachelor degree Or equivalent.
Components: FLD.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

MGS 688. Heterogeneity of a Windward Margin. 2 Credit Hours.
The seminars will illustrate the processes, facies relationships and dimensions along a high-energy platform margin with a special emphasis on the impact of sea-level fluctuations on the margin system.
Bachelor degree Or equivalent.
Components: FLD.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

MGS 691. Research Methods in Electron Microscopy. 2 Credit Hours.
This course will utilize the theory/methods students acquire in the introduction to EM course MGS 583/683 and focus on student research projects utilizing Scanning Electron Microscopy (SEM), Energy Dispersive Spectroscopy (EDS) and Backscattered Electron Imaging (BSE).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MGS 701. Seminar in Marine Geosciences. 1 Credit Hour.
Oral presentation and discussion of research and special topics by students, faculty, and visiting scientists. Students receiving credit are required to present a seminar.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MGS 720. Satellite Radar Interferometry in the Earth Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Spaceborne interferometric Synthetic Aperture Radar is an important technique for various disciplines in the Earth Sciences, such as geodesy, glaciology and hydrology. This course reviews the principles of radar, synthetic aperture radar of interferometric and differential radar interferometric techniques.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MGS 721. Petroleum Geology of Carbonates. 2 Credit Hours.
The main purpose of the course is to understand the petroleum system in carbonates and learn to evaluate their hydrocarbon potential and reduce risk in exploration. The course would be taught with a number of hands-on exercises and workshops using real data.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MGS 722. Geophysical Inverse Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the principles of geophysical inverse theory as applies to problems in the Earth Sciences. Inverse theory is a set of mathematical techniques used to obtain inferences about the Earth from physical measurements. The focus of this class will be on formulating and solving inverse problems, and understanding the non-uniqueness and resolution associated with inversions. The emphasis will be on geodetic data (obtained from GPS and InSAR measurements).

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MGS 723. Geodynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is a quantitative discussion of the physical properties of earth materials and dynamic processes in the solid Earth.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MGS 724. Seismic Interpretation of Carbonate Systems. 2 Credit Hours.
This course provides the students with the principles and workflow of interpretation of subsurface seismic data in carbonates.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MGS 725. Petrophysics of Carbonates. 2 Credit Hours.
This course will provide an overview of carbonate rock physics principles and equations and introduce the modern geophysical tools that are used to measure these properties.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MGS 726. Carbonate Diagenesis and Petrography. 2 Credit Hours.
This course will integrate thin section and hand sample description with geochemical principals and data. Students will examine rocks using petrographic and SEM methods and then analyze the same samples to establish paragenetic pathways. At the end of the class, students should be able to confidently use a petrographic microscope, apply staining methods for mineral identification, and use cathodoluminescence.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MGS 727. Analysis of Carbonate Cores and Logs. 2 Credit Hours.
The recognition of ancient carbonate depositional systems in the subsurface as recorded in core borings, thin sections, and geophysical logs. The examination and analysis of a diverse suite of carbonate facies types from an extensive University core archive. This laboratory-based course will examine depositional and diagenetic features in core borings, petrographic thin sections, and downhole logs to interpret the history and extrinsic controls of deposition.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MGS 728. Advanced Seismology. 3 Credit Hours.
This is an advanced level course designed to involve students into seismological research.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MGS 729. Crustal Deformation. 3 Credit Hours.
This course addresses how the Earth’s crust deforms in response to stressing by tectonic and magmatic forces. The course reviews the fundamentals of continuum mechanics and of rock mechanics, elastic, visco-elastic and plastic deformation, the development of rock fractures and fluid flow through the crust.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MGS 750. Stable Isotopes in Biogeochemical Processes. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory of stable isotope fractionation, methods of measurement, and application of results to geological, biological, and oceanographic processes. Hands-on experience in the stable isotope laboratory is provided utilizing a range of techniques. A project chosen either by the student or instructor is required. All students who wish to use the stable isotope facility should take this course. Lecture, 2 hours; laboratory, 3 hours. Prerequisite: Permission of instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MGS 761. Sedimentary Petrology. 3 Credit Hours.
Composition, texture, fabric, and structures of sediments and sedimentary rocks. The occurrence and properties of the major clans of detrital and chemical sediments from a petrologic and historical perspective is discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MGS 762. Comparative Sedimentology. 3 Credit Hours.
The use of modern sediments to decipher processes of origin, accumulation, and early diagenesis as the basis for interpreting environments and architecture of ancient deposits in outcrop and in the subsurface. Evaluation of the sedimentary record of climate and sea level changes is included as well as the application of facies models for interpretation of seismic and log data.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MGS 766. Diagenesis of Carbonate Sediments. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of geochemical, mineralogical, and petrological principles to the behavior of carbonate minerals in sediments. Physical and chemical conditions responsible for cementation, dolomitization, and aragonite-calcite phase transitions are emphasized. Types of depositional and diagenetic information which may be preserved in carbonate sediments. Laboratory studies of sediments are included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MGS 772. Basin Analysis and Seismic Interpretation. 3 Credit Hours.
The processes of basin formation and filling. The principles of seismic facies analysis, seismic sequence stratigraphy, and their applications in basin analysis, groundwater management, and exploration for hydrocarbons are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MGS 776. Paleoclimatology. 3 Credit Hours.
Climatic variables and their effects on geological and biological processes. The development of the paleoclimatic record, modeling of present climate, and the extrapolation to past and future climates are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MGS 777. Physical Volcanology. 3 Credit Hours.
Volcanology is the study of volcanoes of the Earth and planets. On Earth, volcanoes occur on land and under the sea. Eruptions vary in size, duration, and frequency, and in the composition of eruptive rocks and volatiles. Proximity to centers of population makes some of them extremely dangerous. This course covers the principles of physical volcanology, including introductory petrology, mineralogy, geology, magma physics, the fluid dynamics of magmas, and volcanic hazards. Course logistics: Lectures supplemented by homework. Homework will be designed to illustrate physical processes.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MGS 781. Advanced Studies. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Special study in areas of special interest to graduate students.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
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Components: LEC.
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Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MGS 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MGS 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor but not for less than a total of 12. Not more than 12 hours of MGG 730 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session. Where a student has passed his/her (a) qualifying examinations, and (b) is engaged in an assistantship, he/she may still take the maximum allowable credit stated above.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

M.S. in Marine Geosciences

Admission Requirements
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Application for Admission to the Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science (Ph.D. and M.S.)

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All applicants should review undergraduate preparation requirements and recommendations for a competitive application. In addition to satisfactory scores (as judged by the graduate program) on the appropriate tests, the general requirement for admission is a bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university with a 3.0 GPA average. If you have any questions about these requirements, please contact the Graduate Program Director for the program you are interested in.

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Dates and Deadlines
RSMAS accepts applications year round. For best chances of fall admission into one of our PhD or research based Masters of Science programs, your complete application including all supporting documents must be received in the application period of November 1st - January 10th. However, complete applications received by December 1st will have the highest chance of being invited to our on-site annual recruitment weekend visit in early February.

Application Requirements
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Submit the following educational documents to an approved international credentialing evaluation service for evaluation:
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Type of Evaluation Required
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Total Credit Hours 60

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   • The examination will consist of a written part, which usually lasts about 6-8 hours, and an oral part, which lasts about 1 hour. The results of the written portion of the exam and performance of the oral exam determine the grade given by the examining board.
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     • A PASS indicates that the student may proceed with additional course work, research proposal development, and preparation to take the qualifying examination.
     • Failure of the exam will require the student to retake the exam at a time to be determined by the Exam Committee and the MGS Academic Committee. This retake is usually scheduled no later than the end of the following semester. If failure occurs on the second attempt, the student can be dismissed from the MGS program.

4. • The qualifying examination should be taken by the end of the third year. The scheduling of the exam should be discussed with the Committee Chairperson and Dissertation Committee. A completed dissertation proposal demonstrating the ability to formulate and test a hypothesis must be submitted at least two weeks before the exam.
   • The purpose of the exam is to determine knowledge of (a) general principles of geology, geochemistry, and geophysics, (b) knowledge of the student’s individual specialty, and (c) peripheral and supporting disciplines.
   • The Dissertation Committee administers a written examination on the subjects outlined above. An oral examination may follow the written exam if necessary to clarify answers, as judged by the Dissertation Committee.
   • Upon satisfactory completion of the qualifying exam, the student enters into candidacy for the Ph.D., provided all other requirements have been met.
   • If the qualifying exam is failed, the student may, at the discretion of the Dissertation Committee, be allowed one opportunity to be re-examined, but in this case no later than the end of the following semester.
   • No “partial passes” of the qualifying exam are allowed.

5. • All MGS students are required to register for MGS 701 at least once and attend all meetings of the course throughout their tenure in the MGS program.
   • Students are required to give presentations and actively participate in the course.

6. • All MGS students are expected to attend the department weekly seminar Geotopics.
   • The diverse lecture series presents recent and ongoing research by RSMAS faculty and visiting scientists. These presentations help provide a broad, well-rounded view of research topics in the earth sciences.

7. • Ph.D. students are expected to be a Teaching Assistant (TA) for two courses while pursuing their degree.
   • The mandatory TA program will include training of new TAs, evaluation of their performance, and recognition of excellence. The goal is to make the experience as valuable as possible for the TA, the faculty, and the students taking our courses.
   • A training session and two teaching opportunities are offered as courses in educational training (RSM 771, RSM 772, RSM 773). Students will be registered accordingly.
   • Specific requirements for TAs are outlined in the RSMAS Student Handbook.

**Mission**

The mission of the MGS Ph.D. program is to educate and train students to become the next generation of scientists conducting research in and teaching marine geology and geophysics, geochemistry, and environmental geosciences. The program emphasizes coursework during the first year, then development of and independent conduct of original research that leads to preparation of peer-reviewed publications and a publicly defended Ph.D. dissertation.

**Goals**

• To educate and train students to become the next generation of scientists conducting research in and teaching marine geology and geophysics, geochemistry, and environmental geosciences.
Student Learning Outcomes

- Students in the MGS Ph.D. program will demonstrate a broad comprehension of marine and Earth science, and then use this knowledge to develop an independent scientific research topic of sufficient quality and originality to lead to a Ph.D. dissertation.
- Each student will prepare an original Ph.D. dissertation that demonstrates his/her ability to critically evaluate scientific literature, comprehend previous knowledge on a topic, formulate testable hypotheses, and independently use available data and tools to produce a significant original contribution on the topic.
- Students will demonstrate good oral communication skills, and be able to effectively communicate and defend their scientific findings to a peer audience.

Meteorology and Physical Oceanography

https://www.graduate.rsmas.miami.edu/graduate-programs/meteorology-and-physical-oceanography/index.html

Dept. Code: MPO

The Meteorology and Physical Oceanography (MPO) graduate program was founded on the premise that oceanic and atmospheric dynamics are governed by a set of similar physical principles, and that much insight can be gained by studying their dynamics from a common perspective.

The MPO program requires students to develop expertise in both systems, and prepares students to conduct leading-edge research using a complementary set of theoretical, observational, and modeling approaches.

The MPO curriculum forms a strong foundation for research on a broad spectrum of topics that include air-sea interaction, the global thermohaline circulation, tropical cyclones, El Niño, the Madden-Julian Oscillations, and the evolution of the Earth’s climate.

Degree Programs

- Master of Science (M.S.) (p. 2437)
  - Requires 30 credit hours, including 24 course credit hours and 6 research credit hours.
- Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.)
  - Requires 60 credit hours, including a minimum of 30 course credit hours and a minimum of 12 research credit hours.

Research Areas

The MPO program has a strong foundation in several areas in atmospheric and ocean sciences, including those presented below. Research is conducted using a variety of techniques from direct observation to theoretical and numerical modeling. Students come from a diverse range of educational backgrounds, including marine science, meteorology, physics, mathematics, and engineering.

Climate Variability and Change

Research covers a wide range of topics, both global and regional. We study climate variations on time scales from sub-seasonal to interannual to decadal, as well as ancient (paleo) climates and future climate changes. Efforts include analysis of satellite data, field observations and global data products, and a large focus on numerical climate modeling.

Large-Scale Ocean Circulation

Research covers a variety of topics, highlighting the ocean’s role in climate, including dynamics and variability of boundary currents, meridional overturning and tropical circulations, as well interaction between large-scale, mesoscale and submesoscale circulations. Particular strengths include experimental oceanography, numerical modeling with a variety of comprehensive and conceptual models, data analysis and assimilation, and theoretical studies.

Tropical Dynamics

The tropics have global impacts, from weather effects and hurricanes to El Niño and other climate variations. Research involves the myriad interactions of water vapor and clouds with air and wind and the underlying tropical oceans and landscapes.

Hurricanes

RSMAS/MPO is ideally situated for the study of hurricanes through its location in Miami and its proximity to the NOAA Hurricane Research Division and National Hurricane Center. The research includes high-resolution coupled atmosphere-wave-ocean modeling, hurricane dynamics, and novel adaptive observing and data assimilation methods.

Regional and Coastal Oceanography

Studies focus on key processes in coastal and shelf areas, with special interest in regional seas around South Florida, the Gulf of Mexico and the Caribbean. Particular projects address events following the Deepwater Horizon oil spill, air-sea interaction associated with hurricanes, shelf
dynamics, mixing, submesoscale variability, biological-physical interactions in ecosystems, coral reef studies and the Everglades Restoration. The research involves high-resolution numerical modeling, experimental studies and data assimilation.

Clouds, Aerosol, Precipitation, and Radiation Interactions (CAPRI)
The cloud microphysical processes important to the global energy balance occur at spatial and time scales of seconds and meters. MPO studies such processes with aircraft and surface-based remote sensing, in situ field measurements, and large-eddy simulations, and reconciles them with analyses done at the larger scales of satellites and regional climate models.

Satellite Remote Sensing
RSMAS hosts a real-time satellite reception and analysis facility. MPO is involved with retrieval algorithm development, validation and analysis of sea surface temperature, ocean color, sea surface topography and surface winds. These are analyzed in the context of climate research.

Master of Science (M.S.) Program
• M.S. in Meteorology and Physical Oceanography (MPO) (p. 2443)

Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) Program
• Ph.D. in Meteorology and Physical Oceanography (MPO) (p. 2446)

MPO 602. Oceanography II (Physical). 2 Credit Hours.
The second section of the course core curriculum designed as an integrated and multidisciplinary view of ocean processes, covering the major disciplines of marine science and their applications to the study of the marine environment. To be taken in sequence with Oceanography I - Geological (MGG 501), Oceanography I II - Chemical (MAC 501), and Oceanography IV - Biological (MBF 502). This course is for non-MPO majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MPO 603. Physical Oceanography. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to properties of seawater, instruments and methods, heat budget, general ocean circulation, formation of water masses, dynamics of circulation, regional oceanography, waves, tides, and sea level. A mathematical and problem solving course for majors in MPO.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MPO 611. Geophysical Fluid Dynamics I. 3 Credit Hours.
The basic equations of state, continuity, and motion. Topics include wave motions, group velocity, theory of stratified fluids and internal waves turbulence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MPO 624. Applied Data Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
The course is intended to jump-start students in strategies for fruitful computer interaction practices for careers in MPO areas of science. Academic topics include key concepts in probability & statistics, issues of graphical evidence and inference, linear models and regression, spectral analysis, and matrix decomposition. Practical topics include hands-on exercises in data analysis and the sharing of code+results and interpretation. Students do projects on data from their research or interests.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MPO 632. Broadcast Meteorology. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will learn the proper techniques involved in preparing and presenting a complete and professional weathercast with a heavy emphasis on communication skills, computer graphics, and on-camera delivery.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MPO 633. Atmospheric Boundary Layer. 3 Credit Hours.
The boundary layer is the lowest 1-2 km of the atmosphere, where we live. It is necessary to understand boundary layer processes to pursue research in clouds and radiation, weather and climate, air/sea/land interaction, and chemistry of the lower atmosphere. In this course, students will learn the basic physical concepts, from observational, theoretical and modeling perspectives.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MPO 636. Hurricanes. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is intended to provide a broad overview of tropical cyclones, starting from the basic structure, dynamics and thermodynamics, then expanding through to observations, modeling, forecasting and impacts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MPO 637. Natural Hazards: Atmosphere and Ocean. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide students with an understanding of natural hazards in both the atmosphere and ocean. In the atmosphere, we will explore both weather events such as storms and hurricanes and tornadoes as well as longer term phenomena such as monsoons and excess rainfall in the tropics. Oceanographically, the course will address hazards such as storm surge and flooding, rogue waves, rip currents, and tsunamis that occur on short time scales as well as the longer term effects such as sea level rise and the impacts of El Niño and La Niña oceanographic conditions on weather conditions. Thus, the course focus is on hazards and their impacts around the globe.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MPO 642. Physics of Remote Sensing I - Passive Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Course discusses basic physical principles of remote sensing with emphasis on optical and passive systems. Topics include orbital dynamics, sampling issues, fundamental laws of electromagnetic waves, passive remote sensing in the visible, infrared and microwave parts of the electromagnetic spectrum, a survey of satellite sensors and summary of the derived geophysical variables.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MPO 643. Physics of Remote Sensing II - Active Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Course discusses basic physical principles of remote sensing with emphasis on active and radar systems. Topics include electromagnetic theory, radar equation, antenna theory and pulse compression, radar scattering physics; sea surface processes relevant to radar imaging, scatterometry, synthetic aperture radar (SAR), altimetry, HF Doppler radar, marine radar, satellite orbits, brief overview of passive remote sensing techniques.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MPO 651. Introduction to Atmospheric Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course surveys the dynamics of atmospheric flow and the physically-grounded description and depiction of weather phenomena. It is intended to serve as core preparation for incoming PhD students whose research will be dynamical, while also serving as an accessible overview for students in other subdisciplines. For these reasons, it stresses phenomena and the essentials of our physical discourses about them (emphasizing useful approximations and lucid treatments), with enough exposure to the underlying full-complexity fundamentals to facilitate more advanced study in the future.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MPO 652. Introduction to Atmospheric Physics. 3 Credit Hours.
The goal of this class is to develop an understanding of the fundamental physical processes governing cloud behavior and atmospheric radiative transfer, including atmospheric thermodynamics. The class will focus on processes with temporal scales of one day or less, and spatial scales of 1km or less, and will recognize the links to weather and climate, or through the student presentations. Students will learn about: cloud formation, lifetime, and dissipation, and how clouds interact with the aerosol, therodynamic, and dynamic environments; about how clouds and clear skies interact with sunlight and infrared. This course is split into two sections: the first half will cover thermodynamics and cloud physics, and the second half will cover atmospheric radiation. Guest lectures by advanced graduate students and postdoctoral research associates will introduce students to current research areas.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MPO 653. Climate Change. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of the physical processes which regulate the earth's climate and response to forcing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MPO 654. Climate Variability. 3 Credit Hours.
This class will cover the physical mechanisms that govern the earth’s climate and climate variability. It is intended for beginning graduate students in marine and atmospheric science, and upper-level undergraduate physical science students. Must have 2 years of both college physics and calculus, and some undergraduate coursework in atmospheric science is preferred.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MPO 662. Advanced Weather Forecasting. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will learn the skills needed in researching and preparing a professional weather forecast. There is a plethora of forecast resources available online. Students will learn about using these forecast resources and share resources of their own. Specifically, we will cover topics such as the basics of atmospheric meteorology, large and small scale weather forecasting, operational weather forecasting, tropical weather, severe weather, nor’easters, lake effect snow, oscillations and various other weather phenomena. During the course of the semester a couple of Guest speakers in various parts of the field will visit to discuss relevant topics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MPO 663. Mesoscale Meteorology and Severe Storms. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include the structure and dynamics of clouds, thunderstorms, and mesoscale convective systems, radar and satellite observations of clouds and precipitation, severe storm forecasting, mesoscale disturbances, frontal and orographic clouds, and precipitation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MPO 681. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics related to Meteorology and Physical Oceanography.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MPO 682. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics related to Meteorology and Physical Oceanography.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MPO 683. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics related to Meteorology and Physical Oceanography.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MPO 684. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics related to Meteorology and Physical Oceanography.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MPO 685. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics related to Meteorology and Physical Oceanography.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MPO 686. Applied Remote Sensing. 3 Credit Hours.
Provides a detailed overview of applications of passive remote sensing using visible, infrared and microwave radiometers. Orbit and satellite characteristics are discussed. Hands-on data processing and analysis using readily accessible image processing software is included. Access to satellite data archives is explained. Students are also expected to attend Physics of Remote Sensing I - Passive Systems, and Physics of Remote Sensing II - Active Systems, which focus on the theory of remote sensing. The companion course, Applied Radar Remote Sensing, is offered in the spring semesters.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MPO 687. Applied Radar Remote Sensing. 3 Credit Hours.
This course complements Physics of Remote Sensing II with additional lectures and exercises tailored specifically to the needs of MPS students. Topics covered: Active vs. passive remote sensing, satellite station operations, how to work with satellite radar images, imaging geometry and sampling characteristics, introduction to IDL, hands-on SAR data analysis examples, hands-on marine radar data analysis.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MPO 701. Seminars in Meteorology and Physical Oceanography. 1 Credit Hour.
Oral presentation of research and special topics by students, faculty, and visiting scientists.
Components: SEM.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MPO 711. Geophysical Fluid Dynamics II. 3 Credit Hours.
The focus of this course is on the effects of stratification, on time variable phenomena, and on the interaction between large-scale circulation and mesoscale eddies. Course topics include quasi geostrophic scale analysis, Rossby waves, barotropic and baroclinic instability, wave-mean flow interaction and non-geostrophic waves.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MPO 712. Large Scale Ocean Circulation: Models and Observations. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include theoretical models of the oceanic current systems, wind-driven and thermohaline circulation, effects of bottom topography, and lateral bounding.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MPO 713. Predictability. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to concepts of predictability and error growth, beginning from the seminal papers of Ed Lorenz, and expanding into state estimation, data assimilation, forecast sensitivity and ensemble prediction.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MPO 716. Lagrangian Fluid Dynamics and Predictability. 3 Credit Hours.
The ash cloud produced by the eruption of Eyjafjallajokull in Iceland, the oil spill produced by the explosion of the Deepwater Horizon drilling rig in the Gulf of Mexico, and release of debris and radioactive contamination into the Pacific Ocean after the Fukushima nuclear reactor was hit by the Tohoku tsunami, are examples of events that have caused considerable impact to the environment. They all represent problems in Lagrangian ocean or atmospheric dynamics in which predicting where the material released into the environment will be transported by the ocean currents or winds is critical. A common approach to predict the outcome of an event like the above is to run an ocean or atmosphere circulation model simulations and then integrate the resulting velocity fields from a given release location to predict pollutant trajectories. An important drawback of such an approach is that the predictions are highly sensitive to small changes in the release time and location. Attempts to cope with the sensitivity to initial conditions include running several different models for the same scenario, but this typically leads to even larger distributions of advected tracers, hiding the key organizing structures of the flow. Improved understanding and forecasting requires novel notions and techniques capable of casting light on why material is transported the way it is by a given flow. The goal of this course is acquaint the student with a series of recent developments originated at the interface of nonlinear dynamics and fluid dynamics that have led to a number of novel such notions and techniques.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MPO 721. Waves and Tides I. 3 Credit Hours.
The focus of this course is on the kinematics, dynamics and energetics of wave motions in the ocean and atmosphere from both theoretical and observational perspectives. We examine the internal wave spectrum ranging from the buoyancy frequency to the inertial frequency including the WKBJ scaling of the momentum by the buoyancy frequency. The IW spectrum often contains both the semidiurnal and diurnal tidal frequencies where the former is often referred to as internal tide that are excited along continental margins by barotropic tides. Within the context of normal modes, Kelvin and topographically Rossby waves are also present in this regime known as coastal trapped (also known as continental shelf waves). The course then goes into the equatorial wave guide that supports these motions (except for near-inertial motions). This is followed by the forced wave motions by atmospheric fronts and cyclones where Green's functions are introduced to derive analytical expressions for the 3-D current structure.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MPO 724. Statistical Modeling of Geophysical Fields. 3 Credit Hours.
An advanced course in statistical modeling, analysis, and assimilation of geophysical data. Emphasis is placed on practical applications, computer software, and new nonstandard techniques.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MPO 731. Air-Sea Interaction. 3 Credit Hours.
Oceanic and atmospheric mixed layers including fluxes of heat, momentum, moisture and salt between the ocean and atmosphere; vertical distribution of energy sources and sinks at the interface including the importance of surface currents; forced upper ocean dynamics, the role of surface waves on the air-sea exchange processes and ocean mixed layer processes.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MPO 732. Climate Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic understanding of the Earth’s Climate System and its variability on time scales ranging from weeks to millennia. Topics include internal atmospheric variability, coupled ocean-atmosphere interactions, and the theory, observations and modeling of climate change.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MPO 733. Marine Atmospheric Boundary Layer. 3 Credit Hours.
The marine atmospheric boundary layer plays a key role in the two-way interaction between the atmosphere and the ocean. This course will focus on describing and explaining marine atmospheric boundary layer structure and its evolution. This will include an emphasis on the cloud-topped boundary layer (marine stratocumulus) and the trade-wind boundary layer. Thus, in addition to turbulence, the physical processes considered in this treatment of the marine boundary layer will include shallow moist convection and radiation. The course will start with a basic description of the atmospheric boundary layer that will include a review of the relevant dynamics and thermodynamics. More advance topics will be covered in the second half of the course. Although the course will be a series of formal lectures, students will independently research selected topics, prepare a short review paper, and give an oral summary class.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MPO 750. Coastal Ocean Circulation. 3 Credit Hours.
The oceanography of the continental margins are where tides, winds and waves interact on a spectrum of temporal and spatial scales in driving the shelf circulation from the shelf break to the inner shelf. The effects of baroclinicity, topography (and bottom stresses) will be explored in this course. We will highlight fundamental differences between wide versus narrow shelves, and those where boundary currents impact the shelf circulation such as the Loop Current on the west Florida shelf, Florida Current and Gulf Stream along the east coast; and the weaker and broader California Current along the US west coast.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MPO 762. Computer Models in Fluid Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include numerical techniques of dealing with dynamic problems in meteorology and oceanography. Dynamic prediction models, initial data conditioning, computational stability, and error estimates are also included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MPO 764. Atmospheric and Oceanic Turbulence. 3 Credit Hours.
Structure and dynamics of planetary boundary layers, turbulent transport processes, Fickian and statistical theories of turbulence, influence of stratification, and rotation on turbulent motion are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MPO 765. General Circulation of the Atmosphere. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include structure and behavior of planetary scale motions, energy, momentum, and moisture budgets of the general circulation, and models of the general circulation and climatic change.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MPO 767. Spectral and Finite Element Methods in Computational Fluid Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
The simulation of fluid flows in geometrically complex domains (like ocean basins) and/or with high fidelity requires the adoption of new discretization techniques that can simultaneously handle the complicated geometry and permit high accuracy solution. The finite element method has traditionally been used to tackle the geometric complexity while spectral methods have been developed to handle high accuracy in simple geometries. Here we present an approach to handle both complexity within a single framework, namely the spectral element method. The course starts by describing the weak formulation common to all finite element methods which, by design, are geometrically flexible. The second part of the course describe how high order polynomial can be implemented within the finite element framework to achieve high accuracy rates.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MPO 768. ENSO Dynamics, Prediction, and Predictability. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide students with a comprehensive observational and mechanistic understanding of the El Nino and the Southern Oscillation (ENSO) phenomena and how ENSO impacts the natural variability of the global climate system. Topics will include: Observations and theories of the seasonal and interannual changes in the ocean circulation and temperature, and interactions with the atmosphere; equations of motion and theories of tropical ocean and atmosphere circulation; tropical wave dynamics; large scale air-sea coupling; mechanisms for ENSO: delayed oscillator theory, recharge oscillator theory, slow SST modes; ENSO prediction and predictability; ENSO-monsoon-Indian Ocean interactions; Global climate response to ENSO; decadal ENSO variability; ENSO in a changing climate. This course has a phenomenological focus, which complements current MPO course offerings. In particular, students who have taken dynamic and physical meteorology, ocean general circulation or geophysical fluid dynamics will be exposed to how general theory (e.g., wave dynamics) relates to particular phenomena and current research foci. In addition, student will have the opportunity to design and implement numerical hypothesis testing experiments.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MPO 771. Advanced Studies. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Supervised study in areas of special interest to graduate students.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MPO 772. Vortex Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will cover fundamental to advanced topics in vortex dynamics. A review of fluid dynamics and vorticity in two dimensions will be followed by studies of vortex dynamics in three-dimensional, incompressible flow and in three-dimensional, stratified flow.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MPO 773. Advanced Studies. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Supervised study in areas of special interest to graduate students.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MPO 774. Advanced Studies. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Supervised study of special interest to graduate students.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MPO 775. Advanced Studies. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Supervised study of special interest to graduate students.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MPO 776. Mesoscale Oceanography. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will present a current view of our understanding of ocean mesoscale variability, including its properties in different oceanic regimes, the dynamics governing its origin and development, and its overall role in the oceans and climate. Lectures will present material covering theory, observations (both in situ and satellite), and numerical model results. Students will learn basic concepts on ocean mesoscale processes and perspectives on current research topics from lectures, assignments and research papers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MPO 810. Master’s Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MPO 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor but not for less than a total of 12. Not more than 12 hours of MPO 830 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than 6 in a summer session. Where a student has passed his/her (a) qualifying examinations, and (b) is engaged in an assistantship, he/she may still take the maximum allowable credit stated above.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

M.S. in Meteorology and Physical Oceanography
Admission Requirements
Students wishing to pursue a graduate degree in MPO must have strong quantitative skills and a solid foundation in one of the physical, mathematical or computational sciences. A bachelor's or master's degree in one of the science disciplines - such as physics, mathematics, or engineering - usually provide the requisite background. In addition to good academic training, applicants should bring an unbridled enthusiasm and intense curiosity for the natural world in order to succeed and enjoy their experience at the Rosenstiel School.

Application for Admission to the Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science (Ph.D. and M.S.)
Getting Started
All applicants should review undergraduate preparation requirements and recommendations for a competitive application. In addition to satisfactory scores (as judged by the graduate program) on the appropriate tests, the general requirement for admission is a bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university with a 3.0 GPA average. If you have any questions about these requirements, please contact the Graduate Program Director for the program you are interested in.

When submitting an application, prospective students must indicate the program(s) of interest. The online application will allow you to submit one application to multiple RSMAS graduate programs with no additional application fee.

The online application will ask you to identify up to 5 faculty with whom you would be interested in meeting if you are offered the opportunity to interview. We encourage you to review faculty associated with various research areas and the list of available research assistantships. Please note your application will be considered regardless of your selection. Applicants are welcome to contact faculty via email before and during the application process, but this is not required.

Dates and Deadlines
RSMAS accepts applications year round. For best chances of fall admission into one of our PhD or research based Masters of Science programs, your complete application including all supporting documents must be received in the application period of November 1st - January 10th. However, complete applications received by December 1st will have the highest chance of being invited to our on-site annual recruitment weekend visit in early February.

Application Requirements
Online Application Form and Upload Supporting Documents
Please use the online application which can be found at https://www.applyweb.com/miamigrd/index.html.

- The application will ask you to identify up to 5 faculty with whom you are interested in. See above statement for more details on this.
- Upload PDF of Statement of Purpose identifying your goals and objectives in pursuing a graduate degree. If you have already identified RSMAS faculty you are interested in, please be sure to include this information here as well.
- Upload PDF of unofficial transcripts (for review purposes only). See below statement on transcripts for more details on this.
- Three letters of recommendation from persons well situated to evaluate your qualifications for graduate study. The online application will ask you to enter your recommender’s email addresses for the RSMAS recommendation letter form to be sent to them.
- Non-refundable application fee ($85).
Official Transcripts of All College and Graduate Level Work

US APPLICANTS
While the online application will allow you to upload unofficial transcripts for review purposes, RSMAS must receive official transcripts before an offer of admission can be released. You are strongly encouraged to request the registrar of each institution attended to send transcripts directly to the University of Miami, RSMAS, Graduate Studies Office (address below). For any institution allowing electronic transfer of the official transcript, please use gso@rsmas.miami.edu as the delivery address.

INTERNATIONAL APPLICANTS
Submit the following educational documents to an approved international credentialing evaluation service for evaluation:

- Official original diplomas and certificates in the original language
- Official original transcripts in the original language (names of courses, grades, and hours of instruction) for every year of study.
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Type of Evaluation Required
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Where to Submit Documents for Evaluation
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Curriculum Requirements

The applicable requirements will be those in effect during that academic year when the student first registered in the Program, unless stated otherwise in Handbook or by the Program Director.

All RSMAS courses are listed on the RSMAS website. All courses taken by students should be approved by their advisors. Students are recommended to consult with their advisors and the MPO Program Director regarding their choices of courses. Deviations from the requirements must be approved by the advisor and the MPO Academic Committee.

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1 Minimum of 24 course credits and 6 thesis credits.

2 The remaining 12 course credits can be obtained by taking other graduate courses offered by MPO, RSMAS, or UM.

MPO M.S. candidates are not required to take a class outside MPO.

3 Material from the required core courses will appear on the Comprehensive Examination (along with material from other courses from the first year).

Grade of Master’s Pass, Pass or High Pass needed to fulfill requirement.

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The Comprehensive Examination will consist of an oral part and a written part.

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The oral part, which lasts no longer than 2 hours for each student, may include questions from all the courses taken by the student.

The Comprehensive Exam grade, together with his/her cumulative grade point average, will determine whether the student is eligible for the DirectPh.D. program.

Pass: Students and advisors will receive feedback from the Comprehensive Exam committee on the strengths and weaknesses of the student, and possible recommendations of how to address those. This information can be used to help plan the next steps in the student’s academic career.

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**Mission**

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**Goals**

- To advance students’ knowledge and understanding of the physical and dynamical processes in the atmosphere and ocean.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Students will demonstrate knowledge in meteorology and physical oceanography.
- Students will demonstrate their ability to conduct research in meteorology and physical oceanography.
- Students will demonstrate knowledge of the discipline, critical thinking, and application of knowledge and methodology.

**Ph.D. in Meteorology and Physical Oceanography**

**Admission Requirements**

Students wishing to pursue a graduate degree in MPO must have strong quantitative skills and a solid foundation in one of the physical, mathematical or computational sciences. A bachelor's or master's degree in one of the science disciplines - such as physics, mathematics, or engineering - usually provide the requisite background. In addition to good academic training, applicants should bring an unbridled enthusiasm and intense curiosity for the natural world in order to succeed and enjoy their experience at the Rosenstiel School.

**Application for Admission to the Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science (Ph.D. and M.S.)**

**Getting Started**

All applicants should review undergraduate preparation requirements and recommendations for a competitive application (https://graduate.rsmas.miami.edu/admissions/undergraduate-prep/). In addition to satisfactory scores (as judged by the graduate program) on the appropriate tests, the general requirement for admission is a bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university with a 3.0 GPA average. If you have any questions about these requirements, please contact the Graduate Program Director for the program you are interested in.

When submitting an application, prospective students must indicate the program(s) of interest. The online application will allow you to submit one application to multiple RSMAS graduate programs with no additional application fee.

The online application will ask you to identify up to 5 faculty with whom you would be interested in meeting if you are offered the opportunity to interview. We encourage you to review faculty associated with various research areas and the list of available research assistantships (https://graduate.rsmas.miami.edu/admissions/phd-assistanships/). Please note your application will be considered regardless of your selection. Applicants are welcome to contact faculty via email before and during the application process, but this is not required.

**Dates and Deadlines**

RSMAS accepts applications year round. For best chances of fall admission into one of our PhD or research based Masters of Science programs, your complete application including all supporting documents must be received in the application period of November 1st - January 10th. However, complete applications received by December 1st will have the highest chance of being invited to our on-site annual recruitment weekend visit in early February.

**Application Requirements**

**Online Application Form and Upload Supporting Documents**

Please use the online application which can be found at https://www.applyweb.com/miamigrd/index.html.

- The application will ask you to identify up to 5 faculty with whom you are interested in. See above statement for more details on this.
- Upload PDF of Statement of Purpose identifying your goals and objectives in pursuing a graduate degree. If you have already identified RSMAS faculty you are interested in, please be sure to include this information here as well.
- Upload PDF of unofficial transcripts (for review purposes only). See below statement on transcripts for more details on this.
- Three letters of recommendation from persons well situated to evaluate your qualifications for graduate study. The online application will ask you to enter your recommender’s email addresses for the RSMAS recommendation letter form to be sent to them.
- Non-refundable application fee ($85).
Official Transcripts of All College and Graduate Level Work

US APPLICANTS

While the online application will allow you to upload unofficial transcripts for review purposes, RSMAS must receive official transcripts before an offer of admission can be released. You are strongly encouraged to request the registrar of each institution attended to send transcripts directly to the University of Miami, RSMAS, Graduate Studies Office (address below). For any institution allowing electronic transfer of the official transcript, please use gso@rsmas.miami.edu as the delivery address.

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¹ • Minimum of 30 course credits and 12 dissertation credits.  
• Minimum 9 course credits should be taken from 700 level courses.  
• The credit transfer and waiver of required courses should be done during the first year of graduate study at RSMAS with approval from the graduate advisor and the MPO Academic Committee.

² • The remaining course credits can be obtained by taking other graduate courses offered by MPO, RSMAS, or UM.  
• MPO Ph.D. students are required to take at least one 3-credit course outside the MPO program, unless they have arrived with an M.S. degree from another institution.  
• Courses with the ‘RSM’ designation count as an outside course.
Material from the required core courses will appear on the Comprehensive Examination (along with material from other courses from the first year).

Grade of Pass or High Pass needed to fulfill requirement.

All M.S. and Ph.D. students are required to take the Comprehensive Examination. For full-time students, the Comprehensive Examination should be before the end of their first year of graduate studies at RSMAS. This examination will be arranged by a Comprehensive Examination Committee which comprises the MPO Graduate Program Director and the instructors (or their assignees) of the first year courses taken by the students.

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The GPA comprises 20% of the Comprehensive Exam grade, and the written and oral parts of the Comprehensive Exams comprise 40% each.

A student's performance in this examination, together with his/her cumulative grade point average, will determine whether the grade of High Pass, Pass, Master's Pass or Fail is given by the Comprehensive Exam Committee. The examining board consists of faculty whose questions are answered by the student and any other RSMAS faculty who wish to participate.

High Pass: for students with no identifiable relevant weaknesses.

Pass: Students and advisors will receive feedback from the Comprehensive Exam committee on the strengths and weaknesses of the student, and possible recommendations of how to address those. This information can be used to help plan the next steps in the student’s academic career.

• NOTE: This is a new category where a student is NOT required to defend a Master's thesis as was the case previously, but the student and advisor may of course still decide that a Masters in the appropriate next step.

Master's Pass: Students with this result will be required to defend a Master's thesis before considering whether to pursue a Ph.D. Students and advisors will receive feedback from the Comprehensive Exam committee on the strengths and weaknesses of the student, and possible recommendations of how to address those.

Fail: Students with this result will have an opportunity to re-take the exam once.

These guidelines complement those given in the UM Graduate Student Handbook.

All students are expected to take the Qualifying Exam and Proposal Defense by the end of their third year in the program. If the student needs to take the Exam in their fourth year, s/he will need to write a petition to the MPO Academic Committee with an explanation. A second extension after the end of the fourth year will not be permitted, unless there are exceptional circumstances.

While the exact format is left to the discretion of the Ph.D. Committee, a typical Oral Qualifying Exam comprises an hour of questions from the written Qualifying Exam and other related questions, and a second hour in which the student presents their Dissertation Proposal. It is recommended that the presentation emphasizes future work and is not a review of previous results, which are in the written Proposal.

• Expectations of the Qualifying Exam

1. Written Exam: Written answers judged by each Committee member to demonstrate that the student has the ability to understand and investigate the concept asked in the question. The questions are usually related to the research described in the dissertation proposal.

2. Oral Exam: Demonstration of oral communication skills in responding satisfactorily to questions raised by the Committee in relation to the written questions, and any other questions asked by the Committee members.

3. Dissertation Proposal: Written by the student in clear English befitting the standard of writing in a peer-reviewed journal. The proposal should demonstrate the capability of the student to produce and present research that is of the quality suitable for a journal Article. Emphasis needs to be placed on the proposed research: the questions and hypotheses to be tested, the data and methodology used to test the hypotheses, and some anticipated results (which may or may not be realized). A student is encouraged to discuss the proposal with the advisor, but the writing must be his/her own.

Attendance to the MPO seminars is required every semester.

MPO Ph.D. students must give at least one 15- minute presentation each year after completing the Comprehensive Exam, and a one-hour presentation after advancing to Ph.D. candidacy, and at least 6 months before the dissertation defense.

Ph.D. students are expected to be a Teaching Assistant (TA) for two courses while pursuing their degree.

The mandatory TA program will include training of new TAs, evaluation of their performance, and recognition of excellence. The goal is to make the experience as valuable as possible for the TA, the faculty, and the students taking our courses.

A training session and two teaching opportunities are offered as courses in educational training (RSM 771, RSM 772, RSM 773). Students will be registered accordingly.

Specific requirements for TAs are outlined in the RSMAS Student Handbook.

Mission

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Goals

• To advance students' knowledge and understanding of the physical and dynamical processes in the atmosphere and ocean.
Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will demonstrate knowledge in meteorology and physical oceanography.
- Students will demonstrate their ability to conduct research in meteorology and physical oceanography.
- Students will demonstrate knowledge of discipline, appropriate methodology, application of knowledge, methodology to original research, critical thinking, as well as effective written and oral communication.

Ocean Sciences

https://www.graduate.rsmas.miami.edu/graduate-programs/ocean-sciences/index.html

Dept. Code: OCE

The mission of the Ocean Sciences (OCE) graduate program is to provide our students with specialized knowledge in important ocean science sub-disciplines as well as a broad understanding of the ocean as a key component of the Earth System. Our students advance the understanding of physical, chemical, and biological processes in the ocean and their interactions. Students learn first-hand about instrumentation and methods to measure the ocean using both in-situ and space-based sensors, and about laboratory, analytical, and numerical models to understand oceanic processes. Our graduates develop into international leaders of ocean research, into teachers and communicators of ocean sciences, and into leaders and advisors of marine education, policy, and conservation.

OCE offers opportunities for students to participate in research cruises and join field campaigns aboard our research vessel Walton Smith and aboard other vessels around the world, to perform experiments in our state-of-the-art wind-wave-storm surge simulator (SUSTAIN), and to run ocean and climate model simulations using our supercomputer facility. The OCE faculty excels in a wide range of topics including ocean circulation and climate, ocean carbon cycle, air-sea interaction, remote sensing, and marine ecosystem dynamics.

Degree Programs

- Master of Professional Science (M.P.S.) (p. 2451)
  - Requires 30 credit hours, including 24 course credit hours and 6 internship credit hours.
- Master of Science (M.S.) (p. 2451)
  - Requires 30 credit hours, including 24 course credit hours and 6 research credit hours.
- Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) (p. 2451)
  - Requires 60 credit hours, including a minimum of 27 course credit hours and a minimum of 12 research credit hours.

Research Areas

When admitted to the OCE graduate program, students will choose a research concentration based on their research interests.

Ocean Dynamics

This concentration covers the study of how the ocean moves on all scales, from turbulence and eddies to ocean gyres and the global thermohaline circulation, and how these motions impact and interact with Earth's climate. Scientists in OCE approach studies of Ocean Dynamics through sea-going experimentation and data analysis, development of conceptual modeling tools, data assimilation, numerical simulations, ocean prediction, and forecasting. Research topics include the dynamics and variability of boundary currents like the Gulf Stream, basin-wide meridional overturning and heat transport, mesoscale and submesoscale dynamics and stirring, turbulence, water mass formation and ventilation, oil spills, and coastal and continental shelf processes.

Air-Sea Interaction & Remote Sensing

The focus of this concentration is on sub-millimeter to mesoscale processes at and across the air-sea interface, from the oceanic thermocline to the atmospheric boundary layer. Research topics include surface fluxes and turbulent mixing events, wind-wave-current interactions, hurricane intensity changes, storm surge predictions, coupled tropical dynamics, underwater acoustics, internal and surface gravity waves, and coastal processes. OCE faculty, research staff, and students approach these studies using our unique wind-wave laboratory (SUSTAIN) and satellite-data facilities (CSTARS), and through field experimentation using ship-, buoy-, land-, and aircraft-based instrumentation. Coupled ocean-atmosphere modeling studies provide a framework to understand these observations, where one of the foci is tropical weather and hurricanes. Many of our research efforts have societal relevance in areas such as severe weather and wave forecasting, disaster monitoring and mitigation response, climate change, renewable energy developments, marine transportation and ship tracking, search and rescue, and pollutant dispersion.

Marine Biogeochemistry

Studies in this concentration focus on the physical, chemical, biological, and geological processes controlling the oceanic cycling of carbon, macronutrients (nitrogen, phosphorus, and silicon), and trace elements (e.g., iron). We conduct our work throughout the global ocean using advanced analytical and modeling techniques to assess the dynamics of these elements. Research topics include ocean acidification, nutrient...
limitation of productivity, global distributions of biogeochemical variables, tracers for time scales of water mass formation and circulation, air-sea exchange of materials, carbon fluxes, microbial processes, and speciation, distribution, and isotopic ratio of dissolved trace metals.

**Biophysical Interactions**

This concentration addresses the study of ocean productivity, the distribution, transport, and behavior of planktonic organisms, and their complex interactions with higher trophic levels. Researchers in OCE take a multi-prong approach, coupling the development of biophysical models with experimental field and laboratory work. OCE scientists develop new techniques and instrumentation to observe and model planktonic organism behavior and their responses to environmental signals. Research topics include the study of harmful algal blooms, plankton distribution and patchiness, trophic interactions, larval dispersal and population connectivity, biological control of physical constraints, microbial dynamics, bioacoustics, and animal navigation.

**Master of Professional Science (M.P.S.) Programs**

There are two OCE tracks for the M.P.S. degree:

- M.P.S. in Natural Hazards and Catastrophes (NHC) (p. 2463)

**Master of Science (M.S.) Program**

- M.S. in Ocean Sciences (OCE) (p. 2468)

**Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) Program**

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**OCE 602. Oceanography II (Physical). 2 Credit Hours.**

The second section of the course core curriculum designed as an integrated and multidisciplinary view of ocean processes, covering the major disciplines of marine science and their applications to the study of the marine environment. To be taken in sequence with Oceanography I - Geological (MGG 501), Oceanography I II - Chemical (MAC 501), and Oceanography IV - Biological (MBF 502). This course is for non-MPO majors only.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall.

**OCE 603. Physical Oceanography. 3 Credit Hours.**

Introduction to properties of seawater, instruments and methods, heat budget, general ocean circulation, formation of water masses, dynamics of circulation, regional oceanography, waves, tides, and sea level. A mathematical and problem solving course for majors in MPO.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall.

**OCE 608. Introduction to Ocean Systems Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.**

This course will provide a survey introduction to various aspects of ocean systems engineering. This is a required course for all students enrolled in the Master of Science (non-thesis) in Ocean Engineering Program. It is intended to be taught in the first term of their studies, before they have fully refined their courses. It could also be of interest to graduate students in OCE and upper level undergraduate engineering, marine science or mathematics majors who are seeking to inform themselves on the breadth of study in ocean engineering.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall.

**OCE 609. Coastal Physics and Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.**

Course addresses linear wave theory, wave statistics, wave generation, tides, wind-driven currents, nearshore circulation, sediment transport by waves and currents, bedforms, bedload, and suspended load. Other topics include longshore and cross-shore transport, equilibrium beach profiles, coastal processes models, Pelnard-Considere model for shoreline change, and Escoffier model for inlet stability.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Spring.
OCE 610. Ocean Biogeochemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Introductory course to understand the ocean as a system. It will cover the interactions between biological, chemical, and geological processes in the environment, all within the context of physical controls. In the ocean, biogeochemistry includes the cycling of both major (e.g., C, N, P, Si, O) and minor elements (such as Fe). Tracing the spatial and temporal variability of these elements provides insights on the biological and geochemical processes at work, as well as the hydrographic and other controls on those processes. In this course, the physical ocean system is introduced in the context of its controls on the biological system, which in turn controls distributions of bioactive elements. Considered here are the major processes controlling ocean productivity, its roles as a carbon sink, organic matter production and consumption, the cycling of nutrients, the inorganic carbon system, and biogeochemistry of the sediments.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OCE 611. Geophysical Fluid Dynamics I. 3 Credit Hours.
The basic equations of state, continuity, and motion. Topics include wave motions, group velocity, theory of stratified fluids and internal waves and turbulence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OCE 612. Marine Organic Geochemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Broad introduction to the chemical constituents comprising organic matter in marine environments. This course will address how biological origins, dietary and detrital reworking, and physical phase influence the distribution and fluxes of organic matter in the marine carbon cycle, on both short and long timescales. Topics will address both the water column and sediments, in open-ocean and coastal environments. Students may choose topics of specific interest to their research for presentations and writing assignments (subject to instructor approval). The first half of the course will focus on the chemistry and physical phases of organic matter; the second half will focus on discussing the application of organic geochemical tools to environmental questions via the primary literature.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OCE 615. Tracers of Oceanographic Processes. 3 Credit Hours.
Course describes the various tracer techniques used by oceanographers to understand water transport and mixing, sedimentation, gas exchange, nutrient recycling, and transport. Tracers used are both natural occurring and anthropogenic. This course is of interest to students from various disciplines.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

OCE 622. Marine Microbial Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of the function of microbes in the ocean from a chemical perspective, building a quantitative understanding of cellular needs and metabolic functions, and the role these microbial processes play in controlling chemical fluxes and biogeochemical cycles in the ocean.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OCE 624. Applied Data Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
The course is intended to jump-start students in strategies for fruitful computer interaction practices for careers in MPO areas of science. Academic topics include key concepts in probability & statistics, issues of graphical evidence and inference, linear models and regression, spectral analysis, and matrix decomposition. Practical topics include hands-on exercises in data analysis and the sharing of code+results and interpretation. Students do projects on data from their research or interests.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

OCE 631. Ocean Data Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Useful and widely used ocean data analysis techniques are discussed. Topics covered include: a review of statistical concepts and linear algebra; time series analysis; least squares and regression techniques; principal component analysis; optimization and inverse methods; and simple models of ocean processes. Computational methods are emphasized. Choice of the material covered is dictated in part by student interests.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
OCE 635. Introduction to Underwater Acoustics. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include sound waves and pulses, harmonic analysis, sound propagation in the ocean, sonar systems, scattering and absorption, acoustic measurement of marine life and sea-floor properties, sound transmission in waveguides, ambient noise, transducers, and hydrophones.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

OCE 636. Hurricanes. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is intended to provide a broad overview of tropical cyclones, starting from the basic structure, dynamics and thermodynamics, then expanding through to observations, modeling, forecasting and impacts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OCE 637. Natural Hazards: Atmosphere and Ocean. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide students with an understanding of natural hazards in both the atmosphere and ocean. In the atmosphere, we will explore both weather events such as storms and hurricanes and tornadoes as well as longer term phenomena such as monsoons and excess rainfall in the tropics. Oceanographically, the course will address hazards such as storm surge and flooding, rogue waves, rip currents, and tsunamis that occur on short time scales as well as the longer term effects such as sea level rise and the impacts of El Niño and La Niña oceanographic conditions on weather conditions. Thus, the course focus is on hazards and their impacts around the globe.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OCE 642. Physics of Remote Sensing I - Passive Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Course discusses basic physical principles of remote sensing with emphasis on optical and passive systems. Topics include orbital dynamics, sampling issues, fundamental laws of electromagnetic waves, passive remote sensing in the visible, infrared and microwave parts of the electromagnetic spectrum, a survey of satellite sensors and summary of the derived geophysical variables.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OCE 643. Physics of Remote Sensing II - Active Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Course discusses basic physical principles of remote sensing with emphasis on active and radar systems. Topics include electromagnetic theory, radar equation, antenna theory and pulse compression, radar scattering physics; sea surface processes relevant to radar imaging, scatterometry, synthetic aperture radar (SAR), altimetry, HF Doppler radar, marine radar, satellite orbits, brief overview of passive remote sensing techniques.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OCE 651. Applied Ocean Acoustics and Marine Mammals. 3 Credit Hours.
The objective of this course is to provide a basis in the fundamental of sound in the sea and on the effects of sound on marine mammals.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OCE 668. Marine Isotopic Processes. 3 Credit Hours.
The use of isotopic methods in geology, geochemistry, and geophysics including oceanography and meteorology. General laws governing isotopic effects in chemical and physical processes are discussed as well as specific problems in dating, tracing, and paleotemperatures.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

OCE 673. Applied Underwater Acoustics. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include sonar systems and operating characteristics, scattering and reverberation, target strength, signal processing, transducers and arrays, detection and noise, and acoustic telemetry.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
OCE 675. Fluid Mechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
The equations governing the dynamics of homogeneous fluids are derived. The concepts of deformation rates, vorticity, stream function, and ideal fluid flow are introduced and demonstrated in applications describing flows in the marine environment. Semi-empirical methods for analyzing viscous flows, boundary layers, and turbulence are presented. Eddy viscosity and more advanced turbulence closure schemes are discussed in the context of coastal circulation, bottom boundary layers and sediment transport.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OCE 676. Wave Propagation in the Ocean Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of vector analysis, basic principles of fluid mechanics, equations of surface gravity waves, linear dispersion relation, phase and group velocity, wave dispersion, orbital motions, wave refraction, diffraction, reflection, ray tracing, frequency and wavenumber spectra, fundamentals of wave modeling, action balance equation, wave generation, wave dissipation, wave-wave interaction, wave-current interaction, Stokes drift, internal waves.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OCE 680. Transport and Mixing Process in the Marine Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
Heat and constituent transport and mixing processes in the marine environment. Derivation of the fundamental equations governing heat and constituent transport and mixing processes, steady and unsteady state heat transfer by conduction, laminar and turbulent convection, and radiation, steady and unsteady state constituent transfer by diffusion and laminar and turbulent convection, mixing and flushing in tidally driven coastal waters are also discussed.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

OCE 681. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

OCE 682. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

OCE 683. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

OCE 684. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

OCE 686. Applied Remote Sensing. 3 Credit Hours.
Provides a detailed overview of applications of passive remote sensing using visible, infrared and microwave radiometers. Orbit and satellite characteristics are discussed. Hands-on data processing and analysis using readily accessible image processing software is included. Access to satellite data archives is explained. Students are also expected to attend Physics of Remote Sensing I - Passive Systems, and Physics of Remote Sensing II - Active Systems, which focus on the theory of remote sensing. The companion course, Applied Radar Remote Sensing, is offered in the spring semesters.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
OCE 687. Applied Radar Remote Sensing. 3 Credit Hours.
This course complements Physics of Remote Sensing II with additional lectures and exercises tailored specifically to the needs of MPS students. Topics covered: Active vs. passive remote sensing, satellite station operations, how to work with satellite radar images, imaging geometry and sampling characteristics, introduction to IDL, hands-on SAR data analysis examples, hands-on marine radar data analysis.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OCE 701. Mathematical Methods in Marine Physics. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OCE 705. Chemical Oceanography. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce students to the chemistry of the oceans, descriptive chemical oceanography of the components of ocean waters (metals, gases, organic compounds and nutrients), and biogeochemical cycles in oceanic systems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OCE 711. Geophysical Fluid Dynamics II. 3 Credit Hours.
The focus of this course is on the effects of stratification, on time variable phenomena, and on the interaction between large-scale circulation and mesoscale eddies. Course topics include quasi geostrophic scale analysis, Rossby waves, barotropic and baroclinic instability, wave-mean flow interaction and non-geostrophic waves.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OCE 712. Large Scale Ocean Circulation: Models and Observations. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include theoretical models of the oceanic current systems, wind-driven and thermohaline circulation, effects of bottom topography, and lateral bounding.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OCE 716. Lagrangian Fluid Dynamics and Predictability. 3 Credit Hours.
The ash cloud produced by the eruption of Eyjafjallajokull in Iceland, the oil spill produced by the explosion of the Deepwater Horizon drilling rig in the Gulf of Mexico, and release of debris and radioactive contamination into the Pacific Ocean after the Fukushima nuclear reactor was hit by the Tohoku tsunami, are examples of events that have caused considerable impact to the environment. They all represent problems in Lagrangian ocean or atmospheric dynamics in which predicting where the material released into the environment will be transported by the ocean currents or winds is critical. A common approach to predict the outcome of an event like the above is to run an ocean or atmosphere circulation model simulations and then integrate the resulting velocity fields from a given release location to predict pollutant trajectories. An important drawback of such an approach is that the predictions are highly sensitive to small changes in the release time and location. Attempts to cope with the sensitivity to initial conditions include running several different models for the same scenario, but this typically leads to even larger distributions of advected tracers, hiding the key organizing structures of the flow. Improved understanding and forecasting requires novel notions and techniques capable of casting light on why material is transported the way it is by a given flow. The goal of this course is acquaint the student with a series of recent developments originated at the interface of nonlinear dynamics and fluid dynamics that have led to a number of novel such notions and techniques.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OCE 720. Marine Physical Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Physical-chemical principles applied to the marine environment, based on thermodynamics and the study of rate processes.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
**OCE 721. Waves and Tides I. 3 Credit Hours.**
The focus of this course is on the kinematics, dynamics and energetics of wave motions in the ocean and atmosphere from both theoretical and observational perspectives. We examine the internal wave spectrum ranging from the buoyancy frequency to the inertial frequency including the WKBJ scaling of the momentum by the buoyancy frequency. The IW spectrum often contains both the semidiurnal and diurnal tidal frequencies where the former is often referred to as internal tide that are excited along continental margins by barotropic tides. Within the context of normal modes, Kelvin and topographically Rossby waves are also present in this regime known as coastally trapped (also known as continental shelf waves). The course then goes into the equatorial wave guide that supports these motions (except for near-inertial motions). This is followed by the forced wave motions by atmospheric fronts and cyclones where Green’s functions are introduced to derive analytical expressions for the 3-D current structure.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

**OCE 724. Statistical Modeling of Geophysical Fields. 3 Credit Hours.**
An advanced course in statistical modeling, analysis, and assimilation of geophysical data. Emphasis is placed on practical applications, computer software, and new nonstandard techniques.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

**OCE 731. Air-Sea Interaction. 3 Credit Hours.**
Oceanic and atmospheric mixed layers including fluxes of heat, momentum, moisture and salt between the ocean and atmosphere; vertical distribution of energy sources and sinks at the interface including the importance of surface currents; forced upper ocean dynamics, the role of surface waves on the air-sea exchange processes and ocean mixed layer processes.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

**OCE 735. Life in Moving Fluids. 3 Credit Hours.**
The physical characteristics of fluids are described and quantified in relation to various flow phenomena that play a part in life functions. Adaptations of forms and functions reflect the different properties of the media. Energy conversion and transfer limit form and function and enable a wide variety of survival strategies. This course is mainly about the adaptation of marine organisms to moving fluids, small scale movement ecology, and diversity in physical constraints and adaptation in marine ecosystem.

Prerequisite: OCE 701.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

**OCE 736. Modeling of Physical-Biological Interactions. 3 Credit Hours.**
The course is designed to teach students the basics components for building coupled physical biological models. Students will be able to understand the processes affecting from low- to high-trophic level organisms in the planktonic environment. Emphasis will be given on numerical simulations of mechanisms involved in: Plankton distribution and patchiness; Trophic interactions (NPZD); Larval behavior and transport; Marine population connectivity.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

**OCE 750. Coastal Ocean Circulation. 3 Credit Hours.**
The oceanography of the continental margins are where tides, winds and waves interact on a spectrum of temporal and spatial scales in driving the shelf circulation from the shelf break to the inner shelf. The effects of baroclinicity, topography (and bottom stresses) will be explored in this course. We will highlight fundamental differences between wide versus narrow shelves, and those where boundary currents impact the shelf circulation such as the Loop Current on the west Florida shelf; Florida Current and Gulf Stream along the east coast; and the weaker and broader California Current along the US west coast.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

**OCE 752. Vortex Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course will cover fundamental to advanced topics in vortex dynamics. A review of fluid dynamics and vorticity in two dimensions will be followed by studies of vortex dynamics in three-dimensional, incompressible flow and in three-dimensional, stratified flow.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.
OCE 762. Computer Models in Fluid Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include numerical techniques of dealing with dynamic problems in meteorology and oceanography. Dynamic prediction models, initial data conditioning, computational stability, and error estimates are also included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OCE 763. Environmental Photochemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the principles of photochemistry and their application to understanding sunlight initiated processes in the region of the ocean-atmosphere interface. Organic and inorganic photochemical reactions and subsequent thermal reactions in solution, gas, and solid media are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

OCE 764. Atmospheric and Oceanic Turbulence. 3 Credit Hours.
Structure and dynamics of planetary boundary layers, turbulent transport processes, Fickian and statistical theories of turbulence, influence of stratification, and rotation on turbulent motion are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OCE 767. Spectral and Finite Element Methods in Computational Fluid Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
The simulation of fluid flows in geometrically complex domains (like ocean basins) and/or with high fidelity requires the adoption of new discretization techniques that can simultaneously handle the complicated geometry and permit high accuracy solution. The finite element method has traditionally been used to tackle the geometric complexity while spectral methods have been developed to handle high accuracy in simple geometries. Here we present an approach to handle both complexity within a single framework, namely the spectral element method. The course starts by describing the weak formulation common to all finite element methods which, by design, are geometrically flexible. The second part of the course describe how high order polynomial can be implemented within the finite element framework to achieve high accuracy rates.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

OCE 768. Marine Trace Element Geochemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
This course includes an in-depth discussion on all major aspects of oceanic trace element cycle and their application in oceanography and climate studies. The discussed topics include distribution, controlling processes, trace element speciation, isotopes, the role of trace elements in oceanic cycle of major nutrients and the application in the studies of past ocean history and climate. New data and major findings of the on-going GEOTRACES program will also be discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OCE 770. Seminar in Ocean Sciences. 1 Credit Hour.
Oral presentation of research and special topics by students, faculty, and visiting scientists.
Components: SEM.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

OCE 772. Advanced Underwater Acoustics. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis and numerical modeling of sound propagation in the ocean: geometrical acoustics, normal mode theory, and the parabolic equation method. Recent advances in underwater acoustics: effects of oceanic variability, signal fluctuations, random medium propagation, ocean bottom interactions, and shallow water propagation are also examined.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

OCE 776. Mesoscale Oceanography. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will present a current view of our understanding of ocean mesoscale variability, including its properties in different oceanic regimes, the dynamics governing its origin and development, and its overall role in the oceans and climate. Lectures will present material covering theory, observations (both in situ and satellite), and numerical model results. Students will learn basic concepts on ocean mesoscale processes and perspectives on current research topics from lectures, assignments and research papers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
OCE 780. Capstone Independent Study of Coastal Engineering (MSOE). 3 Credit Hours.
OCE 780 is an independent study course in the field of Coastal Engineering that is intended to be a final semester capstone project in the MS in Ocean Engineering program. The student will work with the instructor to select a laboratory or field experimental project of interest related to coastal oceanographic engineering. The student will review the background of similar studies, design the project applying appropriate scaling laws (in the case of the laboratory studies), design the measurements to be taken and the protocols for doing so. The student will assist in model construction as required. Data will be collected, analyzed and archived. A report will be prepared and presented at an open seminar on campus.

Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

OCE 786. Advanced Ocean Measurements. 2 Credit Hours.
Theory and techniques of ocean measurements, ocean data systems, and processing and ocean data transmission are discussed. Lecture, 2 hours.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

OCE 790. Mechanics and Thermodynamics of the Air-Sea Interface. 3 Credit Hours.
This course deals with the theory and practice of air-sea interaction. Two hours of lectures and one hour in the wind-wave laboratory provide an appropriate mix of theory and experiment. The topics covered include: thermodynamics of the interface; conservation equations; wave generation, propagation, and dissipation; boundary layer turbulence; heat, mass, and momentum transfer; energy dissipation, intermittency; turbulence closure; and wave prediction models.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Spring.

OCE 795. Advanced Studies. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised study in areas of special interest to graduate students.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

OCE 805. MPS Internship. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The Master of Professional Science internship is an approved, supervised internship project with an organization engaged in activities associated with the student's degree track. The internship results in a collaborative project, written report, and oral presentation on a topic approved by the student's advisory committee. Up to 6 credits are necessary for graduation

Components: PRA.
Grading: SUS.

Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

OCE 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.

Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

OCE 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor but not for less than a total of 12. Not more than 12 hours of OCE 830 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than 6 in a summer session. Where a student has passed his/her (a) qualifying examinations, and (b) is engaged in an assistantship, he/she may still take the maximum allowable credit stated above.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.

Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

M.P.S. in Applied Remote Sensing
Overview
The routine use of remote sensing techniques has become an indispensable element of many activities in our modern world. A huge variety of sensors on satellites, airplanes, unmanned aerial vehicles ("drones"), and other platforms provide data for a variety of applications on a regular
basis. The MPS in “Applied Remote Sensing” (https://mps.rsmas.miami.edu/degree-tracks/applied-remote-sensing/) offered by the University of Miami’s Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science (RSMAS) and Center for Southeastern Tropical Advanced Remote Sensing (https://www.rsmas.miami.edu/research/centers/cstars/) (CSTARS) provides theoretical knowledge and experiential learning for careers in the field of remote sensing in both public and private sectors. Working professionals in this field may also acquire additional training to expand their current knowledge and skillset.

**Admission Requirements**

Students entering this track need to have a Bachelor’s degree in Mathematics, Physics, Geosciences, or Engineering or an equivalent degree from an accredited U.S. institution of higher education.

Prerequisites:

1. Bachelor of Science degree (B.S.) in Mathematics, Physics, Geosciences, Engineering or an equivalent degree.
2. Successful completion of the following (or equivalent) undergraduate courses: Calculus, Statistics, Physics, Computer Programming (Matlab, IDL, C, or Fortran).

Note to students: Deficiencies in required coursework may be considered on a case by case basis for otherwise highly qualified students or those demonstrating experience with these skills.

Accepting applications for Fall 2020 admissions:

- July 25th, 2019 - July 20th, 2020 (U.S. Citizens and Permanent Residents)
- July 25th, 2019 - June 1st, 2020 (International Applicants)

Accepting applications for Spring 2021 admissions:

- Now until December 1st, 2020 (U.S. Citizens and Permanent Residents)
- Now until November 1st, 2020 (International Applicants)

An application to the MPS program consists of the following (fall & spring admissions only):

- Online CollegeNet application
- Transcripts from all past/present academic institutions (colleges and universities), including all study abroad and community colleges and, if applicable, a transcript evaluation report from an approved international credentialing agency (for non-U.S. academic institutions).
- Valid Graduate Record Examination (GRE) scores. NOTE: GRE requirement suspended for Fall 2020 admissions only due to COVID-19.
- Three (3) letters of recommendation
- Valid TOEFL or IELTS scores (for international applicants)
- Personal statement (statement of purpose)

If admission to the MPS program is granted, it will be contingent upon receipt of all items listed above (including official transcripts and test scores) and the following for international applicants:

- Statement of Financial Responsibility Form (SFR) and corresponding bank letter
- Color copy of current visa (if available).
- Color copy of valid passport (must include picture page and barcode page)

Permanent Residents must provide a color copy of Permanent Resident Card (Green Card).

Previous graduate and undergraduate scholastic performance, work and volunteer experience, valid test scores (GRE, TOEFL/IELTS), and the letters of recommendation are all considered in evaluating an applicant.

**Transcript from U.S. Academic Institutions:**

Please make sure you possess the required undergraduate coursework and/or degree before applying. Official transcripts must be mailed or e-mailed directly from the relevant academic institution (Office of the Registrar) to the MPS office. Our email is mps@rsmas.miami.edu; mailing address is available on the MPS website’s Contact Us page. If an applicant is not able to submit an unofficial transcript with his/her application, the applicant may submit unofficial transcripts via email to mps@rsmas.miami.edu. Unofficial transcripts are accepted for review purposes only, not for admission. If admission to the MPS program is granted, it will be contingent upon receipt of all official records. Please be advised, official transcripts will only be accepted if they are sent to us directly from the academic institution. Transcripts sent by you or issued to you (even if they are in a sealed envelope) are not considered official.

**Transcripts from Non-U.S. Academic Institutions:**
All graduate applicants who received degrees or are currently enrolled in a degree-seeking program from a college or university outside the United States (except applicants to Law* and Nursing**) must submit official transcripts and diplomas (if available) from all colleges and universities to an approved international credentialing agency. Applicants attending a non-U.S. institution for non-credit must also submit academic records to an approved evaluation agency.

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Goals
The goal of the Applied Remote Sensing (ARS) track is to provide students with theoretical knowledge and advanced training of remote sensing technology in an effort to acquire high-resolution satellite images and near-real-time measurements of sea surface temperatures, currents, wave heights, wind speeds, atmospheric temperature profiles, clouds, aerosols, and more. In relation to disaster response after hurricanes, earthquakes, floods, oil spills, monitoring ship traffic, floating sea ice, and more, students obtain an understanding of remote sensing technologies and applications, as well as training for the interpretation of the collected data.

Student Learning Outcomes
- Applied Remote Sensing students will learn theoretical knowledge and practical skills using a variety of remote sensing instruments to produce, measure, and interpret data from high-resolution satellite images for application to various end-users in the private and public sectors.
- Students will demonstrate professionalism in all aspects of field and lab work during their internships.
- Students will write up a final report and deliver a final presentation based on the work completed in their internship.

M.P.S. in Natural Hazards and Catastrophes

Overview
The University of Miami’s Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science conducts world-class research on the earth systems responsible for natural disasters, including the atmosphere, the ocean and solid earth. To meet society’s need for a skilled workforce, the Natural Hazards and Catastrophes (https://mps.rsmas.miami.edu/degree-tracks/natural-hazard-and-catastrophes/) track, within the Master of Professional Science (MPS) program, offers an educational opportunity for students seeking to fill positions offered by the private and civil sectors to assess risks and exposures associated with natural hazards.

Admission Requirements
Prerequisites:
1. Bachelor of Science degree (B.S.) or Bachelor of Arts degree (B.A.)
2. At least one of the following: one semester of Statistics or Calculus or 6 credits in Geoscience

Note to students: Deficiencies in required coursework may be considered on a case by case basis for otherwise highly qualified students or those demonstrating experience with these skills.

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Application for Admission to the Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science (Ph.D. and M.S.)

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All applicants should review undergraduate preparation requirements and recommendations for a competitive application (https://graduate.rsmas.miami.edu/admissions/undergraduate-prep/). In addition to satisfactory scores (as judged by the graduate program) on the appropriate tests, the general requirement for admission is a bachelor’s degree from an accredited college or university with a 3.0 GPA average. If you have any questions about these requirements, please contact the Graduate Program Director for the program you are interested in.

When submitting an application, prospective students must indicate the program(s) of interest. The online application will allow you to submit one application to multiple RSMAS graduate programs with no additional application fee.

The online application will ask you to identify up to 5 faculty with whom you would be interested in meeting if you are offered the opportunity to interview. We encourage you to review faculty associated with various research areas and the list of available research assistantships (https://graduate.rsmas.miami.edu/admissions/phd-assistanships/). Please note your application will be considered regardless of your selection. Applicants are welcome to contact faculty via email before and during the application process, but this is not required.

Dates and Deadlines

RSMAS accepts applications year round. For best chances of fall admission into one of our PhD or research based Masters of Science programs, your complete application including all supporting documents must be received in the application period of November 1st - January 10th. However, complete applications received by December 1st will have the highest chance of being invited to our on-site annual recruitment weekend visit in early February.

Application Requirements

Online Application Form and Upload Supporting Documents

Please use the online application which can be found at https://www.applyweb.com/miamigrd/index.html (https://www.applyweb.com/miamigrd/).

- The application will ask you to identify up to 5 faculty with whom you are interested in. See above statement for more details on this.
- Upload PDF of Statement of Purpose identifying your goals and objectives in pursuing a graduate degree. If you have already identified RSMAS faculty you are interested in, please be sure to include this information here as well.
- Upload PDF of unofficial transcripts (for review purposes only). See below statement on transcripts for more details on this.
• Three letters of recommendation from persons well situated to evaluate your qualifications for graduate study. The online application will ask you to enter your recommender’s email addresses for the RSMAS recommendation letter form to be sent to them.
• Non-refundable application fee ($85).

**Official Transcripts of All College and Graduate Level Work**

**US APPLICANTS**
While the online application will allow you to upload unofficial transcripts for review purposes, RSMAS must receive official transcripts before an offer of admission can be released. You are strongly encouraged to request the registrar of each institution attended to send transcripts directly to the University of Miami, RSMAS, Graduate Studies Office (address below). For any institution allowing electronic transfer of the official transcript, please use gso@rsmas.miami.edu as the delivery address.

**INTERNATIONAL APPLICANTS**
Submit the following educational documents to an approved international credentialing evaluation service for evaluation:
• Official original diplomas and certificates in the original language
• Official original transcripts in the original language (names of courses, grades, and hours of instruction) for every year of study.
• NOTE: Documents in a language other than English must be accompanied by professional, certified English translations. Translations supplement, but do not replace the official documents.

**Type of Evaluation Required**
• The Rosenstiel School requires international applicants to complete a course-by-course evaluation with GPA.

**Where to Submit Documents for Evaluation**
• Josef Silney & Associates (JS&A), Inc, International Education Consultants, is the preferred evaluation vendor for international applicants to the University of Miami due to their competitive prices and high-quality service. Click here (https://www.jsilny.org/services.aspx/#foreign_anchor) for more information including the Application for Evaluation of Foreign Educational Credentials.
• Please note that international applicants are not required to use the services of JS&A. The international credential evaluation services of any approved vendor may be used. Click here (https://www.naces.org/members/) to view a list of approved vendors.
• Please be sure the vendor sends your evaluation directly to gso@rsmas.miami.edu.
• **Evaluation Fee** - Applicants are responsible for the evaluation fee.
• Please note that failure to comply with these instructions may cause significant delays in the review and processing of your application, and therefore also significant delays in the processing of your I-20.

**Official GRE Score Report**
• An official score of the Graduate Record Examination Test (GRE): http://www.ets.org/gre (https://www.ets.org/gre/revised_general/scores/) must be submitted using institution code 7690 (there is no department code). The University of Miami requires a minimum score of 297 (total of verbal + quantitative) for acceptance into any Graduate School program. The Rosenstiel School does not have a minimum score requirement of its own (other than the UM minimum) for the verbal and quantitative sections, but most admitted applicants score approximately in the 80th percentile or better. In addition, applicants must have a minimum of 3.5 on the analytical writing section.
• It is only recommended, not required, that applicants to the Graduate Program in Marine Biology and Ecology submit the score of the Subject Test in Biology.

**Official TOEFL or IELTS Score Report (International Applicants Only)**
• International applicants whose native language is not English must submit official results of the Test of English as a foreign language (TOEFL): http://www.ets.org/toefl/ (https://www.ets.org/toefl/) using institution code 2919 or the International English Language Testing System (IELTS) http://www.ieltsgov.org/ (https://www.ielts.org/) using institution code 4862. There is no department code for either score submission.
• An exception to this rule is an international student who will have earned a US degree prior to enrollment at RSMAS.
• A minimum score of 550 (paper-based test), 213 (computer-based test), 80 (iBT), or 6.5 for the IELTS is required for admission.

**Additional Supplemental Documents**
• **Ph.D. Applicants with a Prior Master’s Degree**
  • Students applying to the Ph.D. program with a prior Master’s degree must include with their application an abstract of the thesis or reprints or manuscripts of scientific work. Applicants can email this to gso@rsmas.miami.edu. (gso@rsmas.miami.edu)
• **Financial Documents**
  • Applicants who have already secured an external fellowship, scholarship, sponsorship or other funding to finance the degree should email financial documents directly to gso@rsmas.miami.edu.

**Mailing Address:**
Graduate Studies Office SLAB 130  
Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science  
University of Miami  
4600 Rickenbacker Causeway
Curriculum Requirements

The applicable requirements will be those in effect during that academic year when the student first registered in the Program, unless stated otherwise in the OCE Handbook or by the OCE Graduate Program Director. Any uncertainties regarding the procedures and requirements should be clarified with the OCE Graduate Program Director and the RSMAS Graduate Studies Office (GSO).

All RSMAS courses are listed on the RSMAS website. Students should consult their advisors and the OCE Graduate Program Director regarding their choices of courses; courses taken by students should be approved by their advisors. Any deviations from the requirements listed below must be approved by the advisor and the OCE Graduate Program Director.

OCE students follow one of four academic tracks: Ocean Dynamics, Air-Sea Interaction and Remote Sensing, Marine Biogeochemistry, or Biophysical Interactions.

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2. The remaining course credits can be obtained by taking other graduate courses offered at RSMAS or, with permission of the advisor, at other departments of UM.
Air-Sea Interaction and Remote Sensing Track

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OCE 701  Mathematical Methods in Marine Physics

Air-Sea Interaction and Remote Sensing Track
OCE 675  Fluid Mechanics
OCE 676  Wave Propagation in the Ocean Environment

Electives
OCE 830  Doctoral Dissertation

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   - The comprehensive examination consists of oral and written components.
     - The written component, which lasts no longer than 8 hours, consists of a combination of open- and closed-book questions on the material covered in up to four of the required courses taken by each student (to be selected by the student and the OCE Graduate Program Director if the student’s academic track has more than four required courses).
     - The oral component, which lasts no longer than 2 hours for each student, may include questions related to all the courses taken by the student.
   - Students and advisors will receive feedback from the comprehensive exam committee on the strengths and weaknesses of the student, and possible recommendations on how to address those.
   - The outcome of the exam, which is determined by the Comprehensive Examination Committee, is based on the student’s performance on this examination, together with consideration of the student’s first year academic record. Possible exam outcomes are:
     - PhD-Pass: Students with this result may bypass the M.S. degree and start working toward earning a Ph.D. If the student chooses to, they may complete a M.S. degree before pursuing a Ph.D.
     - MS-Pass: Students with this result are required to defend a M.S. thesis and get approval from their M.S. committee before pursuing a Ph.D.
     - Fail: Students with this result will have an opportunity to re-take the exam once.
   - A grade of PhD-Pass is required for Ph.D. students.
     - Ph.D. students earning a grade of MS-Pass may pursue a Ph.D. after completing the M.S. degree, subject to approval by their M.S. Committee.
Ph.D. students are expected to take the qualifying examination and dissertation proposal defense by the end of their third full year in the program. If a student needs to take the qualifying examination after that time, they will need to provide a written explanation to, and get approval from, the OCE Graduate Program Director.

The qualifying examination consists of a written and an oral component.

- While the exact format is left to the discretion of the Ph.D. Committee, a typical written qualifying examination consists of take-home questions from all Committee members, which need to be completed within three days. The questions are usually related to the research described in the dissertation proposal.
- A typical oral qualifying examination consists of an hour of questions based on the written questions and other related questions, and a second hour in which the student presents their dissertation proposal. It is recommended that the presentation emphasizes future work rather than a review of previous results, which are in the written dissertation proposal.

- Expectations of the Qualifying Examination:
  a. **Written Examination**: The student’s written answers should be judged by Ph.D. Committee members to demonstrate that the student has adequately addressed each question.
  b. **Oral Examination**: The student should demonstrate the ability to express themselves clearly while providing satisfactory responses to questions raised by the Ph.D. Committee that relate to the written examination questions, and any other questions asked by Committee members.
  c. **Dissertation Proposal**: The dissertation proposal should be written by the student in clear English. The Proposal should demonstrate the student’s capability to produce and present research of a quality that, when completed, is suitable for submission to a peer-reviewed journal. Emphasis should be placed on the proposed research: the questions and hypotheses to be tested, the data and methodology used to test the hypotheses, and some anticipated results (which may or may not be realized). A student is encouraged to discuss the Proposal with their advisor before submitting it to all Ph.D. Committee members.

- Possible Outcomes of the Qualifying Examination:
  - **Pass**: Meets all expectations.
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In some cases, the Ph.D. Committee may require revisions to a proposal or question/answer, or a retake of the oral part of the qualifying examination. Normally there is no need to retake the entire qualifying examination or have an additional full Ph.D. Committee meeting in such cases.

- Regular attendance of the COMPASS seminar series (combined OCE, MPO, ATM seminar series) is expected; each student is required to attend at least 10 seminar sessions per semester.
- In the same seminar series, each Ph.D. student is expected to give at least one 15-minute presentation each year after passing the comprehensive examination and at least one 45-minute presentation before defending the Ph.D.

- Ph.D. students are expected to be a Teaching Assistant (TA) for two courses while pursuing their degree.
- The mandatory TA program will include training of new TAs, evaluation of their performance, and recognition of excellence. The goal is to make the experience as valuable as possible for the TA, the faculty, and the students taking our courses.
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Mission
The Department of Ocean Sciences (OCE) seeks to advance knowledge and understanding of physical, chemical and biological processes in the oceans. We train graduate students and young scientists to be leaders in ocean-science-related fields. With distinct strengths in ocean dynamics, air-sea interactions and remote sensing, ocean biogeochemical cycles, biophysical interactions and coastal processes, we strive to achieve excellence in research and education. We seek to promote, among the public and policy makers, responsible science-based stewardship of the oceans. Our program commits to inspire graduates to continued scholarship, service, and innovation in an environment that is inclusive and diverse.

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Student Learning Outcomes
- Proof of Fundamental Knowledge: Students will demonstrate a broad understanding of fundamentals of ocean science and an awareness of how scientific research in their topical areas relate to current societal issues.
- Capability to Explain and Defend Own Work: Students will demonstrate a comprehensive understanding of their field of work and the ability to explain their work and defend their results in oral and written communication in a way adequate for a continuing academic career and for employment as a highly qualified research scientist or equivalent professional level scientist.
- Capability to Give Short Presentations: Students will demonstrate the ability to explain their work and defend their key results in a short oral presentation in a competitive environment similar to a session at a scientific conference or a professional project meeting.

Medicine
Overview

Biochemistry and Molecular Biology are sciences at the epicenter of modern biomedical research. Understanding basic biochemical pathways is key to gaining new knowledge for the prevention and combating of disease, allowing for the expansion of current boundaries in medicine and science. In addition to medical applications, molecular biology is indispensable for the development of tools implemented for environmental and bionanotechnology problems. The Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (BMB) at the University of Miami is committed to maintaining our discipline as a central science and strives for excellence by sustaining the current areas of strength, fostering interdisciplinary and clinical translational research, and expanding the research portfolio to evolving areas of inquiry and discovery. Our expertise in RNA biology, understanding DNA stability and repair, studying the biophysical nature of biomolecules, and gaining insight into cellular signaling pathways has been recently expanded by the arrival of researchers specialized in the design of natural and semi-synthetic biomolecules, as well as molecular-based devices that can be employed in translational medicine and other bionanotechnology applications. The commitment of the Miller School to increase growth in the basic sciences will continue to provide our department with new and exciting opportunities to enhance our prominence in biomedical research.

A chief mission of our department is to educate future generations of investigators and medical students to become critical thinkers and the leaders in their fields. The diverse composition of our department in regards to research interests creates a unique and intellectually stimulating learning environment for students at the undergraduate, graduate, and postgraduate levels. We offer a host of courses to fulfill the curriculum to obtain a BS in Biochemistry, a MS and a PhD in Biochemistry, as well as the basic science requirements for MD and MD / PhD students. Our courses address the basic principles of biochemistry and molecular biology as well as the emerging science and future of the fields.

The department serves the worldwide scientific community through leadership roles and active participation in national and international conferences, serving in study sections and on federal agency panels. Additionally, our department’s faculty roster encompasses editors of journals and members of editorial boards, as well as board members of national and international governmental centers and members of advisory boards of companies in the private sector. Moreover, the Department is committed to serve the community by participating in a variety of outreach events to promote awareness of the importance of science and technology in relation to public health and the environment.

Our department is also unique for hosting the internationally recognized annual Miami Winter Symposium, created by Professor William Whelan, the first leader and Chair of the Department. The Miami Winter Symposium is currently managed by Nature Publishing and features world-renowned speakers in emerging areas of science and technology. This event cements our department’s goal of furthering education and discovery in biochemistry and molecular biology on an international level.

Admission Requirements

Applicants to biomedical programs should have a bachelor degree in a biological or related discipline (e.g., psychology, chemistry, engineering, physics). Although there are no prerequisite requirements, courses in general biology, cell/molecular biology, calculus, general physics, organic chemistry, physical chemistry, and biochemistry are encouraged. Applications are generally accepted from September to December for fall entry only. Select applicants will be offered an interview.

Competitive Candidates Will Have the Following:

- Excellent academic record
- Research experience in a laboratory setting
- Publications of abstract and / or papers
- Co-authorship in a peer-reviewed journal is recommended
- Strong letters of recommendation from research scientists who know the candidate well
- Motivation to pursue state-of-the-art biomedical research

Applicants Must Submit the Following:

- Online Application
- Application Fee
- Official Academic Transcripts
- English Proficiency Exam (non-native speakers)
- Statement of Purpose
- Resume / CV

Full application instructions can be found online (http://biomed.med.miami.edu/apply/).
Master's Programs
• M.S. in Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (p. 2492)

Doctoral Programs
• Ph.D. in Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (p. 2496)
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BMB 601. Research Journal Club. 1 Credit Hour.
All MS students must participate in the BMB Journal Club course. In this course, pre-doctoral trainees are required to critically review published paper(s) of their choice in the BMB topic area in Fall semester and present their research findings in Spring semester. The MS students will participate in this course and will write summary of the presentation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BMB 605. Principles of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is divided into three parts. Part 1, examine the biochemical composition and structure of the four basic types of biological macromolecules: (i) carbohydrates, (ii) nucleic acids, (iii) proteins, and (iv) lipids. In addition, students will learn the composition and function of dietary nutrients and vitamins. Part 2, study how genetic information flows from its storage as DNA sequence to its expression as functional RNA and protein molecules. A particular emphasis will be towards understanding control of gene expression by various epigenetic and signaling mechanisms. Part 3, learn how metabolic pathways are used to convert food molecules into energy and chemical intermediates used for biosynthesis of our own cellular materials.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BMB 610. Advanced Topics in Biochemistry and Molecular Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
This is a special-topics course for graduate students and advanced undergraduate students. This course will focus on nanotechnology and its applications in medicine. This course offers an introductory concept of an interdisciplinary field of nanotechnology for students with physical, chemical, biological, medical, and engineering background. This course will be focused on nanomaterials, engineering of nanomaterials, cellular and intracellular interactions of nanoparticles, nanotechnology-based drug delivery systems, nano-based diagnosis, nanotoxicology, and clinical translational aspects of nanomedicines. Unique properties, which are offered by the materials at the nanoscale, will be discussed. Nanotechnology in sensing and diagnostics will be discussed. The topics to be discussed are of considerable interest across a broad range of areas in medicine, chemistry, biology, physics, pharmacy, medicine, mathematics, and engineering.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BMB 612. Human Genetics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide the learner with greater knowledge and current understanding the human genome, the mechanisms by which variations and environmental factors contribute to human phenotypes. Examples of potential topics include chromosome aberrations, phenotype-genotype correlations, cytogenetics, multifactorial traits, population genetics, risk assessment, multi-generation Epigenetics, reprogramming and gene therapy. Importantly, students will learn the new developments in Epigenetics. Epigenetics is considered by many to be the “new genetics”. The effects of epigenetics are vast, including tissue/organ regeneration, X-chromosome inactivation, and stem cell differentiation and genomic imprinting and aging. This course will discuss the overwhelming evidence of the contribution of non-genetic factors, such as nutrition, environment, and chemical exposure, on gene expression.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BMB 614. Molecular Genetics. 3 Credit Hours.
There are 4 major sub-disciplines of genetics. This course will focus on the first three and leave assessment of quantitative traits as needed for students work. The sub-disciplines include, 1. transmission genetics: basic principles of genetics and how traits are passed from one generation to the next. 2. Molecular genetics: the chemical nature of genes and genomes; how genetic information is encoded, replicated, and expressed. It includes the cellular processes of replication, transcription, and translation - by which genetic information is transferred from one molecule to another – and gene regulation - the processes that control the expression of genetic information. 3. population genetics: the genetic composition of groups of individual members of the same species and how that composition changes over time and geographic space, and 4. quantitative genetics: deals with phenotypes that vary continuously (in characters such as height or mass) – as opposed to discretely identifiable phenotypes and gene-products (such as eye color, or the presence of a particular biochemical).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
BMB 615. Structural Biology and Applications to Drug Discovery (Masters). 2 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to structural biology and illustrates how understanding the relationship between structure and function of biological macromolecules drives drug discovery. The course will be in three parts, with the first covering experimental and computational tools of structural biology – X-ray crystallography, cryo-electron microscopy and molecular modeling. The second part of the course will look at examples where structural biology has influenced drug design. The final part of this course will look at structures of nucleic acid (DNA and RNA) binding proteins and how they inform drug discovery.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BMB 617. Readings in Molecular Biology. 1 Credit Hour.
Discussion of classical papers in molecular biology beginning with the concept of the gene and continuing into modern studies. Format consists of student presentations and group discussions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BMB 618. Scientific Communications & Journal Review. 2 Credit Hours.
This course will train students in how to communicate science to different audiences. The lectures will focus on training students on how to make effective power point and poster presentations. Lectures will also guide on how to write manuscripts and grant applications. Training in data science as well as patents and inventions will be provided. Students will get understanding on academic career. Each student will prepare presentation on their research and will be guided by the instructor on how to improve it.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BMB 619. Epigenetic Control of Gene Expression. 4 Credit Hours.
This course will provide thorough understanding of Epigenetics and the interaction of nutrients and the epigenome. Epigenetics is considered by many to be the new genetics because of the overwhelming evidence of the contribution of non-genetic factors such as nutrition, environment, and chemical exposure on gene expression. The effects of epigenetics are vast, including tissue/organ regeneration, X-chromosome inactivation, and stem cell differentiation and genomic imprinting and aging. Aberrations of epigenetics influence many diseases for which clinical intervention is already in place, and many novel epigenetic therapies for cancer, immune disorders, neurological and metabolic disorders, and imprinting diseases are on the horizon.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BMB 630. Research in Biochemistry and Molecular Biology I. 1-9 Credit Hours.
This will form the most significant portion of the MS student’s degree program. Students will perform research with a mentor that they choose depending upon their research interest. A committee consisting of 3 faculty from the graduate program will be formed to evaluate student for the final oral comprehensive examination. The final oral exam will be scheduled in the last semester of the study. This oral comprehensive exam will involve the review of all experimental data and the entire presentation. During the examination, the mentor is responsible for allotting appropriate time for questions by all participants. Students are expected to understand the significance of their findings, display adequate knowledge of the relevant literature and know the theory and limitations of methods employed. Students must demonstrate the ability to independently design, execute and interpret original experiments. This group will make a decision to pass or fail a student’s oral comprehensive exam.
Components: RSC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BMB 631. Independent Studies in BMB Scientific Research. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The overall goal of the BMB research is to provide students with an opportunity for independent learning with exposure to scientific research. Special work, lecture, laboratory experience, or a combination of any of these, as determined by the student advisor in accord with the student’s individual scientific interest.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BMB 632. Internship in Biochemistry and Molecular Biology. 1-9 Credit Hours.
Through this course, students in the industrial track will participate in an internship in industry. The students’ mentor/course instructor will help in identifying internship opportunities for students and monitor their progress.
Components: FLD.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
BMB 633. Capstone project in Biochemistry and Molecular Biology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course will help students learn how to prepare presentations as well as write reports and publications. Students will also learn about the latest advances in the biochemistry field and upcoming topics of interest to the field to help them prepare for their careers. Students will write a report-based on the industrial internship. They will also prepare a presentation about the work performed. The students' mentor/course instructor will provide guidance as needed in writing the report and presentation.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BMB 641. Essentials of Biotechniques I. 1 Credit Hour.
Students will be introduced to variety of techniques used in biotechnology research. The course will be a combination of lectures and hands-on technique experience. The course will teach students both traditional and new techniques used in BMB.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BMB 642. Essentials of Biotechniques II. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will be introduced to variety of techniques used in biotechnology research. The course will be a combination of lectures and hands-on technique experience. The course will teach students both traditional and new techniques used in BMB.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BMB 645. Research Problems in Biochemistry, Cell and Molecular Biology. 2-3 Credit Hours.
Laboratory research problems in various areas of biochemistry, cell biology, and molecular biology, including literature search, experimental design, data gathering, and evaluation of results. This course is the mechanism by which graduate laboratory rotations are done in preparation for selection of Ph.D. mentor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BMB 680. Responsible Conduct of Research. 1 Credit Hour.
In this course, ethical case studies are discussed, and an introduction to laboratory management is provided. Short lectures and discussion are conducted to provide students with the ability to tackle dilemmas and pitfalls associated with the responsible conduct of research. Information is provided on regulatory requirements of conducting research, including safety issues and the use of humans, animals, and radioactive/bio hazardous material. The obligations of scientists with respect to public policy and advocacy are also discussed. In addition, students will participate in an online RCR training course (RST-401/501/601 sections) offered by the Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative (CITI) Program at UM. A CITI Program RCR course typically requires around 4 hours to complete. These students receive an “S” (satisfactory) grade for a CITI RCR course after the completion of the online module. This online training course will serve as yearly continuation of RCR training after completion of the Research Ethics course. Additionally, every semester faculty in the department present a seminar related to topics in research ethics. Students also attend an online training in RCR. Several professional skills workshop such as grant writing workshop, career workshops, and seminars by professional scientists related to career are organized by the BMB department as well as the Office of Graduate studies. Students will attend these series of events.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BMB 701. Research Journal Club.. 1 Credit Hour.
All registered BMB students must participate in the Journal Club/Seminar. Students are required to critically review published paper(s) of their choice and describe in detail the findings described therein. Senior students will present their own research.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BMB 702. Biochemical Science Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
The Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (BMB) department has an active seminar program that meets on every Friday at noon. In this program seminars are presented by the BMB faculty (primary and secondary), invited speakers within the University of Miami and from other universities, government agencies, and industry. All BMB Graduate Students enrolled in this course will be required to attend this seminar and will have informal interactions with speaker, and exchange ideas at lunch on the seminar day.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BMB 705. Principles of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is divided into three parts. In Part 1, you will examine the biochemical composition and structure of the four basic types of biological macromolecules: (i) carbohydrates, (ii) nucleic acids, (iii) proteins, and (iv) lipids. In addition, you will learn the composition and function of dietary nutrients and vitamins. Most important, you will be introduced to nature's catalytic substances termed "enzymes", paying special attention to their mechanisms of action and regulation. In Part 2, you will study how genetic information flows from its storage as DNA sequence to its expression as functional RNA and protein molecules. Here, you will give particular emphasis towards understanding control of gene expression by various epigenetic and signaling mechanisms. In Part 3, you will learn how metabolic pathways are used to convert food molecules into energy and chemical intermediates used for biosynthesis of our own cellular materials. You are expected to finish this course with rigorous understanding of the biochemical composition, structure, and cellular metabolism of proteins, carbohydrates, lipids, and nucleic acids. This will enable you to read and understand advancing topics and applications in a vast array of biomedical specialties.

Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BMB 709. Advanced Biochemistry and Molecular Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is a continuation course for BMB 616. It covers essentially the same topics as BMB 616 but at a more advanced level. It brings the student to the forefront of research in Molecular Biology. The course material is discussed exclusively in the form of original research papers. Based on this experience, students are required to propose experimental approaches to biological problems and defend them.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BMB 710. Advanced Topics in Biochemistry and Molecular Biology. 1-5 Credit Hours.
This course is offered by various faculty members in the department on a rotating basis depending upon their expertise. For example, an advanced topic course in Nanomedicine offered by Dr. Deo and Dr. Dhar covers these topics through lectures.

Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BMB 711. Best Practices in BMB Instruction. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Graduate students in the basic sciences will explore different approaches to science course development, implementation and assessment. This includes identifying gaps in the curriculum, creating classroom structure that reflects the content and execution of classroom activities, identifying and gathering appropriate material from the primary research literature, instructing undergraduates in how to become highly interactive self-directed learners, providing formative feedback to improve student achievement throughout a course, proper design and implementation of assessment tools, student communication, classroom management and ethics.

Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BMB 712. Human Genetics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide the learner with greater knowledge and current understanding the human genome, the mechanisms by which variations and environmental factors contribute to human phenotypes. Examples of potential topics include chromosome aberrations, phenotype-genotype correlations, cytogenetics, multifactorial traits, population genetics, risk assessment, multi-generation Epigenetics, reprogramming and gene therapy. Importantly, students will learn the new developments in Epigenetics. Epigenetics is considered by many to be the "new genetics". The effects of epigenetics are vast, including tissue/organ regeneration, X-chromosome inactivation, and stem cell differentiation and genomic imprinting and aging. This course will discuss the overwhelming evidence of the contribution of non-genetic factors, such as nutrition, environment, and chemical exposure, on gene expression.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BMB 714. Molecular Genetics. 4 Credit Hours.
This course deals with mechanisms and fundamental concepts of genetic inheritance. The first part of the course is devoted to the genetics of bacteria and bacteriophages. Topics include genetic implementation, recombination, suppression, transposition, conjugation, transformation, transduction, and regulation of prokaryotic gene expression. The second part of the course covers selected topics in eukaryotic genetics (including molecular genetics of yeast, mitochondria, Drosophila, mice and humans). Problem solving is emphasized in homework and exams. The objective of the course is to provide students with an appreciation of the value of molecular genetics as a tool they can use to solve a wide variety of problems in bio-medical research.

Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
BMB 715. Structural Biology and Applications to Drug Discovery. 2 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the relationships between structure and function in biological macromolecules, and how this knowledge has led to the discoveries of new drugs.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BMB 716. Bioinformatics of Gene Regulation and Protein Function. 3 Credit Hours.
Among the skills required to become a successful interdisciplinary life scientist is the ability to navigate biological databases to better understand gene and protein function. Genome sequences contain the signals that guide differential gene expression and encode structural RNAs, regulatory RNAs and proteins. This course will introduce the tools, databases and evolutionary considerations that help us understand the regulation of gene expression and predict protein function. The biochemical and regulatory functions encoded in genomic DNA sequences will be explored using bioinformatics techniques including gene finding, BLAST searches, PubMed searches, high-throughput dataset mining, multiple alignments, phylogenetic analysis, identification of conserved functional domains and motifs, assessment of protein-protein and protein-ligand interactions, gene context and co-occurrence analysis, secondary and tertiary structural analysis, metabolic and cellular modeling, and phenotypic analysis. The databases, tools and tutorials available at websites developed by the National Center for Biotechnology Information, EMBL-EBI, the Protein Data Bank, and others will be used as supporting course materials. Each week will have a set of online videos and instructions to complete before the weekly live lecture. The live lecture consist of a one hour slide presentation and one half-hour of Q&A discussions. Competency in bioinformatics will be assessed by a midterm and a final exam.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BMB 717. Nutrients, Enzymes, and Metabolic Flux. 3 Credit Hours.
Students learn how macronutrients (carbohydrates, protein, and lipids) and (ii) micronutrients (vitamins and minerals) are obtained in the diet, digested, absorbed, and assimilated. Then, students learn to formulate mechanisms of enzyme catalysis and inhibition. Such analytical skills are then used to more rigorously examine enzymes that control specific points of metabolic flux. Students finish this course with thorough mechanistic understanding of (i) macronutrient composition, intake, and energy production and (ii) requirements of micronutrients and hormones in controlling metabolic balance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BMB 718. Scientific Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will train students in how to communicate science to different audiences. The lectures will focus on training students on how to make effective power point and poster presentations. Lectures will also guide on how to write manuscripts and grant applications. Training in data science as well as patents and inventions will be provided. Students will get understanding on academic career. Each student will prepare presentation on their research and will be guided by the instructor on how to improve it.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BMB 719. Fundamentals of Epigenetics. 3 Credit Hours.
The influence of nutrition on gene expression through modification of DNA and proteins in chromatin is described (i.e., epigenetics). Also, genetic variations, as well as the influence of bacterial flora of the digestive tract, are considered with respect to abilities to metabolize various dietary components. Students learn how to gather information about course topics and present their findings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BMB 720. Research in Residence. 0 Credit Hours.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master's degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in BMB 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BMB 731. Special Work. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Special work, lecture, or laboratory or a combination of these, as determined by advisor in accord with student's individual interest.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
BMB 810. Master’s Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master’s thesis enrolls for this credit. In most departments not to exceed six credits, as determined by his/her advisor.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BMB 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor but not for less than a total of 24. Not more than 12 hours of BMB 730 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session. Where a student has passed his/her (a) qualifying examinations, and (b) is engaged in an assistantship, he/she may still take the maximum allowable credit stated above.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BMB 840. Doctoral Dissertation- Post Candidacy. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required for all PhD candidates. The student will enroll for credits as determined by the Office of Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.
Components: DIL.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

BMB 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THE.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Executive Ph.D. in Biochemistry and Molecular Biology
Overview

There are three different tracks in which students may enter and progress towards award of the Ph.D in Biochemistry and Molecular Biology. The first track involves admission through the Program in Biomedical Sciences (PIBS). Alternatively, students may apply and be directly admitted to the PhD program. Finally, the Executive PhD allows students to complete coursework and perform research at their place of work. In all cases, students are assisted in tailoring a program to match his or her interests. In general, students complete courses offered in a variety of formats, e.g., formal lectures, seminars, and workshops. Each BMB graduate program’s curriculum is designed to provide broad knowledge in the various aspects of molecular biology and biochemistry in addition to intensive training in certain specialized areas of research according to the student’s interests.

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¹ Students in this degree program take BMB 701 multiple times, at 1 credit each for a total of 10 to 14 credits.

Suggested Plan of Study

Please note that the following is only a sample curriculum plan. Current students must discuss their plan with their program director to make adjustments as needed. It is the student’s responsibility to contact the program to verify the information.
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Mission
In agreement with the overall mission of both the University of Miami and the Miller School of Medicine, the BMB Executive PhD program strives to provide superior training in biochemical and molecular biological research and education to industrial and/or government laboratory professionals seeking a PhD degree. After the successful completion of this program, individuals will have a unique perspective on fundamental biochemical problems, resulting in more career options and increasing the likelihood that they will make important contributions to scientific progress and society.

Goals
Student Learning Outcomes
• Students will demonstrate an overall knowledge and understanding of the core concepts in biochemistry and molecular biology, including the essential skills to conduct research in biochemistry and molecular biology.
• Students will demonstrate critical thinking skills, the capability to develop hypotheses, and the ability to evaluate their hypotheses, paying attention to responsible conduct of research as appropriate.
• Students will demonstrate the ability to write effective scientific reports and to present scientific results orally.

M.S. in Biochemistry and Molecular Biology
Overview
The Master of Science in Biochemistry & Molecular Biology is a full time, 30 credit program, designed to be completed in one year. This degree offers laboratory-based training in an intellectually stimulating learning environment with opportunities for students to become critical thinkers. Students are taught by faculty members who are leaders in the field of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology and span a broad area of research within the scientific community.

This program may be advantageous to those seeking hands-on laboratory & research experiences; a gap year before applying to medical programs; opportunities to enter the scientific workforce faster by gaining employable skills, or those wanting to be better prepared to apply for PhD and MSTP programs.

This degree may be optionally combined with a Master of Business Administration to enhance career options. The MBA portion of the sequential program may be completed in one year and consists of 44 MBA credits. The degrees must be obtained sequentially. The admission and degree process for the MBA is separate and conducted by the Miami Herbert Business School.

Admission Requirements
• In order to be admitted to this program, eligible students must have a Bachelor of Science degree in a basic science or related discipline.
• A cumulative grade point average of 3.0.
• Additionally, applicants are required to submit three letters of recommendation and a personal statement.
• Applicants who have not received a degree from a university in the United States will need to satisfy the English proficiency requirements by submitting valid TOEFL scores.

Full application instructions can be found online (http://biomed.med.miami.edu/apply/).

Curriculum Requirements
The requirements for graduation with MS degree include the following:
• Successful completion of 15 credit hours of required courses and 15 credit hours of research work totaling 30 credit hours.
• A final oral comprehensive examination of the research performed. A student failing the comprehensive may be allowed one opportunity to retake it if the student’s committee so advises. The re-examination may not be taken during the same semester or summer session and must be taken within one calendar year.
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M.S. in Biochemistry and Molecular Biology and Master of Business Administration Joint Degree

Overview

Students can pursue a joint Master of Science in Biochemistry and Molecular Biology and Master of Business Administration degree program. Students will complete a total of 74 credit hours: 30 credit hours in the M.S. in BMB program and 44 credit hours in the M.B.A. program.

Admission Requirements

M.S. Admission Requirements and Process

- In order to be admitted to this program, eligible students must have a Bachelor of Science degree in a basic science or related discipline.
- A cumulative grade point average of 3.0.
- Applicants must submit scores of their Graduate Record Examination (GRE) or the Medical College Admission Test (MCAT). Competitive score is required with a minimum score of 50 percentile.
- Additionally, the applicants will be required to submit two letters of recommendation and a personal statement.
- Applicants who have not received a degree from a university in the United States should also satisfy the English proficiency requirements by submitting TOEFL scores.
- The applications will be evaluated by the MS Admission committee.

M.B.A. Admission Requirements and Process

- BMB MS program director will prescreen MS students to verify their good academic standing. A cumulative grade point average of at least 3.0 is generally required. The names of approved students will be communicated to the Director of Graduate Business Full-Time Programs at the Miami Business School.
- Applicants must obtain a combined GMAT score of at least 660 prior to admission to the MBA program.
- Application process. The logistics of the application process will follow the same process as that of MD-MBA and PhD-MBA program and is outlined below.
  - The first step is to submit an application via our application portal: https://www.applyweb.com/miamibus/index.ftl
  - Documents to submit:
i. Online application
ii. Official transcripts
iii. GMAT scores (a minimum of 660 score is required)
iv. Resume
v. 3 letters of recommendation
vi. TOELF/IELTS for international students

- Once the application is submitted and the supporting documents are attached the candidate is contacted for an interview with an admission advisor.
- The file is then submitted for decision by the committee.
- The candidate is notified of the decision via email and a mailed letter.

- Students must apply to the MBA program by March 15 each year.

## Curriculum Requirements

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**Ph.D. in Biochemistry and Molecular Biology**

**Overview**

There are three different tracks in which students may enter and progress towards award of the PhD in Biochemistry and Molecular Biology. The first track involves admission through the Program in Biomedical Sciences (PIBS). Alternatively, students may apply and be directly admitted to the PhD program. Finally, the Executive PhD allows students to complete coursework and perform research at their place of work. In all cases, students are assisted in tailoring a program to match his or her interests. In general, students complete courses offered in a variety of formats, e.g., formal lectures,
seminars, and workshops. Each BMB graduate program's curriculum is designed to provide broad knowledge in the various aspects of molecular biology and biochemistry in addition to intensive training in certain specialized areas of research according to the student's interests.

Admission Requirements
Applicants to biomedical programs should have a bachelor degree in a biological or related discipline (e.g., psychology, chemistry, engineering, physics). Although there are no prerequisite requirements, courses in general biology, cell/molecular biology, calculus, general physics, organic chemistry, physical chemistry, and biochemistry are encouraged. Applications are generally accepted from September to December for fall entry only. Select applicants will be offered an interview.

Competitive Candidates Will Have the Following:
- Excellent academic record
- Research experience in a laboratory setting
- Publications of abstract and / or papers
- Co-authorship in a peer-reviewed journal is recommended
- Strong letters of recommendation from research scientists who know the candidate well
- Motivation to pursue state-of-the-art biomedical research

Applicants Must Submit the Following:
- Online Application
- Application Fee
- Official Academic Transcripts
- English Proficiency Exam (non-native speakers)
- Statement of Purpose
- Resume / CV

Full application instructions can be found online (http://biomed.med.miami.edu/apply/).

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Total Credit Hours 62

Mission
Our aim is to produce graduates who are thoroughly versed in the field of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology and who have a flexibility of approach that will allow them to take full advantage of new developments and techniques in other areas of research in whatever direction their career might lead them.

Goals
To provide students with:

- Training in discovery research and state-of-the-art biomedical technologies by fostering unique and innovative research and collaborative interdisciplinary interactions among scientists of diverse backgrounds;
- An understanding of fundamental concepts in BMB and training to formulate and conduct original research;
- An ability to communicate research within the broad field of BMB as well as the community;
- Training to become independent investigators.

Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will demonstrate an overall knowledge and understanding of the core concepts in biochemistry and molecular biology, including the essential skills to conduct research in biochemistry and molecular biology.
- Students will demonstrate critical thinking skills, the capability to develop hypotheses, and the ability to evaluate their hypotheses, paying attention to responsible conduct of research as appropriate.
- Students will demonstrate the ability to write effective scientific reports and to present scientific results orally.

Biomedical Sciences
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Overview
The University of Miami's Miller School of Medicine is a research powerhouse, achieving international recognition for breakthroughs and advanced knowledge in diabetes, cancer, spinal cord injury, AIDS, marine science, and many other areas. Our centers of excellence are continually ranked among the nation’s best, including Bascom Palmer Eye Institute, The Miami Project to Cure Paralysis, and the Diabetes Research Institute. And our new institutes such as Interdisciplinary Stem Cell Institute, Miami Institute for Human Genomics, and the Center for Computational Sciences will further enhance research. The research conducted here continues to enrich the quality of life for people worldwide.
Master of Science in Biomedical Sciences

MiBS is a full-time program that packs a core curriculum in biochemistry, molecular biology, cell biology and physiology, along with several optional courses in three customized tracks — Medicine, Research or Drug Discovery. Our courses are taught by the same faculty that teach our medical and graduate students and will be tailored to meet your needs. In addition, students participate in physician and clinical shadowing or directed research to prepare you for a career in the biomedical sciences.

PhD Programs in Biomedical Sciences

The University of Miami Miller's School of Medicine (UMMSM) provides students a wide variety of research opportunities in the biological sciences across many disciplines and departments.

- Biochemistry & Molecular Biology (http://biomed.med.miami.edu/graduate-programs/biochemistry-and-molecular-biology/)
- Cancer Biology (http://biomed.med.miami.edu/graduate-programs/cancer-biology/)
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Masters Program

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MiBS prepares recent undergraduates for medical or graduate school or a career in the biomedical industry. Our master’s degree is an ideal way to use your gap year to build credentials and experience to propel yourself to any advanced degree. Students will have access to include hands-on faculty advising and mentoring to help you do your best and submit compelling applications. Students can begin our gap year program after their spring graduation and finish in time to start medical or graduate school the following August.

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305-243-8745
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Admission Requirements

Applicants to the MiBS program should have a bachelor’s degree in a biological or related discipline (e.g., psychology, chemistry, engineering, physics). Although there are no prerequisites, courses in general biology, cell/molecular biology, calculus, general physics, organic chemistry, physical chemistry and biochemistry are encouraged. Applicants can submit applications here (http://biomed.miami.edu/apply/apply-biomedical-sciences-masters/).
Competitive candidates will have the following:

- Excellent academic record of 3.0 GPA or above
- Competitive GRE, MCAT or DAT exam scores
- Three strong letters of recommendation
- Motivation to learn biomedical sciences
- Personal statement focused on educational interests and career goals

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## Sample Plan of Study

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Electives
  Credit Hours  4
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Mission
The Miller School of Medicine offers an intensive 10-month Master of Science in Biomedical Sciences (MiBS) designed to fit perfectly in your gap year.

Our courses are taught by the same faculty that teach our medical and graduate students and are tailored to meet your needs. In addition, students participate in physician and clinical shadowing and laboratory research to prepare them for a career in the biomedical sciences.

Goals
1. Students will learn about various science disciplines such as biochemistry, molecular biology, cell biology, and physiology.
2. Students will focus in any of the three customized tracks – Medicine, Research or Drug Discovery.
3. Students will participate in physician and clinical shadowing or directed research to prepare them for a career in the biomedical sciences.

Student Learning Outcomes
1. Students will draw from advanced biomedical knowledge within specific science disciplines to investigate fundamental processes and mechanisms of health and disease.
2. Students will be able to critically evaluate the scientific literature pertinent to the field of study.
3. Students will demonstrate research skills, including the development of sound hypotheses, design of experiments, and interpretation of results.
4. Students will apply quantitative reasoning and statistical analysis techniques in the exploration and testing of theories and hypotheses.
5. Students will demonstrate knowledge of current and emerging technologies in their respective field of study.
6. Students will demonstrate problem-solving skills in addressing specific research problems.
7. Students will apply laboratory skills such as planning of experiments, data acquisitions, data management, analysis and interpretation to a specific research problem.

MBS 600. Journal Club. 1 Credit Hour.
To develop insights into the practice of biomedical research and medical practice, MBS students will be required to attend one research seminar, journal club or grand round of their choice per week. Students will prepare a written summary of the main points discussed in each event attended, and these will be monitored by their faculty advisor.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MBS 601. Biochemistry for the Biosciences. 3 Credit Hours.
MBS 601 covers Biochemistry in three parts. In Part 1, you will examine the biochemical composition and structure of the four basic types of biological macromolecules: carbohydrates, nucleic acids, proteins, and lipids. This part also introduces enzymes, and the composition and function of dietary nutrients and vitamins. In Part 2, you will study how genetic information flows from its storage as DNA sequence to its expression as functional RNA and protein molecules. In Part 3, you will learn how metabolic pathways are used to convert food molecules into energy and chemical intermediates used for biosynthesis of our own cellular materials
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

MBS 602. Molecular Biology for the Biosciences. 3 Credit Hours.
To introduce students to the molecular basis of life, this course is organized around the “mother of all biological questions” – How does life arise from stochastic associations between molecules acting in networks? While the course is organized around origins of life, it actually presents the basic properties of living things, the composition and properties of biomolecules, and how each individual property arises through diffusion, mass action and affinity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MBS 603. Gross Anatomy and Histology. 3 Credit Hours.
Designed to cover topics such as gross anatomy, histology, embryology, and neuroanatomy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MBS 604. Advanced Molecular and Cell Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
Structure, function, biogenesis of cellular organelles, and the cytoskeleton including its regulation and dynamic interactions are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MBS 605. Cell Physiology. 2 Credit Hours.
General principles of cell physiology, chemical and physical structure of membranes, membrane transport and electrical phenomena, action potentials, muscle contraction, energy transduction, nerve impulse conduction and synaptic transmission.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MBS 606. Human Physiology. 2 Credit Hours.
Physiology of the human nervous system. Physiology of vision, taste, and smell. Mechanoreceptors, nociception and pain. Spinal reflexes, hypothalamus, and autonomic nervous system.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MBS 607. Human Cardiovascular Physiology. 2 Credit Hours.
Physiology of the human cardiovascular systems. Heart as a mechanical pump, electrical activity of the heart, vascular system, regulation of blood pressure and response to stress.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MBS 608. Basic Pathobiology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will cover essential nomenclature, causes of disease, cell injury and adaption, tissue regeneration and repair, and neoplasia. The pathogenesis of diseases in major organs will be presented.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MBS 611. Mechanisms of Drug Action. 2 Credit Hours.
Mechanisms underlying the therapeutical and pharmacodynamic properties of pharmacological agents. Emphasis is placed on cellular and molecular aspects and the quantitative factors governing equilibration within multicompartment systems and drug control of nervous and muscular function in relation to therapeutic action.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MBS 612. Structural Biology and Drug Design. 2 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to structural biology, and illustrates how understanding the relationship between structure and function of biological macromolecules drives drug discovery.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MBS 613. Biostatistics for the Biosciences. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to the fundamentals of statistics from a biomedical perspective, with an emphasis on the practical application of statistical tools and the R software package for analysis and interpretation of biological datasets.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MBS 614. Bioinformatics for Biosciences. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces graduate students to basic bioinformatics data retrieval and analysis as relevant to biomedical research.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MBS 631. Laboratory Research or Physician Shadowing. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course will consist of rotations (minimum 2-3 hours per week for each credit hour) in selected laboratories or shadowing with UMMSM physicians. Students will be rigorously monitored for progress by faculty advisors, and present their work at a rotation symposium at the end of the semester.
Components: EXP.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MBS 680. Professional Development Workshop. 1 Credit Hour.
Survival Skills, Responsible Conduct of Research (RCR), Learning Skills, Lab & Animal Safety, Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative (CITI), Ethics
Components: WKS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MBS 700. Biomedical Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students may earn academic credit through a pre-approved internship related to biomedical sciences. Requires the creation of a learning contract between the MSOM, the students, and the internship host.
Components: PRA.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Programs in Biomedical Sciences
http://biomed.med.miami.edu/graduate-programs/programs-in-biomedical-sciences-pibs

Overview
Programs in Biomedical Sciences (PIBS) at the University of Miami Miller’s School of Medicine (UMMSM) provides students a wide variety of research opportunities in the biological sciences across many disciplines and departments.

First–year students take a core curriculum that builds a solid foundation in the biomedical sciences. The common coursework in the first semester ranges from molecules to cells to systems of human physiology. Lectures are balanced by breakout sessions, in which faculty members discuss the primary literature with students in small groups. Students have the flexibility to select breakout sessions that match their interests. The core curriculum also offers critical learning opportunities in biostatistics, genomic and analytical tools. In the second semester, students select individual modular courses offered in our eight disciplines. These courses cover topics of specific relevance to graduate programs or research topics. Students also complete a course in Biostatistics and a workshop in BioInformatics.

PhD Program Selection
During their first year in the umbrella program, students complete three to four laboratory rotations in various disciplines. This opportunity allows students to explore their interests before selecting a program and dissertation mentor. Students match with mentors in specific programs and achieve program affiliation at the end of their first year in one of the following programs (for years two through five):

- Biochemistry & Molecular Biology (http://biomed.med.miami.edu/graduate-programs/biochemistry-and-molecular-biology/)
- Cancer Biology (http://biomed.med.miami.edu/graduate-programs/cancer-biology/)
- Human Genetics & Genomics (http://biomed.med.miami.edu/graduate-programs/human-genetics-and-genomics/)
- Microbiology & Immunology (http://biomed.med.miami.edu/graduate-programs/microbiology-and-immunology/)
- Molecular & Cellular Pharmacology (http://biomed.med.miami.edu/graduate-programs/molecular-and-cellular-pharmacology/)
- Molecular Cell & Developmental Biology (http://biomed.med.miami.edu/graduate-programs/molecular-cell-and-developmental-biology/)
- Neuroscience (http://biomed.med.miami.edu/graduate-programs/neuroscience/)
- Physiology & Biophysics (http://biomed.med.miami.edu/graduate-programs/physiology-and-biophysics/)

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1 Students in this degree program take PIB 700 two times, at 1 credit each for a total of 2 credits.

**Plan of Study**

Students enrolled in the first year program in biomedical sciences complete the following core requirements. The curricula for years two through five can be found in the program links above.

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**Program Elective Courses**

The following program courses are available to first year students in their spring semester. It is generally recommended that students only take courses in the program they wish to enter. This will put students on a timely path to graduation. Your options will be discussed in your spring course advising session.
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PIB 700. Journal Club. 1 Credit Hour.
All PIBS students are required to attend one journal club or seminar each week.

Components: SEM.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PIB 701. Introduction to Biomedical Sciences. 1-5 Credit Hours.
This course surveys fundamentals of molecular and cellular biology that underly all modern biomedical research. Lectures are organized into modules that cover Proteins and DNA, Gene Expression, Signaling and Membranes, Cells, and Development. A final module covers immunology, organ systems, and genetics. Experimental techniques are emphasized throughout, with the first week of the course devoted to a bootcamp on common biomedical methods.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PIB 702. Scientific Reasoning. 3 Credit Hours.
This course teaches scientific reasoning by critical reading of primary research papers in a small-group setting. Multiple small groups are offered every week and students can choose from different topics related to lectures in the companion PIB 701 course. Research papers are discussed in two 1-hour sessions each week.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PIB 705. Biostatistics for the Biosciences. 3 Credit Hours.
This is an introductory course that will cover the basics of applied statistics. The course will emphasize a practical understanding of statistical concepts: the goal is to prepare you to be able to properly analyze and interpret data from your research, not to turn you into a statistician. As such, the structure of the course is designed to give you lots of hands-on experience with data and statistical software, and to teach you how to proceed when you encounter novel problems in the future (e.g., data that you're not quite sure how to analyze). An overall goal of the course is to prepare you to be able to intelligently assess the statistics commonly encountered in journal articles within your field and provide you with the fundamental skills required for more advanced statistical methods when you later encounter the need.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
PIB 706. Informatics for the Biosciences. 3 Credit Hours.
PIB 706 is designed to teach problem solving using the Python programming language. No prior programming knowledge is needed. Students will learn to write their own original Python programs to parse, manipulate, and analyze big data sets containing genomic, proteomic, and structural information. As the course progresses, students will be encouraged to apply their emerging programming knowledge to tackle scientific problems of their interest. The course culminates with each student designing a final project related to their research. This is a hands-on course with in-class interactive programming. Therefore, students are required to have their own Mac or PC laptop in good working condition for every class—no exceptions.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PIB 731. Laboratory Research. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Laboratory rotations familiarize students with a variety of modern techniques in biomedicine and potential mentors for their dissertation projects. One credit is awarded per rotation.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PIB 780. Research Ethics. 1 Credit Hour.
The NIH Guide for Grants and Contracts stipulates that Institutions receiving support for National Research Service Award Training Grants are required to develop a program in the principles of scientific integrity. This program should be an integral part of the proposed training effort.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PIB 782. Professional Development: Skills for Success I. 1 Credit Hour.
This workshop will teach students the basics on how to: manage your career, choose a rotation lab / mentor, read a scientific paper, write a lab report and present in the journal club and lab meetings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PIB 783. Professional Development: Skills for Success II. 1 Credit Hour.
This workshop will teach students the basics on how to: write a fellowship and scientific paper as well as the proper and ethical handling of research data.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PIB 784. Practical Graduate Teaching. 1 Credit Hour.
Senior graduate students have the opportunity to participate in Graduate School teaching by evaluating presentations, teaching in small groups, and mentoring first-year graduate students in the Program in Biomedical Sciences. The overarching goal is to prepare future academicians in the complex process of training accomplished, well-rounded scientists. The activities required from the students would be: Participate in the mentoring program; read and evaluate abstracts of PIBS student rotations; participate of PIBS rotation presentations, ask questions; provide feedback of rotation presentations (abstracts and oral) to PIBS students within small groups; and provide mentoring to PIBS students in PIB701 topics.
Prerequisite: PIB 701.
Components: FLD.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PIB 785. PIBS Bioinformatics Workshop. 1 Credit Hour.
The aim of this workshop is to introduce graduate students to basic bioinformatics data retrieval and analysis as relevant to bio-medical research. The sessions will include discussion on focused topics and hands-on, project-based exercises. Only publicly available databases and web-tools will be used, no programming will be taught.
Components: WKS.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Summer.

PIB 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required for all PhD candidates. First-year students generally take one credit of doctoral dissertation in their first summer semester then continue in program specific dissertation credit through graduation.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Summer.
Biostatistics

http://www.biostat.med.miami.edu/

Dept. Code: BST

Degree Programs

• Master of Science in Biostatistics (MS)
• Doctor of Philosophy in Biostatistics (PhD)

The Graduate Programs in the Department of Public Health Sciences at the University of Miami Miller School of Medicine are at the forefront of public health science with emphasis on research, education, and evidence based public health service. The Graduate Programs promote an environment of learning and inquiry, stressing the scientific method as a way of generating knowledge about common pathways in health and illness. The mission of the Graduate Programs in Public Health Sciences is to develop leaders who can expand and translate knowledge into policy and practice to promote health and prevent disease in human populations.

Masters Program in Biostatistics

• M.S. in Biostatistics (p. 2513)

Doctoral Program in Biostatistics

• Ph.D. in Biostatistics (p. 2515)

**BST 603. An Introduction to Probability Theory and Its Applications. 3 Credit Hours.**
This is an elementary introduction to probability theory. Its goal is to present the logic and the mathematics behind the theory, supply it with many examples and techniques, and to infuse these results in the student through many, many, exercises  
Requisite: Academic Plan: BSTS_PHD or BSTS_MS. 
Components: LEC. 
Grading: GRD. 
Typically Offered: Fall.

**BST 605. Statistical Principles of Clinical Trials. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course is designed for individuals interested in the statistical aspects of clinical trials. Topics include types of clinical research, study design, treatment allocation, randomization and stratification, quality control, sample size requirements, patient consent, and interpretation of results. This course will additionally cover strengths and limitations of alternative study designs such as quasi-experiments and observational studies. Common sources of bias in these alternative study designs will be described along with design approaches to minimize bias. 
Components: LEC. 
Grading: GRD. 
Typically Offered: Spring.

**BST 610. Introduction to Statistical Collaboration. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course gives students exposure to issues arising in biostatistics consulting and collaboration. Students will learn how to identify the scientific objectives of a study and to develop a statistical strategy appropriate for those objectives. The student will become familiar with problems arising in consulting situations, specifically relating to identification of study objectives and framing of research questions, study design, power and sample size determination and choice of analytical approach. The student will learn to communicate through presentation of oral and written reports, and through student and faculty critiques of these reports. This course is open only to MS and PhD Biostatistics students or instructor's permission. 
Requisite: Academic Plan: BSTS_PHD or BSTS_MS. 
Components: LEC. 
Grading: GRD. 
Typically Offered: Summer.

**BST 625. Survey of Statistical Computing. 3 Credit Hours.**
This three credit course aims to familiarize students with the basic use of SAS and R for routine statistical analysis and prepare them for more advanced courses and/or thesis research. Statistical computation will be illustrated with examples in medical research, biological study and business. The focus of the course is on the computing environment, therefore a thorough discussion of statistical theories will not be provided. It is expected that students will already be prepared statistically. 
Components: LEC. 
Grading: GRD. 
Typically Offered: Fall.
BST 630. Longitudinal and Multilevel Data. 3 Credit Hours.
This course offers students an introduction to linear and generalized linear models for the analysis of multi-level and longitudinal biomedical data. The course will also provide students with the opportunity to develop the skills necessary to perform analysis of these types of data using statistical software packages.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BST 640. Modern Numerical Multivariate Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers multivariate topics from both a classical as well as modern perspective. Topics to include: Multivariate Normal Distribution; Spectral Decomposition; Principal Component Analysis; Canonical Correlation Analysis; Newton's Method; Steepest Descent; Gradient Boosting; Coordinate Descent Algorithms; Trees; Forests; Discriminant Analysis. The R programming language (http://www.r-project.org) will be used extensively throughout the course for computation and statistical analysis.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BST 649. Advanced Individual Study. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual work on a special project under faculty guidance.
Components: IND.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BST 650. Topics in Biostatistical Research. 1 Credit Hour.
The course consists of a series of research level presentations in contemporary biostatistics research (broadly defined) by diverse outside speakers as well as faculty in the Division of Statistics or in other units on campus who are hosting presentations in biostatistics research. The emphasis will be on new methodologies and new developments in existing methodologies. However, recent developments on the implementation and comparison of methodology and on data types may also be included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BST 660. Spatial Statistics. 3 Credit Hours.
Spatial data commonly arise from many fields including business, ecological, and health studies. This course will cover advanced techniques to tackle the spatial correlation. Topics include variogram estimation, spatial prediction, spatial point pattern analysis, estimating function based methods and others. Real data examples will be used to motivate and illustrate the use of the methods.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BST 665. Design and Analysis of Clinical Trials. 3 Credit Hours.
This first part of this course is an advanced treatment of the key ideas undergirding the design and analysis of contemporary clinical trials. By the end of the course, students will have learned the statistical foundations of Phase I, II, and III trials from the standpoint of classical Frequentist, Bayesian, and adaptive designs. In addition, students will learn the usual mechanisms for preparing a clinical trial protocol, data safety and monitoring, interim analysis, and proper close out of a trial.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BST 670. Bayes Data Analysis: Theory and Computing. 3 Credit Hours.
This first part of this course is an advanced and comprehensive treatment of the foundations of Bayesian theory. Beginning with the Bayesian alternative to sampling theory, the course covers Savage's axioms, the standard Bayesian inference procedure, subjective Bayes interpretation and prior selection, the minimax and complete class theorems, a variety of Bayesian principles (likelihood, stopping time etc.), and a selection of standard parametric and non-parametric examples. The second part focuses on the computational implementation of Bayesian inference, namely Gibbs sampling, Metropolis-Hastings, and other Markov-Chain-Monte Carlo techniques for obtaining the posterior and posterior quantities. Computational examples will be illustrated using R and WinBUGS. Special topics will include approximate Bayes computing (ABC) and particle methods.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BST 675. Intermediate Probability. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the basic foundations of probability to limit theorems at an intermediate level. Topics to include are events, random variables and their distributions, discrete and continuous random variables, generating functions, markov chains and convergence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
**BST 676. Introduction to Generalized Linear Models. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course provides a unifying framework for formulation, estimation and inference using generalized linear models and towards the end examines some modern day extensions. Throughout the course, real data applications from medicine will be used and extensive use will be made of the R programming language.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

**BST 680. Advanced Statistical Theory. 3 Credit Hours.**
The first part of this course is a searching treatment of many of the key ideas undergirding hypothesis testing and estimation. In particular, several of the main theorems in mathematical statistics will be stated and proved in full detail. By the end of the course, students will have acquired enough background material for the treatment of a special topic, through a mix of lectures and assignments. Topics will include asymptotic expansions, information theory and non-parametrics.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

**BST 690. Theory of Survival Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.**
Survival analysis is an important tool of statistic with many applications. In this course, without losing sight of such applications, we will give special emphasis to the probabilistic foundations, in terms of counting processes and martingales. Topics include: Failure time models, inference in parametric models, Cox models, counting processes and martingales, likelihood, competing risks and analysis of recurrent event data. The R programming language will be used.

**Prerequisite:** MTH 524, MTH 525, and BST 680.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

**BST 691. High Dimensional and Complex Data. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course will cover some salient topics in high dimensional data analysis focusing on the uniqueness of the problem and discussing various analyses including error rate control methods, model based shrinkage, prediction, set analysis, cluster analysis, bump hunting and (if time permits), graphical models.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

**BST 692. Data Science and Machine Learning for Health Research. 3 Credit Hours.**
BST 692 (3-credits) will teach computational data science techniques using end-to-end data processing pipelines. It will focus on applied data analysis problems that the faculty are actively trying to solve. Students will be presented with data that the faculty are working on and will be asked to apply programming knowledge that they have learned in previous classes. They will then study and apply new data acquisition, data processing, and machine learning methods to handle problems that are not well handled by the common techniques. The goal of the class is to give students the opportunity to deploy a complete data science pipeline. Students will apply their data acquisition and exploration skills to real world problems; study modern machine learning methods; contrast traditional and new methods to deal with large, complex and messy data; and learn to disseminate results through online, interactive displays.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Summer.

**BST 695. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.**
The course is designed to allow the listing of special topics within the Division of Biostatistics degree programs and cross list topics with other department's offerings.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**BST 830. Doctoral Dissertation (pre-candidacy). 1-12 Credit Hours.**
Required of all candidates for the PhD. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor but not for less than a total of 24. Not more than 12 hours of BST 730 may be taken in regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session.

**Components:** THI.
**Grading:** SUS.
**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.
BST 840. Doctoral Dissertation (Post-Candidacy). 1-12 Credit Hours.
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Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BST 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the PhD, after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

M.S. in Biostatistics
http://www.biostat.med.miami.edu/academics/ms-in-biostatistics/

Overview
The Master of Science (MS) in Biostatistics is an applied graduate program intended for students seeking training in applied biostatistics. The program emphasizes applications and understanding of statistical concepts rather than theoretical and mathematical principles. The program is meant to be a terminal degree providing students with the necessary background for applying good biostatistical practices in real-world settings. Students will gain practical skills that can be applied immediately to a variety of data settings, which includes, but not limited to, the biological life sciences public health, medical studies, and health services outcome research.

The degree consists of 33 credits in a 10-month period (3 semesters) covering introductory probability and mathematical statistics, regression modeling, statistical computing, design and analysis of clinical trials, survival analysis, machine learning and fundamentals of epidemiology and public health. Enrichment will be provided by a statistical practicum and a seminar course varying with special topics.

Pre-requisites include:
1. Introductory calculus
2. Introductory computing
3. Introductory statistics/biostatistics

Admission Requirements
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Plan of Study (10-month)

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Goals
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• Describe the core disciplines of public health and how they apply to improving population health.
• Apply statistical and epidemiological methods to the measurement and study of population health and the prevention of infectious and chronic disease.
• Describe concepts in probability theory, random variation and commonly used statistical distributions and mathematical statistics.
• Develop sample size and statistical power calculations for different study designs including those from clinical trials and observational studies.
• Perform a variety of basic and advanced statistical analyses methods (estimation and inference) including explanatory data analysis, graphical visual displays, analysis of variance (ANOVA), univariate and multivariable regression models, general linear modeling, multivariate analysis, survival analysis, design of experiments and clinical trials, machine learning techniques, various new techniques from statistical methods arising from applications, analyze cross-sectional and longitudinal data from observational and clinical trials.
• Apply quantitative and reasoning skills, as well as content-area knowledge, to analyze data from epidemiological, clinical, observational, laboratory, and experimental studies.
• Interpret results from explanatory and descriptive data analysis and advanced statistical analyses to draw relevant conclusions from data.
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• Communicate effectively by producing summary reports, statistical analysis sections of applied papers, graphical summaries and tabular summaries of the data.
• Interact with different public health, health care and medical and biomedical professionals to address statistical aspects of their research studies as a part of statistical consultation.
• Recognize potential ethical issues and implement the concepts of ethical conduct of research.

Student Learning Outcomes

• Students will develop and demonstrate effective written and oral communication skills in the presentation of public health information.
• Students will demonstrate mastery of applied statistical data analysis techniques.
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Ph.D. in Biostatistics
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  • identify the limitations of existing methodology and standard techniques for adapting existing methodology to new data settings
  • identify settings where techniques beyond modification of existing techniques are necessary (i.e. new methodology)
  • use advanced theory and computation to develop new methodology for addressing research problems in scientific settings
• Analyze complex data from biomedical, medical, informatics and public health settings with subject matter collaborators using cutting edge statistical techniques
  • read, understand and use the most recent literature in biostatistics
  • formulate a plan for data gathering, data management and statistical analysis
  • carry out plan effectively to answer questions of substantive interest in scientific settings
• Communicate findings verbally (with collaborators and at conferences) and in writing (journal articles)
  • prepare a seminar for presentation to statistical audiences
  • develop the skill of learning a substantive application when working with subject matter specialists
  • integrate statistical concepts into presentations for scientific audiences in forms that they will find useful and intelligible
  • prepare clear reports, analysis plans for grant applications and statistical sections of journal articles
• Demonstrate cognate field expertise
  • develop enough knowledge in a specific subject domain to communicate easily with scientists in that domain
  • use this background to formulate new biostatistical problems to solve (the dissertation is the primary example of this)
• Teach graduate students from statistics and biostatistics and public health
  • learn how to organize a large sequence of lectures so that they follow logically and provide an overview of a topic area in statistics or biostatistics
  • combine diverse teaching techniques and materials so that students with different learning styles can master the material
• Recognize potential ethical issues and implement the concepts of ethical conduct of research
Student Learning Outcomes

• Students will demonstrate an overall knowledge and understanding of the core concepts in biostatistics, including the essential skills to conduct research in biostatistics.
• Students will demonstrate critical thinking skills, the capability to develop conjectures, and the ability to make scholarly contributions.
• Students will demonstrate mastery of research competencies.

Cancer Biology

http://biomed.med.miami.edu/

Overview

The Sheila and David Fuente Graduate Program in Cancer Biology is a University-wide interdisciplinary training program that involves faculty from the basic science and clinical departments of the University of Miami. The objective of this program is to provide a unique multidisciplinary training environment for highly qualified individuals that will prepare them for independent research and teaching careers. The overall philosophy of the program is to integrate basic and clinical research. The scientific focus is on the biology of cancer and the development of novel diagnostic and therapeutic approaches.

The program emphasizes a multidisciplinary approach which incorporates concepts and state-of-the-art techniques from molecular biology, biochemistry, cell biology, biostatistics, genetics, genomics, immunology, proteomics, structural biology, clinical oncology, and translational research programs at the Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center. An important goal of the program is to provide students with a strong background in basic biomedical research coupled with an understanding of clinical aspects of cancer including diagnostic, prognostic, and therapeutic intervention. To achieve this goal, the program utilizes a unique program of study that includes lectures from both basic and clinical researchers. In addition, the program has a two-tier mentoring system in which students receive guidance from both a research mentor and a physician mentor. The research mentor is the dissertation advisor, while the physician mentor will provide the student with a clinical perspective in oncology. Through this dual mentorship, students conduct their doctoral research and obtain clinical knowledge in their area of study. The program aims to instill in students the ability to design multidisciplinary research programs in which scientific research is driven by unmet clinical challenges.

The core course in Cancer Biochemistry and Molecular Biology is a prerequisite for all CAB courses. Other required courses include Tumor Biology, Translational to Clinical Research, Student Seminars, Special Topics in Cancer Research, Dialogues with Cancer Clinicians, and Logic and Reasoning in Translational Cancer Research. (Students can also choose electives in cancer epidemiology, cellular and molecular biology, immunology, pharmacology, and microbiology with permission of the CAB Director. After joining the program and choosing a research mentor, students formulate a proposal and take a qualifying exam. Their subsequent research is guided by an individually tailored dissertation committee, including the research advisor and physician mentor.)

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Admission Requirements

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**Doctoral Programs**

• Ph.D. in Cancer Biology (p. 2522)

**Course Descriptions (Per Subject)**

**CAB 701. CAB Student Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.**

This course (required of 2nd and 3rd year students) offers instruction on the fundamental elements of scientific speaking. The ability to communicate effectively is essential for scientists. All CAB students are required to present their research each year as a 25 min (2nd year students) or 55 min seminar (3rd year and above). Students who are 4th year+ give seminars but are not enrolled.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** SUS.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**CAB 705. Translational to Clinical Research. 1.00 Credit Hour.**

Beginning in the fall of their second year, students participate in "Translational to Clinical Research", which spans years two through four of the program. Students are introduced to clinical trials, pathology reviews, tumor boards, the protocol review process and have an opportunity to interact with physicians who care for cancer patients and conduct clinical trials. The student's Physician Mentor advises and directs the student in the most relevant activities to attend and discusses the student's experience with them every semester. Students are required to attend 2 meetings each semester for a total of 12 meetings in addition to discussion with their Physician Mentors. A short written report of each review meeting of the student's experience is required. Didactic seminars are not accepted.

**Components:** DIS.
**Grading:** SUS.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**CAB 710. Cancer Biochemistry & Molecular Biology. 3 Credit Hours.**

This is an entry-level lecture course designed to introduce students to the major concepts and principles of cell growth deregulation in cancer with a major emphasis on molecular mechanisms. Topics include: oncogenes, tumor suppressors, mechanisms of uncontrolled cell growth, receptors and intracellular signal transduction pathways.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

**CAB 712. Special Topics in Cancer Research - Viral Oncology and Tumor Immunology Module. 2 Credit Hours.**

This module emphasized state of the art knowledge of each discipline, student participation in a problem based learning context. Topics include viral carcinogenesis and epidemiology, Hepatitis, Herpes, Epstein Barr and Human Papilloma Viruses, Kaposi's Sarcoma, viral induced lymphomas, viral oncolysis, and mechanisms of anti-tumor immunity.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** SUS.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

**CAB 713. Special Topics in Cancer Research - Molecular Cancer Therapeutics Module. 2 Credit Hours.**

This module explores the signal transduction pathways critical for cancer cell proliferation and survival that may provide new therapeutic targets, approaches for identification and validation of molecular targets within these pathways. Students are introduced to the strategies used in the discovery and design of biological and drug based therapies, and the implementation of clinical trials.
CAB 714. Integrated Cancer Epidemiology and Prevention and Biobehavioral Oncology. 2 Credit Hours.

This module explains the goals and techniques of researchers in the fields of bio-behavioral oncology and cancer epidemiology. The following themes in bio-behavioral oncology are explored: health behavior change in persons at risk for and diagnosed with cancer; adaptation to cancer diagnosis and treatment, psychosocial intervention, bio-behavioral processes, and quality of life (QOL); translation of behavioral and psychosocial intervention to the community; predictors of QOL and late effects of cancer treatment and development of preventative interventions.

The themes for cancer epidemiology and prevention include understanding the genetic, environmental, social, and biological reasons for cancer disparities among different populations. Cancer epidemiologists seek to define the molecular and genetic mechanisms of cancer risk and progression with the aim of developing predictive models in cancer risk and treatment response.

CAB 715. Special Topics in Cancer Research - Breast and Genitourinary Cancers Module. 2 Credit Hours.

This module highlights key aspects of the cellular and molecular mechanisms of breast, prostate, renal and bladder cancers as well as providing an overview of cancer detection, diagnosis, and therapy. Emerging research opportunities are identified. Topics include estrogen receptor and androgen receptor signaling, cancer progression, endocrine therapies and resistance. Key signaling pathways and the biology of metastasis will be discussed.

CAB 720. Dialogues with Cancer Clinicians (PIBS Module). 1 Credit Hour.

This module features physician mentors of the Cancer Biology Graduate Program who will discuss clinical aspects of cancer treatment with an emphasis on continuity of care of newly diagnosed patients between disciplines and will articulate unmet clinical needs and research. Mentors will provide clinical perspectives on their areas of specialization as it relates to patient care including diagnosis, staging, therapy, and outcomes.

CAB 750. Logic and Reasoning in Translational Cancer Research: Bench to Bedside Part 1. 3 Credit Hours.

An important facet of the Cancer Biology Ph.D. Program is the training of students in the interrelationships between basic research and clinical medicine, i.e., translational research. The goal of this advanced course is to expose students to the scientific reasoning and logic underlying problem solving in clinical cancer research. This course is designed to help students integrate information and develop the thought processes necessary to critically evaluate information in the literature and experimental approaches, conceptualize problems in the field and identify areas for scientific exploration. Students learn how the knowledge obtained from basic research laboratories is applied to clinical problems including prevention, diagnosis, prognosis, and therapeutic treatment of cancer. Specific examples of translational research, i.e., laboratory to clinic are emphasized. Students also learn the key role of clinical observation in identifying basic research problems.

CAB 830. Dissertation Research - Pre Candidacy. 2 Credit Hours.

Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credits as determined by the Office of Graduate Studies but not less than a total of 24. Not more than six in the summer. If a student has a) passed qualifying exam(s) and b) is engaged in an assistantship, he/she may still take the maximum allowable credits.

CAB 840. Doctoral Dissertation- Post Candidacy. 1-12 Credit Hours.

Required for all Ph.D. candidates. Grade will remain IP until student dissertation is accepted by Graduate School.
Ph.D. in Cancer Biology

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The scientific focus is broadly cancer research with an emphasis on fundamental cellular processes, their deregulation in cancer, the identification of novel diagnostics and therapeutic targets. In addition to training in technical aspects, the curriculum places a strong emphasis on scientific reasoning as the most important and portable aspect of PhD training.

The cross-disciplinary training includes novel concepts and state-of-the-art techniques of molecular biology, biochemistry, genetics, genomics, proteomics, structural biology, cell biology, pharmacology, and molecular medicine. This training is integrated into the extensive clinical and translational research programs of the Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center (SCCC).

Research in Cancer Biology stands out by the scale and rate at which basic science translates into tangible changes in the treatment of patients. At the same time, information flows back rapidly from the clinic to direct the next frontier in basic science and innovation.

To make maximum use of this exciting research environment, scientists need training in the relevant clinical concepts to translate questions and research needs back into their own setting and engages in collaborative efforts. To facilitate this training, cancer biology graduate students receive guidance from both a research mentor and a physician mentor. The research mentor is the dissertation advisor, while the physician mentor provides a clinical perspective in cancer biology including issues of diagnosis, management, and treatment of cancer patients and clinical research.

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- **Dissertation research**: 24 cr.

**Mission**

The Graduate Program in Cancer Biology offers graduate training leading to a Ph.D. in Cancer Biology. It is the mission of the program to provide our students with 1) an understanding of the central concepts in cancer biology and basic biomedical science coupled with an understanding of clinical aspects of cancer including prevention, diagnosis, prognosis and therapeutic interventions and 2) the ability to formulate, conduct, analyze and communicate original research within the broad field of cancer biology including fundamental cellular processes and their derangement in cancer etiology / progression; identification and mechanisms of novel cancer therapeutics and preventative agents; and identification of novel therapeutic targets, diagnostic and prognostic markers.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- At the end of the program, students will demonstrate an overall knowledge and understanding of the core concepts in cancer biology, including the essential skills to conduct cancer biology research.
• Upon completion of the program, all students will demonstrate critical thinking skills, the capacity to develop hypotheses, the ability to evaluate their hypotheses through appropriate experimental design and analysis paying attention to responsible conduct of research as appropriate.
• Students will demonstrate the ability to write effective scientific reports and to present scientific results orally.

Cellular Physiology and Molecular Biophysics
biomed.med.miami.edu

Overview

Cellular Physiology and Molecular Biophysics is focused on how human organisms function by applying principles of physics to the underlying molecules and cells. The training and research emphasis in the Graduate Program in Cellular Physiology and Molecular Biophysics at the University of Miami School of Medicine is directed at determining the molecular mechanisms underlying physiological functions, such as how does the heartbeat, how does the brain work, and how do we see, smell, and taste, using biophysical techniques and analyses. More specifically, research facilities and guidance for graduate work are available in developmental neurobiology, sensory receptor mechanisms, axonal electrophysiology, ionic mechanism of the nerve impulse, electrophysiological and molecular aspects of synaptic and neuromuscular transmission, mechanisms of ion channel gating, selectivity and conductance, metabolic aspects of nervous function, molecular neuroscience, neuroimmunology, protein structure-function studies, molecular recognition, ligand-receptor interactions, axonal growth, neurotrophic factors, cytokines, gene targeting, neuronal apoptosis, nerve regeneration, molecular adhesion, and regulation of muscle contraction.

The Graduate Program in Cellular Physiology and Molecular Biophysics trains its students to use and develop state-of-the-art biophysical techniques that address fundamental questions related to molecular and cellular physiology and biophysics and developmental and molecular neuroscience. In addition, the students receive training in related biological disciplines and also in systemic physiology in order to obtain a broad viewpoint. This training prepares the students for future careers in research and teaching in academic institutions and also for careers in industry.

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Doctoral Programs
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Admission Requirements

Applicants to biomedical programs should have a bachelor degree in a biological or related discipline (e.g., psychology, chemistry, engineering, physics). Although there are no prerequisite requirements, courses in general biology, cell/molecular biology, calculus, general physics, organic chemistry, physical chemistry, and biochemistry are encouraged. Applications are generally accepted from September to December for fall entry only. Select applicants will be offered an interview.

COMPETITIVE CANDIDATES WILL HAVE THE FOLLOWING:
• Excellent academic record
• Competitive GRE exam scores
• Research experience in a laboratory setting
• Publications of abstract and / or papers
• Co-authorship in a peer-reviewed journal is recommended
• Strong letters of recommendation from research scientists who know the candidate well
• Motivation to pursue state-of-the-art biomedical research
APPlicants must submit the following:

• Online Application
• Application Fee
• Official Academic Transcripts
• GRE General Test
• English Proficiency Exam (non-native speakers)
• Statement of Purpose
• Resume / CV

Full application instructions can be found here (http://biomed.med.miami.edu/apply/).

During the first year, the students choose several laboratories in which to do brief, introductory research projects (rotations). After the student’s selection of a faculty mentor the main emphasis of training shifts to the design and proposal of a dissertation research project, and, with its approval, laboratory research. Students report periodically on their research in discussions with other students and the faculty.

Since the Department aims to prepare its graduates for careers in research and teaching, all students in the Department are expected to participate in teaching; these teaching activities typically require no more than 1-2 weeks per year.

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**Total Credit Hours** 62

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1 Students in this program take PIB 700 twice for a total of 2 credits. Please see the Plan of Study for more information.

2 Students in this program take PHS 700 four times for a total of 4 credits. Please see the Plan of Study for more information.

Program Plan

The Department of Cellular Physiology and Molecular Biophysics’ PhD program trains highly qualified students for successful careers in research, teaching and industry. A high faculty to student ratio assures that each student receives individualized help from the faculty together with access to the latest scientific instrumentation.

Student training is enhanced by research seminars and student-oriented discussions presented by world-renowned visiting scientists, as well as by participation in research seminars and research discussion groups. We seek to provide a congenial and supportive environment in which each student
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devotes to the fullest thier abilities to reason critically, design and conduct incisive experiments, and communicate research results effectively in both written and oral formats. Our faculty's wide collective experience as successful researchers, teachers, journal editors, and peer reviewers is available to help graduates prepare for and attain research and teaching positions in academia and industry.

Please note that the following is only a sample curriculum plan. Current students must discuss their plan with their program director to make adjustments as needed. It is the student's responsibility to contact the program to verify the information.

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### Mission

The Physiology & Biophysics Ph.D. program offers training in physiological and biophysical research and education to students seeking a Ph.D. degree. The mission of the program is to provide to our students 1) the knowledge of the relevant literature in molecular and cellular physiology, the ability to formulate hypotheses about physiological functions in humans and animal models under healthy and disease states, to critically evaluate data and draw the appropriate conclusions from the data, and the ability to present hypotheses and data in written and oral presentations, 2) training in different biophysical techniques to have the technical ability to conduct experiments to study diseases at the molecular and cellular level, to have the quantitative and computational knowledge to analyze the data, and to use the appropriate statistical methods to evaluate the data.

### Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will demonstrate an overall knowledge and understanding of the core concepts in Physiology and Biophysics, including the essential skills to conduct research in Physiology and Biophysics.
- Students will demonstrate critical thinking skills, the capability to develop hypotheses, and the ability to evaluate hypotheses, paying attention to responsible conduct of research as appropriate.
- Students will demonstrate the ability to write effective scientific reports and to present scientific results orally.

### PIB 700. Journal Club. 1 Credit Hour.

All PIBS students are required to attend one journal club or seminar each week.

**Components:** SEM.

**Grading:** SUS.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

### PIB 701. Introduction to Biomedical Sciences. 1-5 Credit Hours.

This course surveys fundamentals of molecular and cellular biology that underly all modern biomedical research. Lectures are organized into modules that cover Proteins and DNA, Gene Expression, Signaling and Membranes, Cells, and Development. A final module covers immunology, organ systems, and genetics. Experimental techniques are emphasized throughout, with the first week of the course devoted to a bootcamp on common biomedical methods.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall.
PIB 702. Scientific Reasoning. 3 Credit Hours.
This course teaches scientific reasoning by critical reading of primary research papers in a small-group setting. Multiple small groups are offered every week and students can choose from different topics related to lectures in the companion PIB 701 course. Research papers are discussed in two 1-hour sessions each week.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PIB 705. Biostatistics for the Biosciences. 3 Credit Hours.
This is an introductory course that will cover the basics of applied statistics. The course will emphasize a practical understanding of statistical concepts: the goal is to prepare you to be able to properly analyze and interpret data from your research, not to turn you into a statistician. As such, the structure of the course is designed to give you lots of hands-on experience with data and statistical software, and to teach you how to proceed when you encounter novel problems in the future (e.g., data that you're not quite sure how to analyze). An overall goal of the course is to prepare you to be able to intelligently assess the statistics commonly encountered in journal articles within your field and provide you with the fundamental skills required for more advanced statistical methods when you later encounter the need.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PIB 706. Informatics for the Biosciences. 3 Credit Hours.
PIB 706 is designed to teach problem solving using the Python programming language. No prior programming knowledge is needed. Students will learn to write their own original Python programs to parse, manipulate, and analyze big data sets containing genomic, proteomic, and structural information. As the course progresses, students will be encouraged to apply their emerging programming knowledge to tackle scientific problems of their interest. The course culminates with each student designing a final project related to their research. This is a hands-on course with in-class interactive programming. Therefore, students are required to have their own Mac or PC laptop in good working condition for every class—no exceptions.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PIB 731. Laboratory Research. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Laboratory rotations familiarize students with a variety of modern techniques in biomedicine and potential mentors for their dissertation projects. One credit is awarded per rotation.

Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PIB 780. Research Ethics. 1 Credit Hour.
The NIH Guide for Grants and Contracts stipulates that Institutions receiving support for National Research Service Award Training Grants are required to develop a program in the principles of scientific integrity. This program should be an integral part of the proposed training effort.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PIB 782. Professional Development: Skills for Success I. 1 Credit Hour.
This workshop will teach students the basics on how to: manage your career, choose a rotation lab / mentor, read a scientific paper, write a lab report and present in the journal club and lab meetings.

Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PIB 783. Professional Development: Skills for Success II. 1 Credit Hour.
This workshop will teach students the basics on how to: write a fellowship and scientific paper as well as the proper and ethical handling of research data.

Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Spring.
PIB 784. Practical Graduate Teaching. 1 Credit Hour.
Senior graduate students have the opportunity to participate in Graduate School teaching by evaluating presentations, teaching in small groups, and mentoring first-year graduate students in the Program in Biomedical Sciences. The overarching goal is to prepare future academicians in the complex process of training accomplished, well-rounded scientists. The activities required from the students would be: Participate in the mentoring program; read and evaluate abstracts of PIBS student rotations; participate of PIBS rotation presentations, ask questions; provide feedback of rotation presentations (abstracts and oral) to PIBS students within small groups; and provide mentoring to PIBS students in PIB701 topics.
Prerequisite: PIB 701.
Components: FLD.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PIB 785. PIBS Bioinformatics Workshop. 1 Credit Hour.
The aim of this workshop is to introduce graduate students to basic bioinformatics data retrieval and analysis as relevant to bio-medical research. The sessions will include discussion on focused topics and hands-on, project-based exercises. Only publicly available databases and web-tools will be used, no programming will be taught.
Components: WKS.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Summer.

PIB 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required for all PhD candidates. First-year students generally take one credit of doctoral dissertation in their first summer semester then continue in program specific dissertation credit through graduation.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Summer.

PHS 610. Cell Physiology Biophysics. 2 Credit Hours.
General principles of cell physiology, chemical and physical structure of membranes, membrane transport and electrical phenomena, action potentials, muscle contraction, energy transduction, nerve impulse conduction and synaptic transmission.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PHS 611. Neurophysiology. 2 Credit Hours.
Physiology of the mammalian nervous system. Course is intensive, adapted to the schedule of the medical curriculum and comprising roughly five hours of lecture and four hours of conference weekly for five to six weeks. A lecture course coordinated with neuroanatomy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHS 612. Systemic Physiology. 4 Credit Hours.
Physiology of the mammalian cardiovascular, respiratory, renal, digestive, endocrine, and reproductive systems. Course is intensive and adapted to the schedule of the medical curriculum, occupying the equivalent of about two days a week for most of semester. Lecture and laboratory are included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHS 620. Neurophysiology. 3 Credit Hours.
Physiology of the mammalian nervous system. The course will consist of both didactic lectures and discussions of current research literature.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHS 669. Nerve and Synapse. 2 Credit Hours.
An advanced seminar course in the basic mechanisms underlying the propagated nerve impulse and synaptic transmission.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PHS 700. Research Seminar in Membrane Biophysics and Neurobiology. 1 Credit Hour.
The student may be required to present a short talk on a research area of interest. All students in the Department of Physiology and Biophysics are required to register for this seminar. For other students, permission of the Departmental Graduate Studies Committee is required.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
Clinical and Translational Investigation

http://miamictsi.org/education/masters-program
Overview
The Master of Science in Clinical and Translational Investigation (MSCTI) at the University of Miami offers a structured educational program that trains students in the principles and practice of translational science and clinical research. Our multidisciplinary program has been designed to prepare practitioners and researchers to adapt to translational science and to overcome the perceived bottlenecks that inhibit translational research. We equip our students with the tools to navigate the complexities of translational research design, methodology, regulatory and ethical challenges.

Drawing upon the University of Miami Miller School of Medicine's mission to educate the next generation of medical leaders and to lead life-changing discoveries that transform patient care through innovative research, the Master of Science in Clinical and Translational Investigation (MSCTI) degree program's mission is to educate the next generation of investigators who demonstrate the ability to review, design, and conduct high-quality, multidisciplinary clinical and translational research independently.

Our educational objective is to provide an instructor-led educational curriculum that introduces students to key areas of clinical and translational research, and to produce graduates who demonstrate core competencies in clinical and translational research. Students will learn how to design independent and collaborative research projects and become well-versed in key aspects of clinical and translational investigation.

Course of Study
The Masters in Clinical and Translational Investigation can typically be completed in 4-6 consecutive terms (Fall, Spring, Summer) depending on the goals and professional responsibilities of the student. The 30 credit-hour program includes completion of structured taught courses and completion of a master's thesis which may take the form of a completed research grant proposal or publishable manuscript. Successful completion of the MSCTI requires students to maintain a GPA of 3.0 or greater with no grade below C in any courses and successful completion of the master’s thesis.

Students who intend to complete the MSCTI program part-time must discuss their plan with their employer and make adjustments as needed to attend course lectures. Students who are studying with an F1 visa must enroll in a minimum of nine credits per semester.

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MS Clinical and Translational Investigation Website
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Admissions Requirements

Admission Requirements
We accept applications from individuals who meet any of the following criteria:

- Individuals who have completed terminal healthcare degrees (e.g., MD, PhD, DO, RN) who are interested in pursuing additional formal didactic training to become independent investigators in clinical and/or translational science;
- Individuals who have completed terminal scientific degrees (e.g., Ph.D., DSci) who are interested in pursuing additional formal didactic training to improve knowledge and skills related to translation of basic to clinical applications; and
- Individuals who are currently enrolled in a terminal degree program (e.g., MD, PhD) who are interested in adding a year to their program to obtain a MCTSI concurrent with their terminal degree.
- Students who have completed a Bachelor's degree who have outstanding academic credentials and an interest in obtaining a MS prior to a career in clinical translational research or a graduate program will also be eligible.

Detailed information about the application package requirements can be found here (http://biomed.miami.edu/apply/apply-mscti/).

Master's Programs
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Course Descriptions
CTI 602. Writing for Translational and Clinical Science. 2 Credit Hours.
This introductory core course will be taught by the Masters of Science in Clinical and Translational Investigation (MSCTI) Program Directors, as well as various guest lecturers. The focus of the course will be on developing grant and manuscript writing skills in the area of clinical and translational science across the translational science spectrum.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
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Program Plan for Full-time Students

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Mission
Drawing upon the University of Miami Miller School of Medicine's mission to educate the next generation of medical leaders and to lead life-changing discoveries that transform patient care through innovative research, the Master of Science in Clinical and Translational Investigation (MSCTI) degree program’s mission is to educate the next generation of investigators who demonstrate the core competencies necessary to review, design, and conduct high-quality, multidisciplinary clinical and translational research independently.

Goals
Our educational objective is to provide an instructor-led educational curriculum that introduces students to key areas of clinical and translational research, and to produce graduates who demonstrate core competencies in clinical and translational research. Students will learn how to design independent and collaborative research projects and become well-versed in key aspects of clinical and translational investigation.

Student Learning Outcomes
- 100% of students who complete CTI 605 Introduction to Clinical and Translational Research’ should demonstrate the following competencies with at least intermediate proficiency:
  - Summarize evidence from the literature on a translational research problem;
  - Critique clinical and translational research questions using data-based literature searches;
  - Assess the strengths and weaknesses of possible study designs for a given clinical or translational research question; and
  - Describe future implications of published studies on team science and translational science.
- Students who complete CTI 602 Writing for Clinical and Translational Research’ should demonstrate the following competencies:
  - Write introduction to a translational research manuscript or a grant specific aims page;
  - Understand the grant review process from the perspective of an applicant and a reviewer; and
  - Understand the key components of how to put together an NIH-style grant.
- The overall goal of the Capstone Project is to provide students with an opportunity for hands-on exposure to clinical/translational research. Students who complete the CTI 805 ‘Capstone Project/Masters Thesis’ of the MSCTI Program will demonstrate the following competencies:
  - Ability to plan a research activity;
  - Ability to prepare, draft, finalize, and submit all sections of a grant application;
  - Knowledge and motivation to carry out the planned research activity;
  - Ability to analyze the results of the research;
  - Ability to complete a written description of the work in the form of a well-written, properly organized thesis;
  - Ability to complete a thesis with potential for presentation at and/or participation in professional meetings and/or publication in scholarly journals; and
  - Ability to identify and work with a mentor on their project.

Dermatology
Overview
The Department of Dermatology and Cutaneous Surgery (http://dermatology.med.miami.edu/master-of-science-in-skin-biology/) offers a unique Master of Science in Skin Biology and Dermatological Sciences (MS-SBDS) program. The program prepares students for careers and leadership in skin science and industry. The curriculum covers basic science and laboratory techniques, as well as management skills, grant & regulatory issues, enterprise issues, and clinical problems.

The Master of Science in Skin Biology and Dermatological Sciences program (MS in SBDS) is unique in its depth and breadth because it covers basic science research and laboratory techniques. In addition, the degree considers a variety of additional skills to help you succeed in industry and academia, for it considers management skills, grant writing, regulatory issues, enterprise formation issues, and clinical problems.

Skin biology includes many biological processes: development, perpetual differentiation and barrier maintenance, stem cell biology, tissue repair and regeneration, neogenesis, native and adapted immunity, and genetic disorders just to name a few. The areas represented in our research base include aging, microbiology, inflammation, immunology, genomics, pharmacology, biochemistry, cell and stem cell biology as well as clinical research using areas of a variety of skin disorders, aging, aesthetics, cancer, and wounds as a clinical touchpoint.

Training in all these aspects is currently not provided by any single program in the United States. Thus, a Master’s degree in Skin Biology and Dermatological Sciences will impart a unique skill set and research background. There is a growing need for knowledgeable health care professionals. Health care providers, policy makers, research scientists, academic practices in the US and in the rest of the world, as well as makers of skin and skin
care products from devices, drugs and cosmeceuticals and their workers need trained personnel. The coursework in this degree program will offer essential scientific knowledge, management, and administrative skills that will be helpful for individuals desiring a skin sciences oriented career.

Program Options
Master of Science (MSc.) in Skin Biology and Dermatological Sciences (MS in SBDS), offers a Thesis path and Non-Thesis path.

- Thesis Path: The MSc. with thesis path requires completion of a laboratory research project and thesis. This option is tailored for students interested in doing research or contemplating work for a Ph.D. degree or academic career.
- Non-Thesis Path: The MSc. without thesis option is designed for students who wish to improve their knowledge in Skin Biology and related sciences through a rigorous series of courses. The program may fit for people from industries or organizations.

Both thesis and non-thesis options are also helpful for students seeking to apply to medical school or a dermatology residency program.

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M.S. in Skin Biology and Dermatological Sciences (p. 2542)

DER 600. Cutaneous Biochemistry, Cell Biology and Genetics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will bring students to basic, fundamental and integrated sciences of human skin in biochemistry, cellular and molecular biology, and genetics. The course will cover various topics from skin cellular and molecular structure, function and biology, to their genes, DNA, RNA and protein, biochemical reactions, metabolism, and genetic processes that transmit biological information and regulation. This course will help students to understand the fundamental concepts on and connection between genes, structure and functions of human skin. The course is specifically designed and required for students who do not have strong background in human biochemistry and/or cell biology. Other students may elect this course to prepare for the subsequent vigorous studies in the MS degree program in Skin Biology and Dermatological Sciences. This is a hybrid course therefore students are required to attend campus-based classroom lectures (28 hours) and online sessions of live lectures or pre-recorded presentations (20 hours).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

DER 601. Introduction to Dermatology. 1 Credit Hour.
The aim of the course is to familiarize participants with the basic subject of dermatology and the most common terminology. Students will be introduced to the subject of dermatology, subspecialties in dermatology, structure of the skin (basic anatomy and physiology), terminology (primary and secondary cutaneous lesions), and examples of the most common dermatological conditions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

DER 602. Skin Anatomy and Histology. 1 Credit Hour.
This course familiarizes students with the structure and morphology of the skin and its appendages. Students will be exposed to the basic aspects of skin anatomy and histology, of skin epidermis, dermis, dermal-epidermal junction and subcutaneous tissue, skin appendages of hair, sebaceous gland, sweet glands, and skin microvasculature and sensitive nerve endings, and to the relationships between structures, functions and diseases.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

DER 603. Skin Biology and Pathophysiology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course helps students to understand the fundamental concepts on and connection between structure and function of the skin. The course will include biology of major skin cell types of keratinocytes, fibroblasts, endothelial cells, melanocytes and Langerhans cells. It will cover biology of skin metabolism, skin appendages, skin matrix, cutaneous vasculature, neuroendocrine system and major processes required for cutaneous barrier function during normal and pathophysiological states. Molecular and cellular mechanisms of cutaneous wound healing, matrix remodeling, tissue regeneration and skin ageing will be also included into coursework.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
DER 604. Microbiology of the Skin. 1 Credit Hour.
This course covers skin microbiota/microbiome in health and disease, and bacterial species that cause most common skin infections such as Staphylococcus aureus (folliculitis, impetigo, abscesses, pyoderma, toxic-shock syndrome, staphylococcal scalded skin syndrome, wound infections); Streptococcus pyogenes (impetigo, erysipelas, cellulitis, necrotizing fasciitis, rheumatic fever, scarlet fever, wound infections), and Corynebacterium spp. (wound infections), etc. It addresses bacterial biofilms and their importance in skin infections.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

DER 605. Microbiology and Immunology of the Skin. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers skin microbiota and immune components of the skin in healthy and disordered states. The microbiology will cover bacterial species that cause most common skin infections such as Staphylococcus aureus (folliculitis, impetigo, abscesses, pyoderma, toxic-shock syndrome, staphylococcal scalded skin syndrome, wound infections); Streptococcus pyogenes (impetigo, erysipelas, cellulitis, necrotizing fasciitis, rheumatic fever, scarlet fever, wound infections), and Corynebacterium spp. (wound infections), etc. The bacterial biofilms and their importance in skin infections will also be addressed. The skin hosts the same immunocompetent cell types found throughout the body -T cells, B cells, macrophages, eosinophils, neutrophils, etc. -as well as its own skin-specific subpopulations-Langerhans cells, keratinocytes, and dermal dendrocytes. The second part of the course will cover the biology of immunology of the skin in normal functioning and underlying both intradermal allergic reactions and skin-specific autoimmune disorders (alopecia areata, vitiligo, psoriasis), as well as the standard treatments for each. Further, this course addresses unique immune environments within the skin, such as the immune privilege of the hair follicle, and wound infection.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

DER 606. Dermato-epidemiology. 2 Credit Hours.
Students will be introduced to the emerging discipline in skin epidemiology or Dermatoepidemiology, to obtain an overview of incidence rates and time trends of skin disorders in the US and in the world, learn biostatistical tools in data analysis including descriptive statistics, hypothesis testing, analysis of variance, and regression analysis. Students gain an appreciation for disparity in the disease outcomes among populations and various barriers contributing to current disparity. Students will also learn about various state and national registries for skin cancer and some other skin disorders available for database research.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

DER 607. Dermatopharmacology. 2 Credit Hours.
This course familiarizes students with the mechanisms of drug action, FDA-indications, off-label uses, safety and efficacy, side effects and necessary monitoring and important drug interactions relevant to topical and systemic medications used in dermatology. The course covers skin barrier and transdermal drug delivery (structure of the skin barrier, factors affecting the skin barrier, strategies to enhance transdermal drug delivery), major drugs used in dermatology including glucocorticosteroids, retinoids, antimicrobials, immunomodulators, agents used in oncology, hormonal therapy, other systemic medications (antimalarials, colchicine, dapsone, leukotriene inhibitors, antiglucorticosteroids, thalidomide) and topical medications.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

DER 608. Photobiology and Photomedicine. 1 Credit Hour.
This course discusses fundamental concepts on photobiology and phototherapy with Ultraviolet light (UV) B, Excimer Laser, UV A, PUV A (psoralen + UV A), Photopheresis, and Photodynamic therapy. The course will cover photobiology, photochemistry and mechanisms of actions. Treatment protocols with clearing phase and maintenance phase, indications, adverse effects and complications, practice and techniques and future directions will be also included into coursework.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

DER 609. Skin Carcinogenesis. 2 Credit Hours.
This course considers the etiology, pathophysiology, epidemiology, types, prognosis and various treatment of the most common types of skin cancers will be covered. Skin cancer is by far the most common type of cancer affecting the humans. More than 50% of all the cancers combined are skin cancers. The most common skin cancer is Basal Cell Carcinoma (BCC). The second most common type is Squamous Cell Carcinoma. One of the most serious form of skin cancer is Melanoma. There are other types of skin cancers that affect us. One in 5 Americans develop skin cancer during their lifetime.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
DER 610. Clinical Skin Diseases. 2 Credit Hours.
This course gives students a clinical overview of the common skin disorders encountered by society. It discusses the most common skin diseases such as acne, seborrheic dermatitis, and xerosis, with an emphasis on pathogenesis, and current research in these conditions. Older treatments will be compared to newer treatments with respect to efficacy as well as cost to patients.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

DER 611. Visualizing the Skin. 2 Credit Hours.
This course covers basic and advanced techniques of visual examination and digital photography of the skin and hair. Topics include macrophotography of the skin and scalp, dermatoscopy, processing of biopsies for histology, routine and special histological staining, microscopy with regular and special lights, immunohistochemistry and immunofluorescence, and recent advances of non-invasive methods of visualizing the skin in depth such as optical coherence tomography and in vivo confocal microscopy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

DER 612. Grant Writing. 1 Credit Hour.
The course presents approaches and important aspects of preparation of some major grant applications to including government funding from National Institute of Health (NIH) such as Research grants (R formats) for academia and Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) and Small Business Technology Transfer (STTR) grants for industries and grants from Department of Defense. Major sources, tools and policies for grant application and management will be discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

DER 613. Techniques in Skin Research. 1 Credit Hour.
This course will cover different areas of research techniques employed in studying skin biology/pathophysiology that span from in vitro cell based assays, ex vivo skin or reconstructed skin equivalents to in vivo animal models to study skin biology and skin diseases, and will integrate various molecular, cellular and tissue based methods. The course will balance multiple teaching methods from traditional didactics to individual and group "hands-on" laboratory experience and training. Its main approach will be using skin specimen (human or animal) as a major source and starting point. It will follow progression from simple methods (cell-based) to more complex (organotypic and tissue-based techniques) to in vivo animal models in pre-clinical trials. The course will also cover high throughput approaches in skin genomics, genetics and proteomics, and use and analysis of big data as well.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

DER 614. Innovation in Dermatology. 1 Credit Hour.
The aim of this course is to familiarize the participants with the tools of innovation. It will cover the strategic processes of how to ideate, formulate, innovate and push through new ideas-from concept to implementation. This course will also cover the issues related to patent and how to protect the intellectual property.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

DER 615. Dermatology Health Care Delivery. 1 Credit Hour.
This course prepares students for positions of leadership in skin care and skin health-related industrials and organizations. The course focuses on the educational needs of professionals already fully employed in the health care industry, as well as those aspiring to careers in the field. The course considers practical administrative skills as well as broad strategic and theoretical perspectives to students who wish to expand their knowledge of management and administration as applied to the skin care industry; with emphasizes in the development of business; technical, administrative, and leadership concepts as they apply to the clinical practice and skin care industry. TeleHealth, TeleDermatology and Clinical Outreach will also be discussed. This course considers the topics on the development of business, technical, administrative, and leadership concepts as they apply to the health care industry. Students will consider issues pertaining to animal use and protection and human subject in research, regulatory requirements and allied issues.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
DER 622. Introduction to Dermatopathology. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is the continuation of the course DER 602 Skin Anatomy and Histology and or DER 603 Skin Biology and Pathophysiology. The aim of the course is to give students a general introduction to clinical histopathology in common skin disorders. The course will familiarize students with basic terms of histopathological changes in skin tissue, basic characteristic pattern recognitions, clinic-pathologic correlations, and histopathologic features of common skin diseases.
Prerequisite: DER 602 or DER 603.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

DER 623. Techniques in Skin Research- II. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is the continuation of the course DER 613 Techniques in Skin Research-I. It will teach students how to approach and solve research problems with different strategies and methods. Various research models specific to skin research will be discussed including angiogenesis, aging, cancer, endocrinology, hair, itching and sensation, wound repair and tissue regeneration, therapeutic research in drug transdermal and systemic deliveries, and clinical skin disease research and therapeutic trials as well. Students will also consider issues pertaining to animal use and protection and human subject in research and allied issues.
Prerequisite: DER 613.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

DER 631. Advances in Dermatology. 1 Credit Hour.
This hour-long seminar course is held in conjunction with Dermatology Grand Rounds, which will be the basis of this course. The purpose is to help students to keep up with advances in investigative dermatological research and patient care. The lectures are delivered by Dermatology full time faculty, voluntary faculty, visiting dermatologists/investigators, and physicians and investigators from related disciplines at the University of Miami. This series covers various aspects of skin biology, dermatology, and related disciplines.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

DER 632. Advances in Dermatology. 1 Credit Hour.
This hour-long seminar course is held in conjunction with Dermatology Grand Rounds, which will be the basis of this course. The purpose is to help students to keep up with advances in investigative dermatological research and patient care. The lectures are delivered by Dermatology full time faculty, voluntary faculty, visiting dermatologists/investigators, and physicians and investigators from related disciplines at the University of Miami. This series covers various aspects of skin biology, dermatology, and related disciplines.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

DER 633. Advances in Dermatology. 1 Credit Hour.
This hour-long seminar course is held in conjunction with Dermatology Grand Rounds, which will be the basis of this course. The purpose is to help students to keep up with advances in investigative dermatological research and patient care. The lectures are delivered by Dermatology full time faculty, voluntary faculty, visiting dermatologists/investigators, and physicians and investigators from related disciplines at the University of Miami. This series covers various aspects of skin biology, dermatology, and related disciplines.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

DER 641. Frontiers in Sciences. 1 Credit Hour.
This course will be in conjunction with Dermatology Journal Clubs. Students will participate in the presentation, discussion and critiques of the publications in peer-reviewed journals in both basic sciences and clinical aspects, not limited to the field of dermatology, with emphasis in translational research and research applications. In addition, this course will be run in conjunction with Dermatology Research Conferences. It will provide the most recent updates on various aspects of dermatological sciences ranging from molecular mechanisms of normal skin regeneration and repair to pathologies such as impaired healing disorders and skin cancer. Faculty, fellows and students from each research laboratory will present their research discoveries. Each MS thesis track student will be required to present their own research projects during their thesis period.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
DER 642. Frontiers in Sciences. 1 Credit Hour.
This course will be in conjunction with Dermatology Journal Clubs. Students will participate in the presentation, discussion, and critiques of the publications in peer-reviewed journals in both basic sciences and clinical aspects, not limited to the field of dermatology, with emphasis in translational research and research applications. In addition, this course will be run in conjunction with Dermatology Research Conferences. It will provide the most recent updates on various aspects of dermatological sciences ranging from molecular mechanisms of normal skin regeneration and repair to pathologies such as impaired healing disorders and skin cancer. Faculty, fellows, and students from each research laboratory will present their research discoveries. Each MS thesis track student will be required to present their own research projects during their thesis period.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

DER 643. Frontiers in Sciences. 1 Credit Hour.
This course will be in conjunction with Dermatology Journal Clubs. Students will participate in the presentation, discussion, and critiques of the publications in peer-reviewed journals in both basic sciences and clinical aspects, not limited to the field of dermatology, with emphasis in translational research and research applications. In addition, this course will be run in conjunction with Dermatology Research Conferences. It will provide the most recent updates on various aspects of dermatological sciences ranging from molecular mechanisms of normal skin regeneration and repair to pathologies such as impaired healing disorders and skin cancer. Faculty, fellows, and students from each research laboratory will present their research discoveries. Each MS thesis track student will be required to present their own research projects during their thesis period.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

DER 661. Research Rotation. 1 Credit Hour.
This elective course will be offered in all three semesters in the first year. Thesis Path students will elect to take this course during the first year. Students will rotate through 1-3 research labs to explore a variety of potential topics for thesis. Thesis path students are required to take at least 1 lab rotation (1 credit) prior to their lab selection for thesis by the end of 2nd semester. Non-thesis path students will have the option to take this elective course as an opportunity to get hands-on experience in laboratory research and learn research techniques.

Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

DER 662. Research Rotation. 1 Credit Hour.
This elective course will be offered in all three semesters in the first year. Thesis Path students will elect to take this course during the first year. Students will rotate through 1-3 research labs to explore a variety of potential topics for thesis. Thesis path students are required to take at least 1 lab rotation (1 credit) prior to their lab selection for thesis by the end of 2nd semester. Non-thesis path students will have the option to take this elective course as an opportunity to get hands-on experience in laboratory research and learn research techniques.

Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

DER 663. Research Rotation. 1 Credit Hour.
This elective course will be offered in all three semesters in the first year. Thesis Path students will elect to take this course during the first year. Students will rotate through 1-3 research labs to explore a variety of potential topics for thesis. Thesis path students are required to take at least 1 lab rotation (1 credit) prior to their lab selection for thesis by the end of 2nd semester. Non-thesis path students will have the option to take this elective course as an opportunity to get hands-on experience in laboratory research and learn research techniques.

Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

DER 670. Dermatology Clinical Shadowing. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course will consist of shadowing with a clinical faculty dermatologist in clinics in the Department of Dermatology and Cutaneous Surgery at the University of Miami (minimum 2-3 hours per week for each credit hour). This course is for students who are interested in clinical dermatology or medicine. It will give students firsthand experience in clinical dermatology. Students will be rigorously monitored for progress by clinical faculty mentors. Student will be required to write a case report or present a case report at the end of the semester.
Prerequisite: DER 601.

Components: CLN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
DER 700. Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
A 6-credit research thesis course will be required for students who choose M.S. Thesis track. Research work will be performed in fall semester in the second year. For timing reasons, students will choose a mentor’s lab by the end of the second semester and select a thesis proposal after rotation through 1-2 prospective mentors’ labs. Students will be required to provide a proposal to a thesis committee drawn from members of program faculty. The majority of these mentoring faculty are members of the UM Graduate Faculty with a track record of graduate level teaching, research funding, and/or have (had) graduate students in their labs. The thesis proposal should be written such that the data collection will be completed within one semester. Mentors will provide support for students with necessary reagents, supplies, and equipment, etc. needed for completion of the thesis project. The committee will monitor the student closely and will also identify an alternate lab, should the project did not make satisfactory progress within first two months. The committee will also evaluate by the end of the first year prior to the start of thesis work to determine if students have spent time rotation with prospective mentor’s lab, evaluated the prospect of a project, and worked towards defining and completing a thesis project. A thesis requires an oral defense and a written paper evaluated and approved by the thesis committee convened for that purpose. The oral defense is open to the university community and the public. The student should distribute the thesis paper to the thesis committee for preliminary approval at least 10 days prior to the oral defense. The written paper should be of quality to be submitted for publication as first author or a co-author. Students may request to extend the length of thesis work and/or later date of thesis defense with the approval of the thesis committee and the program committee.

Components: THE.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

DER 808. Research Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
A 6-credit research thesis will be required for students who choose the Thesis Path. For the timing reasons, students will choose a mentor’s lab by the end of the first year and select a thesis proposal after rotation through 1-3 research labs (DER 661, DER 662, or DER 663). Students are required to conduct campus-based thesis research in the second year in the research laboratories with faculty mentors in the Department of Dermatology and Cutaneous Surgery. The length of the thesis research, including written thesis paper and oral defense, usually takes 12 months. Students need to discuss with their thesis mentor research topic, thesis committee, duration and expectation.
Prerequisite: DER 661 or DER 662 or DER 663.

Components: THE.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

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- Fall - DER 661
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*Can be taken as DER 661 in the Fall Semester or DER 662 in the Spring Semester*
Mission
Our mission is to foster future generations of skin scientists, physician scientists and industrial leaders in skin sciences, skin care as well as skin related drug and device development.

Goals
In alignment with the university’s strategic vision, the Goals of the programs are:

- Train Master’s students in a focused knowledge area of Skin Biology and Dermatological Science; and
- Train Master’s students in requisite research and research management skills.

Student Learning Outcomes
- Students will demonstrate advanced knowledge of the fundamentals of skin biology.
- Students will demonstrate advanced knowledge of dermatological science and disorders.
- Students will demonstrate advanced knowledge of innovation, technology and regulations in the field of Skin Biology.

DER 600. Cutaneous Biochemistry, Cell Biology and Genetics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will bring students to basic, fundamental and integrated sciences of human skin in biochemistry, cellular and molecular biology, and genetics. The course will cover various topics from skin cellular and molecular structure, function and biology, to their genes, DNA, RNA and protein, biochemical reactions, metabolism, and genetic processes that transmit biological information and regulation. This course will help students to understand the fundamental concepts on and connection between genes, structure and functions of human skin. The course is specifically designed and required for students who do not have strong background in human biochemistry and/or cell biology. Other students may elect this course to prepare for the subsequent vigorous studies in the MS degree program in Skin Biology and Dermatological Sciences. This is a hybrid course therefore students are required to attend campus-based classroom lectures (28 hours) and online sessions of live lectures or pre-recorded presentations (20 hours).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

DER 601. Introduction to Dermatology. 1 Credit Hour.
The aim of the course is to familiarize participants with the basic subject of dermatology and the most common terminology. Students will be introduced to the subject of dermatology, subspecialties in dermatology, structure of the skin (basic anatomy and physiology), terminology (primary and secondary cutaneous lesions), and examples of the most common dermatological conditions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

DER 602. Skin Anatomy and Histology. 1 Credit Hour.
This course familiarizes students with the structure and morphology of the skin and its appendages. Students will be exposed to the basic aspects of skin anatomy and histology, of skin epidermis, dermis, dermal-epidermal junction and subcutaneous tissue, skin appendages of hair, sebaceous gland, sweat glands, and skin microvasculature and sensitive nerve endings, and to the relationships between structures, functions and diseases.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

DER 603. Skin Biology and Pathophysiology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course helps students to understand the fundamental concepts on and connection between structure and function of the skin. The course will include biology of major skin cell types of keratinocytes, fibroblasts, endothelial cells, melanocytes and Langerhans cells. It will cover biology of skin metabolism, skin appendages, skin matrix, cutaneous vasculature, neuroendocrine system and major processes required for cutaneous barrier function during normal and pathophysiological states. Molecular and cellular mechanisms of cutaneous wound healing, matrix remodeling, tissue regeneration and skin ageing will be also included into coursework.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
DER 604. Microbiology of the Skin. 1 Credit Hour.
This course covers skin microbiota/microbiome in health and disease, and bacterial species that cause most common skin infections such as Staphylococcus aureus ( folliculitis, impetigo, abscesses, pyoderma, toxic-shock syndrome, staphylococcal scalded skin syndrome, wound infections); Streptococcus pyogenes (impetigo, erysipelas, cellulitis, necrotizing fasciitis, rheumatic fever, scarlet fever, wound infections), and Corynebacterium spp. (wound infections), etc. It addresses bacterial biofilms and their importance in skin infections.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

DER 605. Microbiology and Immunology of the Skin. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers skin microbiota and immune components of the skin in healthy and disordered states. The microbiology will cover bacterial species that cause most common skin infections such as Staphylococcus aureus ( folliculitis, impetigo, abscesses, pyoderma, toxic-shock syndrome, staphylococcal scalded skin syndrome, wound infections); Streptococcus pyogenes (impetigo, erysipelas, cellulitis, necrotizing fasciitis, rheumatic fever, scarlet fever, wound infections), and Corynebacterium spp. (wound infections), etc. The bacterial biofilms and their importance in skin infections will also be addressed. The skin hosts the same immunocompetent cell types found throughout the body -T cells, B cells, macrophages, eosinophils, neutrophils, etc. -as well as its own skin-specific subpopulations-Langerhans cells, keratinocytes, and dermal dendrocytes. The second part of the course will cover the biology of immunology of the skin in normal functioning and underlying both intradermal allergic reactions and skin-specific autoimmune disorders ( alopecia areata, vitiligo, psoriasis), as well as the standard treatments for each. Further, this course addresses unique immune environments within the skin, such as the immune privilege of the hair follicle, and wound infection.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

DER 606. Dermato-epidemiology. 2 Credit Hours.
Students will be introduced to the emerging discipline in skin epidemiology or Dermatoepidemiology, to obtain an overview of incidence rates and time trends of skin disorders in the US and in the world, learn biostatistical tools in data analysis including descriptive statistics, hypothesis testing, analysis of variance, and regression analysis. Students gain an appreciation for disparity in the disease outcomes among populations and various barriers contributing to current disparity. Students will also learn about various state and national registries for skin cancer and some other skin disorders available for database research.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

DER 607. Dermatopharmacology. 2 Credit Hours.
This course familiarizes students with the mechanisms of drug action, FDA-indications, off-label uses, safety and efficacy, side effects and necessary monitoring and important drug interactions relevant to topical and systemic medications used in dermatology. The course covers skin barrier and transdermal drug delivery (structure of the skin barrier, factors affecting the skin barrier, strategies to enhance transdermal drug delivery), major drugs used in dermatology including glucocorticosteroids, retinoids, antimicrobials, immunomodulators, agents used in oncology, hormonal therapy, other systemic medications (antimalarials, colchicine, dapsone, leukotriene inhibitors, antihistamines, thalidomide) and topical medications.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

DER 608. Photobiology and Photomedicine. 1 Credit Hour.
This course discusses fundamental concepts on photobiology and phototherapy with Ultraviolet light (UV) B, Excimer Laser, UV A, PUV A (psoralen + UV A), Photopheresis, and Photodynamic therapy. The course will cover photobiology, photochemistry and mechanisms of actions. Treatment protocols with clearing phase and maintenance phase, indications, adverse effects and complications, practice and techniques and future directions will be also included into coursework.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

DER 609. Skin Carcinogenesis. 2 Credit Hours.
This course considers the etiology, pathophysiology, epidemiology, types, prognosis and various treatment of the most common types of skin cancers will be covered. Skin cancer is by far the most common type of cancer affecting the humans. More than 50% of all the cancers combined are skin cancers. The most common skin cancer is Basal Cell Carcinoma (BCC). The second most common type is Squamous Cell Carcinoma. One of the most serious form of skin cancer is Melanoma. There are other types of skin cancers that affect us. One in 5 Americans develop skin cancer during their lifetime.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
DER 610. Clinical Skin Diseases. 2 Credit Hours.
This course gives students a clinical overview of the common skin disorders encountered by society. It discusses the most common skin diseases such as acne, seborheic dermatitis, and xerosis, with an emphasis on pathogenesis, and current research in these conditions. Older treatments will be compared to newer treatments with respect to efficacy as well as cost to patients.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

DER 611. Visualizing the Skin. 2 Credit Hours.
This course covers basic and advanced techniques of visual examination and digital photography of the skin and hair. Topics include macrophotography of the skin and scalp, dermatoscopy, processing of biopsies for histology, routine and special histological staining, microscopy with regular and special lights, immunohistochecmistry and immunofluorescence, and recent advances of non-invasive methods of visualizing the skin in depth such as optical coherence tomography and in vivo confocal microscopy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

DER 612. Grant Writing. 1 Credit Hour.
The course presents approaches and important aspects of preparation of some major grant applications to including government funding from National Institute of Health (NIH) such as Research grants (R formats) for academia and Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) and Small Business Technology Transfer (STTR) grants for industries and grants from Department of Defense. Major sources, tools and policies for grant application and management will be discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

DER 613. Techniques in Skin Research. 1 Credit Hour.
This course will cover different areas of research techniques employed in studying skin biology/pathophysiology that span from in vitro cell based assays, ex vivo skin or reconstructed skin equivalents to in vivo animal models to study skin biology and skin diseases, and will integrate various molecular, cellular and tissue based methods. The course will balance multiple teaching methods from traditional didactics to individual and group "hands-on" laboratory experience and training. Its main approach will be using skin specimen (human or animal) as a major source and starting point. It will follow progression from simple methods (cell-based) to more complex (organotypic and tissue-based techniques) to in vivo animal models in pre-clinical trials. The course will also cover high throughput approaches in skin genomics, genetics and proteomics, and use and analysis of big data as well.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

DER 614. Innovation in Dermatology. 1 Credit Hour.
The aim of this course is to familiarize the participants with the tools of innovation. It will cover the strategic processes of how to ideate, formulate, innovate and push through new ideas-from concept to implementation. This course will also cover the issues related to patent and how to protect the intellectual property.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

DER 615. Dermatology Health Care Delivery. 1 Credit Hour.
This course prepares students for positions of leadership in skin care and skin health-related industrials and organizations. The course focuses on the educational needs of professionals already fully employed in the health care industry, as well as those aspiring to careers in the field. The course considers practical administrative skills as well as broad strategic and theoretical perspectives to students who wish to expand their knowledge of management and administration as applied to the skin care industry, with emphasizes in the development of business; technical, administrative, and leadership concepts as they apply to the clinical practice and skin care industry. TeleHealth, TeleDermatology and Clinical Outreach will also be discussed. This course considers the topics on the development of business, technical, administrative, and leadership concepts as they apply to the health care industry. Students will consider issues pertaining to animal use and protection and human subject in research, regulatory requirements and allied issues.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
DER 622. Introduction to Dermatopathology. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is the continuation of the course DER 602 Skin Anatomy and Histology and or DER 603 Skin Biology and Pathophysiology. The aim of the course is to give students a general introduction to clinical histopathology in common skin disorders. The course will familiarize students with basic terms of histopathological changes in skin tissue, basic characteristic pattern recognitions, clinic-pathologic correlations, and histopathologic features of common skin diseases.
Prerequisite: DER 602 or DER 603.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

DER 623. Techniques in Skin Research- II. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is the continuation of the course DER 613 Techniques in Skin Research-I. It will teach students how to approach and solve research problems with different strategies and methods. Various research models specific to skin research will be discussed including angiogenesis, aging, cancer, endocrinology, hair, itching and sensation, wound repair and tissue regeneration, therapeutic research in drug transdermal and systemic deliveries, and clinical skin disease research and therapeutic trials as well. Students will also consider issues pertaining to animal use and protection and human subject in research and allied issues.
Prerequisite: DER 613.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

DER 631. Advances in Dermatology. 1 Credit Hour.
This hour-long seminar course is held in conjunction with Dermatology Grand Rounds, which will be the basis of this course. The purpose is to help students to keep up with advances in investigative dermatological research and patient care. The lectures are delivered by Dermatology full time faculty, voluntary faculty, visiting dermatologists/investigators, and physicians and investigators from related disciplines at the University of Miami. This series covers various aspects of skin biology, dermatology, and related disciplines.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

DER 632. Advances in Dermatology. 1 Credit Hour.
This hour-long seminar course is held in conjunction with Dermatology Grand Rounds, which will be the basis of this course. The purpose is to help students to keep up to date in advances in investigative dermatological research and patient care. The lectures are delivered by Dermatology full time faculty, voluntary faculty, visiting dermatologists/investigators, and physicians and investigators from related disciplines at the University of Miami. This series covers various aspects of skin biology, dermatology, and related disciplines.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

DER 633. Advances in Dermatology. 1 Credit Hour.
This hour-long seminar course is held in conjunction with Dermatology Grand Rounds, which will be the basis of this course. The purpose is to help students to keep up to date in advances in investigative dermatological research and patient care. The lectures are delivered by Dermatology full time faculty, voluntary faculty, visiting dermatologists/investigators, and physicians and investigators from related disciplines at the University of Miami. This series covers various aspects of skin biology, dermatology, and related disciplines.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

DER 641. Frontiers in Sciences. 1 Credit Hour.
This course will be in conjunction with Dermatology Journal Clubs. Students will participate in the presentation, discussion and critiques of the publications in peer-reviewed journals in both basic sciences and clinical aspects, not limited to the field of dermatology, with emphasis in translational research and research applications. In addition, this course will be run in conjunction with Dermatology Research Conferences. It will provide the most recent updates on various aspects of dermatological sciences ranging from molecular mechanisms of normal skin regeneration and repair to pathologies such as impaired healing disorders and skin cancer. Faculty, fellows and students from each research laboratory will present their research discoveries. Each MS thesis track student will be required to present their own research projects during their thesis period.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
DER 642. Frontiers in Sciences. 1 Credit Hour.
This course will be in conjunction with Dermatology Journal Clubs. Students will participate in the presentation, discussion and critiques of the publications in peer-reviewed journals in both basic sciences and clinical aspects, not limited to the field of dermatology, with emphasis in translational research and research applications. In addition, this course will be run in conjunction with Dermatology Research Conferences. It will provide the most recent updates on various aspects of dermatological sciences ranging from molecular mechanisms of normal skin regeneration and repair to pathologies such as impaired healing disorders and skin cancer. Faculty, fellows and students from each research laboratory will present their research discoveries. Each MS thesis track student will be required to present their own research projects during their thesis period.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

DER 643. Frontiers in Sciences. 1 Credit Hour.
This course will be in conjunction with Dermatology Journal Clubs. Students will participate in the presentation, discussion and critiques of the publications in peer-reviewed journals in both basic sciences and clinical aspects, not limited to the field of dermatology, with emphasis in translational research and research applications. In addition, this course will be run in conjunction with Dermatology Research Conferences. It will provide the most recent updates on various aspects of dermatological sciences ranging from molecular mechanisms of normal skin regeneration and repair to pathologies such as impaired healing disorders and skin cancer. Faculty, fellows, and students from each research laboratory will present their research discoveries. Each MS thesis track student will be required to present their own research projects during their thesis period.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

DER 661. Research Rotation. 1 Credit Hour.
This elective course will be offered in all three semesters in the first year. Thesis Path students will elect to take this course during the first year. Students will rotate through 1-3 research labs to explore a variety of potential topics for thesis. Thesis path students are required to take at least 1 lab rotation (1 credit) prior to their lab selection for thesis by the end of 2nd semester. Non-thesis path students will have the option to take this elective course as an opportunity to get hands-on experience in laboratory research and learn research techniques.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

DER 662. Research Rotation. 1 Credit Hour.
This elective course will be offered in all three semesters in the first year. Thesis Path students will elect to take this course during the first year. Students will rotate through 1-3 research labs to explore a variety of potential topics for thesis. Thesis path students are required to take at least 1 lab rotation (1 credit) prior to their lab selection for thesis by the end of 2nd semester. Non-thesis path students will have the option to take this elective course as an opportunity to get hands-on experience in laboratory research and learn research techniques.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

DER 663. Research Rotation. 1 Credit Hour.
This elective course will be offered in all three semesters in the first year. Thesis Path students will elect to take this course during the first year. Students will rotate through 1-3 research labs to explore a variety of potential topics for thesis. Thesis path students are required to take at least 1 lab rotation (1 credit) prior to their lab selection for thesis by the end of 2nd semester. Non-thesis path students will have the option to take this elective course as an opportunity to get hands-on experience in laboratory research and learn research techniques.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

DER 670. Dermatology Clinical Shadowing. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course will consist of shadowing with a clinical faculty dermatologist in clinics in the Department of Dermatology and Cutaneous Surgery at the University of Miami (minimum 2-3 hours per week for each credit hour). This course is for students who are interested in clinical dermatology or medicine. It will give students firsthand experience in clinical dermatology. Students will be rigorously monitored for progress by clinical faculty mentors. Student will be required to write a case report or present a case report at the end of the semester.
Prerequisite: DER 601.
Components: CLN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
DER 700. Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
A 6-credit research thesis course will be required for students who choose M.S. Thesis track. Research work will be performed in fall semester in the second year. For timing reasons, students will choose a mentor’s lab by the end of the second semester and select a thesis proposal after rotation through 1-2 prospective mentors’ labs. Students will be required to provide a proposal to a thesis committee drawn from members of program faculty. The majority of these mentoring faculty are members of the UM Graduate Faculty with a track record of graduate level teaching, research funding, and/or have (had) graduate students in their labs. The thesis proposal should be written such that the data collection will be completed within one semester. Mentors will provide support for students with necessary reagents, supplies, and equipment, etc. needed for completion of the thesis project. The committee will monitor the student closely and will also identify an alternate lab, should the project did not make satisfactory progress within first two months. The committee will also evaluate by the end of the first year prior to the start of thesis work to determine if students have spent time rotation with prospective mentor’s lab, evaluated the prospect of a project, and worked towards defining and completing a thesis project. A thesis requires an oral defense and a written paper evaluated and approved by the thesis committee convened for that purpose. The oral defense is open to the university community and the public. The student should distribute the thesis paper to the thesis committee for preliminary approval at least 10 days prior to the oral defense. The written paper should be of quality to be submitted for publication as first author or a co-author. Students may request to extend the length of thesis work and/or later date of thesis defense with the approval of the thesis committee and the program committee.

Components: THE.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

DER 808. Research Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
A 6-credit research thesis will be required for students who choose the Thesis Path. For the timing reasons, students will choose a mentor’s lab by the end of the first year and select a thesis proposal after rotation through 1-3 research labs (DER 661, DER 662, or DER 663). Students are required to conduct campus-based research thesis in the second year in the research laboratories with faculty mentors in the Department of Dermatology and Cutaneous Surgery. The length of the thesis research, including written thesis paper and oral defense, usually takes 12 months. Students need to discuss with their thesis mentor research topic, thesis committee, duration and expectation. Prerequisite: DER 661 or DER 662 or DER 663.

Components: THE.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Human Genetics and Genomics
http://biomed.med.miami.edu/graduate-programs/human-genetics-and-genomics

Overview
The Interdepartmental PhD Program in Human Genetics and Genomics is a multi-disciplinary program aimed at training scientists broadly in areas of human genetics and genomics relevant to human health and disease. The emerging practice of “precision medicine” whereby clinical treatment decisions are based in part on an individual’s genomic profile, depends on “genomic literacy” among practitioners, researchers and patients. Human Genetics and Genomics is a multidisciplinary field that requires training in three core competencies: clinical, molecular, and statistical genetics. Individuals earning PhDs in Human Genetics and Genomics will have various career options, including research laboratory, computational research, or clinical laboratory (after fellowship training and board certification), in academia, healthcare, and the biotechnology industry.

During the first year PIBS curriculum, students will have the opportunity to take two introductory short courses: Variation & Disease and Family Studies & Genetic Analysis. Rotations through faculty laboratories provide students with hands-on experience in various research areas. The rotations also provide the student the background necessary to select a dissertation advisor and area of research. In the summer after PIBS, students take a short course in R, which is a prerequisite for other courses.

During the second year, the curriculum focuses on core coursework in population genetics, bioinformatics, study design and analysis, ethics, and seminars and journal clubs.

Also, during the second year, students choose to pursue one of two tracks within the program: molecular genetics or computational genetics. Course requirements differ slightly between these two paths: students in the molecular genetics track will take Advanced Topics in Molecular Genetics while the Computational Genetics track students take a second course in biostatistics.

During the second and third years of study, students formulate and defend a dissertation proposal. All students participate in a 1-credit hour clinical rotation and complete a teaching practicum any time after passing the Qualifying Examination.

Contact Information
We would be pleased to respond to any questions you may have and look forward to your inquiry.
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Dori McLean, (DMclean@med.miami.edu) Manager, Programs

University of Miami, Miller School of Medicine
Applying to the Program

Admission Requirements

Applicants to biomedical programs should have a bachelor degree in a biological or related discipline (e.g., psychology, chemistry, engineering, physics). Although there are no prerequisite requirements, courses in general biology, cell/molecular biology, calculus, general physics, organic chemistry, physical chemistry, and biochemistry are encouraged. Applications are generally accepted from September to December for fall entry only. Select applicants will be offered an interview.

Competitive candidates will have the following:

• Excellent academic record
• Competitive GRE exam scores
• Research experience in a laboratory setting
• Publications of abstracts and/or papers
• Co-authorship in a peer-reviewed journal is recommended
• Strong letters of recommendation from research scientists who know the candidate well
• Motivation to pursue state-of-the-art biomedical research

Applicants must submit the following:

• Online Application
• Application Fee
• Official Academic Transcripts
• GRE General Test
• English Proficiency Exam (non-native speakers)
• Statement of Purpose
• Resume/CV

Full application instructions can be found at: biomed.med.miami.edu/apply (http://biomed.med.miami.edu/apply/)

Doctoral Programs

• Ph.D. in Human Genetics and Genomics (p. 2553)

HGG 601. Seminar/Journal Club. 1 Credit Hour.

All active HGG students participate in the Seminar/Journal Club each semester. Sessions rotate between seminar, journal club, and research-in-progress. Twice per month, students attend the HGG seminar speaker series. Once per month, students present their own work in short research-in-progress talks. Once per month, students participate in a journal club, featuring student-led discussions of published papers.

Components: SEM.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
HGG 621. Design and Analysis of Human Genomic Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers study designs and analytic approaches commonly used in human genetic and genomic studies. Major topic areas include 1) study designs for genetic epidemiology; 2) experimental designs for assessing variation in DNA sequence, RNA expression, and epigenetic marks; 3) analytic approaches for genetic association, gene expression, and epigenetic data; 4) evaluation of epistasis, gene-environment interaction, and application of systems biology approaches to high-dimensional genomic data. Class sessions will feature a mixture of lecture, discussion of primary literature, and hands-on computational workshops. Prerequisite: HGG 661-Introduction to R Programming.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HGG 630. Variation and Disease. 2 Credit Hours.
This course provides an overview of the science of genetics, including historical and modern approaches, with emphasis on the underlying mechanisms of human genomic variation and their relation to human disease. After taking this course, the student will be able to list the different types of human genomic variation, explain the mechanism by which each occurs, and discuss the consequences of the variations. Where appropriate, specific examples of human disorders will be related to the variations. Topics include: chromosomal, biochemical, and DNA sequence variation, mitochondrial genome variation and epigenetic effects. The course structure consists of a combination of lectures and discussion of primary literature. Course includes two 1.5 hour lectures and a 1.5 hour computer lab.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HGG 631. Genes in Populations. 3 Credit Hours.
This class is a survey of topics in population and statistical genetics. Basic concepts and methods will be covered including: Hardy-Weinberg equilibrium, sources of variation, population substructure (drift, fixation, differentiation, inbreeding and F statistics), relatedness and heritability, quantitative and qualitative trait loci, selection (natural and artificial), and molecular evolution. The course is lecture-based but will include readings from the text and primary literature.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HGG 640. Family Studies and Genetic Analysis. 2 Credit Hours.
The focus of this course is the use of families in the study of genetic disorders and traits. Both qualitative and quantitative phenotypes will be studied. Major topics covered include: heritability, heterogeneity, segregation analysis and linkage analysis. By the end of the course, the student will be able to design and carry-out a family based mapping study. The course consists of two 1.5 hour didactic lectures and a 1.5 hour computer lab during which students will obtain practical experience in running the relevant computer programs using data from various studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HGG 650. Advanced Topics in Molecular Genetics. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics will include human microRNAs, the neurobiology of aging, structural variation, modern genome technology, among others. The course structure will consist primarily of discussions and analysis of primary literature.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HGG 660. Bioinformatics Theory and Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
In this course, we will focus on application of high throughput genomic technologies in a variety of biological contexts. The expectation would be to achieve the following course learning objectives: 1) Gain familiarity with the technologies and techniques available for high throughput genomic studies; 2) Understand the data outputs and how to store/manipulate/analyze/interpret results; 3) Work with high performance computing in the area of genomic analysis; 4) Become aware and be able to use tools for genomic data storage, annotation, and curation; 5) Critically plan and perform quality control of analysis pipelines and results; 6) Share results of genomic data through communication and visualization techniques. Prerequisites: HGG 661-Introduction to R Programming. Familiarity with basic genetics, genome structure, and the methods and approaches of molecular biology are necessary. Please ask for primers on these topics if you do not have a Biology background. In addition, basic knowledge in the Unix environment and basic operations is required. Materials will be distributed in the first week of class to address.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
HGG 661. Introduction to R Programming for the Biomedical Sciences. 2 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to the R statistical programming language, with an emphasis on analysis of biomedical data. Topics will include R syntax, logic, and data types as well as statistical analyses, plotting and figures, environment management and administration, and other topics. Applications and examples will focus on biomedical data, including genetics and genomics. Familiarity with computer programming logic (i.e., boolean operations, if/then/else logic, for/while loops) is recommended, but previous experience with R is not required. Prerequisite: PIB 705 or equivalent statistical analysis course is required.
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Components: PRA.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Summer.

HGG 680. Genome Ethics and Public Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will explore current and future applications of human genetics as they pertain to the health and identity of individuals and society. Topics will include the ethical dilemmas facing clinicians, researchers, and the public pertaining to the use of genetic information in healthcare; the role of the media and other extemporaneous factors in influencing the use of human genetic information, and responsible conduct of research specifically with regard to issues unique to genetics. The emphasis will be on real examples and experiences, with a primary goal of helping students explore how their role as a researcher and/or citizen will influence and be influenced by genetic information. The course is largely discussion based and includes extensive readings from the literature and online videos.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

HGG 681. Human Genetics Clinical Rotation. 1 Credit Hour.
HGG students participate in medical genetics clinic post clinical rounds, metabolic-sign out and journal clubs. During clinic, students observe clinical evaluations and counseling, and participate in weekly didactic sessions with faculty and residents. This can be completed any time after passing the Qualifying Examination in Fall of Year 3, and Admission to Candidacy is achieved, and will be graded as a one-credit pass-fail course.
Components: CLN.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HGG 689. Human Genetics and Genomics Teaching Practicum. 1 Credit Hour.
HGG students serve one semester as a teaching assistant for a core course. This experience will include giving at least one lecture, leading small group discussions, and holding regular office hours to discuss student questions. This can be completed any time after passing the Qualifying Examination in Fall of Year 3, and Admission to Candidacy is achieved, and will be graded as a one-credit pass-fail course.
Components: PRA.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

HGG 830. Doctoral Dissertation - Pre-Candidacy. 1-12 Credit Hours.
1-12 credit course for Doctoral candidates working on pre-candidacy dissertation.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

HGG 840. Doctoral Dissertation - Post Candidacy. 1-12 Credit Hours.
1-12 credit course for Doctoral Candidates working on dissertation post candidacy.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

HGG 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for Ph.D. after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Ph.D. in Human Genetics and Genomics
Curriculum Requirements

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PIB 701  Introduction to Biomedical Sciences  5
PIB 702  Scientific Reasoning  3
PIB 705  Biostatistics for the Biosciences  3
PIB 731  Laboratory Research  1-5
PIB 780  Research Ethics  1
PIB 782  Professional Development: Skills for Success I  1
PIB 783  Professional Development: Skills for Success II  1
PIB 785  PIBS Bioinformatics Workshop  1
PIB 830  Doctoral Dissertation  1

Human Genetics & Genomics Required Courses
HGG 601  Seminar/Journal Club  1
HGG 630  Variation and Disease ((taken during PIBS year))  2
HGG 631  Genes in Populations  3
HGG 640  Family Studies and Genetic Analysis ((taken during PIBS year))  2
HGG 660  Bioinformatics Theory and Practice  3
HGG 680  Genome Ethics and Public Policy  3
HGG 681  Human Genetics Clinical Rotation  1
HGG 689  Human Genetics and Genomics Teaching Practicum  1

Computational / Molecular Track Course Requirements  3-6
HGG 621  Design and Analysis of Human Genomic Studies  3
EPH 602  Biostatistics II  3
HGG 650  Advanced Topics in Molecular Genetics  4

Research Credits
HGG 830  Doctoral Dissertation - Pre-Candidacy  18-24
HGG 840  Doctoral Dissertation - Post Candidacy
HGG 850  Research in Residence

Total Credit Hours  55-68

1  HGG 601 is required for all HGG students - 1 semester credit each fall and spring semester.
2  All students must complete course requirements for either Computational or Molecular track.
3  HGG 621 / EPH 602: Required for Computational Track students only (may be taken as elective otherwise).
4  HGG 650: Required for Molecular Track students only (may be taken as elective otherwise).

*  The molecular track requires a minimum of 62 credits. The computational track requires a minimum of 65 credits.

Program Plan

The PhD in Human Genetics and Genomics (HGG) curriculum allows candidates to pursue a track in molecular or computational genetics by their second year of training; however, all students complete a core curriculum in the first three years of graduate study. Students will also participate in seminars and journal clubs in the fall and spring semesters, through all years of study.

First-year students interested in Human Genetics and Genomics are strongly encouraged to take two introductory HGG short courses in the spring semester: HGG 630 – Variation and Disease and HGG 640 – Family Studies and Genetic Analysis which are requirements for completing the HGG degree. Courses in computational / quantitative skills, including biostatistics and bioinformatics will also form part of the first year PIBS curriculum. Each PIBS student completes at least three lab rotations of nine weeks each and chooses a dissertation laboratory (and graduate program) during the latter half of the spring semester. If necessary a fourth rotation may be possible, and in this case a laboratory choice may be deferred until June. All first year students will make short presentations to a group of faculty after each lab rotation. For these presentations the students will be divided into four groups with related research interests.

After choosing a mentor and laboratory at the end of the first year, a student becomes a member of the HGG Program. Students select and follow a track in molecular genetics or computational genetics in the first semester of year 2. At this point course requirements differ slightly between these two paths: Students in the molecular genetics track take Advanced Topics in Molecular Genetics (HGG 650) in the second semester, while the computational genetics track students take a second course in biostatistics (EPH 602) and a course in Design and Analysis of Human Genomic Studies (HGG 621).

In addition to the required core courses, all students participate in a clinical rotation and serve one semester as a teaching assistant for a core course any time after passing the Qualifying Examination.
It is expected that on average, students will complete the program in five years. Please review the complete course descriptions on the COURSE tab above. The general core curriculum is shown in the Plan of Study below:

**Plan of Study - Molecular Track**

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### Plan of Study - Computational Track

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**Mission**

The Interdepartmental PhD Program in Human Genetics and Genomics (HGG) aims to train scientists broadly in areas of human genetics and genomics relevant to human health and disease. Human genetics is a multidisciplinary field that requires training in three core competencies: clinical, molecular, and statistical genetics. This broad training differentiates human genetics graduate programs from other programs in molecular biology, biochemistry, epidemiology, or statistics that focus training on one of the three core areas. The mission of the HGG is to prepare the next generation of genomic scientists to conduct research in molecular, statistical and clinical genetics and to translate these research results into improved medical care and public health interventions.

**Goals**

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Students will demonstrate an overall knowledge and understanding of the core concepts in Human Genetics and Genomics, including the essential skills to conduct research in Human Genetics and Genomics.
- Students will demonstrate critical thinking skills, the capability to develop hypotheses, and the ability to evaluate their hypotheses, paying attention to responsible conduct of research as appropriate.
- Students will demonstrate the ability to write effective scientific reports and to present scientific results orally.

**MD Program**

**General Information**

The University of Miami Miller School of Medicine enrolls approximately 198 students each year. One-hundred and fifty will be in the MD program and 48 in the 4-year, combined degree, MD-MPH Program. It has been a long-standing policy of the School of Medicine to admit students with diverse backgrounds. Therefore, qualified non-traditional students, women, socio-economically disadvantaged students, and minorities underrepresented in medicine, are especially encouraged to apply.

**U.S. Citizenship**

All applicants must be US citizens or permanent residents of the United States with an alien registration receipt (green) card in their possession at the time they complete the AMCAS application. Applicants who apply as permanent residents will be required to submit a photocopy of their alien registration receipt card.

**Florida Residents**

Since the School of Medicine is no longer subsidized by the State of Florida, Florida residents are not given preference in admissions decisions. For tuition purposes, a Florida resident is one whose parents or guardians (or the applicant, if independent) have established legal residence in, and resided permanently in, the State of Florida for twelve consecutive months immediately prior to the first day of classes. Applicants can not claim Florida residency simply on the fact that they lived in Florida coincident with attending a college or university. To receive initial consideration as a Florida resident, applicants must declare Florida as their state of residence on their AMCAS application. Exceptions to this requirement will not be granted.

**Residents of Other States**

The Miller School of Medicine has made a significant commitment to enroll more students from outside the state of Florida. This departure from previous policy reflects the growing national prominence of the School of Medicine and the national and international reputation of our clinical facilities and specialty centers, and our outstanding research programs.
Financial Assistance Information

The University of Miami Miller School of Medicine is a private medical school. It has been a priority of the medical school to keep the tuition and fees very reasonable. Please visit our Financial Assistance Website. (http://mededu.med.miami.edu/contact-us/student-financial-assistance/)

Additional Information

For additional information, write, call, or send an email message to:

Office of Admissions (R-159)
University of Miami Miller School of Medicine
PO Box 016159
Miami, FL 33101
(305)-243-3234
(305)-243-6548 (FAX)
med.admissions@miami.edu (admissions@miami.edu)

Curriculum Requirements

The NextGenMD curriculum is divided into 3 phases:

**Phase 1** is grounded in the foundational and translational sciences that are taught and learned in a case-based format that incorporates laboratory and clinical science, health systems science, social determinants of health, core clinical skills, and professionalism. Phase 1 is completed over 14 months, inclusive of 2 months of summer capstone work. Phase 1a is 4 weeks and largely under the Medicine as a Profession longitudinal theme (see later). Phase 1b is 12 weeks and is comprised of foundational, translational, and health systems sciences taught in the context of the healthy patient. Phase 1C is 30 weeks and incorporates foundational, translational, and health systems sciences taught in a symptom-based format.

**Phase 2** consists of integrated clinical clerkships, where continued themes of foundational, translational, and health systems sciences are embedded within clerkships; this provides students ample experience to plan their future areas of concentration. Phase 2 is completed over 12 months and begins with an introductory bootcamp to the clerkship curriculum that covers core content areas: defining the medical student role, interprofessional teamwork, basic procedural skills, basic documentation skills, self-directed learning techniques, and how to be an effective learner in the clinical setting. Additionally, the bootcamp covers content that is reinforced throughout the entire phase including social determinants of health, patient safety, leadership and health advocacy, wellness promotion, and quality improvement. Phase 2 is divided into four, 12-week integrated clerkships:

All clerkships begin with an introductory week of interprofessional simulation exercises between medical, nursing, and other health professions students at sites including the Simulation Hospital at our School of Nursing and Health Studies. Basic science content is delivered using multiple modalities including online learning and interactive large group sessions, in addition to case-based collaborative learning that occurs in the introductory week and continues weekly during each clerkship block.

Between Phases 2 and 3, students are provided dedicated time to prepare for and take USMLE Steps 1 and 2CK.

**Phase 3** occurs over 17 months and allows all students to develop a personalized pathway of excellence in a specialized area of interest, including scholarly work, dual-degree pursuits, or an early transition to residency. All students are required to select a pathway of emphasis for their scholarly work, or obtain a dual degree from a selection of existing 4-6-year dual degrees in addition to new 4-year dual degrees being developed. A select group of students who meet defined competencies can enter residency early after 3 years. The accelerated pathway to residency will be available to no more than 10% of the class and includes residency programs within our institutions.

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Scholarly Concentration I
Scholarly Concentration II
Scholarly Concentration III

Phase 2: Integrated Clerkships

- Transition to Clerkship (New Course TBD)
- Practice of Medicine (New Course TBD)
- From ER to OR (New Course TBD)
- Mind, Matter, and Medicine (New Course TBD)
- Health through the Lifespan (New Course TBD)
- Medicine as a Profession - Clerkships I (New Course TBD)
- Medicine as a Profession - Clerkships II (New Course TBD)
- Medicine as a Profession - Clerkships III (New Course TBD)

Phase 3: Advanced

- Introductory Boot Camp
- Subinternship
- Selectives (Required)
- Electives
- Scholarly Concentration
- Medicine as a Profession IV (New Course TBD)
- Transition to Residency

Total Credit Hours: 144

1 A minimum of 40 credits is required for Phase 3. It is expected that students will do more.
2 Specific courses will be developed at a later date to cover the areas listed in this section for Phase 3.

Electives/ Sub-Internships in Medicine

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Plan of Study

Mission

The NextGenMD curriculum strives to empower learners to transform lives and inspire learners to serve the global community. The curriculum will produce transformational leaders who will shape the future of medicine, direct health systems, and champion discovery and its translation into clinical interventions.

Goals

The NextGenMD curriculum emphasizes:

- Active, case-based, collaborative learning with early clinical experiences
- Integration of basic sciences, clinical medicine, and health system sciences throughout all phases of the curriculum
- Personalized areas of scholarly concentration including options for a 4-year dual degree or an accelerated transition to residency
- Opportunities to study social and cultural determinants of health in South Florida to address health disparities

Graduates of the program will demonstrate knowledge, skills, and attitudes/behaviors in four core domains:
1) Professionalism and Interpersonal Skills; 2) Health Systems Sciences; 3) Biomedical Knowledge and Clinical Care; and 4) Practice Based Learning

Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will demonstrate master of biomedical knowledge (i.e., anatomy, biochemistry, immunology, etc.) required to practice clinical medicine.
- Students will demonstrate clinical skills proficiency, such as performing a complete physical examination. Student competency in performing a physical examination and in clinical skills is evaluated by student performance on end of year 1 and 2 competency exercises.
- Students will demonstrate application of knowledge and skills to clinical decision-making and the practice of medicine, including formulating differential diagnoses, and a diagnostic and therapeutic plan. Student competency in organizing clinical data, synthesizing clinical information and formulating management plans is demonstrated by performance on the United States Medical Licensing Step 2 Clinical Skills Examination.

MD/JD Program

Overview

The University of Miami School of Law (http://www.law.miami.edu/) in partnership with the University’s Miller School of Medicine propose to offer a joint MD/JD degree program. The law curriculum prepares medical students for careers in health sector law, leadership and policy. It also prepares future physicians for legal aspects of running a private medical practice or heading a group practice.

This joint program allows students to obtain both MD and JD degrees in six years. The first two years are spent in the MD program. Years three and four are focused on the JD degree and the final two years are spent completing the MD degree and the final JD credits.

In the third year, students will complete the standard first year J.D. curriculum at the School of Law for a total of 32 credits. During the fourth year, it is expected that students will complete a total of 33 credits. There are an additional 12 credits of coursework to be completed in the School of Law which will take the form of summer courses and/or intersession courses. The total number of credits to be completed through coursework at the Law School for the JD degree is 77. The remaining 11 of the 88 required JD credits will be transferred from the Medical School course work and will be double-counted toward both degrees. These credits may include co-listed courses, such as the Idea of a Hospital, an interdisciplinary course co-listed in both the Law School and Medical School (as well as other UM Schools). Students will be able to take co-listed courses and register in the program where the student would like the credits to apply. Of course, co-listed courses are particularly suitable to double-counting for the J.D. degree when taken as a Medical School course.

The Law School expects the list of recommended courses to expand in the future. Opportunities for practicums and externships will be developed as part of this program. Students will receive their J.D. degree during the May graduation of their sixth year of the joint program because some of the credits to be transferred from the School of Medicine will be taken their 6th year when electives are built into the medical school curriculum. An elective course offering which will be required for this joint degree is the Medical Legal Clinic (offered as either a 2-credit or 4-credit course) sponsored by the Law School and offered through the School of Medicine. Students who have completed all but the last five credits may walk at Law School graduation with their law school cohort. (Please note that the 11 credits from the Medical School to be transferred to the J.D. program may not be from any Medical School courses taken prior to matriculation in the Law School.)

Admission Requirements

To be admitted to this program, students must be admitted to the Miller School of Medicine M.D. program and be in good standing. Students apply to the Law School during the fall of their 2nd year of the M.D. program and are encouraged to take the LSAT during the summer after Year 1 of Medical
School, and no later than December of their second year of Medical School. The LSAT is offered four times annually: February, June, October and December.

Curriculum Requirements - MD/JD

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**Sample Plan of Study**

This sample plan of study is based on several assumptions:

1. Students will begin in the MD program;
2. The program will be promoted to MD students in their first year of Medical School;
3. Students will apply to Law School no later than January 1st of their second year of Medical School;
4. Students must take the USMLE Step 1 exams between May and June of their second year of medical school;
5. Students will complete the third year clinical psychiatry clerkship before enrolling in the law school in August of year 3;
6. Students will be required to complete 77 credits of coursework (including law clinics, practicum, externships, and/or intersession courses) in the Law School with 11 credits being applied from coursework in the M.D. program

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Students complete the first two years of medical school curriculum, sit for USMLE Step 1 examination, and begin the third year MD curriculum (Transition to the Clerkships one-week 2 course and the six-week Psychiatry clerkship, and then have a two-week vacation before beginning law studies in August of year three.

After completing the first year law curriculum, students take 5-6 law credits during summer session; they then have 2 weeks of vacation before starting their second year of law studies.

Students will take 16-17 credits each semester during their second year of law school. After completing second year law curriculum students will take 5-6 law credits during summer session following their second year. At the end of their second summer of Law School, each student must have completed a total of 77 JD credits at the Law School.

**MD/MBA Program**

**Overview**

The University of Miami Herbert Business School (http://bus.miami.edu) offers a joint M.D./M.B.A. degree program in partnership with the Miller School of Medicine. The business curriculum prepares future physicians for the business complexities related to running a private medical practice or heading a group practice, as well as prepare medical students for careers in health sector management, leadership and policy.

The M.D./M.B.A. program adds an additional year to the four-year medical school curriculum. The M.B.A. coursework ranges from financial reporting and corporate strategy to the legal aspects of health administration.

MD/MBA candidates have the option of choosing a Research Track (project based which provides practical hands on experience) or an Elective Track (provides business electives). Please refer to the curriculum for details.

Questions about the M.D. portion of the program should be directed to Senior Associate Dean Alex Mechaber, M.D., at the Miller School of Medicine, AMechabe@med.miami.edu (MOConnell@med.miami.edu), while questions about the MBA portion should be directed to Admission Advisors at the Miami Herbert Business School, 305-284-2510 or mba@miami.edu.

M.D. students are required to submit a Full-Time (https://www.applyweb.com/apply/miamibus/) MBA online application to be considered for the M.D./M.B.A. Program.

The application deadline for this program is April 1st of each year.

To obtain detailed program admission information, please reference the program brochure which can be requested by contacting the Office of Recruiting and Admissions at 305-284-2510 or visit our website (http://bus.miami.edu/graduate-programs/full-time-mba/md-mba/).

**Admission Requirements**

- Completed application for admission submitted through BusinessCAS
- A baccalaureate degree from an accredited institution
  - Official academic transcripts from all previously attended post-secondary institutions must be submitted directly to BusinessCAS.
  - International applicants must have their educational credentials from institutions outside of the United States verified by an approved international credentialing evaluation service such as World Education Services to confirm degree equivalency and GPA calculation.
- Statement of purpose and short-essay responses to the career goal and program-related questions in BusinessCAS
• A current resume
• At least one letter of recommendation (up to three allowed) may be submitted through the BusinessCAS portal by including recommender contacts within the Program Materials section of the application.
• Official GMAT (or GRE) score to be sent directly to the University of Miami Herbert Business School by using the relevant code below.
  • GMAT Institution Code is 7NV-S1-92
  • GRE institution Code is 5815
• An official TOEFL or IELTS score is required as proof of English proficiency for international applicants who did not receive a degree in the United States or a foreign country where English is the primary language. The following minimum score is required for admission to a graduate business degree program.
  • TOEFL - 94 or above (iBT only)
  • IELTS - 7.0 or above

If you do not yet have a GMAT or GRE score or TOEFL or IELTS score (international candidates only), you may complete and submit your application prior to taking the exam by indicating your approximate date within the Standardized Tests tab in the Academic History section. Select "Add Test Score" by the relevant test, then indicate that you have not yet taken the exam and add your estimated test date in the section provided.

We encourage candidates to upload unofficial transcripts and test scores (if required) with their BusinessCAS application in order to expedite the review of their file while official documents are processed.

QUESTIONS?

Connect with Miami Herbert Business School's graduate enrollment advisors at (305) 284-2510 or by email at mba@miami.edu.

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MD/MPH Program

Overview
The educational mission of the University of Miami Miller School of Medicine interdisciplinary MD/MPH dual degree program is to graduate physicians with the ability and desire to improve the health of all populations, especially those most vulnerable and underserved, by alleviating suffering and eliminating healthcare disparities through their leadership in patient care, research, education, health care administration and the community.

Four-Year MD-MPH Program:
The University of Miami Miller School of Medicine (UMMSM) MD/MPH program is unique in several ways. There are very few four-year MD/MPH dual degree programs offered at medical schools in the United States. Our program integrates significant components of the MPH coursework into the curriculum beginning in the first year and culminating in a required four-week clerkship in Public Health. In addition, the medical school has partnered with the Palm Beach County Health Department http://www.pbchd.com. This partnership provides opportunities to work with public health professionals in one of the country’s most academic and comprehensive public health departments.

The program is designed to provide graduates with the clinical and research skills required to approach health problems from a population and prevention perspective by integrating the roles of the biological sciences and clinical practice into the broader sets of knowledge and practices used in public health. We will graduate physicians who are provided the academic knowledge and skills, as well as the clinical experience to improve the health of all populations, especially those most vulnerable and underserved.

The MD/MPH dual degree program is an educational track at the UMMSM that will provide:

• Both degrees in four years
• Integrated and innovative training in both clinical medicine and public health
• In depth training in public health that provides the skills needed to reduce death and disability at the population level
• The program includes studies at the Miami campus and at our regional medical campus in Palm Beach and Broward Counties working in our community teaching hospitals and clinics and with Department of Health professionals and faculty physicians in community settings
• Sustainable partnerships that provide opportunities to assess and improve public health, working with Public Health physicians in clinical and public health activities during clinical rotations
• Opportunities for community-based research to complete the required special project for the MPH degree (capstone)

Admissions
Applications are accepted through the American Medical College Application Service® (AMCAS®). The MSOM Secondary Application will give you the option to apply to only the MD/MPH program, or to both the MD and the MD/MPH program. Selecting either of these choices will provide you with specific questions about your interest and experience in public health. The criteria for eligibility and academic prerequisites for the MD/MPH program are the same as those for the regular MD program. For more information, visit admissions.med.miami.edu or contact the Office of Admissions at med.admissions@miami.edu or 305.243.3234.

Curriculum Requirements - MD/MPH Dual Degree

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**MD/MS in Genomic Medicine**

**Be a part of the future of genomic and personalized medicine!**

This 4-year concurrent master's degree in Genomic Medicine will provide you with the background, knowledge, and understanding to integrate the ever-expanding field of genomics into your practice. No matter which medical specialty you choose, genomic medicine is increasingly becoming an integral part of patient care with the use of predictive clinical sequencing, pharmacogenetics, and whole genome analysis.

**Educational Mission of the MD/MS Program in Genomic Medicine**

The educational mission of the program is to graduate clinicians with the ability to integrate genomic knowledge into their clinical practice. In collaboration with the Hussman Institute for Human Genomics, graduates will be trained in human genetics, family history, diagnostic genomic tests, high throughput sequencing, pharmacogenomics and the newest genomic concepts and approaches. The MD/MS degree will prepare students to be leaders in the adoption and integration of these methods in routine clinical care.

**The MD/MS degree program in Genomic Medicine will provide:**

- Both degrees obtained during 4 year MD degree
- Integrated and innovative training in both clinical and human genomics
Online coursework coupled with small group learning sessions for smooth integration into your schedule

Hands-on experience analyzing and interpreting genome sequence data

Capstone experience featuring clinical case descriptions, journal club, and individual research projects

Applying for the MD/MS Program in Genomic Medicine: Online application (http://biomed.med.miami.edu/apply/apply-md-ms-in-genomic-medicine/)

- Applicants must be accepted first-year medical students in the UM Miller School of Medicine. The first block of MS courses begin in the 2nd academic semester (spring) of the first year.
- Applications are due by November 1st of each year.
- The academic prerequisites are the same as those for the regular MD program.
- Graduate Record Exam (GRE) test scores are not required to apply to the program.
- Applicants will be notified of their acceptance status in late November or early December for coursework that will begin in the Spring semester of the first year of medical school.
- Acceptance is contingent upon successful completion of first semester coursework.
- Tuition is equal to UM Miller School of Medicine dual degree tuition.

For additional information (http://medgen.med.miami.edu/education/msgm/), please contact Dori McLean, Manager of Programs, DMclean@med.miami.edu.

Curriculum Requirements

The curriculum below outlines the additional course work required to earn the Master’s in Genomic Medicine (MSGM). Students enrolling prior to Fall 2020 will complete the MD curriculum in place when they began their studies. Students enrolling in Fall 2020 or later will follow the NextGenMD curriculum which is outlined in detail under the MD Program curriculum tab (p. 2559). Please review additional information under the Plan of Study tab. (p. 2567)

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Plan of Study- Medical

Students enrolling prior to Fall 2020 will complete all GNM courses and the MD curriculum in place when they began their studies. Students enrolling in Fall 2020 or later, will complete all GNM courses and follow the NextGenMD curriculum listed on the MD Program curriculum tab. (p. 2559)

Plan of Study- Genomic Medicine

The Master’s in Genomic Medicine (MSGM) coursework is concurrent with the UM Miller School of Medicine MD Program beginning in Spring semester of the first year and ending upon completion of the MD program in the 4th year. Each course is made up of self-guided online instruction and reading and in-person small group work. In the first two years, self-guided instruction is expected to require approximately 3 hours per week of time commitment. Small group work is an additional 3-hour block of time per week that will be determined upon the MD program schedule for that semester. Up to 3 additional hours per week may be required for assignments, projects, and review. Years 3 and 4 contain a clinical clerkship elective and the MSGM Capstone that will culminate in a written portfolio and public presentation of the Capstone experience.
Mission
The educational mission of the Master of Science in Genomic Medicine (MSGM) program at the University of Miami Miller School of Medicine (UMMSM) is to graduate clinicians with the ability and desire to integrate genomic knowledge into clinical practice. Graduates will be trained in the use of detailed family genetic history, diagnostic genomic tests, high throughput sequencing, and pharmacogenomics, and will develop an understanding of the ethical and policy implications of genomic medicine.

Goals
The MSGM degree will prepare students to be leaders in the adoption and integration of these methods in routine clinical care. While multidisciplinary, this degree program's core emphasis is on clinical and translational research skills. Students completing this program will continue on to graduate medical training and future careers in medicine, incorporating the tools of genomic medicine into their clinical practices.

Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will demonstrate an overall knowledge and understanding of the core concepts in Genomic Medicine, including the essential skills to evaluate research in the field and apply results to the practice of medicine.
- Students will demonstrate critical thinking skills, the capability to develop clinical research hypotheses, and the ability to evaluate these hypotheses, paying attention to the responsible conduct of research as appropriate.
- Students will demonstrate the ability to write effective research reports and present results orally.

GNM 602. Clinical Applications of Genomic Medicine II. 3 Credit Hours.
The Clinical Applications of Genomic Medicine series provides genomic medicine case studies and systems-based learning. Topics covered in the fall include cardiovascular, respiratory, renal/urinary, gastrointestinal/nutritional systems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
GNM 605. Research Ethics. 1 Credit Hour.
This course introduces foundational concepts in research ethics in preparation for conducting the genomic medicine practicum. Online Human Subjects Research and Responsible Conduct of Research training through the CITI program website will be supplemented with three hours of in-person discussion sessions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GNM 610. Clinical Applications of Genomic Medicine I. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides introductory background for understanding genomics, genomic techniques as well as provides genomic medicine case studies and systems-based learning. Initial topics include basic concepts of genomic medicine, genomic techniques involved in clinical applications, integration of genomic medicine into clinical setting, importance of translational research, benefits for patient and physician, transitioning with the medical curriculum into case studies. This course is focused on complex genetic disorders, and use of web-based tools to use in clinical work.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GNM 630. Clinical Applications of Genomic Medicine III. 4 Credit Hours.
The primary objective of this course is to prepare students to evaluate the clinical utility of a genetic test and apply that information in a clinical setting. Illustrations of these concepts are drawn from the systems-based curriculum spanning December (ophthalmology and dermatology) and spring (rheumatology, infection & immunity, hematology & oncology, diabetes & metabolism, endocrinology & reproductive medicine). The class will meet once each week (2 hours each session), for literature-based discussion sessions and case-based learning.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GNM 631. Genomic Medicine Laboratory. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will rotate in the molecular genetics and biochemical genetics diagnostic laboratories, gaining experience with genomic testing in a clinical setting and interpretation and communication of results.
Components: LAB.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GNM 660. Computational Methods for Genomic Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
The objective of this course is to gain a working knowledge of computational methods utilized in primary and secondary analysis of genomic technologies and apply these to a clinical setting. This will prepare students to perform practical data analysis in the GNM 631 course offered in Spring.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GNM 680. Genomic Ethics and Public Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to the scientific, socio-ethical and policy issues arising in the context of genomic medicine. It is designed to improve your critical thinking and give you the tools to evaluate the wide range of challenges that genomic medicine brings to individuals and societies alike. We will cover a broad spectrum of topics, from the history of eugenics, to genetic testing and screening through the life cycle (i.e. pre-implantation and pre-natal testing, newborn, population and carrier screening, direct-to-consumer genetic testing), as well as bioethical (i.e., informed consent, privacy, confidentiality, etc.), policy (i.e., professional duties, patents, discrimination, etc.), and societal issues (i.e. health disparities).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GNM 690. MSGM Capstone. 6-12 Credit Hours.
The purpose of the Capstone Segment is to provide the research and clinical application aspects of training. It can be initiated at any point after admission to the MSGM Program, and results in 6 credits earned in Spring of Year 4. All components (case reports, mentored research project, genomic medicine education) will be summarized in a portfolio of work and presented at the end of the Capstone.
Components: LAB.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Spring.

Medical Scientist Training Program (MD/PHD)
http://mdphd.med.miami.edu/
Overview
The Miller School of Medicine Medical Science Training Program (MD-PhD Program) provides a unique training environment for exceptionally qualified individuals who want to pursue careers in academic medicine and research. The curriculum comprises the school's outstanding preclinical and clinical training, rigorous PhD graduate training and several elements, including professional development workshops and other activities, specifically designed to enhance the MSTP training experience. There has been a long tradition of research excellence and physician scientist training at the Miller School of Medicine. With the opportunities for basic and clinical research here, Miami's diverse population and access to Latin America and the Caribbean, the backdrop of a vibrant city, make the Miller School a unique place for MSTP training.

PhD Programs
The following doctoral programs, described elsewhere in this bulletin, participate in the MSTP. The MSTP office can provide you with further information about these programs and the research interests of their faculty.

- Biochemistry & Molecular Biology (http://biomed.med.miami.edu/graduate-programs/biochemistry-and-molecular-biology/)
- Biomedical Engineering (p. 2234)
- Biostatistics (http://www.biostat.med.miami.edu/academics/phd-in-biostatistics/)
- Cancer Biology (http://biomed.med.miami.edu/graduate-programs/cancer-biology/)
- Epidemiology (http://publichealth.med.miami.edu/graduate/academic-programs/phd-in-epidemiology/)
- Human Genetics & Genomics (http://biomed.med.miami.edu/graduate-programs/human-genetics-and-genomics/)
- Microbiology and Immunology (http://biomed.med.miami.edu/graduate-programs/microbiology-and-immunology/)
- Molecular Cell & Developmental Biology (http://biomed.med.miami.edu/graduate-programs/molecular-cell-and-developmental-biology/)
- Molecular and Cellular Pharmacology (http://biomed.med.miami.edu/graduate-programs/molecular-and-cellular-pharmacology/)
- Neuroscience (http://biomed.med.miami.edu/graduate-programs/neuroscience/)
- Physiology and Biophysics (http://biomed.med.miami.edu/graduate-programs/physiology-and-biophysics/)
- Prevention Science & Community Health (http://publichealth.med.miami.edu/graduate/academic-programs/phd-in-prevention-science/)

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Admission Requirements
Admission to the MSTP is highly competitive, and interested applicants are advised to apply early in the fall. AMCAS applications must be received by the Medical Admissions Office no later than December 15. Applicants must complete the minimum course requirements (http://admissions.med.miami.edu/md-programs/general-md/prerequisites/) of the MD Program to be considered for the MSTP. The Graduate Record Examination (GRE) is not required for matriculation into the MSTP.

Competitive applicants will have the following:

- Completed AMCAS & Secondary Application for MSTP
- Excellent academic record
- Strong MCAT scores
- Significant research experience
- Co-authorship on abstracts and / or peer-reviewed papers is desirable
- Strong letters of recommendation from research mentors and other scientists who can specifically address the applicant's potential as a physician scientist
- Motivation to pursue a career as a physician scientist

Applications from under-represented groups, including minorities, individuals with disabilities and women, are encouraged.
All MSTP applicants are reviewed by both the MD Program Admissions Committee and the MSTP Program Admissions Committee. These evaluations proceed independently, and a student will still be considered for the MD program even after an unfavorable review by the MSTP. A successful applicant is granted admission to both the MD Program and the MSTP.

Full application instructions can be found here (http://mdphd.med.miami.edu/Admissions/).

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- Biomedical Engineering (http://bulletin.miami.edu/graduate-academic-programs/engineering/biomedical-engineering/biomedical-engineering-phd/)
- Biostatistics (http://bulletin.miami.edu/graduate-academic-programs/medicine/biostatistics/biostatistics-phd/#curriculumtext)
- Cancer Biology (http://bulletin.miami.edu/graduate-academic-programs/medicine/cancer-biology/cancer-biology-phd/)
- Epidemiology (http://bulletin.miami.edu/graduate-academic-programs/medicine/public-health/epidemiology-phd/#curriculumtext)
- Human Genetics & Genomics (http://bulletin.miami.edu/graduate-academic-programs/medicine/human-genetics-genomics/human-genetics-and-genomics-phd/)
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Goals

The goals of the MIC Graduate Program include training and acquisition of:

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- Technical skills required for experiments in the area of specialization
- Presentation skills required for teaching, scientific talks, manuscripts, and grants
- A preparation for a scientific career in academia, industry, or teaching within 5 ½ years

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**Doctoral Programs**

- **Ph.D. in Microbiology and Immunology** (p. 2576)

**MIC 202. Your Health and Immune System/ Microbiome. 3 Credit Hours.**
Recent advances in the prevention and treatment of diseases that we and loved ones’ experience. Many of these advances in prevention, diagnosis, and treatment strategies are our based on immunological principles. The course will examine how advances in our understanding of the immune system are having unprecedented effects on both health care and society. The immune system must shield us from bacterial, fungal, and viral invasion while harmoniously co-existing with beneficial microbes in our Microbiotas. The immune system is also a surveillance system that recognizes and kills the emerging enemies within: cancer cells. The course will discuss recent advances in immunology, genetic manipulation, and the Microbiota; their consequences on emerging notions of personalized health and medications; the creation of tailored biological therapies against cancer and other maladies; and what all this means for the cost healthcare, the difficult choices, and the politics of medicine. We will critically examine popular representations of these medical advances, being careful to distinguish fact from fiction and accurate representation from exaggerated claims.
Requisite: Not for Microbiology and Immunology Majors or Minors.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

**MIC 601. Medical Microbiology. 5 Credit Hours.**
Course discusses the nature of microbial agents of infectious disease as well as relationship of virulence to host resistance and fundamental immunologic concepts. Microbial physiology and genetics, the structure, design, and mechanism of action of antimicrobials.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

**MIC 623. Mechanisms of Microbial Virulence. 2 Credit Hours.**
This course will focus on the mechanisms employed by bacterial and viral pathogens to produce disease in animals and humans. The course is divided into two 3 week modules. The first module (1 credit) will cover bacterial pathogens with an emphasis on the bacteria-host cell interaction. Specific topics will include: bacterial attachment and invasion of eukaryotic cells, virulence gene regulation, secretion of virulence factors, bacterial toxins and obligate intracellular bacterial pathogens. The second module (1 credit) will cover viruses and human viral diseases with an emphasis on viral replication, gene expression, virus-host cell interactions and viral oncology. Classes will consist of a mixture of lectures and discussions of recent or classic papers. There will be one exam per module.
Prerequisites: MIC 775 and MIC 755.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

**MIC 705. Faculty Research and Discussions. 1 Credit Hour.**
Forum for the discussion of the current research projects and interests of the faculty. This course provides students with the opportunity to exchange ideas about important scientific questions and the technologies being applied to experimentally address the hypotheses being tested.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

**MIC 711. Accelerated Basic Science Medical Curriculum. 1-18 Credit Hours.**
Beginning in the latter part of June each year, extending to the middle of February of the ensuing year, the following accelerated and intensive complete basic science medical curriculum is offered: Embryology, Gross Anatomy, Histology, Biochemistry, Neuroanatomy, Biophysics and Neurophysiology, Systemic Physiology, Pathology, Medical Microbiology, and Pharmacology. single grade will be entered on the graduate transcript for this course.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.
MIC 716. Advanced Molecular Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
The molecular basis of cellular function and regulation in both procaryotic and eucaryotic systems. The molecular genetics and biochemistry of
the genetic material and its utilization during replication, transcription, translation, cellular growth, division, and differentiation. Recombinant DNA
technology and molecular genetics are discussed. This course is designed for graduate students in biological sciences. A good background in biology
or biochemistry is recommended.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIC 726. Laboratory Experimentation. 4 Credit Hours.
One or two laboratory training sessions of 6-12 weeks each. Each student rotates through faculty research laboratories in the areas of immunology,
molecular biology, and microbiology, (bacteriology, virology, parasitology) where they receive "hands on" experience by participating in ongoing
research projects.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIC 727. Laboratory Experimentation. 6 Credit Hours.
Two or three laboratory training sessions of 6-12 weeks each. Each student rotates through faculty research laboratories in the areas of immunology,
molecular biology and microbiology, (bacteriology, virology, parasitology) where they receive "hands on" experience by participating in ongoing
research projects.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MIC 728. Principles of Immunology. 3 Credit Hours.
This team-taught course will present core concepts in immunology and scientific reasoning in immunological research. The course is offered with
seven weekly modules. Each module has a common theme and consists of three lectures on fundamental immunological concepts and one session
where students present and discuss a research paper related to the theme of each module. The paper discussion session will include the use of
disease models as a portal to understand the function of immune system in health and disease. The module topics are: (1) Molecular basis of immune
recognition, (2) Innate immunity, (3) Lymphoid cell development, (4) Initiation of immune responses, (5) T cell differentiation and interaction with other
immune cells, (6) B cell immunity and tolerance, and (7) T cell tolerance. There will be one exam following the first four modules and the second exam
after the remaining three modules. One credit can be awarded for completion of any three modules and their related exam questions. On credit can
also be awarded for completion of any two modules, their related exam questions, and a self study of a current research article on immunology or
immune-based therapy using a self-designed question list in a format similar to that used in the paper discussion sessions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MIC 731. Special Work. 1-5 Credit Hours.
With the guidance of a faculty advisor, students will choose a focused topic in the area of immune therapy, survey the research findings from the
literature and write a review article. Students may then design a translation or clinical study that can be integrated as an Aim or a sub-Aim into their
thesis proposal.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MIC 751. Advance Topics in Microbiology and Virology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This advanced level course is intended to explore complex interactions of microbial pathogens and hosts at the systemic, cellular, subcellular and
molecular levels. This course consists of three modules focusing on the following topics: (1) Ubiquitin molecules at the host/pathogen interface and
inflammasomes (1 credit); (2) Microbes, emergency hematopoiesis and autoimmunity (1 credit); and (3) The role of microbes in cancer initiation,
progression and therapy (1 credit).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MIC 755. Microbiology and Immunology Research- Career Skills and Proficiencies. 1-6 Credit Hours.
This is a longitudinal training course delivered throughout all years of training. Students start taking it upon joining the Microbiology and Immunology
Program to perform research under the mentorship of participating faculty. Up to six credits may be awarded commensurate with attendance and
participation in the four modules. The four modules include: Teaching assistance (TA) experience (3 credits); Attendance and participation in the
weekly departmental seminars and completing written assignments on the seminars topics (1 credit); Attendance, participation and presentation in
Journal Clubs (1 credit); Research Forums on Responsible Conduct of Research (RCR) and career skills (1 credit).
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MIC 761. Advanced Topics in Molecular Biology of Animal Viruses. 2 Credit Hours.
This course is organized around four major themes of virological studies: (i) viral genome transcription, replication, and virus assembly; (ii) viral pathogenesis; (iii) virus cell interactions; and (iv) antiviral strategies. Most recent research developments in these areas are covered through lectures by participating faculty members as well as paper presentations by students.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
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MIC 775. Advanced Topics in Immunology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course will explore in depth the current and advanced concepts and topics in selected areas of Immunology. We will cover recent advances and cutting edge experimental approaches in cellular and molecular immunology and also expose students to concepts and themes that link the various cell types into an effective immune system. The classes will consist of a mixture of lectures and discussions of recent papers and be divided into three modules: (1) Cellular and molecular networks of Immune System (1 credit); (2) Molecular regulation of Adaptive Immunity (1 credit); (3) Immunopathologies and Immunotherapies (1 credit).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIC 780. Research Ethics. 1 Credit Hour.
The focus of this course will be on the principles of scientific integrity, in particular how to optimize rigor and reproducibility in study designs, experimentations / trials, data collection, data management, and reporting. The class will discuss how biological variables such as sex and age impact the interpretation of research outcomes, and how those variables should be considered in experimental model systems as well as in human subject recruitment and protections in clinical trials. The course will be offered in a mixed format of lectures, seminars, small group discussion and / or workshops. Throughout the class, students will initiate dialogs with clinicians who are involved in treating patients and / or clinical trials with immune therapy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
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MIC 799. Advanced Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This team-taught course will present core concepts in immune therapy and scientific reasoning underlying the therapeutic approaches. The focus will be the mechanistic understanding of the mode of action (MOA) for the major types of immune-based therapeutic agents in autoimmune diseases, cancer and infectious diseases. The types of immune therapy discussed in this class will include molecular targeting with antibodies, fusion proteins or aptamers, cell therapy and gene therapy. The course will also include the use of human diseases as a portal to understand the function of human immunology. This course will be offered in a mixed format of lectures, seminars, problem-based learning in small groups, student-led discussion of a research and/or clinical trial article on immune-based therapy, with the guidance of faculty facilitator.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MIC 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MIC 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master's degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in MIC 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MIC 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor but not for less than a total of 24. Not more than 12 hours of MIC 730 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session. Where a student has passed his/her (a) qualifying examinations, and (b) is engaged in an assistantship, he/she may still take the maximum allowable credit stated above.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
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Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIC 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
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2 **Bioinformatics Requirement:** All graduate students are required to complete a bioinformatics workshop or course before they graduate. This requirement can be met by taking either the PIB 706 (Bioinformatics for the Biomedical Sciences) or HGG 660 (Bioinformatics Theory and Practice), both tentatively offered every Spring. Students can also take Bioinformatics Workshops that are offered periodically.

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- **MIC 840** Doctoral Dissertation - Post Candidacy 1 Credit Hours

### Third Year
#### Fall
- **MIC 755** Microbiology and Immunology Research- Career Skills and Proficiencies 1-6
- **MIC 840** Doctoral Dissertation - Post Candidacy 3

Students may elect to take additional basic science courses.

Credit Hours

### Spring
- **MIC 840** Doctoral Dissertation - Post Candidacy 3
- **MIC 755** Microbiology and Immunology Research- Career Skills and Proficiencies 1-6

Students may elect to take additional basic science courses.

Credit Hours

### Summer
- **MIC 840** Doctoral Dissertation - Post Candidacy 1 Credit Hours

### Fourth Year
#### Fall
- **MIC 840** Doctoral Dissertation - Post Candidacy 3
- **MIC 755** Microbiology and Immunology Research- Career Skills and Proficiencies 1-6

Students may elect to take additional basic science courses.

Credit Hours

### Spring
- **MIC 840** Doctoral Dissertation - Post Candidacy 3
- **MIC 755** Microbiology and Immunology Research- Career Skills and Proficiencies 1-6

Students may elect to take additional basic science courses.

Credit Hours

### Summer
- **MIC 840** Doctoral Dissertation - Post Candidacy 1 Credit Hours

### Fifth Year
#### Fall
- **MIC 840** Doctoral Dissertation - Post Candidacy 3
- **MIC 755** Microbiology and Immunology Research- Career Skills and Proficiencies 1-6

Students may elect to take additional basic science courses.

Credit Hours

### Spring
- **MIC 840** Doctoral Dissertation - Post Candidacy 3
- **MIC 755** Microbiology and Immunology Research- Career Skills and Proficiencies 1-6

Students may elect to take additional basic science courses.

Credit Hours

### Summer
- **MIC 850** Research in Residence 1 Credit Hours

Total Credit Hours 70-101

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1. Students accepted as Direct Admit into the Accelerated B.S. to Ph.D. track will be eligible to waive PIB 700 and PIB 701 and to replace those courses with other courses suitable for their academic background and training goals.
Mission
The mission and objectives of the Microbiology and Immunology Ph.D. Graduate Program are to train students who wish to attain the Ph.D degree by active engagement in the design and performance of basic Microbiology and Immunology research with a Biomedical Focus that is intended to provide each Ph.D student with:

- A broad scientific reasoning ability and knowledge base in Microbiology and Immunology with a focus on its application in human health;
- Creative, technical, analytical and ethical skills required for carrying out and interpreting experiments in a responsible manner in the area of Microbiology and Immunology;
- The ability to successfully design, produce and publish scientific discoveries emanated from their own research in Microbiology and Immunology; and
- The ability to respond to the increasing demands of collaborative and interdisciplinary research, presentation and communication skills required for presenting results in scientific talks, writing manuscripts and seeking funding through grants and proposals, teaching skills and experience, and professional preparation for a scientific career in academia, industry, health care, patent law or teaching within five years or less.

Goals
The goals of the MIC Graduate Program include training and acquisition of:

- A broad scientific reasoning ability and knowledge base in Microbiology and Immunology
- Technical skills required for experiments in the area of specialization
- Presentation skills required for teaching, scientific talks, manuscripts, and grants
- A preparation for a scientific career in academia, industry, or teaching within 5 ½ years

Student Learning Outcomes

- Students in the Microbiology and Immunology graduate program will complete their training within 5 years of starting graduate school with mastery in "Knowledge of Discipline", "Responsible Conduct of Research", "Use of Appropriate Methodology", "Application of Knowledge/Methodology", Critical Thinking", Effective Written Communication", and "Effective Oral Communication".
- Students will demonstrate critical thinking skills and the application of the Scientific Method by showing the capability to develop hypotheses, and the ability to evaluate their hypotheses, paying attention to responsible conduct of research as appropriate.

Ph.D. in Molecular and Cellular Pharmacology
http://biomed.med.miami.edu/graduate-programs/molecular-and-cellular-pharmacology

Overview
Scientists in the Molecular and Cellular Pharmacology Ph. D. Program apply knowledge and techniques from diverse areas of biology, chemistry, physics, and informatics to study the action of drugs on fundamental processes in living systems.

The goals of the research in this GRADUATE PROGRAM are:

- to identify new targets, mechanisms and pathways for development of therapeutics
- to use drugs and other bioactive molecules as tools in the study of basic biological processes
- to develop and study agents that may be beneficial in the treatment of disease

Research in this program is highly multidisciplinary, encompassing diverse fields, including genetics, biochemistry, biophysics, molecular and cell biology, imaging, computational modeling, bioinformatics and genetically engineered yeast, fly, and mouse models. The faculty are a mixture of senior scientists who are recognized leaders in their respective fields and more junior faculty with recent training in state-of-the-art approaches to important biomedical problems. Research interests of the faculty include:

Drug Discovery and Computational Pharmacology:
Investigators in this area focus on the use of bioinformatics, high-throughput assay development, medicinal chemistry, in vivo animal testing, and other tools to identify and develop novel molecular probes and possible lead candidates to address various therapeutic needs of interest including cancer, diabetes, cardiovascular, kidney and neurodegenerative diseases. Current research is focused on G-protein coupled receptors (GPCRs), protein kinases, regulation of gene expression, protein-protein interactions, and other post-translational modifications.

Cardiovascular Pharmacology / Muscle Contraction
Studies of cardiac muscle contraction and the effect of disease-causing mutations in the contractile apparatus of the heart on heart performance are being pursued. Current research areas include structure/function relationships in the proteins in health and disease, cardiotoxicity of chemotherapy agents, the role of microRNAs in cholesterol biosynthesis and smooth muscle cell plasticity, and the stem cell-based therapy for cardiac disease. In addition to cardiac myocytes, researchers investigate fibroblasts, endothelial and smooth and skeletal muscle cells.
Neuroscience / Endocrinology
Investigators in this area study the function, pharmacology, development and diseases of the nervous system. Current research interests include neuronal signaling, control of physiological functions by neurons, endocrine pancreas and kidney; the genetic and cellular basis of neural development and degeneration using the fruit fly Drosophila melanogaster as a model system.

Cell Biology / Cancer
Investigators in this area study cell cycle control and cancer, gene expression, mechanisms of hormone action, signal transduction, cytoskeleton, posttranslational modification and degradation of proteins, stem cells, and novel therapeutics targeting receptors and protein kinases.

Current research interests include steroid hormone regulation of gene expression and cell proliferation; cell cycle checkpoints during DNA replication; control of cell polarity and morphogenesis; molecular basis of human lymphoma; endocrine-related cancers including prostate and breast; stem cell maintenance and therapy; and physiochemical and metabolic aspects of drug design.

Model Systems
Model organisms used in these studies include transgenic and knock-out/knock-in mouse, fly (Drosophila), and yeast models. Yeast and Drosophila are important models because of the powerful molecular and genetic approaches and tools available. These systems are being used to study fundamental processes such as apoptosis, cell cycle, signal transduction, membrane dynamics, cytoskeleton, cell polarity and development. Because most of these processes are conserved in evolution, investigators are using these systems to screen for therapeutic agents and to identify targets of pharmacologically relevant compounds.

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Admission Requirements
Applicants to biomedical programs should have a bachelor degree in a biological or related discipline (e.g., psychology, chemistry, engineering, physics). Although there are no prerequisite requirements, courses in general biology, cell/molecular biology, calculus, general physics, organic chemistry, physical chemistry, and biochemistry are encouraged. Applications are generally accepted from September to December for fall entry only. Select applicants will be offered an interview.

COMPETITIVE CANDIDATES WILL HAVE THE FOLLOWING:
• Excellent academic record
• Research experience in a laboratory setting
• Publications of abstract and / or papers
• Co-authorship in a peer-reviewed journal is recommended
• Strong letters of recommendation from research scientists who know the candidate well
• Motivation to pursue state-of-the-art biomedical research

APPLICANTS MUST SUBMIT THE FOLLOWING:
• Online Application
• Application Fee
• Official Academic Transcripts
• English Proficiency Exam (non-native speakers)
• Statement of Purpose
• Resume / CV

Full application instructions can be found here (http://biomed.med.miami.edu/apply/).
Curriculum Requirements

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Total Credit Hours: 68-92

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1. Students in this program take PIB 700 twice for a total of 2 credits. Please see the Plan of Study for more information.
2. Students in this program take MCP 701 four times for a total of 8 credits. Please see the Plan of Study for more information.
3. The student should be working in the laboratory where he/she intends to do his/her thesis research by the summer, first year. Nearly all of the student's time is spent on original laboratory research – with a minimum total of 24 credit hours of research for graduation.
4. MCP 743 is a pre-requisite requirement which must be completed prior to enrolling in MCP 704 & MCP 753.

Plan of Study

In the first year, students receive a solid foundation in biomedical science. The core coursework ranges from molecules to cells to systems of human physiology. Lectures are balanced by breakout sessions, in which faculty members discuss the primary literature with students in small groups. The core curriculum also offers critical learning opportunities in biostatistics and in using genomic and other databases, as well as education in ethics. Students also meet several times in small groups with experienced faculty mentors to discuss important issues of student development.

In subsequent semesters, students take core courses encompassing Mechanisms of Drug Action MCP 704, Neuropharmacology MCP 768, Cardiovascular Pharmacology MCP 732, Python Programming for Bioscientists MCP 743, Systems Biology and Approaches in Pharmacology MCP 752, and Computational Pharmacology and Fundamentals of Drug Design MCP 753. A variety of elective courses are offered by this program and other basic science programs at the Miller School of Medicine.

Minimum credit requirements for the PhD degree are set by the University at 36 course credits (including specific required courses) and 24 credit hours of research (for a total of 60 credits). The course credits must be earned in graduate level (600 and above) courses. Students may elect to take any of the graduate courses offered by the MCP program, in addition to the mandatory courses, or choose from a large variety of advanced courses offered by other basic science programs at the University of Miami Miller School of Medicine.

The student should be working in the laboratory where he/she intends to do his/her thesis research by the summer, first year. By the beginning of the spring semester of the second year, students are required to take the Qualifying Exam (QE). The goals of the QE are (1) to assess the scientific proficiency of the student, especially his/her ability to design experiments and to write a competitive grant application; and (2) to aid the student and mentor in the process of obtaining extramural funds to support the student's stipend.
The thesis proposal is expected to be passed during the third year, Fall semester. It is important to note that in the MCP program this is not the Qualifying Exam. Rather, it is a collegial meeting with the thesis committee where the student discusses his/her preliminary data and plans for the thesis. Students normally meet with the committee for progress meetings every 9 months.

The thesis is defended in front of the entire program and also in a meeting with the committee. The average time-to-completion is 5.5 years.

Please note that the following is a sample curriculum plan. Current students must discuss their plan with their program coordinator to make adjustments as needed.

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  Credit Hours  5

Summer
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Year Four
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Year Five
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Spring
MCP 850  Research in Residence  1
  Credit Hours  1

Total Credit Hours  70

Mission
The Graduate Program in Molecular and Cellular Pharmacology (MCP) offers graduate training leading to a Ph.D. in Pharmacology. The mission of the program is to endow our students with the skills for research work in the area of life science.

Goals
Our students learn:

- To understand central concepts in pharmacology and basic biomedical science;
- To identify existing gaps in current knowledge about molecular and cellular pharmacology and formulate scientific hypotheses; and
- To design sound research plans, perform original laboratory or computational research, analyze data and effectively disseminate the results.

Student Learning Outcomes
- Students demonstrate the ability to produce original research data, and publish it in peer-reviewed international scientific journals.
- Students learn to be flexible in applying their knowledge base to the rapidly changing employment environment.

MCP 701. Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Review of related literature, discussion of special topics, student presentations and attendance of faculty/department seminars. Course may be repeated for a total of eight credits.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MCP 704. Mechanisms of Drug Action. 3 Credit Hours.
This course consists of a combination of lectures, problem sessions and student presentations. Students will be given in-depth exposure to the fundamental principles of Pharmacology. The mechanism of action of some specific drug classes will be examined in detail.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MCP 731. Special Topics. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Directed readings on subjects not ordinarily treated in depth in specific courses. Course may also consist of special laboratory problems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MCP 732. Cardiovascular Pharmacology. 2-3 Credit Hours.
The course covers cardiovascular pharmacology, necessary cardiovascular physiology and anatomy and the function and pharmacology of the autonomic nervous system. The students learn about the function and energetics of the heart and how it is changed in cardiac disease.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MCP 743. Introductory Python Programming for Bioscientists. 3 Credit Hours.
The course is designed to teach the basic of the Python programming language. Students will learn to use code to solve problems related to biological datasets such as genomes, proteomes, and molecular structures.
Components: DIS.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MCP 752. Systems Biology and Approaches in Pharmacology. 3 Credit Hours.
In this course students will discuss the biochemical structure and function of signaling pathways that are most frequently targeted by the pharmaceutical industry. Students will be exposed to novel concepts and findings, in particular with regards to innovative therapeutic applications. Each week will address a different pathway or signaling network, its biological targets and functions, and specific drugs that target it. Each week includes one lecture and one class where students and instructor convene to discuss articles, technical approaches or fundamental questions in the field.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MCP 753. Computational Pharmacology and Fundamentals of Drug Design. 3 Credit Hours.
In pharmacology, the importance of computation and bio- and chemo-informatics cannot be overestimated. This course is collectively taught by the MCP faculty and addresses the following four distinct areas. (1) Computer-based analysis of drug-receptor interactions. Students learn principles and specific software packages for in silico docking of drugs to proteins, predict structure-activity relationships and become familiar with programming tools required for such tasks. (2) Using on-line databases to study biological activity, therapeutic indexes, toxicity and other characteristics of drugs and other chemicals. Similarly, they learn to analyze the vast information available for drug targets such as receptor proteins and enzymes. (3) Students learn about pharmacogenomics, an area essential for personalized medicine. Here, they learn, for example, how to predict the reaction of certain populations to particular treatments. (4) Students learn about the drug development pipeline, starting with the design, through screening chemical libraries and to the basics of FDA approval.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MCP 768. Neuropharmacology. 2-3 Credit Hours.
An intensive course covering the regulation of neural processes by drugs that target neurotransmitter signaling at the level of GPCRs, G proteins, second-messengers and ion channels.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MCP 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MCP 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master’s degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in MCP 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MCP 830. Dissertation Research-Pre-Candidacy. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required for all PhD candidates. The student will enroll for credits as determined by their advisor/Office of Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies. No more than 12 hours of research may be taken in a regular semester, and no more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MCP 840. Doctoral Dissertation- Post Candidacy. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required for all PhD candidates. The student will enroll for credits as determined by their advisor/Office of Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies but not less than a total of 24. No more than 12 hours of research may be taken in a regular semester, and no more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MCP 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Student must be registered in the semester they plan to defend. Used to establish research in residence for the PhD after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Student may be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Molecular Cell and Developmental Biology
http://biomed.med.miami.edu/graduate-programs/molecular-cell-and-developmental-biology

Overview
The graduate program in Molecular Cell and Developmental Biology offers graduate training towards the PhD degree in the fields of molecular cell biology, cell biology, developmental biology and cancer biology. In order to provide a wide range of current research opportunities, this program is interdisciplinary, comprised primarily of faculty from the department of Cell Biology and includes additional faculty from several other Departments and Centers at the Miller School of Medicine. These include: the Departments of Microbiology & Immunology, Molecular & Cellular Pharmacology, Medicine, Ophthalmology, Urology, Surgery, Neurosurgery and Neurology, the Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center, and the Miami Project to Cure Paralysis.

Students have the opportunity to do research in the many areas of modern cell, molecular and developmental biology. Research topics including the cytoskeleton, cell surface molecular biology, stem cells, lens, corneal and retinal biology, protein processing and sorting, signal transduction, airway biology, regulation of gene expression in development, podocyte biology, cancer biology, neuromuscular development, malignant transformation, growth factors, epithelial cell biology, organogenesis and tissue repair, pattern formation in early development, RNA localization, mitochondrial molecular biology and cancer therapeutics.

The primary objective of this interdisciplinary graduate program is to prepare students for careers as independent, PhD level researchers and educators, in both academic institutions and in the biotechnology industry and other venues.

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Admission Requirements
Applicants to biomedical programs should have a bachelor degree in a biological or related discipline (e.g., psychology, chemistry, engineering, physics). Although there are no prerequisite requirements, courses in general biology, cell/molecular biology, calculus, general physics, organic
chemistry, physical chemistry, and biochemistry are encouraged. Applications are generally accepted from September to December for fall entry only. Select applicants will be offered an interview.

**COMPETITIVE CANDIDATES WILL HAVE THE FOLLOWING:**

- Excellent academic record
- Competitive GRE exam scores
- Research experience in a laboratory setting
- Publications of abstract and/or papers
- Co-authorship in a peer-reviewed journal is recommended
- Strong letters of recommendation from research scientists who know the candidate well
- Motivation to pursue state-of-the-art biomedical research

**APPLICANTS MUST SUBMIT THE FOLLOWING:**

- Online Application
- Application Fee
- Official Academic Transcripts
- GRE General Test
- English Proficiency Exam (non-native speakers)
- Statement of Purpose
- Resume/CV

Full application instructions can be found here (http://biomed.med.miami.edu/apply/).

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Total Credit Hours 60

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Plan of Study

The program's Graduate Studies Committee assists each entering student in tailoring a program to match his/her interests. First year students take courses in a core curriculum taught by faculty from the medical basic science departments. Courses are taught not only by formal lectures, but also as seminars and informal discussions. The curriculum is designed to provide broad knowledge in the various aspects of modern cell biology, developmental biology, molecular biology and biochemistry in addition to intensive training in certain specialized areas of research according to the student's interests. In the remaining years of study, nearly all of the student's time is spent on original laboratory research. Students are usually admitted in the Fall semester.

Minimum credit requirements for the PhD degree are set by the University at 36 course credits (including specific required courses) and 24 credit hours of research (for a total of 60 credits). The course credits must be earned in graduate level (600 and above) courses. Students may elect to take any of the graduate courses offered by the MDB program, in addition to the mandatory courses, or choose from a large variety of advanced courses offered by other basic science programs at the University of Miami Miller School of Medicine.

Mandatory courses for the program include Biostatistics (PIB 705 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=PIB%20705)), Advanced Cell Biology: Approaches to Molecular Medicine (MDB 751 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=MDB%20751)), Current Topics in Mammalian Development (MDB 752 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=MDB%20752)), Histology (MDB 753 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=MDB%20753)), and *Tumor Biology (MDB 765 (http://bulletin.miami.edu/search/?P=MDB%20765)). The latter may be replaced by any graduate level course in human disease or neuronal cell biology. *These courses are electives for MD/PhD students.

Throughout the program the students are expected to attend department seminars (Tuesdays at noon), journal club (select Wednesdays at noon), and student presentations (on Wednesdays at noon).

The student should be working in the laboratory where he/she intends to do his/her thesis research by the summer, first year. At the end of the Fall semester of the second year, students are required to take the Qualifying Exam (QE). The goals of the QE are (1) to assess the scientific proficiency of the student, especially his/her ability to design experiments and to write a competitive grant application; and (2) to aid the student and mentor in the process of obtaining extramural funds to support the student’s stipend.

The thesis proposal is expected to be passed during the second year, Summer semester. It is important to note that in the MDB program this is not the Qualifying Exam. Rather, it is a collegial meeting with the thesis committee where the student discusses his/her preliminary data and plans for the thesis. Students normally meet with the committee for progress meetings every 6-9 months.

The thesis is defended in front of the entire program and also in a meeting with the committee. The average time-to-completion is 5.5 years.

Please note that the following is a sample curriculum plan. Current students must discuss their plan with their program coordinator to make adjustments as needed.

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| PIB 783  | Professional Development: Skills for Success II | 1 |
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Mission

The mission of the Graduate Program in Molecular Cell and Developmental Biology is to educate students in molecular cell and developmental biology and to train highly qualified scientists for independent careers in scientific research and education.

Goals

The program objectives is to provide our students with:

- A solid foundation in the fundamentals of modern molecular, cell and developmental biology through formal courses;
- An understanding of scientific theory, methods, and current research literature through scientific seminars and journal clubs; and
- Intellectual and technical expertise in modern methods of cell and molecular biology through structured laboratory research and scientific writing skills for both scientific papers and grant applications.

Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will demonstrate an overall knowledge and understanding of the core concepts in Molecular Cell and Developmental Biology, including the essential technical skills to conduct research in the Molecular Cell and Developmental Biology.
- Students will demonstrate critical thinking skills, the capability to develop conjectures, the ability to evaluate their Hypotheses, paying attention to responsible conduct of research as appropriate.
- Students will demonstrate the ability to write effective scientific reports and to present scientific results orally.

MDB 701. Seminar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Students are required to present their research findings as well as attend Department Faculty seminars.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MDB 710. Readings in Cell Biology. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Current and classical research papers in cell, developmental, and molecular biology. Critical evaluation of papers and the methodologies used is included.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MDB 713. Topics in Cell Biology. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Formal seminar course in which each student presents a lecture relating to a specific theme. Topic areas include cell, developmental, and molecular biology with the subject changing each term.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MDB 751. Advanced Cell Biology Approaches to Molecular Medicine. 2-3 Credit Hours.
Structure, function, and biogenesis of cellular organelles and the cytoskeleton, including their regulation and dynamic interactions. The course is taught in seminars, followed by student-led discussion of recent relevant papers in the literature. The goal of the course is to lead the students to in-depth conceptual and methodological analysis of selected topics up the understanding of current leading-edge research in specific topics in Cell Biology. The course is designed to cover knowledge beyond the text books and to enable the students to design and criticize experimental approaches in Cell Biology acceptable for current peer-review criteria.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
**MDB 752. Current Topics in Mammalian Development. 2-3 Credit Hours.**
The course will cover central emerging topics in mammalian development today including embryonic stem cells, micro RNA gene regulation, and organogenesis. The class will have an interactive format, starting with basic lecture in mammalian development; subsequent sessions will include an overview of the selected topic by faculty, followed by round table discussions of current paper(s) in the field.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Spring.

**MDB 753. Histology. 1 Credit Hour.**
This course will offer the student a virtual slide collection of histology with interactive lectures to support image-based learning. The course covers basic tissues, organs, and systems (vascular; heart; pancreas; eyes; brain; spinal cord; liver; lung; mouse embryo; GI track). The course will meet once a week for one hour.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Spring.

**MDB 763. Stem Cell Biology and Genetic Engineering for Regenerative Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course is designed to provide a current overview on the cell and molecular biology of stem cells, their identification and analysis, and the current status of their use for the repair and regeneration of a variety of tissues including heart, lung, muscle, pancreatic, neuronal and others.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**MDB 765. Tumor Biology. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course, comprised of lectures and student-led literature discussion, is intended to provide broad-based instruction on the modern molecular and cellular aspects of cancer biology, basic and translational research. The course highlights multiple areas including cell cycle, apoptosis, epidemiology, angiogenesis, and meets two times weekly.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall.

**MDB 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.**
Current and classical research papers in cell, developmental, and molecular biology. Critical evaluation of papers and the methodologies used is included.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**MDB 820. Research in Residence. 1-6 Credit Hours.**
Direct laboratory experience as determined by the Departmental Graduate Committee.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**MDB 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.**
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor but not for less than a total of 24. Not more than 12 hours of MDB 730 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session. Where a student has passed his/her (a) qualifying examinations, and (b) is engaged in an assistantship, he/she may still take the maximum allowable credit stated above.

**Components:** THI.

**Grading:** SUS.

**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**MDB 840. Doctoral Dissertation- Post Candidacy. 1-12 Credit Hours.**
Required for all PhD candidates. The student will enroll for credits as determined by their advisor/ Office of Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies but not less than a total of 24. No more than 12 hours of research may be taken in a regular semester, and no more than six in a summer session.

**Components:** THI.

**Grading:** SUS.

**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**MDB 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.**
Student must be registered in the semester they plan to defend. Used to establish research in residence for the PhD after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Student may be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.

**Components:** THI.

**Grading:** SUS.

**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.
Ph.D. in Neuroscience
http://biomed.med.miami.edu/graduate-programs/neuroscience

Overview
The Neuroscience Program was formed in 1989 by a committee of neuroscientists led by the Provost and organized as a university-wide program. A representative steering committee was established, and Dr. Richard Rotundo was appointed as the first chair. In 1992, the Neuroscience Program became an independent, PhD-granting entity. Neuroscience research is a major focus at the University of Miami and the Neuroscience Graduate Program (NGP) is currently composed of 30 graduate students and 78 faculty members with diverse research interests, but also with some areas of commonality. Areas of concentration include neurotrauma such as stroke, spinal cord injury and traumatic brain injury, mechanisms of addiction, neurodegenerative diseases such as multiple sclerosis and Alzheimer’s disease, and sensory transduction of the somatosensory, visual, auditory, olfactory and gustatory systems. The Neuroscience Graduate Program faculty are from 19 different departments and distributed across three University of Miami campuses: Miller School of Medicine (MSOM) campus, Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science (RSMAS) campus and the Coral Gables (CG) campus. This comprehensive, diverse group of faculty, students and scientists that make up the Neuroscience Graduate Program is a cornerstone of research and graduate education in biomedical sciences at the University of Miami.

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Admission Requirements
Admission to the Neuroscience Program is through the common umbrella of Programs in the Biomedical Sciences (PIBS), for all biomedical PhD programs.

For more information, please visit this website (http://biomed.med.miami.edu/graduate-programs/programs-in-biomedical-sciences-pibs/).

Curriculum Requirements
Graduate training is the major goal of the program, with emphasis on cellular, molecular, and genetic approaches to Neuroscience. A single core curriculum provides the didactic scaffold of the program. This curriculum consists of courses in Developmental Neuroscience, Membrane Biophysics, Introductory Neuroscience, Neural Systems, and Neuroanatomy. The core courses are supplemented with a variety of Special Topics Short Courses. Students also attend research seminars and a scientific journal club. The Neuroscience Steering Committee guides the students, overseeing their coursework, until they have passed their qualifying exams. From then on, their progress is supervised by individually tailored dissertation committees.

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## Sample Plan of Study

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### Mission

The Neuroscience Graduate Program offers training leading to a Ph.D. in Neuroscience. The program's mission is to provide students with 1) an understanding of the central concepts in neuroscience and basic biomedical science and 2) the ability to formulate, carry out, and communicate original research in neuroscience.

### Goals

- Ensure that students obtain fundamental knowledge of the central concepts in neuroscience and basic biomedical science
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- Provide rigorous training for writing and orally presenting neuroscience
- Develop student's ability to write a successful grant application
- Nurture a student's ability to teach others neuroscience and to collaborate to achieve common research goals
- Promote publishing of original research performed with high ethical and rigorous standards that make a substantial contribution to neuroscience
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Student Learning Outcomes

• Students should demonstrate overall knowledge and understanding of the core concepts in neuroscience, including the essential skills necessary for conducting research in the field of neuroscience.
• Students should demonstrate critical thinking skills, the capability to develop hypotheses, and the ability to evaluate their hypotheses, paying attention to responsible conduct of research as appropriate.
• Students should demonstrate the ability to write effective scientific reports and to present scientific results orally.
• Students should, in honing research capabilities throughout their graduate careers, publish original research in peer-reviewed journals.
• Students should submit for extramural fellowships, the receipt of which will prove valuable to the student, the program, and the university.
• Students should be encouraged to formulate, carry out, and defend dissertation research in a timely manner, keeping the program's mean time from matriculation to defense low so that the student can take the next step in his or her career.

NEU 721. Principles of Membrane Physiology and Biophysics I Chemical and physical structure of membranes, model systems, permeability and transport, membrane potential, ionic channels, excitability in nerve and muscle, ionophores, active transport, and membrane receptors. (2 credits)

NEU 722. Principles of Membrane Physiology and Biophysics II Osmosis and cell volume, permeability and compartmentation, cable properties, Hodgkin-Huxley formalism, Na, K, and Ca ion channels, regulation of cellular Na, Ca activities, single-channel analysis, chemical synapses, membrane receptors, cell junctions, excitation and E-C coupling in muscle. Prerequisite: NEU 721. (2 credits)

NEU 761. Neuroscience I – Molecular and Cellular Neuroscience An eight-week introduction to the cellular and molecular biology of the nervous system. The course is an intensive, interactive discussion of experimental method, data analysis regarding neurons, synapses, sensory cells, glia and learning/memory. (2 credits)

NEU 762. Systems Neuroscience Sensory, motor and integrative neuroscience at the level of functional systems. The course concentrates on the experimental basis for our understanding of nervous system function using didactic lectures and student discussions of research literature. Students are expected to have a working knowledge of synaptic transmission, excitable cell membranes, and ion channels from previous coursework in NEU 721/722 and NEU 761. [Prerequisites: NEU 721/22 and NEU 761, or in exceptional cases, permission of instructors]. (4 credits)

NEU 763. Developmental Neuroscience This course will explore nervous system development from early neural induction and neurogenesis to the construction of neural circuits. Cellular and molecular mechanisms of neurulation and CNS patterning, neural progenitor migration, neural crest and ectodermal placodes, programmed cell death, construction of neural circuits and axon guidance, and synaptogenesis will be covered. (2 credits)

NEU 797. Neuroanatomy Functional neuroanatomy for neuroscience research. Emphasis is on gross anatomy, identification of pathways and circuits, and a description of the physiological functions of neuroanatomical systems. Each lecture will contain some clinical examples and/or case histories, and a laboratory segment for study of human and sheep brains. Brain models and online tools including 3-dimensional rotations are included. (2 credits)

NEU 731. Advanced Topics in Neuroscience A seminar course with guided readings and discussions based on research literature. The course is taught by faculty in areas related to their research topics. The course may include writing assignments or homework exercises. All NEU program students are required to pass this course at least once before requesting sufficiency. Not available every semester. Announcements for this course are sent by email to all NEU students. (1 credit)

NEU 750. Modeling CNS Injury and Repair (elective) An overview of a number of complex modeling systems using in CNS Injury and Repair biomedical research. The course examines models, such as spinal cord injury, traumatic brain injury, ischemic/stroke injury, experimental autoimmune
encephalomyelitis (EAE) model of multiple sclerosis, axon regeneration in retinal nerve and spinal cord, and drosophila models of degeneration. The course will consist of both lectures and hands-on laboratory components. Not available every academic year. (1 credit)

**NEU 700.** Seminars in Neuroscience  Required each Fall and Spring for all NEU students, emphasizes student research presentations (30 min each for 2nd year students; 60 min each for 3rd year on). Attendance at neuroscience related seminars is also required. (1 credit)

**NEU 830.** Doctoral Dissertation – Pre Candidacy  Dissertation Research before requesting Admission to Candidacy (i.e. before Qualifying Exam). No more than 6 (six) of these credits may be taken prior to completion of the Qualifying Exam. (variable credits)

**NEU 840.** Doctoral Dissertation – Post Candidacy  Dissertation Research after Admission to Candidacy. (variable credits)

**NEU 850.** Research in Residence – Defense Semester  Dissertation Research after the student has defended their dissertation but is preparing dissertation for final submission to Graduate School, or has accumulated the permissible total in doctoral research credits.

**Ophthalmology**

http://biomed.miami.edu/graduate-programs/ms-in-vision-science-and-investigative-ophthalmology

**Overview**

Bascom Palmer Eye Institute is pleased to offer a unique graduate degree, the Master of Science in Vision Science and Investigative Ophthalmology (MVSIO). This innovative program, the first of its kind in the world, offers comprehensive training in ophthalmic translational research, problem-based learning, management and a skill set available only at Bascom Palmer Eye Institute.

The MVSIO program focuses on science and laboratory research, including the disciplines of electrophysiology, biochemistry and molecular biology, as well as exposure to ocular clinical details and ocular pathology. It will prepare students for a planned Ph.D. graduate program in vision science and investigative ophthalmology as well as for industry jobs and future residency training.

In addition, the multidisciplinary program builds management, administrative, and entrepreneurial skills for professionals desiring a vision science-oriented career in startup companies, management of non-profit organizations, academic practices, government regulatory agencies, and medical device and pharmaceutical companies.

Led by Bascom Palmer Eye Institute’s world-class faculty and supported by leading-edge technology, the MVSIO program opens the door to new career opportunities for medical school graduates, clinicians and other professionals.

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**M.S. in Vision Science and Investigative Ophthalmology**

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Admission Requirements

All individuals with strong background education in biology, biochemical, or biological sciences are eligible to submit an application; having taken courses in anatomy and physiology is advantageous. We strongly encourage the following to apply:

- Candidates with medical degrees (M.D.) from U.S. or foreign institutions.
- Candidates who have a bachelor’s degree in experimental sciences encompassing any area of biological or biochemical sciences, provided they have the equivalent of a 3.5 or higher grade point average.
- Students with a cumulative grade point average of 3.5 and above (or U.S. equivalent) in their undergraduate degree, provided they have relevant work experience.
- Medical degree students: Step 1 United States Medical Licensing Examination (USMLE) - score greater than 245 is preferred.

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By training graduate students in research, research management skills and enterprise management, the goal of the MVSIO degree is to educate the next generation of leaders in vision science.

Goals
Consistent with the university’s strategic vision, the goals of the programs are:

• Train Master’s students in research and research management skills; and
• Prepare students for a future PhD-level program in Vision Science and investigative Ophthalmology.

Student Learning Outcomes
By training graduate students in research, research management skills and enterprise management, the goal of the MVSIO degree is to educate the next generation of leaders in vision science, including:

• Science graduates who want to extend their intellectual horizons
• College graduates who intend to improve their medical education prior to entering medical school
• Professionals in industry, academic research settings, regulatory bodies and philanthropic organizations
• Prospective entrepreneurs in the growing field of vision care
• Medical school graduates interested in joining an ophthalmology residency program

Clinician and non-clinician graduates with medical degrees from foreign countries

**OPH 610. Anatomy and Physiology of the Eye. 1 Credit Hour.**
This course introduces the major anatomical and physiological regions of the eye, including cornea, lens, retina, optic nerve, cranial nerves and extraocular tissues. Emphasis is placed on the relationship between the eye and others systems. Demonstrations include eye dissection, visual testing and visual perception experimentation.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

**OPH 615. Pathology of Eye Diseases. 1 Credit Hour.**
This course covers in detail the major pathologies of the eye, including congenital diseases and syndromes, infectious diseases, tumors and adult-onset degenerations. Emphasis is placed on pathophysiological mechanisms contributing to pathology, and also covers examination of the eye, diagnostic features, and management of major eye diseases. Demonstrations include histological sections, OCT, visual field and angiogram, and associated diagnostic criteria.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
OPH 620. Ocular Pharmacology, Epidemiology, and Biostatistics. 1 Credit Hour.
Course will teach local anesthetics, anti-infectious, anti-allergic agents, control of ocular pain, adverse ocular and systemic reactions caused by therapeutic agents will be part of the course. Ocular therapeutic principles (pharmacokinetics and pharmacodynamics, toxicity), sources of drug information, new drug development, drug regulations as applicable to different areas of operation including prescription writing will be discussed. An introductory course in epidemiologic and biostatistics methodology covering study design for investigation of both infectious and chronic diseases of the eye; screening programs and health services research will also be discussed. Outbreak investigation, natural history of infectious diseases, validity of clinical tests, survival analysis, and clinical trial and etiologic studies will be discussed. Methods of biostatistician evaluation of experiment design and analyses of data to decipher significant non-significant results and general tools for statistical analyses will be reviewed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OPH 625. Microbiology and Immunology of the Eye. 1 Credit Hour.
Students will learn concepts and terminologies of immunology, bacteriology, virology, parasitology and mycology with an emphasis on mechanisms of microbial disease transmission and host defense mechanisms. Students become familiar with the types of organisms responsible for human disease, the mechanisms by which they produce disease, and the application of this knowledge to the treatment of patients. This course integrates the biomedical disciplines of immunology and medical microbiology. Infectious and immunological diseases with relevance to the clinical setting and pharmacological approaches will be presented. A basic understanding of the classification and characteristics of infectious microorganisms, the mechanisms by which infectious agents cause disease, and methods of both prevention and treatment are highlighted. Causes and treatment of immune diseases will also be presented. Concepts of inflammation, sepsis, cell injury, tissue repair, hemodynamic disorders, genetic disorders, environmental and nutritional pathology, immunodeficiency diseases, autoimmune and metabolic diseases will be presented. Throughout the course, small group tutorials and interactive clinical correlations based on clinical cases linking basic science concepts to clinical medicine will be presented. Tutorials, clinico-pathological correlations and laboratories emphasize problem-solving skills, integration of knowledge and independent learning.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OPH 630. Ophthalmic Genetics. 1 Credit Hour.
This course provides an overview of the influence of genetics in ophthalmology with respect to understanding pathogenic mechanisms of eye diseases, and the development of novel therapeutic strategies. The course will provide an introduction to complex and Mendelian genetics, and research strategies involved in identifying disease-associated genetic changes. Specific topics include hereditary retinal diseases, genetic associations in age related macular degeneration and glaucoma, genetics of myopia and optic nerve diseases, and mitochondrial disorders affecting the eye. Additional discussions include current gene therapy clinical trials.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OPH 635. Electrophysiology of the eye. 1 Credit Hour.
This course will introduce the basic principles of electrophysiology of the eye, identify neural signals, neurotransmitters, molecular signaling within neurons. Additionally, the sensation and sensory systems. Emphasis is placed on the relationship between the eye and other signals and senses.
Corequisite: OPH 663.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OPH 640. Vision and Optics. 2 Credit Hours.
This course will provide an introduction to the principles of geometrical optics and its application to the study and assessment of the visual system. Topic covered will include fundamental of geometrical optics, principles of optical system components (lenses, mirrors, prisms, light sources), optics of the eye and vision correction, basic principles of visual optical instruments (loupe, microscopes, telescopes), and principles and applications of ophthalmic diagnostic and imaging systems, including ophthalmoscopes, retinoscopes, slit-lamp, keratometers, corneal topography systems, aberrometers and optical coherence tomography.
Corequisite: OPH 662.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OPH 645. Biochemistry, Cellular and Molecular Ophthalmology. 2 Credit Hours.
An introduction to biochemistry with emphasis on ocular clinical applications. Topics will include nutrition, cellular biology, biochemistry of tears, conjunctiva, and cornea. The structure and functions of proteins and enzymes as well as metabolism of carbohydrates and lipids will be discussed. Case studies and journal articles will be used to demonstrate the useful applications of these principles to ocular health-related issues.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
OPH 661. LAB: Basic Biochemistry, Microbiology, and Pathology. 3 Credit Hours.
Experiments related to molecular biology (includes PCR, DNA cloning, hybridization analysis, restriction mapping, and DNA sequence analysis),
protein purification and analysis (salt fractionation, ion exchange chromatography, affinity chromatography, SDS-PAGE, and immuno-blotting), and
determination of enzyme kinetic parameters.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OPH 662. Lab: Basic and Applied Optics and Statistics. 1 Credit Hour.
This laboratory course serves as a companion to the Vision and Optics course. It will include practical hands-on examples of the application of
geometrical optical theory to the design and calculation of optical systems, provide an initial hands-on experience with basic optical system setup
on an optical bench, and provide basic hand-on training or demonstration of ophthalmic diagnostic techniques and instruments, including refraction,
opthalmoscopy, retinoscopy, slit-lamp examination, aberrometry, corneal topography and optical coherence tomography.
Corequisite: OPH 640.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OPH 663. Lab: Electrophysiology, Clinical Testing and Applications. 1 Credit Hour.
This laboratory work will introduce the students to novel clinical recording techniques, electrophysiologic tests, and clinical applications of ERG, EOG,
and VEP. Emphasis is placed on novel and specialized clinical applications and recordings. The course will be divided in two sections. Section one
ends with focus on the effects of maturation, aging, and testing in infants. Section two will conclude with electrophysiologic findings of many clinical
conditions and clinical applications of ERG, EOG, and VEP of various eye disorders/diseases.
Corequisite: OPH 635.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OPH 691. Clinical Ophthalmology Update. 2 Credit Hours.
Society, Science and Medicine. History and evolution of medicine, Seminars on different aspects of medicine including a broad spectrum view of
career options. The emphasis will be how medicine has been developed historically, its efficacy, and the future outlook. For example, antibiotic
resistant bacteria was discovered in 12,000 year old underground caves that makes us realize that antibiotic resistance is an old problem and we need
to have an outlook bearing that in mind.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OPH 771. PBL: Advanced and High Throughput Approaches in Science. 2 Credit Hours.
The Problem-Based Learning Method (PBL) was designed to teach students in small groups to identify specific techniques that will yield the
answers to the problems. Content will include the underlying norms and principles that shaped these concepts. The courses also include plenary
session presentations by experts on relevant topics and their use in preparing manuscripts and grant applications and policies regarding conduct of
experiments using these techniques.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OPH 772. PBL: Management skills and Tools for Academia and Enterprises. 2 Credit Hours.
This Problem-Based learning course will introduce grant writing, pre-award preparation, post-award management and will be taught using problem-
based modules. Federal and non-federal extramural grants will be used as modules specific aspects of different segmental grants will be presented.
Major research grant, training and fellowships, grants-in-aid will be taught. In addition, small business innovation research (SBIR) or STTR will be
covered. Students will learn techniques to analyze markets, identify optimal opportunities, develop plans to sell their vision in order to attract talent
and stakeholders. A series of problem-based lectures integrates modern business concepts from an entrepreneurial approach.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
**OPH 773. PBL: Animal Models, Regulatory issues, and Research Methods. 2 Credit Hours.**

Part I: The aim of this Problem-Based learning course is to provide students the basic understanding and expertise pertaining to generation and implementation of preclinical research IACUC protocol. This course consists of a problem based learning module with a focus on developing students' understanding of various animal models in preclinical research and how to refine animal research models that meet the requirement of IACUC regulation. Part II: The purpose of this course is to provide clinical research regulatory expertise with an aim to create future leaders in the drug development industry. This regulatory science course uses a multidisciplinary approach and encompasses course work in regulatory writing techniques, quality systems, and medical device and pharmaceutical regulation. The concentration is designed to develop the student's understanding of how to meet regulatory oversight requirements as they relate to the conduct of clinical studies. This course will prepare students to play critical roles throughout the lifecycle of pharmaceuticals, medical devices, and biologics. They provide strategic, tactical and operational direction, and support for working within regulations to expedite the development and delivery of safe and effective healthcare products to individuals around the world. The regulatory professional's services can be utilized in research and development, clinical trials, extension of premarket approvals, manufacturing, labeling and advertising, and post-market surveillance. Knowledge of clinical research conduct and management which involves the design, execution and management of clinical trials as well as quality assurance and compliance principles are important to regulatory professionals. Course also provides highlight on how to effectively partner with experts such as writers drafting pre- and post- approval regulatory FDA submission documentation (INDs, NDAs, PMAs etc.) for product clearance or licensure, IRB reviewers and investigational Pharmacists to enhance the development of healthcare products.

**Components:** ENS.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Spring.

**OPH 810. Ophthalmology Research Thesis. 1-7 Credit Hours.**

The course allows the student to work full-time on a research project of interest under the supervision of research/clinical faculty or a team of faculty members.

**Components:** THE.

**Grading:** SUS.

**Typically Offered:** Fall.

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**PhD in PIBS/MBA Program**

The growing potential to make life-saving discoveries in an ever-changing global economy make this an exciting time to enhance your biomedical science PhD with an MBA! Many ambitious students are now looking to an MBA as a useful enhancement to their biomedical research experience and expand their career options.

An MBA is an investment in the future careers of biomedical graduate students. We know our alums will be future college presidents, department chairs, entrepreneurs, government officials, patent holders and CEOs of biomedical companies. This program will ensure they leave us not only as cutting-edge scientists, but also prepared for the leadership challenges they will face regardless of what lies ahead.

Regardless of career trajectory, PhDs can benefit from pursuing a business education. From a practical standpoint, the managerial skills, business acumen and financial literacy one develops from an MBA program are useful for managing labs, staff, grants or even starting a business. The biomedical industry and higher education are increasingly influenced by legal issues and shifting healthcare policy, both of which are covered by the MBA curriculum. Students will expand their networks by taking classes alongside CEO’s and business leaders enrolled in the Executive MBA program.

The immediate financial advantages of a PhD / MBA option at UM are substantial. Not only will accepted students receive 100% tuition waivers for the doctoral portion of their studies, they will receive shared credit savings and a 50% scholarship from the School of Business Administration for their MBA. In the long-term, students with MBA's can expect to have greater earnings over the lifetime of their careers.

**Contact Information**

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ogps@miami.edu

**Curriculum Requirements**

PhD students in the biomedical sciences programs at the Miller School of Medicine may choose to pursue a Master of Business Administration degree immediately following their doctoral studies. The MBA portion of the sequential degree may be completed in one year and consists of 44 MBA credits. The degrees must be obtained sequentially.

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HMP 601  Essentials of Health Care Administration  1-4
HMP 687  Health Care Organization, Economics, and Ethics  3
MAS 632  Management Science Models for Decision Making  2
MKT 640  Foundations of Marketing Management  2

Credit Hours  10-14

Spring II
BTE 610  Digital Transformation  2
HMP 655  Public Policy and Health  1-4
MGT 643  Principles of Operations Management  2
Electives  4

Credit Hours  9-12

Total Credit Hours  19-26

Total Credit Hours for Plan of Study 44

Admission Requirements

Prescreening by OGPS
PhD students wishing to enroll in the PhD/MBA program should notify the Director of the Office of Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies (OGPS) and the Senior Associate Dean for Graduate and Professional Studies and the Senior Associate Dean for Graduate and Professional Studies at the MSOM of their desire to apply no later than January 3 each year. OGPS will verify students have GRE Verbal and Quantitative scores at the 80th percentile or better and are in good standing. Students who need prescreening criteria will be notified they may apply for admission to the MBA program. Names of approved students will be communicated to the Director of Graduate Business Programs at the Miami Herbert Business School.

GMAT Requirement
PhD students must take the GMAT. GRE scores will not be accepted. Applicants must obtain a score of at least 660.

Application Process
Students must apply to the program by March 15th each year. Contact the OGPS for more information at ogps@miami.edu.

Physical Therapy
http://www.pt.med.miami.edu

Dept. Code: PTS

The Department of Physical Therapy is committed to providing quality educational experiences that enable its graduates to effectively carry out the expanding responsibilities of physical therapists as autonomous health care providers practicing in preventive, evaluative, maintenance, acute care, rehabilitation, outpatient settings, and in educational and research environments.

The individual and collective efforts of the members of the Physical Therapy faculty are directed toward attaining specific goals and objectives as expressed in the philosophic statement of the American Physical Therapy Association.

The Mission of the Department of Physical Therapy (revised in December, 2000; re-affirmed in 2012) in accordance with the Mission of the Miller School of Medicine is to provide excellence in physical therapist education, to expand evidence-based practice of physical therapy through research, to provide high quality care to all who need it, and to be a community partner.

Doctor of Philosophy in Physical Therapy (PhD)

Application Requirements
Applicants to the Physical Therapy PhD Studies Program must have a clinical degree in physical therapy from an accredited physical therapy program and be eligible for licensure to practice physical therapy in the United States. Students enrolled in the PhD in Physical Therapy program at the University of Miami work closely with a faculty mentor from their first days in the program. As a first step in the application process, the applicant must identify an area of interest and contact a faculty mentor involved in that area. Students are admitted to the program upon endorsement of a faculty mentor and completion of all admission requirements, with final selection made by the PhD Studies Committee. Stipend and tuition support is potentially available for qualified applicants.

The applicant must meet all the general admissions requirements of the University of Miami Graduate School. Additionally, stipulations include:
• Direct entry into the PhD program is dependent upon having any of the degrees below:
  • An entry-level Master’s Degree in Physical Therapy
  • An advanced Master’s Degree with a Bachelor’s Degree in Physical Therapy
  • A Bachelor’s Degree in Physical Therapy.

• An applicant with a Bachelor’s Degree in Physical Therapy, though able to commence course work in the PhD Program, will be required to complete additional credit hours before final admission to the PhD Program.

• Official Transcripts of all college work.

• Three completed recommendation forms with at least one form completed by a physical therapist.

• A letter indicating career goals and objectives.

• Licensure or eligibility for licensure, as a physical therapist in the State of Florida (must be licensed within 1 year of admission).

• GRE scores current within the past 5 years (see minimum requirements below)

Applicants who took the GRE before July 31, 2011 must score a minimum of 1000 on the verbal and quantitative sections combined. As of August 2011 the GRE exam and its scoring scale have changed significantly. Please visit the ETS website (http://www.ets.org/s/gre/pdf/concordance_information.pdf) for the official ETS Concordance Table. Graduate Admissions will be using this concordance table when reviewing exam scores. Applicants must score a minimum of 147 on the quantitative section and 149 on the verbal section. A minimum score of 4.0 on the analytical section is also required. International applicants must submit a complete application and have all transcripts evaluated by the University of Miami’s Office of International Admissions before they can be considered for graduate study. Any transcript not in English must be submitted with an official translation.

The research areas of the faculty are diverse, reflecting the clinical and scientific emphasizes areas of the faculty. Please refer to the Faculty Section for specifics.

For more information on the PhD degree contact:
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Degree Programs
Doctor of Physical Therapy (entry level DPT)
The Department offers the clinical Doctor of Physical Therapy (DPT). The DPT program recognizes the importance of in-depth basic and applied science knowledge and the humanities. As such, the curriculum is carefully sequenced to allow students to develop skills in both classroom and clinical settings.

Faculty also understand the importance of presenting problem-solving skills in conjunction with fundamental physical therapy concepts so that students will develop the professional attitudes and insights required for sustained and continued growth throughout their careers.

The entry-level doctoral program (DPT) is offered under the auspices of the Department of Physical Therapy, University of Miami Miller School of Medicine.

Doctor of Philosophy in Physical Therapy (PhD)
The University of Miami Doctor of Philosophy in Physical Therapy program develops physical therapist students for leadership positions in academic and research settings. Along with guiding students in the development of requisite knowledge and skills, the program promotes professional socialization into the role of academic faculty. We believe preparation to teach and undertake research in a physical therapy curriculum at the university level requires excellence in three dimensions:

1. Expertise in a specified content area;
2. Advanced knowledge and skill in research methods, design, and implementation of analysis and communication of results; and
3. Proficiency in instructional design, teaching methods, and evaluation.

The successful integration of these three dimensions, each complex in its own right, provides the means for the student to develop expertise in testing, analyzing, researching, and teaching about disorders that interfere with function. Unifying these three core areas is the process of socialization to the role of a faculty member, including an awareness of academic responsibilities and sensitivity to the needs of the adult learner.

In keeping with this philosophy, students develop breadth of knowledge through completion of coursework from three basic core areas:
• Concentration Core
• Research Core
• Education Core

They develop depth by completing elective courses with the intent to build expertise in their respective areas of concentration. The successful graduate of this program will have the requisite knowledge and skills to integrate research findings and scientific theory with clinical observations. On this basis, the graduate will be prepared to perform original research aimed at developing new knowledge to enhance the scientific basis of clinical practice and theoretical principles that will advance the profession of physical therapy. The program offers opportunities for the student to gain skill in communicating theories, concepts and research findings and to experience the roles and responsibilities of an academic faculty member. Students complete a dissertation project in which they develop and conduct a unique and significant research investigation with the guidance of a Physical Therapy faculty member as research advisor.

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Doctoral Programs in Physical Therapy
• D.P.T. Doctor of Physical Therapy (Entry Level) (p. 2619)
• Ph.D. in Physical Therapy (p. 2623)

PTS 601. Advanced Clinical Practice: Counterstrain 1. 1 Credit Hour.
This seminar course will provide an in depth discussion of the history, physiologic rationale, and fundamentals of the Strain Counterstrain method of manual therapy. Newer concepts of facial science will also be explored. Counterstrain I will stress palpation skills as the foundation for any manual therapist and will teach advanced palpatory anatomy techniques. 30-50 Counterstrain techniques spanning the whole body and consisting of the musculoskeletal, neurovascular, and visceral systems will be taught through lecture, demonstration, and lab.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 602. LAGO Local Pro-Bono Clinic Elective. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is designed to provide physical therapy students with an integrated clinical experience under the supervision of licensed physical therapist. The students work in a pro-bono clinic located at University of Miami Hospital. Students will have the opportunity to participate in the full spectrum of physical therapy care with a population of uninsured patients in need of a broad range of health care and health care education services. Students will have an opportunity to apply previously learned knowledge and skills as it applies to the needs assessed in the community for pro bono service. Health risk issues related to prevention will be assessed and physical therapy services applicable to the needs will be designed. Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PTS 603. Introduction to Principles of Orthotic Fabrication and Prescription. 1 Credit Hour.
This seminar course is designed to introduce the art of custom orthotic making. We will explore the various categories within custom orthotics; static, dynamic, serial static, and static progressive. A comparison of the features of pre-fabricated orthoses vs. custom made will be made. The application of clinical reasoning to decision making will equip the Therapist with the necessary information to assist them when considering the orthotic options to achieve the best possible outcome for their patients.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

PTS 604. Rehabilitation Technology for Physical Therapists. 1 Credit Hour.
This course will introduce current advancements in diagnostic and therapeutic equipment used by physical therapists in clinical practice. The emphasis will be on latest rehabilitation technology such as virtual reality, neural stimulation and rehabilitation robotics. Students will observe the equipment being used on patients, get a basic understanding of its operation and have an opportunity for hands-on learning.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall.
PTS 605. Physical Therapy Private Practice Management. 1 Credit Hour.
Course focuses on establishing a private physical therapy practice, including initial development through marketing and management.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 606. Issues in Women's Health: Gynecology. 1 Credit Hour.
Introduction to physical therapy practice for evaluation and treatment of pelvic floor dysfunction.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

PTS 607. Issues in Women's Health: Obstetrics, Osteoporosis and Breast Health. 1 Credit Hour.
Introduction to physical therapy practice for evaluation and treatment of problems related to pregnancy, osteoporosis, and other disorders specific to women.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 608. Nutrition for Physical Therapists. 1 Credit Hour.
A presentation of nutrition content that will benefit the professional skills of physical therapists.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PTS 609. Advances in Amputee Rehabilitation and Prosthetic Technology. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is designed to provide interested students with educational materials about amputations surgery, prosthetic technology and rehabilitation that will augment the information presented in other courses. A select faculty of experts have been invited to present on topics of interest that provide greater depth of knowledge for those physical therapy students who are interested in the field of prosthetics and amputee care. Students will be encouraged to actively participate during each presentation with thought provoking dialog regarding how technology, evidence-based rehabilitation and disciplines involved in prosthetic rehabilitation can work together as a team to generate a better than satisfactory outcome for people with limb loss.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 610. Introduction to Pilates - Gateway. 1 Credit Hour.
This course provides in-depth instruction in the use of Pilates Mat to supplement physical therapy practice. This course covers the history of Pilates and Polestar education, biomechanics, and the many uses of Pilates in physical practices, as well as instruction in 18 Pilates mat exercises. Students learn to perform and teach the exercises and 4 unique class sequences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PTS 611. Advanced Clinical Practice: Topics in Pediatrics. 1 Credit Hour.
The course will focus on advanced topics in pediatric physical therapy. Through lecture, seminar discussion and lab experiences, topics will include: typical and atypical development over the first year and examination and evidence-based intervention strategies used in early intervention strategies.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 612. Sports Physical Therapy. 1 Credit Hour.
An overview of the general aspects of sports physical therapy practice will be provided. Topics will include the various settings, evaluations, interventions, and techniques involved in Sports physical therapy practice.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
PTS 613. Advanced Clinical Practice: Evaluation and Treatment of the Foot and Ankle. 1 Credit Hour.  
This course will review the anatomy, normal and abnormal kinesiology/biomechanics, pathology and imaging of the foot and ankle and discuss physical therapy evaluation and intervention based on evidence based practice. It will include an introduction to evaluation and negative casting for orthotics.  
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: SUS.  
Typically Offered: Fall.  

PTS 614. Certified Strength and Conditioning Specialist Preparation (NSCA). 1 Credit Hour.  
Evaluation and exercise planning of athletes to help them achieve their maximum physical performance without incurring injury. Case studies, a problem-solving approach, and integration of previously learned material are emphasized. Classroom instruction, exercise performance, video analysis, and case studies are utilized.  
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Summer.  

PTS 615. Advance Clinical Practice: Taping for the Orthopedic Population. 1 Credit Hour.  
This seminar course is designed to introduce the participant to the concepts of taping for various musculoskeletal pathologies commonly seen in the athletic population. Athletic taping and kinesiotaping principles and uses in rehabilitation will be introduced. A lab component will allow participants to practice the various taping techniques demonstrated.  
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall.  

PTS 616. Clinical Research I. 3 Credit Hours.  
This course provides a foundation for evidence based practice as a physical therapist. It presents the principles, concepts and basic skills required to identify, evaluate, create and apply research evidence to the practice of physical therapy. Topics covered include levels of research evidence, health/disability models, searching for research literature including electronic data bases hypothesis testing, critical review of research literature, measurement, statistical analysis, research design, sampling, bias, and statistical computing.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall.  

PTS 617. Abdominal Anatomy. 1 Credit Hour.  
Course analyzes abdominal anatomy emphasizing structure and function. Cadaver dissection is included.  
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Summer.  

PTS 618. Critical Care Physical Therapy. 1 Credit Hour.  
A review of the literature on physical therapy in the intensive care unit. Organizing and synthesizing information from the patient's medical record. Evaluation and treatment planning for patients in the intensive care unit. Review of standardized and validated measures for patients with critical illness. Case studies across a variety of patients with critical illness (i.e. medical, surgical, cardiac, neurological, and oncology) will be incorporated to reinforce didactic lecture.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: SUS.  
Typically Offered: Summer.  

PTS 619. Pelvic Anatomy. 1 Credit Hour.  
Course analyzes the anatomy of the human pelvic area. Cadaver dissection is included.  
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Summer.  

PTS 620. Spanish for Physical Therapists. 1 Credit Hour.  
This course is designed to familiarize the physical therapy student with different aspects of the Spanish speaking culture. This course is also designed to assist the student in developing the basic communication skills in Spanish needed in the clinical setting when working with Spanish speaking patients.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: SUS.  
Typically Offered: Summer.
PTS 621. Advanced Topics in Neurologic Physical Therapy: Vestibular Rehabilitation. 1 Credit Hour.
This course will expand on knowledge and skills developed in prior courses (Neuroscience, Neuro Examination, and Neurorehabilitation) to focus on the clinical management of an individual with a vestibular disorder from identification of dysfunction through comprehensive clinical management. Through lecture, seminar discussion, and lab experiences, topics will include: Comprehensive vestibular examination and evaluation, Clinical management and intervention strategies, Competency skills checklist, Implementation of treatment
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.

PTS 623. Myofascial Release. 1 Credit Hour.
Introduction to Myofascial Release technique in rehabilitation.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 624. Myofascial Release II. 1 Credit Hour.
A follow up to the introductory course MFR I. This course focuses on a review of bioenergy followed by practice of release techniques for trunk, extremities and head and neck. Cranial techniques and rebounding are also taught.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PTS 625. Introduction to Dry Needling Theory and Technique. 1 Credit Hour.
Course introduces the participant to the concepts of dry needling, its neuro-functional principles, and its use in a physical therapy setting. Emphasis on comparing and contrasting dry needling to acupuncture, as well as the safety, indications and contraindications of dry needling. A lab component will allow participants to practice various introductory dry needling techniques.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 627. Gateway Pilates II. 1 Credit Hour.
This two-day Pilates course will teach how to provide four new basic Pilates Mat classes. A total of 18 Gateway 2 preparatory exercises and original Pilates Mat exercises will be taught. The instructor will provide ample experiences for real time practice of each of the 4 Pilates Mat sequences, and will provide feedback to each participant pertaining to additional training and practice to become proficient teachers of the Gateway Introductory Mat work.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PTS 629. Evaluation and Treatment of Spinal Dysfunctions I. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an in-depth exploration of the evaluation and treatment of various dysfunctions of the spine. The lumbar and sacro-iliac regions will be explored. Thorough evaluation procedures will be emphasized as they relate to specific diagnosis. Treatment for the respective diagnoses will include therapeutic exercise, soft tissue stretching, and postural re-education.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

PTS 630. Foundations of Physical Therapy. 3 Credit Hours.
Historical development, philosophical foundations and contemporary practice of a physical therapist as an educator, consultant, researcher, administrator, and model of healthy behaviors. Health as indicated by global fitness measures will be demonstrated and experienced. Medical terminology mastered.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

PTS 631. Gross Anatomy for Physical Therapy I. 3 Credit Hours.
Gross anatomy with emphasis on the musculoskeletal systems and a survey of other systems that are relevant to physical therapy practice. Cadaver dissection.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.
PTS 632. Gross Anatomy for Physical Therapy II. 3 Credit Hours.
Gross Anatomy with emphasis on the musculoskeletal systems and a survey of other systems that are relevant to physical therapy practice. Cadaver dissection.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

PTS 633. Communication in Physical Therapy Practice. 2 Credit Hours.
Course provides an analysis of communication skills in physical therapy clinical practice. Emphasis is placed on instruction of patients and their families, supportive staff, and health care team members. In-depth examination of patient-therapist interactions is included. Prerequisite: Open to Physical Therapy majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

PTS 640. Neuroscience I. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will explore the human nervous system with an emphasis on the relationship between structure and function. The gross structures of the central and peripheral nervous systems will be discussed, and basic neurophysiological and neuropsychological constructs regarding the function of the nervous system will be explored. Particular emphasis is placed on the systems involved in human motor control and function, its assessment, and the basis for diagnosis and treatment selection by physical therapists.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PTS 641. Neuroscience II. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic neurophysiological and neuropsychological constructs regarding the function of the nervous system are explored. Analyses of normal systems are contrasted with abnormal systems. Particular emphasis is placed on the systems involved in human motor control and function, its assessment, and the basis for diagnosis and treatment selection by physical therapists.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

PTS 642. Electrotherapy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course presents the physiological rationale, indications, contraindications and the application of electrical modalities, including electrical stimulation, thermal modalities, sound modalities, compressive devices, mechanical machinery, and light therapy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

PTS 643. Medical Pathology Seminar I. 1 Credit Hour.
Lectures and seminar discussion on medical and surgical management of pathological conditions, with particular emphasis on musculoskeletal disorders.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 644. Medical Pathology Seminar II. 1 Credit Hour.
Lectures and seminar discussion on pathological conditions with particular emphasis on neuromuscular and musculoskeletal disorders.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PTS 645. Medical Pathology Seminar III. 1 Credit Hour.
This course provides lectures and seminar discussion on medical and surgical management of pathological conditions, with particular emphasis on regenerative medicine, neuromuscular disorders and women's health.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.
PTS 646. Medical Pathology Seminar IV. 1 Credit Hour.
Lectures and seminar discussion of pathological conditions with particular emphasis on cardiorespiratory and pediatric disorders.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 650. Pharmacology. 2 Credit Hours.
Basic principles of pharmacology and pharmacotherapeutics. Contemporary drug therapies and their effects on patients undergoing rehabilitation are discussed.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 670. Clinical Skills in Physical Therapy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is specifically designed to provide each student with the necessary and basic clinical skills to function within a variety of patient settings. Utilizing a combination of lecture and the associated co-requisite laboratory, this course will cover proper body mechanics, patient positioning and draping, massage, daily patient documentation, vital signs, range of motion, basic wheelchair management and measurement, bed mobility and transfers, tilt table benefits and management, ambulatory assistive devices and gait training with assistive devices.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 671. Therapeutic Physiology. 2 Credit Hours.
This course will require the student to analyze and apply physiologic principles to promote optimal patient evaluation and management. A variety of tests and measures will be reviewed and will be integrated with specific physiologic principles in order for the student to better understand the role of therapeutic interventions for patients referred to physical therapy. The focus of the course will revolve around several related themes including (1) interpreting the cardiorespiratory response to exercise, (2) understanding energy production and regulation, (3) integrating the cardiovascular, pulmonary, and muscular systems to better understand and interpret cardiorespiratory function as well as energy production, regulation, and homeostasis, and (4) examining the effects of de-conditioning and re-conditioning using different forms of exercise for individuals who are healthy or diagnosed with a medical disorder.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 672. Clinical Kinesiology and Biomechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of musculoskeletal structure and function, physiological and biomechanical factors, and principles underlying the kinematics and kinetics of normal and abnormal human motion.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 674. Clinical Examination. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will present the basic examination skills for patients with various diseases and dysfunctions of the neuromusculoskeletal system. The skills emphasized are patient interviewing, palpation, reflex/sensory testing, cranial nerve testing, coordination testing, manual muscle testing, goniometric measurement with assessment of end feels, upper and lower quarter screening, postural assessment, and documentation of findings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 675. Clinical Decision Making I. 2 Credit Hours.
This course presents components of physical therapist practice with an emphasis on evidence-based decision making related to interviewing patients, selecting appropriate tests and measures, arriving at a physical therapy diagnosis and developing a plan of care within the physical therapist's scope of practice. Documentation formats as they relate to clinical decision making are presented. The Physical Therapist Guide to Practice patient/client management model, International Classification of Function, and practice patterns are presented. The process of physical therapy diagnosis is presented. Students will be given an opportunity to practice with case studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.
PTS 676. Medical Screening in Physical Therapy. 1 Credit Hour.
This course presents content related to screening for medical conditions in order to make clinical decisions about appropriateness for physical therapy and need for medical referral for patients presenting for physical therapy management.
Component: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 695. Selected Topics in Physical Therapy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics in contemporary physical therapy clinical practice with focus on specialty areas such as neonatal pulmonary care, balance/vestibular dysfunction, geriatrics, pediatrics, obstetrics, and gynecology.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Component: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PTS 706. Neurological Evaluation. 2 Credit Hours.
Comprehensive evaluation of the patient with neurological dysfunction. Emphasis is placed on decision making, differential diagnosis, selection, and interpretation of examination components.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Component: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 708. Human Gait and Locomotion. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is an in-depth study of the fundamental mechanisms of normal human gait and locomotion. Students will be instructed on the terminology, normal joint range of motion and muscle function of the lower limbs during gait. Mechanisms of observational and instrumented analyses of gait will be discussed. Identification of common gait deviations, using observational gait analysis skills, will be briefly discussed.
Component: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 710. Clinical Experience I. 2 Credit Hours.
This is the first eight-week clinical experience following the fourth semester of didactic course work and is performed in an ambulatory/outpatient setting with emphasis on musculoskeletal diagnoses. During this experience the student concentrates on the clinical application of the basic examination, evaluation, diagnosis, prognosis, and intervention and outcome assessment that they have learned thus far in the academic setting. The student is expected to demonstrate good documentation skills, good communication skills and to develop their professionalism according to the APTA Core Values and Code of Ethics expected of the professional physical therapist.
Component: CLN.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 711. Clinical Experience II. 2 Credit Hours.
This is the second eight-week clinical experience following the completion of all didactic course work. It is the first of three sequential and summative clinical experiences. This clinical experience can be completed in an ambulatory/outpatient setting, acute care hospital, and rehabilitation hospital or unit or specialty practice such as pediatrics, sports, or women's health. Even though this clinical experience is unique, it is part of a sequence in which professional development and growth is expected. During this experience the student concentrates on the clinical application of the patient/client management model. This includes the examination, evaluation, diagnosis, prognosis, and intervention and outcome assessment within the context of the clinical setting. The student is expected to demonstrate good documentation skills, good communication skills and to develop their professionalism according to the APTA Core Values and Code of Ethics expected of the professional physical therapist.
Component: CLN.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 714. Neurorehabilitation. 3 Credit Hours.
Evidence-based practices in the treatment of individuals with neurological involvement are explored. Emphasis is placed upon the integration and application of theoretical constructs, prognostic indicators, examination and evaluation findings, and therapeutic intervention strategies utilized by physical therapists in neurological rehabilitation across disease course and practice settings.
Component: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
PTS 715. Rehabilitation of the Complex Patient. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will instruct students on the management of individuals with complex pathology that has additional complex social and environmental factors. Emphasis will be placed on the principles of assessment, treatment, discharge planning, and referral in the Acute Care environment. Topics covered include: early mobilization in the ICU, management of patients with multiple lines, drains, and tubes, multiple trauma, cancer, hospice and palliative care, bariatrics, solid organ transplantation, patient safety, collaboration with healthcare team members, and use of acute care appropriate outcome measures. The course includes hands on transfer labs, patient evaluation and simulation experiences, and a practical examination on assessment and mobilization of a simulated complex patient.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

PTS 717. Clinical Research II. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is a continuation of Clinical Research I that provides the student with continued guidance in the completion of the faculty led research project begun as part of Clinical Research I. A series of lectures also provide exposure to additional topics relevant to clinical research in Physical Therapy. Potential lecture topics include data analysis, design, error, philosophy of science, and research reporting.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 718. Physical Therapy Practice Management, Professional Issues and Advancement. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction into the many facets of administration in physical therapy. The course has three primary areas of exploration: physical therapy administration and practice management, the current healthcare environmental influences, and personal administration and career entry preparation. These focal points are selected to assist the new graduate physical therapist in navigating early career activities, opportunities and environments. An organizational perspective will be the dominant context for this course, but mention of entrepreneurial activities will be included during the course of discussion and may be explored as part of the group projects.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

PTS 720. Biomechanical Basis of Human Movement. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the basic biomechanical principles underlying the kinetics and kinematics of normal and abnormal human motion as well as the measurement of human movement.
Requisite: Physical Therapy PHD Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

PTS 721. Measurement of Impairment and Function in Human Movement. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of measurement tools utilized in the analysis of normal and abnormal human motion.
Requisite: Physical Therapy PHD Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 722. Pathobiology of Human Function I. 3 Credit Hours.
Pathophysiology of musculo-skeletal processes that impair human function including skeletal muscle; skin, tendons, ligaments, cartilage; bone; and cardiorespiratory.
Requisite: Physical Therapy PHD Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PTS 724. Cardio-Respiratory Physical Therapy. 3 Credit Hours.
The skills necessary for the evaluation and treatment of patients with various cardio-respiratory diseases and dysfunctions. Inpatient and outpatient cardiac and respiratory rehabilitation is included. Research on prevention of cardio-respiratory diseases and dysfunctions as it relates to evaluative, and therapeutic methods is also discussed.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
PTS 726. Therapeutic Exercise. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will be a comprehensive approach for the evaluation and management of patients with various orthopaedic pathologies and their related dysfunction(s). An emphasis will be placed on evidence-based practice, critical thinking, treatment algorithms, as they all inter-relate to therapeutic exercises. The general focus of this course is to possess entry-level skills in the cognitive, affective, and psychomotor domains as they relate to the treatment of a wide-variety of orthopaedic conditions.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PTS 727. Prosthetics and Orthotics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course offers a comprehensive approach to the evaluation, treatment and management of people who require the intervention of prosthetic or orthotic appliances. Identification and application of appropriate therapeutic management alternatives are integrated with self-help appliances to assist with the goal of returning the client to the community and/or the highest level of social interaction.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PTS 728. Musculoskeletal Examination and Manual Treatment I. 3 Credit Hours.
In-depth examination of differential diagnosis of various extremity dysfunctions with principles of examining soft tissue, bony and post-surgical problems relevant to the shoulder, elbow, wrist/hand, hip, knee, ankle, and foot. Manual therapy/joint mobilizations for each joint will also be introduced.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PTS 729. Evaluation and Treatment of Spinal Dysfunctions II. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an in-depth exploration of the evaluation and treatment of various dysfunctions of the spine. The cervical, thoracic, suboccipital regions and TMJ will be explored. Students will review the lumbar and sacro-iliac dysfunctions. Students are expected to critically review and investigate the literature relevant to the cervical, thoracic, and head-neck regions. Treatment for respective diagnoses will include therapeutic exercise, soft tissue stretching and manual therapy techniques. Clinical competence in manual evaluation and treatment procedures are to be developed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

PTS 730. Pediatric Physical Therapy. 2 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide students with an entry level knowledge, attitudes and skills essential for working with children with movement dysfunction. Examination and evidence-based practices utilized by physical therapists in the treatment of children with musculoskeletal, neuromuscular, cardiopulmonary, integumentary and/or cognitive/affective issues will be emphasized.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PTS 731. Geriatric Physical Therapy. 2 Credit Hours.
A case-based clinical approach to factors and issues related to examination, evaluation, diagnosis, prognosis, and intervention of aging adults by physical therapists. Topics covered include age-related versus activity related changes to body systems; use of standardized functional assessments appropriate for aging adults; successful aging; musculoskeletal, neuromuscular, cardiopulmonary, cognitive and psychiatric disorders in the elderly; fall risk assessment and fall prevention; home and environmental adaptations/modifications; health care delivery sites/systems; nutrition; polypharmacy; Medicare rules and regulation related to rehabilitation; frailty/sarcopenia; and strength training and exercise prescription in the aging adult. Focused discussion centers on clinical decision making across multiple geriatric settings.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PTS 743. Measuring Health Outcomes. 3 Credit Hours.
An in depth analysis of the use and construction of health outcome measures. Topics covered include creating and selecting items, scaling responses, scale construction, response bias, reliability, validity, responsiveness and methods of administration.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
PTS 744. Integrated Sports and Leisure. 3 Credit Hours.
Course promotes the integration of students with the physically challenged by working together to learn common recreational activities. Sailing and camping activities are used as an educational tool for students to learn the capabilities, physical resources, and assistance required by physically challenged individuals.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PTS 745. Integumentary Disorders and Treatment. 2 Credit Hours.
The course will instruct students on the management of individuals with open wounds, burns, and other dermatologic pathology from a patient focused perspective. Emphasis is placed on clinical decision making as it relates to the principles of assessment, treatment, referral, and prevention. Topics covered include: wound assessment and documentation, debridement, electrical stimulation and ultrasound for wounds, dressing selection, skin breakdown and pressure ulcer prevention, support surface selection, burns, skin grafts and muscle flaps, evaluation of arterial and venous circulation, nutrition, and the identification of melanoma, basal cell and squamous carcinoma, psoriasis, impetigo, shingles and other dermatological pathology. The course includes labs for wound evaluation, measurement, debridement, dressing selection and application, pressure mapping and support surface selection.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PTS 748. Musculoskeletal Examination and Treatment II. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced examination, evaluation, functional assessment and treatment of patients in selected specialty areas of musculoskeletal physical therapy, with emphasis on functional outcomes and evidence based treatment throughout the life span.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 755. Neuromuscular Basis of Movement. 3 Credit Hours.
Concepts of neuromuscular production and regulation of movement with emphasis on neurophysiologic substrates and mechanisms underlying motor behavior.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PTS 760. Theories of Movement Science. 3 Credit Hours.
An in-depth review of classical theories and recent research in the movement sciences, to include the study and analysis of system theory and neurobiological substrates.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 761. Motor Learning. 3 Credit Hours.
The factors relating to, and affecting, the acquisition and performance of motor skills. Qualification of skill acquisition and performance are explored.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PTS 762. Advanced Topics in Neurodevelopment. 3 Credit Hours.
Classical research and systems models of neurodevelopment is reviewed, analyzed, and related to current research on various areas of human development throughout the lifespan.
Requisite: Physical Therapy PHD Majors Only.
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Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
PTS 764. Seminars in Neuroscience. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the role and organization of the key units of the central and peripheral nervous systems at the molecular and cellular levels. The integrated functional physiology of systems neuroscience and behavioral neuroscience will be studied with special emphasis on neural contributions to involuntary and voluntary motor functions, perception, cognition, and learning. PREREQUISITE: For Physical Therapy PhD students only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PTS 765. Health Promotion and Disease Prevention. 2 Credit Hours.
The role of physical therapists in health promotion and disease prevention.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

PTS 766. Rehabilitation of the Amputee. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the scientific evidence related to the evaluation, treatment and management of clients who require intervention for diabetic foot and/or dysvascular limb potentially leading to amputation, amputation surgery, prosthetic appliances, functional assessment and amputee rehabilitation. Upper limb prosthetic management will also be examined.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PTS 767. Prosthetic Technology and Amputee Rehabilitation. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the current scientific evidence related to prosthetic devices with regard to evaluation, fabrication, materials, fitting and functional outcomes. Emphasis is on state-of-the-art technology and the future of prosthetic designs.
Requisite: Physical Therapy PHD Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PTS 768. Rehabilitation Engineering and Assistive Technology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed for graduate students interested in developing an understanding of complementary roles of clinicians and engineers in assisting individuals with disabilities in all areas of life.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PTS 769. Seminars in Orthotics and Prosthetic Rehabilitation. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of current scientific evidence and clinical issues related to upper and lower limb amputees, and prosthetic and orthotic componentry and related technology. Students will discuss case studies and design appropriate devices to address the needs of the individuals in the cases.
Requisite: Physical Therapy PHD Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PTS 770. Education Principles in Physical Therapy. 1 Credit Hour.
Principles of education, as they apply to the educational setting, and in patient care. Students are instructed in basic educational principles and methods to prepare materials and instruct and evaluate learning for patients, families, caretakers, students, colleagues, and others, in the classroom, clinic and community.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PTS 771. Complementary Therapies in Rehabilitation. 2 Credit Hours.
Historical development and evidence-based approach to complementary therapies in rehabilitation.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
PTS 774. Role of Academic Faculty in Physical Therapy. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the faculty roles in an institution of higher education, including faculty development and evaluation systems, educational leadership, and student advising, initiation of a research career and educational administration of physical therapy programs at the entry-level and post-graduate level.
Requisite: Physical Therapy PHD Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PTS 775. Clinical Decision Making II. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will require the student to utilize: the patient management model, the ICF model, the role of disablement and enablement in the provision of physical therapy, all clinical and basic science course work, professional and third party documentation requirements, knowledge of healthcare delivery systems and legal/regulatory requirements, as well as the research literature to plan and document evidence-based care of patients in a variety of settings spanning the continuum of care. Cases will represent a sample of ages, diagnoses, and patient acuity and complexity.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 777. Instructional Methods in Physical Therapy Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of research in the professional education field, with specific applications to physical therapy academic and clinical education. Emphasis is placed on curriculum development, competency-based instructional design, testing, and instructional evaluation methods.
Requisite: Physical Therapy PHD Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 778. Teaching Practicum. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised instructional design, teaching and evaluation of entry level physical therapy students. Students participate as course instructors in entry-level master’s degree physical therapy curriculum.
Requisite: Physical Therapy PHD Majors Only.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PTS 784. Human Neuroanatomy. 3 Credit Hours.
Detailed exploration of the human nervous system with an emphasis on structure-function relationship and clinical applications. This course is designed for Physical Therapy graduate students with an interest in a professional career in teaching the anatomical sciences to students of the health professions including medical students.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PTS 785. Medical Diagnostic Tests. 2 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide the Physical Therapy student with the basic skills in understanding and interpreting the imaging techniques of Plain film x-ray, Magnetic Resonance Imaging, Computed Tomography, Bone Scans, Real Time Ultrasound, Electrodiagnostic Tests, selected Laboratory Tests and Fluoroscopy. Special emphasis will be placed on the understanding of where the interpretation of these images falls in physical therapy Differential Diagnosis and evidence based practice.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 790. Models of Physical Therapy Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of the integration of didactic knowledge, clinical skills, clinical problem solving and the intuitive process into the formation of a clinical diagnosis which will direct treatment in physical therapy. Diagnosis as a process in physical therapy is compared to diagnosis in nursing, psychiatry and medicine, and is distinguished from similar processes such as assessment, examination and screening. Various models of physical therapy practice currently being taught and published will be explored, including the ICF model, the Patient/Client management model, and the Movement System. Recommendations for a Model of PT Diagnosis and Decision making will be made by students.
Requisite: Physical Therapy PHD Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
PTS 795. Clinical Research Methods I. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of measurement and sampling research design relevant to clinical research in physical therapy.
Requisite: Physical Therapy PHD Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 796. Applied Statistics in Physical Therapy. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic statistics taught from an applied perspective which includes statistical computing using SAS or SPSS and interpretation and presentation of data analysis.
Requisite: Physical Therapy PHD Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PTS 798. Research Practicum. 3 Credit Hours.
Practicum designed to familiarize the student with an area of research, to implement a pilot study in an area of interest, and to develop working relationship with a sponsoring faculty member.
Requisite: Physical Therapy PHD Majors Only.
Components: RSC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PTS 799. Independent Study in Physical Therapy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Each course is designed to meet the needs of graduate students for in-depth study in a particular area of special interest.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PTS 802. Special Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised clinical education emphasizing clinical skills.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: CLN.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PTS 803. Clinical Experience III. 2 Credit Hours.
This is the third eight-week clinical experience following the completion of all didactic course work. It is the third of three sequential and summative internships. This internship can be completed in an ambulatory/outpatient setting, acute care hospital, and rehabilitation hospital or unit or specialty practice such as pediatrics, sports, or women's health. Even though this internship is unique, it is part of a sequence in which professional development and growth is expected. During this experience the student concentrates on the clinical application of the patient/client management model. This includes the examination, evaluation, diagnosis, prognosis, and intervention and outcome assessment within the context of the clinical setting.
Components: CLN.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PTS 804. Clinical Experience IV. 2 Credit Hours.
This is the fourth eight-week experience following the completion of all didactic course work. It is the fourth of three sequential and summative experiences. This experience can be completed in an ambulatory/outpatient setting, acute care hospital, and rehabilitation hospital or unit or specialty practice such as pediatrics, sports, or women's health. Even though this experience is unique, it is part of a sequence in which professional development and growth is expected. During this experience the student concentrates on the clinical application of the patient/client management model. This includes the examination, evaluation, diagnosis, prognosis, and intervention and outcome assessment within the context of the clinical setting. The student is expected to demonstrate good documentation skills, good communication skills and to develop their professionalism according to the APTA Core Values and Code of Ethics expected of the professional physical therapist.
Components: CLN.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PTS 830. Pre-candidacy Dissertation. 1-6 Credit Hours.
To be used for pre-candidacy PhD dissertation research.
Requisite: Physical Therapy PHD Majors Only.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
PTS 840. Post-candidacy Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
The student will enroll for credits as determined by his/her advisor, but not for less than a total of 12. No more than six hours may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than three in a summer session. When a student has passed his/her qualifying exams and is engaged in an assistantship, he/she may still take the maximum allowable credit stated above.
Requisite: Physical Therapy PHD Majors Only.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PTS 843. Measuring Health Outcomes. 3 Credit Hours.
An in depth analysis of the use and construction of instruments designed to measure health outcomes. Topics covered include creating and selecting items, scaling responses, scale construction, response bias, reliability, validity, measuring change, and methods of administration.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PTS 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
To establish residence for the PhD, or DPT, after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research or clinical practice. Credit not granted, may be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

D.P.T. Doctor of Physical Therapy (Entry Level)
Overview
To receive the Doctor of Physical Therapy degree, the candidate must:

1. Complete all required coursework (103 credit hours) with an overall GPA of 3.0 or better.
2. Complete at least 3 credit hours of Elective coursework, in addition to the 103 credit hours.
3. Successfully complete the clinical internships (I-IV) required.

Admission Requirements
Applicants should have a baccalaureate degree in a related field and 3.0, or “B” average or better in the following courses:

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Application Procedure
We are accepting applications through Physical Therapist Centralized Application Service (PTCAS). Click here (http://www.ptcas.org/) to apply.

The next application cycle will open on July 1. The application deadline is October 15; we encourage you to apply early. Classes begin in May of each year. Application requirements consist of the following:

1. Submission of all application materials to PTCAS. Completion of prerequisites or plan to complete by time of matriculation, with a minimum GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale.
2. Demonstration of knowledge concerning the physical therapy profession by submitting:
   • A minimum of 100 hours of first-hand observation and/or work experience related to the practice of physical therapy.
   • This experience must be substantiated in writing by a registered/licensed physical therapist. The name and email of the physical therapist(s) is required for verification.
3. Submission of three to four (3-4) letters of recommendation from people who can address both the applicant’s moral character and potential as a physical therapist.
   - At least one letter must be written by a registered/licensed physical therapist, and one or more from faculty.

4. An on-site interview is required and will be offered to those applicants who have met the admission criteria.

5. Graduate Record Exam (GRE). Applicants who took the GRE before July 31, 2011 must score a minimum of 1000 on the verbal and quantitative sections combined. As of August 2011 the GRE exam and its scoring scale have changed significantly. Please visit the ETS website (http://www.ets.org/s/gre/pdf/concordance_information.pdf) for the official ETS Concordance Table. Applicants must score a minimum of 147 on the quantitative section and 149 on the verbal section. A minimum score of 3.0 on the analytical section is also required.

6. International students are to complete the PTCAS application and submit official transcripts to the DPT program instead of PTCAS. Transcripts that are not in English must include an official translation. International applicants must have all transcripts evaluated by the University of Miami’s Office of International Admissions before they can be considered for graduate study. Any transcript not in English must be submitted with an official translation. International applicants must meet ALL the necessary requirements to qualify for a student visa.

For more information contact:

Admissions Office
Department of Physical Therapy
5915 Ponce de Leon Blvd., 5th Floor
Coral Gables, FL 33146
Phone 305-284-4535
Email: physicaltherapy@miami.edu
Website: www.pt.med.miami.edu (http://www.pt.med.miami.edu/)

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2. The University of Miami, Department of Physical Therapy has affiliations with 350 clinical sites locally and throughout the country. Distant internships may incur additional expenses for the student.

### Mission

The mission of the UMMSOM Department of Physical Therapy is to:

- Educate, develop and nurture the next generation of leaders in physical therapy;
- Deliver high-caliber, compassionate physical therapy care in a wide variety of settings;
- Create and disseminate new knowledge in support of the evidence based practice of physical therapy;
- Provide service to our local community and beyond; and
- Create an educational and clinical environment that embodies diversity of people and perspectives.
Goals
Specific goals and objectives for the DPT Program are the development and application of:

- The principles and practices of the professional discipline;
- Clinical decision making skills; and
- Education, leadership, management and research capability.

Thus, our graduates are prepared for future professional and societal obligations through providing leadership and contributing to both the growth of the profession, and the clinical research agenda.

Student Learning Outcomes
- DPT students will demonstrate professional behaviors appropriate for an entry level physical therapist in their interactions with all people.
- DPT Students will demonstrate clinical decision making skills appropriate for an entry level physical therapist in a variety of patient care settings.
- DPT students will demonstrate an overall knowledge and understanding of the core concepts in evidence-based practice in physical therapy including the essential critical inquiry skills necessary to utilize research literature as a foundation for the practice of physical therapy.

Ph.D. in Physical Therapy
Overview
The Doctor of Philosophy in Physical Therapy prepares physical therapists for leadership positions in academic and research settings. To accomplish this, students are required to complete coursework and structured experiences in “Teaching and Faculty Leadership” and “Research.” Students develop expertise in a specific area of concentration under the guidance of their faculty mentor by developing an individual plan of study that may include both coursework and independent study and by completing their dissertation research.

Prior to admission to the PhD in Physical Therapy program, prospective students are required to identify a faculty member with research interests compatible with those of the applicant. This faculty member must agree to mentor the potential student before the PhD Committee will make a decision to admit the applicant. For applicants accepted to the program, the faculty member who agreed to mentor the student will serve as the Chair of the student's Supervisory Committee. The Supervisory Committee Chair and the student are responsible for creating an individualized plan of study for each student. The plan of study includes mandatory coursework in:

Preparation for Teaching and Faculty Leadership
- PTS774 Role of Academic Faculty in PT (3 credits)
- PTS777 Instructional Methods in Physical Therapy Education (3 credits)
- PTS778 Teaching Practicum (3 credits)
- PTS790 Theoretical Models in Physical Therapy (3 credits)

Preparation for Research
- PTS795 Clinical Research Methods I (3 credits)
- PTS796 Applied Statistics in Physical Therapy (3 credits)
- PTS798 Research Practicum (3 credits)
- PTS843 Measuring Health Outcomes (3 credits)
- Two graduate level courses in statistics (6 credits)

Preparation in Individual Area of Concentration:
- Students typically take 18 credits of coursework in this area. This may include coursework offered by the Department of Physical Therapy, coursework offered outside the Department, and Independent Study.

Qualifying Examination
Every PhD student must take a written qualifying examination at the time that the student and the Chair of the student’s Supervisory Committee deem appropriate. Students can sit for the qualifying examination when they have completed their research practicum and all courses with the exception of an elective. The student must have a 3.0 GPA for all courses taken in the PhD program. The qualifying examination includes questions in four content areas: 1) Area of Concentration, 2) Teaching and Leadership, 3) Research, 4) Dissertation Specific Content.

Dissertation
After passing the qualifying examination, students form a dissertation committee and enter candidacy. The program requires PhD students to submit a written dissertation proposal and orally defend the proposal within 4 months of admission to candidacy. Students are required to take a minimum
of 15 Dissertation credits. The program requires students to submit at least one article from their dissertation research for publication in a peer reviewed journal prior to the final public oral defense of the dissertation. Immediately following the public defense of the dissertation, the members of the dissertation committee excuse all non-committee members and further interrogate the candidate. The committee then deliberales in private to determine whether the candidate has successfully defended the dissertation. The typical time to complete a PhD in Physical Therapy is 5 years.

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**Mission**

The University of Miami, Doctor of Philosophy in Physical Therapy is designed to prepare physical therapists for leadership positions in academic and research settings.

**Goals**

We believe that this preparation should include:

- Proficiency in instructional design, teaching methods, and evaluation;
- Advanced knowledge and skill in research methods, design, implementation of analysis and communication of results; and
- Expertise in a specified content area.
Student Learning Outcomes

• Students from the Physical Therapy PhD Program will demonstrate their proficiency in instructional design, teaching methods and evaluation.
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Public Health

http://publichealth.med.miami.edu/

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Degree Programs

• Accelerated Master of Public Health (MPH)
• Certificate in Public Health
• Master of Public Health (MPH)
• Master of Science in Public Health (MSPH)
• Master of Science in Climate and Health (MSCH)
• Master of Science in Prevention Science and Community Health (MS PSCH)
• Doctor of Philosophy in Epidemiology (PhD)
• Doctor of Philosophy in Prevention Science and Community Health (PhD)

The Graduate Programs in the Department of Public Health Sciences at the University of Miami Miller School of Medicine are at the forefront of public health science with emphasis on research, education, and evidence based public health service. The Graduate Programs promote an environment of learning and inquiry, stressing the scientific method as a way of generating knowledge about common pathways in health and illness. The mission of the Graduate Programs in Public Health Sciences is to develop leaders who can expand and translate knowledge into policy and practice to promote health and prevent disease in human populations.

Joint Degree Programs

Joint degree programs (http://publichealth.med.miami.edu/graduate/academic-programs/) are also offered in conjunction with the School of Medicine (MD/MPH, MD/PhD), School of Law (JD/MPH), College of Arts and Sciences (MPA/MPH), (MAIA/MPH), (MLAS/MPH), and School of Nursing and Health Studies (4+1 BSPH/MPH).

• Medical Doctorate/Master of Public Health (MD/MPH)
• Medical Doctorate/Doctorate of Philosophy (MD/PhD)
• Juris Doctorate/Master of Public Health (JD/MPH)
• Master of Public Administration/Master of Public Health (MPA/MPH)
• Master of Arts in International Administration/Master of Public Health (MAIA/MPH)
• Master of Latin American Studies/Master of Public Health (MLAS/MPH)
• Bachelor of Science in Public Health/Master of Public Health (4+1 BSPH/MPH)
• Bachelor of Science in Public Health/Master of Public Health (4+1 BSPH/MSPH)

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• Ph.D. in Epidemiology (p. 2672)
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EPH 600. Introduction to the Science & Practice of Public Health. 3 Credit Hours.
This introductory course will provide students with the opportunity to explore and analyse contemporary public health issues and provide a history and a context that will allow students to better understand the field of public health, its core disciplines and their role as future public health professionals. Requisite: Must be in either Program Plan, BSTS, EPID, EPID1, PREV, MDRP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPH 601. Medical Biostatistics I. 4 Credit Hours.
Introduction to probability and statistics including descriptive statistics, tests of hypothesis, regression analysis, contingency tables, nonparametric tests, and life tables. Students gain hands-on experience in the analysis of medical data using several computer systems and at least one of the different statistical packages such as: BMDP, SAS, PSTAT, SYSTAT, and Minitab. Requisite: Must be in either Program Plan, BSTS, EPID, EPID1, PREV, MDRP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPH 602. Biostatistics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation and elaboration of EPH601. Topics include design of factorial experiments, analysis of variance and variance components, multiple linear regression, and life tables.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 603. Medical Biostatistics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is a hands-on introduction to biomedical research with a focus on collecting and analyzing patient data. Topics covered include: data security, visualization and analysis. Statistical topics include: probability, frequentist and Bayesian thinking, and both parametric and non-parametric statistical methods. Methods covered include: regression, contingency tables, and survival analysis techniques. Prerequisite: MD/MPH Four Year/Regional Med Camp.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPH 604. Clinical Trials. 3 Credit Hours.
The Clinical Trials course is directed specifically at providing an overview of the broad area of clinical trials. Specifically, this course presents principles that underlie the design and conduct of clinical trials, statistical methods used in clinical trials, and ethical considerations in clinical trials and research. The course uses lectures, case studies, board discussions, written assignments, and applied exercises. The course is designed to focus on practical aspects of designing and conducting randomized clinical trials in a real-world public health settings. Prerequisite: EPH 601.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPH 607. Interdisciplinary Health Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
Health communication is a critical tool for protecting and improving the health of people and their communities and is most effective when developed collaboratively using expertise from many disciplines. The focus of this course is the development of written, oral, and multimedia communication skills that will enable you to effectively communicate concepts and evidence-based scientific findings to diverse communities and professionals in health and other fields. Class time will largely be devoted to the development of these skills in the context of working effectively in interprofessional teams of approximately 5-6 students. Working collaboratively, students will develop teamwork skills and an awareness for the diversity of expertise that underpins effective interprofessional communication teams.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

EPH 608. Professional Development. 2 Credit Hours.
This 2-credit seminar will be dedicated to providing students with opportunities to gain experiences and professional skills such as job interviewing, public speaking, preparing budgets, grant proposal writing, and working with community organizations. The course will be interactive, where I will talk about skills that are important in the public health workforce and students will then practice the skills in pairs or groups. There will be no exams or quizzes; rather, students will be graded on public speaking, performance in a mock job interview, ability to write a mock grant application, developing a grant proposal budget, preparation of a CV/resume, and disseminating research findings to community stakeholders. Class will meet every Tuesday from 1 to 3:30 in CRB 989. Students should come ready to participate and to give constructive feedback to their peers. Each topic will be covered across 2 (and sometimes 3) class sessions, so that everyone has sufficient time to practice their skills and receive feedback.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
EPH 611. Mindfulness in Public Health and Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
The stress of modern life can adversely impact physical and mental health functioning which may be ameliorated by the practice of mindfulness. Mindfulness is a mental state achieved by focusing one's awareness on the present moment, while calmly acknowledging and accepting one's feelings, thoughts, and bodily sensations. This practice is derived from Buddhist traditions more than 2,500 years old. In recent decades these practices have been adopted for use in United States and elsewhere and evidence is growing that these practices can reduce psychological symptomatology (e.g., symptoms of depression and anxiety), enhance resiliency in response to stressors, enhanced pain coping ability, and enhanced attentional regulation, among other benefits. The first half of this course will be devoted to the completion of an 8-week Mindfulness-Based Stress Reduction Course (MBSR) that will involve in-class activities and daily at-home mindfulness practice assignments. Students will maintain a journal documenting their "first-person" encounter with the practice of mindfulness. The second half of the course will be organized around a lecture format with weekly brief quizzes. Anonymous questionnaire data will be collected before, during and after completion of the MBSR course. These data will be used by student teams to evaluate the impact of MBSR on multiple outcomes. Groups will prepare a written report and present their findings to the class at the end of the semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 612. Global Health. 3 Credit Hours.
This seminar examines current global public health issues, governance and decision-making challenges for the 21st Century across developing, transitioning, and developed countries. Topics of discussion include new actors for world health in the era of globalization; linking human development, poverty and health inequities; social, cultural and ethical considerations for health planning; role of industry, trade and public health; evidence based research for improved global health initiatives; foreign policy and health security challenges associated with emergence and re-emergence of infectious diseases and public and private partnerships in global health. Open only to EPH majors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 613. Emerging Challenges in Global Health Systems. 2-3 Credit Hours.
Health systems around the world must respond to an evolving landscape of health risk and disease burden that is increasingly dominated by complex, chronic illness. Contrary to what is often espoused, chronic and non-communicable diseases affect both poor and rich. Yet, access to health services is highly inequitable creating immense divides and equity imperatives that have largely been ignored in global health. This course examines how global and national health systems - particularly in low and middle-incomes countries – can better face the changing burden of disease with a focus on equity and universal coverage.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 614. Global Outbreak. 3 Credit Hours.
This seminar examines current global public health issues and provides an overview of global outbreak investigations and disease surveillance. Participating in epidemiological/outbreak investigations in international settings provides unique opportunities to learn about health challenges in different ecologic, cultural and resource limited settings. This seminar will also allow students to gather insight into public health surveillance and understand the utility of the ongoing systematic collection, analysis and interpretation of data for use in planning and evaluation of public health intervention programs.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

EPH 616. Global Health and Global Justice. 3 Credit Hours.
Global health has emerged as a field distinct from older visions of international health, by focusing on macro-level problems caused by globalization whose origin and solution must transcend national boundaries. Yet global health has also challenged ethics to develop new accounts of justice in this changing world. This course will analyze global health from the lens of ethics. The course will introduce core theories of public health ethics (e.g. utilitarianism, statism and cosmopolitanism) to make sense of the rise of global justice as a distinct field of ethical inquiry. Armed with this conceptual foundation, we will then examine some of the central problems of global health, as well as proposed solutions to those problems. Such skills in argumentation will be increasingly critical for future public health leaders, yet too few public health students are exposed to ethical analysis. By applying ethical frameworks to analyze global health problems, students will gain critical skills in how to integrate distinct forms of knowledge, how to develop cogent normative arguments, and how to articulate and defend an account of fair decision-making and just policies in global health.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
EPH 617. Disease Prevention and Health Promotion. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce students to the science of prevention and health promotion. More specifically, through didactic presentations, group discussions, article readings and critiques, and a term project, this course will focus on providing students with an overview of: the top preventable causes of disease in the U.S., the etiology of disease (with a focus on the top preventable causes of disease in the U.S.) across the lifespan, the role of prevention theories in the development of preventive interventions, and the role of methodology in prevention science. The course will also provide an overview of efficacious/effective preventive interventions, including (but not limited to): family community, and school level interventions. Examples from the fields of obesity, drug use, smoking, and HIV will be used to illustrate the course learning objectives detailed below.
Requisite: Must be in either Program Plan, BSTS, EPID, EPID1, PREV, MDRP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPH 620. Health Education and Behavior. 3 Credit Hours.
Educational processes with special emphasis on the social and cultural determinants of health behavior, health education as a process of social change, and community based health education organizations. Open only to EPH majors.
Requisite: Must be in either Program Plan, BSTS, EPID, EPID1, PREV, MDRP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 621. Fundamentals of Epidemiology. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles and methods of epidemiology. Descriptive epidemiology, environmental and other risk factors, detection of outbreaks, basic demography, and etiologic studies.
Requisite: Must be in either Program Plan, BSTS, EPID, EPID1, PREV, MDRP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPH 622. Obesity and Public Health. 3 Credit Hours.
Nearly two thirds of the United States is now considered overweight or obese and the associated medical costs are placing an unsustainable burden on our health care system. However, the issue of overweight/obesity extends beyond behavioral choices and medical costs. This course will take a deeper look at the complex interactions between our environment, behaviors, and policies, and how they jointly contribute to the obesity epidemic. This course will provide an interdisciplinary perspective of the biological, psychosocial, ecological, and economic determinants that contribute to obesity and the resulting pathways to chronic disease and disability. Finally, current evidence-based public health programs currently will be discussed to stimulate critical thinking necessary to implement effective obesity prevention and control programs.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 623. Determinants of Health and Health Disparities Across the Life Course. 3 Credit Hours.
This course builds on the concepts and methods examined in EPH 614, delving further into risk and protective processes related to health outcomes across the life course, from the prenatal period to older adulthood. Class readings and discussions will examine examples of common risk pathways contributing to various diseases, from the prenatal period to older adulthood. Class readings and discussions will examine examples of common risk pathways contributing to various diseases, including pathways hypothesized to be related to health inequities and disparities, such as: economic and educational disadvantage, stress, sedentary behavior and poor behavioral regulation, social isolation. Common protective pathways that promote health are also reviewed, such as: positive parenting and family relations, and social support.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

EPH 624. Applied Epidemiology: Theory and Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will demonstrate how to apply traditional epidemiological methods for determining disease etiology to real life problems in public health and health services research. It will introduce students to the field of applied epidemiology, the division of epidemiology that involves the detection, response, control, and prevention of public health issues in the population. It will focus on the practice of epidemiology in government agencies and community settings, providing a contrast to epidemiologic work conducted in research settings and academic institutions. Upon completion of this course, students will understand the role and methodologies of applied epidemiologists and learn skills that will prepare them for future work as public health practitioners.
Prerequisite: EPH 621.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.
EPH 625. Research Ethics in Public Health. 3 Credit Hours.
The course identifies and analyzes ethical issues in epidemiologic practice and research. Issues include data acquisition and management, confidentiality, valid consent, advocacy, public policy, subgroup stigma, research sponsorship, conflicts of interest, communication of risk, and international and intercultural difference.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 626. Health Equity. 3 Credit Hours.
The goal of this course is to cover health disparities from multiple perspectives and levels of analysis. We know that the same ethnic, social, and cultural groups are characterized by disparities in many different health outcomes—including “voluntary” behaviors such as crime, violence, sexual risk taking, and substance abuse as well as “involuntary” outcomes such as diabetes, cancer and heart disease. These disparities are rooted in the same structure of how groups relate to each other, in the physical built environment, in the quality of education provided to children, and in access to quality health care. We will cover all of these (and other) determinants in this course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPH 631. Public Health Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of the historical background, philosophy, and purpose of public health. Relationship between government, law, and public health. Organization, management, and intergovernmental relationships of public health agencies in the United States at the federal, state, and local level. Basic principles of management, decision making, and prioritizing in public health are discussed. Overview of programs and services provided by public health organizations with emphasis on current public health issues and problems are also included. Open only to EPH majors.
Requisite: Must be in either Program Plan, BSTS, EPID, EPID1, PREV, MDRP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPH 632. U.S. Health Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to the multiple systems that define, describe, and shape the delivery of health care in the United States. Using case studies and presentations of major issues, this course will give the learner an appreciation of the dilemma confronting policy makers, providers, and patients: how to balance cost, quality, and access.
Requisite: Must be in either Program Plan, BSTS, EPID, EPID1, PREV, MDRP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPH 633. Policy & Management of the Health Effects of Climate. 3 Credit Hours.
Using a health-centered approach, the course will provide critical review of the existing policies aimed at managing the health effects of climate/weather, identify potential gaps in the policies needed to improve and protect health effects of short- and long-term trends of climate and weather and extreme weather. Students will be exposed to real-world preparation and adaption strategies to manage health effects of climate, and develop understanding of and skills in the cost-benefit analysis of evidence-based policies. As a part of the course, students will develop and evaluate (evidence-based) policies to manage a selected health outcome with respect to a selected (in)direct climate/weather related condition(s).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 639. Ecology and Control of Vector-Borne Diseases. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will provide students with an overview of the epidemiology of major vector-borne diseases in the U.S. (e.g., Lyme Disease, West Nile Virus) and globally (e.g., malaria, dengue, filariasis, leishmaniasis, and other arboviruses), field and lab-based methodologies for vector studies to incriminate vector species and assess transmission dynamics, vector and disease surveillance, and “cutting-edge” vector control technology. A major focus will be on the ecology of vectors in their local environments and how transmission dynamics are affected by changes in land use, urbanization, and climate. Students will learn about new WHO-approved strategies for integrated Vector Management (IVM) and how they are applicable for the prevention and control of all vector-borne diseases.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
EPH 640. Urban Environment and Public Health. 3 Credit Hours.
Where we live, where we work, where we go, and how we get there may all impact our behaviors and ultimately our health and well-being. This course examines the urban environment - in particular, those aspects of urban/suburban/semi-rural environments created by humans. This includes how homes, neighborhoods, cities and regions impact public health challenges such as obesity, chronic disease, mental health, infectious disease, and injuries. This course will teach students to translate scientific findings to design healthy communities, and develop interventions to promote urban health. Students will learn how to map neighborhood characteristics such as food outlets, parks and walkability, and to develop recommendations for policymakers.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPH 641. Environmental Health. 3 Credit Hours.
Interdisciplinary scope of environmental health problems. Development of a practical, dynamic model for integrating fundamental concepts from a variety of environmental disciplines. Open only to EPH majors.
Requisite: Must be in either Program Plan, BSTS, EPID, EPID1, PREV, MDRP.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPH 643. Introduction to Occupational Health. 3 Credit Hours.
This course offers a general introduction to major concepts and issues in occupational health and safety from local to global, addressing fundamental topics and current controversies. The course covers core topics that prepare students to more fully understand and address occupational health issues: toxicology, exposure assessment, occupational epidemiology, risk assessment/risk management, prevention of workplace injury and disease, health promotion of adults and protection of worker populations from environmental hazards.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 644. Fundamentals of Program Evaluation. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of Program Evaluation was developed as a survey course directed specifically at providing an overview of the broad area of program evaluation. At its base, program evaluation is the investigator of a program's characteristics and merits. In context of health care, the purpose of program evaluation is to provide information in the effectiveness of programs or interventions so as to optimize the outcomes, efficiency and quality of health care. Evaluation of a program is an essential part of the successful implementation and conduct of any health care project or intervention, and should ideally be designed along with the project itself. Program evaluation activities can use a wide range of methodologies (e.g., qualitative, quantitative), analyze different aspects of a program (e.g., structure, activities, organization), and have a large number of intended outcomes (e.g., achievement or program's goals objectives, extent of program impact, program cost).

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 646. Climate and Health. 3 Credit Hours.
There is an intricate relationship between climate and health. Climate changes directly affect health and well-being but also mediate the effects of socio-physical and biochemical changes in the environment on health and well-being. This course will help students unravel this intricate relationship between climate and health. A range of topics will be covered including: a) the etiology of disease with respect to climate change, b) shifting burden of disease and disability with respect to changing climate and climate-mediated changes in the environment, and c) application areas of climate-health linkages: unintentional injuries and climate change, vector-borne disease and climate change, heat-related mortality, disease of metabolic syndrome and climate change, cardiopulmonary, allergy and immunology disease due to bioaerosols and air pollution.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPH 647. Community Based Participatory Research. 3 Credit Hours.
Community-based participatory research (CBPR) is methodology, increasingly popular in public health and other disciplines, which invites community collaboration throughout the research process from conceptualization of study focus to dissemination of findings. This course will provide an opportunity for medical and graduate students to better understand the process by which community members and academic researchers work collectively to address health disparities and influence social change.
Prerequisite: EPH 621 and EPH 617 or EPH 620. And Requisite: Must be in a Plan of BSTS or EPID or PREV or MDRP.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
EPH 648. Climate, Cool Cities, Healthy Communities. 3 Credit Hours.
In the current era of climate change and rapid urbanization, an understanding of the impacts of urban design, planning and policies on climate and human health in urban and suburban areas is critical. Drawing on diverse disciplinary perspectives, including public health, architecture, planning, and public policy and government and non-profit sectors, the course provides students with the ability to comprehend, synthesize, communicate, and apply evidence-based urban design principles in relation to current and future challenges of climate and health. Additionally, in accordance with the adage, “Think globally, act locally,” students will have the opportunity to interact with local experts who will share their knowledge of national and international policies and programs in the area of urban design, climate and health – while applying their learning to measure current challenges and inform policies of climate and health in the urban/suburban localities of the South Florida region.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 650. Health Economics for Evaluation and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course centers on a discussion of the criteria used to evaluate the allocation of resources and analyze the behavior of two of the principal actors—consumers and firms. The principles of microeconomics are presented in the context of health care systems and markets. Numerous real-world issues and case studies are used to demonstrate economic decision-making techniques, especially for health care organizations and consumers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPH 651. Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
Purpose of the course is to provide students with a sound understanding of the fundamental concepts and methods for conducting public health research. After a brief introduction to the philosophy of science, the major emphasis in the early portion of the course is on research conceptualization, design and measurement, with a particular focus on the logic of minimizing rival alternative explanations of finding for experimental and quasi-experimental studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPH 652. Health Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Part I will examine seven models encompassing different perspectives on public health: philosophy, political theory and politics, law, economic, science and information culture and religion, and organization and management, including how they relate and their relevance in formulating, implementing, and evaluating public policy. Part II will examine the policy making process including how issues reach the government agenda, how laws are formulated, and how the process affects substance. Part III describes the core elements of policy analysis including: problem definition; background; political, economic, and social landscape; development of policy options; and recommendation. It will also include discussions of how to find and analyze documents and data as well as discuss the financing of health care.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

EPH 653. Leading Change in Population Health—Moving From Talk to Action. 3 Credit Hours.
Addressing the public health challenges of the 21st century will require public health leaders to be facile in leading change efforts (on the individual, organizational and system levels) and multi-stakeholder collaborations for measurable results. This transition course at the end of the MD/MPH second year will prepare MD/MPH students for their more advanced experiences in community and public health in the third and fourth years. The objective of this course is to provide students with an opportunity to develop essential skills in leading change in public health while linking their academic work in epidemiology and public health for real world application in public health practice. Students will receive didactic presentations on topics such as leading change, mobilizing multi-stakeholder leaders for aligned action, interest-based negotiation, leading from the middle, leveraging conflict to advance adaptive challenges, communicating /framing your message(s), systems change, as well as lectures on health disparities and the social determinants of health. These lectures will be integrated with interactive discussions and hands-on small group exercises to explore how practitioners can translate public health and community knowledge into sustainable solutions. Leading Change in Population Health—Moving From Talk to Action will provide students with 21st-century leadership skills that prepare them to tackle public health issues in our society from the most simple to very complex. Participants will be challenged to think differently on many levels (systems thinking, interplay between relationships and results, etc.) and prepare them to be agents of change for future generations.
Requisite: Academic Plan: BSTS, EPID, EPID1, PREV, MDRP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
EPH 655. Health Economics and Financing. 3 Credit Hours.
Health economics studies economic principles, methods of decision making, and the allocation of resources within health care systems and markets. This course will provide students with an understanding of the flow of funds and services throughout the U.S. health care system and how the structure and financing of health care impacts population health status. We will use numerous real-world issues and case studies to demonstrate economic decision-making techniques, especially for health care organizations and consumers (patients, providers). Students are not expected to have familiarity with economic concepts and principles prior to taking this course. In addition, students are not expected to use calculus in this course. However, students are expected to have an understanding of basic algebra, and graphical analysis will be used often throughout the class.
Prerequisite: MD/MPH Four Year/Regional Med Camp.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 656. Qualitative Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this course is to introduce students to the philosophical underpinnings of qualitative research and its practical application to the field of public health. Students will 1) develop an understanding of the significance and use of qualitative research methods in public health; 2) differentiate between numerous qualitative research approaches, including phenomenology, grounded theory, and ethnography; 3) describe different methods for collecting qualitative data, including interviews and focus groups; 4) develop skills in the collection, analysis and reporting of qualitative data; and 5) develop a basic understanding of how qualitative and quantitative research may be combined in mixed methodological approaches. The course will include a combination of lectures, presentations of applied qualitative research studies by guest experts, student presentations, and assignments designed to foster students’ skills in formulating appropriate qualitative research questions, designing qualitative studies, collecting and analyzing qualitative data, and summarizing findings for publication. More specific details on the topics to be covered in this course are provided below.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 657. Toxicology: Climate and Health. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will train students in developing an understanding of and skills in assessing the mechanism of the effects of climate, weather and climate and weather mediated effects of environment on biophysiological responses. For example, changes in levels of bronchoconstriction due to change in temperature is a direct effect of weather, and increase in allergies and asthma due to increase in bioaerosols in response to increase in precipitation and temperature is an indirect effect. Students will be exposed to general principles of toxicology and toxicological experimental design, including in-vitro and in-vivo experiments, designs needed to understand and investigate the health effects of climate, weather and climate mediated environmental conditions. The course objectives are to (1) understand general principles of toxicology, (2) understand biophysiological responses to climate, weather and weather anomalies, (3) develop an understanding of and skills in in-vitro and in-vivo experimental designs to assess toxicity of climate, and (4) characterize and quantify biophysiological responses in response to the trends and anomalies of weather and climate.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 or BMB 401 or CHM 111 or CHM 112 or CHM 201 or CHM 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 658. Analysis of the Health Effects of Climate. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will train students in analytical skills needed to quantify the health risks associated with climate, weather and weather anomalies (or extreme weather) adjusting for confounding factors and time-space hierarchical structures. The course will include quantification of time-space lagged exposure estimation, spatial, temporal and spatiotemporal analyses, exposure and risk uncertainty analyses.
Prerequisite: EPH 727.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPH 659. Public Health Seminar I. 1 Credit Hour.
The EPH 659-02 Public Health Seminar Series is designed to explore contemporary issues, problems, and controversies in public health through an interdisciplinary perspective. This course is designed to help you develop and sharpen the skills which are the primary building blocks of a successful career in consulting (as well as many other areas of business), namely (1) analysis, (2) presentation, and (3) teamwork. This class will help you to develop rigorous skills in each of these areas through (i) discussion of the principles underlying best practices and (ii) application and feedback in a series of exercises and cases.
Prerequisite: MD/MPH Four Year/Regional Med Camp.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
EPH 660. Public Health Seminar II. 2 Credit Hours.
The Public Health Seminar is designed to explore contemporary issues, problems, and controversies in public health through an interdisciplinary perspective. Upon the completion of the course students will be able to: 1) understand key public health problems, their distribution, and prevention strategies, 2) examine the complex tapestry of social, economic, political, and environmental factors that affect public health outcomes, 3) understand the complexities inherent in improving health locally and on a global scale, 4) examine the major determinants of, and responses to, poverty and health, 5) analyze public health disparities through a social justice perspective, 6) understand and analyze the roles and agendas of major stakeholders in local, state, national, and global public health, 7) understand the link between global and local health issues, 8) discuss selected interdisciplinary, cross-cutting issues in public health, 9) explain the interrelationships among the five core areas of public health. This course is only open to MD/MPH students.
Requisite: MD/MPH Four Year/Regional Med Camp and EPH 659.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 661. Public Health Nutrition. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides a dynamic, interactive approach to public health designed to prepare students in basic policy, epidemiology, and health education related to nutrition. Recognizing the multiple social, cultural, environmental, and physiological factors leading to nutritional disease. The course includes experts from a variety of disciplines. Public health nutrition addresses issues germane to the public's health by elucidating their extent, determinants and consequences, and the policies and programs to address them. Open only to EPH majors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 662. Child Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will focus on U.S. federal child policy. This course has been designed to provide a comprehensive, multi-disciplinary (e.g., public health, public policy and social work), and cross-sector perspective (e.g., government, private and philanthropic sectors) on child and family policies. Sessions will cover varying approaches and include presentations from a wide range of experts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 663. Hospital Health Care Services and Access: An Interdisciplinary Inquiry. 3 Credit Hours.
Hospitals play a vital role in the health of the communities they serve. Yet, their accessibility and availability to those communities is often unequal, and significant racial and ethnic disparities exist in the utilization of hospital services, quality of care provided, health outcomes and patient experiences. Attention has been increasingly focused on creating sustainable solutions to attenuating these disparities. Initial steps include the examination of community and hospital data to identify inequalities in disease distribution, as well as utilization of care. Such data provides evidence to define critical areas of concern and provides a starting point for engagement with the community. The real work begins when hospitals work with community partners to engage in authentic and collaborative partnerships to address the needs and the health of the local citizens. This process, known as Community-Based Participatory Research (CBPR), can harness resources and build capacity to address health issues relevant to the community. This course will discuss the change that hospitals can achieve when they facilitate community-academic partnerships that bring together knowledge, expertise and interest of community partners with the research and training of clinicians and academic researchers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 671. Maternal and Child Health. 3 Credit Hours.
Preventative and therapeutic concepts pertinent to the reduction of morbidity and mortality among mothers and their children.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 678. CAPSTONE PRACTICUM EXPERIENCE AND PROJECT PREPARATION. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is available only for MD/MPH students. This is the first of two courses required to complete the MPH capstone project. Students will spend the summer between their first and second year of medical school identifying a community health issue of interest and developing a proposal using evidence-based methodology to address the issue. They will obtain practical field experience in a public health setting related to their capstone project area of interest. They will also identify relevant stakeholders who would benefit from the capstone project and can serve as mentors in completion of the project.
Requisite: Plan Code MDRP_MD.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
EPH 679. Learning Collaboratory. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is the first semester of a 4-semester program titled the "Public Health Learning Collaboratory". The mission of this Department of Public Health Sciences (DPHS) program is to transform the learning experience of master of public health students by providing opportunities to develop core skills necessary for effective public health practice, while completing their capstone or thesis in the community. Organized in small groups around 4 thematic areas, students learn about substantive areas (e.g., prevention with children and families, access to health care, urban health, health in Latin America), while building competencies to successfully develop and implement projects in collaboration with community health organizations (e.g., community engagement, needs and capacity assessments, researching evidence based practices, teamwork and problem-solving skills, project planning, development and implementation skills).

Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPH 680. Practical Field Experience. 3 Credit Hours.
Practical field experience requirement for MPH students. Students are placed in health-related settings (local, national, and international) to work on projects of mutual interest to both the field organization and the student.

Components: FLD.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPH 681. Capstone Experience Project. 3 Credit Hours.
The capstone project is intended to build upon EPH 680 field work and will provide students with an opportunity to apply public health academic theory and acquired skills to community health problems.

Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPH 682. Generalist Capstone Project. 2 Credit Hours.
The Capstone Experience Project Special is intended to build upon EPH 680 field-work (or equivalent course) and will provide students with an opportunity to apply public health academic theory and acquired skills to community health problems. As part of the project, the student will generate a 10-15 page written report using evidence-based practice (EBP) that clearly addresses a public health problem. Capstone Projects may be: • Continued collaborations with the same community partner as the field experience addressing public health needs identified at the site; or • Collaborations with a different community partner but with similar population or public health topic from the field experience; or • Collaborations with a different community partner and with different population and/or public health topic from the field experience.

Components: FLD.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPH 684. Special Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to allow the listing of special topics withing the Department of Epidemiology and Public Health and cross-list topics with other departments' offerings.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPH 691. Transdisciplinary Environmental Health Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
Environmental health is concerned with how both the natural and built environment affect human health by looking at the impact of physical, chemical and biological factors external to humans. Individuals working in environmental health fields are concerned with preventing diseases or other illnesses by assessing and controlling environmental factors that pose a threat to human health whether it involves air quality, natural disasters, radiation, water quality, UV exposure, indoor air pollutants, climate change, healthy communities and work environments, or the effects of toxic substances. The purpose of this transdisciplinary environmental health seminar course is to promote critical thinking and expose public health students to a broad range of environmental and occupational research, practice, and policy issues. The student will attend a weekly seminar that is presented by an invited speaker in the field of environmental and occupational health sciences. Meetings will include critical review of topics from the literature, student presentations, and presentations by UM faculty and outside speakers related to environmental health sciences. The content of the seminar will advance public health students’ analytic assessment, communication, leadership, and systems thinking skills. Enrolled students will prepare and co-lead discussions following the speaker presentation about current environmental and occupational health practice or policy related research, a national, state, or local program or issue. Further, the seminar will provide networking opportunities for prospective employers, colleagues, students and faculty.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
EPH 698. MSPH Thesis Proposal. 3 Credit Hours.
This is an independent study course. Students in the MSPH track may register for this course with an approval from the Capstone Manager and the Faculty Advisor. The purpose of this course is to develop the MSPH Thesis Proposal, form a thesis committee with at least two members: 1st reader (an expert in the field) and 2nd reader (the faculty advisor) and obtain proposal approval from the committee members. This MHPS Thesis Proposal is required and must be approved prior to start data collection and analysis.
Components: THE.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPH 699. MSPH Thesis. 3 Credit Hours.
This is an independent study course. Students in the MSPH track may register for this course with an approval from the Capstone Manager and faculty advisor. The purpose of this course is to collect and analyze the data per thesis proposal, to prepare and write the thesis and deliver an oral presentation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPH 700. Professional Development Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
This course covers fundamental topic areas in professional development for PhD students in the public health sciences. Topic areas include: presenting research at conferences, writing manuscripts for publication, preparing the dissertation, the PhD comprehensive exams, effective teaching and mentoring, and getting a job in academia. Through interactive workshops, in-class exercises, brief presentations and assignments, students will have an opportunity to practice and strengthen necessary skills, including effective communication (oral and written), conflict resolution, and developing collaborations.
Requisite: Academic Program Plan: BSTS, EPID, PREV.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPH 701. Innovations in Prevention Science Methodology. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is a part of series "Innovations in Prevention Science Methodology" which covers specialized topics in prevention science that have been identified as moving the field forward.
Prerequisite: PSY 633 with a B or Higher. and Requisite: Plan BSTS or EPID or EPID1 or PREV or MDRP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPH 703. Advanced Statistical Methods I. 4 Credit Hours.
Advanced statistical methods used in analyzing data from epidemiologic investigations. Topics include Mantel-Haenszel chi-square, interaction, standardization of rates, incidence density, logistics regression, and other special topics.
Prerequisite: EPH 601.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPH 705. Advanced Statistical Methods II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation and elaboration of EPH 703. Advanced statistical methods used in analyzing data from epidemiologic investigations. Topics include Kappa statistics, life tables, survival analyses, logistic regression, Poisson regression, log linear models, clusters, meta-analysis, and other special topics.
Prerequisite: EPH 703.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 711. Cancer Epidemiology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the basic epidemiology of cancer. Major sites and exposures are stressed, highlighting descriptive, etiologic and preventive aspects. A major course project and one final exam are included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
EPH 717. Integrating Behavior Health Theories and Models. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide an opportunity for synthesis and integration of knowledge regarding the phenomenon of health behavior. The focus is on critical examination of theoretical and empirical work in the area of health behavior from a public health perspective.
Prerequisite: EPH 617 or EPH 620.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPH 720. Cardiovascular Disease Epidemiology and Prevention. 3 Credit Hours.
Course aims to teach and train MPH students in the epidemiology and prevention of cardiovascular and cerebrovascular diseases which are the leading causes of morbidity and mortality among the adult U.S. population. Essential knowledge for those working in the area of public health is emphasized.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 722. Infectious Diseases Epidemiology and Control. 3 Credit Hours.
This course emphasizes surveillance, investigation, and control of infectious diseases that constitute important national and global health problems. Each class will use one or more specific infectious diseases to illustrate core principles of infectious diseases epidemiology. A major organizing principle of the course will be how to determine whether a disease should be controlled, eliminated, or eradicated, and how those determinations can change over time.
Prerequisite: EPH 621.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 723. Epidemiology and Public Health Aspects of Diabetes Mellitus. 3 Credit Hours.
This course presents an overview of the epidemiology and public health impact of an important chronic disease, diabetes mellitus (DM). Topics include the classification and descriptive epidemiology of DM and associated health complications, disease screening, evaluation of risk factors, methodological issues associated with DM research, DM among special populations, and the public health impact of DM in the U.S.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 724. Molecular and Genetic Epidemiology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the theoretical concepts and practical issues involved in conducting molecular and genetic epidemiology research involving human populations. Specifically, students will learn about: molecular and genetic technology; evaluating disease-associated genes, and their interaction with environmental factors; clinical research; and data mining techniques. Ultimately, students will develop a framework for study design, statistical power and sample consideration, assay evaluation and validation, and data interpretation using molecular and genetic epidemiology tools in their research.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 727. Climate, Environment, and Health: Data Integration and Management. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will introduce: a) different research designs needed to understand the linkages between climate/weather and health, and b) sources and types of data needed for different research designs. The course will train students in: a) the integration and management of weather/climate, environment and health data sets that have different spatiotemporal scales, b) assessment of errors and uncertainty in the collocation of these data sets, and c) visualization, interpretation and presentation of these data sets, including covariance structure in these data sets.
Prerequisite: EPH 601.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 728. Social Epidemiology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an overview and understanding of key concepts and theoretical frameworks relevant to the study of social determinants of population health and health disparities. The interdisciplinary course will cover methodological considerations and methods relevant to the field of social epidemiology, such as lifecourse epidemiology and multilevel determinants of health. A major emphasis will be on biological pathways by which social factors “get under the skin”, and the role of social policies in improving population health. The course will involve lectures, presentation of epidemiologic research by faculty researchers, class discussions, and class projects.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
EPH 731. Developing, Adapting and Evaluating Interventions. 3 Credit Hours.
This course builds on the substantive and methodological competencies acquired in preceding prevention science courses by preparing students to
develop and adapt preventive interventions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPH 732. Introduction to Dissemination and Implementation Science. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to the theory and practice of Dissemination and Implementation (D&I) Sciences. Topics include the importance
and language of D&I science; designs, methods and measures; differences and similarities across clinical, public health, and policy settings; selected
tools for D&I research and practice; and future issues. The focus of this course will be on implementing prevention programs, strategies and policies
that are ready for application, testing and scale up, rather than developing interventions from scratch.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 740. Basic Pathology and Patho-physiology. 3 Credit Hours.
The course emphasizes basic patho-physiological mechanisms and diseases of particular interest to students of public health. Students obtain an
understanding of basic pathological processes, nomenclature of pathological findings, and common natural and unnatural diseases affecting various
body systems. Observations of autopsies and the gross pathology of selected organs are also incorporated in the course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPH 751. Survival Analysis in Clinical Trials. 3 Credit Hours.
Statistical methods for analysis and interpretation of survival data arising from clinical trials. Topics include survival curves, estimation of sample size,
survival curves, proportional-hazard models, time dependent variables, and prognostic indices.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 752. Advanced Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
This is a survey course in advanced quantitative methods for research and evaluation in prevention science. The course will provide students with
an introduction to research methodology, matching research questions to specific methods, applying methods to real world data, and presenting the
application of a method to a broader audience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPH 772. Design & Implementation of Epidemiologic Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
This is the second epidemiology course after completion of the Fundamentals of Epidemiology. This course will assume knowledge of basic study
designs and the basic principles of internal validity (random error, systematic error, and confounding). The concepts, principles, and methods of
epidemiologic study designs (beyond basic designs) and the practical issues in the design and conduct of epidemiologic studies will be discussed.
The emphasis will also include the application of the epidemiologic methods in the forms of journal article critique of epidemiologic study designs,
study design project and/or research proposal development. The course has two intended audiences. PhD students or early career researchers and
advanced master's students who wish to add depth to their understanding of some of the fundamental issues in epidemiology. Doctoral students in
epidemiology may take this course to fulfill one of the “research method courses” for the PhD in Epidemiology degree. Students who are not in the PhD
in Epidemiology program and who wish to take this course require instructor's evaluations (pre-test) and permission.
Prerequisite: EPH 621 and must have already taken or be currently enrolled in EPH 601.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 774. Epidemiologic Methods and Reasonings. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will discuss epidemiological methods (e.g., study designs) and concepts (e.g., confounding, bias, interaction, random error) required to
evaluate the totality of evidence in etiologic research. It will also discuss theoretical models of etiologic research and techniques for quantifying the
magnitude of disease or other health indicators as well as the magnitude of study errors specific to study designs.
Prerequisite: EPH 601 and 621. And pre or corequisite: EPH 602.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
EPH 776. Methods in Epidemiology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will discuss principles of epidemiologic methods. Introduction to causal inference and advanced epidemiologic topics will be covered. This course will be theoretical and quantitative and will include, when applicable, illustrative data examples using various statistical softwares. Prerequisite: EPH 601 and 621. And pre or corequisite: EPH 602.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 782. Advanced Individual Study. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual work on a special project under faculty guidance.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPH 825. Continuous Registration--Master's Study. 1 Credit Hour.
To establish residence for MPH students who are preparing for project presentation. Credit not granted. Regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPH 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the PhD. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPH 840. Doctoral Dissertation- Post Candidacy. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the PhD. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPH 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the PhD, after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

B.S.P.H. Bachelor of Science in Public Health /M.P.H. Master of Public Health Joint Degree

Bachelor of Science in Public Health/Master of Public Health (4+1 BSPH/MPH)
The University of Miami's School of Nursing and Health Studies (SONHS) and the Department of Public Health Sciences (DPHS) offer a 4+1 program that combines a Bachelor of Science in Public Health (BSPH) and a Master of Public Health (MPH). SONHS academically-qualified juniors are eligible to apply to the MPH program. If accepted, students complete the combined bachelor's and master's degrees in 5 years.

Applicants must be enrolled in the BSPH program with the SONHS and apply separately into the 4+1 BSPH/MPH. Applicants must be in good academic standing as defined by the School of Nursing at the time of submission. Acceptance into the BSPH program does not in any way indicate or guarantee acceptance to the MPH degree program. The Graduate Record Exam (GRE) admissions requirement is waived for the BSPH students.

Accepted students take 12 credits of master's level (600) Public Health courses during their undergraduate senior year, not to exceed 6 credits per semester. These 600 level credits count towards the MPH degree. Students must achieve a minimum GPA of 3.0 in the graduate level courses in order to matriculate into the MPH program. The summer following the completion of the BSPH degree, students may take 3 to 6 graduate-level credits at the 600 level Public Health courses and then take the required the following fall and spring semesters to complete the 45 credit MPH degree.

BSPH students must apply through SOPHAS during the undergraduate junior year by March 1 to start the program in the fall. Admission decisions regarding the entry of BSPH students into the MPH program are made solely by the Admissions Committee of the Department of Public Health Sciences.

BSPH students interested in pursuing the 4+1 program must meet with their undergraduate advisor to develop an academic plan. The advisor will also explain the policies and procedures of the program and link the student with the graduate program advisor.
Admission Requirements
SONHS academically-qualified juniors are eligible to apply to the MPH program. Applicants must be enrolled in the BSPH program with the SONHS and apply separately into the 4+1 BSPH/MPH. Applicants must be in good academic standing as defined by the School of Nursing at the time of submission. Acceptance into the BSPH program does not in any way indicate or guarantee acceptance to the MPH degree program. The Graduate Record Exam (GRE) admissions requirement is waived for the BSPH students.

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BSPH degree
This is only a sample. There are numerous ways students can create plans of study for the public health major. Students should feel empowered to use the information listed in the Academic Bulletin and the Student Handbook (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/current_students/student_handbooks/) to take charge of their education, pursue their own academic interests, and create their own, unique plans of study.

The School of Nursing and Health Studies (SONHS) recommends students create their own plan of study that accounts for their ENG, MTH, and modern language placements and incorporates their major, minor, and cognate interests. Once students draft their initial plan of study, they are encouraged to meet with an academic advisor in the Office of Student Services (OSS) (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/office_of_student_services/) to review their plan, address any questions or concerns, discuss areas for improvement, and brainstorm ways to integrate research experiences, study abroad opportunities, global initiatives, graduate school requirements, and career preparation experiences.

The sample plan of study listed below is based on the following ENG, MTH, and modern language placement information and major, minor, and cognate selections:

- **ENG placement:** ENG 105
- **MTH placement:** MTH 101
- **Modern Language placement:** SPA 101
- **Major(s):** Public Health
- **Minor(s):** None
- **Cognates**
  - **Art & Humanities:** Popular Culture (RAU = English)
  - **People & Society:** Public Health major (RAU = Nursing & Health Studies)
  - **Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM):** Biology and Chemistry for Pre-Health Sciences (RAU = Chemistry)

MPH degree
BSPH students will complete 12 of 45 graduate-level credits (6 in spring and 6 in fall) for the MPH during their senior year of undergraduate studies. This requires special permission from advisors and deans. The remaining MPH credits will be completed during the summer, fall, winter intersession, spring, and summer semesters immediately following graduation from the BSPH program.
## Sample Plan of Study

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### Spring

| BPH 208 Introductory Epidemiology | 3 |
| ENG 106 English Composition II | 3 |
| MTH 107 Pre-calculus Mathematics I | 3 |
| SPA 102 Elementary Spanish II | 3 |
| Elective | 3 |
| **Total Credit Hours** | **15** |

### Sophomore Year

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| BPH 310 Global Health (W) | 3 |
| CHM 121 & CHM 113 Principles of Chemistry and Chemistry Laboratory I | 5 |
| ENG 383 The Literature of Science Fiction | 3 |
| PSY 240 Abnormal Psychology | 3 |
| Elective | 3 |
| **Total Credit Hours** | **17** |

### Junior Year

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**B.S.P.H. Bachelor of Science in Public Health /M.S.P.H. Master of Science in Public Health**

Bachelor of Science in Public Health/Master of Public Health (4+1 BSPH/MSPH)
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Applicants must be enrolled in the BSPH program with the SONHS and apply separately into the 4+1 BSPH/ MSPH. Applicants must be in good academic standing as defined by the School of Nursing at the time of submission. Acceptance into the BSPH program does not in any way indicate or guarantee acceptance to the MSPH degree program. The Graduate Record Exam (GRE) admissions requirement is waived for the BSPH students.

Accepted students take 12 credits of master’s level (600) Public Health courses during their undergraduate senior year, not to exceed 6 credits per semester. These 600 level credits count towards the MSPH degree. Students must achieve a minimum GPA of 3.0 in the graduate level courses in order to matriculate into the MSPH program. The summer following the completion of the BSPH degree, students may take 3 to 6 graduate-level credits at the 600 level Public Health courses and then take the required the following fall and spring semesters to complete the 45 credit MSPH degree.

BSPH students must apply through SOPHAS during the undergraduate junior year by March 1 to start the MSPH program in the fall. Admission decisions regarding the entry of BSPH students into the MPH program are made solely by the Admissions Committee of the Department of Public Health Sciences.

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**** The number of electives students take may vary due to differences in placement scores, transfer credits, course and cognate selections, etc.
1 List of approved Method Courses - Select 2 courses from this list: BST 605, BST 625, BST 630, BST 692, EPH 604, EPH 644, EPH 647, EPH 651, EPH 656, EPH 703, EPH 705, EPH 722, EPH 727, EPH 751, EPH 752, EPH 772, EPH 774, EPH 776
2 After completion of core courses, the student may select courses to fit his/her own area of interest. This allows for personal tailoring of the academic program to fit the student’s individual needs and career goals.
3 The MSPH Thesis project requires an individual investigation of a current public health problem and allows the student to demonstrate competency in the development and implementation of a research question. Students will work closely with a faculty advisor and thesis project committee during their investigation. Formal MSPH Thesis project oral presentation is required.
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http://publichealth.med.miami.edu/graduate/academic-programs/public-health-graduate-certificate

Overview
The Public Health Certificate Program is offered through the Graduate Programs in Public Health. The Public Health Certificate Program covers the core content of the Master of Public Health degree program in the areas of epidemiology, biostatistics, environmental health, administration and health education and behavior. The Public Health certificate program provides a foundation in public health training for interested students in other disciplines, and earned certificate credit may be used towards completion of the MPH or MSPH degree programs at the University of Miami.

The curriculum includes 5 courses (16 credits)

*This program is not eligible for federal or state financial aid. Contact the Office of Student Financial Assistance and Employment (https://finaid.miami.edu/) for further assistance.

Admission Requirements
In order to be considered for this post-baccalaureate certificate, you must be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident who holds an earned bachelor degree.

- **Application** - Applicants must submit their application online through SOPHAS EXPRESS, the centralized application service of the Association of Schools and Programs of Public Health (ASPPH) (https://www.aspph.org/). Please note that the application and review process for certificates are separate from the application process. Students admitted to the certificate program that later decide to complete an MPH or MSPH must submit a complete and full SOPHAS application and be considered by the faculty admission committee.

- **Transcripts** - Applicants must submit official transcripts from all previously attended colleges and universities. Upload scanned PDF files of your official documentation in the attachments section of the online application. Students who are admitted to the certificate program will be asked to supply official transcripts upon enrollment.

- **Standardized Test Scores** - Certificate applicants are not required to submit GRE exam scores.

- **Resume/Curriculum Vitae** - Applicants must include a detailed resume including employment, public health experiences, community service, research, and academic or professional honors.

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Mission
The mission of the Graduate Programs in Public Health is to develop leaders who can translate knowledge into policy and practice to promote health and prevent disease in human populations.

Goals
Upon completion of the Public Health Certificate Program, all graduates will be able to:

- Apply statistical reasoning and quantitative methods for the purpose of analyzing public health data and participating in population-based research;
- Explain the role of multi-level occupational and environmental conditions which directly or indirectly impact the health of individuals, communities and populations;
- Apply epidemiologic methods to the measurement and study of population health and the prevention of infectious and chronic disease;
- Examine the main components and issues of the organization, financing and delivery of health services and public health systems; and
- Identify social and behavioral concepts, models and theories that form the foundation of health promotion and disease prevention.

Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will develop and demonstrate effective written and oral communication skills in the presentation of public health information.
- Students will demonstrate critical thinking skills in the core subject areas of public health.
- Students will demonstrate mastery of public health competencies.

M.P.H. Master of Public Health

Overview
The MPH degree is a professional degree for students who require a broad general academic experience in public health. Students will acquire competency in the fundamental public health disciplines. This includes research design and conduct, data analysis and policy analysis, communications, program planning and administration, public health systems and the organization of health services in the United States and Latin America, recognition and analysis of ethical issues in public health and professional practice, the needs of special populations, and the integration of
these core disciplines in public health decision making. The MPH degree is a 45-credit hour program that is accredited by the Council on Education for Public Health.

Full-time students can expect to complete the MPH degree requirements within 2 years. An elective credit waiver may be available for students who enter the MPH degree program with an earned advanced degree (e.g., MD, DDS, DVM, JD).

**Accelerated MPH**

The Accelerated MPH program follows the same 45-credit curriculum as the MPH program but is completed in one calendar year from summer to summer. Accelerated MPH students start the program in the summer semester, continue in fall semester, take courses during winter inter-session, continue in spring and spring inter-session, and end in the following summer semester. The course load per semester for accelerated students is greater than for traditional students; to ensure completion of the requirements within the shortened time frame, accelerated students must follow the program plan designed under the supervision of their assigned faculty advisor from the start of the program. Students interested in the Accelerated MPH program must apply via SOPHAS selecting this program as there are unique admissions requirements. Visit the Application Process (https://graduatestudies.publichealth.med.miami.edu/admissions/application-process/) and FAQs (https://graduatestudies.publichealth.med.miami.edu/admissions/frequently-asked-questions/) on the Admissions page to learn more about the Accelerated MPH application process and admission requirements.

**4+1 BSPH and MPH**

The University of Miami’s School of Nursing and Health Studies (SONHS) and the Department of Public Health Sciences (DPHS) offer a 4+1 program that combines a Bachelor of Science in Public Health (BSPH) and a Master of Public Health (MPH). SONHS academically qualified juniors are eligible to apply to the MPH. Applicants must be enrolled in the BSPH program with the SONHS and apply separately into the 4+1 BSPH/MPH. Applicants must be in good academic standing as defined by the School of Nursing at the time of submission. Acceptance into the BSPH program does not in any way indicate or guarantee acceptance to the MPH degree program. The Graduate Record Exam (GRE) admissions requirement is waived for the BSPH students. If accepted, students complete the combined bachelor’s and master’s degree in 5 years. Accepted students take 12 credits of graduate level public health courses during their undergraduate senior year, then 3 to 6 graduate level credits the summer after completing the bachelors and the rest of graduate courses in the subsequent fall and spring semesters to complete the 45 credit MPH degree.

BSPH students must apply through SOPHAS during the undergraduate junior year by March 1 to start the program in the fall. Admission decisions regarding the entry of BSPH students into the MPH program are made solely by the Admissions Committee of the Department of Public Health Sciences.

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The Capstone Field Experience and the Capstone Project are both vital components of the MPH program, and together form the Capstone Program. The Capstone Field Experience is designed to provide students with real world work experience in the field of public health. This experience places students in health-related settings (local, national, and international) to work on projects of mutual interest to both the field organization and the student. The Capstone Project is intended to build upon this fieldwork and is geared toward providing the student with an opportunity to apply public health academic theory and acquired skills to community health problems. Students are encouraged to build their Capstone Program in such a way that supports their academic and professional interests as they advance in their careers as public health professionals.

**Sample MPH program = 2 years**

This is a sample Plan of Study to complete the MPH degree in 2 years. Your actual course sequence may vary depending on your previous academic experience as well as current course offerings.

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**Sample ACCELERATED MPH = 1 year**

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Students should meet with their academic advisor each semester to determine the appropriate course selection.
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### Mission

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### Goals

Upon completion of the Master of Public Health (MPH) degree, all graduates will be able to:

- Apply epidemiological methods to the breadth of settings and situations in public health.
- Select quantitative and qualitative data collection methods appropriate for a given public health context.
- Analyze quantitative and qualitative data using biostatistics, informatics, computer-based programming and software, as appropriate.
- Interpret results of data analysis for public health research, policy or practice.
- Compare the organization, structure and function of health care, public health and regulatory systems across national and international settings.
- Discuss the means by which structural bias, social inequities and racism undermine health and create challenges to achieving health equity at organizational, community and societal levels.
- Assess population needs, assets and capacities that affect communities' health.
- Apply awareness of cultural values and practices to the design or implementation of public health policies or programs.
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- Explain basic principles and tools of budget and resource management.
• Select methods to evaluate public health programs.
• Discuss multiple dimensions of the policy-making process, including the roles of ethics and evidence.
• Propose strategies to identify stakeholders and build coalitions and partnerships for influencing public health outcomes.
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• Perform effectively on inter-professional teams, and
• Apply systems thinking tools to a public health issue.

Generalist Concentration
• Produce graphical displays of data that effectively summarize descriptive and analytical findings.
• Utilize reproducible research techniques and concepts.
• Apply mixed methodological approaches that combine qualitative and quantitative research methods.
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Student Learning Outcomes
• Students will develop and demonstrate effective written and oral communication skills in the presentation of public health information.
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M.P.H./J.D. Master of Public Health / Juris Doctorate Dual Degree
Overview
The University of Miami School of Law and the Miller School of Medicine's Department of Public Health Sciences offer a joint degree program in law and public health. Upon completion of the programs, a student earns the Juris Doctor degree from the School of Law and a Master of Public Health degree from the School of Medicine. The average length of this joint program is 3.5 years (seven semesters plus 2 summer sessions). Law students begin MPH classes after completing the first year of law school.

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JD/MPH Dual Degree Curriculum

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¹ Students must complete three specific health law courses (9 credits)

² Students must complete four law courses (12 credits) from a specified set of offerings in the School of Law
Plan of Study

The average length of the joint JD/MPH program is 3.5 years (seven semesters plus 2 summer sessions). Law students begin MPH classes after completing the first year of law school.

Students who apply for the joint JD/MPH program must apply both to the School of Law and to the Graduate Programs in Public Health Sciences.

M.P.H./L.A.S. Master of Arts in Latin American Studies Joint Degree

Overview

Miami is the gateway to Latin America. As such we recognize an urgent need for public health professionals with the training and expertise needed to meet the growing public health challenges both in Latin America and the Caribbean. The MPH/LAS joint degree program is designed to train students for a career in public health with a focus on social policy, health management and health care in Latin America and the Caribbean, as well as expatriate communities in the United States.

Average Program Duration: 2.5 years, (5 semesters)
Number of required credits: 54 (+6 for non-native speakers)

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1 Students must demonstrate advanced language competency in Spanish, French, Portuguese, or Haitian Creole. Students may establish proficiency by passing one course taught in the target language at the 600-level or above, or by passing a language competency exam. A major indigenous language of Latin America may be substituted for either Spanish or Portuguese. Students may petition for a waiver of examination if they have gained language competency in another manner (i.e. native speaker, upper division coursework in target language, Peace Corps service, IB credits, or Defense Language Proficiency Test).

2 Six credits worth of Regional Fundamentals in Latin America must be taken. These electives may be chosen from appropriate offerings in LAS, INS, POL, HIS, APY, or GEG, among others. Regional Fundamentals are those courses that have a clear regional or sub-regional focus (e.g. Andean Region; the Caribbean; South America; Central America; Southern Cone; Brazil; South Florida), or a cross-cutting thematic focus (e.g. Caribbean religions, Latin American Social Movements) rather than a specific country focus. The LAS Academic Director may approve courses from other departments.

## Sample Plan of Study

The MPH/LAS joint degree program is designed to train students for a career in public health with a focus on social policy, health management and health care in Latin America and the Caribbean, as well as expatriate communities in the United States.
Average Program Duration: 2 years, 5 semesters

Number of required credits: 54 (+6 for non-native speakers)

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M.P.H./M.A.I.A Master of Arts in International Administration Joint Degree

Overview

The Master of Arts in International Administration/Master of Public Health (MAIA/MPH) degree is offered jointly by the University of Miami College of Arts and Sciences and the Miller School of Medicine's Department of Public Health Sciences. The MPH degree with a second master's degree in international administration is designed for students who seek an in-depth knowledge of public health with a broader emphasis in globalization and health, international health, international health policy and international development.

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**M.A.I.A. Admission Requirements**

The Master of Arts in International Administration (MAIA) program accepts rolling admissions. Interested students may apply to the program at any time.

- **Online Application**  
  - Please complete the online application by clicking here (https://www.applyweb.com/miamigrd/).

- **Application Fee**  
  - An $85.00 non-refundable application fee is paid online upon submission of the application.

- **Statement of Purpose**  
  - The statement of purpose is the most important element of your application packet. This letter needs to reflect who you are, your goals and why you would be an asset to the MAIA program. It is very important to ensure it is grammatically correct and as detailed as possible. The statement of purpose should be no more than two pages in length. Please review before you submit.

  Below is a link to help you get started:

  OWL Statement of Purpose Guidelines (https://owl.purdue.edu/owl/purdue_owl.html).

- **Letters of Recommendation**  
  - Three letters of recommendation must be provided. One letter should be from a faculty member. Two letters should be from an employer, colleague, or other professional source.

- **Official Transcripts**
• You must provide official transcripts from each post-secondary institution attended. Official transcripts in languages other than English must also be submitted with a certified English translation.

• Resume
  • Please provide a copy of your resume if it is available.

• Admissions Interview
  • The admissions interview may be conducted in person, over the phone, or via video conference.

• Grade Point Average (GPA)
  • A minimum overall undergraduate grade point average (GPA) of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale.

• Official TOEFL (or IELTS) Score
  • All international students are required to take this exam in order to demonstrate sufficient English competency. The "Test Of English As A Foreign Language (TOEFL)" exam is offered as a paper-based test (PBT) or an internet-based test (IBT). A score of 550 is required for the PBT; a score of 80 is required for the IBT.

  • Students may also take the "International English Language Testing System (IELTS)" exam to demonstrate sufficient competency in English. A score of 6.5 or higher is required.

  • All international students must provide a copy of their results on either exam.
  • International students from countries whose primary language is English are not required to take this exam.

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## Sample Plan of Study

The MPH degree with a second master’s degree in International Administration is designed for students who seek an in-depth knowledge of public health with a broader emphasis in globalization and health, international health, international health policy and international development.

The average program duration is 2.5 years and the total required credits to earn both degrees is 60 credits. Prospective students must apply to both schools to be accepted to the joint degree program.

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M.P.H./M.P.A. Master of Public Administration Joint Degree

Master of Public Administration Joint Degree (MPA/MPH)

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Average Program Duration: 2.5 years
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Curriculum Requirements
## M.P.H./M.P.A. Master of Public Administration Joint Degree

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**M.S. in Climate and Health**

**Master of Science in Climate and Health**

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The MSCH program has three specific aims. First, to provide students with conceptual, theoretical and applied understanding of the direct and indirect impacts of $C^2W^2$ on human health. Second, to train students in understanding, evaluating, and assessing short- and long-term climate and weather changes, and their direct and indirect impact on disease and disability burden across different communities. And third, to prepare students to develop adaptation, mitigation, healthcare and communication strategies in the light of adaptation and infrastructure capacity of different communities to manage the health effects of $C^2W^2$.

The degree offers the following MSCH tracks. Students must choose a track with approval from their academic advisor:

- Public Health Sciences
- Marine and Atmospheric Sciences
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**Track Coursework**

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**Public Health Sciences Track**

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The degree offers the following MSCH tracks. Students must choose a track with approval from their academic advisor:
- Public Health Sciences
- Marine and Atmospheric Science
- Climate and Health - Analytical
- Toxicology

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Mission
As global warming intensifies, not only will it result in a shifting burden of disease and disability, but it will also result in unprecedented changes in the physical and biochemical characteristics of the environment. The MSCH graduate program will prepare future generations of research analysts, planners, decision-makers and leaders who will have deep understanding of the intricate relationship between climate and health, and ability to decipher this relationship.

Goals
The MSCH program has three specific aims:
- Provide students conceptual and theoretical understanding of the direct and indirect impacts of short- and long-term climate changes on health and well-being;
- Train students in evaluating and assessing short- and long-term climate changes and their direct impact, in turn, on the burden of disease and disability, and indirect impact on burden of disease and disability through the physical and biochemical changes in the environmental characteristics due to climate changes, and
• Prepare students to evaluate (existing) and develop adaptation, mitigation, communication and healthcare strategies to manage the health effect of C\textsuperscript{\textdegree}W\textsuperscript{2} across different populations with respect to their differential health risks, infrastructure and adaptation capacity.

### Student Learning Outcomes

Upon completion of the Master of Science in Climate and Health (MSCH) degree, all graduates will be able to:

- Understand the basic physical processes that control global and regional climate, and global and regional weather patterns and extreme weather patterns;
- Understand the interplay between health and C\textsuperscript{\textdegree}W\textsuperscript{2}, the burden of disease/disability different communities and populations associated with weather and climate, and weather and climate mediated changes in the environment;
- Understand the bio-physiological responses with respect to short- and long-term climate changes and weather patterns;
- Develop skills in collecting, managing and analyzing health, climate and associated data sets to quantify the health effects of climate incorporating hierarchical (including individual, community and region-specific) socio-physical environmental characteristics;
- Understand the structure and administration of public health organizations and the policies that impact health programs and health services for different communities, and identify direct and indirect roles of different stakeholders in the surveillance and management of the health effects of climate, and develop skills in evaluating the role strategies to reduce greenhouse gas emissions and associated health effects; and
- Understand disparities in the health outcomes in communities and the attribution of climate change effects on vulnerable populations, and individual responses (from various socio-economic backgrounds) to different warning and surveillance of weather conditions that pose threat to health and well-being.

### M.S. in Prevention Science and Community Health

#### Overview

The Master of Science degree program in Prevention Science and Community Health is a 33 credit hour program that is intended to provide students with training in the fundamentals of prevention science, including (a) the assessment of risk and protective factors that predict and modify health and behavior outcomes; (b) the development of preventive interventions that target these risk and protective factors; and (c) the implementation and evaluation of these interventions. Students in the program will develop skills in translating prevention research into demonstrable preventive action, and to successfully partner with communities and organizations for the implementation of evidence-based preventive interventions with fidelity and sensitivity to communities’ diversity and unique strengths.

The focus of this program is in line with the seven priority areas of the U.S. National Prevention Strategy (e.g., tobacco-free living, preventing drug abuse and excessive alcohol use, healthy eating, active living, injury and violence-free living, reproductive and sexual health, and mental/emotional well-being), as implemented through the Strategy's strategic directions of creating healthy and safe communities, eliminating health disparities, providing clinical and community prevention services, and empowering people. The program is in intended to prepare students for research or technical positions in government, industry, academia, or private institutions, as well as to pursue future doctoral studies in medicine and public health.

#### Admission Requirements

- **Application** - Applicants must submit their application online through SOPHAS (https://sophas.org/), the centralized application service of the Association of Schools and Programs of Public Health (ASPPH) (https://www.aspph.org/). All application materials, including transcripts, test scores, statement of purpose/personal statement, resume/CV, and letters of recommendations, must be submitted directly through SOPHAS.
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Plan of Study

The Master of Science in Prevention Science and Community Health curriculum consists of required coursework in prevention science and public health, required coursework in statistics/research methodology, credit hours in elective coursework (chosen in consultation with the program advisor), and required credit hours dedicated to proposing and completing a research thesis. The average time to completion is 2 years.

Mission

The mission of the Graduate Programs in Public Health is to develop leaders who can translate knowledge into policy and practice to promote health and prevent disease in human populations.

The Master of Science in Prevention Science and Community Health (MS-PSCH) degree is an academic research degree designed for students who wish to prepare for further study at the doctoral level, or to prepare for research or technical positions in government, industry, academia, or private institutions.

Goals

Upon completion of the Master of Science in Prevention Science and Community Health (MS-PSCH) degree, all graduates will be able to:

- Describe the core disciplines of public health and how they apply to improving population health;
- Apply research methods to the measurement and study of prevention science;
- Describe the origins, foundations, and standards of prevention science;
• Design and carry out empirical research studies that contribute to the literature on risk and protective factors, and their influence on associated with health and behavior outcomes across the lifespan;

• Demonstrate knowledge of evidence-based preventive interventions and understand how to apply prevention science to the design, implementation, adaptation, and evaluation of preventive interventions;

• Integrate knowledge of research design, quantitative and qualitative methods, data analysis, and multi-method, multi-domain assessment methods commonly used in prevention science;

• Demonstrate skill in disseminating their work to diverse audiences via formal academic presentations, instructional activities, and professional/ academic writing; and

• Demonstrate awareness and understanding of diversity and contextual issues such as culture, identity, ethnicity, gender, sexual orientation, disability, marginalization, poverty, inequality, and religion in their research, applied activities, and professional behavior.

Student Learning Outcomes

• Students will demonstrate effective written and oral communication skills in the presentation of prevention science and related areas.

• Students will develop and demonstrate the ability to make scholarly contributions to the field.

• Students will demonstrate mastery of research competencies.

M.S.P.H. Master of Science in Public Health

Overview

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Full-time students can expect to complete the MSPH degree requirements within 2 years. An elective credit waiver may be available for students who enter the MSPH degree program with an earned advanced degree (e.g., MD, DDS, DVM, JD).

4+1 BSPH and MSPH

The University of Miami’s School of Nursing and Health Studies (SONHS) and the Department of Public Health Sciences (DPHS) offer a 4+1 program that combines a Bachelor of Science in Public Health (BSPH) and a Master of Science in Public Health (MSPH). SONHS academically-qualified juniors are eligible to apply to the MSPH program. Applicants must be enrolled in the BSPH program with the SONHS and apply separately into the 4+1 BSPH/MSPH. Applicants must be in good academic standing as defined by the School of Nursing at the time of submission. Acceptance into the BSPH program does not in any way indicate or guarantee acceptance to the MSPH degree program. The Graduate Record Exam (GRE) admissions requirement is waived for the BSPH students. If accepted, students complete the combined bachelor’s and master’s degree in 5 years. Accepted students take 12 credits of graduate level public health courses during their undergraduate senior year, then 3 to 6 graduate level credits the summer after completing the bachelors and the rest of graduate courses in the subsequent fall and spring semesters to complete the 45 credit MSPH degree.

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1 List of approved Method Courses. Select 2 courses from this list: BST 605, BST 625, BST 630, BST 692, EPH 604, EPH 644, EPH 647, EPH 651, EPH 656, EPH 703, EPH 705, EPH 722, EPH 727, EPH 751, EPH 752, EPH 772, EPH 774, EPH 776

2 After completion of the core courses, the student may select courses to fit his/her own area of interest. This allows for personal tailoring of the academic program to fit the student's individual needs and career goals.

3 The MSPH Thesis project requires an individual investigation of a current public health problem and allows the student to demonstrate competency in the development and implementation of a research question. Students will work closely with a faculty advisor and thesis project committee during their investigation. Formal MSPH thesis project presentation is required.
## Sample MSPH Study Plan to complete in 2 years

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1. **Methods Courses**: Must be selected from the approved method course listed in the "Curriculum" tab
2. **Thesis courses**: EPH 698 must be completed prior to enrolling in EPH 699

## Mission

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The MSPH degree is an academic research degree designed for students who wish to prepare for further study at the doctoral level, or to prepare for research or technical positions in government, industry, academia or private institutions. Studies will include the core disciplines included in the MPH degree with an additional emphasis on advanced research methods and quantitative, computational analysis skills.

## Goals

Upon completion of the Master of Science in Public Health (MSPH) degree, all graduates will be able to:

- Apply statistical reasoning and quantitative methods for the purpose of analyzing public health data and participating in population-based research
- Identify and apply the most appropriate statistical tests for the purpose of performing hypothesis-driven research to solve public health problems
- Explain the role of multi-level occupational and environmental conditions which directly or indirectly impact the health of individuals, communities and populations
- Apply epidemiological methods to the measurement and study of population health and the prevention of infectious and chronic disease
- Examine the main components and issues of the organization, financing, and delivery of health services and public health systems
• Identify social and behavioral concepts, models and theories that form the foundation of health promotion and disease prevention
• Analyze the effects of political, social, and economic policies on public health systems at the local, state, national and international level
• Recognize sociocultural factors that promote and inhibit health in vulnerable and underserved populations
• Differentiate between qualitative and quantitative evaluation methods in relation to their strengths, limitations and appropriate uses and emphases on reliability and validity
• Identify public health research questions and hypotheses, analyze data and communicate findings effectively to diverse stakeholders
• Demonstrate effective written and oral skills for communicating with different audiences in the context of professional public health activities
• Assess the strengths and limitations of various research designs in collecting, analyzing and interpreting information from public health studies
• Use statistical software effectively to analyze complex public health data and convert the results into publishable reports and presentations.

Student Learning Outcomes
• Students will develop and demonstrate effective written and oral communication skills in the presentation of public health information to a diverse audience.
• Students will develop and demonstrate the ability to make scholarly contributions to the field.
• Students will demonstrate mastery of research competencies.

MD/MPH Program
Overview
The educational mission of the University of Miami Miller School of Medicine interdisciplinary MD/MPH dual degree program is to graduate physicians with the ability and desire to improve the health of all populations, especially those most vulnerable and underserved, by alleviating suffering and eliminating healthcare disparities through their leadership in patient care, research, education, health care administration and the community.

Four-Year MD-MPH Program:
The University of Miami Miller School of Medicine (UMMSM) MD/MPH program is unique in several ways. There are very few four-year MD/MPH dual degree programs offered at medical schools in the United States. Our program integrates significant components of the MPH coursework into the curriculum beginning in the first year and culminating in a required four-week clerkship in Public Health. In addition, the medical school has partnered with the Palm Beach County Health Department http://www.pbchd.com. This partnership provides opportunities to work with public health professionals in one of the country's most academic and comprehensive public health departments.

The program is designed to provide graduates with the clinical and research skills required to approach health problems from a population and prevention perspective by integrating the roles of the biological sciences and clinical practice into the broader sets of knowledge and practices used in public health. We will graduate physicians who are provided the academic knowledge and skills, as well as the clinical experience to improve the health of all populations, especially those most vulnerable and underserved.

The MD/MPH dual degree program is an educational track at the UMMSM that will provide:
• Both degrees in four years
• Integrated and innovative training in both clinical medicine and public health
• In depth training in public health that provides the skills needed to reduce death and disability at the population level
• The program includes studies at the Miami campus and at our regional medical campus in Palm Beach and Broward Counties working in our community teaching hospitals and clinics and with Department of Health professionals and faculty physicians in community settings
• Sustainable partnerships that provide opportunities to assess and improve public health, working with Public Health physicians in clinical and public health activities during clinical rotations
• Opportunities for community-based research to complete the required special project for the MPH degree (capstone)

Admissions
Applications are accepted through the American Medical College Application Service® (AMCAS®). The MSOM Secondary Application will give you the option to apply to only the MD/MPH program, or to both the MD and the MD/MPH program. Selecting either of these choices will provide you with specific questions about your interest and experience in public health. The criteria for eligibility and academic prerequisites for the MD/MPH program are the same as those for the regular MD program. For more information, visit admissions.med.miami.edu or contact the Office of Admissions at med.admissions@miami.edu or 305.243.3234.

Curriculum Requirements - MD/MPH Dual Degree

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**MPH Requirements (36 credits)**

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Students will follow the plan of study listed on the MD program curriculum (http://bulletin.miami.edu/graduate-academic-programs/medicine/md/) tab integrating with the MPH plan of study below.

### Plan of Study - Public Health

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Credit Hours: 12

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Start Capstone work

Credit Hours: 6

#### Year Two

##### Fall

Year 2 are only MD courses

Credit Hours: 0

#### Year Three

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Credit Hours: 3

Total Credit Hours: 36
Ph.D. in Epidemiology

Overview
The Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) in Epidemiology is an intensive research-training program for students with prior training in Epidemiology or related disciplines. It provides advanced education and training for students seeking a professional career in medical and health-related research, as well as for physicians and other persons who have attained professional degrees and are seeking to integrate epidemiological research and methods into their ongoing careers.

As a research-focused degree, students are given the skills necessary to approach health problems to generate consequential research questions and use the most appropriate epidemiological methods to address them. The methodologically rigorous training comprises both formal classroom education and guided research with faculty mentors. Key research areas include: chronic disease epidemiology, including cancer, diabetes, heart disease, and obesity; behavioral epidemiology relating to substance abuse and HIV/AIDS, occupational disease epidemiology; and health disparities.

Admission Requirements
- **Application** - Applicants must submit their application online through SOPHAS (https://sophas.org/), the centralized application service of the Association of Schools and Programs of Public Health (ASPPH) (https://www.aspph.org/). All application materials, including transcripts, test scores, statement of purpose/personal statement, resume/CV, and letters of recommendations, must be submitted directly through SOPHAS. Applicants to the MD/MPH and MD/PhD programs must apply through AMCAS (https://students-residents.aamc.org/applying-medical-school/applying-medical-school-process/applying-medical-school-amcas/). Joint degree applicants must apply to each program separately.

- **Transcripts** – Applicants must submit official transcripts from all previously attended colleges and universities. All foreign transcripts must be official and submitted in the original language. If the original language is not English, an official translation must be submitted along with the transcript. We do not accept evaluations from foreign credentialing service organizations. All non-U.S. transcripts must be evaluated by the World Education Service (https://www.wes.org/) (WES) using ICAP course-by-course evaluation service.

- **Standardized Test Scores** - Applicants are required to submit a Graduate Record Examination, GRE general exam scores (http://www.ets.org/gre/revised_general/about/), taken within the last five years.

- **English Proficiency Exam** - International students whose native language is not English and/or did not graduate from an English-teaching institution are required to submit TOEFL (https://www.ets.org/toefl/) or IELTS (https://www.ielts.org/en-us/) scores.

- **Resume/Curriculum Vitae** – Applicants must include a detailed resume including employment, public health experiences, community service, research, and academic or professional honors.

- **Statement of Purpose/Personal Statement** – Applicants are required to submit a statement of purpose that details their academic interest in the program. The statement should discuss any experiences in public health including field experience, research, training, education or other related qualifications. Applicants should discuss how earning the degree will contribute to their future professional and career goals, as well as to the future of public health. Applicants should also address any academic deficiencies, if applicable.

- **Letters of Recommendation** – Applicants must provide three letters of recommendation from individuals who are best able to assess their ability to be successful in a graduate degree program. Ideally, recommender are recent professors, researchers or employers in a related field. Letters must be signed and on letterhead. Applicants will be asked to include the contact information of their recommenders on the SOPHAS application and recommender will be sent an online form to complete via email.

For more information about our application process, please click here (https://graduatestudies.publichealth.med.miami.edu/admissions/application-process/). To obtain detailed curricula on all our program offerings, please visit our website (http://publichealth.med.miami.edu/).

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Plan of Study

Prerequisites: The program is primarily designed for persons who have completed an MPH degree, as well as for physicians and others who have a master or doctoral degree in a related discipline. At a minimum, students should have successfully completed a graduate-level, foundation of epidemiology course as well as two graduate-level biostatistics courses.

All PhD in Epidemiology students are required to complete 64 credit hours. These include core courses in epidemiology and biostatistics, elective coursework and the dissertation. Students complete the structured coursework (core and elective courses) during their first two years of study and sit for comprehensive examinations during their second summer semester in the program. After successful completion of the comprehensive examinations, students advance to candidacy for the degree and complete their dissertation research.

Mission

The mission of the Graduate Programs in Public Health is to develop leaders who can translate knowledge into policy and practice to promote health and prevent disease in human populations.

The PhD program in Epidemiology is an intensive research-training program for students with prior training in epidemiology or related disciplines. All PhD students in our program have extensive contact with faculty members, in part because the program is explicitly designed to be small and interactive. The program takes advantage of South Florida’s unique opportunities for epidemiologic research, including our ever-changing mix of race, ethnicity, and cultures. In fact, many of our research programs could not be conducted elsewhere. Furthermore, because the program is located within the Miller School of Medicine, interactions with basic scientists and clinicians provide opportunities for epidemiologists to develop translational and interdisciplinary research.

Goals

Upon completion of the Doctorate in Epidemiology (PhD) degree, all graduates will be able to:

- Describe the core disciplines of public health and how they apply to improving population health;
- Recognize potential ethical issues and implement the concepts of ethical conduct of research in epidemiologic studies;
- Design epidemiologic studies applying sound methodology and assess the validity of results;
- Develop and implement data collection/management methods and tools needed for performing epidemiology investigations;
- Apply quantitative and reasoning skills, as well as content-area knowledge to analyze data from epidemiological studies;
• Utilize the application of statistical methods that are critical to epidemiologic inquiry; manage and manipulate data sets in statistical analysis software packages including, but not limited to, SAS and R;
• Identify major chronic and infectious diseases, their general pathophysiology, descriptive epidemiology and risk factors;
• Critically evaluate scientific literature and synthesize the outcomes across studies, balancing limitations and contributions of each study;
• Articulate research questions that advance scientific knowledge and develop a proposal for extramural research funding;
• Present data at academic and professional meetings and submit scientific papers for publication in high-impact peer-reviewed journals;
• Convey epidemiologic concepts to students and peers; effectively communicate epidemiological information to scientists, policy makers and the public;
• Conduct an advanced original research project and demonstrate mastery of the topic area;
• Read, plan, develop and present epidemiologic data outside their area of mastery; and
• Provide consultation to health professionals in conducting epidemiological research; and be prepared to work collaboratively with scientists and practitioners in other fields.

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Ph.D. in Prevention Science and Community Health

Overview

The PhD in Prevention Science and Community Health will prepare students with the necessary expertise and interdisciplinary background to contribute to 21st century prevention and community health research. Students will be trained in both traditional and innovative areas of prevention science. These include etiology, intervention design and evaluation, innovative data collection and analyses, and implementation science.

The Prevention Science program offers students the unique opportunity to interact with faculty who specialize in all stages of the intervention development and evaluation process, as well as in various methodologies such as community-based participatory research and mixed-methods research. Program faculty are experts in cultural diversity and health disparities. They are focused on acculturation; cultural predictors of health disparities; and efficacious methods, strategies, and programs for reducing health disparities locally, nationally, and internationally. Key research areas include: substance use, HIV, cancer, diabetes, obesity, delinquency and depression.

Please visit our website (http://publichealth.med.miami.edu/graduate/academic-programs/phd-in-prevention-science/) for additional information.

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1 Students complete the Professional Development Seminar in Years 1 and 2.
Students complete the Innovation Seminar in Years 3 and 4.

Plan of Study
All PhD in Prevention Science students are required to complete 75 credit hours. These include course courses in intervention design, implementation science and statistics, elective coursework and the dissertation. Students are expected to complete their structured (core and elective) courses during their first two years of study. Students sit for comprehensive examinations their second summer semester in the program, and then with successful completion of the exams, advance to dissertation research for the remainder of the program (years 3-5), with seminar courses included in years 3-4.

Mission
The vision of the PhD program in Prevention Science and Community Health is to become an epicenter for scholarship on etiology, intervention development and evaluation, and intervention implementation. The mission of the program is to produce prevention science and community health scholars who promote health and prevent illness at the individual, family, community, national, and global levels.

Goals
The PhD program in Prevention Science and Community Health trains prevention scientists and community health scholars through rigorous theoretical, methodological, and applied training. The program prepares scholars for careers in academia, research, and public policy. We aim to train the next generation of prevention scientists who will help to promote wellness, ameliorate the burden of disease, and create health equity.

Upon completion of the doctoral degree in prevention science and community health, all graduates will be able to:
- Describe the core disciplines of public health and how they apply to improving population health
- Apply epidemiological methods to the measurement and study of population health and the prevention of infectious and chronic disease
- Articulate research questions that advance scientific knowledge and develop a proposal for extramural research funding
- Develop and implement data collection/management methods and tools needed for prevention science and community health research
- Design and adapt a preventive intervention based on available etiological research
- Master principles of designing, conducting, and analyzing data from a randomized clinical trial of a preventive intervention
- Master techniques for designing and carrying out procedures for translating evidence-based interventions into community practice
- Apply state-of-the-science statistical methods and manage/manipulate datasets in statistical software such as SPSS, SAS, M Plus and R
- Provide consultation to health professionals in conducting prevention or community research, and be prepared to work collaboratively with scientists and practitioners in other fields
- Recognize potential ethical issues and employ ethical conduct of research in prevention science/community health studies

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Frost School of Music Website (http://www.miami.edu/frost/index.php/frost/)

Frost School of Music Graduate Studies Website (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/current-students/).

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- DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC MEDIA AND INDUSTRY - Dept. Code: MMI
Admission Requirements

Please consult the general section of the Graduate Bulletin for the Graduate School admission requirements.

For additional information on the Frost School of Music Graduate Admission Requirements, please visit our Graduate Admissions website (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/).

The University is currently instituting an audit process to ensure students only take courses that are required for their degree program. Such audits will be specific to students who are receiving federal financial aid, such as federal student loans. If a student is found to be enrolled in courses not required for the degree program, federal aid may be adjusted for that student. In essence, the aid may be reduced, as aid will not be given for courses outside the degree program. Moreover, the University could incur sizable fines if federal aid is used to pay for courses outside the degree program.

Degree Programs

1. Doctor of Philosophy – Deg. Code: PhD
   a. Music Education – Conc. Code: MEDU

   a. Choral Conducting – Conc. Code: MCDC
   b. Composition – Conc. Code: MTCP
   c. Instrumental Conducting – Conc. Code: MCDI
   d. Instrumental Performance – Conc. Code: MIPF
   e. Jazz Composition – Conc. Code: MSJC
   f. Jazz Performance (Instrumental – Conc. Code: MSJI or Vocal – Conc. Code: MSJV)
   h. Multiple Woodwinds – Conc. Code: MIPW
   j. Vocal Pedagogy and Performance – Conc. Code: VPED
   k. Vocal Performance – Conc. Code: MVPF

   a. Arts Presenting & Live Entertainment Management – Conc. Code: MPRS
   b. Arts Presenting & Live Entertainment ManagementOnline

   a. Choral Conducting – Conc. Code: MCDC
   b. Composition – Conc. Code: MTCP
   c. Instrumental Conducting – Conc. Code: MCDI
   d. Instrumental Performance – Conc. Code: MIPF
   e. Jazz Pedagogy – Conc. Code: JPED
   f. Jazz Performance (Instrumental – Conc. Code: MSJI or Vocal – Conc. Code: MSJV)
   h. Media Writing and Production – Conc. Code: MWPD
   i. Multiple Woodwinds – Conc. Code: MIPW
   j. Music Business and Entertainment Industries – Conc. Code: MBEI
   k. Music Business and Entertainment Industries Online Degree
   m. Music Education – Conc. Code: MEDU
      i. Music Education with Certification – Conc. Code: MEDC
   n. Music Therapy – Conc. Code: MTYP
      i. Music Therapy with Undergraduate Equivalency – Conc. Code: MTYE
   o. Musicology – Conc. Code: MUSY
q. Studio Jazz Writing – Conc. Code: MSJW
r. Vocal Performance – Conc. Code: MVPF

5. Master of Science – Deg. Code: MSMET

   a. Instrumental Conducting – Conc. Code: MCDI
   b. Instrumental Performance – Conc. Code: MIPF
   d. Vocal Performance – Conc. Code: MVPF

**Entrance Exams**

The Frost School of Music requires certain incoming graduate students to take an entrance exam in Music Theory. Graduate students are expected to be well-prepared for this exam. Masters students who do not pass this exam must fulfill a remediation requirement prior to completion of the final project as required for the degree. Doctoral students who do not pass the entrance exam must fulfill a remediation requirement prior to applying for Doctoral Committee Approval. Please access this link for more information.

Degree Requirements: Doctoral Degrees

**Doctor of Musical Arts (DMA)**

The purpose of the Doctor of Musical Arts is to train the most promising musicians at the highest musical and intellectual level for prominent careers in their field. The degree stresses excellence in performance, composition, scholarship, and teaching. By its nature, the Doctor of Musical Arts provides opportunities for students with proven accomplishment to prepare themselves for the professorship.

For the Doctor of Musical Arts in Performance, Keyboard Performance and Pedagogy, Composition, Jazz Composition, Jazz Performance, Vocal Pedagogy and Performance, and Conducting, the candidate must meet all the general requirements for the PhD degree with respect to residence, total minimum credit hours, and qualifying examinations. The main distinction between the two degrees pertains to the required creative activity. The DMA emphasizes performance ability, as well as performance-related research. These creative efforts replace the dissertation requirements traditionally found in the PhD. In addition to specific courses and credit hours listed in the following pages, students pursuing the DMA must meet the requirements listed below.

**Doctoral Committee for the DMA**

This committee can be the same or different from the student’s recital committee. The committee should consist of four members, including three members from the student’s major area (one of whom is the committee chair), and one member from another department of the Frost School. The committee chair will be Regular Faculty and/or hold a doctoral degree (i.e., DMA or PhD) as well as graduate faculty status. Two other committee members will be Regular Faculty or members of the Graduate Faculty. At least one member of the committee must hold a doctoral degree (i.e., DMA or PhD). Committees are first approved by the committee chair and then the Associate Dean of Graduate Studies in the Frost School before students apply for candidacy. Requests for exceptions to these committee requirements can be submitted in writing for consideration by the Associate Dean of Graduate Studies in the Frost School.

Responsibilities of the committee shall include the following:

- Overseeing the doctoral essay or lecture recital, including approval of the topic and proposal, supervision of the writing of the essay or lecture recital, assessment of the quality of the final essay or lecture recital, and the quality of the final defense. In cases where special faculty expertise is needed for a particular essay topic, changes in membership of the doctoral committee may be made. Membership of the doctoral committee is approved first by the Associate Dean of Graduate Studies in the Frost School and subsequently by the Dean of the Graduate School.

**Doctoral Cognates**

Within the 60 credit hours required for the degree, DMA students may select a formal area of study known as the cognate. A total of 12 credit hours are devoted to the cognate. If a cognate is not selected, the student should work with the advisor to select a meaningful collection of elective music courses that complement the student’s discipline.

The cognate allows the student to obtain specialized knowledge and skill in an additional area of music. For example, a student pursuing the DMA in instrumental performance may wish to obtain a cognate in musicology or music business. Completion of a cognate should give the student a heightened level of understanding in this topic area, and could give the student a competitive advantage when pursuing post-graduation opportunities. When completed, cognates are listed on the student’s official transcript.

Cognates are offered in a number of Departments within the Frost School. Students must apply to the cognate Department for acceptance. This process may include an audition, interview, portfolio, or testing as determined by the cognate Department. Students must complete all requirements specified for a cognate to be recognized as having completed the cognate. Otherwise, the credits will be considered electives and the cognate will not be granted. In order to ensure completion of the cognate in a timely manner, students should decide on a cognate no later than the end of their second semester of full-time study.
No credits that are otherwise required in the DMA program can apply to the cognate. Any overlap will require approved course substitutions within either the DMA program or the cognate as determined to be most appropriate by the Faculty In-Charge of the selected cognate, as well as the Associate Dean of Graduate Studies. One course substitution is allowed per cognate.

**Procedures for Completing a Doctoral Cognate**
See Procedures for Completing a Cognate on this website (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/current-students/doctoral-cognates/):

1. Contact the Office of Graduate Studies to obtain a complete listing of required courses in a selected cognate.
2. Contact the faculty in-charge for the desired cognate.
3. Complete the application process for that cognate.
4. The designated faculty member must then complete and sign a Doctoral Cognate Acceptance Form and submit it to the Frost School Office of Graduate Studies.
5. Complete all required courses in the cognate with a grade of C- or higher. The cognate can then be listed on the student’s official transcript at time of degree conferral.

**List of Cognates, Respective Departments, and Faculty in Charge:**
- **Arts Presenting and Live Entertainment Management**, Department of Music Media and Industry, Gary Wood
  - Collaborative Piano, Department of Keyboard Performance, Santiago Rodriguez
  - Conducting: Choral, Department of Vocal Performance, Corin Overland
  - Conducting: Instrumental, Department of Instrumental Performance, Robert Carnochan
  - Instrumental Performance, Department of Instrumental Performance, Margaret Donaghue, Ross Harbaugh, Richard Todd, Svet Stoyanov
- **Jazz Performance**, Department of Studio Music and Jazz, John Daversa
  - Keyboard Pedagogy, Department of Keyboard Performance, Naoko Takao
- **Music Business**, Department of Music Media and Industry, Serona Elton
- **Music Education**, Department of Music Education and Music Therapy, Stephen Zdzinski
- **Music Technology**, Department of Music Theory and Composition, Will Pirkle
- **Music Theory**, Department of Music Theory and Composition, Charles Mason
- **Musicology**, Department of Musicology, David Ake
  - Vocal Accompanying, Department of Vocal Performance, Alan Johnson

**DMA Qualifying Examinations**
Qualifying examinations represent a significant milestone in the doctoral degree. All students pursuing the Doctor of Musical Arts degree must pass Doctoral Qualifying Examinations prior to proposing the DMA Essay, and prior to applying for candidacy. These exams represent a comprehensive and in-depth assessment of graduate student knowledge and skill level in the major discipline as acquired over a lifetime of academic and practical experience. Depending on the degree program, qualifying examinations may consist of timed written exams, take-home projects, performance-based examinations of musical skill, and oral exams.

Students who fail a qualifying exam (or a portion of the exam) can re-take the exam one time with Departmental approval. A student who fails a qualifying examination (or portion of the exam) for a second time will be dismissed from his/her respective degree program.

Discipline-specific qualifying exam procedures for each DMA degree can be found on our Graduate Studies website (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/current-students/). All DMA students are strongly encouraged to contact their advisors and Department Chairs to obtain more information on exam scheduling, expectations, and preparation.

**Admission to Candidacy**
Doctoral students may apply for candidacy after successfully defending the Doctoral Essay or Lecture Recital proposal. No student may receive the degree in the same semester or summer session in which he or she is admitted to candidacy.

**Performance and Creative Requirements**
DMA students in performance, jazz performance, or keyboard performance and pedagogy may present one recital before the qualifying examination (provided they have passed their qualifying recital). Before the second or third recital, depending upon program, students must have passed the Qualifying Examinations. All recitals are to be presented during either Fall or Spring semesters when classes are in session.
Performance Majors
Students accepted into the program must present three full-length (60 minute) doctoral recitals, and may choose from these options as decided in consultation with their studio teacher:

1. Three solo recitals
2. Two solo recitals and one chamber recital
3. Solo recitals may also include some chamber music which features the student's instrument or voice
4. One doctoral recital may consist of an Orchestral Mock Audition

Vocalists are expected to execute one or more substantial roles in a large scale work, e.g., opera or oratorio in addition to the solo recitals. Students majoring in accompanying and chamber music will present one solo recital, one chamber music recital, and three accompanying recitals. For Keyboard Performance and Pedagogy, an approved combination of recitals and pedagogy presentations is required.

Jazz Performance Majors
Students must present three full-length recitals.

Conducting Majors: Choral
No less than two approved full recitals shall be presented by each candidate.

Conducting Majors: Instrumental
Three approved public recitals (or the equivalent) with suitable performing groups must be given during the period of residency and prior to the oral examination.

Composition Majors
1. The candidate will be required to compose a piece of substantial proportions.
2. The candidate will be required to write a doctoral essay. The text will either detail the doctoral composition or discuss another topic as approved by the doctoral committee chair.
3. A public presentation of the candidate's compositions will be required. A series of smaller performances presented each semester on- or off-campus, a larger festival performance(s), or a cumulative solo recital at the terminal stages of the degree exemplify how this requirement can be fulfilled. Other options are possible with faculty approval.

DMA Final Project
By means of a written Doctoral Essay or Lecture Recital, all DMA candidates are expected to demonstrate their ability to conduct an original scholarly investigation and present its results in an articulate manner. All DMA students must pass a public oral defense of the Doctoral Essay or Lecture Recital. Detailed information on these projects and defense procedures is provided in the Frost School of Music Graduate Student Handbook (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/current-students/).

Doctor of Philosophy (PhD)
The Doctor of Philosophy degree is offered in Music Education, and Music Education with Music Therapy Emphasis. This rigorous curriculum prepares students to become innovative researchers, scholars, and outstanding leaders in these disciplines. Graduates are uniquely-prepared for careers in higher education, research, and administration. Candidates must meet all general requirements for the PhD degree as defined by the Graduate School of the University of Miami with respect to residence, total minimum credit hours, and qualifying examinations. In addition to specific courses and credit hours listed in the following pages, students pursuing the PhD must meet the requirements listed below.

PhD Qualifying Examination
All PhD students must complete a qualifying examination that includes two components. The first component consists of writing three scholarly papers that are independent of or significant extensions of documents written as part of other coursework. The second component consists of a one-hour, oral examination focusing on the written papers. After successfully completing this exam, students can apply for Doctoral Committee Approval, defend the dissertation proposal, and apply for Doctoral Candidacy. Students who fail a qualifying exam (or a portion of the exam) can re-take the exam, with committee approval. A student who fails a qualifying examination (or portion of the exam) twice will be dismissed from the degree program.

Qualifying exam procedures for the PhD degree can be found on our Graduate Studies website (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/current-students/). PhD students are strongly encouraged to contact their advisors and Department Chairs to obtain more information on exam scheduling, expectations, and preparation.

Doctoral Committee for the PhD
All students pursuing the Doctor of Philosophy degree must establish a Doctoral Committee to oversee the dissertation. The committee should consist of five members, including three members from the student’s major area (one of whom is the committee chair), and one other member from another department within the Frost School, and one faculty member from outside the Frost School. The committee chair and two other members
must be members of the Graduate Faculty. Requests for exceptions to these committee requirements can be submitted in writing for consideration by the Associate Dean of Graduate Studies in the Frost School.

Admission to Candidacy
Doctoral students may apply for candidacy after successful completion of all qualifying examinations as well as a successful defense of the dissertation proposal. No student may receive the degree in the same semester or summer session in which he or she is admitted to candidacy.

PhD Final Project: the Dissertation
The culminating project for the PhD is the Doctoral Dissertation. A PhD is traditionally considered a research-oriented academic degree, thus the dissertation should consist of independent, original research that demonstrates the candidate’s mastery of both subject matter and scholarly method. All PhD students must pass a public oral defense of the Dissertation. Detailed information, including defense procedures, is provided in the Frost School of Music Graduate Student Handbook (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/current-students/).

Degree Requirements: Masters Degrees
Credit Hours and Grades
All masters degrees require a minimum of 30 credit hours. However, many masters degrees in the Frost School require more than 30 credit hours. Students are therefore advised to carefully read the respective bulletin pages for their chosen degree program. To graduate, students must have a cumulative GPA of 3.0 (B average). Grades below C- are not considered passing.

Master of Music Degree (MM) in:
• Conducting, Choral or Instrumental
• Instrumental Performance
• Keyboard Performance
• Jazz Performance
• Vocal Performance

In addition to specific courses and credit hours listed in the following pages, students pursuing these Master of Music degrees must meet all requirements listed below.

Ensemble Requirements
The curricula for Master of Music degrees in performance and conducting include participation in one ensemble during each semester that a student is registered for 7 credit hours or more. Certain performance degrees have additional ensemble requirements as found on the respective bulletin pages.

Conducting Recital Guidelines
Master’s Recital
A compilation on DVD of conducting single or multiple works of live performances of major ensembles spread across the Masters’ experience. These performances are arranged in consultation with the major professor who assists in the preparation of the performances.

Master’s Advanced Recital
A full-length conducting recital is prepared and presented. The ensemble(s) and repertoire will be selected in close consultation with the major professor who will assist in the preparation process. All aspects of performance preparation including scheduling, venue arrangements, program notes, and the like will be carried out by the student under the guidance of the major professor.

Performance Recital Guidelines
Master’s Recital
A full-length recital performed publicly by the student that may include chamber music in which the student’s instrument plays a prominent role. Selection of repertoire is determined in consultation with the major professor who assists in the preparation of the performances.

Master’s Second Recital
With advisor approval, masters students in performance may give a second recital. In the Department of Instrumental Performance, this second recital may take the form of an Orchestral Mock Audition.

Final Projects
All masters degrees in performance and conducting require the successful completion of a final, culminating project. For example, in some performance degrees, students must perform and defend an extended comprehensive jury. In other performance degrees, students must complete a scholarly document in the form of either a Recital Paper or Extended Program Notes which must be defended before the masters recital committee.
Detailed information on these documents and defense procedures are provided in the Frost School of Music Graduate Student Handbook (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/current-students/).

Students are advised to carefully read the respective bulletin pages and consult with their assigned advisor to obtain more information on the required final project for their degree program.

**Master of Music Degree (MM) in:**
- Composition
- Jazz Pedagogy
- Keyboard Performance and Pedagogy
- Media Writing and Production
- Musicology
- Music Education
- Music Therapy
- Studio Jazz Writing

In addition to specific courses and credit hours listed in the following pages, students pursuing these Master of Music degrees must meet all requirements listed below.

**Masters Thesis or Masters Project**
Students in these Master of Music degree programs must complete either a thesis or masters project and must pass a public, oral defense of their work. Detailed information on these documents and defense procedures are provided in the Frost School of Music Graduate Student Handbook (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/current-students/).

**Comprehensive Examinations**
Certain masters degree programs also require students to take written Comprehensive Examinations. Students should contact their advisors to obtain specific details regarding comprehensive examination requirements. The exam is typically written and evaluated by a committee of faculty members in the student's department who are familiar with the student's discipline.

Per Graduate School policy, students who fail the comprehensive exam may be given one opportunity to retake the exam, with the committee's approval. The re-take of the comprehensive exam may not be taken during the same semester as the original exam, or during a summer session. Additionally, the re-take must be completed within one calendar year of the original exam.

**Master of Music Degree (MM) in:**
- Music Business and Entertainment Industries

In addition to specific courses and credit hours listed in the following pages, students pursuing these Master of Music degrees must meet all requirements listed below.

**Cumulative Exit Exam**
Students must pass a cumulative exit exam as part of the Master of Music degree in Music Business and Entertainment Industries or Jazz Pedagogy.

**Master of Arts Degree (MA) in:**
- Arts Presenting and Live Entertainment Management

In addition to specific courses and credit hours listed in the following pages, students pursuing this Master of Arts degree must meet all requirements listed below.

**Cumulative Exit Exam**
Students must pass a cumulative exit exam as part of the Master of Arts degree in Arts Presenting and Live Entertainment Management.

**Master of Science Degree (MS) in:**
- Music Engineering Technology

In addition to specific courses and credit hours listed in the following pages, students pursuing this Master of Science degree must meet all requirements listed below.

**Masters Research Project**
Students pursuing the Master of Science degree in Music Engineering Technology must complete a substantial final project in the form of independent research that is defended before a faculty committee. Detailed information on this project and defense procedures are provided in the Frost School of Music Graduate Student Handbook (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/current-students/).
Degree Requirements: Artist Diploma

Artist Diploma (AD) in:
- Instrumental Conducting
- Instrumental Performance
- Keyboard Performance
- Vocal Performance

The Artist Diploma is an intensive, one-year immersion in performance or conducting study for candidates with highly-developed skills. In addition to specific courses and credit hours listed in the following pages, students pursuing the AD program must also complete two, full-length (60 minute) recitals. In the Department of Instrumental Performance, one of the Artist Diploma recitals may take the form of an Orchestral Mock Audition.

Instrumental Performance
https://instrumental.frost.miami.edu/

The Frost School of Music's Department of Instrumental Performance has programs tailored to meet the needs and interests of students -- like you -- who aspire to performance careers. Graduates of these programs often pursue careers as symphony musicians, university professors, concert soloists, or band or orchestra conductors. Many graduates pursue advanced study and graduate degrees for further career preparation.

As an instrumental performance major (https://instrumental.frost.miami.edu/), you will focus on developing and honing your performance skills on a selected brass, percussion, string, or woodwind instrument with assistance from faculty who have distinguished themselves as outstanding teachers and performing musicians. While the curriculum emphasizes development of tone and musicianship, as well as technical mastery of the instrument, it also includes music theory, music history and literature, orchestral literature and teaching methods. In addition, you will develop expertise in contemporary literature and chamber music performance. For more information, please visit the website for the department of Instrumental Performance (https://instrumental.frost.miami.edu/).

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Artist Diploma in Instrumental Performance
- A.D. in Instrumental Conducting (p. 2697)
- A.D. in Instrumental Performance (p. 2700)

MIP 0B5. Oboe. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Mastery of technical aspects of oboe performance. Preparation of Masters recital(s) and Oral Defense. Preparation of audition repertoire for further study or professional placement. Related areas such as reed making, specific individualized studies, instrument maintenance, chamber music and orchestral excerpts are also part of the curriculum.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 0B6. Oboe. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Mastery of technical aspects of oboe performance. Preparation of Masters recital(s) and Oral Defense. Preparation of audition repertoire for further study or professional placement. Related areas such as reed making, specific individualized studies, instrument maintenance, chamber music and orchestral excerpts are also part of the curriculum.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP 087. Oboe. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Continue mastery of technical aspects of oboe performance. Preparation of DMA recitals and Oral Defense. Preparation of audition repertoire for professional placement. An overview of pedagogy materials for performance and teaching use will also be explored.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 640. Reed Making and Maintenance for Oboe and Bassoon. 0 Credit Hours.
One hour week class detailing and experiencing the processing of cane and making of reeds for oboe and bassoon, and the maintenance of those instruments.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 641. Bassoon Repertoire and Pedagogy. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Solo and small ensemble literature of the bassoon since 1600.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 642. Clarinet Repertoire and Pedagogy. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Solo and small ensemble literature of the clarinet since 1600.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 643. Flute Repertoire and Pedagogy. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Solo and small ensemble literature of the flute since 1600.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 644. Oboe Repertoire and Pedagogy. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Solo and small ensemble literature of the oboe since 1600.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 645. Brass Repertoire and Pedagogy. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Solo and small ensemble literature of brass instruments since 1600.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 646. Percussion Repertoire and Pedagogy. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Solo and small ensemble literature of percussion instruments since 1600.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MIP 647. Saxophone Repertoire and Pedagogy. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Solo and small ensemble literature of the saxophone since 1600.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 648. Guitar Repertoire and Pedagogy. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Solo and small ensemble literature of the guitar since 1600.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MIP 649. String Repertoire and Pedagogy. 1-2 Credit Hours.
An exploration of teaching string playing. Areas covered include problem-solving and communication techniques, and practical considerations in establishing a teaching studio. Students participate in hands-on teaching opportunities. Prerequisite: Advanced standing in Music and permission of instructor.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 650. Bach Cello Suites. 1 Credit Hour.
The study and performance of the six suites for unaccompanied cello of Johann Sebastian Bach.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MIP 680. Orchestral Audition Preparation. 1 Credit Hour.
The study of the more difficult excerpts from the orchestral literature for violin, viola, violoncello, or double bass. Course may be repeated for cr
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 693. Special Projects in Instrumental Performance or Conducting. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member’s area of expertise and student’s area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MIP 694. Special Topics in Instrumental Performance or Conducting. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member’s expertise and students’ areas of interest.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MIP 701. MM Recital Program Notes Preparation. 1 Credit Hour.
Students prepare extensive, original program notes, with bibliography. These notes will be made available to the audience of the second Masters recital. The notes may focus on the historical, analytical and performance aspects of the repertoire for this recital. Required in MM two-recital degree programs.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 710. Graduate Conducting Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
The graduate conducting seminar is an advanced study of conducting and rehearsal techniques combined with score and ensemble topics. Specific topics vary each semester. May be repeated for credit.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 720. Concepts and Processes of Classical Improvisation. 1 Credit Hour.
Concepts and Processes of Improvisation in classical music
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MIP 730. Afro-Caribbean Hand Drumming, Level I. 1 Credit Hour.
The study of hand drumming techniques used to perform the music of Africa and the new world African music that originated in the islands of the Caribbean and the countries of Central and Latin America. Class is taught as a workshop.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 731. Afro-Caribbean Hand Drumming, Level II. 1 Credit Hour.
The study of hand drumming techniques used to perform the music of Africa and the new world African music that originated in the islands of the Caribbean and the countries of Central and Latin America. Level II is a performance ensemble.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP 735. Percussion Contemporary Chamber Music. 1 Credit Hour.
Mandatory for all classical percussionists, this course focuses on the contemporary unconduted chamber music repertoire. The goal is for students to develop and use an advanced listening/communicating skill set, while playing music with others. This course also targets to improve students' capabilities in contemporary music interpretation and performance.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 738. Trombone Choir. 1 Credit Hour.
The study and performance of literature for small and large trombone ensembles.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 740. Flute Choir. 1 Credit Hour.
Reading, rehearsing, and performing the flute choir repertoire (duets, trios, quartets, quintets).
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 741. Saxophone Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
The study and performance of classical and jazz literature for small saxophone ensembles.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 743. Chamber Music. 1 Credit Hour.
Exploring the chamber music repertoire as represented by various combinations of instruments.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 755. Seminar in Baroque Performance. 1 Credit Hour.
Students will present research on compositions representative of the Baroque period. Presentations will include interpretation, style, and historical context of both the composer and the work.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 756. Seminar in Classical Performance. 1 Credit Hour.
Students will present research on compositions representative of the classical period. Presentations will include interpretation, style, and historical context of both the composer and the work.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MIP 757. Seminar in Romantic Performance. 1 Credit Hour.
Students will present research on compositions representative of the Romantic period. Presentations will include interpretation, style, and historical context of both the composer and the work.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 758. Seminar in Contemporary Performance. 1 Credit Hour.
Students will present research on compositions representative of the Contemporary music. Presentations will include interpretation, style, and historical context of both the composer and the work.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MIP 770. Marching Band. 1 Credit Hour.
The "Band of the Hour" Marching Band is open to all qualified undergraduate and graduate students, regardless of major. The band performs at all home Miami Hurricane football games and selected away games.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 771. Symphonic Winds. 1 Credit Hour.
Symphonic Band is a large wind band that performs significant repertoire for wind and percussion instruments. It is open to all qualified undergraduate and graduate students, regardless of major.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 774. Brass Choir. 1 Credit Hour.
Major works for Brass Choir are studied. Special emphasis is given to orchestral repertoire.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 776. Wind Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
This course offers performance opportunities for qualified wind and percussion players. Repertoire includes significant literature written for the small and large wind band.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 780. Symphony Orchestra. 1 Credit Hour.
The Symphony Orchestra performs significant repertoire for large orchestra. It is open to all qualified graduate students by audition.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 781. Instrumental Conducting Workshop. 2 Credit Hours.
This course provides practical procedures and materials for beginning and advancing conducting students. Students enrolled in the four-semester sequence demonstrate basic conducting techniques, demonstration of instruments and instrumentation of the wind band and orchestra, and analyze scores for conception, interpretations, rehearsal, and performance.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 782. Instrumental Conducting II. 2 Credit Hours.
This course provides practical procedures and materials for advancing instrumental conducting students. Students demonstrate refined skill in conducting musical styles and independence of gestures.
Prerequisites: MIP 781 or MIP 317.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MIP 790. SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA, WIND ENSEMBLE AND ENSEMBLE IBIS. 1 Credit Hour.
Frost Symphony Orchestra (FSO), Frost Wind Ensemble (FWE), and Ensemble Ibis (EI) are the premiere large ensembles that perform significant repertoire for strings, winds, and percussion. They are open to all qualified undergraduate and graduate students at the Frost School of Music and University of Miami by way of a successful audition. Following placement auditions, decisions will be made by the faculty to determine which ensembles each student will be assigned. These decisions will be based on the student’s ability and educational need, as well as the need of the specific repertoire programmed for each ensemble throughout the season.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 791. Tuba Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
The study and performance of compositions and/or transcriptions written for an ensemble of tubas and/or euphoniums.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP 792. Classical Guitar Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
This course focuses on sightreading, rhythm recognition, and ensemble performance through the study of exercise, scales, and diverse repertoire.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 793. Special Projects in Instrumental Performance or Conducting. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member’s area of expertise and student’s area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MIP 794. Special Projects in Instrumental Performance or Conducting. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member’s expertise and students’ areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MIP 811. Master's Recital Paper. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's recital paper enrolls for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the paper has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MIP 812. Master's Recital. 1 Credit Hour.
A masters recital lasting at least 60 minutes that may include some chamber works but consists primarily of solo pieces. Students are required to write Program Notes.
Components: PRA.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 813. Master's Second Recital. 1 Credit Hour.
The second recital for those taking the two-recital option in the Master of Music in Instrumental Performance degree.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 814. Artist Diploma Recital. 1 Credit Hour.
The student enrolls for recital credit during the semester in which he/she presents the Artist Diploma Recital.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 815. Masters Advanced Recital. 2 Credit Hours.
The second recital in the masters degree when students choose Extended Program Notes as the final project.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence and maintain full-time enrollment for the master's degree after the student has completed the required hours of thesis or project credit.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MIP 831. Doctoral Essay. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the D.M.A. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but not for less than a total of 12. Not more than 12 hours of MIP 731 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MIP 832. Doctoral Recital. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the D.M.A.
Components: PRA.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence and maintain full-time enrollment for the DMA after the student has completed the required hours of doctoral essay credit.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MIP BA5. Bassoon. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Mastery of technical aspects of bassoon performance. Preparation of Masters recital(s) and oral defense. Preparation of repertoire for audition for further study or professional placement. Related areas such as reed making, specific individualized studies, instrumental maintenance, and orchestral excerpts are also part of the curriculum.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP BA6. Bassoon. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Mastery of technical aspects of bassoon performance. Preparation of Masters recital(s) and oral defense. Preparation of repertoire for audition for further study or professional placement. Related areas such as reed making, specific individualized studies, instrumental maintenance, and orchestral excerpts are also part of the curriculum.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP BA7. Bassoon. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Continued mastery of technical aspects of bassoon performance. Preparation of DMA recitals and oral defense. Preparation of repertoire for audition for professional placement. An overview of pedagogy materials for performance and teaching use will also be explored.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP BAX. Secondary Bassoon - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CD5. Conducting. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson and studio class for Artist Diploma students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CD6. Conducting. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson and studio class for Masters students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CD7. Conducting. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson and studio class for Doctoral students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP CDX. Secondary Instrumental Conducting - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.

Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CL5. Clarinet. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson and studio class for Artist Diploma students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CL6. Clarinet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson and studio class for Masters students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CL7. Clarinet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson and studio class for Doctoral students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CLX. Secondary Clarinet - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.

Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP DB5. Double Bass. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Advanced study of the double bass. Preparation for Master's recitals, and oral defense, orchestral repertoire, planning auditions, and insights on teaching.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP DB6. Double Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Advanced study of the double bass. Preparation for Master's recitals, and oral defense, orchestral repertoire, planning auditions, and insights on teaching.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP DB7. Double Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Preparation of qualifying and DMA recitals and oral defense. Continuation of advanced orchestral repertoire and methods and audition preparation.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP DBX. Secondary Double Bass - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.

Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP EUS. Euphonium. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson and studio class for Artist Diploma students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP EU6. Euphonium. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson and studio class for Masters students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP EU7. Euphonium. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson and studio class for Doctoral students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP EUX. Secondary Euphonium - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FH5. French Horn. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Emphasis will continue to be the advancement of repertoire experience and skill assessment. Preparation and presentation of a solo recital will be the main focus of repertoire study. In-depth study of Orchestral Literature will also begin this semester.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FH6. French Horn. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Emphasis will be on an assessment of students' skills, needs and repertoire experience. Materials will be explored from the standard etude and solo literature that is relevant to the students' level and skill needs. Exploration will begin to choose material for a solo recital in the Spring semester.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FH7. French Horn. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Students' skills needs will be assessed and a course of study developed for any remedial needs. An in-depth study of appropriate literature for both solo and chamber recitals will be undertaken in preparation for a long-term degree plan. Advanced study of Orchestral Literature will begin, including listening and score study. Repertoire for an initial recital and the Qualifying Recital will be chosen and prepared.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FHX. Secondary French Horn - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP FL5. Flute. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Mastery of technical aspects of flute performance. Preparation of Masters recital(s) and oral defense. Preparation of repertoire for audition for further study or professional placement. Related areas such as specific individualized studies, instrumental maintenance, and orchestral excerpts are also part of the curriculum.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FL6. Flute. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Mastery of technical aspects of flute performance. Preparation of Masters recital(s) and oral defense. Preparation of repertoire for audition for further study or professional placement. Related areas such as specific individualized studies, instrumental maintenance, and orchestral excerpts are also part of the curriculum.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FL7. Flute. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Continue mastery of technical aspects of flute performance. Preparation of DMA recitals and oral defense. Preparation of repertoire for audition for professional placement. An overview of pedagogy materials for performance and teaching use will also be explored.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FLX. Secondary Flute - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP GU5. Guitar. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson and studio class for Artist Diploma students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP GU6. Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson and studio class for Masters students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP GU7. Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson and studio class for Doctoral students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP GUX. Secondary Guitar - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP HA5. Harp. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Advanced study of solo harp literature.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP HA6. Harp. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Advanced study of solo harp literature.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP HA7. Harp. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Advanced study of solo harp literature.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP HAX. Secondary Harp - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP OBX. Secondary Oboe - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP PE5. Percussion. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Second semester of the Masters Degree in percussion performance. The main area of focus is first recital; to be performed this semester. Exploration into solo and ensemble performance needs will continue through this semester.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP PE6. Percussion. 1-2 Credit Hours.
First semester of the Master's Degree in percussion performance. Emphasis on assessment of students' skills needs and repertoire experience. Materials covered to include standard solo and ensemble repertoire and technical work. First recital repertoire chosen from works supplementing students' needs.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP PE7. Percussion. 1-2 Credit Hours.
First of six semesters of study for a DMA in percussion performance. Students' needs assessed, and a course of study devised. Solo and ensemble works studied in-depth accordingly. Works for an initial and qualifying recital chosen.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP PEX. Secondary Percussion - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP SA5. Saxophone. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Graduate level private study in classical saxophone is geared toward the individual’s needs depending on the ability and skills mastered during the undergraduate level. The student will be required to seek refinement in all areas, including tone, intonation, technique, stylistic interpretation, and advanced forms of saxophone techniques. The student must be thoroughly versed in the pedagogy of the instrument. Study of advanced scales is required along with some jazz studies and advanced literature will be addressed in the private lesson format.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP SA6. Saxophone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Graduate level private study in classical saxophone is geared toward the individual’s needs depending on the ability and skills mastered during the undergraduate level. The student will be required to seek refinement in all areas, including tone, intonation, technique, stylistic interpretation, and advanced forms of saxophone techniques. The student must be thoroughly versed in the pedagogy of the instrument. Study of advanced scales is required along with some jazz studies and advanced literature will be addressed in the private lesson format.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP SA7. Saxophone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Graduate level private study in classical saxophone is geared toward the individual’s needs depending on the ability and skills mastered during the undergraduate level. The student will be required to seek refinement in all areas, including tone, intonation, technique, stylistic interpretation, and advanced forms of saxophone techniques. The student must be thoroughly versed in the pedagogy of the instrument. Study of advanced scales is required along with some jazz studies and advanced literature will be addressed in the private lesson format.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP SAX. Secondary Saxophone - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TB5. Trombone. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Advanced progressive study is chosen from the following etude books, Gabriel Masson 12 Various Etudes, Marcel Bitsch 15 Rhythmical Studies, Roger Boutry 12 Etudes for High Perfection, and Brade Edwards Lip-slurs-Exercises for Tone and Technique. Additionally, solo concerto literature and contemporary works are studied and prepared to advance the student’s technical and musical mastery of the trombone. Orchestral excerpts are studied to further develop and refine an appropriate sense of orchestral style.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TB6. Trombone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
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Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
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Requisite: Frost School of Music only.

**Components:** LSN.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**MIP TBX. Secondary Trombone - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.**
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.

**Components:** LSN.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**MIP TP5. Trumpet. 1-4 Credit Hours.**
Applied lesson and studio class for Artist Diploma students.

Requisite: Frost School of Music only.

**Components:** LSN.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**MIP TP6. Trumpet. 1-2 Credit Hours.**
Applied lesson and studio class for Masters students.

Requisite: Frost School of Music only.

**Components:** LSN.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**MIP TP7. Trumpet. 1-2 Credit Hours.**
Applied lesson and studio class for Doctoral students.

Requisite: Frost School of Music only.

**Components:** LSN.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**MIP TPX. Secondary Trumpet - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.**
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.

**Components:** LSN.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**MIP TU5. Tuba. 1-4 Credit Hours.**
Private lessons that focus on development of embouchure, breathing, and articulation, with emphasis on orchestral excerpts on Alphonse, Sear, Kraft, Kelleway, and others.

Requisite: Frost School of Music only.

**Components:** LSN.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**MIP TU6. Tuba. 1-2 Credit Hours.**
Private lessons that focus on development of embouchure, breathing, and articulation, with emphasis on orchestral excerpts on Alphonse, Sear, Kraft, Kelleway, and others.

Requisite: Frost School of Music only.

**Components:** LSN.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.
MIP TU7. Tuba. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Private lessons that focus on development of embouchure, breathing, and articulation, with emphasis on orchestral excerpts on Cinema, Snedecor, Wilder, Gould and others.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TUX. Secondary Tuba - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VA5. Viola. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Mastery of technical aspects of viola performance. Preparation of Masters recital(s) and oral defense. Preparation of repertoire for audition for further study or professional placement.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VA6. Viola. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Mastery of technical aspects of viola performance. Preparation of Masters recital(s) and oral defense. Preparation of repertoire for audition for further study or professional placement.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VA7. Viola. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Continued mastery of technical aspects of viola performance. Preparation of qualifying recital and DMA recitals and oral defense. Preparation of repertoire for audition for further study or professional placement.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VAX. Secondary Viola - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VC5. Violoncello. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson and studio class for Artist Diploma students.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VC6. Violoncello. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson and studio class for Masters students.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VC7. Violoncello. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson and studio class for Doctoral students.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP VCX. Secondary Violoncello - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VNS. Violin. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson and studio class for Artist Diploma students.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VN6. Violin. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson and studio class for Masters students.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VN7. Violin. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson and studio class for Doctoral students.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VNX. Secondary Violin - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

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Overview
Entrance to the program is limited to those individuals who have demonstrated exceptional skills in performance or conducting by audition. A fully enrolled student can complete the 18 credit hour program in one year.

*This program is not eligible for federal or state financial aid. Contact the Office of Student Financial Assistance and Employment (https://finaid.miami.edu/) for further assistance.

Admission Requirements
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A.D. in Instrumental Performance

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D.M.A. in Instrumental Conducting
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**Mission**

The mission of the Doctor of Musical Arts Degree in Instrumental Conducting is:

- To provide students with the highest quality training possible to bridge academic training into entry-level careers as professional artists;
- To provide students with performance opportunities that develop and demonstrate the integration of musicianship and performance practice;
- To assist students with identifying opportunities and preparation for competitions, internships, apprenticeships and other professional venues for the classical artist;
- To ensure that students have acquired the type of writing and research abilities required of a terminal degree from a leading research university, enabling them to pursue successful careers as teachers, performers, and researchers at the university level.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Students will demonstrate advanced rehearsal techniques and post-rehearsal assessment and reflection as adequate for beginning a career as a professional musician.
- Students will demonstrate advanced technical and musicianship skills as well as the selection of appropriate repertoire adequate for beginning a career as a professional musician with a Chamber Orchestra or Wind Ensemble.
- Students will demonstrate advanced technical and musicianship skills as well as the selection of appropriate repertoire adequate for beginning a career as a professional musician with a Full Symphony Orchestra or Band.

**D.M.A. in Instrumental Performance**

**Overview**

The Frost School of Music’s Department of Instrumental Performance has programs tailored to meet the needs and interests of students – like you – who aspire to performance careers. Graduates of these programs often pursue careers as symphony musicians, university professors, concert soloists, or band or orchestra conductors. Many graduates pursue advanced study and graduate degrees for further career preparation.

As an instrumental performance major (https://instrumental.frost.miami.edu/), you will focus on developing and honing your performance skills on a selected brass, percussion, string, or woodwind instrument with assistance from faculty who have distinguished themselves as outstanding teachers and performing musicians. While the curriculum emphasizes development of tone and musicianship, as well as technical mastery of the instrument, it also includes music theory, music history and literature, orchestral literature and teaching methods. In addition, you will develop expertise in contemporary literature and chamber music performance. For more information, please visit the website for the department of Instrumental Performance (https://instrumental.frost.miami.edu/).
Admission Requirements

On-Campus Programs

The application priority deadline is December 1st.

The supplemental materials deadline is January 1st.

Please click here (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/mmi-applicants/) for special deadlines related to our Arts Presenting, Media Writing, Music Business, and Music Engineering programs

Step 1 - Apply

• Apply online through CollegeNET (https://www.applyweb.com/miamigrd/)
• Upload a prescreening (if applicable) through SlideRoom (https://fsomgrad.slideroom.com/#/Login) – check the Audition/Portfolio Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/audition-requirements/) page for specific information

Step 2 - Submit Supplemental Materials

All supplemental materials must be submitted either via email to fsom.graddocs@miami.edu or via US Mail to PO Box 248165, Coral Gables, FL 33124.

Required for all applicants:

• Transcripts – an official transcript from ALL post-secondary schools attended, regardless of if a degree was granted or not, must be sent directly to the Frost School of Music from the issuing institution in order to be considered official
  • Applicants with international transcripts, please click here (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/international-applicants/) for specific instructions about approved evaluation services
  • An official transcript is required for every school attended, even if it was only a single class
  • Current University of Miami students applying to a new degree program must provide an official University of Miami transcript
  • Three letters of recommendation - sent through CollegeNet as part of application submission. These do not need to be sent separately
  • Resume - attached to the application at the time of submission. This does not need to be sent separately

The following supplemental materials may be required for some applicants:

• GRE Score - Please contact your program faculty (https://www.frost.miami.edu/faculty/by-program/) for specific GRE information
• TOEFL/IELTS Score (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/international-applicants/) - Please click here for more specific TOEFL/IELTS information
• Teaching/Conducting Sample
• Writing Sample
• Prescreening/Audition/Interview
• Portfolio

Not all supplemental materials are required for all degree programs. Please see the Degree Program Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/_assets/pdf/graduate/grad-admission-reqs-080819.pdf) for specific requirements.

For information regarding specific program requirements, please see Application & Program Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/application-program-requirements/).

Applicants are responsible for tracking the status of their application materials and should do so on CaneLink (https://m.canelink.miami.edu/). Please allow at least two weeks for documents to be processed and marked as complete. If you are unable to access your CaneLink account, please check the CaneLink FAQ (https://canelink.it.miami.edu/faq/).

Step 3 - Audition/Interview/Upload Portfolio

Audition - If your program requires an audition, you will be contacted after the December 1st deadline to schedule a date. All performance programs require a prescreening and invitations to audition will be extended to those applicants approved by faculty review. Check the Audition/Portfolio Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/audition-requirements/) page for specific requirements. Do not make travel plans until you receive a confirmation email from Frost Admissions.

Interview - If your program requires an interview, you will be contacted by department faculty to schedule a date.

Portfolio - If your program requires a portfolio, please upload it through SlideRoom. (https://fsomgrad.slideroom.com/#/Login) Check the Audition/Portfolio Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/audition-requirements/) page for specific requirements.
Music, Media, & Industry Application Deadlines (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/mini-applicants/)

If you are applying to Music Business & Entertainment Industries, Arts Presenting & Live Entertainment Management, JD/MM, or JD/MA programs, the following deadlines apply:

December 1 - International applicants and priority domestic applicants
April 1 - All JD/MM and JD/MA applicants
June 1 - Final application and supplemental materials deadline for domestic applicants

If you are applying to Music Engineering Technology or Media Writing and Production, the following deadlines apply:

December 1 - International applicants and priority domestic applicants
February 1 - Priority portfolio deadline
April 1 - Final application and portfolio deadline - all applications/supplemental materials/portfolios are due by this date

International Applicants (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/international-applicants/)

- TOEFL/IELTS - Test scores are required for international applicants whose native language is not English and who have not received a degree from an accredited English-speaking institution. Additional information can be found under International Applicants (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/international-applicants/).
- Applicants must submit a copy of their passport before a decision can be made. The name on your passport must match the name with which you apply.

If accepted, you will be contacted by the Office of Admission to submit documentation of financial responsibility.

Documents Required
Submit the following educational documents to an approved international credentialing evaluation service:

a) Official original diplomas and certificates in the original language, and

b) Official original transcripts in the original language (names of courses, grades, and hours of instruction) for every year of study.

Documents in a language other than English must be accompanied by professional, certified English translations. Translations supplement but do not replace, the official documents.

Type of Evaluation Required
The Frost School of Music is requiring international applicants to their programs to complete a course-by-course evaluation with GPA.

Where to Submit Documents for Evaluation

World Education Services (WES) is the second preferred evaluation service for international applicants to the University of Miami. Click here (https://www.wes.org/) for more information, including the Application for Evaluation of Foreign Educational Credentials (https://www.wes.org/#get-started).

Please note that international applicants are not required to use the services of JS&A or WES exclusively, but the University of Miami requires that an international credential evaluation must be done by one of the approved evaluation vendors found on this list (http://naces.org/members.html).

Evaluation Fee
Applicants are responsible for the evaluation fee.

Submission of Evaluation
The evaluation vendor is required to send all official copies of related documents to:

Frost School of Music
PO Box 248165
Coral Gables, FL 33124-7610

or electronically to: fsom.graddocs@miami.edu

- Please click here (http://grad.miami.edu/apply/on-campus-graduate-programs/frost-school-of-music-international-applicants/Frost%20School%20of%20Music%20International%20Applicants.html) for additional details
• Applicants who are applying with a current degree in progress will be required to have their final transcripts and diploma evaluated upon arrival at the Frost School. If applicants use Josef Silny for the initial evaluation, the Frost School will cover the evaluation. If applicants choose a different vendor, they will be responsible for the cost of the re-evaluation.

Decisions
Students are recommended for admission to the Frost School of Music by the faculty and admission committees. Final acceptance to the Graduate program is made after all materials requested by the Frost School of Music have been received and evaluated. Scholarships and/or Assistantships are awarded based on faculty recommendation. Admission decisions are sent out starting in late March.

Application Guidelines
• Applications are accepted for the fall term only
• Applications are accepted for only one degree program
• Graduate applicants must have a minimum of a 3.0 cumulative GPA for consideration
• Applicants must be in-progress toward completing or have earned the appropriate prior music degree(s) from a regionally accredited institution in order to apply for a graduate level music program. If you are accepted and decide to attend the Frost School, you will be required to provide a final transcript showing a conferred degree.
• The MM in Music Business & Entertainment Industries and the MA in Arts Presenting & Live Entertainment Management do not require prior music degrees. The MS in Music Engineering Technology is open to students who have completed an undergraduate degree in an appropriate engineering/science field.
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D.M.A. in Multiple Woodwinds
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- Musicology or Approved Elective: 3
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- Total Credit Hours: 31

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**Plan of Study**

**Year One**

**Fall**
- MIP CD6 Conducting: 2
- Instrumental Ensemble: 1
- MTC 717 Analytical Techniques: 3
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**Spring**
- MIP CD6 Conducting: 2
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**Year Two**

**Fall**
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- MED 701 or MIP 701 Recital Paper Preparation or MM Recital Program Notes Preparation: 1
- MIP 812 Master's Recital: 1
- Approved Elective: 3

**Spring**
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Mission
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Goals
The program objectives are:

• To provide students with the highest quality training possible to bridge academic training into entry-level careers as professional artists;
• To provide students with performance opportunities that develop and demonstrate the integration of musicianship and performance practice;
• To assist students with identifying opportunities and preparation for competitions, internships, apprenticeships and other professional venues for the classical artist.

Student Learning Outcomes

• Students will demonstrate advanced technical and musicianship skills as well as the selection of appropriate repertoire adequate for beginning a career as a Secondary School Teacher or College Professor with a Chamber Orchestra or Wind Ensemble.
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M.M. in Instrumental Performance

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** Recital Policy: Students must give one, full-length recital (MIP 812) Masters Recital). Students who wish to give a second, optional recital may enroll in MIP 813 Masters Second Recital, with advisor approval, under "Electives."

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• Provide students the highest quality of education available in the areas of instrumental performance and musicianship that will provide them the skills required to lead a professional performance career as a classical instrumentalist.
• To stimulate the student's awareness and artistic creativity in the field of instrumental performance
• To provide students public performance opportunities in a supportive and encouraging environment
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Student Learning Outcomes
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M.M. in Multiple Woodwinds

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Keyboard Performance

https://piano.frost.miami.edu/

The Department of Keyboard Performance at the Frost School of Music is a dynamic center for music scholarship. Regardless if a student is more versed in classical or contemporary repertoire, the performance and academic opportunities are exceptional and for all areas of keyboard study (https://piano.frost.miami.edu/). A degree from the Frost School will ensure broad comprehensive training for a student in a performance-intensive environment. Degree programs incorporate performance, music research, pedagogy, and professional skills to cultivate students for a professional life in music. Graduates may seek careers as concert performers, collaborative pianists/accompanists, and/or as artist teachers. For more information, please visit the website for the department of Keyboard Performance (https://piano.frost.miami.edu/).

Doctoral Programs in Keyboard Performance

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MKP 0R5. Organ. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Requires successful completion of an undergraduate degree in piano performance, and approval of student’s advisor (studio teacher). Course may be taken for 2 credits (1-hour lesson) or 1 credit (30-minute lesson) as part of Artist Diploma. The course covers private instruction on organ-related performance techniques and repertory. The level of repertory will be determined by instructor based on the student’s performance level. A jury examination in front of a faculty committee is required each semester for students taking the course for 2 credits.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 0R6. Organ. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requires successful completion of an undergraduate degree in piano performance, and approval of student’s advisor (studio teacher). Course may be taken for 2 credits (1-hour lesson) or 1 credit (30-minute lesson) as part of masters degree. The course covers private instruction on organ-related performance techniques and repertory. The level of repertory will be determined by instructor based on the student’s performance level. A jury examination in front of a faculty committee is required each semester for students taking the course for 2 credits.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MKP 0R7. Organ. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requires successful completion of a graduate degree in piano performance, and approval of student's advisor (studio teacher). Course may be taken for 2 credits (1-hour lesson) or 1 credit (30-minute lesson) as part of doctoral degree. The course covers private instruction on organ-related performance techniques and repertory. The level of repertory will be determined by instructor based on the student's performance level. A jury examination in front of a faculty committee is required each semester for students taking the course for 2 credits.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 612. Seminar in Romantic Performance. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is designed as a performance class for graduate piano majors. Class members will be responsible for presentation of major compositions representative of the period. Research will be required for each presentation concentrating on interpretation, stylistic requirements of the period and the historical context of the composers and work.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MKP 647. Keyboard Pedagogy. 3 Credit Hours.
Methods and materials for teaching keyboard instruments with a focus on private lesson instruction. Topics include teacher profile, general teaching considerations, the business of teaching, the beginning student, second- and third-year students, teaching materials, and an introduction to new technology in piano teaching.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MKP 648. Intermediate to Advanced Repertoire. 3 Credit Hours.
A class dedicated to a survey and discussion of a wide range of teaching materials including teaching exercises, etudes, and performance literature both well known and under appreciated. Topics include reference literature and web resources, piece assigning considerations and leveling, and detailed discussion of selected materials with specific teaching and remedial strategies. Annotated bibliography with MIDI-file attachments of incipits to be submitted at the end of the semester for a grade.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MKP 649. Keyboard Pedagogy II: Keyboard Pedagogy Diagnostics. 3 Credit Hours.
1st class of each week: round-table discussion of private teaching strategies using video taped performance excerpts of students at various levels. 2nd class of each week: a focus on a wide range of teaching repertoire covering intermediate to advanced levels with an emphasis on problem prevention and solving.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MKP 650. Keyboard Pedagogy III: Practice Strategies. 3 Credit Hours.
Focus on practice strategy at the keyboard using Philip Johnston's Practice Revolution as a springboard for discussion. Topics also include recent findings and leading researchers in cognitive neuroscience and "brain-based learning," as well as resources available for musician wellness and injury prevention.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 689. Keyboard Accompanying Program in Salzburg, Austria. 0 Credit Hours.
Course is conducted at Salzburg College, Austria. Students receive comprehensive and intensive coaching in piano and accompanying from Dr. Posnak and other internationally acclaimed guest artists. Piano students study piano (2 cr.) and accompanying (1 cr.).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MKP 693. Special Projects in Keyboard Performance. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member's area of expertise and student's area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MKP 694. Special Topics in Keyboard Performance or Pedagogy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member’s expertise and students’ areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MKP 710. Seminar in Baroque Performance. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is designed as a performance class for graduate DMA piano majors. Class members will be responsible for presentation of major compositions representative of the period. Research will be required for each presentation concentrating on interpretation, stylistic requirements of the period and the historical context of the composers and work.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MKP 711. Seminar in Classical Performance. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is designed as a performance class for graduate piano majors. Class members will be responsible for presentation of major compositions representative of the period. Research will be required for each presentation concentrating on interpretation, stylistic requirements of the period and the historical context of the composers and work.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MKP 712. Seminar in Romantic Performance. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is designed as a performance class for graduate piano majors. Class members will be responsible for presentation of major compositions representative of the period. Research will be required for each presentation concentrating on interpretation, stylistic requirements of the period and the historical context of the composers and work.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MKP 713. Seminar in Contemporary Music. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is designed as a performance class for graduate piano majors. Class members will be responsible for presentation of major compositions representative of the period. Research will be required for each presentation concentrating on interpretation, stylistic requirements of the period and the historical context of the composers and work.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MKP 747. Seminar in Keyboard Pedagogy. 3 Credit Hours.
Focus on college-level teaching and professional development for a pianist. Topics include group piano teaching materials and strategies, syllabi and exam-objective rubric creation, pedagogy curriculum building, pedagogy text survey, administrative duties overview, preparation for the job market including job search and interview process, and C. V. building avenues such as publication, workshop/lecture presentation, editing teaching repertoire, and training in music technology.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MKP 750. Keyboard Pedagogy Research Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
Research, reading and writing in keyboard pedagogy on topics either historical or current. An in-depth research or project on a topic as approved by KPED faculty culminates in a written paper with annotated bibliography. Course may be repeated for credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 780. Keyboard Pedagogy Internship. 1 Credit Hour.
The student team-teaches a piano class or a private student with an instructor. The Program Director observes and critiques the student, and the student videotapes lessons and offers critiques of their own teaching following a guideline.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MKP 785. Musical Theatre Accompanying. 1 Credit Hour.
A class designed to improve the skills of pianists with a particular interest in musical theatre piano accompaniment. Students will study in a classroom setting.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 786. Vocal Accompanying I. 1 Credit Hour.
Pianists attend seminars where the principles of accompanying classical and musical theatre singers are addressed. Students are assigned to accompany applied voice lessons and ensembles.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.

MKP 787. Vocal Accompanying II. 1 Credit Hour.
Pianists attend seminars where the principles of accompanying classical and musical theatre singers are addressed. Students are assigned to accompany applied voice lessons and ensembles.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 788. Graduate Seminar in Accompanying. 1 Credit Hour.
Study and performance of major vocal and chamber music literature as related to the accompanist and chamber musician. Course may be repeated for credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 789. Accompanying, Level I. 1 Credit Hour.
Development of sightreading skills and score preparation.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 790. Accompanying, Level II. 1 Credit Hour.
Progressive development of individual vocal/instrumental and ensemble accompanying, sightreading, score reading, and improvising from a lead sheet.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 791. Accompanying, Level III. 1 Credit Hour.
Progressive development of all types of accompaniment skills including clef and score reading, transposition, possible recital, opera theater, choral ensemble, and/or orchestral accompanying.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 793. Special Projects in Keyboard Performance or Pedagogy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member's area of expertise and student's area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MKP 794. Special Topics in Keyboard Performance or Pedagogy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member’s expertise and students’ areas of interest.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MKP 811. Master’s Recital Paper. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master’s recital paper enrolls for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the paper has been accepted.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MKP 812. Master’s Recital. 1 Credit Hour.
The student enrolls for recital credit during the semester in which he/she presents the master’s recital.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: PRA.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 813. Master’s Pedagogy Project. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master’s pedagogy project enrolls for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the project paper is accepted.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 814. Artist Diploma Recital. 1 Credit Hour.
The student enrolls for recital credit during the semester in which s/he presents the Artist Diploma recital.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 815. Masters Second Recital. 1 Credit Hour.
The second recital in the masters degree as an elective option as approved by an advisor. The program should consist of memorized solo piano repertoire, with an optional inclusion of representative chamber or concerto repertoire instead of, or in combination with, the solo repertoire.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence and maintain full-time enrollment for the master’s degree after the student has completed the required hours of thesis or project credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MKP 831. Doctoral Essay. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the D.M.A. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but not for less than a total of 12. Not more than 12 hours of MKP 731 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MKP 832. Doctoral Recital. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the D.M.A.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: PRA.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MKP 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence and maintain full-time enrollment for the DMA after the student has completed the required hours of doctoral essay credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MKP HC5. Harpsichord. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Requires successful completion of an undergraduate degree in piano performance, and approval of student’s advisor (studio teacher). Course may be taken for 2 credits (1-hour lesson) or 1 credit (30-minute lesson) as part of Artist Diploma. The course covers private instruction on harpsichord-related performance techniques and repertory. The level of repertory will be determined by instructor based on the student’s performance level. A jury examination in front of a faculty committee is required each semester for students taking the course for 2 credits.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP HC6. Harpsichord. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Requires successful completion of an undergraduate degree in piano performance, and approval of student’s advisor (studio teacher). Course may be taken for 2 credits (1-hour lesson) or 1 credit (30-minute lesson) as part of Masters Degree. The course covers private instruction on harpsichord-related performance techniques and repertory. The level of repertory will be determined by instructor based on the student’s performance level. A jury examination in front of a faculty committee is required each semester for students taking the course for 2 credits.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP HC7. Harpsichord. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requires successful completion of a graduate degree in piano performance, and approval of student’s advisor (studio teacher). Course may be taken for 2 credits (1-hour lesson) or 1 credit (30-minute lesson) as part of doctoral degree. The course covers private instruction on harpsichord-related performance techniques and repertory. The level of repertory will be determined by instructor based on the student’s performance level. A jury examination in front of a faculty committee is required each semester for students taking the course for 2 credits.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP HCX. Secondary Harpsichord - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP ORX. Secondary Organ - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP P15. Piano. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Requires successful completion of an undergraduate degree in piano performance, and approval of student’s advisor (studio teacher). Course may be taken for 2 credits (1-hour lesson) or 1 credit (30-minute lesson) as part of Artist Diploma. The course covers private instruction on performance techniques and repertory. The level of repertory will be determined by instructor based on the student’s performance level. A jury examination in front of a faculty committee is required each semester for students taking the course for 2 credits.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MKP P16. Piano. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requires successful completion of an undergraduate degree in piano performance, and approval of student's advisor (studio teacher). Course may be taken for 2 credits (1-hour lesson) or 1 credit (30-minute lesson) as part of masters degree. The course covers private instruction on performance techniques and repertory. The level of repertory will be determined by instructor based on the student's performance level. A jury examination in front of a faculty committee is required each semester for students taking the course for 2 credits.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.

Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP P17. Piano. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requires successful completion of a graduate degree in piano performance, and approval of student's advisor (studio teacher). Course may be taken for 2 credits (1-hour lesson) or 1 credit (30-minute lesson) as part of doctoral degree. The course covers private instruction on performance techniques and repertory. The level of repertory will be determined by instructor based on the student's performance level. A jury examination in front of a faculty committee is required each semester for students taking the course for 2 credits.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.

Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP PIX. Secondary Piano - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.

Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

A.D. in Keyboard Performance

Overview
Candidates for the Artist Diploma in Keyboard Performance must possess highly-developed pianistic and musical skills. Enrollment is only by select audition process. Candidates must submit a DVD (preferred) or a CD recording for pre-screening and to receive an acceptance for a live audition in front of a faculty committee. Candidates for the Artist Diploma degree are not considered for Teaching Assistantship awards although—only in very special circumstances—a candidate may be recommended by the department to receive a tuition scholarship.

The curriculum is designed for the student seeking an intensive, one-year immersion in keyboard performance. The faculty of the Keyboard Performance department is composed of world-class artists/teachers who are dedicated to the principle that the individuality and talent of every student must be recognized, respected, and nurtured, for these qualities form the essence of successful careers in music.

The AD degree requires two solo recitals by the end of the one-year curriculum. A performance Forum is held every week where students who are ready to present new repertoire are given the opportunity to do so in front of the faculty and their classmates. Students may also have the opportunity to perform with two of our renowned ensembles: the Frost Symphony Orchestra and the Frost Wind Ensemble. Both groups have featured piano students in concerto performances conducted by members of our illustrious faculty as well as by guest artists such as Leon Fleisher. The opportunity to collaborate with other talented instrumentalists and vocalists at the Frost School is also readily available and encouraged.

Many performance venues in the greater-Miami area host our students in solo and chamber music performances. All of our students also benefit greatly from Miami's rich cultural life, which includes solo, and collaborative concerts by world-famous recitalists and chamber groups, as well as orchestral performances by the New World Symphony and the visiting Cleveland Orchestra. The piano department presents master-classes by visiting artists and pedagogues throughout the year.

The competitive reality of the market for performers and teachers has never been more demanding. We are proud that many of our students have gone on to win awards at piano competitions, have been invited to publish in recognized periodicals, and are currently in teaching positions both in the U.S. and abroad.

Our current and past FSOM piano students have participated and won prizes at competitions such as:

- Tchaikovsky Competition
- Queen Elizabeth Competition
- Van Cliburn Competition
- Sydney International Piano Competition
- Paderewski Piano Competition

Our mission at the Frost School of Music is to have you join them!
Admission Requirements

On-Campus Programs
The application priority deadline is December 1st.
The supplemental materials deadline is January 1st.

Please click here (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/mmi-applicants/) for special deadlines related to our Arts Presenting, Media Writing, Music Business, and Music Engineering programs.

Step 1 - Apply
- Apply online through CollegeNET (https://www.applyweb.com/miamigrd/)
- Upload a prescreening (if applicable) through SlideRoom (https://fsomgrad.slideroom.com/#/Login) – check the Audition/Portfolio Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/audition-requirements/) page for specific information

Step 2 - Submit Supplemental Materials
All supplemental materials must be submitted either via email to fsom.graddocs@miami.edu or via US Mail to PO Box 248165, Coral Gables, FL 33124.

Required for all applicants:
- Transcripts – an official transcript from ALL post-secondary schools attended, regardless of if a degree was granted or not, must be sent directly to the Frost School of Music from the issuing institution in order to be considered official
  - Applicants with international transcripts, please click here (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/international-applicants/) for specific instructions about approved evaluation services
  - An official transcript is required for every school attended, even if it was only a single class
  - Current University of Miami students applying to a new degree program must provide an official University of Miami transcript
  - Three letters of recommendation - sent through CollegeNet as part of application submission. These do not need to be sent separately
  - Resume - attached to the application at the time of submission. This does not need to be sent separately

The following supplemental materials may be required for some applicants:
- GRE Score - Please contact your program faculty (https://www.frost.miami.edu/faculty/by-program/) for specific GRE information
- TOEFL/IELTS Score (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/international-applicants/) - Please click here for more specific TOEFL/IELTS information
- Teaching/Conducting Sample
- Writing Sample
- Prescreening/Audition/Interview
- Portfolio

No all supplemental materials are required for all degree programs. Please see the Degree Program Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/_assets/pdf/graduate/grad-admission-reqs-080819.pdf) for specific requirements.

For information regarding specific program requirements, please see Application & Program Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/application-program-requirements/).

Applicants are responsible for tracking the status of their application materials and should do so on CaneLink (https://m.canelink.miami.edu/). Please allow at least two weeks for documents to be processed and marked as complete. If you are unable to access your CaneLink account, please check the CaneLink FAQ (https://canelink.it.miami.edu/faq/).

Step 3 - Audition/Interview/Upload Portfolio
Audition - If your program requires an audition, you will be contacted after the December 1st deadline to schedule a date. All performance programs require a prescreening and invitations to audition will be extended to those applicants approved by faculty review. Check the Audition/Portfolio Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/audition-requirements/) page for specific requirements. Do not make travel plans until you receive a confirmation email from Frost Admissions.
Interview - If your program requires an interview, you will be contacted by department faculty to schedule a date.

Portfolio - If your program requires a portfolio, please upload it through SlideRoom. (https://fsomgrad.slideroom.com/#/Login) Check the Audition/Portfolio Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/audition-requirements/) page for specific requirements.

Music, Media, & Industry Application Deadlines (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/mmi-applicants/)
If you are applying to Music Business & Entertainment Industries, Arts Presenting & Live Entertainment Management, JD/MM, or JD/MA programs, the following deadlines apply:

December 1 - International applicants and priority domestic applicants
April 1 - All JD/MM and JD/MA applicants
June 1 - Final application and supplemental materials deadline for domestic applicants

If you are applying to Music Engineering Technology or Media Writing and Production, the following deadlines apply:

December 1 - International applicants and priority domestic applicants
February 1 - Priority portfolio deadline
April 1 - Final application and portfolio deadline - all applications/supplemental materials/portfolios are due by this date

International Applicants (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/international-applicants/)

• TOEFL/IELTS - Test scores are required for international applicants whose native language is not English and who have not received a degree from an accredited English-speaking institution. Additional information can be found under International Applicants (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/international-applicants/).
• Applicants must submit a copy of their passport before a decision can be made. The name on your passport must match the name with which you apply.

If accepted, you will be contacted by the Office of Admission to submit documentation of financial responsibility.

Documents Required
Submit the following educational documents to an approved international credentialing evaluation service:

a) Official original diplomas and certificates in the original language, and

b) Official original transcripts in the original language (names of courses, grades, and hours of instruction) for every year of study.

Documents in a language other than English must be accompanied by professional, certified English translations. Translations supplement but do not replace, the official documents.

Type of Evaluation Required
The Frost School of Music is requiring international applicants to their programs to complete a course-by-course evaluation with GPA.

Where to Submit Documents for Evaluation

World Education Services (WES) is the second preferred evaluation service for international applicants to the University of Miami. Click here (https://www.wes.org/) for more information, including the Application for Evaluation of Foreign Educational Credentials (https://www.wes.org/#get-started).

Please note that international applicants are not required to use the services of JS&A or WES exclusively, but the University of Miami requires that an international credential evaluation must be done by one of the approved evaluation vendors found on this list (http://naces.org/members.html).

Evaluation Fee
Applicants are responsible for the evaluation fee.

Submission of Evaluation
The evaluation vendor is required to send all official copies of related documents to:

Frost School of Music
PO Box 248165
Coral Gables, FL 33124-7610

or electronically to:
fsom.graddocs@miami.edu
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D.M.A. in Keyboard Performance

Overview

Although requirements vary among degrees, three solo recitals and one chamber recital of broad keyboard repertoire performed at the highest level of technical mastery and artistic expression are required during the three-year residency. Each candidate must also complete a D.M.A. Essay containing intensive research on a relevant topic of study.

The competitive reality of the market for performers and teachers has never been more demanding. We are proud that many of our students have gone on to win awards at piano competitions, have been invited to publish in recognized periodicals, and are currently in teaching positions both in the U.S. and abroad.

Our current and past FSOM piano students have participated and won prizes at competitions such as:

• Tchaikovsky Competition
• Queen Elizabeth Competition
• Van Cliburn Competition
• Sydney International Piano Competition
• Paderewski Piano Competition

Our mission at the Frost School of Music is to have you join them!
Visti and Like us on our Facebook page (https://www.facebook.com/FSMPiano/) where you will see the latest on our current and past students from the Department of Keyboard Performance.
For FSOM Graduate admission information and financial support, please click here (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/).

Admission Requirements

On-Campus Programs
The application priority deadline is December 1st.
The supplemental materials deadline is January 1st.

Please click here (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/mmi-applicants/) for special deadlines related to our Arts Presenting, Media Writing, Music Business, and Music Engineering programs.

Step 1 - Apply
• Apply online through CollegeNET (https://www.applyweb.com/miamigrd/)
• Upload a prescreening (if applicable) through SlideRoom (https://fsomgrad.slideroom.com/#/Login) — check the Audition/Portfolio Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/audition-requirements/) page for specific information

Step 2 - Submit Supplemental Materials

All supplemental materials must be submitted either via email to fsom.graddocs@miami.edu or via US Mail to PO Box 248165, Coral Gables, FL 33124.

Required for all applicants:

- Transcripts – an official transcript from ALL post-secondary schools attended, regardless of if a degree was granted or not, must be sent directly to the Frost School of Music from the issuing institution in order to be considered official
  - Applicants with international transcripts, please click here (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/international-applicants/) for specific instructions about approved evaluation services
  - An official transcript is required for every school attended, even if it was only a single class
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- Three letters of recommendation - sent through CollegeNet as part of application submission. These do not need to be sent separately
- Resume - attached to the application at the time of submission. This does not need to be sent separately

The following supplemental materials may be required for some applicants:

- GRE Score - Please contact your program faculty (https://www.frost.miami.edu/faculty/by-program/) for specific GRE information
- TOEFL/IELTS Score (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/international-applicants/) - Please click here for more specific TOEFL/IELTS information
- Teaching/Conducting Sample
- Writing Sample
- Prescreening/Audition/Interview
- Portfolio

Not all supplemental materials are required for all degree programs. Please see the Degree Program Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/_assets/pdf/graduate/grad-admission-reqs-080819.pdf) for specific requirements.

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Applicants are responsible for tracking the status of their application materials and should do so on CaneLink (https://m.canelink.miami.edu/). Please allow at least two weeks for documents to be processed and marked as complete. If you are unable to access your CaneLink account, please check the CaneLink FAQ (https://canelink.it.miami.edu/faq/).

Step 3 - Audition/Interview/Upload Portfolio

Audition - If your program requires an audition, you will be contacted after the December 1st deadline to schedule a date. All performance programs require a prescreening and invitations to audition will be extended to those applicants approved by faculty review. Check the Audition/Portfolio Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/audition-requirements/) page for specific requirements. Do not make travel plans until you receive a confirmation email from Frost Admissions.

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Music, Media, & Industry Application Deadlines (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/mmi-applicants/)

If you are applying to Music Business & Entertainment Industries, Arts Presenting & Live Entertainment Management, JD/MM, or JD/MA programs, the following deadlines apply:

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International Applicants (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/international-applicants/)

- TOEFL/IELTS - Test scores are required for international applicants whose native language is not English and who have not received a degree from an accredited English-speaking institution. Additional information can be found under International Applicants (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/international-applicants/).
• Applicants must submit a copy of their passport before a decision can be made. The name on your passport must match the name with which you apply.

If accepted, you will be contacted by the Office of Admission to submit documentation of financial responsibility.

**Documents Required**
Submit the following educational documents to an approved international credentialing evaluation service:

a) Official original diplomas and certificates in the original language, and

b) Official original transcripts in the original language (names of courses, grades, and hours of instruction) for every year of study.

Documents in a language other than English must be accompanied by professional, certified English translations. Translations supplement but do not replace, the official documents.

**Type of Evaluation Required**
The Frost School of Music is requiring international applicants to their programs to complete a course-by-course evaluation with GPA.

**Where to Submit Documents for Evaluation**

World Education Services (WES) is the second preferred evaluation service for international applicants to the University of Miami. Click here (https://www.wes.org/) for more information, including the Application for Evaluation of Foreign Educational Credentials (https://www.wes.org/#get-started).

Please note that international applicants are not required to use the services of JS&A or WES exclusively, but the University of Miami requires that an international credential evaluation must be done by one of the approved evaluation vendors found on this list (http://naces.org/members.html).

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**D.M.A. in Keyboard Performance and Pedagogy**

**Overview**

If you are an accomplished pianist with curiosity and open mind to delve into the study of piano pedagogy to further performance and teaching aspirations, then this is the place for you. In addition to majoring in Keyboard Performance and Pedagogy at the DMA level, there is an option for DMA non-pedagogy students to choose a 12-credit Cognate in Keyboard Performance and Pedagogy.

DMA in Keyboard Performance and Pedagogy consists of 60 credit hours of graduate study beyond the Master of Music in piano-related degrees such as solo performance, pedagogy, or collaborative piano. It is designed to prepare students for varied professional settings such as performance, research, or college teaching.

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In addition to traditional pedagogy offerings—covering topics such as historical and modern private teaching methodologies, didactic repertoire and sequencing, diagnostics, group piano teaching, injury prevention, and peak performance strategies—our curriculum strives to reflect the most current needs as well as resources gleaned from the job market and related disciplines. For example: students may learn about pianist-specific professional preparations including effective use of technology and higher-education teaching, or learn from the rapidly growing field of cognitive neuroscience as it relates to practicing, performing, and teaching.

A wide variety of options exist for hands-on teaching and learning, and our Preparatory Division provides the platform for those interested in a teaching internship for young students. Research ability is deemed an essential skill for graduate-level study. Students have the opportunity to hone their skills in critical thinking and independent research both through various courses in addition to the culminating DMA project.

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Decisions
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**Refer to Academic Bulletin for suggested 1-credit music electives

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Mission

The mission of the Master of Music degree in Keyboard Performance is to:

- Provide students the highest quality of education available in the areas of piano performance and musicianship that will provide the foundation for continued academic work, and which could also lead toward a professional performance career as a classical pianist.
- To stimulate the student’s awareness and artistic creativity in the field of piano performance
- To provide students public performance performance opportunities in a supportive and encouraging environment
- To provide students performance skills necessary for graduate degree auditions and national/international piano competitions.

Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will develop musicianship skills and knowledge of a large selection of the piano repertory necessary for acceptance into a variety of graduate study institutions offering a DMA in performance and for fostering a professional career as solo pianists.
Students will develop technical pianistic skills necessary for acceptance into a variety of graduate study institutions offering a DMA in performance and for fostering a professional career as solo pianists.

Students will be able to develop performance and artistic presentation skills necessary for acceptance into a variety of graduate study institutions offering a DMA in performance and for fostering a professional career as solo pianists.

Students will be able to develop the necessary research and writing skills for completing a MM Recital paper.

M.M. in Keyboard Performance and Pedagogy

Overview

If you are an accomplished pianist with curiosity and an open mind to delve into the study of piano pedagogy to further performance and teaching aspirations, then the Frost School of Music is the place for you.

The Master of Music in Keyboard Performance and Pedagogy consists of 30 credit hours of graduate study beyond the Bachelor of Music degree in piano-related degrees, such as solo performance, pedagogy, or collaborative piano. This degree program prepares students for advanced teaching as independent studio teachers or for continued doctoral-level study in related disciplines.

Consistent with our school-wide belief in the value of “experiential” learning, our graduate curriculum in Keyboard Performance and Pedagogy (KPED) is uniquely designed to integrate theoretical studies with performance to the maximum extent possible. All KPED students have the opportunity to request performance study with any one of our outstanding piano faculty members. Furthermore, our flexible curriculum affords a customized program of pedagogical study based on the background and interests of each student.

Our innovative curriculum includes both traditional and progressive offerings. Our traditional pedagogy offerings cover topics such as historical and modern private teaching methodologies, didactic repertoire and sequencing, group piano teaching, injury prevention, and peak performance strategies. To help students acquire and maintain a competitive edge, our curriculum also addresses relevant knowledge in other disciplines, such as latest findings about the cognitive process or sport psychology, while providing every opportunity possible to guide students through the process of professional preparation.

A wide variety of options exist for hands-on teaching and learning, and our Preparatory Division provides the platform for those interested in a teaching internship for young students. Research ability is deemed an essential skill for graduate-level study. Students have the opportunity to hone their skills in critical thinking and independent research both through various courses in addition to the Master's Thesis.

The competitive reality of the market for performers and teachers has never been more demanding. We are proud that many of our piano students (both KPED and MKP) have gone on to DMA studies, won awards at national and international piano competitions, or invited to publish in recognized periodicals or present at conferences.

If you would like to know the latest on our current and past students, please visit and Like us on our Facebook page. (https://www.facebook.com/FSMTPiano/)

For more information about the program, please contact:
Naoko Takao, DMA
Program Director, Keyboard Performance and Pedagogy
n.takao@miami.edu

Admission Requirements

On-Campus Programs

The application priority deadline is December 1st.

The supplemental materials deadline is January 1st.

Please click here (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/undi-applicants/) for special deadlines related to our Arts Presenting, Media Writing, Music Business, and Music Engineering programs

Step 1 - Apply

• Apply online through CollegeNET (https://www.applyweb.com/miamigrd/)
• Upload a prescreening (if applicable) through SlideRoom (https://fsomgrad.slideroom.com/#/Login) – check the Audition/Portfolio Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/audition-requirements/) page for specific information

Step 2 - Submit Supplemental Materials

All supplemental materials must be submitted either via email to fsom.graddocs@miami.edu or via US Mail to PO Box 248165, Coral Gables, FL 33124.

Required for all applicants:
Transcripts – an official transcript from ALL post-secondary schools attended, regardless of if a degree was granted or not, must be sent directly to the Frost School of Music from the issuing institution in order to be considered official

• Applicants with international transcripts, please click here (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/international-applicants/) for specific instructions about approved evaluation services

• An official transcript is required for every school attended, even if it was only a single class

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• Three letters of recommendation - sent through CollegeNet as part of application submission. These do not need to be sent separately

• Resume - attached to the application at the time of submission. This does not need to be sent separately

The following supplemental materials may be required for some applicants:

• GRE Score - Please contact your program faculty (https://www.frost.miami.edu/faculty/by-program/) for specific GRE information

• TOEFL/IELTS Score (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/international-applicants/) - Please click here for more specific TOEFL/IELTS information

• Teaching/Conducting Sample

• Writing Sample

• Prescreening/Audition/Interview

• Portfolio

Not all supplemental materials are required for all degree programs. Please see the Degree Program Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/_assets/pdf/graduate/grad-admission-reqs-080819.pdf) for specific requirements.

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December 1 - International applicants and priority domestic applicants

April 1 - All JD/MM and JD/MA applicants

June 1 - Final application and supplemental materials deadline for domestic applicants

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If accepted, you will be contacted by the Office of Admission to submit documentation of financial responsibility.
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Submit the following educational documents to an approved international credentialing evaluation service:

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Type of Evaluation Required
The Frost School of Music is requiring international applicants to their programs to complete a course-by-course evaluation with GPA.

Where to Submit Documents for Evaluation

World Education Services (WES) is the second preferred evaluation service for international applicants to the University of Miami. Click here (https://www.wes.org/) for more information, including the Application for Evaluation of Foreign Educational Credentials (https://www.wes.org/#get-started).

Please note that international applicants are not required to use the services of JS&A or WES exclusively, but the University of Miami requires that an international credential evaluation must be done by one of the approved evaluation vendors found on this list (http://naces.org/members.html).

Evaluation Fee
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Submission of Evaluation
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- Credit Hours and requirements are subject to change. Please consult the university's official catalog for the most current information.

**Plan of Study:**

- Students must complete a total of 30 credit hours.
- Students are required to select one of the approved electives for each semester.
- Students are encouraged to consult with their advisor for course selection and planning.
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### Mission

The mission of Master of Music degree in Keyboard Performance and Pedagogy is to educate students in:

- Teaching strategies for private and group piano lessons
- Knowledge of methods, materials, and standard teaching repertoire for beginning and intermediate students
- The use of music technology available for use in teaching
- The performance of piano, building musicianship, technical ability, and the ability to assimilate a large cross-section of recital repertoire
- Research skills on original topics in the field of keyboard pedagogy.

### Goals

The Master of Music degree will prepare students for careers as performers, private music teachers, entry-level positions in community colleges and some four-year institutions, and to pursue advanced degrees in music-related fields.

Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will learn teaching strategies for private and group lessons, and will be able to successfully teach in these arenas.
- Students will demonstrate knowledge and proficiency with "method" books and standard teaching repertoire for beginning and intermediate students.
- Students will build musicianship and technical ability and will assimilate a large cross-section of recital repertoire.
- Students will be able to appropriately assign repertoire and etudes with clear understanding of challenges inherent in the material and according to the need of each student.
- Students will develop skills researching an original topic in the field of keyboard pedagogy.

### Music Education and Music Therapy

The Department of Music Education and Music Therapy boasts two of the most innovative programs in the country and is committed to the preparation of outstanding music educators, music therapists, and scholars at all degree levels. The department faculty members are cutting-edge scholars and researchers, holding leadership positions in internationally-prominent organizations. Their contributions to research, scholarship, and pedagogy consistently inspire their students while informing the profession at large.

#### Music Education

A basic premise of the Music Education ([https://musiced.frost.miami.edu/](https://musiced.frost.miami.edu/)) program is that music teachers must be both musicians and teachers; thus, competency as a musician is equally as important as having a strong theoretical and practical foundation in music education. Carefully coordinated courses emphasize sequencing of instruction in terms of student's musical development and incorporate ideas drawn from theory, research, and the practical experiences of the faculty and other successful practitioners. The program seeks to transcend all areas of music teaching and learning, from birth to older adulthood, and from public schools to community programs, allowing the principles of pedagogy to be applied broadly in a wide variety of contexts. For more information, please visit the website for the Music Education program ([https://musiced.frost.miami.edu/](https://musiced.frost.miami.edu/)).

#### Music Therapy

Music therapy ([https://musictherapy.frost.miami.edu/](https://musictherapy.frost.miami.edu/)) involves using music as a tool to help people regain or develop important life skills, such as communication, physical movement, attention and memory, emotional growth or social skills. Therapeutic techniques are based on scientific knowledge regarding how the human brain and body respond to and utilize musical stimuli. Music therapists work with individuals of all ages who require treatment due to deficits in physical, cognitive or social/emotional functioning. Potential employment sites include medical or psychiatric hospitals, clinics, nursing homes, rehabilitation centers, special education or early intervention school settings, hospices, or correctional settings.
Music therapy can be a rewarding career for the individual who has a strong musical background and who is interested in a health care profession. For more information, please visit the website for the Music Therapy (https://musictherapy.frost.miami.edu/) program.

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**MED 615. Music Education Certification Forum. 0 Credit Hours.**
A weekly forum for sharing information about issues, current developments, and other matters related to music education. Required for all graduate music education certification students.
- Components: FOR.
- Grading: SUS.
- Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**MED 642. Teaching General Music. 3 Credit Hours.**
Curriculum, methods, and materials designed for elementary music, K-6. Observation, planning, and teaching experience are emphasized
- Components: LEC.
- Grading: GRD.
- Typically Offered: Fall.

**MED 643. Teaching Instrumental Music. 3 Credit Hours.**
A study of elementary and secondary instrumental music instruction including program organization, teaching techniques, materials, and field experiences of music instruction in schools.
- Components: LEC.
- Grading: GRD.
- Typically Offered: Spring.

**MED 644. Teaching Modern Music. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course will provide students with fundamentals of teaching general music at the secondary (middle and high school) level. Focus will be placed on developing 21st century musical curricula across a variety of musical disciplines; engaging students through several instructional paradigms; and for presenting instruction using conventional educational strategies.
- Components: LEC.
- Grading: GRD.
- Typically Offered: Fall.

**MED 645. Music in Rehabilitation. 3 Credit Hours.**
Review of development and functioning for neurologically-based sensorimotor behavior. Survey of disabilities and diseases that typically result in sensorimotor deficits is included. Demonstration and practice of therapeutic techniques for sensorimotor deficits are also covered.
- Components: LEC.
- Grading: GRD.
- Typically Offered: Spring.

**MED 646. Music in Psychotherapy. 3 Credit Hours.**
Survey and practical application of music as therapy in the treatment of psychiatric disorders and in promoting mental health.
- Requisite: Plan MTYP_MM or MTYPE_MM or Instructor Consent.
- Components: LEC.
- Grading: GRD.
- Typically Offered: Spring.

**MED 648. Music for Special Learners. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course is designed for music educators who will be working in schools with children and youth who have various disabilities. The purpose of this course is to acquaint students with the characteristics of children and youth with disabilities, and introduce adaptive strategies in music education, K-12, for instructing children and youth with disabilities.
- Components: LEC.
- Grading: GRD.
- Typically Offered: Spring.
MED 649. Teaching Vocal Music. 3 Credit Hours.
Course covers curriculum, vocal/rehearsal techniques, and literature. Teaching music in secondary schools through the medium of choral performance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 651. Music Therapy Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to help music therapy students: 1) integrate research findings into their clinical and/or educational practice, 2) implement research techniques into their work (e.g., through data collection or scholarly writing), and 3) become familiar with research procedures.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MED 655. Elementary Music Workshop. 3 Credit Hours.
Course is designed for in-service elementary school classroom teachers and music supervisors. Survey and experience with contemporary methodology and materials in elementary school music education is emphasized.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

MED 656. Secondary General Music Workshop. 3 Credit Hours.
Course is designed for teachers of general music classes in middle, junior high, and senior high schools. Practical experience with methods and materials designed for non-performance music classes, grades 7-12 is emphasized.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

MED 662. Psychology of Music I. 3 Credit Hours.
Psychological foundations of music with an emphasis on problems of perception, experimental esthetics, functional music, and measurement and diagnosis of musical ability and achievement. Related literature of experimental investigation is reviewed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 675. Preschool Music Workshop. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Workshop is designed to prepare class members to initiate, administer, and teach music programs for preschool children. Materials which address the teacher, the child, and the parent are used. The daily schedule includes demonstration classes with children, lectures, and active participation of and discussion with class members. Emphasis is placed on working with a planning guide for teachers which offers articles on the major areas of the curriculum and clear, succinct statements focusing on the central issues of each lesson.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MED 676. Music and Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of development in cognitive, communication, and musical domains. Survey of developmental disabilities most commonly found in child populations is included as well as demonstration and practice of therapeutic techniques for cognitive and communication deficits.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MED 681. Teaching Classroom Guitar I. 2 Credit Hours.
This class is designed for students and teachers, guitarist or non-guitarist, w who wish to initiate, enhance, and teach guitar in a multi-level classroom setting. The course includes demonstration classes with elementary and secondary students. Topics include organization and teaching performance materials in a hands-on setting.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

MED 693. Special Projects in Music Education and Music Therapy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member’s area of expertise and student’s area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MED 694. Special Topics in Music Education and Music Therapy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member's expertise and students' areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MED 700. Psychoacoustical Foundations of Music. 2 Credit Hours.
Production, transmission, and reception of simple and complex tones. Examination of physical properties and psychoacoustical response to tonal stimuli is also included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MED 701. Recital Paper Preparation. 1 Credit Hour.
Supervised preparation of the recital paper required for the Master of Music degree in classical performance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 702. DMA Essay Proposal. 1 Credit Hour.
Supervised preparation of the DMA proposal for the Doctor of Musical Arts in Performance, Conducting, or Accompanying and Chamber Music.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 710. Graduate Forum in Music Therapy. 0 Credit Hours.
Forum for graduate students to discuss topics relevant to advanced music therapy practice, engage in experiential therapeutic techniques, and to share student efforts of scholarship in the field.
Components: FOR.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 715. Graduate Forum. 0 Credit Hours.
Forum for masters and doctoral students to discuss various topics of relevance to music education practice and to share efforts of scholarship in the field.
Components: FOR.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 720. International Music Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Students study music instruction systems in other countries, including public and private school, community music programs, private music instruction, music conservatory instruction, informal instructional systems, and university work in music. Students compare music instruction systems in the United States and other countries through readings and presentations by native informants. An optional on-site field experience examining music education in another country may be arranged to coincide with this course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 725. Cultural Diversity in Music Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of major issues and central concepts in cultural diversity, multiculturalism, and social justice in music education.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 729. Advanced Music Therapy Practice I. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of research literature in clinical topic areas, such as music and cognition, or music and affective processing. Presentation of research findings through writing and discussion is emphasized as well as the application of research findings through practice and demonstration of therapeutic techniques.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MED 730. Advanced Music Therapy Practice II. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of research literature in clinical topic areas, such as music and sensorimotor processing or music in biofeedback. Presentation of research findings through writing and discussion is emphasized as well as the application of research findings through practice and demonstration of therapeutic techniques.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 732. Vocal Methods and Materials in Music Education. 2 Credit Hours.
Survey of latest vocal methods and publications for use in public schools.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 733. Seminar for Teaching Associates. 2 Credit Hours.
Discussion of teaching, rehearsal techniques, and the organization of music materials related to the internship experience. To be taken in conjunction with internship, MED 771.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 735. Social Issues Music Learn. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey of major issues in the social psychology and sociology of music related to music learning and music teaching.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MED 740. Woodwind Techniques. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in woodwind instruments with emphasis on basic skills of performance as well as the appropriate teaching techniques, methods, and materials necessary for public school pedagogy.
Requisite: MED GRAD STUDENTS ONLY.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 741. Brass Techniques. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in brass instruments with emphasis on basic skills of performance as well as the appropriate teaching techniques, methods, and materials necessary for public school pedagogy.
Requisite: MED GRAD STUDENTS ONLY.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 742. Percussion Techniques. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in percussion (snare drum, mallet-keyboard percussion, timpani, drumset, and small accessory instruments) with emphasis upon basic skills of performance as well as the appropriate teaching techniques, methods, and materials necessary for public school pedagogy.
Prerequisite: MEDU majors only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MED 743. String Techniques. 1 Credit Hour.
The study of stringed instruments (violin, viola, cello, bass) in a heterogeneous class with emphasis on general principles of string playing and teaching methods for use in beginning and intermediate instruction in the schools.
Requisite: MED GRAD STUDENTS ONLY.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 744. Vocal Techniques. 1 Credit Hour.
Class instruction in fundamentals of singing, breath control, tone production, and solo singing for music majors.
Requisite: MED GRAD STUDENTS ONLY.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MED 745. Folk and Modern Instrumental Techniques. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in folk and modern instruments, including but not limited to guitar, ukulele, recorder, and drums, with emphasis on basic skills of performance and classroom uses, as well as the appropriate teaching techniques, methods, and materials.
Requisite: MED GRAD STUDENTS ONLY.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 747. Seminar in Instrumental Music Education. 2 Credit Hours.
Practical study of the development of school band programs with special consideration given to the selection of training and concert materials, rehearsal techniques and administrative procedures.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 750. Community Music Programs. 3 Credit Hours.
A seminar designed to generate ideas about contemporary theory and practice in community music. Students engage in readings and discussion. The course is open to all graduate music majors, but is intended for music education doctoral students.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MED 755. The Teaching Artist. 3 Credit Hours.
Course presents fundamental issues of music teaching and learning. Through projects, readings, and discussions, students will learn how to create effective music learning across a variety of situations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 757. Music Therapy Graduate Practicum 1. 2 Credit Hours.
In a clinical setting, gain skill in observation and co-leading under the supervision of a music therapist.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 758. Music Therapy Graduate Practicum 2. 2 Credit Hours.
In a clinical setting, gain skill in observation and co-leading under the supervision of a music therapist.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 759. Music Therapy Graduate Practicum 3. 2 Credit Hours.
In a clinical setting, independently design and apply therapeutic techniques based on scientific evidence.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MED 760. Philosophy of Music Education. 3 Credit Hours.
The history of Western music education beginning with the ancient Greeks is surveyed to the present. Incorporated in the survey is the evolution of philosophical thought about music and its role in educational practice. From this grounding, current philosophical views of music education are presented.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 762. Music Learning and Curriculum. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey of theories of music learning and their application to music instruction, curriculum development, and instructional design in music.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MED 763. Music Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to descriptive, experimental, philosophical, qualitative, and historical research in music education and music therapy, with particular reference to data collection, research design, and effective research procedures. Students prepare critiques of research material and are guided in designing original research projects related to their own area of interest.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
MED 764. Music Assessment. 3 Credit Hours.
Presentation of methods for assessing musical behavior in studios, classrooms, and concert halls. Strategies for the objectification of performance quality, musical learning, capacity, and potential uses of contemporary measurement techniques are provided.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MED 765. Seminar in Music Education. 2 Credit Hours.
Survey of literature, bibliography, and contemporary trends in music education. Course may be repeated for credit by doctoral students with consent of instructor.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MED 773. Seminar on Music in Childhood. 2 Credit Hours.
Seminar addresses music in the lives of children by examining the musical cultures of childhood, music transmission processes, and formal through informal learning. Implication from music teaching will be considered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 774. Seminar in General Music. 2 Credit Hours.
Course provides curriculum, methods, and materials designed for instruction for the general music student, grades K-12.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 775. Practicum in Music Education. 7 Credit Hours.
Students enrolled in the Master of Music with Certification Option Degree may complete the required internship with this course.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 776. Practicum in Teaching College Students. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised practicum for teaching music education courses at the college level.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 780. Doctoral Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
A seminar designed to generate ideas about contemporary theory and practice in music. Students engage in discussion of general research topics, but from the perspective of their particular discipline. Enrollment is intended for those doctoral students who have satisfactorily completed the qualifying examinations and until receiving approval of the doctoral paper proposal. The course is open to all majors, but is required of all music education doctoral students.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MED 781. Seminar in Qualitative Research in Music. 2 Credit Hours.
Examination of various approaches to qualitative research in the field of music education. Hands-on experiences designing research, collecting data, and presenting findings.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 782. Seminar in Quantitative Research in Music. 2 Credit Hours.
Examination of advanced topics in quantitative music research, including statistical analysis techniques, results reporting, computer-based analysis, scholarly critiquing, and peer review of research. Dissertation development will also be addressed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 784. Music Therapy Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
Doctoral seminar in music therapy to address practical and professional issues pertaining to teaching and research in music therapy. Possible topics include: Teaching and Clinical Supervision, Philosophical Research, and Historical Research.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MED 790. Teaching Music in College. 1 Credit Hour.
An overview of college music curriculum, patterns of administrative organization, traditional and innovative content, styles and resources used in teaching at the college level, evaluation and grading techniques used in classes, lessons, and ensembles.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MED 793. Special Projects in Music Education and Music Therapy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member's area of expertise and student's area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.

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Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MED 794. Special Topics in Music Education and Music Therapy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member's expertise and students' areas of interest.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MED 795. Doctoral Research Project. 1 Credit Hour.
Small scale research project in music education or music therapy, suitable for publication. This project could serve as pilot work for the dissertation.

Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 796. Doctoral Research Project. 1 Credit Hour.
Small scale research project in music education or music therapy, suitable for publication. This project could serve as pilot work for the dissertation.

Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 802. Internship in Music Therapy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Course provides students with a six month opportunity as a music therapy intern in an approved training facility.

Components: PRA.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MED 805. Master's Project. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Culminating project for Master of Music in music education students not completing a thesis or recital.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MED 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MED 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence and maintain full-time enrollment for the master's degree after the student has completed the required hours of thesis or project credit.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MED 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor but not for less than a total of 24. Not more than 12 hours of MED 730 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session. Where a student has passed his/her (a) qualifying examinations, and (b) is engaged in an assistantship, he/she may still take the maximum allowable credit stated above.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MED 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence and maintain full-time enrollment for the Ph.D. in Music Education after the student has completed the required hours of dissertation credit.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

M.A.T. in Music Education

Overview
This accelerated degree program is designed for individuals who hold a prior music degree (not in music education) and provides them with a plan of study so they can subsequently pursue Florida K-12 music teaching certification. In the program, students complete all course content as required to pursue music teaching certification in the state of Florida. Following graduation, alumni then secure a teaching position in a Florida School through the State of Florida Professional Development Certification Program. After completing one year of supervised teaching, individuals complete certification examinations and apply to the Florida Department of Education for certification.

Admission Requirements
Students applying for the MAT program must have completed a Bachelor’s degree in music which includes at least 14 credit hours of music performance, 12 credit hours of music theory, 3 credit hours of conducting, 6 credit hours of music history, and credit hours in performance ensembles, similar to the entrance requirements for the MM with Certification Degree program. Applicants must submit their application, 3 letters of recommendation, transcripts, a resume, and video that demonstrates musicianship in their primary music performance area.

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### Mission

The mission of the Frost music education program (part of the department of music education and music therapy) is to provide for the education of future music teachers, including music teachers in K-12 settings, as well as advanced studies in music learning, music pedagogy, and music therapy. The music education program offers an undergraduate Bachelor of Music with music teaching certification, a Master of Music in Music Education (for experienced/certified teachers), a Master of Music in Music Education with Certification (2-year degree), and a Ph.D. in Music Education with emphases in Music Education and Music Therapy.

The MAT in Music Teaching is a 1-year alternative to the Master of Music with Music Teaching Certification 2-year program, designed for professional musicians with a music degree outside of music education. This program provides required coursework in order to prepare students to pursue Florida K-12 music teaching certification. After graduation, completing of Florida State Teacher Certification Examinations, and teaching in a Florida School under the supervision of a school administrator for one year, graduates of the program would be able to obtain a Florida Music Teaching Certificate.

### Student Learning Outcomes

Outcome #1: Students will apply knowledge of music learning theoretical content by completing a Theoretical Applications Paper in well-conceived position paper.

Outcome #2: Students in the MAT Program will demonstrate competence in assessing music learning.

Outcome #3: Students in the MAT Program will demonstrate a competence in curriculum development and implementation.
M.M. in Music Education

Overview
Master’s degree students typically join the program after several years of teaching in public or private school settings, and already possess music teacher certification. Students study directly with music faculty who are noted for their outstanding teaching, research, performance, and leadership in the field. The program is customized to suit individual student interests, allowing for either a research or practical orientation in focus. The music education program prepares advanced students to become deep thinkers, dynamic teachers, and innovative leaders. Graduates of the program have become leaders in music education in K-12, preschool, and community settings as music teachers or music administrators throughout South Florida, the United States, and in countries around the world.

Admission Requirements

On-Campus Programs
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If accepted, you will be contacted by the Office of Admission to submit documentation of financial responsibility.

Documents Required
Submit the following educational documents to an approved international credentialing evaluation service:

a) Official original diplomas and certificates in the original language, and

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Type of Evaluation Required
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Frost School of Music
Decisions
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Application Guidelines
• Applications are accepted for the fall term only
• Applications are accepted for only one degree program
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Other Studies in Music: Select 9 credit hours from MCY, MIP, MKP, MMI, MSJ, MTC, MUS, MVP courses

Electives: Select 12 credit hours of Approved Electives

Total Credit Hours: 36

Sample Plan of Study
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• Foster advanced professional development in music teaching practice as well as music education research
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Goals
The Objectives of the MM program in Music Education are for students to:

• Apply knowledge of music education philosophy or music learning theoretical content;
• Apply knowledge of music assessment practices; and
• Demonstrate synthesis of studies through a capstone project in research (thesis and project tracks) or curriculum development (certification track).

Student Learning Outcomes

• Students in the Master of Music Program will apply knowledge of music education philosophy or music learning theoretical content in a well-conceived position paper.
• Students will apply knowledge of music assessment practices in a music assessment creation project.
• Students in Thesis and Project tracks of the MM Program will demonstrate knowledge of music education research, while students in the Certification Track will demonstrate knowledge of curriculum development and implementation.

M.M. in Music Education with Teaching Certification

Overview
This program is designed for the individual who has already completed a university degree in another area of music (i.e., musicology, music performance, studio music and jazz, music business, music engineering, music therapy, or the B.A. in music). The degree includes a full semester of student teaching in a K-12 setting. Graduates obtain a Florida Music Teaching Certificate, and become music teachers and administrators in K-12, preschool, or community settings throughout South Florida, the United States, and around the world. Job placement has been consistently strong for graduates seeking positions in schools.

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**Other Studies in Music**

Non-MED Music Electives (MCY, MIP, MKP, MMI, MSJ, MTC, MUS, MVP) 9

**Music Education Electives**

Select from the following Techniques Courses 3

- MED 740 Woodwind Techniques
- MED 741 Brass Techniques
- MED 742 Percussion Techniques
- MED 743 String Techniques
- MED 744 Vocal Techniques
- MED 745 Folk and Modern Instrument Techniques

Elementary Methods Courses* 3

- MED 642 Teaching General Music
- MED 643 Teaching Instrumental Music

Secondary Methods Courses (select 2)* 6

- MED 643 Teaching Instrumental Music
- MED 644 Teaching Modern Music
- MED 648 Music for Special Learners**
- MED 649 Teaching Vocal Music

Comprehensive Review#

Total Credit Hours 45

* One Elementary and one Secondary Methods course required for certification

** May substitute for Secondary Methods course

*** A student holding a B.M. degree in music may work toward certification in Music Education concurrently with the M.M. degree in Music Education. The B.M. degree must have included at least 14 credit hours of music performance, 12 credit hours of music theory, 3 credit hours of conducting, 6 credit hours of music history, and credit hours in performance ensembles. The culminating project for this degree takes place within MED 775. This program is approved by the Florida Department of Education and leads to initial certification as a music teacher for grades K-12.

# For the Comprehensive Review, students will (1) design a curriculum unit for a K-12 classroom during their student teaching semester, (2) implement this unit during their student teaching semester, and (3) measure the impact of instruction on their students’ learning. Students will write a full report and give an oral presentation to an MED committee.

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**Mission**

The Department of Music Education and Music Therapy offers graduate degrees in Music Education and in Music Therapy that prepare students for professional careers as teachers and therapists. The mission of the Master of Music degree program in music education with teaching certification at the Frost School of Music is to:

- Provide the highest quality of music education expertise
- Foster advanced professional development in music teaching practice as well as music education research
- Serve the music education profession as a resource for music teachers, the education community, and the university community, locally, regionally, nationally, and internationally.
Goals
The Objectives of the MM program in Music Education are for students to:

- Apply knowledge of music education philosophy or music learning theoretical content;
- Apply knowledge of music assessment practices; and
- Demonstrate synthesis of studies through a capstone project in research (thesis and project tracks) or curriculum development (certification track).

Student Learning Outcomes
- Students in the Master of Music Program will apply knowledge of music education philosophy or music learning theoretical content in a well-conceived position paper.
- Students will apply knowledge of music assessment practices in a music assessment creation project.
- Students in Thesis and Project tracks of the MM Program will demonstrate knowledge of music education research, while students in the Certification Track will demonstrate knowledge of curriculum development and implementation.

M.M. in Music Therapy
Overview
The Master of Music degree in Music Therapy consists of 30 credit hours of graduate study beyond the Bachelor of Music degree in Music Therapy (or its equivalent). This degree program is designed for the individual who already holds an undergraduate degree in music therapy. It is designed to prepare students for either advanced-level clinical practice, or additional opportunities in research or college teaching. Although all masters music therapy students are prepared for advanced clinical practice they also specialize in either a clinical or a thesis track. The curriculum is built upon the clinical and research paradigm known as Neurologic Music Therapy (NMT). This model utilizes scientific evidence regarding the influence of music on human brain and behavior function to treat neurological, developmental, and medical needs. The NMT approach is becoming increasingly recognized and accepted by the medical community, which helps increase employment for our graduates. Masters students work closely with music therapy faculty for the duration of this rigorous program, thus they gain experience in all aspects of music therapy clinical practice, education, and research. The music therapy faculty are experienced researchers and distinguished educators who are known internationally for their research and service to the profession.

Admission Requirements
On-Campus Programs
The application priority deadline is December 1st.

The supplemental materials deadline is January 1st.

Please click here (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/mmi-applicants/) for special deadlines related to our Arts Presenting, Media Writing, Music Business, and Music Engineering programs

Step 1 - Apply
- Apply online through CollegeNET (https://www.applyweb.com/miamigrd/)
- Upload a prescreening (if applicable) through SlideRoom (https://fsomgrad.slideroom.com/#/Login) – check the Audition/Portfolio Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/audition-requirements/) page for specific information

Step 2 - Submit Supplemental Materials
All supplemental materials must be submitted either via email to fsom.graddocs@miami.edu or via US Mail to PO Box 248165, Coral Gables, FL 33124.

Required for all applicants:
- Transcripts – an official transcript from ALL post-secondary schools attended, regardless of if a degree was granted or not, must be sent directly to the Frost School of Music from the issuing institution in order to be considered official
  - Applicants with international transcripts, please click here (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/international-applicants/) for specific instructions about approved evaluation services
  - An official transcript is required for every school attended, even if it was only a single class
  - Current University of Miami students applying to a new degree program must provide an official University of Miami transcript
- Three letters of recommendation - sent through CollegeNet as part of application submission. These do not need to be sent separately
- Resume - attached to the application at the time of submission. This does not need to be sent separately
The following supplemental materials may be required for some applicants:

- GRE Score - Please contact your program faculty (https://www.frost.miami.edu/faculty/by-program/) for specific GRE information
- TOEFL/IELTS Score (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/international-applicants/) - Please click here for more specific TOEFL/IELTS information
- Teaching/Conducting Sample
- Writing Sample
- Prescreening/Audition/Interview
- Portfolio

Not all supplemental materials are required for all degree programs. Please see the Degree Program Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/_assets/pdf/graduate/grad-admission-reqs-080819.pdf) for specific requirements.

For information regarding specific program requirements, please see Application & Program Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/application-program-requirements/).

Applicants are responsible for tracking the status of their application materials and should do so on CaneLink (https://m.canelink.miami.edu/). Please allow at least two weeks for documents to be processed and marked as complete. If you are unable to access your CaneLink account, please check the CaneLink FAQ (https://canelink.it.miami.edu/faq/).

**Step 3 - Audition/Interview/Upload Portfolio**

Audition - If your program requires an audition, you will be contacted after the December 1st deadline to schedule a date. All performance programs require a prescreening and invitations to audition will be extended to those applicants approved by faculty review. Check the Audition/Portfolio Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/audition-requirements/) page for specific requirements. Do not make travel plans until you receive a confirmation email from Frost Admissions.

Interview - If your program requires an interview, you will be contacted by department faculty to schedule a date.

Portfolio - If your program requires a portfolio, please upload it through SlideRoom. (https://fsomgrad.slideroom.com/#/Login) Check the Audition/Portfolio Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/audition-requirements/) page for specific requirements.

**Music, Media, & Industry Application Deadlines** (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/mmi-applicants/)

If you are applying to Music Business & Entertainment Industries, Arts Presenting & Live Entertainment Management, JD/MM, or JD/MA programs, the following deadlines apply:

December 1 - International applicants and priority domestic applicants
April 1 - All JD/MM and JD/MA applicants
June 1 - Final application and supplemental materials deadline for domestic applicants

If you are applying to Music Engineering Technology or Media Writing and Production, the following deadlines apply:

December 1 - International applicants and priority domestic applicants
February 1 - Priority portfolio deadline
April 1 - Final application and portfolio deadline - all applications/supplemental materials/portfolios are due by this date

**International Applicants** (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/international-applicants/)

- TOEFL/IELTS - Test scores are required for international applicants whose native language is not English and who have not received a degree from an accredited English-speaking institution. Additional information can be found under International Applicants (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/international-applicants/).
- Applicants must submit a copy of their passport before a decision can be made. The name on your passport must match the name with which you apply.

If accepted, you will be contacted by the Office of Admission to submit documentation of financial responsibility.

**Documents Required**

Submit the following educational documents to an approved international credentialing evaluation service:

a) Official original diplomas and certificates in the original language, and

b) Official original transcripts in the original language (names of courses, grades, and hours of instruction) for every year of study.

Documents in a language other than English must be accompanied by professional, certified English translations. Translations supplement but do not replace, the official documents.
**Type of Evaluation Required**
The Frost School of Music is requiring international applicants to their programs to complete a course-by-course evaluation with GPA.

**Where to Submit Documents for Evaluation**

World Education Services (WES) is the second preferred evaluation service for international applicants to the University of Miami. Click here (https://www.wes.org/) for more information, including the Application for Evaluation of Foreign Educational Credentials (https://www.wes.org/#get-started).

Please note that international applicants are not required to use the services of JS&A or WES exclusively, but the University of Miami requires that an international credential evaluation must be done by one of the approved evaluation vendors found on this list (http://naces.org/members.html).

**Evaluation Fee**
Applicants are responsible for the evaluation fee.

**Submission of Evaluation**
The evaluation vendor is required to send all official copies of related documents to:

Frost School of Music
PO Box 248165
Coral Gables, FL 33124-7610

or electronically to:
fsom.graddocs@miami.edu

- Please click here (http://grad.miami.edu/apply/on-campus-graduate-programs/frost-school-of-music-international-applicants/Frost%20School%20%20International%20Applicants.html) for additional details
- Applicants who are applying with a current degree in progress will be required to have their final transcripts and diploma evaluated upon arrival at the Frost School. If applicants use Josef Silny for the initial evaluation, the Frost School will cover the evaluation. If applicants choose a different vendor, they will be responsible for the cost of the re-evaluation.

**Decisions**
Students are recommended for admission to the Frost School of Music by the faculty and admission committees. Final acceptance to the Graduate program is made after all materials requested by the Frost School of Music have been received and evaluated. Scholarships and/or Assistantships are awarded based on faculty recommendation. Admission decisions are sent out starting in late March.

**Application Guidelines**
- Applications are accepted for the fall term only
- Applications are accepted for only one degree program
- Graduate applicants must have a minimum of a 3.0 cumulative GPA for consideration
- Applicants must be in-progress toward completing or have earned the appropriate prior music degree(s) from a regionally accredited institution in order to apply for a graduate level music program. If you are accepted and decide to attend the Frost School, you will be required to provide a final transcript showing a conferred degree.
- The MM in Music Business & Entertainment Industries and the MA in Arts Presenting & Live Entertainment Management do not require prior music degrees. The MS in Music Engineering Technology is open to students who have completed an undergraduate degree in an appropriate engineering/science field.
- Current University of Miami students applying to a new degree program must provide an official University of Miami transcript
- Materials submitted in support of an application cannot be released for other purposes nor returned to the applicant
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* This degree program is designed for the individual who has already earned a Bachelor degree in music therapy. Applicants must also be board-certified, or eligible to take the exam.

* This is a suggested Plan of Study. Your actual course sequence may vary depending on your previous academic experience as well as current course offerings. Students should meet with their academic advisor each semester to determine the appropriate course selection.

**Mission**

The mission of the Master of Music degree program in Music Therapy at the Frost School of Music is to prepare students to develop:

- advanced and comprehensive musicianship
- independent research skill
- advanced level clinical knowledge and skill for the music therapy profession.

**Goals**

The Master of Music degree in Music Therapy is designed to help students achieve the following three goals:

1. To acquire specialized musicianship as needed for advanced performance and for clinical practice. Within the diverse and comprehensive Frost School of Music, students have the opportunity to study with faculty who perform and compose regularly in local, national and international venues. Consequently, the musical preparation of students here is unparalleled.

2. To achieve advanced clinical competencies by examining the scientific evidence that supports the use of music in a therapeutic context. Through this examination, students will gain an in-depth understanding of human behavior and further refine their clinical interaction skills. Students will then translate this knowledge into therapeutic interventions which are then applied to clinical populations. Clinical work and research can be conducted at multiple hospitals and agencies in the greater Miami area, including the world-famous Miller School of Medicine.
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**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Students will demonstrate musical skills and knowledge of musical concepts for advanced clinical practice.
- Students will demonstrate advanced clinical knowledge and skill competency.
- Students will demonstrate independent research skill.

**M.M. in Music Therapy with Undergraduate Equivalency**

**Overview**

The Master of Music degree in Music Therapy with Undergraduate Equivalency is the ideal option for the individual who has already completed a bachelor's degree in some area of music (i.e., music performance, music education, etc.) and seeks training as a music therapist. Ultimately, this degree program is designed to prepare students for either advanced-level clinical practice, or additional opportunities in research or college teaching. Students in this specialized degree program complete one year of undergraduate prerequisite courses in music, music therapy, psychology, and biology. These courses provide the student with entry-level clinical competency. In years two and three, students complete graduate level coursework as required for the Master of Music degree in Music Therapy. The entire curriculum is built upon the clinical and research paradigm known as Neurologic Music Therapy (NMT). This model utilizes scientific evidence regarding the influence of music on human brain and behavior function to treat neurological, developmental, and medical needs. The NMT approach is becoming increasingly recognized and accepted by the medical community, which helps increase employment for our graduates.

**On-Campus Programs**

The application priority deadline is December 1st.

The supplemental materials deadline is January 1st.

Please click here (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/mmi-applicants/) for special deadlines related to our Arts Presenting, Media Writing, Music Business, and Music Engineering programs

**Step 1 - Apply**

- Apply online through CollegeNET (https://www.applyweb.com/miamigrd/)
- Upload a prescreening (if applicable) through SlideRoom (https://fsomgrad.slideroom.com/#/Login) – check the Audition/Portfolio Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/audition-requirements/) page for specific information

**Step 2 - Submit Supplemental Materials**

All supplemental materials must be submitted either via email to fsom.graddocs@miami.edu or via US Mail to PO Box 248165, Coral Gables, FL 33124.

Required for all applicants:

- Transcripts – an official transcript from ALL post-secondary schools attended, regardless of if a degree was granted or not, must be sent directly to the Frost School of Music from the issuing institution in order to be considered official
- Applicants with international transcripts, please click here (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/international-applicants/) for specific instructions about approved evaluation services
- An official transcript is required for every school attended, even if it was only a single class
- Current University of Miami students applying to a new degree program must provide an official University of Miami transcript
- Three letters of recommendation - sent through CollegeNet as part of application submission. These do not need to be sent separately
- Resume - attached to the application at the time of submission. This does not need to be sent separately

The following supplemental materials may be required for some applicants:

- GRE Score - Please contact your program faculty (https://www.frost.miami.edu/faculty/by-program/) for specific GRE information
- TOEFL/IELTS Score (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/international-applicants/) - Please click here for more specific TOEFL/IELTS information
- Teaching/Conducting Sample
- Writing Sample
• Prescreening/Audition/Interview
• Portfolio

Not all supplemental materials are required for all degree programs. Please see the Degree Program Requirements for specific requirements.

For information regarding specific program requirements, please see Application & Program Requirements. Applicants are responsible for tracking the status of their application materials and should do so on CaneLink. Please allow at least two weeks for documents to be processed and marked as complete. If you are unable to access your CaneLink account, please check the CaneLink FAQ.

Step 3 - Audition/Interview/Upload Portfolio

Audition - If your program requires an audition, you will be contacted after the December 1st deadline to schedule a date. All performance programs require a prescreening and invitations to audition will be extended to those applicants approved by faculty review. Check the Audition/Portfolio Requirements page for specific requirements. Do not make travel plans until you receive a confirmation email from Frost Admissions.

Interview - If your program requires an interview, you will be contacted by department faculty to schedule a date.

Portfolio - If your program requires a portfolio, please upload it through SlideRoom. Check the Audition/Portfolio Requirements page for specific requirements.

Music, Media, & Industry Application Deadlines

If you are applying to Music Business & Entertainment Industries, Arts Presenting & Live Entertainment Management, JD/MM, or JD/MA programs, the following deadlines apply:

- December 1 - International applicants and priority domestic applicants
- April 1 - All JD/MM and JD/MA applicants
- June 1 - Final application and supplemental materials deadline for domestic applicants

If you are applying to Music Engineering Technology or Media Writing and Production, the following deadlines apply:

- December 1 - International applicants and priority domestic applicants
- February 1 - Priority portfolio deadline
- April 1 - Final application and portfolio deadline - all applications/supplemental materials/portfolios are due by this date

International Applicants

- TOEFL/IELTS - Test scores are required for international applicants whose native language is not English and who have not received a degree from an accredited English-speaking institution. Additional information can be found under International Applicants.
- Applicants must submit a copy of their passport before a decision can be made. The name on your passport must match the name with which you apply.

If accepted, you will be contacted by the Office of Admission to submit documentation of financial responsibility.

Documents Required

Submit the following educational documents to an approved international credentialing evaluation service:

- Official original diplomas and certificates in the original language, and
- Official original transcripts in the original language (names of courses, grades, and hours of instruction) for every year of study.

Documents in a language other than English must be accompanied by professional, certified English translations. Translations supplement but do not replace, the official documents.

Type of Evaluation Required

The Frost School of Music is requiring international applicants to their programs to complete a course-by-course evaluation with GPA.

Where to Submit Documents for Evaluation

Josef Silny & Associates (JSA), Inc. International Education Consultants, is the preferred evaluation service for international applicants to the University of Miami due to their competitive prices and high-quality service. Click here for more information, including the Application for Evaluation of Foreign Educational Credentials.
World Education Services (WES) is the second preferred evaluation service for international applicants to the University of Miami. Click here (https://www.wes.org/) for more information, including the Application for Evaluation of Foreign Educational Credentials (https://www.wes.org/#get-started).

Please note that international applicants are not required to use the services of JS&A or WES exclusively, but the University of Miami requires that an international credential evaluation must be done by one of the approved evaluation vendors found on this list (http://naces.org/members.html).

**Evaluation Fee**

Applicants are responsible for the evaluation fee.

**Submission of Evaluation**

The evaluation vendor is required to send all official copies of related documents to:

Frost School of Music  
PO Box 248165  
Coral Gables, FL 33124-7610  

or electronically to:  
fsom.graddocs@miami.edu

- Please click here (http://grad.miami.edu/apply/on-campus-graduate-programs/frost-school-of-music-international-applicants/Frost%20School  
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- Applicants who are applying with a current degree in progress will be required to have their final transcripts and diploma evaluated upon arrival at the Frost School. If applicants use Josef Silny for the initial evaluation, the Frost School will cover the evaluation. If applicants choose a different vendor, they will be responsible for the cost of the re-evaluation.

**Decisions**

Students are recommended for admission to the Frost School of Music by the faculty and admission committees. Final acceptance to the Graduate program is made after all materials requested by the Frost School of Music have been received and evaluated. Scholarships and/or Assistantships are awarded based on faculty recommendation. Admission decisions are sent out starting in late March.

**Application Guidelines**

- Applications are accepted for the fall term only
- Applications are accepted for only one degree program
- Graduate applicants must have a minimum of a 3.0 cumulative GPA for consideration
- Applicants must be in-progress toward completing or have earned the appropriate prior music degree(s) from a regionally accredited institution in order to apply for a graduate level music program. If you are accepted and decide to attend the Frost School, you will be required to provide a final transcript showing a conferred degree.
- The MM in Music Business & Entertainment Industries and the MA in Arts Presenting & Live Entertainment Management do not require prior music degrees. The MS in Music Engineering Technology is open to students who have completed an undergraduate degree in an appropriate engineering/science field.
- Current University of Miami students applying to a new degree program must provide an official University of Miami transcript
- Materials submitted in support of an application cannot be released for other purposes nor returned to the applicant
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**Exams**

- Comprehensive Exam

**Total Credit Hours**

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**All internship applications must include a written letter of recommendation from a music therapy faculty member.**

### Sample Plan of Study

**Clinical or Thesis Emphasis**

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* In this program, students complete three years of courses, followed by 6 months of internship which is 6-month, full-time clinical training experience that is completed off-campus at an approved facility. The bulk of the thesis work should be completed to internship and the thesis defense may take place before or after the internship.

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Ph.D. in Music Education
Overview
The Doctor of Philosophy program is offered in Music Education, as well as in Music Education with Music Therapy Emphasis.

MUSIC EDUCATION
Highly customizable and rigorous, the Doctor of Philosophy in Music Education prepares students to become deep thinkers, researchers, scholars, and innovative leaders in the field. Students work closely with the faculty in order to shape both their own professional path and the field as a whole towards a progressive model of music education for the 21st Century. Placement rate for our Ph.D. graduates is outstanding, and alumni teach at prominent universities nationwide and internationally. Furthermore, alumni regularly serve on editorial boards of major music education journals, and continue to publish and present widely.

MUSIC THERAPY
The Doctor of Philosophy degree is also offered in Music Education with Music Therapy Emphasis. This degree is designed to prepare students for careers in music therapy-related research, college teaching positions in music therapy, or administrative positions. Doctoral students work closely with music therapy faculty for the duration of this rigorous program, gaining experience in all aspects of music therapy clinical practice, education, and research. Faculty are experienced researchers and distinguished educators known internationally for their research and service to the profession. Additionally, students further their musical skills by studying with faculty who perform, compose, and conduct regularly in national and international
Admission Requirements

On-Campus Programs

The application priority deadline is December 1st.

The supplemental materials deadline is January 1st.

Please click here (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/mmi-applicants/) for special deadlines related to our Arts Presenting, Media Writing, Music Business, and Music Engineering programs

Step 1 - Apply

• Apply online through CollegeNET (https://www.applyweb.com/miamigrd/)
• Upload a prescreening (if applicable) through SlideRoom (https://fsomgrad.slideroom.com/#/Login) – check the Audition/Portfolio Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/audition-requirements/) page for specific information

Step 2 - Submit Supplemental Materials

All supplemental materials must be submitted either via email to fsom.graddocs@miami.edu or via US Mail to PO Box 248165, Coral Gables, FL 33124.

Required for all applicants:

• Transcripts – an official transcript from ALL post-secondary schools attended, regardless of if a degree was granted or not, must be sent directly to the Frost School of Music from the issuing institution in order to be considered official
• Applicants with international transcripts, please click here (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/international-applicants/) for specific instructions about approved evaluation services
• An official transcript is required for every school attended, even if it was only a single class
• Current University of Miami students applying to a new degree program must provide an official University of Miami transcript
• Three letters of recommendation - sent through CollegeNet as part of application submission. These do not need to be sent separately
• Resume - attached to the application at the time of submission. This does not need to be sent separately

The following supplemental materials may be required for some applicants:

• GRE Score - Please contact your program faculty (https://www.frost.miami.edu/faculty/by-program/) for specific GRE information
• TOEFL/IELTS Score (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/international-applicants/) - Please click here for more specific TOEFL/IELTS information
• Teaching/Conducting Sample
• Writing Sample
• Prescreening/Audition/Interview
• Portfolio

Not all supplemental materials are required for all degree programs. Please see the Degree Program Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/_assets/pdf/graduate/grad-admission-reqs-080819.pdf) for specific requirements.

For information regarding specific program requirements, please see Application & Program Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/application-program-requirements/).

Applicants are responsible for tracking the status of their application materials and should do so on CaneLink (https://m.canelink.miami.edu/). Please allow at least two weeks for documents to be processed and marked as complete. If you are unable to access your CaneLink account, please check the CaneLink FAQ (https://canelink.it.miami.edu/faq/).

Step 3 - Audition/Interview/Upload Portfolio

Audition - If your program requires an audition, you will be contacted after the December 1st deadline to schedule a date. All performance programs require a prescreening and invitations to audition will be extended to those applicants approved by faculty review. Check the Audition/Portfolio Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/audition-requirements/) page for specific requirements. Do not make travel plans until you receive a confirmation email from Frost Admissions.

Interview - If your program requires an interview, you will be contacted by department faculty to schedule a date.

Portfolio - If your program requires a portfolio, please upload it through SlideRoom. (https://fsomgrad.slideroom.com/#/Login) Check the Audition/Portfolio Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/audition-requirements/) page for specific requirements.
Music, Media, & Industry Application Deadlines (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/nni-applicants/)

If you are applying to Music Business & Entertainment Industries, Arts Presenting & Live Entertainment Management, JD/MM, or JD/MA programs, the following deadlines apply:

December 1 - International applicants and priority domestic applicants
April 1 - All JD/MM and JD/MA applicants
June 1 - Final application and supplemental materials deadline for domestic applicants

If you are applying to Music Engineering Technology or Media Writing and Production, the following deadlines apply:

December 1 - International applicants and priority domestic applicants
February 1 - Priority portfolio deadline
April 1 - Final application and portfolio deadline - all applications/supplemental materials/portfolios are due by this date

International Applicants (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/international-applicants/)

- TOEFL/IELTS - Test scores are required for international applicants whose native language is not English and who have not received a degree from an accredited English-speaking institution. Additional information can be found under International Applicants (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/international-applicants/).
- Applicants must submit a copy of their passport before a decision can be made. The name on your passport must match the name with which you apply.

If accepted, you will be contacted by the Office of Admission to submit documentation of financial responsibility.

Documents Required
Submit the following educational documents to an approved international credentialing evaluation service:

a) Official original diplomas and certificates in the original language, and

b) Official original transcripts in the original language (names of courses, grades, and hours of instruction) for every year of study.

Documents in a language other than English must be accompanied by professional, certified English translations. Translations supplement but do not replace, the official documents.

Type of Evaluation Required
The Frost School of Music is requiring international applicants to their programs to complete a course-by-course evaluation with GPA.

Where to Submit Documents for Evaluation

World Education Services (WES) is the second preferred evaluation service for international applicants to the University of Miami. Click here (https://www.wes.org/) for more information, including the Application for Evaluation of Foreign Educational Credentials (https://www.wes.org/#get-started).

Please note that international applicants are not required to use the services of JS&A or WES exclusively, but the University of Miami requires that an international credential evaluation must be done by one of the approved evaluation vendors found on this list (http://naces.org/members.html).

Evaluation Fee
Applicants are responsible for the evaluation fee.

Submission of Evaluation
The evaluation vendor is required to send all official copies of related documents to:

Frost School of Music
PO Box 248165
Coral Gables, FL 33124-7610

or electronically to:
fsom.graddocs@miami.edu

- Please click here (http://grad.miami.edu/apply/on-campus-graduate-programs/frost-school-of-music-international-applicants/Frost%20School%20%20Music%20International%20Applicants.html) for additional details
Applications who are applying with a current degree in progress will be required to have their final transcripts and diploma evaluated upon arrival at the Frost School. If applicants use Josef Silny for the initial evaluation, the Frost School will cover the evaluation. If applicants choose a different vendor, they will be responsible for the cost of the re-evaluation.

Decisions

Students are recommended for admission to the Frost School of Music by the faculty and admission committees. Final acceptance to the Graduate program is made after all materials requested by the Frost School of Music have been received and evaluated. Scholarships and/or Assistantships are awarded based on faculty recommendation. Admission decisions are sent out starting in late March.

Application Guidelines

• Applications are accepted for the fall term only
• Applications are accepted for only one degree program
• Graduate applicants must have a minimum of a 3.0 cumulative GPA for consideration
• Applicants must be in-progress toward completing or have earned the appropriate prior music degree(s) from a regionally accredited institution in order to apply for a graduate level music program. If you are accepted and decide to attend the Frost School, you will be required to provide a final transcript showing a conferred degree.
• The MM in Music Business & Entertainment Industries and the MA in Arts Presenting & Live Entertainment Management do not require prior music degrees. The MS in Music Engineering Technology is open to students who have completed an undergraduate degree in an appropriate engineering/science field.
• Current University of Miami students applying to a new degree program must provide an official University of Miami transcript
• Materials submitted in support of an application cannot be released for other purposes nor returned to the applicant
• For information on where to submit supplemental materials, please see our Contact Information (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/contact-us/)

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1 Students in this degree program take MED 780 two times, at 1 credit each for a total of 2 credits.

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### Music Education Plan of Study

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**Mission**

The mission of the Ph.D. program of the Frost School of Music is to:

- Provide the highest quality of music education and music therapy expertise
- Foster advancements in music teaching and music therapy practice, music education and music therapy research
- Serve the music education and music therapy professions as a resource for music teachers and music therapists, the music education/music therapy research community, the education community, and the university community, locally, regionally, nationally, and internationally.

**Goals**

The objectives of the Ph.D. program in Music Education are to:

- Develop highly competent, independent researchers in the fields of music education and music therapy capable of developing a sustained research program;
- Prepare Ph.D. students to provide instruction to both undergraduate and graduate programs in their area of specialty (music therapy, instrumental music education, string music education, choral music education, and general music education); and
- Develop future collegiate faculty in the areas of music education and music therapy who will become leaders in the profession.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Students will become well-qualified producers of research in music education or music therapy.
- Students will demonstrate application of fundamental and specialized knowledge related to music teaching or music therapy practice.
- Students will demonstrate the ability to write publishable scholarly papers in their discipline (music education or music therapy) for various professional audiences.

**Music Media and Industry**

**Music Business and Entertainment Industries**

In today's fast changing, multi-billion dollar international music and entertainment industries, there are more record labels, publishers, media companies, distributors, retailers, and product manufacturers actively promoting the sale and use of music than ever before. As the market for music shifts away from physical products and traditional methods to digital online and mobile, a greater number of competent, highly-skilled executives and entrepreneurs will be needed to meet the specialized demands of the new music industry. Since 1964, the Music Business and Entertainment Industries program has been at the forefront of music business education. The MBEI program has been carefully designed to prepare qualified music business students for these emerging opportunities.

Our graduate program, where students earn a Master of Music, focuses primarily on music business courses, with the opportunity to pursue additional coursework in both the School of Business and School of Communications. We also offer the only joint degree Juris Doctor (J.D.) and Master of Music in Music Business and Entertainment Industries (M.M.). For more information, please visit the website for the Music Business program (https://musicbusiness.frost.miami.edu/).

**Music Engineering Technology**

Since 1975, the Music Engineering Technology program at the University of Miami Frost School of Music has pioneered education in music and technology, setting the standard by which the National Association of Schools of Music (NASM) accredits other such programs around the United States. Alumni of the program have contributed significantly to the music and audio industries and upon graduation pursue careers ranging from recording engineer to software designer.

The Music Engineering Technology program offers a two-year Master of Science graduate degree for students who have completed an undergraduate degree in electrical engineering or computer science. These students study the software and hardware design of audio systems and perform independent research that culminates in a thesis project. Upon graduation, these students are widely placed in top corporations that span the audio industry. For more information, please visit the website for the Music Engineering program (https://musicengineering.frost.miami.edu/).

**Arts Presenting and Live Entertainment Management**

Arts Presenting (AP Live) is a Live Entertainment Management Program with an emphasis on the performing arts and commercial music industries. AP Live offers a curriculum that’s distinctly tailored to provide a thorough understanding of marketing, promotion, management, legal aspects, risks and finance of a diversity of live entertainment endeavors. AP Live students gain hands on experience producing events, marketing and promoting concerts and working with venues on all aspects of a live entertainment performance. For more information, please visit the website for the Arts Presenting Program (https://artspresenting.frost.miami.edu/).
Media Writing and Production

In the Media Writing and Production program, we are dedicated to not only providing the foundational skills necessary for the student to pursue a career in the media industry, but also to stimulate and encourage student awareness of their unique gifts as a creative musician. We accomplish this by promoting critical analysis and creative problem-solving skills throughout the program. Courses are designed to provide students with a cohesive program of study that incorporates both current and foreseeable trends – from the manipulation of sound through a digital audio workstation (DAW), the hybrid use of acoustic and electronic instruments, to the implementation and use of sound libraries and synthesizers that will best prepare students for competition in today’s industry. For more information, please visit the website for the Media Writing and Production (https://mediawriting.frost.miami.edu/degrees/mm-in-media-writing-and-production/) Program (https://artspresenting.frost.miami.edu/).

Masters Programs in Music Media and Industry

- M.A. in Arts Presenting and Live Entertainment Management (p. 2808)
- M.A. in Arts Presenting and Live Entertainment Management (Online) (p. 2812)
- M.M. in Music Business and Entertainment Industries (p. 2819)
- M.M. in Music Business and Entertainment Industries (Online) (p. 2823)
- M.M. in Media Writing and Production (p. 2814)
- M.S. in Music Engineering Technology (p. 2825)

Certificate Programs

- Certificate in Arts Leadership (p. 2801)
- Certificate in Arts Management (p. 2801)
- Certificate in Arts Presenting Fundamentals (p. 2802)
- Certificates in Legal Aspects of Music Business (p. 2802)
- Certificate in Music Business Fundamentals (p. 2802)
- Certificate in Music Entrepreneurship (p. 2802)
- Certificate in Music Rights Administration and Licensing (p. 2803)
- Certificate in Tour and Live Entertainment Administration (p. 2803)

MMI 601. Transducer Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Course covers the fundamentals of electromagnetism and audio transducer theory including loudspeaker and microphone systems. Classical electroacoustical analysis of transducers including acoustic suspension, bass-reflex, transmission line, electrostatic and horn loudspeakers, dynamic, ribbon and condenser pressure, and pressure-gradient microphones. Students use computer-aided design programs and Thiele-Small parameterization to model loudspeakers and measure loudspeaker responses. Open to MUE and EAN Majors only.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 602. Audio Signal Processing I. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the theory and practice of digital audio topics including discrete time sampling, quantization, dithering, PCM, A/D and D/A conversion, digital filtering, oversampling, modulation codes, timebase, error correction codes, magentic storage, DAT, and optical storage.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 603. Audio Signal Processing II. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the theory and practice of digital audio topics including fiber optics and networks, compact disc, interconnection, psychoacoustics, low bit-rate perceptual coding, MPEG, digital audio broadcasting, sigma-delta conversion, noise shaping, digital video, and emerging technologies. Open to MUE and EAN Majors only.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 604. Audio Signal Processing III. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory, design, and development of computer audio synthesizers and analyzers. Students implement software synthesizers including analog and physical modeling, wave-table, wave-shaping, and FM designs. Classical and modern theories of timbre and time-frequency analysis are included.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MMI 606. Current Trends in Music Engineering II. 3 Credit Hours.
MMI 606 addresses current technologies, skills, and techniques employed in a specific aspect of the audio technology and/or music technology fields.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MMI 608. Current Trends in Music Engineering III. 3 Credit Hours.
MMI 608 addresses current technologies, skills, and techniques employed in a specific aspect of the audio technology and/or music technology fields.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MMI 610. Computational Psychoacoustics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course deals with the fundamentals of audition in human biological systems, including auditory sensory transduction, cochlear processes, neural pathways, cortical organization, and auditory illusions, with specific applications to perceptual data reduction techniques and auditory displays.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MMI 611. Current Trends in Music Engineering IV. 3 Credit Hours.
MMI 611 addresses current technologies, skills, and techniques employed in a specific aspect of the audio technology and/or music technology fields.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MMI 620. Audio Technology for Musicians. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction and overview of audio technology with emphasis on music recording, production equipment, and techniques. Topics include microphones, loudspeakers, mixing consoles, interconnection, amplifiers, digital processing, time code, and surround sound. Open to non-MUE majors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MMI 621. Timbral Ear Training. 3 Credit Hours.
Students in this course will accomplish four primary goals: 1) instantaneous discernment of ISO frequency regions and critical bands; 2) aural identification of audio-processing techniques, artifacts, and problems; 3) development of critical thinking skills and competence in current audio listening test methodologies; and 4) successful completion of a comprehensive bank of critical listening "golden ears" tests.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MMI 630. Entrepreneurship for Musicians. 3 Credit Hours.
Course explores a wide range of options for musicians who want to pursue music business careers in their regional music markets. Students examine opportunities in performance, recording, composition, education, and more. Emphasis is placed on the packaging of musical skills in the marketplace and on the financial management of a small proprietary music business. As a result, the student musician will be prepared to make career decisions with foresight and planning.
Requisites: Graduate Music Students Only.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 631. Recording Engineering Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
Students in MMI 531 will accomplish three primary goals: 1) understanding historical trends in the audio recording industry, particularly those involving key technological advances; 2) understanding and appreciating recent advances in sound recording technologies and methods; and 3) development of critical thinking, research, writing, and presentation skills.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MMI 632. Arts Leadership. 3 Credit Hours.
Course explores critical concepts of leadership, decision-making, and teamwork in wide-ranging arts presentation setting. Through experiential learning, students practice and acquire the knowledge and skills vital for effective navigation through the dynamic arts industry.
Requisite: MBEI Or MPRS Or JDMM Or JDMA.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MMI 637. Recorded Music Operations. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides a study of the activities involved in commercially exploiting recorded music. The course includes an analysis of activities involved in the production, manufacturing, distribution, and marketing of a recorded music product; as well as related royalty accounting, mechanical licensing and master-use licensing activities.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 641. Tour Management and Production. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will become familiar with the responsibilities of a tour planner. Individual tour planning projects are assigned which will give the students insight into the management and production of a tour.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 643. Marketing in the Arts and Entertainment. 3 Credit Hours.
Students learn how to fulfill demand and influence consumer behavior through effective marketing techniques. The course provides the students with information on the latest technologies being employed to reach and communicate with target consumers.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 645. Music Placement and Exploitation. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an in-depth study of the creative and business aspects involved with the discovery, placement and exploitation of music in the current entertainment business. Students explore the processes of how music is placed in television, film, commercials, video games, with new media and recording artists. This course covers the roles of the various players in the music placement business and studies creative approaches, negotiation techniques and licensing practices. The DIY music creator, both the songwriter and recording artist, and their music representative will learn how to prepare, package, present, place and exploit their music as well as how to build a fan base. Students will learn how to locate resources for licensable music, offer creative options, select and license appropriate music, combine music with a variety of media, negotiate with a variety of rights holders, and generate license requests, agreements, and cue sheets.
Prerequisite: MMI 673 and MMI 774.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 673. Music Publishing. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an in-depth study of the creative and business aspects, concepts and practices of the music publishing industry. The course covers the acquisition, exploitation, administration and protection of songs in the contemporary music publishing business. Students will also study the income sources, royalty rates and payment procedures currently used in the music industry as they apply to musical compositions. Music publishing agreements currently used for the acquisition and administration of songs are reviewed in-depth. Foreign music publishing issues are explored as related to domestic music publishing. Students will also learn how to create and operate their own music publishing company.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MMI 693. Special Projects in Music Media and Industry. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member’s area of expertise and student’s area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MMI 694. Special Topics in Music Media and Industry. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member’s expertise and students’ areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MMI 701. Advanced Digital Audio Electronics. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics in digital audio including discrete time signals, digital filters, error digital audio processors, FFT, CIRC, and digital recorders are discussed. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MMI 705. Current Trends in Music Engineering I. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory, design and development of audio signal processing techniques. Topics include DSP architectures, systems design, algorithm development, and applications. DSP development tools used to write, debug, and test programs including time-domain based effects such as reverb, chorus, flanging, and digital delay as well as frequency-domain projects such as FIR, IIR, and FFT filters and vocoders.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 706. Current Topics in Audio Analysis and Signal Processing. 3 Credit Hours.
MMI 606 surveys recent topics related to audio analysis, synthesis, and signal processing with an emphasis in software programming and practical applications. Course material is drawn from several topics: current audio APIs and plug-in architectures, computational theories of musical timbre, machine listening, spatial audio, digital audio effects, new digital audio synthesis techniques, and machine-musician interaction modalities.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 715. Contemporary Songwriting I. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores modern songwriting techniques, song lyric theory, song form, melodic development, pop harmony and rhythm and grooves. Students will analyze a variety of recordings by top modern songwriters. Students will compose and record a number of original songs for the course.
Requisite: Must be in the School of Graduate Music.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 726. Performing Arts Center and Facility Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Students learn the many aspects of managing a live entertainment and performing arts center facility. Logistics, management, budgeting, marketing and programming within a live entertainment and performing arts facility are addressed.
Requisite: Graduate Plan of MBEI or MPR or JDMM or JDML.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 735. World of the Working Musician. 3 Credit Hours.
Building a career in the twenty-first century and beyond creates challenges both exciting and daunting. The purpose of this course is to provide grounding, critical information, as well as planning and vision for shaping the key components of launching and sustaining a career in the arts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 736. Sponsorship, Development, and Financial Management in the Live Entertainment Industry. 3 Credit Hours.
Students learn how to write and present a line-item budget for an arts presentation event, arts presenting organization, and an arts facility. Specific techniques and methods that are used to reduce event risk and safety are discussed.
Requisite: Graduate Plan of MBEI or MPR or JDMM or JDML.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 738. Legal Aspects of the Live Entertainment Industry. 3 Credit Hours.
Students become familiar with various Artist, Client, Production, Vendor and Facility Contracts and Agreements commonly used in the industry.
Requisite: Graduate Plan of MBEI or MPR or JDMM or JDML.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 739. Small Contemporary Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
A performing ensemble of student-generated contemporary musical repertoire.
Requisite: Must be in the School of Graduate Music.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MMI 740. Arts Presenting Project. 3 Credit Hours.
Students develop and produce an Arts Presenting event. Students will be responsible for all aspects of budgeting, marketing, promotion and production of the event. This will be a semester long project requiring the knowledge and skills learned throughout the Arts Presenting Program. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MMI 750. Music Business Agreements. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the legal agreements between different parties in the music business, such as record companies, recording artists, music producers, and licensees. Emphasis is placed on the different ways of contractually addressing intellectual property ownership and usage, compensation, and exclusive services. Requisite: Graduate Plan of MBEI or MPR or JDMM or JDML.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 751. Recording Studio Workshop. 1 Credit Hour.
Introduction to the multi track recording studio environment. Hands-on lectures and labs including tracking, overdub and mixdown session management, techniques, and philosophies are included. Topics also include audio routing, equalization, effects, and microphone technique. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 752. Music Licensing. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an in-depth exploration of an extensive variety of music licenses and international licensing concepts. Students acquire practical experience utilizing licensing parameters. Students will also be able to identify, explain, and apply music licensing terms and procedures. The licensing of music in print, sound recordings, the Internet, commercial productions, electrical transcriptions, synchronization for theatrical films and television programs, public performances and theatrical music productions are among the areas covered in this course. Students will also be able to identify and explain the various revenue streams and collection procedures of the international music business. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 753. Transducer Workshop. 1 Credit Hour.
Fundamentals of electromagnetism and audio transducer theory including loudspeaker and microphone systems. Classical electro-acoustical analysis of transducers including acoustic suspensions, bass-reflex, transmission line, electrostatic and horn loudspeakers, dynamic, ribbon and condenser pressure, and pressure-gradient microphones. Students use computer-aided design programs and Thiele-Small parameterization to model loudspeakers and measure loudspeaker responses. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 759. Digital Audio and MIDI Production. 3 Credit Hours.
Weekly lab focused on Pro Tools proficiency and the intricacies of audio technology relating to a modern producer/film composer. Topics include Digital Audio definitions and uses, Pro Tools understanding, shortcuts and proficiency, and MIDI.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 760. Virtual Orchestration. 3 Credit Hours.
This project-based seminar/lab is designed to expose students to the basics of MIDI orchestration with particular emphasis on the creation of fully-realized mock-ups.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 761. Media Writing 1: Film Scoring Foundations. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminar in the aesthetics and psychology of mood music, sound-film synchronization, timing techniques, and scoring procedures. Analysis and performance of student projects is included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MMI 762. Media Writing 2: Film Scoring Extensions. 3 Credit Hours.
Adaptation of previous semester's techniques to television scripts and performed music. Pre-recording, direct recording, and dubbing procedures are included as well as preparation and performance of complete film cues. Each student is required to conduct his/her project.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 763. Media Writing 3: Video Game Scoring. 3 Credit Hours.
Project based seminar/workshop designed to provide students the opportunity to gain the skills, knowledge and experience necessary to produce a variety of musical works for use in visual media.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 770. Synthestration. 3 Credit Hours.
Weekly lab focused on Sound Design/synthesis as it applies to the modern producer. Topics include different synthesis techniques, different waves, modulation controls, signal flow as it applies to modular synths, hardware synths vs “softsynths,” and FX processing common to synth instruments.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 771. Production 1: Recording and Production Techniques. 3 Credit Hours.
Recording studio production procedures. Topics include artist and material selection, session planning, and analysis of the producer’s role.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 772. Production 2: Audio FX Processing and Multitrack Mixing. 3 Credit Hours.
Project-based course designed to provide students with a clear understanding of most Audio effects used in Mixing and Music Production. Students are expected to complete one multitrack mix a week, and present to the class their work for critique and review. Additional emphasis is placed on psychoacoustics, room acoustics, and loudness.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 773. Production 3: Advanced Production Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
Project-based course designed to provide the opportunity to record, produce, mix, and commercially release an EP. Students are expected to use their music production skills to produce a studio-quality commercial recording of a fellow student, including recording, sound design, and mixing. Additional emphasis will be placed on budget management, studio and musician booking, mastering in preparation for release, and extras including meta-data and artwork.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 774. Music Copyright Law. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an in-depth study of the essential provisions of the U.S. copyright law as they are related to music.
Requisite: Graduate Plan of MBEI or MPR or JDMM or JDML.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 780. Advanced Analysis of Current Topics in the Music Business. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides students with in-depth study of advanced topics in the music business, including recent developments in the areas of music licensing, copyright, international markets, live music, artist development, data management, and others. Particular focus is placed on ways to meet the current challenges facing the industry.
Requisite: Graduate Plan of MBEI or MPR or JDMM or JDML.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 793. Special Projects in Music Media and Industry. 1-3 Credit Hours.
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Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member's expertise and students' areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MMI 802. Music Business Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
Practical experience in different areas of the music business under the supervision of professional firms and the university.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MMI 804. Internship in Arts Presenting. 3 Credit Hours.
Practical experience in different areas of arts presenting under the supervision of professional firms and the university.
Components: PRA.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MMI 805. Master's Media Writing and Production Project. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This project will require supervised completion of a proposal, business plan, project completion and presentation, reflective journal, and media writing and production electronic press kit.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MMI 813. Master's Research Project. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's research project enrolls for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the project paper is accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MMI 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence and maintain full-time enrollment for the master's degree after the student has completed the required hours of thesis or project credit.
Components: THI.
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Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

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J.D./M.A. in Arts Presenting and Live Entertainment Management

Overview
The University of Miami School of Law and the Frost School of Music offer the first ever joint degree program in law and arts presenting. Upon completion of this program, a student earns the Juris Doctor degree from the School of Law and a Master of Arts in Arts Presenting & Live Entertainment Management (http://www.miami.edu/frost/index.php/arts_presenting/).

In this specialization, students not only learn the essentials of law, but also the common practices of the arts presenting and live entertainment industry — essential skills for becoming a successful attorney in this area of the music and entertainment industry. Through this joint program, students can complete both degrees in less time (3 to 4 years) while studying at a top law school and one of the best music schools in the country. And, as one of the major music cities in the U.S., Miami offers exceptional internship and work opportunities.

Admission Requirements

- Applicants may apply before they begin the J.D. program OR they may apply during their first or second year of Law School. (*Students must be accepted to the J.D. program before they are eligible for acceptance into the J.D./M.M. program.*)
- Students should let Professor Gary Wood know that they are applying to the M.A. program.
- Students will find an application for the joint degree program under the list of graduate program applications (https://www.applyweb.com/miamigrd/)
- Only the LSAT exam is required.
- Students who apply to the joint degree program are giving permission for the M.M. (or M.A.) program admissions staff and faculty to review their complete J.D. application.
- Students already enrolled in the M.A. program are not eligible to apply to the joint program.
• All the requirements of the J.D. and M.A. programs must be fulfilled.

**Curriculum Requirements**

• Students will complete the first-year law school curriculum in its entirety before taking any M.A. courses.
• All other J.D. requirements must be met. Six credits will be satisfied by two M.A. courses. These courses must be completed before the J.D. degree will be conferred.
• Twenty-one credits of M.A. courses are required and cover topics such as tour management and production, live entertainment industry agreements and legal aspects, music copyright, performing arts center and facility management, sponsorship in the live entertainment industry, marketing and promotion, and others. More information about courses in the M.A. curriculum can be found in the UM Academic Bulletin (http://bulletin.miami.edu/graduate-academic-programs/music/music-media-industry/arts-presenting-ma/).
• Nine School of Law credits will be applied to the M.A. degree in the areas of intellectual property, business, and tax law topics. The M.A. degree will not be conferred until these nine credits are completed.
• Students are encouraged to fashion a balanced upper-class law school curriculum which prepares them to provide legal services to clients in the business and entertainment industries including specific offerings regarding arts and entertainment law, as well as more general offerings in domestic and international aspects of fields such as antitrust, business associations, commercial law, intellectual property, tax and torts.
• The M.A. curriculum is prescribed and is offered primarily in the fall and spring semesters, with limited offerings in the summer. Most courses are offered only in the fall or spring of a given academic year. Some courses may be available to take online.
• If a student in the joint program wants to take music elective course (e.g., Musicology, Psychology of Music, Audio for Producers, etc.) arrangements will be made to accommodate the request.
• Students are able to complete the joint degree program within three years if summer courses are taken. Students may also choose to complete the program within three and ½ years or four years.

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### J.D./M.M. in Music Business and Entertainment Industries

#### Overview

The University of Miami School of Law and UM's Frost School of Music - ranked one of the top music business schools by [Billboard Magazine](http://www.billboard.com/biz/articles/news/record-labels/7534379/12-elite-music-business-schools-shaping-the-industrys-future?utm_source=twitter) and by the *Hollywood Reporter* - offer the first ever joint degree program in law and music business. Upon completion of this program, a student earns the Juris Doctor degree from the School of Law and a Master of Music in Music Business and Entertainment Industries degree from the School of Music [here](http://www.miami.edu/frost/index.php/music_business/).

In this specialization, students not only learn the essentials of law, but also the common practices of the music business – essential skills for becoming a successful attorney in the music industry.

Through this joint program, students can complete both degrees in less time (3 to 4 years) while studying at a top law school and one of the best music schools in the country. And, as one of the four major music cities in the U.S. and as the music center for the Latin American Divisions of all major music companies, Miami offers exceptional internship and work opportunities.
Admission Requirements
Requirements for admission to the graduate studies for the Juris Doctor/Master of Music in Music Business and Entertainment Industries degree are:

• Applicants may apply before they begin the J.D. program OR they may apply during their first or second year of Law School. (Students must be accepted to the J.D. program before they are eligible for acceptance into the J.D./M.M. program.)
• Students should let Professor Serona Elton know that they are applying to the M.M. program.
• Students will find an application for the joint degree program under the list of graduate program applications: https://www.applyweb.com/miamigrd/index.ftl
• Only the LSAT exam is required.
• Students who apply to the joint degree program are giving permission for the M.M. (or M.A.) program admissions staff and faculty to review their complete J.D. application.
• Students already enrolled in the M.M. program are not eligible to apply to the joint program.
• All the requirements of the J.D. and M.M. programs must be fulfilled.

Curriculum Requirements

• Students will complete the first-year law school curriculum in its entirety before taking any M.M. courses.
• All other J.D. requirements must be met. Six credits will be satisfied by two M.M. courses. These courses must be completed before the J.D. degree will be conferred.
• Twenty-one credits of M.M. courses are required and cover topics such as music copyright law, music industry agreement, music publishing and licensing, recorded music operations, marketing and promotion, and others. More information about courses in the M.M. curriculum can be found in the UM Academic Bulletin (http://bulletin.miami.edu/graduate-academic-programs/music/music-media-industry/music-business-entertainment-industries-mm/).
• Nine School of Law credits will be applied to the M.M. degree in the areas of intellectual property, business, and tax law topics. The M.M. degree will not be conferred until these nine credits are completed.
• Student are encouraged to fashion a balanced upper-class law school curriculum which prepares them to provide legal services to clients in the business and entertainment industries including specific offering regarding arts and entertainment law, as well as more general offerings in domestic and international aspects of fields such as antitrust, business associations, commercial law, intellectual property, tax and torts.
• If a student in the joint program wants to take music elective course (e.g., Musicology, Psychology of Music, Audio for Producers, etc.) arrangements will be made to accommodate the request.
• Students are able to complete the joint degree program within three years if summer courses are taken. Students may also choose to complete the program within three and ½ years or four years.

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Final Project
Choose from:

- MMI 802 Music Business Internship
- MMI Elective

**Cumulative Exit Exam**

**MMI COURSES IN FULFILLMENT OF BOTH DEGREES**

Please choose from the following or others with approval:

- MMI 750 Music Business Agreements 3
  - or MMI 738 Legal Aspects of the Live Entertainment Industry
- MMI 774 Music Copyright Law 3

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M.A. in Arts Presenting and Live Entertainment Management

Overview

Arts Presenting (AP Live) is a Live Entertainment Management Program with an emphasis on the performing arts and commercial music industries. AP Live offers a curriculum that’s distinctly tailored to provide a thorough understanding of marketing, promotion, management, legal aspects, risks and finance of a diversity of live entertainment endeavors. AP Live students gain hands on experience producing events, marketing and promoting concerts and working with venues on all aspects of a live entertainment performance. For more information, please visit the website for the Arts Presenting Program (https://artspresenting.frost.miami.edu/).

Admission Requirements

On-Campus Programs

The application priority deadline is December 1st.

The supplemental materials deadline is January 1st.

Please click here (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/mmi-applicants/) for special deadlines related to our Arts Presenting, Media Writing, Music Business, and Music Engineering programs

Step 1 - Apply

• Apply online through CollegeNET (https://www.applyweb.com/miamigrd/)
• Upload a prescreening (if applicable) through SlideRoom (https://fsomgrad.sliderroom.com/#/Login) – check the Audition/Portfolio Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/audition-requirements/) page for specific information

Step 2 - Submit Supplemental Materials

All supplemental materials must be submitted either via email to fsom.graddocs@miami.edu or via US Mail to PO Box 248165, Coral Gables, FL 33124.

Required for all applicants:

• Transcripts – an official transcript from ALL post-secondary schools attended, regardless of if a degree was granted or not, must be sent directly to the Frost School of Music from the issuing institution in order to be considered official
• Applicants with international transcripts, please click here (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/international-applicants/) for specific instructions about approved evaluation services
• An official transcript is required for every school attended, even if it was only a single class
• Current University of Miami students applying to a new degree program must provide an official University of Miami transcript
• Three letters of recommendation - sent through CollegeNet as part of application submission. These do not need to be sent separately
• Resume - attached to the application at the time of submission. This does not need to be sent separately

The following supplemental materials may be required for some applicants:

• GRE Score - Please contact your program faculty (https://www.frost.miami.edu/faculty/by-program/) for specific GRE information
• TOEFL/IELTS Score (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/international-applicants/) - Please click here for more specific TOEFL/IELTS information
• Teaching/Conducting Sample
• Writing Sample
• Prescreening/Audition/Interview
• Portfolio

Not all supplemental materials are required for all degree programs. Please see the Degree Program Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/_assets/pdf/graduate/grad-admission-reqs-080819.pdf) for specific requirements.

For information regarding specific program requirements, please see Application & Program Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/application-program-requirements/).

Applicants are responsible for tracking the status of their application materials and should do so on CaneLink (https://m.canelink.miami.edu/). Please allow at least two weeks for documents to be processed and marked as complete. If you are unable to access your CaneLink account, please check the CaneLink FAQ (https://canelink.it.miami.edu/faq/).

Step 3 - Audition/Interview/Upload Portfolio

Audition - If your program requires an audition, you will be contacted after the December 1st deadline to schedule a date. All performance programs require a prescreening and invitations to audition will be extended to those applicants approved by faculty review. Check the Audition/Portfolio
Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/audition-requirements/) page for specific requirements. Do not make travel plans until you receive a confirmation email from Frost Admissions.

Interview - If your program requires an interview, you will be contacted by department faculty to schedule a date.

Portfolio - If your program requires a portfolio, please upload it through SlideRoom. (https://fsomgrad.slideroom.com/#/Login) Check the Audition/Portfolio Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/audition-requirements/) page for specific requirements.

Music, Media, & Industry Application Deadlines (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/mmi-applicants/)

If you are applying to Music Business & Entertainment Industries, Arts Presenting & Live Entertainment Management, JD/MM, or JD/MA programs, the following deadlines apply:

- December 1 - International applicants and priority domestic applicants
- April 1 - All JD/MM and JD/MA applicants
- June 1 - Final application and supplemental materials deadline for domestic applicants

If you are applying to Music Engineering Technology or Media Writing and Production, the following deadlines apply:

- December 1 - International applicants and priority domestic applicants
- February 1 - Priority portfolio deadline
- April 1 - Final application and portfolio deadline - all applications/supplemental materials/portfolios are due by this date

International Applicants (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/international-applicants/)

- TOEFL/IELTS - Test scores are required for international applicants whose native language is not English and who have not received a degree from an accredited English-speaking institution. Additional information can be found under International Applicants (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/international-applicants/).
- Applicants must submit a copy of their passport before a decision can be made. The name on your passport must match the name with which you apply.

If accepted, you will be contacted by the Office of Admission to submit documentation of financial responsibility.

Documents Required
Submit the following educational documents to an approved international credentialing evaluation service:

a) Official original diplomas and certificates in the original language, and

b) Official original transcripts in the original language (names of courses, grades, and hours of instruction) for every year of study.

Documents in a language other than English must be accompanied by professional, certified English translations. Translations supplement but do not replace, the official documents.

Type of Evaluation Required
The Frost School of Music is requiring international applicants to their programs to complete a course-by-course evaluation with GPA.

Where to Submit Documents for Evaluation

World Education Services (WES) is the second preferred evaluation service for international applicants to the University of Miami. Click here (https://www.wes.org/) for more information, including the Application for Evaluation of Foreign Educational Credentials (https://www.wes.org/#get-started).

Please note that international applicants are not required to use the services of JS&A or WES exclusively, but the University of Miami requires that an international credential evaluation must be done by one of the approved evaluation vendors found on this list (http://naces.org/members.html).

Evaluation Fee
Applicants are responsible for the evaluation fee.

Submission of Evaluation
The evaluation vendor is required to send all official copies of related documents to:

Frost School of Music
PO Box 248165
Coral Gables, FL 33124-7610

or electronically to:
Decisions

Students are recommended for admission to the Frost School of Music by the faculty and admission committees. Final acceptance to the Graduate program is made after all materials requested by the Frost School of Music have been received and evaluated. Scholarships and/or Assistantships are awarded based on faculty recommendation. Admission decisions are sent out starting in late March.

Application Guidelines

• Applications are accepted for the fall term only
• Applications are accepted for only one degree program
• Graduate applicants must have a minimum of a 3.0 cumulative GPA for consideration
• Applicants must be in-progress toward completing or have earned the appropriate prior music degree(s) from a regionally accredited institution in order to apply for a graduate level music program. If you are accepted and decide to attend the Frost School, you will be required to provide a final transcript showing a conferred degree.
• The MM in Music Business & Entertainment Industries and the MA in Arts Presenting & Live Entertainment Management do not require prior music degrees. The MS in Music Engineering Technology is open to students who have completed an undergraduate degree in an appropriate engineering/science field.
• Current University of Miami students applying to a new degree program must provide an official University of Miami transcript
• Materials submitted in support of an application cannot be released for other purposes nor returned to the applicant
• For information on where to submit supplemental materials, please see our Contact Information (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/contact-us/)

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**Mission**

The Arts Presenting and Live Entertainment Management (AP LIVE) masters degree program makes possible specialized, comprehensive and experiential learning in the multifaceted field of live arts presentations. Keen attention to leadership, project management, operations, personnel, finances and for-profit and non-profit arts business models serves as the foundation of the curricular learning, research and activity. With greater-Miami and arts connection to professional across the U.S. and beyond, students graduating from the University of Miami and the Frost School of Music are fully prepared to enter the workforce as dynamic professionals poised to step in successfully to wide-varieties of arts settings around the world.

**Goals**

The program has three primary objectives:

- Each student is fully engaged in the entirety of Arts Presenting and Live Entertainment Management subject matter, with exposure to all of the professional-level issues of the field. To that end, courses are designed with syllabi that ensures a sequence of learning filled with each of the best-practice topics and tactics necessary for gaining professional level skills and wherewithal.

- Each student is engaged in research designed to capture far-reaching information formed from intense study and field experiences. Such research will result in (at least) two formal papers and presentations that exemplify exceptional effort and provide lasting value for the learner. Such research includes, but is not limited to creating and managing projects of various sizes, business models and implementation strategies, industry-related statistical analysis such as environmental scans, demographics and so forth, as well as the exploration of arts-based subjects that go to the heart of the arts presenting reason d'etre.

- Each student is introduced to professionals in the field—across the U.S. and beyond—such that they have developed a meaningful and useful network of mentors and contacts offering insights into arts presenting management issues, best practices and opportunities for further learning. The network of contacts is compelled into existence by way of course-work throughout the degree program that relies upon expert input as part of the assignments objectives, as well as professionals introduced by faculty.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Students will demonstrate the ability to create a graduate-level, high quality and extensively researched paper on a critical topic applicable to the course.

- Students demonstrate mastery of live presentations. Through research on an arts-based, course-specific topic, students organize information and share in a formal presentation as a means of exhibiting A) appropriate and effectual planning and format organizational skills, and B) proper and engaging communication competence. In so doing, students gain experience and capacities for successful live presentations frequently required in the professional field, such as funding requests, board reports, pre-concert discussions, educational lectures and more.

- Students demonstrate mastery of creating a comprehensive grant request.
M.A. in Arts Presenting and Live Entertainment Management (Online)

Overview
Arts Presenting (AP Live) is a Live Entertainment Management Program with an emphasis on the performing arts and commercial music industries. AP Live offers a curriculum that’s distinctly tailored to provide a thorough understanding of marketing, promotion, management, legal aspects, risks and finance of a diversity of live entertainment endeavors. AP Live students gain hands on experience producing events, marketing and promoting concerts and working with venues on all aspects of a live entertainment performance. For more information, please visit the website for the Arts Presenting Program (https://artspresenting.frost.miami.edu/).

Admission Requirements
Applying to UOnline

How to Submit Your Application
When you decide to pursue a degree with UOnline, you’ll have a dedicated enrollment advisor to guide you through the application process. Follow the steps outlined below and contact your enrollment advisor with any questions.

Close all tabs (https://uonline.miami.edu/admissions/)

• 1. START YOUR APPLICATION (https://uonline.miami.edu/admissions/)
  Go to our online application (https://myonline.miami.edu/signup/).

• 2. COMPILE DOCUMENTS (https://uonline.miami.edu/admissions/)
  Upload the following required documents in the upload section:
  - Unofficial Transcript: Submit a copy of your transcript from all academic institutions attended.
  - Test Scores: Depending on the program you choose, you may need to submit graduate exam results. GRE and GMAT waivers are available for qualified applicants.
  - Résumé: Submit your most recent résumé that appropriately illustrates your professional experience.
  - Personal Statement: Submit a one-page personal statement addressing your interest in the program concerning your professional background and career aspirations.
  - Language Proficiency: International students who do not hold an undergraduate U.S. degree must submit Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) scores. For more information, please see the Student Handbook (http://bulletin.miami.edu/graduate-student-handbook-online-students/?_ga=2.34928225.1136839122.1586795706-1670025083.1584388400).

• 3. REQUEST YOUR OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPTS (https://uonline.miami.edu/admissions/)
  Request your transcripts electronically (preferred) or by regular mail:
  to etranscripts@miami.edu, or mail it to:
  Online Enrollment – Admissions Office
  1320 S. Dixie Hwy, Suite 902
  Locator – 2291
  Coral Gables, FL 33146-2291

  Please note: All graduate applicants who have attended a college or university outside the United States must submit official transcripts and diplomas (if available) from all colleges and universities attended to one of the three approved evaluation services.

• 4. OBTAIN TWO PROFESSIONAL RECOMMENDATIONS (https://uonline.miami.edu/admissions/)
  Enter the names and contact information for two (2) people who can comment on your professional ability in the online application. Your references automatically receive an email to fill out your recommendation online. You can then track the status of each recommendation in the system. Recommendations must be received by the application deadline to be considered for admissions.

• 5. APPLY FOR FINANCIAL AID (https://uonline.miami.edu/admissions/)
  Click here (https://uonline.miami.edu/scholarship-aid/) for more info about financial aid and the scholarships available to our students. Our enrollment advisors are also available to help you every step of the way.

Admission Decision Timeline
Once you have submitted your application, we will be in touch in the next two days.
If you are accepted to study online with the University of Miami, you have 24 hours to accept your offer and can then start your online student readiness orientation.

## Curriculum Requirements

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### Electives

Select 6 credit hours of approved Graduate Course Electives

### Final Project

Choose from:

- MMI 804 Internship in Arts Presenting
- MMI Elective

### Exit Exam

Total Credit Hours

### Sample Plan of Study

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Mission
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Goals
The program has three primary objectives:

• Each student is fully engaged in the entirety of Arts Presenting and Live Entertainment Management subject matter, with exposure to all of the professional-level issues of the field. To that end, courses are designed with syllabi that ensures a sequence of learning filled with each of the best-practice topics and tactics necessary for gaining professional level skills and wherewithal.

• Each student is engaged in research designed to capture far-reaching information formed from intense study and field experiences. Such research will result in (at least) two formal papers and presentations that exemplify exceptional effort and provide lasting value for the learner. Such research includes, but is not limited to creating and managing projects of various sizes, business models and implementation strategies, industry-related statistical analysis such as environmental scans, demographics and so forth, as well as the exploration of arts-based subjects that go to the heart of the arts presenting reason d’etre.

• Each student is introduced to professionals in the field—across the U.S. and beyond—such that they have developed a meaningful and useful network of mentors and contacts offering insights into arts presenting management issues, best practices and opportunities for further learning. The network of contacts is compelled into existence by way of course-work throughout the degree program that relies upon expert input as part of the assignments objectives, as well as professionals introduced by faculty.

Student Learning Outcomes

• Students will demonstrate the ability to create a graduate-level, high quality and extensively researched paper on a critical topic applicable to the course.

• Students demonstrate mastery of live presentations. Through research on an arts-based, course-specific topic, students organize information and share in a formal presentation as a means of exhibiting A) appropriate and effectual planning and format organizational skills, and B) proper and engaging communication competence. In so doing, students gain experience and capacities for successful live presentations frequently required in the professional field, such as funding requests, board reports, pre-concert discussions, educational lectures and more.

• Students demonstrate mastery of creating a comprehensive grant request.

M.M. in Media Writing and Production

Overview
In the Media Writing and Production program, we are dedicated to not only providing the foundational skills necessary for the student to pursue a career in the media industry, but also to stimulate and encourage student awareness of their unique gifts as a creative musician. We accomplish this by promoting critical analysis and creative problem-solving skills throughout the program. Courses are designed to provide students with a cohesive program of study that incorporates both current and foreseeable trends — from the manipulation of sound through a digital audio workstation (DAW), the hybrid use of acoustic and electronic instruments, to the implementation and use of sound libraries and synthesizers that will best prepare students for competition in today’s industry. For more information, please visit the website for the Media Writing and Production (https://mediawriting.frost.miami.edu/degrees/mm-in-media-writing-and-production/) Program (https://artspresenting.frost.miami.edu/).

Admission Requirements

On-Campus Programs

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Step 3 - Audition/Interview/Upload Portfolio

Audition - If your program requires an audition, you will be contacted after the December 1st deadline to schedule a date. All performance programs require a prescreening and invitations to audition will be extended to those applicants approved by faculty review. Check the Audition/Portfolio Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/audition-requirements/) page for specific requirements. Do not make travel plans until you receive a confirmation email from Frost Admissions.

Interview - If your program requires an interview, you will be contacted by department faculty to schedule a date.

Portfolio - If your program requires a portfolio, please upload it through SlideRoom (https://fsomgrad.slideroom.com/#/Login) Check the Audition/Portfolio Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/audition-requirements/) page for specific requirements.

Music, Media, & Industry Application Deadlines (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/mmi-applicants/)

If you are applying to Music Business & Entertainment Industries, Arts Presenting & Live Entertainment Management, JD/MM, or JD/MA programs, the following deadlines apply:

December 1 - International applicants and priority domestic applicants
April 1 - All JD/MM and JD/MA applicants
June 1 - Final application and supplemental materials deadline for domestic applicants

If you are applying to Music Engineering Technology or Media Writing and Production, the following deadlines apply:

December 1 - International applicants and priority domestic applicants
February 1 - Priority portfolio deadline
April 1 - Final application and portfolio deadline - all applications/supplemental materials/portfolios are due by this date
International Applicants (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/international-applicants/)

- TOEFL/IELTS - Test scores are required for international applicants whose native language is not English and who have not received a degree from an accredited English-speaking institution. Additional information can be found under International Applicants (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/international-applicants/).
- Applicants must submit a copy of their passport before a decision can be made. The name on your passport must match the name with which you apply.

If accepted, you will be contacted by the Office of Admission to submit documentation of financial responsibility.

Documents Required
Submit the following educational documents to an approved international credentialing evaluation service:

a) Official original diplomas and certificates in the original language, and

b) Official original transcripts in the original language (names of courses, grades, and hours of instruction) for every year of study.

Documents in a language other than English must be accompanied by professional, certified English translations. Translations supplement but do not replace, the official documents.

Type of Evaluation Required
The Frost School of Music is requiring international applicants to their programs to complete a course-by-course evaluation with GPA.

Where to Submit Documents for Evaluation

World Education Services (WES) is the second preferred evaluation service for international applicants to the University of Miami. Click here (https://www.wes.org/) for more information, including the Application for Evaluation of Foreign Educational Credentials (https://www.wes.org/#get-started).

Please note that international applicants are not required to use the services of JS&A or WES exclusively, but the University of Miami requires that an international credential evaluation must be done by one of the approved evaluation vendors found on this list (http://naces.org/members.html).

Evaluation Fee
Applicants are responsible for the evaluation fee.

Submission of Evaluation
The evaluation vendor is required to send all official copies of related documents to:

Frost School of Music
PO Box 248165
Coral Gables, FL 33124-7610

or electronically to:
fsom.graddocs@miami.edu

- Please click here (http://grad.miami.edu/apply/on-campus-graduate-programs/frost-school-of-music-international-applicants/Frost%20School%20of%20Music%20International%20Applicants.html) for additional details
- Applicants who are applying with a current degree in progress will be required to have their final transcripts and diploma evaluated upon arrival at the Frost School. If applicants use Josef Silny for the initial evaluation, the Frost School will cover the evaluation. If applicants choose a different vendor, they will be responsible for the cost of the re-evaluation.

Decisions
Students are recommended for admission to the Frost School of Music by the faculty and admission committees. Final acceptance to the Graduate program is made after all materials requested by the Frost School of Music have been received and evaluated. Scholarships and/or Assistantships are awarded based on faculty recommendation. Admission decisions are sent out starting in late March.

Application Guidelines
- Applications are accepted for the fall term only
- Applications are accepted for only one degree program
- Graduate applicants must have a minimum of a 3.0 cumulative GPA for consideration
• Applicants must be in-progress toward completing or have earned the appropriate prior music degree(s) from a regionally accredited institution in order to apply for a graduate level music program. If you are accepted and decide to attend the Frost School, you will be required to provide a final transcript showing a conferred degree.
• The MM in Music Business & Entertainment Industries and the MA in Arts Presenting & Live Entertainment Management do not require prior music degrees. The MS in Music Engineering Technology is open to students who have completed an undergraduate degree in an appropriate engineering/science field.
• Current University of Miami students applying to a new degree program must provide an official University of Miami transcript.
• Materials submitted in support of an application cannot be released for other purposes nor returned to the applicant.
• For information on where to submit supplemental materials, please see our Contact Information (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/contact-us/)

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**Sample Plan of Study**

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| MMI 762 Media Writing 2: Film Scoring Extensions                      | 3            |
| MMI 630 Entrepreneurship for Musicians                                | 3            |
| Advisor Approved Elective                                           | 3            |

Credit Hours **9**
## Sample Plan of Study
### Production Emphasis

### Year One
#### Fall
- **MMI 771**: Production 1: Recording and Production Techniques 3
- **MMI 759**: Digital Audio and MIDI Production 3
- Advisor Approved Elective 3

#### Spring
- **MMI 772**: Production 2: Audio FX Processing and Multitrack Mixing 3
- **MMI 770**: Synthestration 3
- **MMI 630**: Entrepreneurship for Musicians 3

### Year Two
#### Fall
- **MMI 773**: Production 3: Advanced Production Seminar 3
- Advisor Approved Elective 3

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- **MMI 805**: Master’s Media Writing and Production Project 3

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### Mission
The mission of the Media Writing and Production Masters of Music degree program is to provide the student with the skills necessary to pursue a career as a creator and producer of commercial music. The purpose of the Media Writing and Production program is to provide advanced competency as a composer, arranger and producer of commercial music. In contrast with other departments, the Media Writing and Production department culminates with the writing and defense of a thesis conforming to graduate school guidelines.

### Goals
The program emphasizes the following objectives:
• Students will graduate in a timely manner from the program
• Students will be highly satisfied with their understanding of craft of creating music for media.
• Students will be prepared to find success in the media industry.

Student Learning Outcomes

• The student will develop and defend a portfolio of musical works, and compose a detailed narrative of his/her process, demonstrating advanced competencies as a composer, arranger and producer of music commensurate with current contemporary/commercial music professionals. (Thesis project.)
• The student will develop the ability to analyze and identify sonic problems encountered during the production of contemporary/commercial music. The student will demonstrate the skills necessary to execute viable solutions through advanced competencies in Digital Audio Workstation (DAW) techniques, including editing, signal processing and mixing. He/she will create acceptable final mixes of their works and generate deliverable in prescribed audio and/or video format. Student performance is measured using a standard grading system. Criteria include the sonic and aesthetic qualities of the finished product, deliverables, meeting deadlines, and musical score/DAW layout.
• The student will demonstrate the ability to compose, arrange and produce of music for visual media in both virtual and acoustic formats, and prepare all deliverables including digital assets (audio files, DAW sessions, midi files and track assignments), music preparation including score layout and final mixes (stereo mix, sub mixes and stems) conforming to delivery requirements commonly required in the contemporary/commercial music industry.

M.M. in Music Business and Entertainment Industries

Overview
In today’s fast changing, multi-billion dollar international music and entertainment industries, there are more record labels, publishers, media companies, distributors, retailers, and product manufacturers actively promoting the sale and use of music than ever before. As the market for music shifts away from physical products and traditional methods to digital online and mobile, a greater number of competent, highly-skilled executives and entrepreneurs will be needed to meet the specialized demands of the new music industry. Since 1964, the Music Business and Entertainment Industries program has been at the forefront of music business education. The MBIE program has been carefully designed to prepare qualified music business students for these emerging opportunities.

Our graduate program, where students earn a Master of Music, focuses primarily on music business courses, with the opportunity to pursue additional coursework in both the School of Business and School of Communications. We also offer the only joint degree Juris Doctor (J.D.) and Master of Music in Music Business and Entertainment Industries (M.M.). For more information, please visit the website for the Music Business program (https://musicbusiness.frost.miami.edu/).

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M.M. in Music Business and Entertainment Industries

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Coursework, extra-curricular participation, and internships are vital components of the degree program. The program is interdisciplinary in nature with emphasis placed upon courses in music business, music, and business. Majors study music business topics such as copyright, music publishing, record companies, entertainment contracts, music licensing, touring, and music marketing, as well as others. Students are also able to take several
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### M.M. in Music Business and Entertainment Industries (Online)

**Overview**

In today's fast changing, multi-billion dollar international music and entertainment industries, there are more record labels, publishers, media companies, distributors, retailers, and product manufacturers actively promoting the sale and use of music than ever before. As the market for music shifts away from physical products and traditional methods to digital online and mobile, a greater number of competent, highly-skilled executives and entrepreneurs will be needed to meet the specialized demands of the new music industry. Since 1964, the Music Business and Entertainment Industries program has been at the forefront of music business education. The MBEI program has been carefully designed to prepare qualified music business students for these emerging opportunities.

Our graduate program, where students earn a Master of Music, focuses primarily on music business courses, with the opportunity to pursue additional coursework in both the School of Business and School of Communications. We also offer the only joint degree Juris Doctor (J.D.) and Master of Music in Music Business and Entertainment Industries (M.M.). For more information, please visit the website for the Music Business program (https://musicbusiness.frost.miami.edu/).

**Admission Requirements**

**Applying to UOnline**

When you decide to pursue a degree with UOnline, you'll have a dedicated enrollment advisor to guide you through the application process. Follow the steps outlined below and contact your enrollment advisor with any questions.

Close all tabs (https://uonline.miami.edu/admissions/)

1. **START YOUR APPLICATION** (https://uonline.miami.edu/admissions/)
   Go to our online application (https://myonline.miami.edu/signup/).

2. **COMPILE DOCUMENTS** (https://uonline.miami.edu/admissions/)
   Upload the following required documents in the upload section:
   - Unofficial Transcript: Submit a copy of your transcript from all academic institutions attended.
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   Online Enrollment – Admissions Office
   1320 S. Dixie Hwy, Suite 902
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Coral Gables, FL 33146-2291

Please note: All graduate applicants who have attended a college or university outside the United States must submit official transcripts and diplomas (if available) from all colleges and universities attended to one of the three approved evaluation services.

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**Admission Decision Timeline**
Once you have submitted your application, we will be in touch in the next two days.

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Overview

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On-Campus Programs

The application priority deadline is December 1st.

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**Final Project**
MMI 813 Master's Research Project 3

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- MMI 705 Current Trends in Music Engineering I 3
- ECE, CS, MMI, or Music 6xx/7xx Elective 3
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Credit Hours 9

**Spring**
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- MMI 603 Audio Signal Processing II 3
- ECE, CS, MMI, or Music 6xx/7xx Elective 3
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Credit Hours 9

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- MMI 13 Music Engineering Forum 0
- MMI 813 Master's Research Project 1
- ECE, CS, MMI, or Music 6xx/7xx Elective 3
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Credit Hours 7

**Spring**
- MMI 13 Music Engineering Forum 0
- MMI 813 Master's Research Project 2
- MMI 610 Computational Psychoacoustics (or ECE, CS, MMI, or Music 6xx/7xx Elective) 3

Credit Hours 5

Total Credit Hours 30

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**Mission**
The mission of the Music Engineering Technology program is to:

- Provide the highest quality education in the field of music engineering technology
- Promote advancements in the fidelity and creativity of music recording, production, and reproduction
- Promote advancements in the invention, design, and implementation of audio hardware and software.

**Goals**
The goals of the MS Music Engineering Technology program are to:
• Engage experiential and novel teaching modalities that lead to rapid student acquisition of elite technical skills that qualify them for cutting-edge positions in the audio industry;
• Prepare students for potential placement in PhD programs in Music Technology, Computer Science, Electrical Engineering, Digital Informatics, or Media Engineering;
• Ensure that curricular offerings are current and able to educate students in new and future theory and practice; and
• Place graduates into professional career positions.

Student Learning Outcomes

• Students will demonstrate advanced problem solving skills to find a solution to an engineering research problem.
• Students will demonstrate fundamental understanding of software engineering concepts and applications as applied to music engineering problems.
• Students will demonstrate advanced understanding of electrical and computer engineering concepts and applications to audio analysis and signal processing.

Music Theory - Composition

https://composition.frost.miami.edu/index.html

Degree Programs

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Doctoral Program in Music Theory - Composition

• D.M.A. in Composition (p. 2833)

Masters Programs in Music Theory - Composition

• M.M. in Music Composition (p. 2837)

MTC 601. The Aesthetics of Music. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey of thought and discourse about the nature, roles, values, experiences, and meanings of music. Variety of perspectives, including those of the listener, performer, and composer are addressed. Application to musical interpretation and criticism is included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTC 605. Analysis and History of Electroacoustic and Acousmatic Music. 2 Credit Hours.
Course examines electroacoustic and acousmatic music from both a historical/literature and analytical perspective. Analytical techniques with a focus on an ecological analysis approach will be conducted as well as a survey of electroacoustic, acousmatic, and digital music.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTC 606. Digital Editing and Sequencing. 3 Credit Hours.
Computers as control devices for music synthesis and digital manipulation of pre-recorded sounds. Topics include interfacing sequencing software with software synthesizers, performance techniques, and sound design using samples.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTC 607. Studio Licensing. 2 Credit Hours.
Licensing for access to Digital Arts and Media Writing Studios. Topics covered include digital audio recording and editing, sound synthesis/design, audio signal processing, sound analysis and spatial placement of sound. Course includes studio-use qualifying exams.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MTC 615. Choral Arranging. 3 Credit Hours.
Arranging for choir and vocal groups with and without instrumental accompaniment in all styles.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTC 616. Advanced Orchestration. 3 Credit Hours.
Scoring for the symphonic orchestra with an emphasis on recent techniques.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTC 617. Analysis of Popular Music Since 1950. 3 Credit Hours.
Course examines popular music in the second half of the Twentieth Century from a music analytical perspective. Critical skills needed for this analysis are identified and developed. Analytical techniques for understanding the determination and utilization of musical elements and structures in contemporary popular music are applied. Various contemporary genres and some precursors are examined and particular stylistic determinants of their compositional and performance models are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTC 618. Advanced Counterpoint. 3 Credit Hours.
Three-voice fugal writing in Bach’s style, followed by compositional projects in a variety of twentieth-century contrapuntal style
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTC 621. Multimedia for Musicians. 3 Credit Hours.
Presents an overview and introduction to the creation of multimedia projects for presentation on the Web. Focus is placed on building websites, and the creation of multimedia content for online delivery. Software tools for the manipulation of digital media, including audio and video, are utilized in the realization of course projects.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTC 667. Graduate Composition and Technologies. 2 Credit Hours.
Advanced techniques and applications in electronic and computer music. Topics may include electronic projects in composition, performance, research, programming, or other as approved by instructor
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTC 693. Special Projects in Music Theory and Composition. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member's area of expertise and student's area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTC 694. Special Topics in Music Theory and Composition. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member's expertise and students' areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTC 705. Digital Art and Sound Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Software-based techniques of sound synthesis. Topics will include synthesis using Ircam Tools, Max/Msp, Jitter, Csound, and PureData.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MTC 711. Experiential Musicianship and Theory Pedagogy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course advances two complementary facets: (1) students develop their musicianship skills—here understood as the combination of aural, analytical, performative (ensemble), sight-singing, and keyboard orientation skills—as a means for developing a strong foundation for music making and teaching; and (2) students develop an informed philosophy about pedagogical paradigms, particularly (but not exclusively) in relation to music theory and aural skills, by surveying scholarship on a wide range of topics, including repertoire, assessment, perception and cognition, diversity, improvisation, composition, writing, keyboard orientation, disability, and beyond.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTC 712. Advanced Comprehensive Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Music theory as a research discipline is expanding in every conceivable direction, including a growing involvement with the non-Western canon, conscious inclusion of context and interpretation, and a heightened awareness of methodological advances in other disciplines. Students will become acquainted and engage with influential methodological paradigms of the last fifty years through weekly reading/analysis assignments and seminar discussions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTC 713. Twentieth Century Idioms. 3 Credit Hours.
Relevant modes of perception, influences, and technical devices in 20th-century music.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTC 715. Graduate Composition. 2 Credit Hours.
Creative work in composition requiring a multi-movement work scored for full orchestra, symphonic band, or chorus with orchestra or band.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTC 717. Analytical Techniques. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination and practice of various techniques used in the analysis of music.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTC 719. Introduction to Schenkerian Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
A first course in the theory and analytical practice of Heinrich Schenker. Students will learn the principles and techniques of Schenkerian analysis and will apply them to the study of works in smaller sectional forms.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTC 730. Introduction to Spectralism. 3 Credit Hours.
To give the student a further understanding of the art and techniques of spectral composition, through listening, research, analysis, and composition (optional).
Requisite: Must be in the School of Graduate Music.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTC 748. Electronic Music Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
An in-depth study and performance of electroacoustic music compositions.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTC 767. Advanced Graduate Composition and Technologies. 2 Credit Hours.
Advanced techniques and applications in electronic and computer music. Topics may include electronic projects in composition, performance, research, programming, or other as approved by instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MTC 782. Composition Workshop. 1 Credit Hour.
Variety of composition concepts and problems are dealt with through assignments and projects with special emphasis on practical considerations.
Requisite: MTCP_MM or MTCP_DMA Majors Only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTC 793. Special Projects in Music Theory and Composition. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member’s area of expertise and student’s area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Requisites: Graduate Music Students Only.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

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Requisites: Graduate Music Students Only.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTC 797. Studio Rhythm Section. 1 Credit Hour.
A performing ensemble of student-generated contemporary musical repertoire.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTC 799. Ensemble Ibis for New Music. 1 Credit Hour.
An in-depth study and performance of 20th century music.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTC 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTC 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence and maintain full-time enrollment for the master's degree after the student has completed the required hours of thesis or project credit.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTC 831. Doctoral Essay. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the D.M.A. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but not for less than a total of 12. Not more than 12 hours of MTC 731 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTC 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence and maintain full-time enrollment for the DMA after the student has completed the required hours of doctoral essay credit.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
D.M.A. in Composition

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Curriculum Requirements

On-Campus Programs
The application priority deadline is December 1st.

The supplemental materials deadline is January 1st.

Please click here for special deadlines related to our Arts Presenting, Media Writing, Music Business, and Music Engineering programs

Step 1 - Apply
- Apply online through CollegeNET
- Upload a prescreening (if applicable) through SlideRoom – check the Audition/Portfolio Requirements page for specific information

Step 2 - Submit Supplemental Materials
All supplemental materials must be submitted either via email to fsom.graddocs@miami.edu or via US Mail to PO Box 248165, Coral Gables, FL 33124.

Required for all applicants:
- Transcripts – an official transcript from ALL post-secondary schools attended, regardless of if a degree was granted or not, must be sent directly to the Frost School of Music from the issuing institution in order to be considered official
  - Applicants with international transcripts, please click here for specific instructions about approved evaluation services
  - An official transcript is required for every school attended, even if it was only a single class
  - Current University of Miami students applying to a new degree program must provide an official University of Miami transcript
- Three letters of recommendation - sent through CollegeNet as part of application submission. These do not need to be sent separately
- Resume - attached to the application at the time of submission. This does not need to be sent separately

The following supplemental materials may be required for some applicants:
- GRE Score - Please contact your program faculty for specific GRE information
- TOEFL/IELTS Score - Please click here for more specific TOEFL/IELTS information
- Teaching/Conducting Sample
- Writing Sample
- Prescreening/Audition/Interview
- Portfolio

Not all supplemental materials are required for all degree programs. Please see the Degree Program Requirements for specific requirements.

For information regarding specific program requirements, please see Application & Program Requirements.

Applicants are responsible for tracking the status of their application materials and should do so on CaneLink. Please allow at least two weeks for documents to be processed and marked as complete. If you are unable to access your CaneLink account, please check the CaneLink FAQ.
Step 3 - Audition/Interview/Upload Portfolio

Audition - If your program requires an audition, you will be contacted after the December 1st deadline to schedule a date. All performance programs require a prescreening and invitations to audition will be extended to those applicants approved by faculty review. Check the Audition/Portfolio Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/audition-requirements/) page for specific requirements. Do not make travel plans until you receive a confirmation email from Frost Admissions.

Interview - If your program requires an interview, you will be contacted by department faculty to schedule a date.

Portfolio - If your program requires a portfolio, please upload it through SlideRoom. (https://fsomgrad.slideroom.com/#/Login) Check the Audition/Portfolio Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/audition-requirements/) page for specific requirements.

Music, Media, & Industry Application Deadlines (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/mmi-applicants/)
If you are applying to Music Business & Entertainment Industries, Arts Presenting & Live Entertainment Management, JD/MM, or JD/MA programs, the following deadlines apply:

December 1 - International applicants and priority domestic applicants
April 1 - All JD/MM and JD/MA applicants
June 1 - Final application and supplemental materials deadline for domestic applicants

If you are applying to Music Engineering Technology or Media Writing and Production, the following deadlines apply:

December 1 - International applicants and priority domestic applicants
February 1 - Priority portfolio deadline
April 1 - Final application and portfolio deadline - all applications/supplemental materials/portfolios are due by this date

International Applicants (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/international-applicants/)
• TOEFL/IELTS - Test scores are required for international applicants whose native language is not English and who have not received a degree from an accredited English-speaking institution. Additional information can be found under International Applicants (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/international-applicants/).
• Applicants must submit a copy of their passport before a decision can be made. The name on your passport must match the name with which you apply.

If accepted, you will be contacted by the Office of Admission to submit documentation of financial responsibility.

Documents Required
Submit the following educational documents to an approved international credentialing evaluation service:

a) Official original diplomas and certificates in the original language, and

b) Official original transcripts in the original language (names of courses, grades, and hours of instruction) for every year of study.

Documents in a language other than English must be accompanied by professional, certified English translations. Translations supplement but do not replace, the official documents.

Type of Evaluation Required
The Frost School of Music is requiring international applicants to their programs to complete a course-by-course evaluation with GPA.

Where to Submit Documents for Evaluation

World Education Services (WES) is the second preferred evaluation service for international applicants to the University of Miami. Click here (https://www.wes.org/) for more information, including the Application for Evaluation of Foreign Educational Credentials (https://www.wes.org/#get-started).

Please note that international applicants are not required to use the services of JS&A or WES exclusively, but the University of Miami requires that an international credential evaluation must be done by one of the approved evaluation vendors found on this list (http://naces.org/members.html).

Evaluation Fee
Applicants are responsible for the evaluation fee.

Submission of Evaluation
The evaluation vendor is required to send all official copies of related documents to:

Frost School of Music
Please click here (http://grad.miami.edu/apply/on-campus-graduate-programs/frost-school-of-music-international-applicants/Frost%20School%20of%20Music%20International%20Applicants.html) for additional details

• Applicants who are applying with a current degree in progress will be required to have their final transcripts and diploma evaluated upon arrival at the Frost School. If applicants use Josef Silny for the initial evaluation, the Frost School will cover the evaluation. If applicants choose a different vendor, they will be responsible for the cost of the re-evaluation.

Decisions
Students are recommended for admission to the Frost School of Music by the faculty and admission committees. Final acceptance to the Graduate program is made after all materials requested by the Frost School of Music have been received and evaluated. Scholarships and/or Assistantships are awarded based on faculty recommendation. Admission decisions are sent out starting in late March.

Application Guidelines
• Applications are accepted for the fall term only
• Applications are accepted for only one degree program
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¹ Students take each of the Composition Courses 4 times:
• Students in this degree program take MTC 715 four times, at two credits each for a total of 8 credits.
• Students in this degree program take MTC 782 four times, at one credit each for a total of 4 credits.

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## DMA in MTCP Plan of Study

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### Spring

| MTC 715       | Graduate Composition | 2 |
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| Cognate/Electives | 2        |
| **Credit Hours** | **10**       |
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## Mission

The mission of the Doctor of Musical Arts program in Composition is to provide students with advanced preparation in the field of composition.

## Goals

The goals of the program are:
• To enable students to develop advanced compositional skills beyond the level of the Master of Music degree in Composition;
• To help students consider or choose their compositional directions or options in the 21st century;
• To help students get their music performed or realized; and
• To help students develop a strong profile or identity as a composer.

Student Learning Outcomes
• Students will be able to demonstrate advanced composition knowledge.
• Students will be able to analyze music from pre-Baroque up through 21st century and of six different genre types (orchestra, opera, choral, solo, chamber, and electroacoustic).
• Students will be able to write effectively about their own compositions.

M.M. in Music Composition
The M.M. in Music Composition requires composition lessons and courses in music technology and theory. The thesis project for this degree consists of composing a major work. Teaching Assistantships are available but highly competitive.

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• 3 letters for recommendation
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• GRE Score (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/gre-information/)
  • GRE (https://www.ets.org/gre/) scores are only valid for a period of five years. The Frost School of Music Graduate program requires a minimum 295 combined Verbal and Quantitative score and minimum 4.0 on the Analytical Writing. The GRE codes for UM are as follows: Institution Code R5815, Department Code 2404
• TOEFL/IELTS Score (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/international-applicants/)
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This is a suggested Plan of Study. Your actual course sequence may vary depending on your previous academic experience as well as current course offerings. Students should meet with their academic advisor each semester to determine the appropriate course selection.

### Mission

The mission of the Master of Music in Composition is:

- To provide the highest quality and most educational and creative environment for work relating to the creation and understanding of music;
- To foster advancement in composition;
- To provide students with advanced work in the field of composition and thus enabling a career in professional or scholarly pursuit of music;
- To substantially contribute to the Frost School of Music’s role as a regional, national, and international nexus for the creation and understanding of music.
Goals
The objectives of the program are:

- To provide training for students to develop advanced compositional skills;
- To prepare students to meet the needs and challenges of the musician in the 21st century;
- To provide students with the skills, knowledge, and experience to complete independent and original work in the field;
- To give students an advanced knowledge of music as performers, composers, or listeners, enlarging and enhancing their musical interests and abilities.

Student Learning Outcomes
- Students will be able to compose musical works of artistic merit.
- Students will present a well-organized recital of their compositions.

Musicology
https://musicology.frost.miami.edu/

Degree Programs
Graduate students seeking the M.M. in Musicology at the Frost School of Music enjoy a balanced curriculum of study in music literature, analysis, performance, and research methods (https://musicology.frost.miami.edu/).

Our stellar faculty and extensive library resources help students fulfill their musical and academic goals while preparing for advanced study. Musicology majors interact and collaborate with others in a variety of musical disciplines, gaining insight into the role their own specialization plays in a thriving musical environment. For more information, please visit the website for the department of Musicology (https://musicology.frost.miami.edu/).

Masters Program in Musicology
- M.M. in Musicology (p. 2843)

MCY 620. History and Literature of the Wind Band. 3 Credit Hours.
An historical survey of wind band literature, the evolution of the military band, the wind band, and the wind orchestra.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MCY 621. Symphonic Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of orchestral music from the end of the seventeenth century to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MCY 622. Operatic Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
The history and literature of opera from the end of the sixteenth century to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MCY 624. Classical Music of the Twentieth and Twenty-First Centuries. 3 Credit Hours.
Music of the 20th and 21st centuries in the Western Art Music tradition, with emphasis on developments since 1945 in Europe and the Americas focusing on modernist, avant-garde, and postmodernist.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MCY 625. Art Song Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of the solo vocal literature from the 16th century to the present, with particular emphasis on the 19th-century French and German repertoire.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MCY 626. Keyboard Literature I. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of keyboard literature from its beginning to approximately 1750 emphasizing changes in styles of writing and expression, development of
techniques suited to the primary instruments in use (including the early organ, clavichord, harpsichord and forte-piano), ornamentation both specified
and improvised, forms, and ideas for interpretation based on historical sources.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MCY 627. Keyboard Literature II. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of solo keyboard literature from approximately 1750 to the present emphasizing changes in styles of writing and expression, development
of technique suited to the primary instruments in use (including the clavichord, harpsichord, forte-piano and modern piano), embellishment both
specified and improvised, forms, and ideas for interpretation based on historical sources (including facsimiles, printed scores, written records and
sound recordings, particularly those by the composers themselves).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MCY 629. Music of the Baroque Period. 3 Credit Hours.
Literature and history of music from the end of the sixteenth to the middle of the eighteenth centuries.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MCY 630. Music of the Classical Period. 3 Credit Hours.
The musical styles which developed between the mid-eighteenth century and the nineteenth century.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MCY 632. History of Chamber Music. 3 Credit Hours.
Styles and forms in chamber music literature from the seventeenth century to the present.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MCY 633. Music of the Romantic Period. 3 Credit Hours.
The musical styles which developed during the nineteenth century.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MCY 635. Choral Literature I. 2 Credit Hours.
Choral music of the sixteenth through the eighteenth centuries. A combination of lecture-discussion and class performance.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MCY 636. Choral Literature II. 2 Credit Hours.
Choral music of the nineteenth and twentieth centuries. A combination of lecture-discussion and class performance.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MCY 637. Music in the United States. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of music in the United States from the 19th century through the 20th century. The course explores some of the diverse ways that peoples
from differing backgrounds have created and used music to express notions of themselves, their cultures, and this country.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MCY 638. Music, Gender, and Sexuality. 3 Credit Hours.
An exploration of music from around the world from the perspective of women. We will examine the roles women have played, and still play, as creators and performers in art music and popular music traditions. Representations of women and gender ideologies will also be discussed.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MCY 640. Music and Religion. 3 Credit Hours.
Music and Religion are fundamental aspects of human existence, evidence of which goes back some 30,000 years. This seminar course will explore musical and religious experiences in human history and the use of music within major religious traditions. It will include specific study of some of the major monuments of sacred music of the western classical tradition.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MCY 653. Miami’s Musical Heritage. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the musical traditions and practices of the various cultures that are part of Miami’s unique multi-ethnic society

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

MCY 654. Music Cultures of the World. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of music culture of the region including the music of folk societies, popular artists, and classical musicians. Open to non-majors.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MCY 662. Music of Argentina and Brazil. 3 Credit Hours.
An in-depth study of Argentine and Brazilian musical cultures covering folk, popular, and classical traditions. Open to non-majors.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MCY 664. Seminar in Latin American Music Collections. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines Latin American music materials at the Cuban Heritage Collection and Special Collections at the Richter Library. Focuses on interpreting original documents and acquiring archival techniques.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MCY 683. History of the American Musical Theatre. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the development of musical theatre from its European opera and operetta background to an indigenous American art form. The areas to be explored include the rise and fall of various genre of musical shows, integration of story, song and dance, important producers, directors, lyricists, composers, and new fields such as director-choreographer. The development of an American cultural consciousness and political and socio-economic trends of various decades that greatly influenced the content and form of musical shows is also examined.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MCY 693. Special Projects in Musicology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member’s area of expertise and student’s area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.

Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MCY 694. Special Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member’s expertise and students’ areas of interest.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MCY 702. Interpreting Music History and Culture: An Introduction to Musicology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course functions as an introduction to the study of musicology and ethnomusicology at an advanced level. Students will become acquainted with research methodologies as well as major debates in the field from the last thirty years. The goal is for students to leave the course with the ability to conduct independent research in musicology and ethnomusicology.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MCY 711. Musicology Pedagogy. 3 Credit Hours.
Musicology Pedagogy. The course explores various philosophies of and approaches to teaching music history and literature.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MCY 716. Graduate Musicology Forum. 0 Credit Hours.
Graduate Musicology Forum: A weekly gathering of faculty and students featuring lectures and discussion on current topics in musicology and ethnomusicology.
Components: FOR.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MCY 720. Jazz Cultures: History and Historiography. 3 Credit Hours.
This course surveys a range of the sounds and practices that have been called jazz over the past century and explores some of the ways in which musicians, educators, scholars, journalists, audiences, and others have understood and shaped this genre.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MCY 728. Music Bibliography. 3 Credit Hours.
The course introduces students to a range of research materials dealing with music history and literature. In addition, students will gain the necessary skills to engage successfully in academic research, with a focus on source citation, formatting, and argumentative writing.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MCY 793. Special Projects in Musicology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
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Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MCY 794. Special Topics in Musicology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member’s expertise and students’ areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MCY 810. Master’s Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master’s thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MCY 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence and maintain full-time enrollment for the master’s degree after the student has completed the required hours of thesis credit.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
Students seeking the M.M. in Musicology at the Frost School of Music enjoy a balanced curriculum of study in music literature and analysis, critical theory, and research methods, along with opportunities to develop skills in music performance, composition, and pedagogy.

### Curriculum Requirements

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**Other Studies in Music (Complete both options below)**

- Non-MCY Music Elective
- MTC Elective

**Electives**

- Non-MCY Elective, In or Beyond Music

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Musicology students are expected to demonstrate proficiency in a language other than English, normally German, French, or Spanish. Proficiency examinations will be administered by the Department of Modern Languages and will consist of 1-2 passages from representative scholarly readings. Alternatively, enrolling in ITA 625, FRE 625, or an equivalent course at the graduate level may fulfill the requirement. This requirement should be completed by the beginning of the second year to facilitate research on the master's thesis.

### Year One

**Fall**

- MCY 728   Music Bibliography  3
- MCY 702   Interpreting Music History and Culture: An Introduction to Musicology  3
- MTC 6XX/7XX Music Theory Elective  3

**Credit Hours**

**Spring**

- MCY 6XX/7XX Musicology Elective  3
- MCY 6XX/7XX Musicology Elective  3
- Non MCY Music Elective  3

**Language Proficiency**

**Credit Hours**

**Total Credit Hours** 9

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### Year Two

**Fall**

- MCY 6XX/7XX Musicology Elective  3
- Non MCY Elective, In or Beyond Music  3
- MCY 810   Master’s Thesis  3

**Credit Hours**

**Spring**

- MCY 810   Master’s Thesis  3

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**Mission**

Faculty and students of the Department of Musicology (MCY) in the Frost School of Music at the University of Miami advance the interdisciplinary study of music by examining how, when, where, and why people create, experience, and understand music. Coursework in the program is designed to enable students to acquire in-depth knowledge of musicology and to develop students’ abilities to write and talk effectively about relevant issues within musicology and related disciplines.

**Goals**

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Students will acquire, demonstrate, and apply in-depth knowledge of musicology and related fields.
- Students will demonstrate discipline-specific writing skills commensurate with professional norms.
- Students will demonstrate discipline-specific oral-communication skills commensurate with professional norms.

**Studio Music and Jazz**

https://jazz.frost.miami.edu/

**Degree Programs**

The mission of the Studio Music and Jazz Instrumental Degree Programs (https://jazz.frost.miami.edu/) is to: (1) prepare jazz instrumentalists to enter the music profession or further jazz studies; (2) identify, recruit, and retain high quality students who seek to pursue studio/jazz performance as a career; (3) foster faculty creativity and performance which serves as a role model for students; (4) develop, and revise courses in jazz improvisation, jazz arranging/composition and provide on and off campus performance opportunities; (5) produce in our on campus facility, recordings for the Down Beat Student Music Awards, compact discs, radio and Internet broadcast; and (6) provide a platform of learning that includes performance, composition/arranging, technology, conducting, scholarship and production. For more information, please visit the website for the department of Studio Music and Jazz (https://jazz.frost.miami.edu/).

**Doctoral Programs in Studio Music and Jazz**

- D.M.A. in Jazz Composition (p. 2855)
- D.M.A. in Jazz Performance (p. 2860)

**Masters Programs in Studio Music and Jazz**

- M.M. in Jazz Performance, Instrumental (p. 2869)
- M.M. in Jazz Performance, Vocal (p. 2873)
- M.M. in Jazz Pedagogy (p. 2865)
- M.M. in Studio Jazz Writing (p. 2878)

**MSJ 609. Jazz Composition I. 2 Credit Hours.**

Study of advanced composition techniques as applied to the Jazz idiom, making extensive use of analysis of established compositions and compositional methods. Both the individual and interactive characteristics of melody, harmony, rhythm, and form will be stressed.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall.

**MSJ 610. Jazz Composition II. 2 Credit Hours.**

This course is a continuation of MSJ 500 with an emphasis on melody writing, reharmonization techniques, pentatonic/blues composition, and an introduction to advanced harmonic materials.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Spring.

**MSJ 616. Jazz Vocal Arranging. 2 Credit Hours.**

Analysis and techniques of jazz vocal writing.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Spring.
MSJ 619. Advanced Modern Arranging I. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced arranging and composition for the Jazz and studio ensemble.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 620. Advanced Modern Arranging II. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced arranging and composition for the Jazz and studio ensemble.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 621. Advanced Modern Arranging III. 3 Credit Hours.
Course addresses scoring for large jazz ensemble, utilizing chord scale voicings and line writing techniques. Emphasis is placed on orchestration styles such as Duke Ellington, Gil Evans, and Thad Jones.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 622. Introduction to Midi Sequencing and Digital Workstations. 2 Credit Hours.
An introduction to Midi Sequencing with hands-on experience working with a computer sequencing workstation. Topics include sequencing, quantizing, editing, mixing, and effects processing.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 644. Jazz Pedagogy and Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
The philosophy, methods, and materials of instruction pertinent to the teaching and management of a jazz and commercial curriculum at the high school and college level. Includes preparation of model curricula and supervised instruction.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 665. Advanced Improvisation I. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of advanced Jazz improvisation performance and practice techniques. Utilization of non-traditional harmonic motion, advanced chord scale relationships, and motivic development will be stressed, with the goal of musicality in improvisation. Enrollment open to seniors or graduate MSJ majors (or permission of instructor).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 666. Advanced Improvisation II. 3 Credit Hours.
Refinement of improvisation concepts leading towards the establishment of a personal style of playing. Open only to senior or graduate majors in Studio Music and Jazz.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 693. Special Projects in Studio Music and Jazz. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member’s area of expertise and student’s area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 694. Special Topics in Studio Music and Jazz. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member’s expertise and students’ areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MSJ 703. Jazz Piano Class I. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in the various styles of contemporary jazz. Graduate students will acquire improvisational skills while learning repertoire and performance techniques, and strengthen compositional and arranging skills by contributing original compositions and arrangements to the ensemble's repertoire.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 704. Jazz Piano Class II. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in the various styles of contemporary jazz. Graduate students will acquire improvisational skills while learning repertoire and performance techniques, and strengthen compositional and arranging skills by contributing original compositions and arrangements to the ensemble's repertoire.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 712. Preliminary Masters Recital. 1 Credit Hour.
The Preliminary Recital gives the master's student an opportunity to gain experience in planning and executing a concert program before the required Master's Recital, as well as provides a venue to present additional performance repertoire in a structured concert setting.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 714. Advanced Orchestration. 3 Credit Hours.
Techniques for scoring for the modern symphony orchestra.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 715. Jazz Composition Seminar I. 3 Credit Hours.
Creative work in Jazz Composition.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 716. Jazz Composition Seminar II. 3 Credit Hours.
Develop an understanding and control of compositional concepts and techniques required to work within a professional environment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 717. Advanced Jazz Vocal Arranging. 2 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to help advanced instrumental arrangers explore vocal arranging.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 719. Large Jazz Ensemble Conducting and Repertoire. 2 Credit Hours.
This course will expose students to the methods, procedures, and practices involved in directing large jazz ensembles. Score study, conducting, and performance programming will be covered. Emphasis will be placed on the selection of level appropriate repertoire. Additional topics include working with guest artists, ensemble finances, and the audition process.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 720. Analysis of Jazz Styles. 3 Credit Hours.
A comparative study of Jazz styles from 1900 to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ 724. Seminar in Jazz Pedagogy. 1 Credit Hour.
This course provides a laboratory for students to gain experience in the areas of jazz education discussed in MSJ 644 Jazz Pedagogy and Administration. These areas include jazz history, jazz improvisation, small ensemble coaching, and big band conducting. Students will lecture in the subjects of improvisation and history, and conduct ensembles in both a small combo and a big band setting. Communication skills, repertoire selection, rehearsal techniques, conducting skills, concert preparation, and performance will be assessed. All student teaching experiences will be video recorded and added to the students' Final Project portfolio.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 730. Applied Jazz Instruction Jazz I. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Advanced private study in the jazz idiom. Topics may include repertoire, improvisation, theory/harmony, and/or composition, at the discretion of the instructor. Student must have completed five semesters on the principal instrument. Permission of both course instructor and principal instrument teacher/advisor required.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MSJ 731. Applied Jazz Instruction II. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Advanced private study in the jazz idiom. Topics may include repertoire, improvisation, theory/harmony, and/or composition, at the discretion of the instructor. Student must have completed five semesters on the principal instrument. Permission of both course instructor and principal instrument teacher/advisor required
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 734. E.C.M. Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
This ensemble performs music typical of the contemporary European jazz styles such as those characterized by the Edition of Contemporary Music (E.C.M.) Recording Company.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 736. Small Jazz Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in the various styles of contemporary jazz. Students will acquire improvisational skills while learning repertoire and performance techniques leading to an advanced performance level. This course will strengthen compositional and arranging skills as students must contribute original compositions and arrangements to the ensemble's repertoire.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 737. Small Jazz Ensemble I. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in the various styles of contemporary jazz. Students will acquire improvisational skills while learning repertoire and performance techniques leading to an advanced performance level. This course will strengthen compositional and arranging skills as students must contribute original compositions and arrangements to the ensemble's repertoire.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 739. Small Jazz Vocal Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
Small groups of vocalists with a rhythm section, dedicated to a particular style and body of literature.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 742. Jazz Percussion Techniques. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is designed to increase the rhythmic awareness of students thorough mastering basic drumset and hand percussion skills and to demonstrate how these skills can be taught in a public school or college setting for non percussion majors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ 743. Small Jazz Ensemble III. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in the various styles of contemporary jazz. Students will acquire improvisational skills while learning repertoire and performance techniques leading to an advanced performance level. This course will strengthen compositional and arranging skills as students must contribute original compositions and arrangements to the ensemble's repertoire.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 744. Small Jazz Ensemble IV. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in the various styles of contemporary jazz. Students will acquire improvisational skills while learning repertoire and performance techniques leading to an advanced performance level. This course will strengthen compositional and arranging skills as students must contribute original compositions and arrangements to the ensemble's repertoire.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 745. Small Jazz Ensemble V. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in the various styles of contemporary jazz. Students will acquire improvisational skills while learning repertoire and performance techniques leading to an advanced performance level. This course will strengthen compositional and arranging skills as students must contribute original compositions and arrangements to the ensemble's repertoire.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 746. Small Jazz Ensemble VI. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in the various styles of contemporary jazz. Students will acquire improvisational skills while learning repertoire and performance techniques leading to an advanced performance level. This course will strengthen compositional and arranging skills as students must contribute original compositions and arrangements to the ensemble's repertoire.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 747. Small Jazz Ensemble VII. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in the various styles of contemporary jazz. Students will acquire improvisational skills while learning repertoire and performance techniques leading to an advanced performance level. This course will strengthen compositional and arranging skills as students must contribute original compositions and arrangements to the ensemble's repertoire.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 750. Studio Jazz Band. 1 Credit Hour.
This ensemble performs music in the recent big band tradition, from leaders such as Duke Ellington, Count Basie, Buddy Rich, Bob Brookmeyer, and Thad Jones. The group performs on campus with an emphasis on studio recording.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 751. Concert Jazz Band. 1 Credit Hour.
The Concert Jazz Band is the premiere big band at the Frost School of Music. Students are required to perform at an advanced level, and work with a variety of guest artists. Requirements include the ability to sight read difficult material, and to improvise in various styles. Audition is required.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 753. Jazz Band III. 1 Credit Hour.
Big Band designed for graduate students needing experience with classic Big Band repertory.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 755. Monk/Mingus Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
This ensemble is dedicated to the study and performance of the music of the influential jazz composers Charles Mingus and Thelonius Monk.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MSJ 756. Funk/Fusion Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
Small jazz ensemble focusing on contemporary electric jazz/rock/fusion/Latin styles. Emphasis is placed on original compositions by the members of the ensemble. The most common instrumentation is bass, drums, piano/synthesizer, guitar, and saxophone.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 757. Horace Silver Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
This ensemble is dedicated to the study and performance of the music of Horace Silver.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 758. Frost Sextet. 1 Credit Hour.
An advanced ensemble dedicated to the performance of original and standard repertoire in the jazz idiom
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 759. Rhythm and Blues Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
Mid-level ensemble for both instrumentalists and vocalists designed to familiarize students with classic Rhythm and Blues material from the 50s, 60s, and 70s, while preparing for a series of concerts throughout the semester. Students are guided through the process of putting a working band together and preparing it for performances and recordings, including what is expected of and from instruments, vocalists, producers, promoters, and other industry personnel.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 760. Avant Garde Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
This ensemble offers students the opportunity to develop the "free form" improvisation in either the bebop based style of Ornette Coleman or the fusion oriented style as typified by Bill Laswell.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 762. Jazz Saxophone Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
A reading ensemble comprised of four or five saxophones. Literature may include saxophone quartet and/or saxophone quintet with rhythm section. The ensemble focuses in on fundamental principles of sight-reading, blend, intonation, phrasing, articulation, rhythmic accuracy, as well as overall interpretation.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 764. Contemporary Rhythm Section Techniques I. 1 Credit Hour.
This is an ensemble for freshmen rhythm section players. The focus of this ensemble is to introduce students to various styles of rhythm section playing-- from swing and modern Jazz through Rock, Funk, R&B, and other commercial styles of music. Concepts of sound, groove, balance and blend, repertory, and accompaniment are also discussed.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 765. Contemporary Rhythm Section Techniques II. 1 Credit Hour.
Fundamentals of rhythm section playing for guitarists, pianists, bassists, and drummers. It covers a variety of contemporary styles within the rock, jazz, Lat in, and pop idioms. Students are grouped into ensembles which perform in class weekly.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 766. Small Jazz Ensemble Lab. 0 Credit Hours.
Performance Lab designed to work in conjunction with all of the 140 level ensembles. Provides environment in which students are required to perform on a regular rotating schedule throughout the semester. These performances are critiqued by the institution and other faculty, as well as students, in order to nurture a critical but positive atmosphere.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ 767. Salsa Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
An ensemble of instrumentalists and singers performing a wide variety of Salsa and Latin jazz styles with emphasis on improvisation.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 769. Jazz Guitar Ensemble I. 1 Credit Hour.
A small instrumental ensemble comprised of five electric guitars which perform with bass and drums in a wide variety of contemporary jazz styles.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 770. Jazz Guitar Ensemble II. 1 Credit Hour.
A small instrumental ensemble comprised of five electric guitars which perform with bass and drums in a wide variety of contemporary jazz styles.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 771. Jazz Guitar Ensemble III. 1 Credit Hour.
A small instrumental ensemble comprised of five electric guitars which perform with bass and drums in a wide variety of contemporary jazz styles.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 772. Jazz Guitar Ensemble (Workshop I). 1 Credit Hour.
A small instrumental reading ensemble, comprised of four to eight electric guitars, which studies a variety of contemporary jazz styles.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 773. Jazz Guitar Ensemble (Workshop II). 1 Credit Hour.
A small instrumental reading ensemble, comprised of four to eight electric guitars, which studies a variety of contemporary jazz styles.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSJ 775. Jazz Writing Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
This class is a seminar in jazz arranging and composition techniques for Studio/Jazz Writing master’s students and DMA students in Jazz Composition. The class consists primarily of topics related to jazz and studio arranging and composition, recording techniques, rehearsal techniques, music technologies, music business, and entrepreneurship. Topics are examined utilizing hands-on technology, score analysis, listening, guest lectures, and long range projects.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSJ 780. Advanced Jazz Improvisation Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of fundamentals and introduction of advanced topics in jazz harmony and scale resources for improvisation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 793. Special Projects in Studio Music and Jazz. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member’s area of expertise and student’s area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MSJ 794. Special Topics in Studio Music and Jazz. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member’s expertise and students’ areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MSJ 795. Jazz Vocal Ensemble I. 1 Credit Hour.
A choir of 12 to 16 voices, with rhythm section, which perform a wide variety of jazz and pop styles.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 796. Jazz Vocal Ensemble II. 1 Credit Hour.
A choir of 12 to 16 voices, with rhythm section, which perform a wide variety of jazz and pop styles.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 797. Jazz Vocal Ensemble III. 1 Credit Hour.
A choir of 12 to 16 voices, with rhythm section, which perform a wide variety of jazz and pop styles.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 805. Master's Jazz Pedagogy Project. 1 Credit Hour.
This project consists of a portfolio that students create during their four semesters in the program. Many employers require video of candidates in multiple teaching environments. Students will be videotaped during teaching demonstrations. All videos, plus several required documents the student will create, are archived in the portfolio, to be assessed in the fourth and final semester. The majority of these videos will be produced in MSJ 724 Jazz Pedagogy Seminar.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 811. Master's Recital Paper. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her recital paper enrolls for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the paper has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MSJ 812. Master's Recital. 1 Credit Hour.
A masters recital lasting at least 60 minutes that may include some chamber works but consists primarily of solo pieces. Students are required to write Program Notes.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 813. Master's Jazz Writing Project. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's jazz writing project enrolls for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the project paper is accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MSJ 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence and maintain full-time enrollment for the master's degree after the student has completed the required hours of thesis or project credit.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MSJ 831. Doctoral Essay. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates of the D.M.A. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but not for less than a total of 12. Not more than 12 hours of MSJ 731 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MSJ 832. Doctoral Recital. 1 Credit Hour.
A formal recital displaying improvisational, interactive, and compositional skills appropriate to the doctoral level.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence and maintain full-time enrollment for the DMA after the student has completed the required hours of doctoral essay credit.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MSJ JA7. Applied Jazz Arranging. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Applied Jazz Arranging level M is the first level of DMA private jazz arranging lessons. At this level the instructor evaluates the writer’s breadth of knowledge of arranging and orchestration techniques and expands on the key arrangers of various styles, genres and mediums.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

Jazz Bass at the Master’s level. The student will pursue a course of study that is directed toward their musical goals. This course will examine, through transcription and analysis, the important figures in the history of jazz bass, and also those performances in which the student is interested.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JB7. Jazz Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Jazz Bass at the Doctoral level. The student will pursue a course of study that is directed towards their musical goals. This course will also examine, through transcription and analysis, the important figures in the history of jazz bass, and also those performances in which the student is interested.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JBX. Secondary Jazz Bass - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JC6. Applied Jazz Composition. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Applied Jazz Composition level I is the first level of private jazz composition lessons in the Studio Jazz Writing Masters program. At this level the instructor evaluates the writer’s general knowledge of jazz composition with emphasis on harmonic vocabulary and form.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JC7. Applied Jazz Composition. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Applied Jazz Composition level M is the first level of DMA private jazz composition lessons. At this level the instructor evaluates the writer’s knowledge of early jazz composers (1920-1940) with emphasis on harmonic vocabulary and form.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JD6. Jazz Drumset. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Private lessons which focus on the development of drumset skills. The course will cover sticking technique, hand/foot patterns, groove, balance, and rhythm section interaction. Students are required to perform and improvise at a professional level.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

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Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ JDX. Secondary Jazz Drumset - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JG6. Jazz Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Graduate Studies in Jazz Guitar are designed to take into account each student’s talent, previous accomplishments and particular interests. After a careful assessment of the student’s strengths and weaknesses, a course of study will be custom-designed, with possible areas of study drawn from (but not limited to) the following list: advanced jazz concepts in melody, harmony and rhythm, sight-reading, repertoire expansion, transposition, technique, composition, and pedagogy.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JG7. Jazz Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Graduate Studies in Jazz Guitar are designed to take into account each student’s talent, previous accomplishments and particular interests. It is expected that a graduate student at the DMA level would be, to a large extent, self-directing and capable of original research. After a careful assessment of the student’s strengths and weaknesses, a course of study will be custom-designed, with possible areas of study drawn from (but not limited to) the following list: advanced jazz concepts in melody, harmony and rhythm, sight-reading, repertoire expansion, transposition, technique, composition, and pedagogy. Assistance with recital preparation will be given as appropriate and necessary. The prerequisite for the first level (JGM) is a Master’s Degree and the successful completion of the audition for the DMA program.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

Students are encouraged to seek refinement in the areas of harmony, chord voicings, improvisation vocabulary, rhythmic concepts, and technique. A nuanced approach to performing in a musical and expressive manner, with special regard to phrasing, dynamic contrast, articulation, and part balance will be stressed. Advanced techniques in reharmonization, rhythmic phrasing, and solo piano will be explored. Atypical song forms and contemporary repertoire will be introduced. Developing an individual approach to improvising and composing will be encouraged. Recital preparation will focus on programming and other important aspects of concert planning.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JP7. Jazz Piano. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Emphasis placed on developing an individual identity as an artist. Creation of a distinct concept for an ensemble and/or solo piano approach through original composition and/or arranging will be stressed. Career advancement as a performer and/or educator will be explored.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JPX. Secondary Jazz Piano - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ JS6. Jazz Saxophone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
The graduate student will be encouraged to seek further refinement in all areas, including tone, intonation, technique, stylistic interpretation, improvisation, as well as be thoroughly versed in the pedagogy of the instrument. Specific jazz improvisation topics may include advanced forms, non-traditional harmony, traditional harmony in twelve keys, advanced rhythmic meters and subdivisions, balancing melodic/harmonic/rhythmic elements, approaches to non-structured "free" forms, and expansion of the repertoire. Related areas may also be addressed within the private lesson format, such as composition, doubling, and keyboard skills.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

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The graduate student will be encouraged to seek further refinement in all areas, including tone, intonation, technique, stylistic interpretation, improvisation, as well as be thoroughly versed in the pedagogy of the instrument. Specific jazz improvisation topics may include advanced forms, non-traditional harmony, traditional harmony in twelve keys, advanced rhythmic meters and subdivisions, balancing melodic/harmonic/rhythmic elements, approaches to non-structured "free" forms, and expansion of the repertoire. Related areas may also be addressed within the private lesson format, such as composition, doubling, and keyboard skills.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JSX. Secondary Jazz Saxophone - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. One-hour lessons are given for students enrolled for 2 credits; half-hour lessons are given for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ TB6. Jazz Trombone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Private lessons focus on various facets of jazz trombone performance. These include jazz and classical instrumental studies focusing on proper warm up and advanced articulation exercises. Jazz styles are researched through listening to and transcription of established jazz instrumentalists. Advanced jazz theory and jazz piano are also included. The student is required to perform and improvise at a professional level.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

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Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ TP6. Jazz Trumpet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Private lessons focus on various facets of jazz trumpet performance. These include jazz and classical instrumental studies focusing on proper warm up and advanced articulation exercises. Jazz styles are researched through listening to and transcription of established jazz instrumentalists. Advanced jazz theory and jazz piano are also included. The student is required to perform and improvise at a professional level.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ TP7. Jazz Trumpet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Private lessons focus on various facets of jazz trumpet performance. These include jazz and classical instrumental studies focusing on proper warm up and advanced articulation exercises. Jazz styles are researched through listening to and transcription of established jazz instrumentalists. Advanced jazz theory and jazz piano are also included. The student is required to perform and improvise at a professional level.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ TPX. Secondary Jazz Trumpet - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ VBX. Secondary Jazz Vibraphone - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ VO6. Jazz Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Private studio vocal study at the master of music graduate level devoted to the continued development of skills and repertoire with particular attention to discovering and nurturing the individual student’s artistic direction.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ VO7. Jazz Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Private studio vocal coaching at the doctoral level devoted to refining all skills, technique, and repertoire for professional performance and pedagogy.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

D.M.A. in Jazz Composition

Overview
The mission of the three year Doctor of Musical Arts in Jazz Composition is to provide students with opportunities for advanced study in jazz and studio arranging, composition and orchestration. The overriding goal is to help students find their individual voice as composer/arrangers by the continued development of high-level skills that will enable him or her to pursue a career as a professional arranger/composer. Students encounter a creative, challenging and nurturing educational experience designed to meet their individual needs and desires with a respect to tradition and a reflection of current professional trends.

The DMA in Jazz Composition is a very flexible program with an abundance of curricular choices. Along with course work typical of DMA programs including music bibliography, psychology of music and pedagogy and administration, students are able to choose from a wide range of composition, arranging and orchestration courses in both the jazz and classical departments depending on needs and interests. In addition, DMA Jazz Composition students have access to the jazz departments 24 channel Pro Tools HD2 recording facility and 8 channel Pro Tools studio/mixing lab.

DMA jazz composition students projects are recorded by award winning ensembles including the Frost School of Music: Concert Jazz Band, HMI Studio Orchestra, Studio Jazz Band, Jazz Vocal 1 and Frost Symphony Orchestra.
Alumni from this program are working throughout the music industry as: film and game composers, feature film orchestrators, trailer and library music composers, concert music composers, music producers, music directors, studio session players and educators (public school, colleges and universities).

**Admission Requirements**

**On-Campus Programs**

The application priority deadline is December 1st.

The supplemental materials deadline is January 1st.

Please click here (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/mmi-applicants/) for special deadlines related to our Arts Presenting, Media Writing, Music Business, and Music Engineering programs.

**Step 1 - Apply**

- Apply online through CollegeNET (https://www.applyweb.com/miamigrd/)
- Upload a prescreening (if applicable) through SlideRoom (https://fsomgrad.slideroom.com/#/Login) – check the Audition/Portfolio Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/audition-requirements/) page for specific information.

**Step 2 - Submit Supplemental Materials**

All supplemental materials must be submitted either via email to fsom.graddocs@miami.edu or via US Mail to PO Box 248165, Coral Gables, FL 33124.

Required for all applicants:

- Transcripts – an official transcript from ALL post-secondary schools attended, regardless of if a degree was granted or not, must be sent directly to the Frost School of Music from the issuing institution in order to be considered official.
- Applicants with international transcripts, please click here (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/international-applicants/) for specific instructions about approved evaluation services.
- An official transcript is required for every school attended, even if it was only a single class.
- Current University of Miami students applying to a new degree program must provide an official University of Miami transcript.
- Three letters of recommendation - sent through CollegeNet as part of application submission. These do not need to be sent separately.
- Resume - attached to the application at the time of submission. This does not need to be sent separately.

The following supplemental materials may be required for some applicants:

- GRE Score - Please contact your program faculty (https://www.frost.miami.edu/faculty/by-program/) for specific GRE information.
- TOEFL/IELTS Score (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/international-applicants/) - Please click here for more specific TOEFL/IELTS information.
- Teaching/Conducting Sample
- Writing Sample
- Prescreening/Audition/Interview
- Portfolio

Not all supplemental materials are required for all degree programs. Please see the Degree Program Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/_assets/pdf/graduate/grad-admission-reqs-080819.pdf) for specific requirements.

For information regarding specific program requirements, please see Application & Program Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/application-program-requirements/).

Applicants are responsible for tracking the status of their application materials and should do so on CaneLink (https://m.canelink.miami.edu/). Please allow at least two weeks for documents to be processed and marked as complete. If you are unable to access your CaneLink account, please check the CaneLink FAQ (https://canelink.it.miami.edu/faq/).

**Step 3 - Audition/Interview/Upload Portfolio**

Audition - If your program requires an audition, you will be contacted after the December 1st deadline to schedule a date. All performance programs require a prescreening and invitations to audition will be extended to those applicants approved by faculty review. Check the Audition/Portfolio Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/audition-requirements/) page for specific requirements. Do not make travel plans until you receive a confirmation email from Frost Admissions.

Interview - If your program requires an interview, you will be contacted by department faculty to schedule a date.
Portfolio - If your program requires a portfolio, please upload it through SlideRoom. (https://fsomgrad.slideroom.com/#/Login) Check the Audition/Portfolio Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/audition-requirements/) page for specific requirements.

**Music, Media, & Industry Application Deadlines (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/wwi-applicants/)**
If you are applying to Music Business & Entertainment Industries, Arts Presenting & Live Entertainment Management, JD/MM, or JD/MA programs, the following deadlines apply:

- December 1 - International applicants and priority domestic applicants
- April 1 - All JD/MM and JD/MA applicants
- June 1 - Final application and supplemental materials deadline for domestic applicants

If you are applying to Music Engineering Technology or Media Writing and Production, the following deadlines apply:

- December 1 - International applicants and priority domestic applicants
- February 1 - Priority portfolio deadline
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**Mission**

The mission of the Doctor of Musical Arts program in Jazz Composition is to facilitate advanced composers/arrangers in developing their unique voice in jazz composition and to guide them in their continuing music career. With an emphasis on compositional originality, the Jazz Composition Program intends to provide students with opportunities for advanced study in jazz composition and orchestration to develop the jazz composition skills beyond that developed in their undergraduate and master’s programs.

**Goals**

The program objectives are to:

- Identify, recruit, and retain high quality students who are seeking to develop their jazz and studio writing skills beyond that developed in their undergraduate and master’s programs;
- Evaluate, revise, and develop curricular offerings to continue to meet the challenges facing professional musicians today;
- Maintain, present, and develop performance and outreach programs that will enable the jazz department to serve as a cultural resource in South Florida;
• Provide a creative, challenging, and nurturing educational experience that respects jazz tradition, reflects current professional trends, fosters innovation, and stimulates growth among students and faculty alike.

Student Learning Outcomes

• Students will excel in a tool set of skills that include most of the following:
  • Compose and arrange for large jazz ensemble, orchestrate for Symphonic Orchestra,
  • Arrange for vocal choirs,
  • Arrange for solo vocalist with small or large jazz ensemble,
  • Compose in a variety of styles of music,
  • Record and mix with Pro Tools software,
  • Edit video with Final Cut Pro software,
  • Become fluent in either Sibelius or Finale notation software.
• Students will also solidify their unique voice as a jazz composer.

D.M.A. in Jazz Performance Instrumental/Vocal

Overview

At the University of Miami Frost School of Music, a Doctor of Musical Arts (D.M.A.) degree is offered in Jazz Performance (instrumental or vocal). This program requires a minimum of 60 credits beyond the master’s degree, including studies in performance, jazz composition and arranging, and general core courses in music history, music theory, and music education. The program culminates with a doctoral essay. For more information, please contact Graduate Admissions at the Frost School of Music.

The Frost School of Music and Jazz Instrumental Program offers students the chance to study with top professionals via an innovative, concentrated, and individualized curriculum. The program is designed to train the total musician, developing skills in performance, composition, arranging, studio recording/technology, and music business/entrepreneurship. Frost students are exposed to a wide range of improvisation-based music, from the traditional jazz canon through the most current trends, while having the opportunity to develop an individual voice and pursue a personal musical direction. The Frost School’s Studio Music and Jazz Instrumental Program offers students the chance to study with top professionals via an innovative, concentrated, and individualized curriculum. The program is designed to train the total musician, developing skills in performance, composition, arranging, studio recording/technology, and music business/entrepreneurship. Frost students are exposed to a wide range of improvisation-based music, from the traditional jazz canon through the most current trends, while having the opportunity to develop an individual voice and pursue a personal musical direction. The MSJ faculty includes numerous Grammy award winners and nominees, a MacArthur Genius Grant recipient, and veterans of the bands of Art Blakey, Horace Silver, Roy Haynes, Maria Schneider, Jack McDuff, Eddie Palmieri, Woody Herman, Buddy Rich and scores of other past and present jazz legends.

Our jazz graduates can be found in all corners of the music industry, performing with current jazz masters (Jeff “Tain” Watts, Esperanza Spaulding, Roy Haynes, David Liebman), TV orchestras (Jimmy Kimmel and Saturday Night Live bands), pop stars (Gloria Estefan, James Taylor, Rolling Stones, Paul Simon) and behind the scenes in recording studios, orchestra pits, and ensembles of all types and sizes throughout the world. Many are also accomplished composers, conductors, producers, and music business entrepreneurs. Frost jazz graduates populate all the world’s major music centers, and hold teaching positions at over one hundred universities and arts academies across the globe. Frost students routinely win awards from organizations such as Downbeat, ASCAP, Betty Carter Jazz Ahead, Thelonious Monk Institute, and numerous national instrumental competitions.

Frost jazz majors study one-on-one with a world-class private teacher each semester, along with courses in theory, keyboard, ear training, improvisation, arranging, composition, jazz history, music technology, and the business of music. At the core of the experiential curriculum is doing, and Frost students spend most of their time making music. The ensemble program includes both big bands and small groups, concentrating on a wide array of genres including classic bop, hard bop, post-bop, Latin, fusion, “ECM”, odd meter, Avant garde, and composer/theme ensembles dedicated to the music of the masters. Faculty artists Brian Lynch and Dafnis Prieto both mentor student-artist ensembles that feature both their own works and student compositions. Advanced students also can organize and direct their own ensembles for class credit.

Departmental student performances are scheduled twice a week, and numerous acclaimed international guest artists perform and lecture on campus each year. Recent artist residencies include Dave Holland, David Liebman, Chris Potter, Kenny Barron, Alan Ferber, Christian McBride, Jason Moran, Maria Schneider, and Joshua Redman. The Frost Henry Mancini Institute, under the artistic direction of James Newton Howard, affords students the opportunity to perform large-format works in conjunction with world renown guest performers, composers, and conductors.

Our jazz community is a recording culture! Jazz majors have access to four state-of-the-art recording facilities: the department’s own dedicated recording studio, the Weeks studio, the Gusman Hall Studio, and the film/media production lab. Find out more about Frost facilities, including the new Patricia L. Frost Faculty Studios (https://facilities.frost.miami.edu/), and visit our YouTube channel (https://www.youtube.com/user/UnivMiamiJazz/).

In addition to experiencing music on-campus, the greater Miami metropolitan area (population: five million) is rich with international, multiethnic opportunities for gigging, study, and fun. Students perform regularly in clubs, cafes, concert halls, and various other live venues. Frost students can also study abroad for a semester at four partner institutions located in Europe and Australia, and can participate in a five-year program combining the undergraduate performance degree with master’s in jazz pedagogy, effectively saving an entire year of graduate tuition.
We invite you to contact Frost music admissions and schedule a visit to view in person the unique advantages of studying Studio Music and Jazz at Frost.

**Admission Requirements**

The application priority deadline is December 1st.

The supplemental materials deadline is January 1st.

Please click here (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/how-to-apply/mmi-applicants/) for special deadlines related to our Arts Presenting, Media Writing, Music Business, and Music Engineering programs

**Step 1 - Apply**

- Apply online through CollegeNET (https://www.applyweb.com/miamigrd/)
- Upload a prescreening (if applicable) through SlideRoom (https://fsomgrad.slideroom.com/#/Login) – check the Audition/Portfolio Requirements (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/graduate/audition-requirements/) page for specific information

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Required for all applicants:

- Transcripts – an official transcript from ALL post-secondary schools attended, regardless of if a degree was granted or not, must be sent directly to the Frost School of Music from the issuing institution in order to be considered official
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The following supplemental materials may be required for some applicants:

- GRE Score - Please contact your program faculty (https://www.frost.miami.edu/faculty/by-program/) for specific GRE information
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2. Students in this degree program take MSJ 832 three times, at 1 credit each for a total of 3 credits.

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# Sample Plan of Study

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- **MSJ XX7 Applied Lessons** 2
- **Jazz Performance Ensemble** 1
- **Jazz Performance Elective (improv, ensembles, lessons)** 3
- **MSJ 644 Jazz Pedagogy and Administration** 3
- **Jazz Elective** 1
- **Credit Hours** 10

### Spring
- **MSJ XX7 Applied Lessons** 2
- **Jazz Performance Ensemble** 1
- **MSJ 720 Analysis of Jazz Styles** 3
- **MSJ 832 Doctoral Recital (or Elective)** 1
- **MCY or MTC Elective** 3
- **Credit Hours** 10

## Year Two
### Fall
- **MCY 728 Music Bibliography (or MCY Elective)** 3
- **MSJ XX7 Applied Lessons** 2
- **Jazz Performance Ensemble** 1
- **MED 702 DMA Essay Proposal** 1
- **MTC 717 Analytical Techniques (or other MTC Elective)** 3
- **Credit Hours** 10

### Spring
- **Jazz Performance Ensemble** 1
- **MED 662 Psychology of Music I** 3
- **MSJ 832 Doctoral Recital** 1
- **Jazz Elective** 1
- **Cognate/Electives** 3
- **MSJ 831 Doctoral Essay** 1
- **Credit Hours** 10

## Year Three
### Fall
- **Jazz Performance Ensemble** 1
- **MSJ 832 Doctoral Recital** 1
- **MED 790 Teaching Music in College** 1
- **Cognate/Electives** 6
- **MSJ 831 Doctoral Essay** 1
- **Credit Hours** 10

### Spring
- **Jazz Performance Ensemble** 1
- **Cognate/Electives** 3
- **MSJ 831 Doctoral Essay (or Cognate/Elective)** 6
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Mission

The mission of the Doctor of Musical Arts Degree in Jazz Performance is to:

• Provide the terminal degree through advanced, in-depth study in the areas of musicianship and performance practice that will support a professional performance career as a jazz artist;
• Provide performance opportunities that integrate the skills learned in both performance and academic classes, foster creativity and research, demonstrate advanced musical techniques and a thorough understanding of historical style and performance practice;
• Continue to develop the skills for analyzing and articulating thoughts about music in a scholarly written format;
• Provide requisite skills to manage the non-performance aspects of a career.

Student Learning Outcomes

• Students will demonstrate proficiency in musical and academic presentation skills necessary to support a professional career as a leader in the music industry.
• Students will demonstrate understanding and application of jazz scholarship on an approved research project related to the major area of study.
• Students will develop individual instrumental performance skills necessary to be competitive in jazz and contemporary music professions. Students will be able to prepare difficult musical performances without assistance.

M.M. in Jazz Pedagogy

Overview

The mission of the Master of Music program in Jazz Pedagogy is to provide students with a platform to continue their growth as artists while simultaneously creating opportunities for vocational training in the field of jazz education. The overriding goal is to prepare students for careers as both artists and educators by giving them high-level training and experience in both fields.

Jazz Pedagogy is a unique two-year course of study that includes private instruction on the student's principal instrument and full participation in the jazz ensemble program at Frost. Students take a wide range of jazz courses that include advanced improvisation, advanced arranging, and composition. Additionally, pedagogical training and experience are garnered through a broad range of courses such as: The Teaching Artist, World of the Working Musician, seminars in jazz pedagogy, and a course in Jazz Cultures taught by renowned musicologist and jazz scholar Dr. David Ake.

The culminating project for this program is a digital portfolio created by the student. The focus of this portfolio is to highlight student skills and abilities in a multitude of areas, in order to enhance job opportunities and sustainable careers in a continually evolving music industry.

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• Providing students with advanced jazz performance skills beyond those achieved in pursuit of their degree.
• Providing students with an understanding of jazz tradition, and current professional trends.

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• Students will develop proficiency in pedagogical strategies, theory, and historical trends necessary for career preparation in music instruction.
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M.M. in Jazz Performance, Instrumental
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**M.M. in Jazz Performance, Vocal**

**Overview**

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**Decisions**

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**Application Guidelines**

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- MSJ 730: Applied Jazz Instruction Jazz I
- MSJ 731: Applied Jazz Instruction II

Additional course(s) in MSJ, MCY, MIP, MED, MMI, MTC, MUS

Comprehensive Masters Jury

Total Credit Hours: 36

1. Total Ensemble credits for degree may not exceed 8 credits. Students must participate in at least one assigned ensemble each semester.

## Sample Plan of Study

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Students are recommended for admission to the Frost School of Music by the faculty and admission committees. Final acceptance to the Graduate program is made after all materials requested by the Frost School of Music have been received and evaluated. Scholarships and/or Assistantships are awarded based on faculty recommendation. Admission decisions are sent out starting in late March.

Application Guidelines
- Applications are accepted for the fall term only
- Applications are accepted for only one degree program
- Graduate applicants must have a minimum of a 3.0 cumulative GPA for consideration
Applicants must be in-progress toward completing or have earned the appropriate prior music degree(s) from a regionally accredited institution in order to apply for a graduate level music program. If you are accepted and decide to attend the Frost School, you will be required to provide a final transcript showing a conferred degree.

- The MM in Music Business & Entertainment Industries and the MA in Arts Presenting & Live Entertainment Management do not require prior music degrees. The MS in Music Engineering Technology is open to students who have completed an undergraduate degree in an appropriate engineering/science field.
- Current University of Miami students applying to a new degree program must provide an official University of Miami transcript.
- Materials submitted in support of an application cannot be released for other purposes nor returned to the applicant.
- For information on where to submit supplemental materials, please see our Contact Information (https://admissions.frost.miami.edu/contact-us/)

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**Mission**

The mission of the Master of Music program in Studio Jazz Writing is to prepare composers/arrangers to enter the music profession and to provide students with opportunities for advanced study in jazz and studio arranging, composition and orchestration with an emphasis on the development of high-level skills that will enable him or her to pursue a career as a professional arranger/composer. We aim to develop student jazz writing skills beyond those developed during the Bachelor's degree.

The program objectives are:

- Identify, recruit, and retain high quality students who are seeking to develop their jazz and studio writing skills beyond that developed in their undergraduate programs;
- Evaluate, revise, and develop curricular offerings to continue to meet the challenges facing professional musicians today;
- Maintain, present, and develop performance and outreach programs that will enable the jazz department to serve as a cultural resource in South Florida;
- Provide a creative, challenging, and nurturing educational experience that respects jazz tradition, reflects current professional trends, fosters innovation, and stimulates growth among students and faculty alike.

**Goals**

- Provide students with opportunities for advanced study in jazz and studio arranging.
- Provide students with opportunities for advanced study in orchestration.
- Provide students with opportunities for advanced study in composition.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Students will be able to write an arrangement for large jazz ensemble (Big Band).
- Students will demonstrate an appropriate level of skill in adapting (orchestrating) music for a symphony orchestra with attention to idiomatic writing for the four choirs of the orchestral strings, winds, brass and percussion.
- Students will demonstrate musical composition/arranging, audio production, and academic skills necessary for successful participation in professional musical environments.

**Vocal Performance**

https://vocal.frost.miami.edu/index.html

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**Masters Programs in Vocal Performance**

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Artist Diploma in Vocal Performance

• A.D. in Vocal performance (p. 2888)

MVP 608. Choral Score Study. 2 Credit Hours.
In depth study of selected choral or choral/orchestral works related to literature being performed by university ensembles during the academic year.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MVP 638. Vocal Pedagogy. 2-3 Credit Hours.
Course covers methods and concepts in the teaching of singing. Emphasis is placed on psychological, physiological, and acoustical principles involved in voice production with practical application, observing and teaching individual and class voice in a supervised environment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MVP 652. Vocal Prfrm Prep. 1 Credit Hour.
Musical preparation of a wide range of assigned vocal literature from all periods for performance in forums, juries, and recitals. Special emphasis is on musical values, styles, translations of texts, diction, pronunciation of Italian, German, French, and English, and memorization.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 680. Opera Production. 1 Credit Hour.
Opera production for main stage production, scenes, and other productions. Open only to students that are cast in productions, as determined by audition and faculty decision. Typically taken by vocal performance majors.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 688. Voice Performance in Salzburg, Austria. 0 Credit Hours.
Course is conducted at Salzburg College, Austria. Students receive comprehensive and intensive vocal training from University of Miami faculty as well as distinguished guest artists. A class in vocal repertoire is also included.
Requisite: Must be in Salzburg Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: AUD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

MVP 693. Special Projects in Vocal Performance or Choral Conducting. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member’s area of expertise and student’s area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 694. Special Topics in Vocal Performance or Choral Conducting. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member’s expertise and students’ areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MVP 710. Vocal Literature for Teaching: English. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of the historical body of English language vocal repertoire as it relates to voice classification, age, and technical development of a singer.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MVP 711. Vocal Literature for Teaching: Italian. 3 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her recital paper enrolls for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the paper has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MVP 712. Vocal Literature for Teaching: German. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of the historical body of German vocal repertoire as it relates to voice classification, age, and technical development of a singer.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MVP 713. Vocal Literature for Teaching: French. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of the historical body of French vocal repertoire as it relates to voice classification, age, and technical development of a singer.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MVP 714. Vocal Literature for Teaching: Musical Theater. 3 Credit Hours.
The student enrolls for recital credit during the semester in which he/she presents the Artist Diploma Recital.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 730. Studio Teaching Techniques. 1 Credit Hour.
Application of the principles studied in MVP 638. Candidates will be assigned students for applied voice study, under supervision of the instructor.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MVP 732. Teaching the Singer Actor. 2 Credit Hours.
Exploring teaching techniques for developing the skills of the singer.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MVP 736. Voice Disorders. 3 Credit Hours.
Assessment and treatment of the human voice. Course promotes an understanding of the terminology, clinical assessment, and therapy protocols used in treating the dysfunctional or damaged voice.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MVP 738. Advanced Vocal Pedagogy. 3 Credit Hours.
Course addresses advanced methods and concepts in the teaching of singing. Emphasis is placed on psychological, physiological, and acoustical principles involved in voice production; historical perspectives; and comparative pedagogical publications. Includes practical application, observation and teaching individual and class voice in a supervised environment.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MVP 739. Vocal Pedagogy Internship. 1 Credit Hour.
Observation in the field of choice, including, but not limited to studio work, medical setting or speech pathology setting.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MVP 747. Men's Chorale. 1 Credit Hour.
This ensemble is open to the entire university community. Students will work on all aspects of choral singing, including skills in basic musicianship. This ensemble presents two or three concerts per semester.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 748. Bella Voce. 1 Credit Hour.
This ensemble is open to the entire university community. Students will work on all aspects of choral singing, including skills in basic musicianship. This ensemble presents two or three concerts per semester.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 750. Lyric Diction for Singers - English and Italian. 1 Credit Hour.
Class designed for voice majors and principals, with a focus on the development of pronunciation skills for teaching and singing in English. International Phonetic Alphabet is presented as a learning tool.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MVP 752. Lyric Diction for Singing - German and French. 1 Credit Hour.
Class designed for voice majors and principals, with a focus on the development of pronunciation skills for teaching and singing in German. International Phonetic Alphabet is used as a learning tool.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MVP 772. Choral Conducting: Major Work Emphasis. 1 Credit Hour.
Course focus is placed on major choral-orchestral works with particular emphasis on two or three major works. In addition, conductors preparation for choral-orchestral works, including instrument transportation, score preparation, musical line, historical context, and score marking, are included.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 773. Choral Conducting Workshop: Smaller Choral Works. 1 Credit Hour.
Study of smaller choral works by Poulenc, Hindemith, Ravel, Debussy, Brahms, Mendelssohn, Schubert, Schumann, etc., with emphasis on style, interpretation, and gesture.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 780. Symphonic Choir. 1 Credit Hour.
Study and performance of choral literature appropriate for large choir, including choral orchestral masterworks.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 784. Chamber Singers. 1 Credit Hour.
An ensemble of eighteen to twenty undergraduate and graduate students. The ensemble performs challenging chamber choir repertoire from the Renaissance through the Twentieth Century.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 785. Frost Chorale. 1 Credit Hour.
This ensemble performs significant choral literature with an emphasis on music of the Twentieth-Century and on choral/orchestral works including opera. Open to all qualified graduate students, regardless of major.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MVP 788. Stagecraft & Acting for Opera. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is designed to provide advanced work developing stagecraft and acting skills unique to operatic performing. Physical release and expression, coordination, mental agility, individual artistry, creativity and emotional availability are all critical to the successful singing actor in opera, and the work of this course is to build a solid foundation in these areas.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 793. Special Projects in Vocal Performance or Choral Conducting. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member’s area of expertise and student’s area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MVP 794. Special Topics in Vocal Performance or Choral Conducting. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member’s expertise and students’ areas of interest.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MVP 805. Masters Project. 1 Credit Hour.
Masters Project for the Masters Degree in Vocal Performance. Students will develop a portfolio for professional use.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 811. Master's Recital Paper. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her recital paper enrolls for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the paper has been accepted.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MVP 812. Master's Recital. 1 Credit Hour.
The student enrolls for recital credit during the semester in which he/she presents the master’s recital.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 813. Masters Second Recital. 1 Credit Hour.
Optional second recital in the Masters Degree in Vocal Performance. Taken with advisor approval.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 814. Artist Diploma Recital. 1 Credit Hour.
The student enrolls for recital credit during the semester in which he/she presents the Artist Diploma Recital.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence and maintain full-time enrollment for the master’s degree after the student has completed the required hours of thesis or project credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MVP 831. Doctoral Essay. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the D.M.A. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but not for less than a total of 12. Not more than 12 hours of MVP 731 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MVP 832. Doctoral Recital. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the D.M.A.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: PRA.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence and maintain full-time enrollment for the DMA after the student has completed the required hours of doctoral essay credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MVP CD6. Conducting. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson in conducting for masters students majoring in choral conducting.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP CD7. Conducting. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson in conducting for doctoral students majoring in choral conducting.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP CDX. Secondary Choral Conducting - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP VO5. Voice. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Private studio lessons for providing progress towards establishing an efficient and balanced concept of posture, breath management, phonation, resonance with clarity of articulation in required languages, the ability to sustain a professional sound and perform with established skills for vocal, physical and emotional communication in voice juries and performances of concert and opera, and the skills for a professional career as a classical singer.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP VO6. Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Private lessons for providing progress towards establishing an efficient and balanced concept of posture, breath management, phonation, resonance with clarity of articulation in required languages, the ability to sustain a professional sound in the upper register and perform with established skills for vocal, physical and emotional communication in voice juries and performances of concert and opera, and the potential for a professional career as a classical singer.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MVP VO7. Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Private lessons for providing progress towards establishing an efficient and balanced concept of posture, breath management, phonation, resonance with clarity of articulation and workable knowledge of required languages, the ability to sustain a professional sound in the upper register and perform with advanced skills for vocal, physical and emotional communication in voice juries and performances of concert and opera, and the potential for a professional career as a classical singer and/or teacher of music.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP VOX. Secondary Voice - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

A.D. in Vocal Performance

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*This program is not eligible for federal or state financial aid. Contact the Office of Student Financial Assistance and Employment (https://finaid.miami.edu/) for further assistance.

On-Campus Auditions

- The audition should consist of at least four selections, and at least one must be an aria
- The repertoire must represent four historical periods (Baroque, Classical, Romantic and Contemporary) and four languages (English, Italian, French, and German)
- The applicant will first perform a selection of his or her choice. The faculty will then request to hear other selections as time permits.

Audition Guidelines

- An accompanist will be provided for on-campus auditions. A $20 accompanist fee will be collected prior to the audition.
- All Doctoral of Musical Arts applicants must audition on-campus
- Recorded auditions uploaded to SlideRoom (https://fsomgrad.slideroom.com/#/Login/#/Login) are acceptable for admission to the Masters Degree and Artist Diploma programs, but an on-campus audition is strongly encouraged
- All applicants who wish to be considered for assistantships or scholarships must audition on-campus
- Once your audition is scheduled, please send your audition repertoire information to Professor Alan Johnson at ajohnson1@miami.edu
- At the audition, the applicant should present:
  - List of repertoire prepared for the audition (five copies)
  - Current resume, including educational and performance experience
  - A representative list of previously studied repertoire
  - Photo (optional)

Auditions for Graduate Teaching Assistantships

All students applying for Assistantships must perform an on-campus audition and must have a completed application on file by December 1.

Applicants wishing to be considered for a Voice Teaching Assistantship must have completed a vocal pedagogy course and have prior teaching experience.

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Mission

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- Student will research and write program notes to accompany solo vocal recital.
- Student will sing two solo recitals that include repertoire in at least 4 languages and represent at least 4 historical, musical periods.

D.M.A. in Choral Conducting

Overview

Candidates for the Doctor of Musical Arts in Choral Conducting at the University of Miami Frost School of Music must possess and demonstrate a gift of musical leadership based upon broad experience with choral ensembles and a strong foundation of skills from previous training. Admission requirements include baccalaureate and masters degrees in music and practical experience in choral conducting through church, school, or community ensembles. Enrollment in this major is only by special permission after completion of the application and audition process.

The mission of the Doctor of Musical Arts in Choral Conducting at the Frost School of Music is to:

1. Provide a music performance-based education and to train conductors to further develop knowledge and skills on and off the podium
2. Promote a platform of learning that includes excellence in performance, creativity, artistry, and scholarship
3. Foster a sense of community involvement in the arts and the greater musical world

This degree combines scholarship with practical concerns in a way that prepares graduates for a diverse life in choral music, whether they choose to focus on an academic career, professional career, or a combination of the two. Emphasis on excellence in conducting and teaching, negotiating the job markets, becoming an outstanding clinician and adjudicator, and administrative opportunities has allowed this program to consistently place graduates in outstanding positions throughout the country.
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If accepted, you will be contacted by the Office of Admission to submit documentation of financial responsibility.

Documents Required
Submit the following educational documents to an approved international credentialing evaluation service:

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Documents in a language other than English must be accompanied by professional, certified English translations. Translations supplement but do not replace, the official documents.

Type of Evaluation Required
The Frost School of Music is requiring international applicants to their programs to complete a course-by-course evaluation with GPA.

Where to Submit Documents for Evaluation

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**Decisions**
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• Graduate applicants must have a minimum of a 3.0 cumulative GPA for consideration
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After graduation, they are prepared to work in any number of venues, including academia, sacred music setting (church music), professional choir, community choir, and more.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Students will, through the completion of 3 degree recitals, demonstrate the ability perform as conductors with musical/stylistic awareness, as well as professional presentation and demeanor.
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**D.M.A. in Vocal Pedagogy and Performance**

**Overview**

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**Mission**

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**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Students will demonstrate vocal skills to a professional level and technical skills.
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- Students will demonstrate writing, research, and presentation skills required of the DMA Vocal Pedagogy and Performance terminal degree.

**D.M.A. in Vocal Performance**

**Overview**

Graduate students seeking a degree in the department of Vocal Performance have already proven themselves to be highly accomplished artists. They come to the Frost School of Music to further hone their skills, to discover new perspectives, and to gain a competitive edge for the next step in their
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Mission
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Student Learning Outcomes
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M.M. in Choral Conducting

Overview
Candidates for the Master of Music in Choral Conducting at the University of Miami Frost School of Music must possess and demonstrate a gift of musical leadership based upon experience with choral ensembles and a solid foundation of training. Admission requirements include a baccalaureate degree in music, and practical experience in choral conducting through church, school, or community ensembles is preferred. Enrollment in this major is only by special permission via application and audition.

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**Plan of Study**

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Student Learning Outcomes

M.M. in Vocal Performance

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[^1]: Students are required to participate in MVP 680 Opera Production or MVP 788 Opera Theater for every semester of study

[^2]: Students in this degree program take MVP 652 four times, at 1 credit each for a total of 4 credits.

[^3]: Student must have approval of the studio voice teacher

## Plan of Study

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**Mission Statement**

The mission of the Master of Music Degree in Vocal Performance is to:

- Provide students the highest quality of education available in the areas of vocal performance and musicianship that will provide them the skills required to lead to professional performance careers as classical singers;
- Stimulate the student’s awareness and artistic creativity in the filed of vocal performance;
- Provide students public performance opportunities in a supportive and encouraging environment;
- Provide students the writing and research skills needed in order to adequately prepare them for study at the doctoral level;
- Provide career development opportunities through direct connections with professionals in the field, including directors, conductors, coaches, and other relevant individuals as chosen by the voice faculty.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Students will demonstrate their vocal skills in their singing to a professional level.
- Students will demonstrate the necessary writing skills to adequately prepare them for study at the doctoral level.
- Students will demonstrate advanced recital stage skills.

**Nursing and Health Studies**

http://www.miami.edu/sonhs

The University of Miami (UM) School of Nursing and Health Studies (SONHS) is committed to academic excellence, the advancement of healthcare, and service to society. Opportunities are available for students to study and earn course credit in a variety of local and international settings.

**Mission**

The mission of the SONHS is to educate students and support faculty committed to excellence in nursing and health science. Through research, education and practice, the school will create and disseminate health knowledge and prepare culturally competent leaders to provide safe service to our community, the nation and the world.

**Nursing Accreditation**

The MSN and DNP programs in the SONHS are accredited by the following:

Commission of Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE)
One DuPont Circle NW, Suite 530
Washington, DC 20036
(202) 887-6791

The Nurse Anesthesia program is accredited by the following:

Council on Accreditation of Nurse Anesthesia Education Programs (COA)
222 South Prospect Avenue
Park Ridge, IL 60068-4001
Graduate Degrees and Academic Programs

The SONHS offers a variety of academic programs across six graduate degrees:

1. Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) in Nursing Science
   a. BSN-to-PhD
   b. MSN-to-PhD

2. Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP)
   a. BSN-to-DNP, Nurse Anesthesia Track
   b. MSN-to-DNP (1 Year, 1 Year Plus, and 2 Year)

3. Master of Science in Nursing (MSN)
   a. Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner (Full-time and Part-time)
   b. Adult-Gerontology Primary Care Nurse Practitioner (Full-time and Part-time)
   c. Family Nursing Practitioner (Full-time and Part-time)

4. Master of Science (MS)
   a. Health Informatics (online)

5. Post-Graduate Certificate
   a. Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner
   b. Adult-Gerontology Primary Care Nurse Practitioner
   c. Family Nursing Practitioner
   d. Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner

6. Post-Bachelor's Certificate
   a. Health Informatics (online)

Admission

Admission to graduate programs in the SONHS is subject to the rules, regulations, and procedures as set forth in the Academic Bulletin, the Student Handbook (http://www.sonhs.miami.edu/academics/student-handbooks/), and the SONHS website (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/admissions/), and as determined by each graduate nursing program, the Graduate School, and the Office of International Admission. Applicants must meet specific admission requirements (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/admissions/) before they may be evaluated for admission to the SONHS' graduate programs. Applications for the SONHS' graduate programs, except for the online Informatics programs, are submitted through NursingCAS (http://www.nursingcas.org/). Applications for the online Informatics programs are submitted through UOnline (http://www.miami.edu/online/admissions/).

Degree Requirements

The degree requirements for each SONHS graduate program are outlined under the "MASTERS" and "DOCTORAL" tabs above. All graduate programs are lock-step, meaning students must follow the Plan of Study under which they were admitted as listed in the Academic Bulletin and the Student Handbook (http://www.sonhs.miami.edu/academics/student-handbooks/), and they must successfully complete the courses in each semester to progress to the next. Students should contact their appropriate Associate Dean or Program Director, or a staff member in the OSS (https://www.sonhs.miami.edu/admissions-and-student-services/) to discuss any questions related to their degree requirements.

Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) in Nursing Science

The principal goal of the PhD with a major in Nursing Science is to prepare scholars and researchers who will contribute to the growth of science in nursing through recognized methods of scholarly inquiry. Admission to the doctoral program is competitive.

Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP)

The DNP degree is a practice-focused doctorate designed for nurses seeking a terminal degree in nursing practice. The program is offered in two formats: the MSN-to-DNP and the BSN-to-DNP, Nurse Anesthesia track. The BSN-to-DNP, Nurse Anesthesia program is available as an entry into practice degree, meaning it is available to post-baccalaureate nurses with or without a master's degree in nursing.

The outcome objectives for graduates of the DNP program are to:

- Integrate knowledge, theories, and concepts from the biophysical, psychosocial, analytical, and organization sciences to develop ethical health care systems and new frontiers for nursing practice that address health care disparities
- Evaluate research methods and findings to create an evidence base for nursing practice and health care delivery systems that reflect best practices and alleviate health care disparities
- Synthesize knowledge gained from traditional and innovative learning methods to lead quality, cost-effective health care collaborations addressing health care disparities
• Demonstrate expert clinical judgment and knowledge of health care systems to design, deliver and evaluate evidence-based care interventions to reduce health care disparities
• Model expert nursing practice and serve as mentors to nursing colleagues in their efforts to improve nursing practice and health care systems
• Employ knowledge of health care policy and economics to develop and evaluate programs to address health care disparities

Master of Science in Nursing (MSN)
The MSN degree is designed for professional nurses holding a Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) degree. Registered nurses with baccalaureate degrees in other fields are also eligible to apply for admission. The following specialty tracks available in the SONHS focus on selected areas of advanced practice nursing and nursing education:
  • Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner
  • Adult-Gerontology Primary Care Nurse Practitioner
  • Family Nurse Practitioner

Degree requirements may be completed in three semesters of full-time study or five semester of part-time study.

Master of Science (MS)
The MS in Health Informatics online program is designed to prepare graduates for rewarding informatics careers in a wide range of industries within healthcare. With the ongoing implementation of the Affordable Care Act, these roles will be essential as more organizations begin moving to electronic healthcare record systems.

Post-Graduate Certificate
Post-Graduate Certificate options are available in each of the following areas to students who possess a MSN degree and who wish to focus on selected areas of advanced practice nursing and nursing education:
  • Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner
  • Adult-Gerontology Primary Care Nurse Practitioner
  • Family Nurse Practitioner
  • Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner

All students are required to complete core courses for their selected area of study and may be required to take additional courses at the graduate level based on their gap analysis.

Post-Bachelor’s Certificate
The Post-Bachelor’s Certificate program is designed to prepare graduates for rewarding informatics careers in a wide range of industries within healthcare. UOnline’s flexible Informatics programs give students the option to complete their MS in Health Informatics while earning a Post-Bachelor’s Certificate in Health Informatics along the way or to focus on just earning the Post-Bachelor’s Certificate itself. The 15 credit Post-Bachelor’s Certificate is made up of the first 5 classes of the MS program. Credits completed for the Post-Bachelor’s Certificate can be applied toward the MS degree.

Academic Policies
Student Responsibilities
Students in the SONHS are responsible for fulfilling their degree requirements. Students are also responsible for complying with all provisions outlined in the Academic Bulletin and the Student Handbook (http://www.sonhs.miami.edu/academics/student-handbooks/), as well as all written changes to the plan of study.

Students are provided assistance by faculty advisors and other faculty members. Requests for deviation from the Plan of Study or SONHS requirements are granted only by written approval from the Associate Dean or Dean. Students who are in violation of the provisions of this Academic Bulletin may be withdrawn from classes unilaterally or have a stop placed upon their future enrollment by appropriate SONHS officials. The SONHS reserves the right to change academic requirements to include course offerings that ensure students receive the highest-quality and most-current education. Classes may be held on weekdays or weekends and will be listed as such in the course schedule. Any programmatic changes are transmitted by written notice in the Student Handbook (http://www.sonhs.miami.edu/academics/student-handbooks/) or by an official in the SONHS.

Academic Bulletin and Student Handbook
In addition to the material listed in the Academic Bulletin, all SONHS students are held to the policies, procedures, and requirements listed in the most current Student Handbook (http://www.sonhs.miami.edu/academics/student-handbooks/) for their respective degree program. Please note the material included in the Student Handbook is subject to change throughout the academic year and may not be reflected in the Academic Bulletin. The Student Handbook contains the most current information. Consult the appropriate Associate Dean or Program Director or reach out to a staff member in the Office of Student Services (OSS) (https://www.sonhs.miami.edu/admissions-and-student-services/) to discuss questions related to academic requirements and opportunities.
Technical Standards
Nursing education requires that the accumulation of scientific knowledge be accompanied by the simultaneous acquisition of skills and professional attitudes and behaviors. The nursing degrees awarded by the UM SONHS at the completion of the educational process certifies that the individual has acquired a base of knowledge and skills required for the practice of nursing at the respective undergraduate or graduate level. To this end, all courses in the curriculum must be completed successfully. In order to acquire the knowledge and skills to function in a variety of clinical situations and to render a wide spectrum of patient care, candidates for the undergraduate and graduate degrees in nursing must have abilities and skills in five areas:

1. Observation
2. Communication
3. Motor
4. Conceptual-Integrative
5. Behavioral-Social

Technological compensation can be made for some disabilities in certain of these areas, but a candidate should be able to perform in a reasonably independent manner and exercise independent judgment. Reasonable accommodations will be considered on a case by case basis for individuals who meet eligibility under applicable statutes. Any person expecting to need accommodations should request them prior to beginning the program, as some accommodations may not be considered reasonable and may impact an applicant's ability to complete all components of the program.

Observation
The candidate must be able to observe demonstrations and participate in didactic courses and simulated learning opportunities. A candidate must be able to observe a patient accurately at a distance and close at hand. Observation requires the use of common sense, as well as the functional use of the senses of vision, audition, olfaction, and palpation.

Communication
Candidates must communicate effectively using English in clinical and classroom settings. A candidate must be able to elicit information from patients, describe changes in mood, activity and posture, and perceive nonverbal communications. A candidate must be able to communicate effectively and sensitively with patients. Communication includes not only speech, but reading and writing. The candidate must be able to communicate effectively and efficiently with all members of the health care team in both immediate and recorded modes.

Motor
Candidates should have sufficient motor function to elicit information from patients by palpation, auscultation, percussion and other assessment techniques. A candidate should be able to perform nursing skills requiring the use of gross and fine motor skills (e.g. IV insertion, venous blood draw, urinary catheter insertion). A candidate should be able to execute motor movements reasonably required to provide nursing care and emergency response to patients. Examples of emergency responses reasonably required of nurses are cardiopulmonary resuscitation, medication administration, and application of pressure to stop bleeding. Candidates must perform actions which require the use of both gross and fine muscular movements, equilibrium, and functional use of the senses of touch and vision. Candidates should also be able to assist and/or participate in various lifting activities.

Conceptual-Integrative
These abilities include measurement, calculation, reasoning, analysis, synthesis, and retention of complex information. Critical thinking requires all of these intellectual abilities in order to provide optimal nursing care. In addition, the candidate should be able to comprehend three-dimensional relationships and to understand the spatial relationships of structures.

Behavioral-Social
Candidates must possess the emotional health required for the full use of their intellectual abilities, the exercise of good judgment, the prompt completion of all responsibilities attendant to the care of patients, and the development of mature, sensitive and effective relationships with patients. Candidates must be able to tolerate physically taxing workloads and to function effectively under stress in the classroom and clinical area. They must be able to adapt to changing environments, display flexibility and learn to function in the face of uncertainties inherent in the clinical environment. Compassion, integrity, concern for others, interpersonal skills, interest and motivation are all personal qualities that are assessed during the admissions and educational process.

Clinical Clearance
Before students can enter the SONHS' graduate nursing programs, they must successfully complete a drug test and a background check. Students must have a background report without any infractions, regardless of how they were resolved or adjudicated. Accordingly, if a student’s background report contains any infractions, regardless of how they were resolved or adjudicated, he/she will not be able to successfully complete the background check and he/she will be withdrawn from the nursing program.

Students must also provide current immunizations as outlined by the SONHS and obtain a Basic Life Support (BLS) for Healthcare Providers certification from the American Heart Association prior to entry into clinical coursework. The BLS certification must include content on Automated External Defibrillators (AEDs). Additional certifications may be required for specific graduate programs.
Refer to the Student Handbook (http://www.sonhs.miami.edu/academics/student-handbooks/) or speak with a representative in the OSS (https://www.sonhs.miami.edu/admissions-and-student-services/) for more information.

**Grades**

Students should refer to the Student Handbook (http://www.sonhs.miami.edu/academics/student-handbooks/) for more detailed information on the SONHS’ policies related to grades, progression, and dismissal.

Graduate nursing students must earn a B or higher in each course to progress. Any graduate student who receives a “C” or lower in a nursing course will be dismissed from his or her program. A grade of "B-" or "C+" for a course is below graduate standards, and the student must repeat that course. However, a student may only repeat one course, one time. The student will be dismissed if he/she fails a second course even if he/she retook and passed the previous failed course. A passing grade in all clinical experiences is required to pass a course having a clinical component (generally listed as a “lab section” by UM). Students who are not making satisfactory progress may also receive an academic alert at mid-semester or mid-course. All grades are included in the computation of the UM overall grade point average including those that are failed or repeated.

A grade of B or higher is considered a passing grade for the MS Health Informatics program, which includes all courses completed as part of the Post-Bachelor’s Certificate Health Informatics program (if applicable).

When a course must be repeated, progression in the graduate program will be altered in order for prerequisites to be met. Such alteration will lengthen the time required to complete the graduate program.

**Grade Point Averages (GPAs)**

Students should refer to the Student Handbook (http://www.sonhs.miami.edu/academics/student-handbooks/) for more detailed information on the SONHS' policies related to GPAs, progression, and dismissal.

**Requirements to Continue**

Students who are enrolled in SONHS’ graduate programs must maintain a 3.0 GPA to progress.

**Requirements to Graduate**

Students who are enrolled in SONHS’ graduate programs must maintain a 3.0 GPA to graduate.

**Prerequisites and Corequisites**

Students must successfully complete all specified prerequisites with a B or higher. Students must also register for all required corequisites at the time of enrollment. If students enroll in a course without the proper prerequisite or corequisite, they may be dropped from the course at the discretion of the course instructor, OSS, Program Director, Associate Dean, or Dean. Students should contact their appropriate Associate Dean or Program Director, or a staff member in the OSS (https://www.sonhs.miami.edu/admissions-and-student-services/) to discuss any questions related to course enrollment.

**Transfer Credit**

SONHS graduate students may, depending on their program, transfer up to 9 credits toward their graduate degree at the discretion of their Associate Dean. Detailed course descriptions or syllabi are required for transfer equivalency reviews.

**Pre-immersion Course**

Prior to enrollment in any SONHS graduate program, except for the Informatics programs, students must complete a mandatory online pre-immersion, orientation, and/or writing express course. These courses are listed in students’ first term of enrollment but it does not affect students’ GPAs. Failure to complete these courses may delay entry into the clinical nursing courses. Information about the these courses will be provided to eligible students by the SONHS.

**Research Experience**

Students may participate in research experiences through the SONHS (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/research/) during their time at the UM. Students should speak with their appropriate Associate Dean or Program Director to learn more about the research opportunities available to them at the UM.

**Accommodations Policy for Students with Disabilities**

The SONHS adheres to standards of the Americans with Disabilities Act. Any student needing special accommodations should seek assistance through the Office of Disability Services (ODS) (http://umarc.miami.edu/arc/ODS.html), which is the primary on-campus resource responsible for the coordination of services for students with disabilities. Students must follow ODS’ policies, procedures, and timelines to request assistance. Please note ODS has strict deadlines to apply for accommodations; only students who are officially registered with ODS may be granted accommodations.
Financial Assistance

Students interested in obtaining financial assistance in the form of student loans, grants, etc. should contact the Office of Financial Assistance (http://www.miami.edu/admission/index.php/ofas/).

The SONHS also offers limited merit-based and need-based scholarships to continuing students. The types of scholarships available and the qualifications for them vary by semester. Continuing students who wish to be considered for SONHS scholarships must apply for such scholarships through the SONHS General Scholarship Application. Calls for applications are e-mailed to continuing students once each semester to prompt students to apply who wish to be considered for a scholarship for the next term. Additional information on SONHS scholarships as well as health science-, nursing-, and public health-related outside scholarships can be found on the SONHS Scholarships website (http://www.sonhs.miami.edu/admissions-and-financial-aid/financial-aid-and-community-scholarships/).

Full-time PhD students are considered for financial support, which may include:

1. **Tuition Scholarships:** These awards vary in amount and are intended to assist the recipient in pursuit of study and research as required by the degree. These scholarships are awarded on a competitive basis.

2. **Graduate Stipends:** These cash awards, paid monthly, are intended as part of an educational assistance program for PhD degree students. The stipends require service in the form of teaching, research assistance, or other appropriate educational activities that may be designated by the supervisor of the recipient.

Students may speak with a representative in the OSS (https://www.sonhs.miami.edu/admissions-and-student-services/) if they have any questions.

Facilities

The SONHS is located on the Coral Gables Campus. The four-story, Jerusalem-stone and stucco M. Christine Schwartz Center for Nursing and Health Studies opened in Fall 2006. The building features classrooms and clinical practice labs, conference rooms, a computer lab, and a simulation academy, all equipped with the latest technology. The spacious 53,000 square foot facility supports the work of more than 40 nurse-scientists and clinical educators and approximately 1,100 undergraduate and graduate students enrolled in the SONHS’ health science, nursing, and public health programs.

In Fall 2017, the SONHS opened the new, state-of-the-art, 41,000 square foot, 5 story Simulation Hospital (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/simulation_hospital/). The Simulation Hospital is a one-of-a-kind facility, as it is one of the first education-dedicated simulation facilities located on a college campus. This new facility uses the latest simulation technology to provide SONHS students with the highest-quality healthcare education through a variety of simulated clinical environments. It also provides opportunities for public health-related simulation experiences and creates ample opportunities for inter-professional education (IPE).

Library resources for SONHS students are available at the Otto G. Richter Library (http://library.miami.edu/) on the Coral Gables Campus and the Louis Calder Memorial Library (http://calder.med.miami.edu/) on the Medical Campus.

Clinical experiences are offered in a variety of hospitals and health-related agencies in the community, including the University of Miami Hospital, Jackson Health System, Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center, Nicklaus Children's Hospital, and approximately 170 other community partners.

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NUR 601. Advanced Pharmacology. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced practice nursing application of pharmacological and pharmacokinetics for the purpose of selecting appropriate drug therapies for diverse populations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

NUR 602. Doctoral Level Orientation/Nur. 0 Credit Hours.
This course provides entering doctoral students with an evaluation of their writing ability and a review of formal writing skills. Other topics pertinent to success for nursing coursework at the doctoral level are addressed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: NON.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

NUR 603. Healthcare Databases: Design, Development and Clinical Application. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses database systems, development, design, and implementation within the context of health care. Special emphasis is placed on the role of database applications for continuous quality improvement and regulatory compliance. Students will design a relational database applicable to informatics leadership responsibilities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NUR 604. System Life Cycle/Project Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the identification and development of information technology plans for projects supporting the health care organization's business objectives and all activities required in the initiating, planning, executing, controlling, and closing phases of the project's lifecycle. This course is intended to provide the body of knowledge and best practices necessary for a new Consultant, Business Analyst or Project Manager to successfully perform his/her responsibilities on an IT enterprise project.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NUR 605. Health Information Exchange. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to introduce the informatics professional to the basic principles of Health Information Exchange. The focus will be on interoperability between ambulatory clinics, acute care facilities and long-term care; electronic health records; electronic prescribing systems and consumer health care informatics. Special emphasis is placed on the role of HIE in the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NUR 606. Advanced Practice Preparation. 0 Credit Hours.
This preparatory experience provides students an opportunity to review concepts of pharmacology; physiology; and health assessment prior to beginning the Master of Science in Nursing program. Activities related to academic strategies and writing are also included, to assist in improving study and writing skills.
Components: LEC.
Grading: NON.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

NUR 607. Leadership and Professional Development Strategies for Nursing Informatics. 3 Credit Hours.
In this course students will be exposed to the principles of organizational culture, dynamics, mission, vision, values, and goals as it impacts nursing. Additionally they will learn current theories of change management and resource management for nursing informatics practice. They will explore change agent roles in project management and processes.
Co-requisite: NUR 604.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
NUR 608. Concepts in Advanced Practice Nursing. 3 Credit Hours.
Major concepts necessary for advanced practice nursing. Included are: major scientific theories, health and health promotion, health policy, ethical issues, epidemiology, technology in health care, and advanced practice role competencies. Specific emphasis is placed on understanding culture and cultural diversity in health care.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

NUR 609. Professionalism in Advanced Practice Nursing. 2 Credit Hours.
Focuses on the synthesis of concepts and principles necessary to develop leaders in advanced practice nursing specialties. Emphasis is placed on the role of the advanced practice nurse for optimal delivery of health care to clients across the life span.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

NUR 610. Adult Gerontology Acute Care I. 4 Credit Hours.
Analysis of selected theories and conceptual models of nursing and their implementation in practice and research. Approaches to development of a scientific body of knowledge for nursing practice is included. (2) Prerequisite: Graduate status.
Prerequisite: NUR 601 and 612 and 613.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 611. Foundations of Anesthesia Science and Technology for Nurse Anesthetists. 5 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the application of basic sciences to nurse anesthesia. This course includes the application of principles of physics, molecular biology, biochemistry and medicinal chemistry.
Prerequisite: Anesthesia Track and NUR 601 and 612 and 613.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NUR 612. Physiology/Pathophysiology for Advanced Practice Nursing. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of physiologic and pathophysiologic mechanisms of health and illness.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NUR 613. Advanced Health Assessment and Diagnostic Reasoning. 3 Credit Hours.
Emphasis on culturally sensitive comprehensive health assessment and diagnostic reasoning related to advanced nursing practice. Special emphasis is placed on advanced health assessment, including age appropriate health screenings; prenatal, pediatric, and geriatric assessment; and interpretation of basic laboratory tests and diagnostic studies utilized in advanced nursing practice. Specialty specific seminars address issues for individual tracks within advanced practice nursing.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NUR 614. Basic Concepts in Anesthesia Nursing. 5 Credit Hours.
This course is an overview of fundamental knowledge and skills for entry into advanced practice anesthesia nursing. Concepts include essential techniques, monitoring and equipment, and pharmacologic interventions for common problems and conditions requiring routine surgical procedures in a highly structured and guided clinical learning environment. Cultural competence and interdisciplinary anesthesia care across the lifespan is emphasized.
Prerequisite: NUR 601 and NUR 611 and NUR 612 and NUR 613 and Co-requisite: NUR 617.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

NUR 615. Professional Aspects of Anesthesia Nursing. 2 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the development and current trends in nurse anesthesia practice, education, and research. Concepts include the historical, legal, legislative, and professional role issues associated with advanced practice anesthesia nursing. Professional responsibilities, ethical issues, diversity, cultural competency, quality assurance, continuing education, and professional involvement are emphasized.
Prerequisite: NUR 646 and Co-requisite: NUR 650.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
NUR 616. Pharmacology for Acute Care Nursing. 3 Credit Hours.
Focuses on foundational pharmacologic principles and associated application to clinical practice in acute care nursing. Integration of pharmacological concepts and interventions in safe, culturally competent, and interdisciplinary acute care advanced nursing practice are emphasized.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NUR 617. Pharmacology for Anesthesia Nursing. 3 Credit Hours.
Focuses on pharmacological principles and associated application to clinical practice in nurse anesthesia. Integration of pharmacological concepts and interventions in safe, culturally competent, and interdisciplinary anesthesia practice are emphasized.
Prerequisite: NUR 601 and NUR 611 and NUR 612 and NUR 613 and Corequisite: NUR 614.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

NUR 619. Advanced Concepts of Anesthesia Nursing I. 7 Credit Hours.
This course will provide an in-depth knowledge and skills of anesthesia nursing care for a variety of common problems and conditions across anesthesia specializations. Concepts include assessment, techniques, planning and pharmacologic interventions for specialty surgical procedures in a highly structured and guided clinical learning environment. Cultural competence and interdisciplinary anesthesia care across the lifespan is emphasized.
Prerequisites: NUR 601 and NUR 611 and NUR 612 and NUR 613 and NUR 614 and NUR 617.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 620. Advanced Concepts of Anesthesia Nursing II. 11 Credit Hours.
This course will provide in-depth knowledge and skills of highly specialized problems and conditions requiring anesthesia or surgical interventions. Concepts include assessment, techniques, planning and pharmacologic interventions for regional anesthesia, pain management, care of obstetrical patients and patients with catastrophic conditions in a highly structured and guided clinical learning environment. Cultural competence and interdisciplinary anesthesia care across the lifespan is emphasized.
Prerequisites: NUR 601 and NUR 611 and NUR 612 and NUR 613 and NUR 614 and NUR 617 and NUR 619.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NUR 621. Diagnostics and Nursing Interventions for Acute Care Nursing. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected diagnostic tests and intervention techniques essential to acute care nursing. Critical thinking and decision making related to interdisciplinary assessment of acute care patients. Cultural issues related to diagnostics and intervention.
Prerequisite: NUR 601 and 612 and 613.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NUR 622. Acute Care Nursing of Adults I. 4 Credit Hours.
The first of two sequential clinical practicums designed for the development of scientific knowledge and advanced practice skills in the area of acute care nursing. Involves synthesis of concepts, knowledge and skills gained in previous courses applied to the care of the acutely ill patient. Focuses on the advanced practice of acute care nursing via the nurse practitioner/clinical nurse specialist.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

NUR 623. Maternal Child Health in Primary Care Practice. 5 Credit Hours.
Theoretical and clinical bases for advanced practice nursing management of infants and children. Emphasis is placed on strategies for health maintenance and prevention of health problems and management of alterations.
Prerequisite: NUR 628.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
NUR 624. Introduction to Pedagogy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides students a foundation in Pedagogy using examples from nursing education. Students will learn about educational theory, the cultural context of education, and the role of teaching in the academy. Educational strategies to be discussed include didactic, online, clinical, laboratory, and simulation. Best practices in assessment and evaluation will be emphasized.
Requisite: Must Be A Nursing PhD Student Or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NUR 625. Adult Gerontology Acute Care II. 7 Credit Hours.
Theoretical and clinical focus for the nurse practitioner as an advanced practice nurse in the health care management of adult populations in rehabilitative settings and residential facilities including assisted living, long term, and home care. (2:6) Prerequisite or corequisite: NUR 601.
Prerequisite: NUR 613 and 617.
Prerequisite: NUR 601 and 610 and 612 and 613.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NUR 626. Advanced Concepts in Gynecological Health Care for Women. 2 Credit Hours.
Theoretical and clinical bases for the provision of complex gynecological care of women. Emphasis is on strategies for promotion of transcultural health care needs and management of alterations according to the advanced practice roles.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 627. Primary Prenatal Healthcare of Women. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Theoretical and clinical bases for providing primary prenatal care of women. Emphasis is on management strategies for promotion of transcultural health care needs according to the advanced practice role.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NUR 628. Adult Gerontology I. 5 Credit Hours.
Theoretical and clinical bases for health care management of health alterations in the adult population. Emphasis on strategies for health maintenance and prevention of health problems, management of alterations, discharge planning and rehabilitation of individuals and aggregate population.
Corequisite: NUR 601. And NUR 612. And NUR 613.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 630. Research Methods and Evidence-Based Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
Research process, research methods, and the analysis of data using quantitative and qualitative approaches. Focuses on understanding levels of evidence for implementing evidence-based practice and performance improvement in nursing practice and health care. Investigates research methods associated with health disparities, access to health care, and clinical outcomes.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

NUR 631. Adult Gerontology II. 4-7 Credit Hours.
Theoretical and clinical bases for health management of health alterations in the adult population. Emphasis on strategies for health maintenance and prevention of health problems, management of alterations, discharge planning and rehabilitation of individuals and aggregate population.
Prerequisites: NUR 601 and NUR 612 and NUR 613 and NUR 628.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NUR 634. Perinatal Health Care. 0-6 Credit Hours.
Continuation of the application of physiologic, psychosocial, and cultural concepts to perinatal health care management. Emphasis is placed on nurse-midwifery management of intrapartum, postpartum, and neonatal clients.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
NUR 635. Innovation in Nursing Informatics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores contemporary concepts in nursing informatics. The course examines the historical context of nursing informatics, followed by an exploration of emerging technologies including tele-health, wireless medical devices, consumer health informatics, interactive education, and social media. This course prepares students to critically evaluate and incorporate evolving technology. Special emphasis is placed on the social, ethical, regulatory, and legal issues associated with health care innovations.
Corequisite: NUR 633.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NUR 636. Nursing Informatics Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to prepare students to function as Nursing Informatics Specialists. Emphasis is on the synthesis of health care informatics theory and mastery of technical applications and each of their respective roles in nursing informatics practice. Students design a scholarly project at the level of a clinical analyst under the direction of a faculty member and preceptor.
Co-requisite: NUR 635.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NUR 637. Capstone Practicum in Nursing Leadership in Informatics. 3 Credit Hours.
In the capstone course students will assimilate and apply the knowledge and skills they have acquired from their course work in the program. Students will complete a non-thesis capstone project that requires them to critically analyze and solve a problem they might realistically encounter in health informatics using their skills in data acquisition, project management, data presentation, and risk management. Students will also develop and submit an electronic portfolio that contains key examples of work the work they generated during their time in the program along with a self-reflection of that work.
Prerequisites: NUR 604 and NUR 607 and NUR 608 and NUR 630 and NUR 633 and NUR 636 and NUR 658 and BTE 450 and BTE 685 and Co-requisites: NUR 603 and NUR 605.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NUR 638. Adult Gerontology Acute Care III. 6 Credit Hours.
Theoretical, clinical, and research basis of advanced practice nursing in the care and management of adults in primary care setting. (2:15) Prerequisite: NUR 628.
Prerequisite: NUR 625.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Summer.

NUR 639. Acute Care Nursing of Adults II. 0-7 Credit Hours.
The second of two clinical practicums designed to guide the development of scientific knowledge and advanced practice skills in the area of acute care nursing. Designed to assist the student to assume the role of the Acute Care Nurse Practitioner/Clinical Nurse Specialist.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

NUR 640. Teaching and Learning Theory in Clinical Nursing Education. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers principles and practices of teaching and learning integral to clinical nursing education and identifies the role of the faculty in teaching students with diverse learning styles and needs within a variety of clinical settings.
**Components:** DIL.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 641. Methods for Clinical Nursing Education. 3 Credit Hours.
The focus of this course is the organization and management of instruction for clinical nursing education. Emphasis is placed on effective strategies for the development of learning opportunities in diverse clinical settings.
**Components:** DIL.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 642. Evaluation in Clinical Nursing Education. 3 Credit Hours.
The course explores principles and practices of evaluation integral to clinical nursing education.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.
NUR 643. Practicum in Nursing Education. 5 Credit Hours.
The focus of this course is laboratory and clinical application of principles of teaching and learning.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 644. Leadership and Professional Development Strategies for Nursing. 4 Credit Hours.
In this course, students will be exposed to the principles of organizational culture, dynamics, mission, vision, values, and goals as it impacts nursing. Additionally they will learn current theories of change management and resource management for nursing practice. They will explore change agent roles in project management and processes.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 645. Interdisciplinary Anesthesia Nursing I. 9 Credit Hours.
Initial integration and synthesis course of advanced knowledge and skills for interdisciplinary anesthesia nursing care. Selected topics and clinical case studies include collaborative-decision-making, effective communication, planning and evaluation for patients with complex problems and conditions across the lifespan. With continual guidance, students assume greater responsibility for culturally competent and interdisciplinary anesthesia care.
Prerequisites: NUR 601, NUR 611, NUR 612, NUR 613, NUR 614, NUR 617, NUR 619, NUR 620.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

NUR 646. Interdisciplinary Anesthesia Nursing II. 11 Credit Hours.
Second integration and synthesis course of advanced knowledge and skills for interdisciplinary anesthesia nursing care for complex problems and conditions across the lifespan. With moderate guidance students assume greater responsibility for culturally competent and interdisciplinary anesthesia care.
Prerequisite: NUR 601 and NUR 611 and NUR 612 and NUR 613 and NUR 614 and NUR 617 and NUR 619 and NUR 620 and NUR 645.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 647. Advanced Practice Nursing Integration. 6 Credit Hours.
Integration of the components of the Advanced Practice Nursing role to analyze advanced practice issues.
Prerequisite: NUR 623 and 631.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

NUR 648. Internship. 0-7 Credit Hours.
Integration and role synthesis of Advanced knowledge and skills in nurse midwifery care for women and infants within diverse cultural clinical settings. Selected topics include practice management and clinical case studies to include diagnosis, collaborative practice, planning and evaluations of care for normal and complex conditions for the female adolescent, reproductive age woman and infant, the mature women and their families.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 650. Interdisciplinary Anesthesia Nursing III. 11 Credit Hours.
This course is the third and final integration and synthesis course of advanced knowledge and skills of interdisciplinary anesthesia nursing care for complex problems and conditions across the lifespan. With minimal guidance students assume greater responsibility for culturally competent and interdisciplinary anesthesia care.
Prerequisite: NUR 646.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NUR 651. Qualitative Data Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
The course is designed to help the student develop skills and understanding relating to the advanced analysis of qualitative data. The course assumes all students will either be in or nearing the analysis stages in their research. Focus is on preparation and management of text and media data for analyses; the creation and application of various types of coding to data; the distinctions in coding data evolving from different qualitative approaches; and analysis of longitudinal qualitative data. Permission required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
NUR 652. Introduction to Clinical Inquiry I. 3 Credit Hours.
Combines clinical knowledge and hands-on clinical experience in an area of the student's potential research interest. Students will practice under the supervision of an advanced practice nurse in the specialty area. Students are expected to begin the process of identifying clinical research problems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

NUR 653. Introduction to Clinical Inquiry II. 5 Credit Hours.
Combines clinical knowledge and hands-on clinical experience in an area of the student’s potential research interest. Students will practice under the supervision of an advanced practice nurse in a specialty area. There will be a focus on health care delivery systems. Students are expected to translate clinical problems into researchable questions.
Prerequisite: NUR 674 Or NUR 669.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

NUR 654. The Evolution of Nursing Practice and Application of Theory in Nursing Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an overview of the conceptual foundations of nursing science and nursing practice. Knowledge from basic and applied sciences and ethics as well as the history of the global evolution of nursing practice are examined.
Requisite: Enrollment in the DNP Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

NUR 655. Health Care Management, Economics, Financing, and Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an overview of health care management, financing, ethics and core and advanced concepts of health care economics. This course will also examine issues associated with health care management, economics, and ethics.
Requisite: Enrollment in the DNP Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 656. Global Health. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers diverse topics that affect the health of the population and advanced practice nursing internationally.
Requisite: Enrollment in the DNP Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 657. Population Based Health and Health Care Disparities. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an overview of knowledge from nursing, public health and other disciplines for population based assessment. Population based models and frameworks from nursing, public health, and other disciplines will be explored. The importance of cultural and ethical dimensions in program development is highlighted.
Prerequisites: NUR 654 and NUR 656 and NUR 663 and NUR 664.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

NUR 658. Health Policy Development and Implementation. 3 Credit Hours.
An exploration of health care organizations and healthcare policy, and how change is effected in both. Health care policy and planning to address health care disparities at the local, state, and federal levels will be explored. Organizational diagnosis, organizational change, and ethical dimension of public policy formulations and implementation will be highlighted.
Requisite: Enrollment in the DNP Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NUR 659. Technology in Health Care. 3 Credit Hours.
An exploration of the various aspects of the evolving technology to improve and transform health care and advanced practice nursing. This course prepares DNP nursing students to design, select and use technology to support, manage, and improve patient care and health care systems.
Requisite: Enrollment in the DNP Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
NUR 660. Translational Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Emphasis is on translational science which includes organizational readiness and promoting change in a health care environment. Focus is on utilizing systematic analysis to identify, plan, execute and appraise best evidence on selected topics.
Prerequisites: NUR 654 and NUR 663 and NUR 664.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

NUR 662. Nursing Epistemology. 3 Credit Hours.
Focus on historical and philosophical perspectives in the development of knowledge and patterns of knowing with in-depth examination of the evolution of nursing science. Analysis of concepts relevant to nursing phenomena. Approaches to scientific development in nursing with emphasis on theory building and theory generation.
Requisite: Must Be A Nursing PhD Student Or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 663. Research. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an analysis of evidence-based nursing practice. During the course, students acquire the knowledge base to resolve clinical practice problems and direct evidence-based practice.
Requisite: Enrollment in the DNP Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

NUR 664. Applied Biostatistics for Nursing Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an overview of basic statistical concepts and computer applications related to healthcare, nursing, and biomedical research. An examination of both parametric and non-parametric statistics in program evaluation, testing and process outcomes, and/or basic research studies is included.
Requisite: Enrollment in the DNP Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

NUR 665. Quantitative Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
In-depth exploration of research methods and design for quantitative research in nursing. Emphasis on development of a research problem; quantitative research design from descriptive to randomized clinical trials; epidemiologic designs; threats to validity; sampling and power analysis; measurement including psychometric theory, data collection and management; and interpretation of data. Other topics include ethics, human subjects' protection, and translation of findings into practice.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 667. Research Practicum. 1 Credit Hour.
Student participates in an ongoing research project under the guidance of a faculty member. Conducts the practical aspects of research including: IRB application/continuing reports, data collection and management.
Prerequisite: NUR 665 and NUR 670.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 669. Symptom Science in Nursing. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide the student with knowledge of symptom science in nursing, including biological, behavioral, environmental, socio-cultural, and clinical factors that may influence the trajectory of chronic illness. The course will also focus on theories and research designs to define and measure symptom experiences in health and illness for individuals and families.
Prerequisite: NUR 662 and NUR 665 and NUR 670.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
NUR 670. Qualitative Methods in Research. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of inductive approaches to research and the use of qualitative methods including grounded theory, ethnography, focus group, and phenomenology. The techniques include unstructured and structured interviews. Discussion of techniques, analysis, and the ethical and political implications of special problems in qualitative research.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NUR 672. DNP Scholarly Project Seminar I. 3 Credit Hours.
Emphasis is on translational science which includes organizational readiness and promoting change in a health care environment. Focus is on utilizing systematic analysis to identify, plan, execute and appraise best evidence on selected topics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

NUR 673. DNP Scholarly Project Seminar II. 3 Credit Hours.
This second capstone course is the implementation and evaluation of the project developed in Capstone I.
Prerequisite: NUR 672.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 674. Applied Statistics: Generalized Linear and General Estimating Equations. 4 Credit Hours.
Overview of GLM, GZLM, and GEE, which combine many aspects of ANOVA/ANCOVA and multiple regression models for continuous and categorical independent and dependent variables, moderation/mediation, multiple independent variables, and repeated measures of dependent variables. Computer applications using real data and standard statistical software packages will be utilized.
Prerequisite: NUR 665 and NUR 670.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NUR 676. Practice Immersion Experience I. 2-12 Credit Hours.
This course contains individually precepted learning experiences across the spectrum of advanced practice nursing in a variety of settings. Students develop expertise within the scope of their nursing practice.
Requisite: Enrollment in the DNP Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NUR 677. Practice Immersion Experience II. 2-12 Credit Hours.
This course contains individually precepted learning experiences across the spectrum of advanced practice nursing in a variety of settings. Students develop expertise within the scope of their nursing practice.
Requisite: Enrollment in the DNP Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NUR 678. Applied Statistics: Structural Equation Modeling and Hierarchical Linear Modeling. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of structural equation modeling (SEM) and hierarchical linear modeling (HLM) for continuous, categorical, longitudinal, and nested data. Computer applications using real data and statistical software packages (Exel, SPSS, Mplus).
Prerequisite: NUR 674.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 680. Research Ethics. 1 Credit Hour.
This is a hybrid course that addresses the ethical and responsible conduct of research, protection of human subjects, and nursing science career development.
Requisite: Must Be A Nursing PhD Student Or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 681. Measurement of Nursing Phenomenon. 3 Credit Hours.
Development of instruments to measure a phenomenon of concern within the domain of nursing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 682. Advanced Practice Psychopharmacology. 2 Credit Hours.
Review of common psychoactive medications, classes, uses, effects, side effects, and prescriptive implications.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
NUR 683. Theoretical Bases for Advanced Practice Psychiatric Mental Health Nursing. 2 Credit Hours.
Review of theories and practice of individual, group and, family therapy; role of advanced practice mental health nursing, ethics, research, legislative practice.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NUR 684. Advanced Practice Psychiatric Mental Health Nursing Therapeutic Interventions. 5 Credit Hours.
Assessment and treatment of persons with major psychiatric disorders.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NUR 685. Advanced Practice Psychiatric Mental Health Nursing Preceptorship. 4 Credit Hours.
Clinical preceptorship with experience in individual, and group, therapy. Includes experiences in prescribing psychoactive medications.
Prerequisites: NUR 682 and NUR 683 and NUR 684.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 686. Advanced Practice Psychiatric Mental Health Nursing Preceptorship II. 5 Credit Hours.
Clinical preceptorship with experience in individual, and family therapy. Includes experiences in prescribing psychoactive medications.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

NUR 688. Health Systems Development and Leadership Practice Immersion II. 2 Credit Hours.
This course contains individually precepted learning experiences across the spectrum of nursing in a variety of settings. Students develop expertise within the scope of their nursing practice.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

NUR 689. New Method of Implementation-Practice Immersion Experience III. 2 Credit Hours.
This course contains individually precepted learning experiences across the spectrum of nursing in a variety of settings. Students develop expertise within the scope of their nursing practice.
Prerequisites: NUR 676, NUR 688.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 690. Independent Study. 1-6 Credit Hours.
A in depth study of a specified area in advanced nursing of special interest to the student, under faculty guidance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

NUR 694. Clinical Praticum for DNP Nurse Anesthesia Clinical. 7 Credit Hours.
This course is the clinical integration and synthesis of advanced knowledge and skills of interdisciplinary anesthesia nursing care for complex problems and conditions across the lifespan. Students assume responsibility for culturally competent and interdisciplinary anesthesia care with minimal assistance.
Prerequisite NUR 650.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

NUR 695. Clinical Praticum for DNP Nurse Anesthesia. 9 Credit Hours.
This course is the clinical integration and synthesis of advanced knowledge and skills of interdisciplinary anesthesia nursing care for complex problems and conditions across the lifespan. Students assume responsibility for culturally competent and interdisciplinary anesthesia care with minimal assistance.
Prerequisite: NUR 694.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
NUR 696. Crafting the Dissertation Proposal Part I. 2 Credit Hours.
The course is designed to help students focus and refine their ideas for their dissertation proposals. Focus is on developing and refining the ideas for the dissertation, and writing the introductory/review of the literature/methods chapters. The student will also begin preparation for a grant submission. During the semester, the course coordinators will assist the student in choosing a dissertation chair who will also provide input into the proposal.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 697. Selected Topics. 0-12 Credit Hours.
Subject matter offerings based upon student demand and availability of faculty. Subtitles describing topics will be shown in class schedule in parentheses after selected topic notation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 698. Selected Topics. 0-6 Credit Hours.
Subject matter offerings based upon student demand and availability of faculty. Subtitles describing topics will be shown in class schedule in parentheses after selected topic notation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 699. Special Topics in Nursing Research. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed or independent research in collaboration with a faculty member providing opportunity for participation in ongoing nursing research. Specific requirements and credit allocation determined by contractual arrangement between student and faculty member.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

NUR 700. Post Master Clinical. 0-12 Credit Hours.
Post Master Clinical
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NUR 701. Clinical Continuation. 0-6 Credit Hours.
Clinical Continuation
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NUR 702. Adult Gerontology III. 7 Credit Hours.
Integration of the components of the Advanced Practice Nursing role to analyze adult gerontology advanced practice issues.
Prerequisite: NUR 631.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

NUR 707. Becoming a Successful Nurse Scientist. 2 Credit Hours.
This course builds skills for academic and career success, provides a forum for discussing current issues in nursing that have implications for research, and professional development.
Prerequisite: NUR 681 and NUR 679.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NUR 708. Scholarship in Nursing. 1 Credit Hour.
In this course, students will individually with a faculty member to develop the study's scholarship. Faculty and students will identify student strengths and weaknesses and create a specific plan for improvement. The goal of this course is to produce a student first author manuscript for submission to a peer-reviewed scientific journal, and an abstract for submission to a scientific conference.
Prerequisite: NUR 674 and NUR 680 and NUR 669.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.
NUR 709. Selected Topics in Nursing Research. 3 Credit Hours.
This course involves a critical analysis of emerging issues in nursing research, including priority research areas of the National Institute of Nursing Research (NINR) and the focal research areas of the School of Nursing and Health Studies.
Prerequisite: NUR 679 and NUR 708.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 796. Crafting the Dissertation Part 2. 2 Credit Hours.
The course is designed to help students: learn how to pursue funding for their dissertation research; and write the third (methods) chapter of their dissertation proposal. In addition to attending class, students are expected to meet regularly with their advisor (future Dissertation Chair) to obtain his/her input on assignments.
Prerequisite: NUR 696. And NUR 671.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NUR 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: DIS.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

NUR 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor but not for less than a total of 12 credits. Not more than 12 hours of NUR 730 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session. A student who has passed (a) qualifying examinations, and (b) is engaged in an assistantship, may still take the maximum allowable credit stated above.
Components: THI.
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Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

NUR 850. Research in Residence. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
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BSN to DNP
BSN-to-DNP Degree Requirements
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To receive the BSN-to-DNP, students must:
1. Complete all course work as required with an overall GPA of 3.0 or better
2. Complete all required clinical and practice immersion hours
3. Successfully complete the DNP scholarly project before graduation
4. Successfully complete annual benchmark exams, before progressing into next phase of the program
5. Successfully pass the DNP comprehensive examination, which is an integrative experience to demonstrate students’ mastery of the outcome objectives of the program
6. Pass a comprehensive clinical nurse anesthesia oral board examination

Four tracks are offered within the BSN to DNP program:
1. Nurse Anesthesia
2. Acute Care
3. Family Nurse Practitioner
4. Adult Geriatric Primary Care

**Admission Requirements**

1. Bachelor’s and Master’s degrees, preferably in nursing, from regionally-accredited institutions
2. Minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 for the Bachelor’s and Master’s degrees
3. Introductory statistics course
4. Two letters of recommendation, preferably from individuals with doctorates in nursing
   a. At least one reference from an academic source.
5. Statement of professional goals
6. Current CV/resume
7. Current, unrestricted RN license to practice nursing in the State of Florida or the state/territory of current practice
8. Current Basic Life Support (BLS) for Health Care Providers certification
   a. Only BLS certifications from the American Heart Association are accepted.
9. National certification in a nursing specialty
10. Documentation of clinical hours in Master’s course of study (download form)
   a. Applicants must have a minimum of 440 precepted clinical hours or supervised residency hours at the Master’s level.
   b. If an applicant does not have the minimum 440 hours, a portfolio (download portfolio template) and a Verification of Clinical Hours Equivalency form (download form) may be submitted for evaluation of clinical hours equivalency.

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*Note: This course is completed online via Blackboard prior to matriculation. Students are registered for the course in their first semester.

**Note: This course is 28 Lab Hours.

Mission

The purpose of the DNP program is to prepare scholars and researchers to contribute to the growth of nursing practice and health care delivery through recognized methods of scholarly inquiry and dissemination of practice innovations. Additionally, graduates of this program will be prepared to collaborate with PhD colleagues to provide innovative leadership to the profession and make the practice of nursing more effective.

Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will integrate knowledge, theories, and concepts from the biophysical, psychosocial, analytical, and organization sciences to develop ethical health care systems and new frontiers for nursing practice which assist with the resolution of health care disparities.
- Students will be able to evaluate research methods and findings to create an evidence base for nursing practice and health care delivery systems that reflect best practices and alleviate health care disparities.
- Students will be able to make meaningful contributions in the area of developing quality, cost effective health care collaborations addressing health care disparities.

MS - Health Informatics (online)

This program is no longer accepting students pending approval by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges.

Degree Requirements

The health informatics field is growing. The Bureau of Labor Statistics projects that employment in the field of health informatics increases 23% by 2022, much faster than average of 11% for all occupations nationwide. The UM’s online Health Informatics program is designed to prepare graduates for rewarding informatics careers in a wide range of industries within health care, including hospitals, government, health insurance providers, medical vendors, pharmaceutical and biotechnology companies, and consulting firms. With the ongoing implementation of the Affordable Care Act, these roles will be essential as more organizations begin moving to electronic health care record systems.

The Health Informatics program prepares graduates to enter or excel in this field by offering rigorous courses, which cover:

- Information security
- Data analytics
- Project management
- Public health informatics
- Health information exchange
- Database design

The program includes a 3 credit capstone practicum, which allows students to apply the informatics knowledge they have gained to real-world situations and problems.

The Health Informatics program is a lock-step program. Students must complete the coursework as specified in the Plan of Study for the specific track under which they were admitted and as listed in the Academic Bulletin and the Student Handbook (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/current_students/student_handbooks/). Students must also successfully complete the courses in each semester to progress to the next.

Questions related to degree requirements should be directed to the UOnline Academic Advisors (https://miami.laureatepartners.net/student-experience/student-support/).

Admission

For information on admission to the program please click here (https://miami.laureatepartners.net/programs/masters-in-health-informatics/).
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Plan of Study

The Health Informatics program is a lock-step program. Students must complete the coursework in the order specified in the Plan of Study below, and they must successfully complete each course to progress to the next. Students are admitted to begin the program in the fall, spring, or summer. Questions related to degree requirements should be directed to the UOnline Academic Advisors (http://www.miami.edu/online/student-services/).

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Mission

The mission of the MS Health Informatics program is to prepare highly competent health informatics professionals who can advance the frontiers of healthcare through their leadership and innovation.

Goals

Student Learning Outcomes

- Demonstrate advanced knowledge of computer information systems (Meditech, Epic, Cerner, etc), health care databases, systems administration and project management.
- Apply various strategies for maintaining information security and regulating data access.
- Students will be able to organize, retrieve, manage and develop health information data and knowledge.
**MSN - Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner**

**Degree Requirements**

The Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner program may be completed by finishing one of the following tracks:

- Full-time (3 Semesters)
- Part-time (5 Semesters)

The Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner program is a lock-step program. Students must complete the coursework as specified in the Plan of Study for the specific track under which they were admitted and as listed in the Academic Bulletin and the Student Handbook (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/current_students/student_handbooks/). Students must also successfully complete the courses in each semester to progress to the next. Questions related to degree requirements should be directed to the appropriate Associate Dean or Program Director, or staff member in the OSS (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/office_of_student_services/).

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**Plan of Study (listed by track)**

The Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner program is a lock-step program. Students must complete the coursework as specified in the Plan of Study below and in the Student Handbook (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/current_students/student_handbooks/) for the specific track under which they were admitted. Students must also successfully complete the courses in each semester to progress to the next. Questions related to degree requirements should be directed to the appropriate Associate Dean or Program Director, or staff member in the OSS (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/office_of_student_services/).

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2. This course is completed online via Blackboard prior to matriculation. Students are registered for the course in their first semester.
Mission
The mission of the MSN program is to educate students and support faculty committed to excellence in the art and science of nursing and health care studies through creating and disseminating health knowledge and developing culturally competent leaders to provide safe service to our community, the nation, and the world.

Goals
Student Learning Outcomes
- Students will be able to incorporate professional ethics and social justice in the development of the advanced practice role.
- Students will demonstrate proficiency in comprehensive health assessment of individuals and families across the lifespan at an advanced practice nursing level.
- Students in the Adult Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner Track will be able to synthesize concepts and theories from the basic sciences, humanities, and medicine in learning to deliver care to this population of patients.

MSN - Adult-Gerontology Primary Care Nurse Practitioner
Degree Requirements
The Adult-Gerontology Primary Care Nurse Practitioner program may be completed by finishing one of the following tracks:

- Full-time (3 Semesters)
- Part-time (5 Semesters)
- Part-time Sylvester Program (6 Semesters)

The Adult-Gerontology Primary Care Nurse Practitioner program is a lock-step program. Students must complete the coursework as specified in the Plan of Study below and in the Student Handbook (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/current_students/student_handbooks/) for the specific track under which they were admitted. Students must also successfully complete the courses in each semester to progress to the next. Questions related to degree requirements should be directed to the appropriate Associate Dean or Program Director, or staff member in the OSS (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/office_of_student_services/).

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**Total Program**

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**Part-time (5 Semesters) Plan of Study**

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Part-time Sylvester Program (6 Semesters) Plan of Study

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Goals

Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will be able to incorporate professional ethics and social justice in the development of the advanced practice role.
- Students will demonstrate proficiency in comprehensive health assessment of individuals and families across the lifespan at an advanced practice nursing level.
- Students from the Adult Gerontology Primary Care Nurse Practitioner program will be able to identify, describe, analyze and evaluate a topic on issues of aging which will demonstrate ability to integrate and manage health and social problems in the Adult Gerontology population.

MSN - Family Nurse Practitioner

Degree Requirements

The Family Nurse Practitioner program may be completed by finishing one of the following tracks:

- Full-time (3 Semesters)
- Part-time (5 Semesters)

The Family Nurse Practitioner program is a lock-step program. Students must complete the coursework as specified in the Plan of Study for the specific track under which they were admitted and as listed in the Academic Bulletin and the Student Handbook (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/current_students/student_handbooks/). Students must also successfully complete the courses in each semester to progress to the next. Questions related to degree requirements should be directed to the appropriate Associate Dean or Program Director, or staff member in the OSS (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/office_of_student_services/).

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Plan of Study (listed by track)

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**MSN to DNP**

**MSN-to-DNP Degree Requirements**

The MSN-to-DNP program may be completed by finishing one of the following tracks:

- 1 Year
- 1 Year Plus
- 2 Year (Fall Entry)
- 2 Year (Spring Entry)

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To receive the MSN-to-DNP, students must:

1. Complete all coursework as required with an overall GPA of 3.0 or better
2. Complete all required clinical hours
3. Successfully complete the DNP scholarly project
4. Successfully pass a comprehensive examination, which is an integrative experience to demonstrate students’ mastery of the outcome objectives of the program

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The purpose of the DNP program is to prepare scholars and researchers to contribute to the growth of nursing practice and health care delivery through recognized methods of scholarly inquiry and dissemination of practice innovations. Additionally, graduates of this program will be prepared to collaborate with PhD colleagues to provide innovative leadership to the profession and make the practice of nursing more effective.

Student Learning Outcomes
• Students will integrate knowledge, theories, and concepts from the biophysical, psychosocial, analytical, and organization sciences to develop ethical health care systems and new frontiers for nursing practice which assist with the resolution of health care disparities.
• Students will be able to evaluate research methods and findings to create an evidence base for nursing practice and health care delivery systems that reflect best practices and alleviate health care disparities.
• Students will be able to make meaningful contributions in the area of developing quality, cost effective health care collaborations addressing health care disparities.

PhD - Nursing Science

PhD, Nursing Science Degree Requirements
The PhD in Nursing Science program may be completed by finishing one of the following tracks:

• BSN-to-PhD
• MSN-to-PhD

The PhD in Nursing Science program is a lock-step program. Students must complete the coursework as specified in the Plan of Study for the specific track under which they were admitted and as listed in the Academic Bulletin and the Student Handbook (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/current_students/student_handbooks/). Students must also successfully complete the courses in each semester to progress to the next. Questions related to degree requirements should be directed to the appropriate Associate Dean or Program Director, or staff member in the OSS (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/office_of_student_services/).

To receive the PhD degree, the candidate must meet all the general requirements for the PhD degree with respect to course work, residency, the qualifying examination, 12 credit hours of dissertation, and successful defense of the dissertation.

Students in the SONHS are responsible for meeting their degree requirements. It is the student’s responsibility to understand fully and comply with all the provisions of the Academic Bulletin and written changes to their Plan of Study. Students are provided assistance by faculty advisors and other faculty members. Requests for deviation from the Plan of Study or SONHS requirements are granted only by written approval from the Associate Dean or Dean. Students who are in violation of the provisions of this Academic Bulletin may be withdrawn from classes unilaterally or have a stop placed upon their future enrollment by appropriate SONHS officials. The SONHS reserves the right to change academic requirements to include course offerings that ensure students receive the highest-quality and most-current education. Classes may be held on weekdays or weekends and will be listed as such in the course schedule. Any programmatic changes are transmitted by written notice in the Student Handbook (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/current_students/student_handbooks/) or by an official in the SONHS.

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PhD, Nursing Science Plan of Study

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**MSN-to-PhD Plan of Study**

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**Mission**

The purpose of the PhD Program in Nursing is to prepare scholars and researchers to contribute to the growth of nursing science through recognized methods of scholarly inquiry and dissemination of research findings. Additionally, graduates of this program will be prepared to provide innovative leadership to the profession and make the practice of nursing more effective.

**Goals**

The program prepares students to:

- Synthesize knowledge from nursing and other disciplines to extend the science of nursing;
- Demonstrate cultural competence and ethical practices in conducting qualitative and quantitative research methods and design;
- Conduct research in a focused area of scientific inquiry;
- Disseminate scholarly findings for the purposes of building and expanding the science of nursing;
- Provide creative and visionary leadership for the advancement of nursing science; and
- Engage in scholarly interdisciplinary inquiry.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Students will demonstrate the ability to synthesize knowledge from nursing and other disciplines.
- Demonstrate ethical practices in designing and conducting qualitative and quantitative research studies.
- Students will develop proficiency in scholarly writing.

**Post Masters Certificate - Adult Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner**

**Degree Requirements**

A Post-Master’s Certificate in Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner is available to students who possess a MSN degree and who wish to focus in this specific area of advanced practice nursing and nursing education. All students are required to complete core courses for their selected area of study and may be required to take additional courses at the graduate level based on their gap analysis.

Once the gap analysis is complete, students will be issued a Plan of Study specific to their level of preparation. The Post-Master’s Certificate program is then lock-step, which means students must complete the coursework as specified in their Plan of Study and must successfully complete the courses in each semester to progress to the next. Questions related to degree requirements should be directed to the appropriate Associate Dean or Program Director, or staff member in the OSS (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/office_of_student_services/).
Sample Plan of Study

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The following is a sample Plan of Study for a student who only needs to complete the core courses to earn the Post-Master's Certificate in Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner:

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Post Masters Certificate - Adult Gerontology Primary Care Nurse Practitioner

Degree Requirements

A Post-Master's Certificate in Adult-Gerontology Primary Care Nurse Practitioner is available to students who possess a MSN degree and who wish to focus in this specific area of advanced practice nursing and nursing education. All students are required to complete core courses for their selected area of study and may be required to take additional courses at the graduate level based on their gap analysis.

Once the gap analysis is complete, students will be issued a Plan of Study specific to their level of preparation. The Post-Master's Certificate program is then lock-step, which means students must complete the coursework as specified in their Plan of Study and must successfully complete the courses in each semester to progress to the next. Questions related to degree requirements should be directed to the appropriate Associate Dean or Program Director, or staff member in the OSS (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/office_of_student_services/).

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Post Masters Certificate - Family Nurse Practitioner

Degree Requirements

A Post-Master's Certificate in Family Nurse Practitioner is available to students who possess a MSN degree and who wish to focus in this specific area of advanced practice nursing and nursing education. All students are required to complete core courses for their selected area of study and may be required to take additional courses at the graduate level based on their gap analysis.

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Sample Plan of Study

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Post Masters Certificate - Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner

Degree Requirements

The Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner program is a lock-step program. Students must complete the coursework as specified in the Plan of Study for the specific track under which they were admitted and as listed in the Academic Bulletin and the Student Handbook (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/current_students/student_handbooks/). Students must also successfully complete the courses in each semester to progress to the next. Questions related to degree requirements should be directed to the appropriate Associate Dean or Program Director, or staff member in the OSS (http://www.miami.edu/sonhs/index.php/sonhs/office_of_student_services/).

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Post-Bachelors Certificate - Health Informatics (online)

This program is no longer accepting students pending approval by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges.

Degree Requirements

UOnline’s flexible Informatics programs give students the option to complete their MS in Health Informatics while earning a Post-Bachelor's Certificate in Health Informatics along the way or to focus on just earning the Post-Bachelor's Certificate itself. The 15 credit Post-Bachelor’s Certificate is made up of the first 5 classes of the MS program. Credits completed for the Post-Bachelor’s Certificate can be applied toward the MS degree.

The health informatics field is growing. The Bureau of Labor Statistics projects that employment in the field of health informatics increases 23% by 2022, much faster than average of 11% for all occupations nationwide. The UM's online Post-Bachelor's Certificate program is designed to prepare graduates for rewarding informatics careers in a wide range of industries within health care, including hospitals, government, health insurance providers, medical vendors, pharmaceutical and biotechnology companies, and consulting firms. With the ongoing implementation of the Affordable Care Act, these roles will be essential as more organizations begin moving to electronic health care record systems.

The Post-Bachelor’s Certificate program is a lock-step program. Students must complete the coursework as specified in the Plan of Study for the specific track under which they were admitted and as listed in the Academic Bulletin and the Student Handbook (http://www.sonhs.miami.edu/...
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**Mission**

The mission of the MS Health Informatics program is to prepare highly competent health informatics professionals who can advance the frontiers of healthcare through their leadership and innovation.

**Goals**

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- Demonstrate advanced knowledge of computer information systems (Meditech, Epic, Cerner, etc), health care databases, systems administration and project management.
Message from the Dean

Graduate school at the University of Miami is a place where students gain proficiency in a specialty with the guidance of dedicated faculty in the presence of a community of world-class scholars. UM students are thought leaders and innovators whose accomplishments are showcased on a global stage. Our students represent the best and the brightest and their engagement with our faculty continues to elevate the University.

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The Graduate Student Handbook for Online Students

The Graduate Student Handbook for Online Students is an excellent resource for graduate online students at the University of Miami. The Handbook contains all applicable policies and valuable information for graduate online students compiled into one comprehensive manual. Online graduate student enrollment is governed by this Handbook. This handbook describes policies and procedures pertaining to the Graduate School and online graduate study at the University of Miami. Policies or procedures for online graduate students may vary from policies or procedures of campus-based graduate students. This Graduate Student Handbook is applicable to UOnline Students only. In the event of a conflict between this handbook for online graduate students and any other applicable University policies or procedures, the terms of this handbook shall control. It is the student’s responsibility to be aware of and comply with all policies, procedures and deadlines. Although the Handbook contains general information, students should be aware of regulations and policies that directly pertain to individual graduate programs, as many programs have additional requirements of their own, as well as a program handbook.

Policies Modification

This is the official University of Miami source for the enrollment, business, and financial policies associated with the University’s UOnline programs. The University reserves the right to amend and update these policies at any point in the future. Amendments to these policies will be published on the University Registrar’s website.

Additional University of Miami Policies

Please also consult these policies:

- Our privacy statement (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/privacy_statement/) for our privacy and data collection polices.
- Technology policies
  - Acceptable Use of Information Technology Resources (http://www.miami.edu/it/index.php/a060_acceptable_use_of_info_tech_resources_by_students/)
  - Use of University Computing Facilities (http://www.miami.edu/it/index.php/a046_use_of_university_computing_facilities/)

About the Graduate School

The Graduate School is the administrative body overseeing all master’s and doctoral programs.

Mission and Goal Statement

The mission of the Graduate School is to promote graduate education, scholarship and research; to support individuals, departments and programs in the pursuit of excellence; to foster innovative, multidisciplinary, and interdisciplinary activities; and to maintain high ethical and academic standards in graduate studies.
The standards of study and conduct in the Graduate School are high. They are not set and maintained by the Graduate School but rather by the faculty who determine the standards for their individual program. The Graduate School through its Council sets no course requirements for a degree. It does set certain general residence, grade and examination standards. Fundamentally, the Graduate School delegates responsibility to the student and his/her program. Within this broad responsibility, the recommendation for the degree rests with the faculty.

**Academic Calendar**

Please visit the Office of the University Registrar (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/) website for the most recent academic calendar for UOnline programs.

**Definitions**

**New Student**

A new student is a student who has been admitted to a program and paid the enrollment deposit but not yet completed the first 7 days of the first program course.

**Continuing Student**

A continuing student is a student who has completed at least the first 7 days of the first course in their program and not yet graduated from the program.

**Course**

A course is an educational component made up of academic content, assignments and activities, the successful completion of which earns a student credit hours toward completion of a program. A course is delivered and accessed online via a learning management system (LMS). A course is 7 weeks long.

**Academic Plan/Program of Study**

A series of courses that make up a full degree or certificate program. All courses in a program must be successfully completed for a student to be considered for graduation.

**Academic Year**

The academic year is August through July and consists of 3 terms (Fall, Spring, Summer).

**Term**

A term is the discrete length of time in which courses are offered. A term is 15-weeks long and encompasses two 7-week sessions with a 1-week break in between them.

- Fall Term is August – December
- Spring Term is January – April
- Summer Term is May – July

**Session**

A session is the discrete length of time during which a single course is completed. A session is 7-weeks long.

**General Academic Requirements and Regulations**

All graduate work (except for the master’s degree in Law, J.D. in Law, and M.D. degree) at the University of Miami is under the direction of the Dean of the Graduate School and the Graduate Council.

All graduate students at the University of Miami are subject to the general standards and requirements of their programs in regard to attendance, examinations, payment of fees and conduct, as well as to the specific requirements of the Graduate School. The graduate student is expected to assume the initiative in completing all requirements in the time specified.

Prospective students should note that “graduate study” means an integrated program of advanced, specialized study, based on an undergraduate major and/or adequate background, presupposing academic and personal maturity, and making much more than average demand upon the industry, initiative and scholarship of the student. The term must be distinguished from “post-graduation study” which means merely that courses, not necessarily of graduate level, are taken after the student has received a bachelor’s degree.

To preserve its ideals of scholarship, conduct, and character, the Graduate School reserves the right and the student by his/her registration concedes the right, to require the withdrawal of any student for any reason deemed sufficient by the Graduate School at any time.
Time to Completion

Time to completion starts when a student begins any program in the Graduate School. All work must be completed within three (3) years of the start date to the graduate program, for those studying for the various master’s degrees. Individual programs may set a shorter time period. Exceptions may be granted by the Dean of the Graduate School at the request of the Graduate Program Director. Course availability may vary by program and term; therefore students who may need to withdraw or take a break from their program should work directly with their Academic Advisor (https://myonlinesupport.miami.edu/advising/) to ensure timely completion within the three (3) year window. Students in the UOnline Applied Learning Sciences (Master’s & Doctoral) and Frost Online graduate programs have six (6) years to complete their requirements for graduation.

A student is ineligible for financial aid when it becomes mathematically impossible for him/her to complete the program within 150% of the length of the program. The length of the program is the amount of time necessary for a student to complete all requirements for a degree or certificate.

Each online degree program has a minimum time within which a student may complete the degree if the student takes the courses on a continually enrolled basis. Online degrees are flexible, and the actual time to completion, within the three-year limit, can vary by student. However, if a student is not continuously enrolled for a period greater than one year, he or she must reapply to the program and will lose any tuition discounts previously applied to their account. A student may be eligible for any tuition discounts available to new students at the time of the student’s re-admission, and should contact the Online Enrollment Office to see if they qualify.

Graduate Transfer Credits

• Transfer credits from an outside institution may not be applied toward any online degree in the School of Business.
• A maximum of 6 credit hours may, with the permission of Program Director, be applied to the M.S. Ed. in Sport Administration degree online.
• Certain UOnline business courses may be transferable to other UOnline business programs. Students should contact their Academic Advisor (https://myonlinesupport.miami.edu/advising/) to see if their courses are eligible to transfer.
• Graduate credit hours transferred from another university may not be applied toward a graduate degree at the University of Miami if their age at the time of acceptance into the University of Miami program exceeds six years. On an individual basis, students may be permitted to validate over-aged credit hours by examination, with program approval.
• Students in the UOnline degree programs may not transfer or transfer credit hours from the online degree version of these programs to the campus based versions of the programs without the permission of the Program Director and the Dean of the school. Should a student obtain permission for such a transfer, they will not be admissible back to their original program once transferred.
• Students may not transfer any credits from any campus-based program to any of the UOnline programs without the permission of the Program Director and the Dean of the school.
• Students may not take any individual UOnline course and transfer into an existing campus program using the online course as an elective course option.
• Transfer credit hours grades will not be factored into a student’s cumulative grade point average at the University. Transfer credit hours only impact the number of credit hours earned.

Online Program Course Information

Students should review their school’s program page for more information on course descriptions, pre-requisite requirements, and other program specifics. Course sequencing is subject to change each term and does not align with campus sequencing. For additional information on course sequencing or specific online student requirements, please contact Academic Advising (https://www.tfaforms.com/433870/).

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Certificate in Financial Decision Making (p. 1999)
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Certificate in Accounting Practice (p. 1984)
Professional MBA (p. 1943)

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MSEd in Applied Learning Sciences (p. 2184)
Certificate in Applied Learning Sciences (http://bulletin.miami.edu/graduate-academic-programs/education-human-development/teaching-learning/online-applied-learning-sciences-certificate/)

**ARTS & SCIENCES**
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**NURSING**
MS Health Informatics (p. 2943)

**MUSIC**
M.A. in Arts Presenting and Live Entertainment Management (http://bulletin.miami.edu/graduate-academic-programs/music/music-media-industry/arts-presenting-ma/)
M.M. in Music Business and Entertainment Industries (http://bulletin.miami.edu/graduate-academic-programs/music/music-media-industry/music-business-entertainment-industries-mm/)
Certificate in Arts Leadership (http://bulletin.miami.edu/graduate-academic-programs/music/music-media-industry/arts-leadership-certificate/)
Certificate in Arts Management (http://bulletin.miami.edu/graduate-academic-programs/music/music-media-industry/arts-management-certificate/)
Certificate in Arts Presenting Fundamentals (http://bulletin.miami.edu/graduate-academic-programs/music/music-media-industry/arts-presenting-fundamentals-certificate/)
Certificate in Legal Aspects of Music Business (http://bulletin.miami.edu/graduate-academic-programs/music/music-media-industry/legal-aspects-of-music-business-certificate/)
Certificate in Music Business Fundamentals (http://bulletin.miami.edu/graduate-academic-programs/music/music-media-industry/music-business-fundamentals-certificate/)
Certificate in Music Entrepreneurship (http://bulletin.miami.edu/graduate-academic-programs/music/music-media-industry/music-entrepreneurship-certificate/)
Certificate in Music Rights Administration and Licensing (http://bulletin.miami.edu/graduate-academic-programs/music/music-media-industry/music-rights-administration-licensing-certificate/)
Certificate in Tour and Live Entertainment Administration (http://bulletin.miami.edu/graduate-academic-programs/music/music-media-industry/tour-and-live-entertainment-administration-certificate/)

**Registration**

**Registration and Online Course Access**
Registration starts about 4 weeks before each term. Each term contains two 7-week sessions with about a 1-week break in between each session. Students will have access to their online course via Blackboard approximately four (4) days before the first day of class. New and continuing students will be automatically registered by their advisor, and are only registered for classes at the beginning of each semester. Students may take time off from their program, but run the risk of exceeding the time to completion requirements depending on available course sequencing. Students who wish to take time off should contact their Academic Advisor (https://myonlinesupport.miami.edu/advising/) prior to their withdrawal to ensure appropriate course availability and to determine their ability to complete their degree program in the required time frame upon the student’s return. All UOnline students will have an Academic Advising hold showing in their CaneLink account throughout the remainder of their program. This hold will not be removed and is used for registration purposes only. Students should pay close attention to the Academic Calendar for important registration deadlines.

**New Student Registration**
Students will be eligible for registration once the University has received their enrollment deposit, paid in full, and once students have completed and passed their required Student Readiness Orientation (SRO) no later that their given deadline. Students will be registered into courses for the entire first term, both first and second sessions (2 courses per term), by the Office of the University Registrar. In some cases, students may be registered for their Session I course prior to the start of the term and registered for their Session II course up to 10 days after Session I begins. If this occurs, a student may request to have their Session II course added prior to the start of the term by contacting Academic Advising (https://www.tfaforms.com/433870/). Students will have access to the online course approximately 4 days before each session start date. New students enrolled in a Certificate program, but plan on applying to a Master’s program upon completion, are encouraged to contact Academic Advising (https://www.tfaforms.com/433870/) immediately to discuss the most optimal registration options available.

**Continuing Student Registration**
Students will be eligible for registration provided they have no financial or other holds on their account or are not withdrawn. If a student has previously withdrawn from their UOnline program, and it has been less than one year since they have been enrolled, the student should contact their
Academic Advisor (https://www.tfaforms.com/433870/) to be re-enrolled for the upcoming term no later than the Readmission Deadline for their desired term. Please refer to the UOnline Academic Calendar (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/) for important deadlines regarding registration for continuing students. Students will be registered into courses for the entire term, both first and second sessions (2 courses per term), by the Office of the University Registrar. Students will have access to their course approximately 4 days before each session start date.

Financial, Academic and Other Holds
If students have any financial or other holds, they will not be registered into a course until they have met the requirements to remove the hold. Please refer to the UOnline Academic Calendar (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/) for important dates regarding registration for continuing students and readmission. Students will not be registered past the deadline due to delayed payments on the students account. Tuition for each term must be paid in full and cannot be deferred to a future term.

Full-Time Study
All online programs are designed for students to attend full-time. Students are considered full-time pending they meet the credit requirements posted by the Office of the University Registrar. Students should contact their Academic Advisor (https://www.tfaforms.com/433870/) for further information on part time status.

In all cases, determination as to whether or not a student is in full-time study is the privilege of the Dean of the Graduate School and the Office of the University Registrar.

No full-time faculty member may be a full-time online student, whether or not working toward a degree. Nor may a full-time online student be a full-time faculty member.

No full-time online student will be a principal investigator on any grant or contract, whether in name or fact. And no principal investigator will be a full-time online student.

Admissions

Applying to the Online Programs
In addition to holding the baccalaureate degree from an institution accredited by SACS or another regional accrediting body, the applicant for admission to the Graduate School should have the prerequisite coursework/work experience required by the program to which he/she is applying. In general, those applying for graduate admission should have achieved an overall average grade of "B" or better (3.0 G.P.A. on a 4.0 scale). International students will be required to give evidence of adequate knowledge of English through a TOEFL or IELTS test score.

Admission of a student to the University of Miami for any semester does not imply that such student will be re-enrolled in any succeeding academic semesters.

If students would like to apply to a UOnline program, they will need to create a profile and apply online via our on line application portal found here (https://myonline.miami.edu/SignIn/). Here students will be assigned a personal Enrollment Advisor who will help guide them as the student submits all the components and required documents for their application. Students’ Enrollment Advisors will also guide them through the onboarding process and be available to answer any questions. Students will then transition to their UOnline Student Advocate who will work with them through their first year, then transition to their designated Academic Advisor for important Graduation and completion requirements throughout the remainder of their program.

International Students (who attended college/university outside of the United States)
All graduate applicants who have attended a college or university outside the United States must submit official transcripts and diplomas (if available) from all colleges and universities attended to one of the three approved evaluation services listed below. Follow the specific instructions of the selected evaluation service to request a course-by-course evaluation with degree equivalency and grade point average (gpa) calculation. We do not issue any student Visa’s for International UOnline students.

The evaluation report and copy of all the official documents used in the evaluation must be sent directly from one of the three approved evaluation services to the address below. It is the responsibility of the student to ensure their evaluation is sent to the correct address. Evaluations sent to other addresses on campus will not be received and will delay the admissions process.
The evaluation report and supporting documents are required before the Admissions Committee can review the application. Any documents received by the University will become the property of the University and will not be returned to the applicant or sent to a third party including the evaluation services.

Approved Evaluation Services

• Educational Credential Evaluators, Inc. (ECE) (https://www.ece.org/)
• World Education Services (WES) (http://www.wes.org/students/)
• Josef Silny & Associates (JS&A) (https://www.jsilny.org/default.aspx)

TOEFL (Test of English as a Foreign Language) & IELTS (International English Language Testing System)

If students do not hold a U.S. undergraduate degree, they may be required to take the TOEFL exam. If they are required to submit a TOEFL score, students should visit this web page (http://www.ets.org/toefl/) to arrange to take the test. The TOEFL and IELTS scores are valid for 2 years after the test date. Some programs may require one test vs another. Please check with your UOnline Enrollment Advisor for program requirements.

The TOEFL code for the University of Miami is 5815. The IELTS code for the University of Miami is 4862.

The University will consider candidates with these minimum TOEFL scores; however, TOEFL score requirements may vary by program:

| TOEFL Internet Minimum Score | 94 |
| TOEFL Computer Minimum Score | 240 |
| TOEFL Paper Minimum Score | 600 |

TOEFL Waiver

The TOEFL requirement may be waived for non-native English speakers provided they meet one of the following criteria:

• Students earned their undergraduate degree in a country where the official language is English (this does not include degrees from just English-speaking institutions or just a country where English is spoken).
• Students studied in the United States at an undergraduate level for at least one year or the equivalent of 30 consecutive credit hours.
• Students have lived and worked in an English-speaking country for the past two or more years.

Letters of Recommendation

Students will input their recommender’s information directly into the online application which will generate an email with a unique link sent directly to the recommender. Letters of Recommendations must be submitted directly by the student’s recommender using the unique link provided to them via email. Letters of Recommendation received in a Word document, body of an email, or any other format will not be accepted. The student’s Enrollment Advisor may provide guidance to the recommender if they have technical trouble or questions regarding the process.

Admissions & Admissions Decisions

Once the University receives the student’s complete application with all required documents, the admissions review process will start.

Regular Admit (with Official Transcripts)

If the application meets the standard admissions requirements and the University has received all official transcripts, from all institutions entered on their online application, the student will receive an offer of full admission in approximately 48 business hours after the University has received the completed application. The student will receive an official email from the Enrollment Advisor and be able to view the admissions decision via their Online Application portal.

Conditional Admit (with Unofficial Transcripts and/or Test Scores)

If the application fully meets the standard admissions requirements, the student may be conditionally admitted if the University has received and accepted the unofficial transcripts for all institutions attended, as entered on their online application, and/or the student’s unofficial test scores (if required). Unofficial transcripts may be considered acceptable ONLY IF the document is in a pdf format and ALL of the following items are legible on the transcript document:

• Name of the institution
• Student name
• Cumulative Grade Point Average (preferred)
• Course numbers
• Course names
• Credit hours earned
• Grades earned
**Academic Calendar**

Students **must** pay their tuition bill or have accepted their Financial Aid Award, no later than by the payment due date. Once students are fully admitted and have paid their non-refundable enrollment deposit, and successfully passed the Student Readiness Orientation (SRO), they may be eligible to receive financial aid within the same term, provided the University has granted the student full admission during the same academic year. Students may start their course and continue through the term as long as they have been awarded Financial Aid, and have accepted their Financial Aid award no later than the first day of class. **Student’s Financial Aid funds will not be disbursed** until the student has participated in their first course and all official admissions documents and all required Financial Aid documents have been received. Students are responsible for checking CaneLink to ensure that their funding is ready for disbursement.

Students will not be registered for the next term until their current balance is paid in full. In the event the student’s financial aid award is delayed, students should work directly with their Student Advocate or Academic Advisor to determine the appropriate next steps and ensure they meet the appropriate payment deadlines. Students should refer to the Academic Calendar (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/) for important deadlines regarding Financial Aid Application due dates. Students may submit their FAFSA after the Financial Aid application priority consideration due date, but may have to use an alternative form of payment if that their Financial Aid is not processed by the required payment deadlines.

Students should review the Monthly Payment Plan (MPP) (p. 2974) section for guidance on setting up a monthly payment plan, as well as the Payment Policies section for payment options and consequences for non-payment. Monthly payment plans are available for students at the beginning of each term. Fall and Spring MPP consist of four (4) payments; however, Summer MPP consist of three (3) payment options and is only available to online students at this time. **UM Employees are not eligible for Monthly Payment Plans at this time.**

Students should review the Transcripts section for official transcripts deadlines and consequences if the University has not received all official transcripts. Students should also review the UOnline (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/) Academic Calendar (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/) for official transcript deadlines.

**Accepting Admission**

When a student’s admission decision has been made, the student will receive an official Admissions decision email from the Enrollment Advisor which includes next steps (https://myonlinesupport.miami.edu/recently-admitted/) for accepting their offer. Students can also view the admissions decision online application portal found here (https://myonlinesupport.miami.edu/). A student’s Enrollment Advisor will guide him/her through the next steps (https://myonlinesupport.miami.edu/recently-admitted/) for accepting their offer of admission and pay their non-refundable enrollment deposit. A student’s offer of admission has not been accepted until their non-refundable enrollment deposit has been paid.

Students will have **fourteen (14) calendar days** to accept their offer of admission by paying their non-refundable $300 Enrollment Deposit. If a student fails to accept their offer of admission within the fourteen (14) calendar day time frame according to the Deposit Date on the official Admission letter, the student’s application will be withdrawn. Students who apply late will forfeit the full (14) calendar day acceptance policy and will be required to accept their offer no later than the last official Deposit Deadline as set on the UOnline Academic Calendar (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/), which may be less than (14) calendar days. Students should refer to their official Admissions letter for their exact deposit deadline. If a student chooses to reapply, they will need to wait one (1) additional term before reapplying. **Deferrals are not permitted unless the student has been approved for a Deferral Exception (https://qafederation.ngwebsolutions.com/sp/startSSO.ping?RequestedDynamicFormTemplate=2688d0b9-6031-4812-8f79-84fe37812020).**

**Deferral Exception Appeal**

In extenuating circumstances, students may choose to apply for a Deferral Exception (https://qafederation.ngwebsolutions.com/sp/startSSO.ping?RequestedDynamicFormTemplate=2688d0b9-6031-4812-8f79-84fe37812020). Students who choose not to accept their offer of admission must apply for a Deferral Exception no later than their Deposit Deadline as specified by the Admissions letter, or will be withdrawn and will need to wait one (1) additional term before reapplying. Deferral Exception Requests are only eligible for the next immediate term. Students who would like to wait to start in future terms will need to reapply and should contact their Enrollment Advisor for additional information regarding documents required for admission. Any student who has already accepted their offer of admissions must apply for a Deferral Exception no later than the official Completed Enrollment Application Deadline for their current term as per the Academic Calendar. (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/) Deferral requests submitted after the deadline will not be reviewed. Any student who has already been withdrawn due to missing their deposit deadline, failing their SRO requirement, or by voluntarily submitting a Withdrawal request will not be eligible to defer and must reapply.

- If a student’s Deferral Exception application is **denied**, the student’s offer of admission will be withdrawn and they must wait one (1) additional term before reapplying.
• If a student’s Deferral Exception is approved, the student’s start date will be updated to the next immediate term and the student will be sent a new admissions letter indicating the approval and updated start date.
  • If a student has not accepted their offer of admission, and is approved for a deferral exception, the student will have fourteen (14) calendar days to accept their offer from the date of the deferral approval as per their deferral approval letter. If a student does not accept their offer of admission within the fourteen (14) calendar day timeframe, the student’s application will be withdrawn and the student must sit out (1) one additional term before reapplying.
  • If a student has already accepted their offer of admission, and has been approved for a deferral exception, the student’s start date will be updated and a new admissions letter will be sent with the updated term and approval. If a student chooses to withdraw before the census date or is administratively withdrawn for any reason, the student must sit out one (1) additional term before reapplying to the program.

Any student who chooses to reapply for a future term is not guaranteed admission and will be subject to any changes in tuition, scholarships, and/or admissions requirements for that term.

Offer of Admission Expiration
Offers of Admission are valid for one term only unless a Deferral Exception has been granted. To officially accept the offer of admission, a student must log into Canelink (https://myonlinesupport.miami.edu/recently-admitted/) and pay their non-refundable enrollment deposit. If a student has not accepted an offer of admission within the fourteen (14) day time frame/deadline on their official Admissions Letter, he/she must reapply to the University and program after sitting out one additional term. Student should contact the Online Enrollment Office to verify what documents must be submitted for consideration.

Reapplying/Readmission
There are a few situations in which students have to reapply to a program. Students will have to reapply to a program if:
  • A student’s original Offer of Admission has expired and he/she never started the online program.
  • A student requests to change to a different program.
  • A student has been withdrawn from his/her program for more than 1 calendar year (3 consecutive terms).
  • A student failed to meet the requirements of a Conditional Admission.
  • A student failed or did not complete the Student Readiness Orientation (SRO)
  • A student’s Deferral Exception Appeal was denied

To reapply, students can login and start the Online Application (https://myonline.miami.edu/signup/) using their previous log-in credentials. A student should contact the Online Enrollment Office at 1-800-411-2290 if they have questions regarding the application. All students who are readmitted will need to complete the Student Readiness Orientation (SRO) by their deadline, regardless of prior completion, and adhere to all admissions deadlines as set forth in the Academic Calendar.

Not Admitted
If a student’s application does NOT meet the standard admissions requirements, he/she will receive a notification that he/she has not been admitted into the program typically within 48 business hours after the University received the student’s completed application. Students will receive an email from their Enrollment Advisor and be able to view their admissions decision via their Online Application portal (https://myonline.miami.edu/signup/).

If a student is not admitted into a program, he/she will receive an explanatory email from the Enrollment Advisor and will be able to view their admissions decision via their Online Application portal. Students may be eligible to reapply once they have met the admission requirements or choose to apply to a new program. A student’s Enrollment Advisor will contact a student to discuss their options.

Transcripts for Admissions

Official Transcripts
  • MUST Arrive in a sealed envelope with the school’s stamp/seal across the back or on the institution’s official envelope
  • Be opened only by a member of the University of Miami admission staff
  • Have a Registrar’s signature and/or watermark and/or indented seal which appears on the transcript

Mailing Address for submission of transcripts:

University of Miami
Online Enrollment Office
1320 South Dixie Highway
Gables One Tower –Suite 902, Locator Code: 2991

Miami, FL 33146
Please ensure that the locator code is included in the address. Transcripts may not be received if address is missing the locator code or sent to another address on campus. Students are responsible for ensuring that they have their transcripts sent to the address above and are subject to all deadlines as per the Academic Calendar (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/).

**Electronic Transcripts**

Electronic transcripts will be considered official only if they are sent directly from the accredited institution and received directly by the Online Enrollment Office at etranscripts@miami.edu. A transcript sent directly to the student's Enrollment Advisor will be considered as unofficial and will need to be re-sent to the official etranscripts address.

**Official Transcripts, Scores & Conditional Admission**

The University must receive official transcripts for all institutions attended, as entered on their online application, before any student can be considered fully admitted into the University.

**Official Transcripts/International Evaluations Due Date**

If a student was Conditionally Admitted into a program with unofficial transcripts, the University MUST receive the student's official transcripts from all institutions attended, as entered on their online application, or International Evaluations from an approved evaluation service, by the date listed on the UOnline Academic Calendar. A student’s Admissions letter will provide the exact due date for the official transcript(s) and he/she may check Canelink to verify that the University has received the student’s official transcripts. Students should refer to the Academic Calendar (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/) for important due dates.

**Official Test Scores Due Date**

If a student was Conditionally Admitted into a program with unofficial test scores and is required to submit official GRE, GMAT or TOEFL official test scores, the University MUST receive their official test scores by the date listed on the UOnline Academic Calendar. A student’s Admissions letter will provide the exact due date for the student’s official test score(s) and he/she may check Canelink to verify that the University has received the student’s official test scores. Students should refer to the Academic Calendar (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/) for important due dates.

**UOnline Official Test Score School Codes**

- **TOEFL CODE:** Institution: 5815
- **IELTS CODE:** Institution: 4862
- **GRE CODES:** Institution (All UOnline programs): 4405
- **GMAT CODES:**
  - School of Business - UOnline Finance/Accounting Certificate: 7NV-S1-23
  - School of Business - UOnline Master of Finance: 7NV-S1-35
  - School of Business - UOnline Master of Professional Accounting: 7NV-S1-53
  - School of Business - UOnline Professional MBA: 7NV-S1-01
  - College of Arts & Sciences - UOnline Master of Public Administration: 7NV-HM-66
  - School of Education - UOnline Master & EdD of Applied Learning Sciences: 7NV-HM-66

**Financial Aid & Tuition Payment**

If students apply for Financial Aid, Financial Aid will be NOT be awarded until the University has received the official transcripts from all institutions attended and/or test scores, if required.

Because Financial Aid will not be awarded until official transcripts from all institutions attended and test scores are received, a student MUST pay the tuition bill by the payment due date. Students should review the Payment policies for payment options and consequences for non-payment.

**Official Transcripts and Test Scores Not Received**

If Official Transcripts and/or Test Scores (if required) are NOT received by the due date:

- A student will be removed from their current course and next course
- A student will be administratively withdrawn and may be reinstated if the University receives the student’s official transcripts.
- A student may owe a tuition balance from being withdrawn and must have their tuition bill paid in full before being eligible for reinstatement

**Enrollment Deposit**

Once students have received their offer of admission or conditional admission, they will pay a non-refundable enrollment deposit in order to accept their offer of admission. Once the deposit in full has been received, students will be required to complete and pass their Student Readiness Orientation (SRO) within (4) four weeks or by the deadline provided, in order to be eligible for their first term registration.
What the Enrollment Deposit Is

The enrollment deposit payment is:

- Paid one time per UOnline program
- **Non-refundable** including if the student’s Offer of Admission has expired, he/she failed the Student Readiness Orientation (SRO), and he/she never started the program or if they were conditionally admitted and did not meet the conditions for full admission.
- Due no later than the date listed on the academic calendar.
- Applied against a student’s 1st tuition bill
- Valid for as long as the Offer of Admission is valid:
  - If a student’s Offer of Admission for their UOnline program has expired and he/she reapplies to any program (campus-based or online), a student will be required to pay the deposit again and any applicable fees.
  - Transferrable to a new UOnline program: if a student applies to a new UOnline program while the existing Offer of Admission is still valid, the student will not have to pay the deposit again.
- **Not transferrable** to any campus-based program.

Paying the Enrollment Deposit

After a student has received the Offer of Admission, the student will be provided access to Canelink (https://canelink.miami.edu) to pay the student’s enrollment deposit with the following payment options:

- Online Credit Card payment:
  - MasterCard
  - Visa
  - American Express
  - Discover
- E-check (drawn on a US bank only)
  - Bank-to-Bank, Exchange Bureau or Wire Transfer.
  - Students are responsible for any fees or currency exchange processing charged by their bank or exchange bureau when transferring funds and should account for this when sending tuition payments.
- International Payments with Flywire (http://www.miami.edu/finance/index.php/student_account_services/cashier_services-1/international_student_payments/)

New Students

Student Readiness Orientation

Once a student has been admitted and paid the non-refundable enrollment deposit, a student can start the Student Readiness Orientation. (https://myonline.miami.edu/signup/) The Student Readiness Orientation (SRO) is an interactive series of **required** activities in the University’s social media environment. and will be accessed by students through their UOnline student portal (https://myonline.miami.edu/signup/). During the SRO, students will meet other students, prepare for online learning at the University of Miami and familiarize themselves with their support structures and University academic policies.

Students will have (4) four weeks to complete and pass the SRO and will receive an email with their official SRO completion deadline via email from their Enrollment Advisor. For students to be fully prepared for their courses, completion of the SRO is mandatory and must be passed within (4) four weeks of submitting the enrollment deposit. Students who submit their enrollment deposit late may have less than (4) four weeks to complete the required activities and should refer to their official SRO email for their deadline. There are no extensions or exceptions allowed when completing the SRO.

Students who fail to complete or do not pass the SRO by the deadline will be administratively withdrawn and will need to wait (1) one additional term before being eligible to reapply. Additional activities, such as the New Student Checklist, (https://myonlinesupport.miami.edu/2015/08/13/new-student-checklist/) may also be required in order for students to be prepared for class. Student should work closely with their Enrollment Advisor and Student Advocate to receive guidance on completion of these additional activities.

Successful Completion

Once students have successfully completed and passed all required activities in the Student Readiness environment, they will be eligible to register for their first term’s courses. Students should review the Syllabus to ensure that they complete the required activities with a passing grade.

Program Change

If a student changes his/her program, the student may be required to complete some program-specific portions of the Student Readiness Orientation (https://myonline.miami.edu/signup/) or New Student Checklist (https://myonlinesupport.miami.edu/2015/08/13/new-student-checklist/). If so, the student’s Enrollment Advisor will inform the student and provide access to the relevant Student Readiness Orientation activities.
Offer of Admission Expiration
If a student’s Offer of Admission has expired and he/she has not started a program, the student will be required to retake the Student Readiness Orientation (https://myonline.miami.edu/signup/) once he/she has been re-admitted into the program.

Technical Requirements
To help ensure success, students should be proficient using e-mail, the Internet, and common desktop productivity software. During the course of the program, requirements (either hardware or software) may change from the original technology recommendation. Students should consult the software/hardware requirements within the program or with the faculty member or Student Support Team (https://www.emailmeform.com/builder/form/ift36G870aSUABMY/) for any technology recommendations that may have changed since the original recommendation mentioned below or within the program of study. Below are some initial recommendations. Please note that these recommendations and requirements may change as technology changes and may also vary from course to course. Also please note that specific programs of study may have other specific requirements:

Recommended Setup
- Internet access required; 6-10 Mbps speed or higher recommended; Broadband is recommended as students with dial-up may experience degraded performance
- Windows Vista/7 or Mac OS X with virtualization software (like Parallels with Windows OS)
- 2GB of RAM minimum
- 40GB hard drive
- speakers, and headphone connected to the computer
- Inkjet or laser printer
- Scanner or Scanning Application for mobile devices
- Portable media (thumb drive)

Software Requirements
- Recommended Web browser—current version of Chrome
- Other Web browsers (Internet Explorer ver. 9.0 or higher or Firefox’s current and next most recent releases).
- Microsoft Office
- Adobe Reader ver. 10.1 or higher
- Adobe Flash Player ver. 11.7 or higher
- Apple QuickTime ver. 7.7 or higher
- Windows Media Player ver. 11 or higher
- Antivirus software (e.g., McAfee or Norton) installed, running, and kept current by promptly installing the upgrades and patches made available by the software manufacturer

Tablet/Laptop Recommendation
Students enrolled in programs that require participation in academic residencies are encouraged to use a laptop or tablet computer for their work. Some coursework may not be fully compatible with use of a tablet or mobile device; therefore, it is recommended that students have a desktop/laptop available if needed.

Additional Technology Requirements
Some programs may require additional technology requirements that are not mentioned above. Please refer to the program course(s) syllabi or course materials list in the UOnline Support Center (https://myonlinesupport.miami.edu/) to review any special technology requirements for the program of study.

Cost, Fees, Billing and Payment
Tuition Includes
- Online learning environment and courses
- Application processing
- Non-refundable Enrollment Deposit (paid separately and deducted from 1st tuition bill)
- Technology fee
- Access to the online library, career center, and disability services
- Student and Technical Support
Tuition Does NOT Include
- Course Materials, Books and e-books
- Late Payment Fees, if assessed
- Graduation related fees

Your Tuition Invoice and Payment
Immediately after students have been registered into class, their tuition bill will be available in their student center through Canelink (https://canelink.miami.edu). Payment in full is due or arrangements to pay finalized by the 1st day of the 1st class of each term. If the University does not receive payment in full by this date, students will be removed from the online classes. Students are responsible for ensuring their payments are made on time regardless of whether they are utilizing a third party for payment. Students who are utilizing a third party for payment may need to find alternative payment arrangements to ensure they meet the payment deadlines as per the Academic Calendar. (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/)

Payment Currencies
A student invoice is in United States Dollars (USD) and the University accepts payment only in United States Dollar, USD.

Payment Methods
The University offers several payment methods, described below. A student’s tuition invoice will contain instructions for using these payment methods.

Credit Card
A student may pay by credit card via the University’s partner, Elavon. A student can pay with:
- MasterCard
- Visa
- American Express
- Discover

Students will be charged a processing fee of 2.5% to pay by credit card.

eCheck (ACH)
Students may pay their tuition by E-check (ACH) online through your Canelink account:
- Click on the “Student Home” tab
- Navigate to Finances section
- Click on “Account Inquiry”
- Click on “Payment” and follow the instructions.

Students will not be charged any additional fee if they pay by e-Check. For additional help, contact the Student Support Team (https://www.emailmeform.com/builder/form/ift36G870a5UABMY/).

Wire Transfer
Students may pay their tuition by wire transfer. The wire transfer instructions can be obtained through CaneLink.

How to obtain wire transfer instructions:
1. Log into CaneLink and go to Student Center, click on the Account Inquiry button under the Finances.
2. Click on Make a Payment to pay your tuition and select Wire Transfer Payment (USA & International).
3. Select the country from the “What country are you paying from” dropdown list. For domestic wire instructions, select the US wire transfer payment option.
4. Create a Flywire account, to track your wire payment, and enter basic identification information for the University to identify your payment.
5. The bank account wire instructions will be provided.
6. An email will be sent with a unique wire identification number.

Students should make sure their full name, student ID number, and unique wire ID number are included with the wire transfer to ensure the funds are applied correctly.
Wire/Bank Transfer Fees
Students are responsible for any fees or currency exchange processing charged by their bank or exchange bureau when transferring funds and should account for this when sending tuition payment. The University is not responsible for any fees students may incur during the transfer process.

Payment by a Third Party
A “third party sponsor” refers to any organization which formalizes a contract with the University and provides a guarantee letter assuming financial responsibility for a student’s, or group of student’s, tuition and fees, in full or portion thereof. Employers are not considered third party sponsors since sponsorship cannot be dependent upon the student’s continued employment with the organization. Students who plan on using their employer’s tuition reimbursement benefits are responsible for their tuition by the due date. Students with this type of assistance must inform the Financial Aid Office to ensure that financial aid is awarded appropriately and that funds are applied appropriately.

If a student’s tuition is paid via Third Party Sponsorship, the student will still remain subject to all policies, including due dates, late payment fees and financial hold rules and consequences.

Monthly Payment Plan (MPP)
Through the Monthly Payment Plan, term tuition payment is divided into 4 monthly payments for the Fall and Spring terms. The Summer term payment schedule is divided into 3 monthly payments and is only available to online students at this time. Each monthly payment is due on the 1st of the month and is not directly debited from the student’s account. UM Employees are not currently eligible to enroll in the Monthly Payment Plan at this time. UM Employees are encouraged to reach out to the Enrollment Advisor for other payment options.

- Students must pay each term in full before they will be registered for the next term (see payment methods section). This chart details the Monthly Payment Plan option available during the Fall and Spring Terms only.

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Late Payment
- If payment is not received by payment due date, a registration hold will be placed on a student’s account the next business day.
- Once payment has been received, the registration hold issued for late payment will be removed.

Tuition Reductions, Scholarships, Special Offers
During the Enrollment and Admissions process and at the University's discretion, tuition reductions and scholarships may be offered to incoming students. Existing students will not be eligible for any new tuition reductions offered to incoming students. A tuition reduction will remain on a student’s account for the duration of the online program for which they received the reduction provided the student remains academically eligible and does not withdraw from the program for longer than one-year. Any student who is not enrolled in their program for greater than one year, will no longer be eligible for their initial tuition reduction and must reapply for admission to a program. A student may be eligible for any new tuition reductions being offered upon reapplication to a UOnline program. Students should contact an Enrollment Advisor for current offerings and qualifying criteria.

If students qualify for a tuition reduction, their Enrollment Advisor will provide them, in writing, the formal terms and conditions specific to that tuition reduction. The reduction will be included in a student’s tuition statement(note in Financial Aid package if applicable and deducted from tuition accordingly. If financial aid is awarded prior to the tuition reduction being applied to a student’s bill, the financial aid award will be adjusted accordingly. Student should contact (gradprof.finaid@miami.edu) the Financial Aid Office if they have questions regarding this adjustment.

UM Tuition Remission
As with other special Master’s degree programs and doctorate programs, UOnline programs are not available for University of Miami Tuition Remission. Please refer to the Tuition Remission policies on the University of Miami’s Human Resources website for additional details on the benefit program.

Tuition Increase
The University reviews tuition rates each year and reserves the right to increase tuition for existing students.

If the University does increase tuition:
- The increase will be implemented at the beginning of the Fall term and will apply forward to any future unbilled tuition.
- Students’ tuition invoices moving forward will be adjusted to reflect the increase.
Change Payment Plan

Students may request to change payment plans. Currently the options are:

- Payment in Full to Monthly Payment Plan.
- Monthly Payment Plan to Payment in Full.

Payment Plan changes will be implemented only at the beginning of the next term. Students must complete any payments due for the current term as agreed under their current payment plan before they can request a new payment plan.

Students should contact the Student Support Team for more information about changing their payment plan. Formal requests must be in writing/online form.

Billing Support

The student’s Enrollment Advisor and Student Support Team will be able to answer questions or provide information about a student’s invoice.

University of Miami VA Pending Payment Compliance

In accordance with Title 38 US Code 3679 subsection (e), this school adopts the following additional provisions for any students using U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) Post 9/11 G.I. Bill® (Ch. 33) or Vocational Rehabilitation & Employment (Ch. 31) benefits, while payment to the institution is pending from the VA.

This school will not:

- Prevent the student’s enrollment
- Assess a late penalty fee to the student
- Require the student to secure alternative or additional funding
- Deny the student access to any resources (access to classes, libraries, or other institutional facilities) available to other students who have satisfied their tuition and fee bills to the institution.

However, to qualify for this provision, such students may be required to:

- Produce the VA Certificate of Eligibility (COE) by the first day of class
- Provide a written request to be certified
- Provide additional information needed to properly certify the enrollment as described in other institutional policies

Graduate Grading

Scale/Quality Points

An average of B (3.0) is required for a graduate degree, and no “D” credit hour may be counted toward the degree. All work leading to the graduate degree and taken as a graduate student will be counted in computing the quality point average, including courses graded “D”.

No transferred credit hours are calculated into the University of Miami G.P.A.

Grade Interpretations

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<td>C</td>
<td>Fair, but below that expected of graduate students (C- is the lowest passing grade. Some programs may require higher standards.).</td>
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<td>S</td>
<td>Symbol used for acceptable (U-unacceptable) thesis, dissertation, practicum and internship credit hour. It may be used for regular courses under special circumstances with the prior approval of the instructor, department chairman, and the Dean of the Graduate School. The Graduate School considers a grade of “S” to indicate a minimum of a 3.0 GPA in a graduate course if a student has taken no prior coursework on the graduate level. A grade of “S” reflects that a student is in good academic standing.</td>
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Repeating Courses & Academic Progression

In complete work in passing status with the instructor’s permission to complete the course. (Not to be used for thesis or dissertation credit hours). Student may request an incomplete from the professor if: • they have completed at least 75% of the course and • have a C or better in the course at the time of the request. The “I” should be changed to a letter grade within one (1) calendar year after it is given, unless the Academic Dean of the student’s primary school or college and the Dean of the Graduate School approve the delay. If the “I” is not changed within one year, credit hour can be earned only by successful repetition of the course. (Note: Fellowships and financial aid may be withdrawn if there is an excess accumulation of “I”s on a student's transcript).

NG Symbol assigned by the Office of the University Registrar indicating that the instructor has not yet reported the student’s grade. For a student to receive credit hour for the course, the instructor must report a passing grade prior to the student’s graduation.

Faculty Senate Legislation #85005(B)

Quality Points

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The quality point average is then determined by dividing the total of quality points earned by the total of credit hours attempted. The symbols “S”, “W”, and “I” are not counted as credit hour attempted.

Repeating Courses & Academic Progression

Repeating Courses

A student may appeal to repeat a course in which a failing grade was earned, but the repetition of the course will not eliminate the previous grade from the record and the student is responsible for tuition and other costs related to the repeated course. A course may be repeated only once unless written authorization is provided by the Program Director, Dean of the School and Dean of the Graduate School, and requires program approval. Students must complete a Course Retake Appeal form (https://myonlinesupport.miami.edu/forms/) no later than the readmission deadline per the Academic Calendar for the requested retake term. All grades are included in the computation of the quality point average. If a course in which an unsatisfactory grade (as determined by the program advisor) was earned is repeated and the repeat grade is a “C-” or higher, the number of credit hours required for graduation will be increased by the number of credit hours repeated. If a student attempts to retake a passed course, taking the same course to obtain a better grade, financial aid may be affected.

Registrations which involve repeating a course in which a grade of “A” or “B” has already been earned may not earn quality points or credit hours, nor count as credit hours attempted.

UOnline Business Students

Graduate students in the Miami Business School who fall below the 3.0 GPA may be placed on academic probation. Within one semester after their GPA falling below 3.0, Master’s students wishing to repeat a course may petition their program director to do so. If the petition is approved by the graduate program director, the grade obtained in their second attempt will replace the original grade for purposes of calculating their GPA for clearance for graduation only. Authorization to repeat a course is limited to courses in which an unsatisfactory grade was earned (as determined by the graduate program director).

Additionally, a course may be repeated only once and students may not repeat more than two courses. The student’s transcript will continue to show all attempts and the GPA computation will include all grades earned for purposes other than computing the GPA for clearance for graduation. If a course in which an unsatisfactory grade of lower than a “B-” was earned is repeated and the repeat grade is “C-” or higher, the number of credits required for graduation will be increased by the number of credits repeated. Registrations which involved repeating course in which a grade of “A” or “B” has already been earned may not earn quality points or credit hours, nor count as credits attempted.
UOnline MSEd Sport Administration

UOnline students must earn a grade of "C" or better in KIN 601 before taking KIN 602 or KIN 603. Should a student earn below a "C" in KIN 601, the student will be automatically withdrawn from their Session 2 course for that term and rescheduled for the immediate next term in KIN 601 to repeat. Students failing to earn the required pre-requisite grade will be responsible for tuition for both attempts.

UOnline MS Health Informatics

The minimum passing grade for each course is a B. An overall average of B (3.0) is required for the graduate degree and certificate.

A student may receive only one (1) grade below a B while they are enrolled in the program. If that grade is below a C, the course must be repeated and a grade of B or better achieved on the retake. The repetition of the course will not eliminate the previous grade from the record and the student is responsible for tuition and other costs related to the repeated course. All grades are included in the computation of the quality point average.

Students receiving a second grade below B will be dismissed from the program regardless of their cumulative GPA.

UOnline Applied Learning Sciences (Certificate/MSEd/EdD)

UOnline students who receive a failing course grade in either of programs' first two courses will not be eligible to take additional courses due to the lock-step nature of the program. Instead, the student is required to wait until the next cohort begins and to retake the course(s) in question with that new cohort. Students failing to earn the required pre-requisite grade will be responsible for tuition for both attempts. Both APLS seminar courses are graded on a satisfactory/unsatisfactory grading scale. Students are only permitted to retake a failed ("U") seminar course one additional time (Total of 4 attempts per seminar course). Repeated grades of "U" will result in dismissal from the program.

Academic Standing, Probation, and Dismissal

At the end of each course, UOnline and the Schools and Colleges, shall determine whether a student is in Good Academic Standing, on Academic Probation, or subject to Academic Dismissal. If a student is placed on Academic Probation or is Academically Dismissed, they will receive an official letter outlining the specifications of their probation or dismissal. Students on Academic Probation or who have been Academically Dismissed may see changes to their course sequencing, eligibility changes to financial aid, and may be required to meet with their UOnline Academic Advisor prior to being eligible for future registration.

Good Academic Standing

To be in Good Academic Standing a student must not be on Academic Probation or subject to Academic Dismissal. All Graduate students are required to maintain a minimum 3.0 cumulative GPA throughout their program. U/S grades do not count towards a student's cumulative GPA.

Academic Probation

Students shall be placed on Academic Probation if they fall below a 3.0 cumulative GPA after any course. Students who fail to make satisfactory progress toward meeting the degree requirements specified by their School or College may be put on Probation by the Academic Standards Committee of the School/College. A student's GPA is reviewed after each course is completed. If a student consistently fails to close the gap towards achieving a 3.0 GPA (this could include receiving grades of incomplete, withdrawing from courses, a student's GPA dropping even farther, among others), that student may be dismissed from the program after the program director has reviewed that student's performance.

Students may also be placed on probation for non-academic reasons (e.g., failure to follow professional norms of participation in online discussion, among others) at any time during their program. Steps needed to re-mediate non-academic performance issues will be spelled out in the letter placing the student on probation.

Students on Academic Probation must meet with their academic advisor after each course to review their academic progression, future course sequencing, and may need to repeat courses, as necessary. Academic Probation may affect financial aid eligibility, so it is recommended that students reach out to the Financial Aid office for further clarification on their specific status.

Academic Dismissal

A student who remains on probation after one term and is not meeting academic progression standards may be subject to Academic Dismissal based on the information found in the probation letter from the School or College. The decision to dismiss shall be made by the School or College in which the student is enrolled. If a decision is made not to dismiss, the student shall remain on Academic Probation and must meet the requirements of their academic probation letter, and will be required to meet with their UOnline Academic Advisor after each course to review their academic progression.

Appeals and Readmission

Students who wish to appeal their Academic probation or dismissal for academic reasons, must do so in writing to UOnline Academic Advising and the School or College within thirty (30) days of the notice of dismissal. In some cases, a student may choose to submit a second appeal directly to the Graduate School using the process and time frames here (http://bulletin.miami.edu/general-university-information/graduate-policies-and-procedures/academic-policies/). Appeals that are submitted outside of the approved time frame will not be accepted. All Graduate School decisions are final and will be communicated in writing to the student.
Attendance

Military Withdrawal

Tuition refunds of 100% are granted to students who withdraw due to military service, provided they do not receive credit hour for the course (see below). A student should contact their Academic Advisor if they need to request a military withdrawal (https://qafederation.ngwebsolutions.com/sp/startSSO.ping?PartnerIdpId=https://caneid.miami.edu/idp/shibboleth&TargetResource=https://dynamicforms.ngwebsolutions.com).

If a student receives federal financial aid and withdraws before they complete 60% of the term, a pro rated calculation will determine the amount of financial aid the student has earned. It is based on the amount of time the student was enrolled. This calculation is independent of any charges incurred at the University.

1. On recommendation of the Dean of the school, students who withdraw after the 5th week of the session because of official orders to active duty with the Armed Forces of the United States may be awarded credit hour in any course in which they have achieved a C or better up to the time of withdrawal. Instructors must certify that the student had achieved satisfactory accomplishment on the basis of previous work in the course by awarding an appropriate grade. Accomplishment of less than C should be entered on the permanent record as a withdrawal without prejudice (W).
2. Credit hour granted for a course under this policy should count toward graduation.
3. There should be no refund of tuition for courses for which credit hour has been granted. Refunds of courses not awarded credit hour should be on the same basis as complete withdrawals for military service.
4. The above recommendations are procedures for determining the awarding of credit hour and do not release the student from the usual withdrawal procedures.

Attendance and Participation, 1st Week (new and continuing students)

Online courses are not independent study courses. They involve a mixture of independent work outside the online course environment and presence within the course room. Authentic student engagement includes activities such as doing assigned readings, preparing and presenting quality assignments and participating substantively in online discussion. Logging into the online course alone does not demonstrate adequate engagement or participation.

Attendance during the first week of each course ensures you are on the right path to successfully completing your course and helps ensure that all students are assigned to groups with active participants to support quality group work. Participation in an online course is defined as the submission of a gradable assignment and/or discussion post about academic matters that is verifiable via the gradebook in the Learning Management System (LMS) (i.e. Blackboard) classroom. Participation in outside systems or software do not count towards the participation requirement and must be showing as a gradable item in the gradebook of the LMS.

Students are required to attend, engage and participate in each of their online course(s) in an active and timely fashion. For each course, a student must participate by submitting their Week 1 assignments/discussion(s) during the first 7 calendar days from the course start date. This policy is the same for both New and Continuing students. If a new or continuing student logs in, but does not participate in any Week 1 activities by the end of day 7 (Eastern Standard Time) of a course, they will be administratively withdrawn from the program and must contact their Enrollment Advisor or Academic Advisor regarding eligibility for readmission. Because of strict accreditation and financial aid regulations, all students are required to actively participate in the course at some point during its first seven days, regardless of any due dates posted on the course's syllabus or any extensions granted by the instructor(s). Active participation is defined as any one of the following: submission of a gradable assignment or submission of a discussion post about academic matters that is verifiable via the gradebook of the LMS classroom. Participation in outside systems or software do not count towards the participation requirement and must be showing as a gradable item in the gradebook of the classroom in the LMS.

Any student who does not actively participate in the course within the first week will be automatically withdrawn.

Attendance by Day 7

By the end of the Day 7 (Eastern Standard Time) of each Course, a student must log into the Blackboard classroom to actively indicate his/her intention to participate in and complete that course. If by Day 7 the student has logged in and submitted an assignment and/or discussion post and has not formally rescheduled his/her start date or withdrawn from the program the student will:

- Be considered as attending the course.
- Be obligated to pay for the course in full or make all payments in accordance with the monthly payment plan.
- Be responsible for adhering to all University policies and course policies.

No Attendance by Day 7

Starting on the first day of each course the Enrollment Advisor or Academic Advisor will contact the student if the student has not yet logged in to the Blackboard classroom, and remind the student to do so. If the student does not log into the Blackboard classroom the end of Day 7 (Eastern Standard Time), the student will be removed from the current course and will no longer be able to attend class. The student will be administratively withdrawn from the term and will need to contact their Enrollment Advisor or Academic Advisor to discuss their options for returning.
If a student is a **new student** and has been administratively withdrawn for lack of participation, the student will need to sit out one (1) term before being eligible to reapply in the future. A student who chooses to remain in the course will be subject to all applicable deadlines as stated in the course syllabus. Active and ongoing participation is required in all courses and lack of attendance may result in failing the course.

If a student is a **continuing student** and the Academic Advisor has been able to contact the student, the student will be encouraged to submit a withdrawal request (https://qafederation.ngwebsolutions.com/sp/startSSO.ping?PartnerIdpId=https://caneid.miami.edu/idp/shibboleth&TargetResource=https://dynamicforms.ngwebsolutions.com) with a return date to ensure he/she is not withdrawn from the program. A student who chooses to remain in the program will be subject to all applicable deadlines as stated in the course syllabus. Active and ongoing participation is required in all courses and lack of attendance may result in failing the course.

The Enrollment Deposit will remain on the student's account and remains non-refundable. If the student has a tuition balance, it will be voided and reissued on the 1st day of the next course for which the student is registered should the student choose to change their start date.

**Removed from Course Erroneously**

If a student believes he/she has been **removed from the course erroneously**, the student should contact his/her Academic Advisor (https://www.tfaforms.com/433870/) to discuss options.

**No Contact or Response by Day 7**

A student will be designated as a non-starter and will be administratively withdrawn, if a student has not logged into the Blackboard classroom by Day 7 and the Enrollment Advisor or Academic Advising Team has not been able to contact the student. If a student does not log into Blackboard by Day 7 of session 1 of the term, the student will be administratively withdrawn from the term, all courses that are enrolled in for the term (both Session 1 & 2). If a student does not log into Blackboard by Day 7 of Session 2, the student will be administratively withdrawn from Session 2 of the term only. Students will not be registered for future sessions until they meet with their Academic Advisor to discuss future course sequencing/scheduling.

**New Students**

If an Enrollment Advisor does not receive a withdrawal form (https://qafederation.ngwebsolutions.com/sp/startSSO.ping?PartnerIdpId=https://caneid.miami.edu/idp/shibboleth&TargetResource=https://dynamicforms.ngwebsolutions.com) from the student by Day 7 of the term, the student will be administratively withdrawn from the term. If the Offer of Admission expires, the student will be required to reapply to the program.

**Continuing Students**

If the Academic Advising Team does not receive a withdrawal form (https://qafederation.ngwebsolutions.com/sp/startSSO.ping?PartnerIdpId=https://caneid.miami.edu/idp/shibboleth&TargetResource=https://dynamicforms.ngwebsolutions.com) from the student by Day 7 of the term, the student will be administratively withdrawn from the program. The student should contact the Academic Advising Team (https://www.tfaforms.com/433870/) if they intend to return in the future and should review the Academic Calendar for all applicable deadlines regarding readmission.

**On-going Attendance**

Students should continue to login and attend class every week. Students who do not participate in their courses as indicated by course requirements, or fail to notify the University that they are no longer attending by submitting a withdrawal form (https://qafederation.ngwebsolutions.com/sp/startSSO.ping?PartnerIdpId=https://caneid.miami.edu/idp/shibboleth&TargetResource=https://dynamicforms.ngwebsolutions.com), will be at risk of failing their course. Students who miss more than one week of attendance should contact their instructor immediately and refer to their course syllabus for any late assignment policies. This may result in the requirement for the return of previously awarded federal financial aid. If the University is required to return federal student aid funds, the student will be required to pay any outstanding balance owed the University.

If a student receives federal financial aid and withdraws before they complete 60% of the term, a pro rated calculation will determine the amount of financial aid the student has earned. It is based on the amount of time the student was enrolled. This calculation is independent of any charges incurred at the University. This Federal Financial Aid calculation is separate and in addition to the Refund Policy and Schedule. If a student has questions pertaining to either policy, they should contact their Academic Advisor (https://www.tfaforms.com/433870/).

**Student Change Requests**

**Reschedule Start Date, Student Initiated**

A new student may not reschedule his/her start date once the offer of admission has been accepted unless a Deferral Exception Appeal Request (p. 2968) has been approved.

Students must submit their Deferral Exception Appeal form (https://qafederation.ngwebsolutions.com/sp/startSSO.ping?RequestedDynamicFormTemplate=2688d0b9-6031-4812-8f79-84fe37812020) to their Enrollment Advisor and discuss the options and any financial and academic consequences no later than the approved deferral deadline. In extra ordinary circumstances, such as a serious illness or accident, students may request to appeal their withdrawal date by contacting their Academic Advisor for more information regarding the UOnline Student Appeal process.
Choosing to Remain in the Course

If after discussing with their Enrollment Advisor students decide to remain in the course, students’ Enrollment Advisor will confirm this verbal decision with the students formally, in writing via email, reiterating the financial and academic obligations. Students should reply to the email and confirm their wish to remain in the course. Students must submit a withdrawal form (https://qafederation.ngwebsolutions.com/sp/startSSO.ping?PartnerIdpId=https://caneid.miami.edu/idp/shibboleth&TargetResource=https://dynamicforms.ngwebsolutions.com) if they choose not to remain in their course and should review the Academic Calendar for applicable drop deadlines. Email requests will not be honored.

Choosing to Reschedule

Students who are approved to defer their start date will have their Deferral Exception Appeal Request (p. 2968) form processed and:

- Students will be removed from any courses currently enrolled.
- Students will be enrolled into the courses for the immediate following term from their original start date.
- Students may lose any associated tuition reductions (please see tuition reduction’s terms and conditions).

Students will receive a deferral decision via the electronic form and can confirm with their Enrollment Advisor within 1-2 business days that the start date change has been completed. The student may also view their start date change in Canelink.

The Enrollment Deposit will remain on the student’s account. If a student has received the 1st tuition balance, it will be voided and reissued before the 1st day of the new start date. Students should check the Academic Calendar for future term registration time frames and will not need to complete the Student Readiness Orientation (SRO) a second time as long as the student completed and passed the SRO by the original completion deadline, as per the student’s original acceptance letter.

Financial Obligations After Day 7

If a student does not submit the Withdrawal Request form (https://qafederation.ngwebsolutions.com/sp/startSSO.ping?PartnerIdpId=https://caneid.miami.edu/idp/shibboleth&TargetResource=https://dynamicforms.ngwebsolutions.com) by the end of Day 7, after Day 7 the student will be obligated to pay for the course in accordance with the refund policy and schedule and is not eligible for a credit of tuition towards the rescheduled terms.

Offer of Admission Expired

If a student’s Offer of Admissions has expired, he/she will not be able to reschedule the start date and must reapply to the Program.

Add a Course

Each active student will be registered at least 14 days before each term start into the appropriate course(s) according to the sequence and rules of the program. Any student requested changes will be implemented by 1 day before the course start to ensure proper section and group assignments. New students must contact their UOnline Student Advocate to discuss any changes or concerns about course registration. Continuing students should contact their Academic Advisor to discuss any changes or concerns about course registration. If a student misses the registration deadline for the term, they will need to wait until the following term to register. No late registration requests will be accepted. Students are registered at the beginning of each term for both sessions and no mid-term registration is allowed.

Drop a Course

A student may drop a course only before or by the end of Day 7 (Eastern Standard Time) in order to avoid financial or academic (grading) consequences as per the refund policy and course syllabus.

If a student is a new student, he/she must contact the Enrollment Advisor to discuss the need to drop a course and potentially reschedule the start date if a deferral exception is approved. Due to the scheduling and sequence of courses, new students may need to be dropped from all courses in the term and may need to wait to be rescheduled at the beginning of the next available term for their program.

If the student is a continuing student he/she must contact the Academic Advisor to discuss the need to drop a course and withdraw from the program. In some cases, due to course scheduling and sequence, a student may need to drop all courses from the term and wait to enroll in a future term. Continuing students should work closely with their Academic Advisor to discuss all rescheduling options and ensure they are meeting the required times-to-completion for their program. All students should adhere to the Academic Calendar for registration and drop deadlines. No mid-term registrations are allowed.

If a student receives federal financial aid and withdraws before he/she completes 60% of the term, a pro rated calculation will determine the amount of financial aid the student has earned. It is based on the amount of time the student was enrolled. This calculation is independent of any charges incurred at the University. If a student plans to drop a course or to withdraw from their program, they should consult both the Financial Aid withdrawal policy as well as the Refund Policy for UOnline programs to determine their financial responsibilities.
Retaking the Entire Course
If a student is required to retake an entire failed course and/or has achieved a grade lower than the required in a pre-requisite (including an Incomplete "I" grade), the student must submit a Course Retake Appeal Form (https://myonlinesupport.miami.edu/forms/) no later than the Readmission Deadline per the Academic Calendar, and get approved by the program. If approved:

- The student will be re-registered for the failed course the next time it is offered or in the next session
- If the student has already been registered into the next course in the program sequence, the registration will be adjusted.
- The student will be billed the full course tuition.
- The student can receive Financial Aid to pay for the second course retake, but if the student fails and takes the course a THIRD time, Financial Aid will not be available and the student must pay for the course tuition out-of-pocket. A student may contact their Academic Advisor for more information on payment options.

Change of Program
Students may request to change from their current program to another online program. The student must apply to the new program and provide information necessary for admission into that program. The student's Enrollment Advisor will work with the student and the admissions staff to determine if the student is qualified to apply for a new program. Please note that program changes will be implemented as per the University's Online academic calendar deadlines and subject to SRO completion requirements.

If the student is still a new student (has not completed the 1st 7 days from the start date) the student should contact their Enrollment Advisor. If the student is a continuing student he/she should contact the Academic Advisor to discuss all of the options and the new program admissions requirements. Tuition and any applicable tuition discounts that were previously applied to a new or continuing student's balance will be subject to change upon changing the program.

Certificate to Master's Students
Certificate students who are interested in completing the remaining half of the Master's courses must formally apply and get admitted to the Master's program in order to continue. Students should reach out to their Enrollment Advisor after their third Certificate course in order to allow enough time to apply for the Master's degree. There is no guarantee that students will be admitted into the Master's degree and are subject to the same admissions requirements and deadlines as a new applicant. It is the student's responsibility to reach out to the UOnline Enrollment Department for further details on what is needed to apply. Certificate students who apply in their third course and are admitted to the Master's program are waived from the SRO completion requirement for the Master's program.

Non-Standard Change of Program
If a student is eligible to change into a new program, he/she will be registered into the appropriate course and start the new program in the next available term. Approved completed courses will be transferred into the new program. Students will not be charged another enrollment deposit.

If a student does not meet the admissions requirements, the student should continue to work with the Enrollment Advisor or Academic Advising on other options that may be available.

Withdraw from Course but Not Program
If a student needs to withdraw from a course but does not wish to withdraw from the program, the student should contact their Academic Advisor to discuss the academic and financial implications. The student should also review the academic calendar for important dates regarding withdrawal from a course and how the withdrawal will be reflected on the transcript. In some cases, due to course scheduling and sequencing, a student may need to drop all courses from the term and may have to wait longer than one term to be rescheduled. Continuing student should work closely with their Academic Advisor to discuss all rescheduling options and ensure they meet time-to-completion requirements for their program.

If after discussions with the their Academic Advisor the student decides to withdraw from a course, the deadlines for withdrawal, as they appear on the academic calendar, will apply. Additionally, if students withdraw from the course after the "last day to drop without a W" as per the Academic Calendar, they will:

- Be required to pay for the course in accordance with the refund policy and schedule for online programs.
- Receive a Withdraw (W) grade for that course and, for this reason, will remain registered in that course until the course end date so the final grade can be posted to the student's official record.

Students must submit their Withdrawal Request (https://qafederation.ngwebsolutions.com/sp/startSSO.ping?PartnerIdpId=https://caneid.miami.edu/idp/shibboleth&TargetResource=https://dynamicforms.ngwebsolutions.com) no later than the "last day to drop With a W" as per the Academic Calendar. Any Withdrawal requests submitted after this date will not be processed for the current session. The student will remain in their current course and must be resubmit the Withdrawal form (https://qafederation.ngwebsolutions.com/sp/startSSO.ping?PartnerIdpId=https://caneid.miami.edu/idp/shibboleth&TargetResource=https://dynamicforms.ngwebsolutions.com) after the course ends in order to be formally withdrawn.
Withdraw from Program

If students are withdrawn from the program this means they are permanently suspended from continuing with their studies. Therefore, students will not be registered for future courses or have access to the online student community, the academic environment or other related program privileges.

If a student is considering withdrawing from the program, he/she should be aware of the financial and academic consequences for doing so. There are different consequences for withdrawing before and after Day 7.

If a student receives federal financial aid and withdraws before he/she completes 60% of the term, a pro rated calculation will determine the amount of financial aid the student has earned. It is based on the amount of time the student was enrolled. This calculation is independent of any charges incurred at the University as per the refund policy and schedule. Students should contact their Academic Advisor before withdrawing to fully understand their financial obligations upon withdrawal.

Student-Initiated Withdraw from Program BEFORE Day 7

Should a student wish to withdraw from the program before, or by the end of Day 7 (Eastern Standard Time) of their first course, students must submit a Withdrawal Form (https://qafederation.ngwebsolutions.com/sp/startSSO.ping?PartnerIdpId=https://caneid.miami.edu/idp/shibboleth&TargetResource=https://dynamicforms.ngwebsolutions.com) by the end of Day 7 (Eastern Standard Time) of their course to make the request. If the student decides to withdraw from the program by end of Day 7 of the current course:

- The student will be removed from their course(s).
- The student will be refunded for the course(s) in accordance with the refund policy for online programs (minus the enrollment deposit).
- The course(s) will not appear on the student’s record.

The effective program withdrawal date will be the date/time the Withdrawal Form was submitted and should be processed within 3-4 business days by the Office of the University Registrar. Should the student’s withdrawal need to be reviewed by other departments, such as Financial Aid, processing time may be extended to 14 business days.

The Enrollment Deposit and some program fees remain non-refundable. If the student received a tuition invoice, it will be recalculated or cancelled in accordance with the refund policy and schedule and effective date of program withdrawal.

Student-Initiated Withdraw from Program AFTER Day 7

If the student would like to withdraw from the program after Day 7 (Eastern Standard Time) of the course start, students must submit a Withdrawal Form (https://qafederation.ngwebsolutions.com/sp/startSSO.ping?PartnerIdpId=https://caneid.miami.edu/idp/shibboleth&TargetResource=https://dynamicforms.ngwebsolutions.com) no later than the “last day to drop with a ‘W’” (Eastern Standard Time) as per the Academic Calendar, of their current course to make the request. If the student decides to withdraw from the program before or after Day 7:

- The student will be removed from any course currently enrolled.
- The student will receive a Withdrawal (W) on the student’s record for their course.
- The effective program withdrawal date will be the date/time the Withdrawal Form was submitted and should be processed within 3-4 business days by the Office of the University Registrar. Should the student’s withdrawal need to be reviewed by other departments, such as Financial Aid, processing time may be extended to 14 business days.

The enrollment deposit and some program fees remain non-refundable. Any tuition payments made by the student for the course through the time of withdrawal will not be applied or credited towards any future courses the student may enroll into. If a student is using Financial Aid, a recalculation of financial aid may be required to determine if any funds need to be returned to Title IV. In this case, the calculation may take up to 45 days from the effective date of withdrawal to appear on the student’s account. Students may check Canelink to review their account and balance. Students must submit their Withdrawal Request (https://qafederation.ngwebsolutions.com/sp/startSSO.ping?PartnerIdpId=https://caneid.miami.edu/idp/shibboleth&TargetResource=https://dynamicforms.ngwebsolutions.com) no later than the "last day to drop With a W" as per the Academic Calendar. Any Withdrawal requests submitted after this date will not be processed for the current session. The student will remain in their current course and must be resubmit the Withdrawal form (https://qafederation.ngwebsolutions.com/sp/startSSO.ping?PartnerIdpId=https://caneid.miami.edu/idp/shibboleth&TargetResource=https://dynamicforms.ngwebsolutions.com) after the course ends in order to be formally withdrawn.

Administration-Initiated Withdraw from Program

The student may be withdrawn from the program for academic progress issues, academic integrity, non-payment or other administrative issues (such as not receiving official transcripts by the deadline). In this event, the student will receive formal notification that he/she will be withdrawn from the program and may owe a balance.

The student will still be responsible for completing payment on any previously taken courses and will be subject to all billing, payment and collections policies.
Withdraw from Institution

If the student requested to withdraw from the program, he/she will be formally withdrawn from the Institution within 1-calendar year/365 days of the effective withdrawal date on record. Until this time, the student may still request to be reinstated to the program under certain circumstances. A student should contact Academic Advising for next steps on reinstatement if they choose to return within one year of withdrawing. Students who submit a withdrawal from the institution will need to reapply and should contact an Enrollment Advisor to help guide the admissions process. Prior coursework is not guaranteed to be applied to any programs upon readmission.

If the student is withdrawn from the program for more than one year (three (3) consecutive terms) he/she will be withdraw from the Institution immediately and may not be reinstated either to the program or Institution. Students who have been withdrawn from their program for more than one year will need to reapply and should contact their Academic Advisor for next steps.

Withdrawal Appeal Process

In extraordinary circumstances, such as a serious illness or accident, students may request to appeal their withdrawal date by contacting their Academic Advisor (https://www.emailmeform.com/builder/form/u0FnTh276J4GycEdxz7/) for more information on the UOnline Withdrawal Appeal process. The appeal form must be submitted within 30 calendar days from the date of withdrawal from the University or if the appeal is being submitted for a semester that is completed, the form must be submitted within 30 calendar days of the last day of the end of the semester in question. Students must adhere to the specific documentation requirements as stated on the Appeal Form and submit all required documentation, along with the completed form to univregistrar@miami.edu. A decision will be sent electronically to the email address provided on the Appeal Form within a months time from the date it was received.

Reinstatement to Program

If a student has been withdrawn from the program, he/she may be reinstated to the program if:

- The student was not withdrawn from the program for academic progress or misconduct reasons.
- The student was not withdrawn from the Institution or is not in the process of being withdrawn from the Institution.
- The student has no unpaid tuition balance.
- The student has been withdrawn from the program for less than 1 calendar year (365 calendar days/3 consecutive terms). If the student is withdrawn for more than 1 calendar year, he/she must reapply to the program.

Students may not credit any previously paid tuition to courses they register into once reinstated and should contact their Academic Advisor (https://www.emailmeform.com/builder/form/u0FnTh276J4GycEdxz7/) to discuss the reinstatement process and requirements.

Late Payments, Holds, Collections and Refunds

Late Payment Fees

A payment is considered late if it has not been paid by 1 day after the payment due date. Late fees may be assessed to the student’s account.

University of Miami VA Pending Payment Compliance

In accordance with Title 38 US Code 3679 subsection (e), this school adopts the following additional provisions for any students using U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) Post 9/11 G.I. Bill® (Ch. 33) or Vocational Rehabilitation & Employment (Ch. 31) benefits, while payment to the institution is pending from the VA.

This school will not:

- Prevent the student’s enrollment
- Assess a late penalty fee to the student
- Require the student to secure alternative or additional funding
- Deny the student access to any resources (access to classes, libraries, or other institutional facilities) available to other students who have satisfied their tuition and fee bills to the institution.

However, to qualify for this provision, such students may be required to:

- Produce the VA Certificate of Eligibility (COE) by the first day of class
- Provide a written request to be certified
- Provide additional information needed to properly certify the enrollment as described in other institutional policies

Financial Hold

Students are expected to pay tuition on time. Paying on time ensures timely registration into subsequent courses so that a student can continue to advance toward completing the program. Students must pay for each term in full before they can continue on to the next term.

If a student is 15 or more days past due on 1 or more invoices, he/she will be placed on Student Account/Financial Hold.
If a Student Account/Financial hold is placed, students:

- will be able to complete the current course
- will not be registered into future courses until all outstanding invoices have been paid.
- will not be able to receive transcripts or a diploma

Placement on Student Account Hold
Students will receive a reminder that payment is due as well as overdue. Students will also be notified once a Student Accounts Hold is placed on their account.

Removal From Student Account Hold
Once students have made their overdue payment, the Student Accounts Hold will be removed within 24 hours and students will be registered into the next course in the next available term.

Third Party Collections
The University utilizes third party collections services to collect on unpaid balances.

Refund Schedule
A student who withdraws or is withdrawn from the program may be entitled to a refund according to the rules outlined below.

By or Before Day 7 (Week 1) of Each Course
If a student withdraws from the program by, or before Day 7 (Eastern Standard Time) of a course, he/she will be refunded 100% of tuition paid for that course, excluding the enrollment deposit. If the student withdraws during the refund period and has not yet paid any tuition owed for that course, the Student Accounts Office will cancel the balance for that course.

Day 8-14 (Week 2) of Each Course
If a student withdraws from the program after Day 7, but not later than Day 14, he/she will receive a 50% refund.

Day 15-49 (Week 3-Week 7) of Each Course
If a student withdraws from the program on or after Day 15, he/she will receive no refund and will be obligated to pay for the entire course they are currently enrolled.

The effective withdraw date is:

- If initiated by the student, it is the date the student formally submitted the withdrawal form (https://qafederation.ngwebsolutions.com/sp/startSSO.ping?PartnerIdpId=https://caneid.miami.edu/idp/shibboleth&TargetResource=https://dynamicforms.ngwebsolutions.com)
- If initiated by the Administration, it is the date the administration formally entered/processed the withdrawal.

Overpaid Tuition
After students have withdrawn, if they paid more than what they owed on a course, they will be refunded the difference between what they paid and the amount due as determined by the refund schedule and effective withdraw date. Overpayment tuition refunds are typically processed on or about 14 days after the start of each term; however, in certain circumstances this time frame may be delayed. Students may check their Canelink account to view when refunds have been processed.

Refund Policy and Schedule - Timeline and Methods
All refunds will be paid via the payment method paid and within 30 days of the effective withdrawal date on record.

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Ethics, Student Rights and Responsibilities
Students agree to abide by the Graduate Student Honor Code.

The University of Miami expects all graduate students to adhere to the highest standards of ethics and academic integrity. All forms of academic fraud are strictly prohibited. These include, but are not limited to, plagiarism, cheating, collusion, falsification, violation of professional ethics, or misrepresentation of research data. Students certify that all work (whether an examination, dissertation, thesis, research paper, research project,
form of creative expression, experimental data, or any other academic undertaking) submitted for evaluation, presentation, or publication meets these standards. Additionally, graduate students are expected to respect and appreciate the diversity of the community and to respect the rights of others, be they property, privacy, opinion, or expression. Students found to be in violation of these standards are subject to disciplinary actions by the student's program and/or the Graduate School. All graduate students are bound by the rules and regulations of the University of Miami that apply to them. The Graduate Honor Code can be reviewed on the Dean of Students (p. 2988) website.

Disciplinary and Grievance Procedures for Graduate Students

Two types of procedures exist:

- Academic and
- Nonacademic.

Procedures for handling disciplinary and grievance matters are handled by the Graduate Student Appeals Committee. Contact the Graduate School for details about the appeals process. The Graduate School expects an appeal to have gone through the program or department and then the School's Academic Dean prior to its being heard by the Graduate School. The University Ombudsperson may also be consulted. For more information, please refer to the Academic Policies page.

Honors and Awards

Award of Academic Merit

Students who obtain a 3.8 G.P.A. or better will receive an Award of Academic Merit from the Graduate School. The Award is posted on the transcript.

Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges

The Graduate School solicits nominations for this award annually. Nominations are provided by Graduate Program Directors at the beginning of the spring term.

- Graduate Student Awards
- Graduate Student Organization Award
- GSA Executive Award
- Senate Award
- Academic Award
- Graduate Student Award

Requirements for Commencement

It is the responsibility of the student to apply for graduation through Canelink during the student's final term prior to the deadline for the next commencement ceremony.

Both the dates for commencement and the deadline to apply for graduation are published in the online academic calendar (http://www.miami.edu/index.php/registrar/calendar/). Students who previously applied for graduation but did not receive the degree must repeat the application procedure. Deadlines for the commencement program are firm. Students will be degree candidates until they have been cleared by the Graduate School.

Participation in the commencement ceremony or the listing of a student's name in the commencement book in no way implies or ensures graduation. A student's graduation is contingent upon successful completion of the degree requirements and approval by the academic school or college.

Commencement ceremonies are held in May and December only. Those students completing degree requirements during the fall, spring, or summer sessions may, if they wish, participate in the graduation ceremonies of the previous or following May or December. Students receiving a Ph.D., D.M.A., D.N.P., D.P.T., or Ed.D. degree and plan to participate in the hooding ceremony and all master's students marching in the graduation ceremony must have the approval of the graduate advisor, director, or appropriate person in the department/school to participate in the ceremonies.

Participation in commencement for students in all graduate programs is contingent upon the following:

1. The student must have met the requirements for the program.
2. The student must have a minimum of 3.00 cumulative grade point average;
3. The student may not have any outstanding debt including, but not limited to, tuition, fines, and fees. Tuition for the last term of study must be paid in full by the beginning of the final term.

Clearance for Degree Conferral

For the Graduate School to clear a student for graduation:
1. All original documents (transcripts from previous degrees entered on their online application, GRE scores, etc.) must be on record in the Graduate School (except for MBA students).
2. The Admission to Candidacy form must have been completed by the program at least one term before graduation. The Graduate School does not require application to candidacy for master’s, D.P.T., nor D.N.P. degrees.
3. The student must defend his/her thesis or dissertation (if applicable) no later than two weeks before the last day of class in the term he/she wishes to graduate.
4. The student must submit his/her final, Dissertation Editor-approved thesis or dissertation with all corrections completed and final paperwork turned in to the Graduate School by the last day of exams in the term he/she wishes to graduate for their clearance to be processed in time.

Graduate Student Association

The primary function of the GSA is to promote effective graduate student participation in University affairs. The GSA serves as a liaison between graduate students, faculty, and the administration. In addition, the GSA exists as a forum to support and improve the quality of the graduate student environment at the University of Miami. The University of Miami Graduate Student Association is an active member of the National Association of Graduate-Professional Students. All graduate students at the University of Miami are members of the GSA.

Graduate Council

The mission of the Graduate Council is to promote graduate education, scholarship, and research; to support individuals, departments and programs in the pursuit of excellence; to foster innovative, multidisciplinary, and interdisciplinary activities and to maintain high ethical and academic standards in graduate studies.

Student Resources

Dean of Students Office

The mission of the Dean of Students Office is to foster the personal development of students by providing a range of programs and services that create an optimal learning and living environment. The Graduate Honor Code (https://doso.studentaffairs.miami.edu/_assets/pdf/policies/student_rights_and_responsibilities_handbook.pdf#page=10) and the Student Rights and Responsibilities Handbook (p. 2964) are two methods in which the University encourages ethical behavior in all its students. The Graduate Honor Council is a student organization which investigates violations of the Graduate Honor Code and decides appropriate action. The Dean of Students Office also oversees the University Chaplains Association, which consists of various campus ministries to serve the spiritual needs of students. For more information on these and other services offered by the Dean of Students Office, call 305-284-5353 or visit our website (https://doso.studentaffairs.miami.edu/).

Career Development

The Toppel Career Center assists undergraduate students, graduate students, and alumni in formulating their career plans and in pursuing internship opportunities.

It is the intent and desire of the University of Miami and the Toppel Career Center to provide equal employment opportunities for students and graduates regardless of race, color, national origin, religion, gender, sexual orientation, age or disabilities.

HireACane.com is a management system where students can access internships, jobs, on-campus recruiting information, career programs, and companies/organizations attending Careers Expos and Fairs. Students can only access these additional online resources by activating and logging into their HireACane.com account.

Student Disability

The Academic Resource Center (ARC) provides academic resources and support to ensure that students with documented disabilities are able to access and participate in the opportunities available at the University of Miami.

All students seeking accommodations for a disability must register with the Office of Disability Services. Students should disclose that they are a UOnline student for fastest processing times. Students should register as soon as possible so that the office has sufficient time to receive and review the necessary documentation and coordinate reasonable accommodations. To register, schedule an appointment with the ARC at 305-284-2374 or e-mail us (disabilityservices@miami.edu).

Before a determination is made regarding a request for accommodations, the student must complete the proper forms and submit current, appropriate, and full documentation of the disability as required by ARC.

Important Phone Numbers

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SPECIAL PROGRAMS

Miami Semester/Year Program

http://www.miami.edu/miamisemester

The Miami Semester/Year – Visiting Student Program provides the opportunity for degree-seeking students attending other colleges to spend one or two semesters living, studying and doing research at the University of Miami. Domestic and international students may enroll in this program, taking advantage of our diverse academic community, renowned faculty, and beautiful South-Florida landscape.

The Miami Semester/Year – Visiting Student Program is limited to degree-seeking undergraduates in good standing attending other universities and colleges. Participating students will be required to take a minimum of twelve credits.

If an academic area of study is not listed below, please contact the Miami Semester Program Office to inquire if your program of interest is available or can be developed to meet your academic requirements.

Course offerings are subject to change depending on availability.

American Studies

American Studies allows students to select three courses from the American Studies (AMS) Program’s course offerings, and additional classes from other departments based on availability and interests. It is an interdisciplinary approach for students to reflect on the interrelated nature of subjects like, but not limited to, Sociology, Geography, History, and Anthropology, and topics that are relevant to today’s society such as cultural diversity, the global economy, regional and geographical norms, and popular culture. The goal of this program is to assist in students’ understanding of the world around them by analyzing events, policies, societal norms and cultures, and historical events. Students may take any combination of courses that equal at least 12 credit hours.

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Total Credit Hours 9-12

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Architecture: New Urbanism

The Architecture program allows for students currently majoring in architecture at other colleges and universities to gain perspective of the field in South Florida. Students enroll in six credits of Architectural Design and six to nine credits of related electives or courses in Urban Studies. Students are required to maintain a standard full-load of credits for the spring semester of 12-15 UM credits.

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Audio Engineering
Audio Engineering allows for students currently majoring in electrical engineering to study areas such as circuit theory, electronics, signal processing and multimedia with audio studies in acoustics, digital audio, recording and post production. Students enroll in three Electrical Engineering courses; and add courses from other areas of interest based on availability.

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International Finance and Marketing
The International Finance and Marketing program is designed for business students from other universities who want to add an international dimension to their studies. This program allows students to select from a limited set of courses offered by the School of Business. The program focuses on the international aspects of business. The program is open to students with at least a junior standing who have met the course prerequisites. Students must take at least two courses below, but may take all four.

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**E.C.O. 442**  
International Monetary Economics

**BSL 412**  
International Business Law

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**Marine Science**

Marine Science is a hands-on study opportunity for those interested in marine science, oceanography, geology and marine physics. Students must enroll in a minimum of three Marine Science courses. In addition, highly qualified students may be eligible for an independent study research project. Students may also opt to add courses in other areas based on availability and interests.

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1. MSC courses should be selected in consultation with your advisor. See the courses page (p. 3609) for a list of MSC courses.

**Sport Administration**

Sport Administration is an opportunity for students who are interested in the ethics, leadership, and business of managing athletic organizations. Students will have the opportunity to participate in an internship that fits their interest area as well taking hands-on courses in Kinesiology & Sport Sciences. Internships may take place within the UM Athletic Department or local professional sport franchises. Students may take any combination of courses that equal at least 12 credit hours.

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**Office of Professional Advancement - Non Credit Courses**

www.continue.miami.edu/opa

Dedicated to providing the highest quality, competency-based, continuing professional education, the Office of Professional Advancement offers seminars, courses and certificate programs to meet the training and professional development needs of both corporations and individuals.

For more information, specific curriculum descriptions and a listing of current seminars, courses and workshops, contact the:

Office of Professional Advancement, Division of Continuing and International Education  
University of Miami  
111 Allen Hall  
Coral Gables, Florida 33146-1610  
305-284-4000 or  
email opa@miami.edu.  
Additional information on the web (http://www.continue.miami.edu).

**Allergy Diagnostics & Allergen Immunotherapy Training Program**

In collaboration with the University of Miami Division of Continuing & International Education and the Miller School of Medicine. The Allergy Diagnostics & Allergen Immunotherapy Training Workshop gives medical practitioners the training they need to diagnose, treat, and manage patients
with noncomplex, non-life-threatening allergies. The Academy of Allergy & Asthma in Primary Care endorses this program, which fits with its mission
to support primary physicians in better managing their allergy-suffering patient populations.

For more detailed course descriptions, current schedule and prices, please visit our website (http://continue.miami.edu/en/packagedetail.aspx? p=214).

Business and Leadership Certificate Programs

The Business Program offerings provide a range of certificates focused on enhancing skills and improving organizational performance. The development of core skills in cutting edge disciplines, with application based learning, will prepare Program participants for profit and non-profit sectors across a broad spectrum of disciplines, including Leadership and Management, Business and Communication Skills, Consulting, Human Resources, Nonprofit, and Meeting and Event Planning.

Leadership Development and Management offerings include Executive Leadership, Fundamentals of Leadership, Managing Cross-Functional Teams, Management and Supervision, Organizational Leadership, and Strategies for successful negotiation. These Programs emphasizes the development and enhancement of vital leadership skills for those tasked with leading organizations, or have the desire to enter into one in the near future.

Business offerings include Ethical Business Decision Making, Alternative Methods of Problem Solving, Group Facilitation, Problem Solving and Decision-Making Strategies. These Programs prepare participants for the skilled, ethical decision-making, problem solving, and critical thinking skills necessary to make informed decisions that create and maintain an ethical work environment.

Human Resources offerings include Managing Organizational Change, Fundamentals of Delivering Training, and Conflict Resolution. These programs emphasize the development and enhancement of key skills for those who have the need and desire to learn how to effectively manage change, present effective training, and resolve workplace conflict to increase employee engagement, productivity, and teamwork.

The Nonprofit Programs are designed to develop and cultivate necessary skills that nonprofit managers to effectively manage challenges often associated with the nonprofit sector. Participants who currently hold a management role, or have the desire to move into a management role within a non-profit organization of any type will elevate skills in Nonprofit Operational Management, Nonprofit Fundraising, Grant Writing, and Fundamentals of Philanthropy.

Meeting and Event Planning Program participants are those tasked with or looking to engage in designing and coordinating any type of organizational meeting or event. Program areas include Fundamentals of Meeting Planning and Event Development and Negotiation Skills for Event Planners. Emphasis is placed on gaining an in-depth understanding of skills that will enable participants to help clients and/or internal organizational departments design and coordinate an effective, multifaceted meeting and/or event that will accomplish the client’s or organizational goals and objectives.

Additional Programs include Innovation and Organizational Consulting. The Innovation Program emphasizes key roles of individual entrepreneurs and organizational innovation in private and public services, design thinking as a problem-solving tool, and understanding communication approaches, leadership practices, and the relationship between the marketing and sales functions in the workplace. The Organizational Consulting Program provides the knowledge needed to think critically and solve problems creatively for an organization based on assessment of the client’s needs.

For a full list of business certificate programs offered, please visit our website (https://www.continue.miami.edu/default.aspx).

Certificate in Happiness Studies (CiHS)

The Certificate in Happiness Studies (CiHS) program is the first and only of its kind. This program explores happiness through the lens of different disciplines - including psychology and philosophy, as well as history, theology, biology, economics, literature, art, and so on. CiHS provides the knowledge and the tools to generate happiness on the individual, interpersonal, organizational, and national levels. The Certificate in Happiness Studies program is a 12- month online experience that includes academic lectures and live webinars, as well as ongoing interactions with faculty and other students.
Certified Professional Coach Program

This Coach Certificate Training Program is designed to support you in becoming a professional coach or in using coaching skills to enhance your leadership, management, and/or communication skills. This program has been written by master coaches and aligns with the International Coach Federation (ICF) Core Coaching Competencies. The University of Miami has designed a thorough program that will allow you to make a powerful leap into using coaching skills and becoming a professional coach. The Certified Professional Coach Program is a 140 hour, eleven month program designed for those interested in a career in coaching, who also want outstanding training in order to serve clients at the highest level. Additionally, it is designed for leaders, managers, human resource professionals, teachers, or service professionals (doctors, lawyers, counselors, consultants, etc.) who want to dramatically improve their ability to communicate, motivate, inspire, and empower others.

For more detailed course descriptions, current schedule and prices, please visit our website (http://continue.miami.edu/en/packagedetail.aspx?p=80).

Coding Boot Camp Certificate

University of Miami (UM) Coding Boot Camp is a 24-week, part-time web development course offered on our Coral Gables campus in partnership with Trilogy Education Services. The full-stack curriculum includes HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript, jQuery, Node.js, Java, Database Theory, MongoDB, Heroku, Git, and more.

For more detailed course descriptions, current schedule and prices, please visit our website (http://www.continue.miami.edu/en/packagedetail.aspx?p=198).

Cyber Security Certificate

University of Miami Division of Continuing and International Education in collaboration with HackerUSA, offers unique hands-on skill based programs in Cyber security. HackerUSA has over 20 years of experience and is a leading educational provider for cyber security training. They bring a wealth of expertise that allows our cyber security programs to be innovative and high quality. Our students will be exposed to the most advanced technologies used today and will gain real practical experience.

For more detailed course descriptions, current schedule and prices, please visit our website. (http://www.continue.miami.edu/en/packagedetail.aspx?sc=108)

Data Analytics Certificate

University of Miami (UM) Data Analytics Boot Camp, in partnership with Trilogy Education Services, is a 24-week, part-time program offered on our Coral Gables campus that will empower you to gain the knowledge and skills to conduct robust analytics on a host of real-world problems. Throughout the course, you’ll be gaining proficiencies on a host of marketable technologies like Advanced Excel, Python, JavaScript, (D3.js, Leaflet.js), HTML/CSS, API Interactions, Social Media Mining, SQL, Tableau, Fundamental Statistics, Machine Learning, R, Git/GitHub and more.

For more detailed course descriptions, current schedule and prices, please visit our website (http://continue.miami.edu/en/packagedetail.aspx?p=207).

Digital Marketing Certificate

University of Miami Division of Continuing and International Education in collaboration with HackerUSA, offers the Digital Marketing Boot Camp. This program is designed to jump-start the careers of students who are new to digital marketing, upskill traditional marketers, and reskill career changers. The program will qualify students to work in a variety of digital marketing positions, including Social Media Management, Content Management, SEO Digital Strategy, PPC Management, SEM Campaign Management, and more.

For more detailed course descriptions, current schedule and prices, please visit our website (http://continue.miami.edu/en/packagedetail.aspx?p=216).

Electronic Medical Records Specialist Certificate

Manage electronic medical records and gain the professional knowledge to become an essential member of the healthcare team. Learn through hands-on practice sessions using PrimeSUITE®, electronic medical records software. The Program prepares students to sit for the Certified Electronic Health Records Specialist (CEHRS) examination through the National Health Career Association.

For detailed course description, calendar and prices, please visit our website (http://continue.miami.edu/en/packagedetail.aspx?p=169).

Green Professional Building Skills Training (GPRO) Certificate Program

Offered in partnership with the Urban Green Council, an affiliate of the U.S. Green Building Council (USGBC), the GPRO Certificate Program is taught by GPRO-certified University of Miami instructors who are experienced professionals in the construction industry and are well-informed about sustainability issues. The program is customized for the climate and regional needs of South Florida. Participants learn to use building metrics to
reduce operating costs, improve occupancy rates and raise tenant satisfaction. This knowledge enables them to implement leading-edge practices that reduce energy, water use, and waste, plus make buildings healthier and safer for occupants. The GPRO Certificate Program is offered in partnership with the UM College of Engineering’s Master of Science in Construction Management Program.

For more detailed course descriptions, current schedule and prices, please visit our website (http://continue.miami.edu/en/packagedetail.aspx?p=209).

**Human Resources Management Certificate Program**

This certificate provides the latest in proven techniques and strategies to effectively manage organizational challenges. The curriculum covers the following topics: Strategic Management, Legal and Regulatory Issues; Employment, Planning, and Placement; Benefits and Compensations: Development and Administration; Training and Development and Employee and Labor Relations. The HR Program is recognized by the Greater Miami Society for Human Resource Management. The comprehensive curriculum works for the newcomer as well as the seasoned professional and is especially useful to small and medium-size business owners. (6 months)

For more detailed course descriptions, current schedule and prices, please visit our website (http://continue.miami.edu/en/packagedetail.aspx?p=3).

**IT Training Certificates**

The University of Miami, Division of Continuing and International Education has partnered with IT Training Solutions to offer database and informational technology non-credit certificate programs. IT Training Solution is an international training provider specializing in comprehensive IT Technical and Certification courses. Together we are empowering students to learn complex material and review concepts in an easy to use online, interactive course. We are continually updating the content in these courses to stay current with the trends and new developments in the industry. Each quarter 3-5 new titles are released.

For more detailed course descriptions, current schedule and process, please contact us at 305-284-4000.

**Instructional Design & Technology**

Instructional Design & Technology is an online series of courses designed for education professionals and corporate trainers who are interested in instructional design, alternative instructional delivery systems and designing online courses or modules. It offers professionals the opportunity to bridge the gap between research and practice.

For more detailed course descriptions, current schedule and process, please visit our website (http://continue.miami.edu/en/packagedetail.aspx?p=206).

**Interior Design Certificate Program**

If you have always had an eye for design, and have a knack for taking an ordinary space and making it feel extraordinary, then the University of Miami Certificate in Interior Design is for you. The Certificate in Interior Design Program offers non-credit courses to those who want to enrich their cultural experiences or who are interested in improving their professional or occupational skills. Taught by industry professionals, our Certificate in Interior Design program focuses on the important fundamentals to enter the design field. A hands-on program, students will learn history of interiors, principles and elements of design, Color Theory, freehand and computer drafting, specification and materials, professional practice, and building a portfolio.

For more detailed course descriptions, current schedule and prices, please visit our website (http://continue.miami.edu/en/packagedetail.aspx?p=115).

**Medical Billing and Coding Certificate**

The Medical Billing & Coding Program begins with a standard block of courses necessary to obtain the foundation knowledge needed for certification in billing and coding. Essential sciences are covered in the medical terminology, anatomy & physiology, diagnostic coding, and disease pathology modules. Once these core medical topics are covered, the Program provides the learner with the knowledge and skills needed to perform diagnostic coding, using the ICD-9 and ICD-10 coding systems, and procedural coding. Students will participate in a module specific focusing on CPC® examination preparation.

For detailed course description, current schedule and prices, please visit our website. (http://www.continue.miami.edu/en/packagedetail.aspx?p=182)

**Paralegal Concentration Certificates**

The Paralegal Concentration Certificates provide both beginning and experienced paralegals with expansive educational and professional opportunities. These Practice Area Concentration certificate programs allow paralegals to augment current skills and focus on virtually any area of the law. Choose to specialize in one of the following areas of concentration: Contract law, Business law, Criminal law and Procedures, Bankruptcy law, Intellectual Property, Immigration law, Wills and Trust, Employment law, Real Estate law, and Litigation. Give yourself an edge in today's competitive job market. All Paralegal Concentration courses are available online so students are able to enroll at any time.
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For more detailed course descriptions, current schedule and prices, please visit our website (http://continue.miami.edu/en/packagedetail.aspx?p=119).

**Paralegal Studies Certificate Program**

The UM Paralegal Studies program is an intense four-month course of study which certifies the successful student as a qualified professional ready to start an exciting new career as a paralegal. Classes are taught by prominent local attorneys, Judges and Magistrates. The Paralegal Program classes are offered weekday evenings at the Coral Gables campus or as a fully online program.

For more detailed course descriptions, current schedule and prices, please visit our website (http://continue.miami.edu/en/packagedetail.aspx?p=14).

**Patient Advocacy Certificate Program**

The Patient Advocacy Certificate Program is an eight-module, fully online course that prepares students to confidently take and pass the Board Certified Patient Advocate (BCPA) certification examination. Patient Advocates help patients and their families understand diagnoses, prognoses and outcomes as well as available treatment options. The Patient Advocacy Certificate Program focuses on skill development while ensuring that students are fully informed about the scope of practice of the patient advocate.

For more detailed course descriptions, current schedule and prices, please visit our website (http://continue.miami.edu/en/packagedetail.aspx?p=204).

**Personal Financial Planning Certificate Program**

Designed for students preparing for professional examinations and professional practice in personal financial planning.

Our program consists of providing the highest quality CFP education through Dalton Education, a leading provider of innovative education solutions in financial planning. The founders of Dalton Education have helped thousands of financial professionals earn the CFP® certification marks with their leading CFP review course, THE DALTON REVIEW®. Students can choose from an independent, self-paced, online education program or a live, instructor-led, internet-delivered program.

For more detailed course descriptions, current schedule and prices, please visit our website (https://www.continue.miami.edu/default.aspx).

**Post Baccalaureate Certificate in Computer Sciences**

The Post Baccalaureate Certificate in Computer Science (PBC) is a non-credit program designed for people with a Bachelor of Science degree in another discipline, who wish to learn the core skills of Computer Science. Completion of the PBC will provide opportunities to apply computational techniques in other areas, to change career paths towards computing, or to continue on to graduate student in Computer Science.

The PBC includes courses in programming, computer architecture and systems, some mathematics, and an elective chosen from the many courses available in the Department of Computer Science. By completing this one-year non-credit program, students will obtain the knowledge and skills at the heart of Computer Science, opening the doors to new and exciting opportunities. Students will be able to:

- Write efficient computer programs using appropriate data structures.
- Use their understanding of computer organization and architecture to select and utilize computer systems effectively.
- Use UNIX-based computer systems, and write programs that make use of the UNIX operating system.
- Characterize the underlying theory of computational systems.
- Discuss and write about a range of topics in Computer Science (as presented in seminars).
- Use basic mathematics in the development of computer software.

Pre-requisites for the PBC program are a Bachelors Degree, Calculus I, and Computer Programming I (or equivalent). Credit can be given for prior study. At least 15 credits of PBC courses must be completed at the University of Miami.

For more detailed course descriptions, current schedule and prices, please visit our website (http://www.continue.miami.edu/en/packagedetail.aspx?p=196).

**Project Management Professional Certificate (PMP®)**

This program satisfies the educational requirement needed to qualify to take the Project Management Professional (PMP®) exam. Learn the core competencies of project management, following the Project Management Institute’s A Guide to the Project Management Body of Knowledge, (PMBOK® Guide). Become proficient in the knowledge areas, process groups, skills and techniques delineated in the PMBOK® Guide to execute projects effectively and efficiently through all stages.

For more detailed course descriptions, current schedule and prices, please visit our website (http://continue.miami.edu/en/packagedetail.aspx?p=150).
SHRM® Certification Course (SHRM-CP™/SHRM-SCP™)

Establish yourself as a globally-recognized human resource expert by earning the new standard in HR Certification: SHRM Certified Professional (SHRM·CP®) and SHRM Senior Certified Professional (SHRM·SCP®). Designed for SHRM credential candidates, this course will expand and test your knowledge of practical, real-life competencies in areas critical for HR career success. Combining expert instruction with the SHRM Learning System® for SHRM·CP®/SHRM·SCP®, you will learn faster, retain more knowledge, and stay on track for success on the exam.

For more detailed course descriptions, current schedule and prices, please visit our website (http://continue.miami.edu/en/packagedetail.aspx?p=161).

Social Media Management Education Program

University of Miami is proud to offer a Social Media Professional Certificate and Social Media Strategist Certificate through Dalton Education. This is a cutting edge program, designed to teach the business applications of social media communications. This self-paced online program is convenient, practical, and affordable with the flexibility to begin at a time that works best for you.

For more detailed course descriptions, current schedule and prices, please visit our website (http://continue.miami.edu/en/packagedetail.aspx?p=141).

Study Abroad

www.studyabroad.miami.edu

Dept. Code: SAP

With over 60 unique opportunities overseas during the summer, fall, spring and intersession terms, students have options to study abroad on UM programs that align with their individual academic interests. Programs are open to sophomores, juniors, and seniors who meet posted eligibility requirements for admission such as minimum cumulative GPA. Students can live and learn abroad through short term and long term programs with UM faculty or at UM partner universities overseas. Programs with UM faculty are unique in their emphasis on experiential learning, pre-arranged group housing, excursions, and courses taught by UM professors and overseas academic experts. Examples of these programs include UM semester-on-locations in Prague, Shanghai, Paris, Latin America, Cape Town, India, the Galapagos, and Rome, as well as short term faculty-led programs during the summer, January intersession, and spring break in Europe, Asia, Africa, and South America. In some programs it is possible to earn graduate credit hours for study taken abroad.

Academics

The Schools and Colleges at UM encourage study abroad options for their students. Students are advised to plan as early as freshman year so studying abroad can be incorporated into their academic plan. With the assistance of the Study Abroad Office and the guidance of academic advisors, students can select a study abroad program to fit almost any major. Students can apply their courses abroad to their majors, minors, cognates, or elective credits with careful planning and academic department approval; the curriculum must be worked out by the student in conjunction with an advisor.

Students receive UM credit hours and grades while studying at any of UM's partner universities overseas. These programs can be undertaken for a semester, year, and/or during the summer. Among a multitude of other options, students can study Aboriginal studies at University of Sydney, be immersed in Spanish culture in Seville, explore Iceland's unspoiled nature while studying earth sciences at the University of Iceland, immerse themselves in Japanese culture and business practices at Sophia University in Tokyo, or become acquainted with the changing panorama of international relations at University of San Andres in Argentina. Many of these programs are delivered in English so foreign language proficiency is not required for UM study abroad opportunities.

Students enrolled in any study abroad program at a partner institution may not earn 25 percent or more of their credits toward any UM degree program (credit requirements may vary by major/level), including courses taught by UM faculty. A student who anticipates earning 25 percent or more of his/her degree credits while participating in a study abroad program must immediately inform his/her advisor or program chair, who will be responsible for notifying the appropriate parties so that advance approval can be obtained from the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges (SACSCOC).

Finances

Students who participate in UM Study Abroad programs will receive UM grades and credits and are able to use their existing financial aid and scholarships towards semester program costs.

The cost of studying abroad varies depending on the type, length, and location of the program. Students are often surprised at how affordable studying abroad can be. Participants are charged full tuition for the term abroad and the financial aid package will be adjusted based on the estimated expenses of the program. Students participating in UM study abroad programs will be able to use their financial aid and scholarships abroad.

As studying abroad is seen as such an important aspect of a college career, many national and institutional scholarships are available. Interested students should begin to research scholarship opportunities early. The most prestigious study abroad scholarships, which grant up to $10,000 per
semester, have applications with deadlines up to 18 months before the study abroad program begins. Several other scholarships, with deadlines similar to program application deadlines, are also available and grant up to $5,000. Learn more about finances and scholarships by visiting the Study Abroad website, speaking with the advisors in the Study Abroad Office and the Office of Financial Assistance Services.

For additional information, contact:

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Dooly Memorial Classroom Building, Suite 125
Coral Gables, FL 33146
Tel: 305-284-3434
Email: studyabroad@miami.edu
Website: studyabroad.miami.edu (http://www.studyabroad.miami.edu/)

Non-UM Programs

Students who study through a non-UM program, domestic or study abroad, and would like to have those credit hours applied toward their UM degree, must apply for Non-UM Program status. For more specific information on the Non-UM program process please see the Non-UM Study Abroad Program Policy and Steps. (https://studyabroad.miami.edu/explore-our-programs/types-of-programs/non-um-programs/)

As of July 1, 2017, the non-UM fee is $350 per semester.

Summer Scholars Program

http://www.miami.edu/ssp

As one of the nation’s most active research universities, the University of Miami specializes in innovative thinking and great teaching – a combination that is showcased in the Summer Scholars Program (SSP). Students learn from distinguished UM faculty and study in classes that connect classroom ideas and hands-on learning in our exciting precollege programs.

SSP is designed to expose high school students to university academics and campus life before commencing undergraduate studies. Students can attend the Summer Scholars Three-Week Credit Program to earn college credit or the UM Academies Two-Week Non-Credit Program for an immersive academic experience. Residential and commuter options are available.

Interested high school students should seek further information and application requirements (http://www.miami.edu/ssp/).

Summer Scholars Three-Week Credit Program

The Summer Scholars Three-Week, Credit Program is open to rising high school juniors and seniors. Courses are taught by UM faculty. Each academic specialty consists of two courses (3 credits each) for a total of 6 credit hours.

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UM Academies Two-Week Non-Credit Program

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Summer Sessions and InterSessions

http://www.miami.edu/summersessions

Summer Sessions

The Summer Sessions program at the University of Miami is an exceptional opportunity for students to enhance their educational goals in a concentrated time period and for the South Florida community to take part in some of the innovative and unusual courses taught by outstanding faculty and well-known guest lecturers.

InterSession - Special Academic Programs

- January (First) and Spring Break (Second) InterSessions (http://www.miami.edu/intersession/)
- Summer A (First) and Summer B (Second) InterSessions (https://www.dcie.miami.edu/credit-degree-programs/summer-credit-sessions/summer-intersection-clases/)

January, Spring Break, Summer A (May), and Summer B (June) InterSessions are short term credit hour courses designed so you can concentrate fully on topics not normally offered during regular semesters; getting individual quality time with distinguished faculty members; and sharing knowledge with other students.

Tuition charges for January and Spring Break InterSession are separate from and in addition to your spring tuition charges (ARE NOT included in the full time 12-20 credit hours "Flat Rate" of Spring Semester).

Due to the intense format of the InterSession courses, there are special drop and refund policies.

Grades:

Official grades for January (First) InterSession and Spring Break (Second) InterSession courses will be provided with the spring semester grades in May. Official grades for Summer InterSession classes will be provided at the end of the summer session in which they are offered.
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**ACC 211. Principles of Financial Accounting. 3 Credit Hours.**
Course explores the role of accounting in providing financial information about an enterprise to decision-makers. Emphasis is placed on understanding financial accounting from a user perspective. Course covers the reporting of financial position including coverage of assets, liabilities, equity accounts, the results of operations, and cash flows.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**ACC 212. Managerial Accounting. 3 Credit Hours.**
Introduction to managerial accounting. Topics include various product costing techniques, analysis of cost behavior patterns, budgeting, and the use of accounting information to solve problems. The course is taught from a managerial perspective.
Prerequisite: ACC 211 or ACC 221 or ACC 223 and Requisite: Business School.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**ACC 221. Accelerated Principles of Financial Accounting. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course explores the role of accounting in providing financial information about an enterprise to decision-makers. Emphasis is placed on understanding financial accounting from a user perspective. Course covers the reporting of financial position including coverage of assets, liabilities, equity accounts, the results of operations, and cash flows. This course is not open to students with credit for ACC 211.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

**ACC 222. Accelerated Managerial Accounting. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course provides an introduction to managerial/cost accounting. Topics include various product costing techniques, analysis of cost behavior patterns, budgeting, and the use of accounting information to solve problems. The course is taught from a managerial perspective. This course is not open to students with credit in ACC 212.
Prerequisite: ACC 221.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

**ACC 223. Principles of Financial and Managerial Accounting. 4 Credit Hours.**
This course provides an introduction to financial and managerial accounting. Since this course focuses on accounting’s role in providing information for management decisions, it also includes techniques for planning and controlling business operations to achieve company goals. Topics include the accounting cycle, financial statements, and financial ratios. From a managerial perspective, topics include job-order, process costing, activity-based costing, cost behavior, cost volume profit analysis, budgets, variances, and capital budgeting.
Prerequisite: MTH 161 and Requisite: Business School.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

**ACC 301. Cost Accounting. 3 Credit Hours.**
Topics include basic cost concepts, product costing techniques including job-order and process costing, in-depth studies of techniques and issues surrounding cost allocation methods, basic approaches to solving complex accounting problems, standard cost systems and variance analysis, and variable costing. Additionally, activity-based costing concepts and methodology are introduced. Course is designed to provide students with the necessary skills to perform basic cost accounting.
Prerequisite: ACC 212 or ACC 222 or ACC 223 and Requisite: Business School.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.
ACC 311. Intermediate Accounting I. 3 Credit Hours.
The accounting principles which shape the financial reporting practices followed by entities that prepare financial statements in accordance with
generally accepted accounting principles are discussed. Course also includes the determination of income components and balance sheet elements
with brief coverage of the statement of cash flows.
Prerequisite: ACC 212 Or ACC 223 or Pre/Corequisite: ACC 222 and Requisite: Business School.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

ACC 312. Intermediate Accounting II. 3 Credit Hours.
A continuation of ACC 311. Course focuses on more complex accounting applications such as leases, postretirement benefits, accounting for income
taxes, and other topics. Additionally, the course includes coverage of the statement of cash flows.
Prerequisite: ACC 311 And Requisite: BUSINESS SCHOOL.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

ACC 315. Accounting for Health Care Organizations.. 3 Credit Hours.
This course develops a working knowledge of the financial accounting and reporting processes in health care, services industry, and governmental
organizations. Focus is on accounting in health care, service industry and for-profit organizations. This will not count as an accounting course for
accounting majors and will not satisfy any accounting requirements needed to sit for the CPA exam in Florida.
Prerequisite: ACC 212 or ACC 222 and Requisite: HSMP major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ACC 402. Auditing. 3 Credit Hours.
Course provides an introduction to the field of auditing. It concentrates on conducting an audit of financial statements in accordance with generally
accepted auditing standards. Course covers accounting information systems, audit planning, audit risk and materiality assessments, evaluation of
internal control, audit evidence, documentation, and audit reports.
Prerequisite: ACC 311 And Requisite: BUSINESS SCHOOL.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ACC 403. Fundamentals of Taxation. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic concepts of federal income taxation applicable to all taxpayers. The principles of individual income taxation, the tax consequences of property
transactions, and an introduction to the impact of income taxes on corporations and partnerships are discussed. Emphasis is placed on study of the
basic income tax formula including income exclusion, inclusions, statutory deductions, exemptions, and credits. The fundamentals of tax research are
also introduced.
Prerequisite or Corequisite: ACC 311 and Requisite: Business School.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 404. Advanced Taxation. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of Federal income tax laws and regulations as they affect corporations, partnerships, their owners, and employees. Emphasis is placed on tax
planning aspects of formation, operation, reorganization, distribution, and liquidation of corporations and partnerships. Also includes an introduction
to estate and gift taxation.
Prerequisite: ACC 403 and Requisite: Business School.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 406. Accounting Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Contemporary accounting systems are computer based. Course covers the nature, design, implementation, and controls in computerized systems as
well as manual systems. Micro computers are used as a learning tool.
Prerequisite: ACC 311 And Requisite: BUSINESS SCHOOL.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
ACC 411. Advanced Accounting. 3 Credit Hours.
The primary focus of the course is on business combinations and preparing consolidated financial statements. Additionally, there is coverage of the accounting principles and practices applied to foreign operations and partnerships.
Prerequisite or Corequisite: ACC 312 AND Requisite: Business School and Junior Standing or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 496. Directed Studies in Accounting. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project, or independent investigation of selected non-STEM related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ACC 497. Directed Studies in Accounting. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project or independent investigation of selected STEM-related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ACC 498. Special Topics in Accounting. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected non-STEM areas of Accounting.
Requisite: Business School And Junior Or Senior Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ACC 499. Special Topics in Accounting. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected STEM areas of Accounting.
Requisite: Business School And Junior Or Senior Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ACC 506. Internal Auditing. 2 Credit Hours.
Course explores the unique issues associated with the internal audit function. Additionally, the ethical code applicable to internal auditors is discussed.
Prerequisite: ACC 402. And Requisite: Accepted into the Accelerated Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 522. Advanced Issues in Auditing. 3 Credit Hours.
Course covers advanced issues which arise in audit practice including audit reporting issues, fraud detection and reporting, attestation engagements, special reporting issues, compilation and review engagements, scope of services issues, and other new issues which have a significant impact on audit practice.
Prerequisite: ACC 402. And Requisite: Accepted into the Accelerated Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ACC 524. Accounting for Governmental and Not-for-Profit Entities. 2 Credit Hours.
The course introduces accounting within the environment of modern government and not-for-profit organizations. Emphasis is placed on financial accounting and reporting, current accounting issues, and managerial activities.
Prerequisite: ACC 312 and Requisite: Accepted into the Accounting Accelerated Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ACC 530. International Financial Reporting Standards. 1 Credit Hour.
This course provides an overview of International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS). The course will begin with a study of IFRS Framework and will then examine a number of the major topics covered in the Intermediate Accounting courses. The perspective will be a comparison between IFRS and U.S. generally accepted accounting principles (U.S. GAAP).
Prerequisite: ACC 312 and Requisite: Accepted into the Accounting Accelerated Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 550. Accounting Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Student is individually assigned to operating business firm or other organization to gain insight into management practice in area of career interest. Periodic reports and conferences are required. Approval of chairman is required at time of registration.
Requisite: Business School.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ACC 555. Accounting Departmental Honors Research Project. 3 Credit Hours.
Research project to fulfill requirements for Departmental Honors Accounting.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ACC 572. Advanced Financial Analysis. 2 Credit Hours.
This course builds on the analytical techniques developed in the prerequisite financial accounting courses to augment your understanding of more complex financial reporting issues and to introduce you to the valuation of equity investments. The viewpoint is that of the user of financial statements, particularly from the standpoint of an equity investor or purchaser of a business. We discuss each financial reporting issue in terms of its effect on assessments of a firm's profitability and risk. This course is designed primarily for students who expect to be intensive users of financial statements as part of their professional responsibilities.
Prerequisite: ACC 312. And Requisite: Accepted into the Accounting Accelerated Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ACC 600. Accounting for Decision-Making and Control. 3 Credit Hours.
The course focuses on the use and understanding of basic financial and managerial accounting reports. The course is oriented to the user of financial data rather than the preparer of the data. Coverage of basic accounting assumptions and current issues affecting accounting processes and reporting are included, but detailed accounting procedures are not emphasized. Completion of the course should permit students to understand accounting information and to communicate with professional accountants. Does not satisfy any accounting requirements needed to sit for the CPA exam in Florida.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ACC 601. Trends in Present Day Accounting. 2 Credit Hours.
Recent developments in accounting thought and advanced accounting theory. The analysis of trends as disclosed by recent releases of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants, and the Financial Accounting Standards Board are discussed. Other topics include terminology, current trends in the measurement, presentation of third financial data to meet the needs of third parties, and surveys of accounting literature.
Prerequisite: ACC 312. Or ACC 633.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ACC 602. Analysis of Financial Statements. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Course emphasizes the fundamental techniques of financial statement analysis. Building upon core accounting and investment concepts, the course covers the analysis (including ratio analysis) and interpretation of financial accounting information including the balance sheet, income statement, and statement of cash flows. The course also examines the use of accounting information in investment and credit decisions.
Prerequisite: ACC 312. Or ACC 633.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ACC 603. Studies in Financial Reporting Issues. 2 Credit Hours.
An exploration of complex financial reporting issues using the case method.
Prerequisite: ACC 312. Or ACC 633.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ACC 604. Seminar in Cost Accounting. 2 Credit Hours.
Course covers four major segments. First, it reviews the basic concepts and too ls associated with management control systems. Second, it underscores the importance of decentralization and the impact it has on decision making. Third, it examines the strategic place for cost management. Examples include the adoption of the balanced score card, quality control, productivity, and environmental cost management. Fourth, the course brings costing and control tools into the discussion of decision making.
Prerequisite: ACC 301. Or ACC 634.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ACC 606. Internal Auditing. 2 Credit Hours.
Course explores the unique issues associated with the internal audit function. Additionally, the ethical code applicable to internal auditors is discussed.
Prerequisite: ACC 312. Or ACC 633. And ACC 402. Or ACC 635.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ACC 607. Financial Accounting and Reporting. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic concepts of accounting designed to increase understanding of the function of accounting statements and their limitations. The generally accepted principles governing the preparation of financial reports and the use of accounting information in investment and credit decisions. Does not satisfy any accounting requirement needed to sit for the CPA Exam in Florida. Limited to Executive MBA students only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

ACC 608. Managerial Accounting. 3 Credit Hours.
Current managerial accounting techniques and theories. Topics include the use of accounting data in making decisions and planning and control systems for implementation of decisions. Does not satisfy any accounting requirements needed to sit for the CPA Exam in Florida. Limited to Executive MBA students only.
Prerequisite: ACC 607.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ACC 610. Financial Reporting Research. 2 Credit Hours.
The objective of the course is to familiarize students with researching financial information of publicly traded companies and to provide an introduction to accounting research related to the content and presentation in SEC filings. The course will emphasize searching and accessing as well as understanding and interpretation of financial information presented in SEC filings (e.g., 10-K, 10-Q, Proxy Statements). Accounting topics covered will include accounting information and the capital markets, earnings management, earnings quality, effect of recognition vs. disclosure in accounting reports and the role of the SEC in regulating financial reporting.
Prerequisite: ACC 312. Or ACC 633.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 611. Auditing Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Practical applications of auditing and research into audit matters. Emphasis of the course is placed on cases involving audit failures, appropriate auditing procedures, reporting, and exercise of audit judgment.
Prerequisite: ACC 402. Or ACC 635.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ACC 616. CPA Review I. 3 Credit Hours.
The CPA Review is an essential ingredient of the accounting accelerated accounting track. Students must provide proof of satisfactory completion of an approved course of study for two parts of the CPA exam (Regulation and Financial Accounting and Reporting). This course cannot be used to meet the State of Florida’s educational requirements for taking the CPA exam.
Prerequisite: ACC 411.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ACC 617. CPA Review II. 3 Credit Hours.
The CPA Review is an essential ingredient of the accounting accelerated accounting track. Students must provide proof of satisfactory completion of an approved course of study for two parts of the CPA Exam (Business Environment and Concepts, and Auditing and Attestation). This course cannot be used to meet the State of Florida’s educational requirements for taking the CPA exam.
Prerequisite: ACC 411.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ACC 620. Accounting Controls in Information Technology. 2 Credit Hours.
The course develops students’ understanding of the theory and practice of relational database management systems in the accounting view of enterprise-wide databases. With a focus on controls, students build accounting systems elements related to main accounting transaction cycles, the revenue cycle, and the purchase cycle.
Prerequisite: ACC 406. Or ACC 636.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

ACC 622. Advanced Issues in Auditing. 3 Credit Hours.
The course covers advanced issues which arise in audit practice including audit reporting issues, fraud detection and reporting, attestation engagements, special reporting issues, compilation and review engagements, scope of services issues, and other new issues which have a significant impact in audit practice. Not open to students with credit in ACC 522.
Prerequisite: ACC 402. Or ACC 635.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 623. International Accounting and Taxation. 2 Credit Hours.
The course covers tax accounting and business considerations in the global business environment. U.S. tax issues involved in international transactions, working across national borders, the Foreign Corrupt Practices Act, money laundering and uses of accounting information in managing an international business. Not open to students with credit for ACC 523.
Prerequisite: ACC 211. Or ACC 600. Or ACC 607. Or ACC 670.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ACC 624. Accounting for Governmental and Not-for-Profit Entities. 2 Credit Hours.
The course introduces accounting within the environment of modern government and not-for-profit organizations. Emphasis is placed on financial accounting and reporting, current accounting issues, and managerial activities. Not open to students with credit for ACC 524.
Prerequisite: ACC 312. Or ACC 633.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ACC 626. Litigation and Advisory Services. 2 Credit Hours.
The course provides an overview of fraud perpetrated against an organization, including employee theft, vendor fraud, customer fraud, and management fraud. Students will learn about different investigative techniques for quantifying fraud, and how fraud can be detected and prevented as well as the accountants’ role in litigation, such as acting as expert witness.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ACC 627. Accounting Regulations and Compliance. 2 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to expose and educate students in a number of rules and regulations faced by the accounting profession, with an emphasis on the financial industry. This course will cover in moderate depth, regulatory agencies and the compliance of the regulations the agencies are charged with upholding. Students will also be exposed to regulatory and compliance programs, bribery and corruption acts such as the Foreign Corrupt Practices Act and the UK Bribery Act, and various anti-money laundering provisions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ACC 628. Introduction to Accounting Analytics. 2 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to applications of data analytics techniques in accounting which includes: financial reporting, managerial accounting, taxation, and auditing.
Prerequisite: ACC 301. And ACC 402. And ACC 403.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ACC 630. International Financial Reporting Standards. 1 Credit Hour.
This course provides an overview of International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS). The course will begin with a study of IFRS Framework and will then examine a number of the major topics covered in the Intermediate Accounting courses. The perspective will be a comparison between IFRS and U.S. generally accepted accounting principles (U.S. GAAP).
Prerequisite: ACC 312. Or ACC 633.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ACC 631. Advanced Financial Accounting Topics. 2 Credit Hours.
Coverage of the Generally Accepted Accounting Principles governing business combinations, the preparation of consolidated financial statement including local and foreign subsidiaries, and other financial reporting topics.
Prerequisite: ACC 312. Or ACC 633.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 632. Intermediate Accounting I. 2 Credit Hours.
The accounting principles which shape the financial reporting practices followed by entities that prepare financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles are discussed. Course also includes the determination of income components and balance sheet elements with brief coverage of the statement of cash flows. Does not count towards the credits needed to graduate.
Prerequisite: ACC 211. And ACC 212.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ACC 633. Intermediate Accounting II. 2 Credit Hours.
The accounting principles which shape the financial reporting practices followed by entities that prepare financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles are discussed. Course also includes the determination of income components and balance sheet elements with brief coverage of the statement of cash flows. Does not count towards the credits needed to graduate.
Prerequisite: ACC 311. Or ACC 632.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ACC 634. Cost Accounting. 2 Credit Hours.
Topics include basic cost concepts, product costing techniques including job-order and process costing, in-depth studies of techniques and issues surrounding cost allocation methods, basic approaches to solving complex accounting problems, standard cost systems and variance analysis, and variable costing. Additionally, activity-based costing concepts and methodology are introduced. This course does not count towards the credits needed to graduate.
Prerequisite: ACC 212.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.
ACC 635. Auditing. 2 Credit Hours.
Course provides an introduction to the field of auditing. It concentrates on conducting an audit of financial statements in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards. Course covers accounting information systems, audit planning, audit risk and materiality assessments, evaluation of internal control, audit evidence, documentation, and audit reports. This course does not count towards the credits needed to graduate.
Prerequisite: ACC 311. Or ACC 632. And ACC 312. Or ACC 633.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ACC 636. Accounting Systems. 2 Credit Hours.
Contemporary accounting systems are computer based. Course covers the nature, design, implementation, and controls in computerized systems as well as manual systems. Micro computers are used as a learning tool. This course does not count towards the credits needed to graduate.
Prerequisite: ACC 211. And ACC 212.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ACC 639. Income Taxation and Business Entities. 2 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to be the second tax course students who are interested in the business applications of federal income tax laws, as they affect corporations, partnerships, and their owners. Emphasis is placed on tax planning aspects of formation, operation, liquidation, and distributions of corporations and partnerships. Not open to students with credit in ACC 404 or equivalent.
Prerequisite: ACC 403. Or ACC 673.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

ACC 640. Corporate Taxation I. 2 Credit Hours.
Course covers treatment of the corporate form of organization, its related opportunities, and problem areas, including formation, tax formula, non-liquidating and liquidating distributions, capital structure, redemptions, alternative minimum tax.
Prerequisite: ACC 404. Or ACC 639.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 641. Corporate Taxation II. 2 Credit Hours.
An in-depth study of taxable and nontaxable corporate reorganizations. An introduction to affiliated corporations, requirements for consolidated returns, and their associated problems and opportunities are discussed.
Prerequisite: ACC 640.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 642. Seminar in Taxation. 2 Credit Hours.
Investigation of current topical areas in taxation.
Prerequisite: ACC 404. Or ACC 639.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ACC 643. Tax Research. 2 Credit Hours.
Study of the tax practice environment including the Treasury Department, the Courts, and the legislative history of the Internal Revenue Code. Ethics in tax practice are also examined. Course includes training in the use of tax services such as RIA Checkpoint and LEXIS, in performing tax research. A research methodology for solving tax problem cases is studied and cases to be researched are assigned.
Prerequisite: ACC 404. Or ACC 639.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 645. Partnership Taxation. 2 Credit Hours.
Taxation of partners and other flow-through entities. Partnership formation, termination, distribution, liquidation, and sales of partnership interests are covered. Limited partnerships in conjunction with their use as tax shelters are discussed as well as family partnerships, limited liability companies, and LLPs.
Prerequisite: ACC 404. Or ACC 639.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ACC 647. Estates and Gift Taxes. 2 Credit Hours.
Estate and gift planning for shifting wealth from one individual to another by death, gift, or by the use of trusts. Property included in the decedent's gross estate valuation methods, gifts in contemplation of death, jointly held property, life insurance, transfers with retained life estates, bequests, revocable transfers, the marital deduction, powers of appointment, gifts of present and future interest, and gifts to minors are covered.
Prerequisite: ACC 404. Or ACC 639.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ACC 648. Financial Reporting Implications of Income Taxes.. 2 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide the foundation necessary to understand the financial accounting and reporting of book-tax differences. The course will cover the preparation of the income tax provision and related financial statement disclosures in conformity with U.S. GAAP (FASB ASC 740)
Prerequisite: ACC 312. Or ACC 633. And ACC 404. Or ACC 639.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ACC 649. Issues in Tax Policy. 2 Credit Hours.
This course looks at the process through which our tax laws are created and the important policy issues inherent in individual and corporate income taxes, consumption taxes, and wealth transfer taxes. Topics in this course are not limited to U.S. taxation and include an examination of systems used in other countries (such as the VAT) as possible alternatives to our current tax.
Prerequisite: ACC 403. Or ACC 673.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ACC 650. Accounting Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Student is individually assigned to operating business firm or other organization to gain insight into management practice in area of career interest. Periodic reports and conferences required.
Prerequisite: ACC 312. Or ACC 633.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ACC 660. Managerial Accounting in Healthcare Organizational. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers Managerial Accounting concepts applied to health care organizations. Topics include cost allocation and management control systems.
Prerequisite: ACC 212. Or ACC 608. Or ACC 671.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ACC 662. Taxation of Multinational Corporations. 2 Credit Hours.
This course introduces the fundamental tax concepts underlying U.S. taxation of international transactions. Topics include the taxation of U.S. corporations with income from foreign sources, intercompany pricing, anti-tax avoidance provisions, and tax treaties.
Prerequisite: ACC 640.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 664. Global Mergers and Acquisitions: Accounting and Related Issues. 2 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the financial, cultural, and strategic aspects of international mergers and acquisitions (M&A) activity and has a global, cross-cultural perspective. It presents a strategic view of the M&A process, examining managerial decision making in the planning, execution, and post-merger phases.
Prerequisite: ACC 312. Or ACC 633.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ACC 665. Health Care Financial and Managerial Accounting. 2-3 Credit Hours.
This course covers managerial and financial accounting concepts applied to health care organizations. Topics include cost allocation and management control systems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ACC 666. Accounting for Sustainability. 2 Credit Hours.
Most large firms now report metrics of progress towards the firm's goals with respect to environmental, social, and governance (ESG) aspects of sustainability, often integrating sustainability reporting with financial reporting. The course examines the value of sustainability reporting in terms of indicating efficiency, risk, and brand capital. The course analyzes emerging metrics for sustainability and emerging reporting systems. The course also examines SEC and other regulations for reporting sustainability, and how such reporting is viewed by stakeholders.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 670. Financial Reporting and Analysis. 2 Credit Hours.
The course focuses on the analysis and use of financial accounting information in the evaluation of corporate performance. The course initially demonstrates the accounting process and resulting generation of financial statements. Building on these core accounting concepts, the course emphasizes the understanding of financial statements prepared under U.S. and International Accounting Standards and the analysis of these financial statements including common size analysis, ratio analysis, the impact of taxes, and credit analysis. Completion of the course enhances the student's ability to read, interpret, and analyze financial statements for making investment, credit, acquisition, and other evaluation decisions. Limited to MBA students and Executive MBA students. Does not satisfy any accounting requirements needed to sit for the CPA Exam in Florida.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ACC 671. Accounting for Decision Making. 2 Credit Hours.
The course focuses on the use of accounting information in reporting managerial performance and making business decisions. The course covers the preparation and use of managerial accounting information for use in planning, budgeting, control, break-even analysis and pricing, including the impact of taxes. Completion of the course will enhance the student's ability to understand managerial accounting reports and use this information in making business decisions. Limited to MBA students and Executive MBA students. Does not satisfy any accounting requirement needed to sit for the CPA Exam in Florida.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ACC 672. Advanced Financial Analysis. 2 Credit Hours.
Advanced Financial Analysis and Valuation builds on the analytical techniques developed in the basic financial statement analysis course, Accounting 670: Financial Reporting and Analysis, to augment your understanding of more complex financial reporting issues and to introduce you to the valuation of equity investments. The viewpoint is that of the user of financial statements, particularly from the standpoint of an equity investor or purchaser of a business. We discuss each financial reporting issue in terms of its effect on assessments of a firm's profitability and risk. This course is designed primarily for students who expect to be intensive users of financial statements as part of their professional responsibilities.
Prerequisite: ACC 211. Or ACC 607. Or ACC 670.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ACC 673. Taxation for Business and Investment Decisions. 2 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to be the first tax course for students who are interested in acquiring the basic knowledge that all executives and investors should have about our federal income tax system. It studies basic concepts of federal income taxation applicable to all taxpayers. The basic income tax formula is studied including income exclusions, inclusions, statutory deductions, exemptions, and credits as well as property transactions. Completion of this course will enhance the students' appreciation of the role of taxation in making investment, employment-related, and business decisions. Not open to students with credit in ACC 403 or equivalent.
Prerequisite: ACC 312. Or ACC 633.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ACC 675. Compensation, Incentives and Strategic Control. 2 Credit Hours.
Internal control is the process by which owners influence manager's of organization to implement the organization's strategies. They key idea is that different organizations typically have different strategies which in turn require different control systems for effective implementation. Internal control involves both formal systems and informal processes. Accounting 675 will begin by describing the formal aspects of management control such as the design of responsibility centers, budgets and standards, performance reports and management compensation. We will then explore the economic and financial reporting consequences (perhaps unintended) of various performance measurement mechanisms. In particular, we will focus on issues of short-termism, earnings, management, and attendant control failures that plague Corporate America today. Finally, we will discuss some of the regulatory changes brought about in recent times (e.g., Sarbanes Oxley) to address the apparent widespread control system failures.
Prerequisite: ACC 301. Or ACC 634.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ACC 677. Forensic Accounting. 2 Credit Hours.
This course provides an overview of fraud perpetrated against an organization, including employee theft, vendor fraud, customer fraud, and management fraud. You will learn how to investigate and quantify fraud, and how it can be detected and prevented as well as the accountants' role in litigation, such as acting as expert witness.
Prerequisite: ACC 312. Or ACC 633. And ACC 402. Or ACC 635.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ACC 681. Introduction to Financial and Managerial Accounting. 4 Credit Hours.
The first half of the course explores the role of accounting in providing financial information about an enterprise to decision-makers. Emphasis is placed on understanding financial accounting from both a preparer as well as user perspective. Course covers the reporting of financial position including coverage of assets, liabilities, equity accounts, the results of operations, and cash flows. Topics covered in the second half include various product costing techniques, analysis of cost behavior patterns, budgeting, and the use of accounting information in decision making from a managerial perspective.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 682. Intermediate Accounting. 4 Credit Hours.
The accounting principles guiding the financial reporting practices of entities that prepare financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles are discussed. The course begins with a detailed discussion of the components of the income statement as well as the balance sheet followed by more complex accounting applications such as leases, post retirement benefits, accounting for income taxes, and other topics. Additionally, the course includes coverage of the statement of cash flows.
Prerequisite: ACC 681.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 683. Taxation. 4 Credit Hours.
The course begins with a discussion of basic concepts of federal income taxation applicable to all taxpayers. The principles of individual income taxation, the tax consequences of property transactions, and an introduction to the impact of income taxes on corporations and partnerships are discussed. Emphasis is placed on study of the basic income tax formula including income exclusions, inclusions, statutory deductions, exemptions, and credits. This is followed by a study of Federal income tax laws and regulations as they affect corporations, partnerships, their owners, and employees. Emphasis is placed on tax planning aspects of formation, operation, distribution, and liquidation of corporations and partnerships.
Prerequisite: ACC 682.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 684. Accounting Information Systems. 4 Credit Hours.
The objective of the course is to develop students’ understanding of the theory and practice of relational database management systems in the accounting view of enterprise-wide databases. With a focus on controls, students build accounting system elements related to main accounting transaction cycles, the revenue cycle, and the purchase cycle.
Prerequisite: ACC 682.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 685. Financial Statement Analysis and Valuation. 4 Credit Hours.
This course emphasizes the fundamental techniques of financial statement analysis. Building upon core accounting and investment concepts, the course covers the analysis and interpretation of financial accounting information including the balance sheet, income statement, and statement of cash flows. The course also examines the use of accounting information in investment and credit decisions including the valuation of equity investments. The viewpoint is that of the user of financial statements, particularly from the standpoint of an equity investor or purchaser of a business.
Prerequisite: ACC 682.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ACC 686. Auditing. 4 Credit Hours.
Course focuses on conducting an audit of financial statements in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards. Course covers accounting information systems, audit planning, audit risk and materiality assessments, evaluation of internal control, audit evidence, documentation, and audit reports. This is followed by discussion of advanced issues which arise in audit practice including audit reporting issues, fraud detection and reporting, attestation engagements, special reporting issues, compilation and review engagements, scope of services issues, and other new issues which have a significant impact on audit practice.
Prerequisite: ACC 682.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 687. Advanced Cost Accounting. 4 Credit Hours.
The course focuses on the use of accounting information in reporting managerial performance and making business decisions. The course covers the preparation and use of managerial accounting information for use in planning, budgeting, control, pricing, and in making other business decisions. Topics include in-depth studies of techniques and issues surrounding cost allocation methods, approaches to solving complex accounting problems, standard cost systems and variance analysis, and variable costing. Additionally, the formal aspects of management control such as the design of responsibility centers, budgets and standards, performance reports and management compensation will be discussed.
Prerequisite: ACC 682.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 688. Advanced Accounting and Financial Reporting. 4 Credit Hours.
The primary focus of the course is on business combinations and preparing consolidated financial statements. Additionally, the accounting principles and practices applied to foreign operations and partnerships will be discussed along with foreign currency translation issues. This will be followed by an exploration of complex financial reporting issues of contemporaneous interest.
Prerequisite: ACC 682.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 689. Current Issues in Accounting. 4 Credit Hours.
Current issues in accounting focuses on international financial reporting standards and accounting for governmental and not-for-profit organizations. This course introduces core concepts and tools of accounting and financial reporting for managers of global, governmental, and not-for-profit organizations.
Prerequisite: ACC 682.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ACC 690. Fraud and Forensic Accounting: Ethics and Legal Environment. 4 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on conducting fraud examinations and includes discussion of procedures used in forensic accounting examinations and the rationale supporting such procedures.
Prerequisite: ACC 682 And ACC 685.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ACC 698. Selected Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics in selected areas of specialization.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ACC 699. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individually supervised research projects in selected fields. Approval of supervising professor as to topic and evaluation of project required at time of registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
ACC 701. Empirical Accounting Research I. 3 Credit Hours.
This is the first course in Empirical Accounting Research for Ph.D. students. The course introduces students to the data sources; current techniques for accessing and analyzing accounting data; research methods employed in hypothesis testing; and the literature on positive accounting theory, accounting anomalies, institutional accounting, and disclosure. The emphasis will be on current research with a historical perspective.

Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 702. Empirical Accounting Research II. 0-3 Credit Hours.
This is the second course in Empirical Accounting Research for Ph.D. students. In this course, students will explore research on analyst estimates and stock recommendations, industry research in accounting, and empirical research on compensation. The course will critically evaluate the theory, research design, and methodology employed in these studies. Prerequisite: ACC 701 or permission from the instructor.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ACC 823. Topics in Empirical Accounting Research I. 3 Credit Hours.
This is the first course in Empirical Accounting Research for Ph.D. students. The course introduces students to the data sources; current techniques for accessing and analyzing accounting data; research methods employed in hypothesis testing; and the literature on positive accounting theory, accounting anomalies, institutional accounting, and disclosure. The emphasis will be on current research with a historical perspective.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 824. Topics in Empirical Accounting Research II. 3 Credit Hours.
This is the second course in Empirical Accounting Research for Ph.D. students. In this course, students will explore research on analyst estimates and stock recommendations, industry research in accounting, an empirical research on compensation. The course will critically evaluate the theory, research design, and methodology employed in these studies.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ACC 825. Comprehensive Test Preparation. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Doctoral students who are preparing for their qualifying examinations may use this course designation. Enrolled students must develop, with the approval of their advisor, a "Plan of Study" for these credits.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ACC 826. Introduction to Textual Analysis in Accounting Research. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide students with essential practical skills to apply popular textual analysis methods and help develop understanding of the key concepts and challenges associated with textual analysis and data analysis.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ACC 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the PhD. The student will enroll for credit as determined by their advisor, but not for less than a total of 24. Not more than 12 hours of ACC 730 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session. Where a student has passed their qualifying examinations they may take the maximum allowable credit stated above.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
Aerospace Studies (AIS)

AIS 101. Heritage and Values 1. 1 Credit Hour.
This course provides an introduction to the Air Force, hopefully encouraging students to pursue an AF career or at least seek additional information to be better informed about the role of the USAF. The course allows students to examine general aspects of the Department of the Air Force, AF Leadership, Air Force benefits, and opportunities for AF officers. The course also lays the foundation for becoming an Airman by outlining our heritage and values. As a foundational course, this course also provides a historical perspective such as lessons on war and US military, AF operations, principles of war, and airpower (see the complete lesson list below). As a whole, this course provides students with a knowledge-level understanding for the employment of air and space power, from an institutional, doctrinal, and historical perspective. Students will be introduced to the Air Force way of life and gain knowledge on what it means to be an Airman. A succinct perspective of the course objective is to sell the AF as a career and lay a strong foundation built on AF Core Values.
Corequisite: AIS 150.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

AIS 102. Heritage and Values 2. 1 Credit Hour.
A continued introduction to the Air Force, hopefully encouraging students to pursue an AF career or at least seek additional information to be better informed about the role of the USAF. The course allows students to examine general aspects of the Department of the Air Force, AF Leadership, Air Force benefits, and opportunities for AF officers. The course also lays the foundation for becoming an Airman by outlining our heritage and values. As a foundational course, this course also provides a historical perspective such as lessons on war and US military, AF operations, principles of war, and airpower (see the complete lesson list below). As a whole, this course provides students with a knowledge-level understanding for the employment of air and space power, from an institutional, doctrinal, and historical perspective. Students will be introduced to the Air Force way of life and gain knowledge on what it means to be an Airman. A succinct perspective of the course objective is to sell the AF as a career and lay a strong foundation built on AF Core Values.
Corequisite: AIS 150.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

AIS 150. Leadership Laboratory. 0 Credit Hours.
Leadership Laboratory (LLAB) is a dynamic and integrated grouping of leadership developmental activities designed to meet the needs and expectations of prospective Air Force second lieutenants and complement the AFROTC academic program. It is a student planned, organized, and executed practicum conducted under the supervision of the Detachment 155 Commander and Operations Flight Commander.
Components: LAB.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

AIS 201. Team and Leadership Fundamentals I. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is designed to provide a fundamental understanding of both leadership and team building. It is imperative that cadets are taught from the beginning that there are many layers to leadership, including aspects that don't always jump to mind. Such things include listening, understanding themselves, being a good follower and problem solving efficiently. The students will apply these leadership perspectives when completing team building activities and discussing things like conflict management. Students should demonstrate basic verbal and written communication skills. Cadets will apply these lessons at Field Training.
Corequisite: AIS 150.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

AIS 202. Team and Leadership Fundamentals 2. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is designed to provide a fundamental understanding of both leadership and team building. It is imperative that cadets are taught from the beginning that there are many layers to leadership, including aspects that don't always jump to mind. Such things include listening, understanding themselves, being a good follower and problem solving efficiently. The students will apply these leadership perspectives when completing team building activities and discussing things like conflict management. Students should demonstrate basic verbal and written communication skills. Cadets will apply these lessons at Field Training.
Corequisite: AIS 150.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
AIS 301. Leading People and Effective Communication I. 3 Credit Hours.
A continued course designed to build on the leadership fundamentals taught in previous level courses. The cadets will have the opportunity to utilize their skills as they begin more of a leadership role in the detachment. The goal is for cadets to have a more in-depth understanding of how to effectively lead people, and provide them with the tools to use throughout their detachment leadership roles. Secondly, cadets will hone their writing and briefing skills. Many of the cadets will be uncomfortable with public speaking, and this semester is designed to get them used to briefing. The course continues into advanced skills and ethics training that will prepare them for becoming an officer and a supervisor.
Corequisite: AIS 150.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

AIS 302. Leading People and Effective Communication 2. 3 Credit Hours.
A continued course designed to build on the leadership fundamentals taught in previous level courses. The cadets will have the opportunity to utilize their skills as they begin more of a leadership role in the detachment. The goal is for cadets to have a more in-depth understanding of how to effectively lead people, and provide them with the tools to use throughout their detachment leadership roles. Secondly, cadets will hone their writing and briefing skills. Many of the cadets will be uncomfortable with public speaking, and this semester is designed to get them used to briefing. The course continues into advanced skills and ethics training that will prepare them for becoming an officer and a supervisor.
Corequisite: AIS 150.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

AIS 401. National Security, Leadership Responsibilities and Commissioning Preparation 1. 3 Credit Hours.
Cadets enrolled in this course should comprehend the basic elements of national security policy and process. The student should comprehend the air and space power operations as well as understand selected roles of the military in society and current domestic and international issues affecting the military profession. Cadets should comprehend the responsibility, authority, and functions of an Air Force commander and selected provisions of the military justice system. The final semester of this course is designed to prepare cadets for life as a second lieutenant. This is a great time for instructors to include any information they feel would help their cadets as they transition from military life to civilian life.
Corequisite: AIS 150.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

AIS 402. National Security, Leadership Responsibilities and Commissioning Preparation 2. 3 Credit Hours.
Cadets in this course should comprehend the basic elements of national security policy and process. The student should comprehend the air and space power operations as well as understand selected roles of the military in society and current domestic and international issues affecting the military profession. Cadets should comprehend the responsibility, authority, and functions of an Air Force commander and selected provisions of the military justice system. The final semester of this course is designed to prepare cadets for life as a second lieutenant. This is a great time for instructors to include any information they feel would help their cadets as they transition from military life to civilian life.
Corequisite: AIS 150.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

Africana Studies (AAS)

AAS 150. Introduction to Africana Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Experiences of African American and other African-descended peoples with emphases on social, cultural, political, etc.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

AAS 260. History of Slavery in the Atlantic. 3 Credit Hours.
The emergence and eventual abolition of the Trans-Atlantic slave trade and its effects on both old and new world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

AAS 290. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
AAS 350. Black Leadership in the U.S.. 3 Credit Hours.
Black leaders and leadership organizations. Emphasis on their role in overcoming oppression and barriers to advancement.
Prerequisite: 3 Credits in AAS.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

AAS 390. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

AAS 490. Senior Seminar in Africana Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

American Studies (AMS)

AMS 101. Introduction to American Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
An interdisciplinary approach to American Studies with attention to a particular theme or period.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

AMS 301. Topics in American Studies. 0-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

AMS 310. The United States in the World. 3 Credit Hours.
The culture and history of the United States in a global framework.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

AMS 321. Topics in American Studies: History. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the field of history (including the study of experiences, texts, and theoretical aspects of individual and cultural pasts) within and in relation to the U.S. context. Specific focus and content vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

AMS 322. Topics in American Studies: Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the field of literature (including the study of experiences, texts, and theoretical aspects of literary expression) within and in relation to the U.S. context. Specific focus and content vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

AMS 323. Topics in American Studies: Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the field of politics (including the study of experiences, texts, and theoretical aspects of polity or institutional governance) within and in relation to the U.S. context. Specific focus and content vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

AMS 324. Topics in American Studies: Religion. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the field of religion (including the study of experiences, texts, and theoretical aspects of religious beliefs and institutions) within and in relation to the U.S. context. Specific focus and content vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
AMS 325. Topics in American Studies: Law. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the field of law (including the study of experiences, texts, and theoretical aspects of jurisprudence and legal culture) within and in relation to the U.S. context. Specific focus and content vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

AMS 326. Topics in American Studies: Education. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the field of education (including the study of experiences, texts, and theoretical aspects of literacies and the education of individuals and communities) within and in relation to the U.S. context. Specific focus and content vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

AMS 327. Topics in American Studies: Film. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the field of film (including the study of experiences, texts, and theoretical aspects of cinematic expression) within and in relation to the U.S. context. Specific focus and content vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

AMS 328. Topics in American Studies: Music. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the field of music (including the study of experiences, texts, and theoretical aspects of musical composition and expression) within and in relation to the U.S. context. Specific focus and content vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

AMS 329. Topics in American Studies: Art. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the field of art (including the study of experiences, texts, and theoretical aspects of aesthetics and creative expression) within and in relation to the U.S. context. Specific focus and content vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

AMS 330. Topics in American Studies: Sociology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the field of sociology (including the study of experiences, texts, and theoretical aspects of human engagements in society) within and in relation to the U.S. context. Specific focus and content vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

AMS 331. Topics in American Studies: Geography. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the field of geography (including the study of experiences, texts, and theoretical aspects of spatial and regional studies) within and in relation to the U.S. context. Specific focus and content vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

AMS 332. Topics in American Studies: Anthropology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the field of anthropology (including the study of experiences, texts, and theoretical aspects of human cultural development) within and in relation to the U.S. context. Specific focus and content vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

AMS 333. Topics in American Studies: Environmental Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the field of environmental studies (including the study of experiences, texts, and theoretical aspects of environmentalism and sustainability) within and in relation to the U.S. context. Specific focus and content vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
AMS 334. Topics in American Studies: Ethnic Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the field of ethnic studies (including the study of experiences, texts, and theoretical aspects of racialized ethnic groups) within and in relation to the U.S. context. Specific focus and content vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

AMS 335. Topics in American Studies: Women's and Gender Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the field of gender studies (including the study of experiences, texts, and theoretical aspects of gender) within and in relation to the U.S. context. Specific focus and content vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

AMS 336. Topics in American Studies: LGBTQ Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the field of LGBTQ studies (including the study of experiences, texts, and theoretical aspects of LGBTQ individuals and groups) within and in relation to the U.S. context. Specific focus and content vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

AMS 337. Topics in American Studies: Cultural Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the field of cultural studies (including the study of experiences, texts, and theoretical aspects of culture/cultural groups) within and in relation to the U.S. context. Specific focus and content vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

AMS 338. Topics in American Studies: International Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the field of international studies (including the study of experiences, texts, and theoretical elements emerging from international or global arenas) in relation to a U.S. context. Specific focus and content vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

AMS 339. Topics in American Studies: Urban Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the field of urban studies (including the study of experiences, texts, and theoretical aspects of urban or city life) within and in relation to the U.S. context. Specific focus and content vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

AMS 350. History and Culture of South Florida. 3 Credit Hours.
The history and culture of South Florida from a multidisciplinary perspective.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

AMS 399. Independent Study. 1-3 Credit Hours.
By arrangement with instructor; content varies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

AMS 401. Seminar in American Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

AMS 499. Independent Study. 3 Credit Hours.
By arrangement with instructor; content varies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.
AMS 501. Senior Project. 3 Credit Hours.
All majors must complete either an individual research project or an internship at a local cultural or civic institution. Either option must be approved by the program director.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

AMS 505. Honors Thesis. 3 Credit Hours.
American Studies majors with a cumulative GPA of at least 3.5 in AMS courses and an overall GPA of at least 3.0 may earn departmental honors by completing AMS 505: honors thesis. Candidates for departmental honors are responsible for finding a faculty member to serve as the thesis advisor. Students would take AMS 501 in the fall semester or the senior year and AMS 505 in the spring to complete the honors thesis.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

Anthropology (APY)

APY 100. Introduction to Forensic Investigation (EXP). 3 Credit Hours.
Students will go into the field to gain an introductory understanding about skeletal identification and crime lab processes.
Requisite: Plan of Summer Scholar Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

APY 101. Introduction to Anthropology. 3 Credit Hours.
A broad overview of archaeology, cultural anthropology, biological anthropology, and linguistics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

APY 105. HIV: Sex, Science, and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
The important role that science plays and has played in ameliorating suffering for mankind. We will include an analysis of the scientific, human, and policy-related issues associated with HIV/AIDS.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

APY 109. Anthropology of Religion. 3 Credit Hours.
Through themes such as myth, word and text, symbol, gender, pilgrimage, embodiment, and ritual, students learn about lived religion through anthropological research and field methods. The course also exposes introductory-level students to diverse world religious traditions: Korean folk religion, Indonesian Islam, Hinduism in diaspora, Judaism across cultures, Japanese temple Shinto traditions, and more.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

APY 200. Introduction to Forensic Anthropology (EXP). 3 Credit Hours.
Students will learn the basics of the human bone structure and how it relates to anthropology and forensic studies.
Requisite: Plan of Summer Scholar Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

APY 201. Principles of Archaeology. 3 Credit Hours.
History, methods, and theory of archaeology with an outline of the main characteristics of the prehistoric record throughout the world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

APY 202. Principles of Cultural Anthropology. 3 Credit Hours.
Cultural anthropology, including such topics as economics, politics, kinship and families, health systems, religion, and personality.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
APY 203. Principles of Physical Anthropology. 3 Credit Hours.
The origin and biological development of the human species; human evolution explored by means of the fossil record of prehistoric population; differentiation and adaptation of contemporary populations in various world environments; the comparison of humans and other primates with respect to biological and behavioral variability.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

APY 204. Principles of Linguistic Anthropology. 3 Credit Hours.
Human linguistic principles of phonology, morphology, and grammar to construct a framework for understanding the operation of language in cultural context. The functions of human language in structuring ideological, economic, and political realms.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

APY 205. Medicine and Health Care in Society. 3 Credit Hours.
A sociohistorical analysis of the intersection between medicine, health care and society, using examples throughout the world. It will reflect on 'taking-for-granted' concepts such as the 'body, risk, illness and healing' and their relationships to culture, power, and society, as well as the plurality of narratives and discourses on health and healing practices.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

APY 208. Short-Changed in the City. 3 Credit Hours.
Marginalization plagues sub-populations in almost every large city. An anthropological view of this problem and its origins, presented through readings, discussions, lectures and field trips.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

APY 230. The Sounds of the World’s Languages. 3 Credit Hours.
The range of sounds produced by the speakers of the world’s languages. An introduction to phonetics, with a focus on acoustically-oriented methods used in contemporary phonetics.
Prerequisite: APY 204.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

APY 301. World Prehistory. 3 Credit Hours.
The global prehistoric record, with emphasis on the development of social complexity and ancient states.
Prerequisite: APY 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

APY 302. Ethnographies of Black Life. 3 Credit Hours.
Themes that have shaped Anthropology’s engagement with Black Life. Critique between Black Studies and the social Sciences with particular focus on the discipline of anthropology, interrogation of the methods and theoretical frameworks employed to empirically distill the social conditions and political formations of black diasporic peoples.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

APY 306. Human Evolution. 3 Credit Hours.
The macroevolution of humans using the fossil record of vertebrates, including the development of uniquely human behavioral and anatomical adaptations, and of diversity in living populations.
Prerequisite: APY 201 or APY 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
APY 307. Human Adaptation. 3 Credit Hours.
Human biological adaptation to different environments and stress is examined anthropologically within an evolutionary framework. Mechanisms of adaptation to temperature extremes and other climatic variables, high altitude, disease, nutritional stress, urbanization, extraterrestrial conditions, and other environmental challenges are described in relation to biological and behavioral variations among human populations. The limits of human performance and human adaptive potential in the present and future are explored.
Prerequisite: APY 201 and APY 202 and APY 203 and BIL 101 and BIL 109.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

APY 309. Evolution of Human Behavior. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

APY 310. Primate Behavior and Adaptation. 3 Credit Hours.
The taxonomy, distribution, anatomy, social behavior and adaptations to habitats of human and non-human primates as seen from an evolutionary perspective.
Prerequisite: APY 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

APY 312. Primate Cognition. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of the cognitive capacities of non-human primates and the implications of current research for understanding the evolution of human cognition. Example topics include knowledge of categories, space and quantities; curiosity and innovation; causality and mechanical reasoning; memory and planning; theory of mind; imitation and culture; and communication and language.
Prerequisite: APY 203 or APY 310 Or PHI 246 Or PSY 250.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

APY 315. Folk and Alternative Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
Historical and cultural backgrounds of health therapies, including theoretical bases of traditional ethnomedical, nonwestern, and complementary medical systems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

APY 320. The Evolution of Language. 3 Credit Hours.
Popular contemporary hypotheses on the origins and development of language.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

APY 340. Marine Archaeology. 3 Credit Hours.
Location, excavation, and study of submerged sites.
Prerequisite: APY 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

APY 345. Blood and Chocolate: Ancient Civilizations of Mesoamerica. 3 Credit Hours.
An archaeological approach to understanding the major pre-Columbian cultures of Mesoamerica, from Olmec to Aztec periods, with emphasis on the ancient Maya. The particular accomplishments of this area such as the domestication of chocolate and corn, hieroglyphic writing, and elaborate sacrificial rituals will be explored.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

APY 356. Florida Archaeology. 3 Credit Hours.
Archaeological remains of ancient cultures in the Florida peninsula, from initial occupation to the Colonial Period.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
APY 360. Anthropology of Food. 3 Credit Hours.
Evolution of human diet, basic nutrition, food taboos, effects of domestication, effects of diet on skeletal remains, analysis of your own food habits, and the impact of certain foods on the biocultural evolution of our species.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

APY 361. Gender and Language. 3 Credit Hours.
The ways in which language is used in the constitution of gender from a cross-cultural perspective. Course is co-listed with WGS 361.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

APY 362. The Languages of the World. 3 Credit Hours.
The world’s languages. The primary focus is on major differences and similarities among the structural properties of languages from diverse regions and linguistic families. In short, an introduction to linguistic typology.
Prerequisite: APY 204.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

APY 376. Economic Anthropology. 3 Credit Hours.
The structure and operation of the small-scale economy in the social system is examined. The interrelationship between social and economic systems, and the formation of non-market economies.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

APY 377. Anthropology of Political Systems and Discourse. 3 Credit Hours.
Political systems and processes in tribal societies, with special emphasis on dispute settlement, the organization of political control, and the use of oratory. Case studies from Latin American and African examples.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

APY 384. Caribbean Archaeology. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of human lifeways in the Antillean archipelago from first settlement through the development of complex socio-political structures in the Late Ceramic Age and ultimately the arrival of European and African migrants.
Prerequisite: APY 201.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

APY 385. Caribbean Cultures. 3 Credit Hours.
Caribbean societies, including ethnic diversity, production and exchange, domestic organization, and belief systems.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

APY 390. Dead Bodies & Bioethics. 3 Credit Hours.
The ethical dilemmas faced by those who work or interact with dead bodies. We will explore dead bodies in multiple forms-decomposing, skeletonized, mummified, plastinated, etc. to address such topics as commercialization, public display, heritage and dark tourism, politicization, exhumation, consent, ownership, violence, and descendant communities. Our approach will be an anthropological one, though we will also draw from the fields of medicine, philosophy, law, history, and the humanities.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

APY 391. Gender in Ancient Cultures. 3 Credit Hours.
A cross-cultural examination of the role gender played in ancient complex culture areas, such as Mesoamerica, Mesopotamia, and the Mediterranean, with emphasis on using the archaeological record to reconstruct social roles.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
APY 392. Sex and Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
A cross-cultural examination of sex roles and sexuality; gender identity, division of labor, functions of marriage, sexual practices, reproductive control, and political relationships between the sexes.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

APY 393. Drugs and Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
Cross cultural review of human drug use with special attention to the use of drugs in cultural context.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

APY 394. Comparative Religion. 3 Credit Hours.
A cross-cultural investigation of differing levels of religious belief systems examined from both etic and emic points of view.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

APY 395. Gender, Race, and Class. 3 Credit Hours.
To explore human differences, we will interrogate common sense as: thinking about gender, race, and class. Certain queries will be addressed. What roles do scientific practice, political systems, and popular media play in shaping our thinking about differences? Where do we draw the line between biological fact and social construction? How do these facets of identity intersect and inform individuals’ everyday experiences? How might knowledge allow us to speak truth to power when institutional oppression occurs? An anthropological perspective will provide the central frame, though feminism, history, medicine, biology, psychology, and law will inform our considerations.
Prerequisite: APY 202 or GSS 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

APY 396. Youth Culture, Identity, and Globalization. 3 Credit Hours.
Youth cultural practices and experiences in various urban contexts in the world. Particular emphasis is placed on marginalization, identity and commodification of violent practices as embedded in the globalization processes.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

APY 397. Violence and Ritual. 3 Credit Hours.
Various theories of ritual and violence with reference to ethnographically-based topics. It will explore the role of symbols, rituals and ideologies in shaping and contesting power within nations and other political communities.
Prerequisite: APY 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

APY 398. Coastal Cultures. 3 Credit Hours.
Fishermen and their special relations to the environment, from Thailand and Sri Lanka to Alaska and the West Indies. Decision-making processes among fishermen, business concepts, responses to technology and myths of the sea.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

APY 399. The Anthropology of Kinship and Family in America. 3 Credit Hours.
Theories of kinship and the family. It will examine emergence of new patterns of kinship networks and construction of individuals. Ethnographic materials will be drawn from the Americas and the Caribbean, particularly Brazil, Cuba, Haiti, Jamaica and the United States.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

APY 405. Readings in Anthropology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings on special topics in Anthropology.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
APY 406. Readings in Anthropology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings on special topics in Anthropology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

APY 413. Medical Anthropology. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

APY 414. Human Osteology. 3 Credit Hours.
Identification and interpretation of the human skeleton, including age, sex, hard tissue pathology and traumas. 
Prerequisite: APY 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

APY 415. Forensic Anthropology II: Fieldwork. 3 Credit Hours.
The investigation, analyses, and legal aspects of human remains recovered from crime scenes and mass disasters.
Prerequisite: APY 203 or APY 414.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

APY 416. Bioarchaeology-Peopling the past. 3 Credit Hours.
Contextualization of bodies in space, cultural milieu and time are the primary focus of this course. Students will explore bioarchaeology's history, development and major topical concerns.
Prerequisite: APY 201 or APY 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

APY 417. Archaeometry: The Science of Material Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
The archaeological application of a physical science (physics, chemistry, geology, etc.) techniques to answer pertinent anthropological questions about past societies.
Prerequisite: APY 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

APY 418. Seminar in Anthropology. 3 Credit Hours.
Consideration of special topics in physical anthropology, linguistics, archaeology and ethnology and their interrelationships.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

APY 419. Politics of the Past. 3 Credit Hours.
The intersection of archaeology, politics, capitalism, and discrimination to consider the presentation, misconstrual, revision, and reclamation of the past. Lecturing will be kept to a minimum, as the bulk of the class will be devoted to discussion and debate.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

APY 420. Archaeology, Architecture, and the City. 3 Credit Hours.
Ancient architectural remains in the global anthropological perspective, emphasizing the role of architecture in shaping the evolution of social and political interactions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
APY 421. Interpreting Bodies. 3 Credit Hours.
Perceptions, representations, and regulation of the physical body as a gendered and sexual site, as a source of pleasure, as a means of social validation, and as an object of coercion. Writing Credit. Lecturing will be kept to a minimum, as the bulk of the class will be devoted to discussion and debate.
Prerequisite: APY 202 and GSS 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

APY 422. Pseudoscience in Archaeology. 3 Credit Hours.
Reconstructions of how people lived in the past that claim scientific validity, use the terminology of science, but are unsupported by evidence, can be called pseudoscientific. This course critically evaluates the field of pseudoscientific archaeology by applying the scientific method, logic, and common sense.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

APY 423. Paleopathology: Health and disease in ancient peoples. 3 Credit Hours.
Paleopathology aims to familiarize students with the range of health conditions that present in preserved human remains and to explain the linkages between disease prevalence and culture, economics, and politics.
Prerequisite: APY 414 and APY 416.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

APY 435. Anthropology of Nature and Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an introduction to the anthropological investigation of nature, biology, and environment. Taking examples from cultural anthropology and the subfields of environmental anthropology, political ecology, and the anthropology of science, the course builds an understanding of the various ways in which ideas about nature and human nature and nature making practices shape our contemporary world: its places, spaces, life forms, and forms of life.
Prerequisite: APY 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

APY 480. Undergrad Internship Anthrology. 3-9 Credit Hours.
The purpose of the undergraduate internship is practical application of coursework to hands-on learning with field and laboratory research conducted in partnership with an academic, governmental, non-profit and/or private sector business entity. The goal is to acquire and practice skill sets required for advancement in professional careers. Students may elect to participate in more than one internship because of the four-field approach of the discipline of Anthropology.
Prerequisite: APY 201 or APY 202 or APY 203 or APY 204.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

APY 484. Anthropological Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Theoretical frameworks directing data collection and research methodology in anthropology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

APY 485. Archaeological Theory and Technique. 3 Credit Hours.
Theoretical traditions that shape modern archaeological research design and interpretation.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
APY 486. Advanced Colloquy in Black Feminist Theory and Praxis: Major Works of 7 Black Feminist Thinkers. 3 Credit Hours.
Black feminist theory, produced primarily by Black women scholars, artist and activists, throughout the diaspora, constitutes a distinctive and influential body of politics and thought. Black feminist’s uninvited interventions in Black politics, arts and letters—produced at the interstices of violence, silence, invisibility, or forgetting—exposes and makes available a wider horizon of possibilities than had been proposed before its emergence. The central theoretical innovation of this praxis (later claimed by theorists of various stripes), is the multiple—‘interlocking’, ‘intersectional’, ‘compounded’—constitution of “identity” oppression, aesthetic sensibilities, for example, and therefore of roads toward freedom. This distinctive body of work is not only interdisciplinary, multilingual; but also constitutive to specific geographies, politics, experiences, and particular intellectual and political streams.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

APY 501. Methods of Anthropological Research. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Concentration on research methods for Cultural, Archaeological, Linguistic, and/or Biological Anthropology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

APY 502. Field Studies in Anthropology. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Field research in advanced topics in Cultural, Archaeological, Linguistic and/or Biological Anthropology. Preparation of data for professional presentation and publication is stressed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

APY 505. Museum Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
Field work and on-site experience in museum studies conducted in conjunction with the major museums in Miami. Training and research in methods and techniques in museology.
Prerequisite: APY 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

APY 506. Workshop in Anthropology. 3-6 Credit Hours.
This course is designed for upper level and graduate students to participate in special topics in Anthropology and related fields.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

APY 511. Artlab At Lowe. 3 Credit Hours.
Organizing an art exhibition at the Lowe Art Museum. Taught by a different faculty member each year.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

APY 512. Advanced Medical Anthropology. 3 Credit Hours.
Applications of theories and methods of medical anthropology to problems in human health and disease.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

APY 518. Advanced Seminar in Anthropology. 3 Credit Hours.
Specialized topics in Anthropology to involve students into current research specializations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

APY 601. Advanced Seminar in Archaeology, Theory and Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
History and theoretical foundation of modern archaeology; ethics, professional standards, and best practices in archaeology; cultural heritage management with special emphasis on NAGPRA; compliance with Secretary of the Interior standards, Section 106 regulatory knowledge and skills for compliance with government regulations, and current topical literature on archaeology.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
APY 602. Advanced Seminar in Cultural Anthropology. 3 Credit Hours.
The application of the anthropological perspective, data collection and analyses methods, and theoretical foundations of traditional cultural anthropology to understanding and working on solving human problems in the modern world. Topics include the design, conduct, and application of modern ethnological methods to research venues in business, governmental/NGO agencies, conflict studies, natural disasters, medical, globalization and financial organizations. Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

APY 603. Advanced Seminar in Biological Anthropology. 3 Credit Hours.
The historical and theoretical foundations of modern biological anthropology. Topics include ethics and standards for human subjects; applied bioarchaeology, biological anthropology in medical/legal settings, primatology, Human biology and adaptive diversity, modern perspectives on race, and skeletal biology of modern peoples. The development of professional research and writing skills for the discipline is integral to course goals. Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

APY 604. Advanced Seminar in Linguistic Anthropology. 3 Credit Hours.
Core aspects of linguistics theory, and consider the ways in which modern linguistic techniques can be applied in the investigation of both common and uncommon typological patterns in the world’s 7000+ languages. Requisite: Graduate Status or Permission of Instructor. Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

APY 605. Museum Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
Field work and on-site experience in museum studies conducted in conjunction with the major museums in Miami. Training and research in methods and techniques in museology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

APY 611. Methods of Anthropological Research. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Concentration on research methods for Cultural, Archaeological, Linguistic, and/or Biological Anthropology.
Components: RSC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

APY 612. Advanced Medical Anthropology. 3 Credit Hours.
Applications of theories and methods of medical anthropology to problems in human health and disease.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

APY 615. Advanced Museum Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
Field work and on-site experience in museum studies conducted in conjunction with the major museums in Miami. Training and research in methods and techniques in museology.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

APY 616. Advanced Workshop in Anthropology. 3-6 Credit Hours.
This course is designed for graduate students to participate in special topics in Anthropology and related fields.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

APY 628. Advanced Graduate Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
Specialized topics in Anthropology to involve students into current research specializations.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
APY 690. Teaching Practicum in Anthropology. 3 Credit Hours.
Logistics and pedagogical issues of teaching anthropology, including skill set and materials suitable for employment in settings for which the master’s is the required, e.g., two-year schools. The student will evaluate texts, create teaching materials for a given subfield, master commonly-available electronic teaching and learning tools, and teach one class as directed.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

APY 696. Advanced & Graduate Colloquy in Black Feminist Theory and Praxis: Major of 7 Black Feminist Thinkers. 3 Credit Hours.
Black feminist theory, produced primarily by Black women scholars, artist and activists, throughout the diaspora, constitutes a distinctive and influential body of politics and thought. Black feminist’s uninvited interventions in Black politics arts and letters—produced at the interstices of violence, silence, invisibility, or forgetting—exposes and makes available a wider horizon of possibilities than had been proposed before its emergence. The central theoretical innovation of this praxis (later claimed by theorists of various stripes), is the multiple-‘interlocking,’ ‘intersectional,’ ‘compounded’—constitution of “identity,” oppression, aesthetic sensibilities, for example, and therefore of roads toward freedom. This distinctive body of work is not only interdisciplinary, multilingual, but also constitutive to specific geographies, politics, experiences, and particular intellectual and political streams.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

APY 699. Directed Reading in Anthropology. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings on special topics in Anthropology, allowing the student to work independently with an Anthropology professor, conducting research on a topic of both of their choosing.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

APY 702. Field Studies in Anthropology. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Field research in advanced topics in Cultural, Archaeological, Linguistic and/or Biological Anthropology. Preparation of data for professional presentation and publication is stressed.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

APY 805. Graduate Internship: Professional Practice of Anthropology. 1-9 Credit Hours.
An internship designed to provide valuable career-related work experience in a real-world setting, e.g., institutions, organizations and/or businesses. Students will identify an opportunity, supervisor, and write a proposal as to the relevancy to their goals. The Internship may be paid or unpaid. This course may be repeated.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

APY 810. Master's Degree Thesis Preparation and Writing. 1-9 Credit Hours.
Preparation/completion of a written thesis for the master's degree when the student has completed the thesis research, is engaged in writing the thesis, and expects to use the facilities and resources of the Anthropology department and the university; enrollment is required when the completed thesis is defended and approved. This course may be repeated.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**Applied Marine Physics (AMP)**

**AMP 536. Modeling of Physical-Biological Interactions. 3 Credit Hours.**
The course is designed to teach students the basics components for building coupled physical biological models. Students will be able to understand the processes affecting from low- to high-trophic level organisms in the planktonic environment. Emphasis will be given on numerical simulations of mechanisms involved in: Plankton distribution and patchiness; Trophic interactions (NPZD); Larval behavior and transport; Marine population connectivity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
Applied Music (MAP)

MAP 264. Vocal Techniques. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

Arabic (ARB)

ARB 101. Elementary Arabic I. 4 Credit Hours.
Fundamental writing and grammar principles; pronunciation; simple reading and translation. Closed to native speakers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARB 102. Elementary Arabic II. 4 Credit Hours.
Modern Standard Arabic; oral and written exercises. Closed to native speakers.
Prerequisite: ARB 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARB 201. Intermediate Arabic I. 3 Credit Hours.
Modern Standard Arabic; oral and written exercises. Closed to native speakers.
Prerequisite: ARB 102.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARB 202. Intermediate Arabic II. 3 Credit Hours.
Readings designed to integrate listening comprehension, speaking, reading, and writing skills in Modern Standard Arabic. Discussion of Arab society, history and culture. Closed to native speakers.
Prerequisite: ARB 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARB 203. Advanced Arabic. 3 Credit Hours.
5th semester course in Modern Standard Arabic. Continued development of all four language skills (listening, speaking, reading, and writing) together with study of cultural aspects of the Arab world. Conducted in Arabic. Closed to students who graduated from a high school in which the primary language of instruction was Arabic.
Prerequisite: ARB 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARB 204. Arabic 204: Advanced Arabic II. 3 Credit Hours.
The sixth course of the Modern Standard Arabic sequence within the Arabic Studies Program. The three primary goals of the Arabic language sequence are: (1) developing oral and written communicative abilities in Arabic; (2) understanding the rich culture of the Arabic-speaking world through engaging with texts and cultural artifacts; (3) studying and understanding the Arabic language, from grammar and spelling to writing with coherence, cohesion and accuracy.
Prerequisite: ARB 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARB 207. Arabic for Heritage Learners. 3 Credit Hours.
Arabic for Heritage Learners is a 200 level course specifically designed for students of Arab descent who fulfilled the equivalent of ARB 201. The course will hone students’ ability in critical reading, writing, debate, and discussion of pertinent topics in Arab culture. The course material will focus on the history of Arab culture, literature, film, and music. By the end of the semester students will develop their ability in critical reading and writing in MSA.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ARB 208. Arabic for Heritage Learners II. 3 Credit Hours.
Arabic 208 is combined with the sixth course of the Modern Standard Arabic sequence within the Arabic Studies Program. The three primary goals of the Arabic language sequence are: (1) developing oral and written communicative abilities in Arabic; (2) understanding the rich culture of the Arabic-speaking world through engaging with texts and cultural artifacts; (3) studying and understanding the Arabic language, from grammar and spelling to writing with coherence, cohesion and accuracy.
Prerequisite: ARB 202 or ARB 207.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARB 310. Topics in Arabic Literature and Culture in Translation. 3 Credit Hours.
Specific topics within the literature and cultures of the Arabic-speaking world, including literary, cinematic, and artistic representations of central themes or issues, and the cultural production of particular historical periods or national or immigrant groups. This course is taught in English and does not fulfill the CAS foreign language requirement. May be repeated for credit if topics vary.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARB 311. Arab Cultures: A Cultural History of the Arab World. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of the main points of Arab cultural history, from Pre-Islamic times to the period following European colonization with an emphasis on intellectual history and literary and visual arts. This course is taught in English and does not fulfill the CAS foreign language requirement.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARB 312. Topics in Gender and Sexuality in Translation. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics in gender and sexuality in the context of the Arab world, through literary and/or cultural studies. This course is taught in English and does not fulfill the CAS foreign language requirement. May be repeated for credit if topics vary.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARB 394. Arabic Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The internship is an opportunity to apply analytical, interpretative, and creative skills developed in coursework. Internships ordinarily take place outside the University and they involve UM faculty supervision, as well as supervised on-site experience in an Arabic-speaking cultural, business, or not-for-profit organization. Students need to fill out the Internship Application Form. Normally 27 internship hours are required per credit earned. A maximum of three semester hours of internship credit may be counted toward the student’s degree program. Permission of MLL faculty member is required (the host will apply documentary evidence of the hours worked).
Prerequisite: ARB 204.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARB 410. Language and Power in the Arab World. 3 Credit Hours.
The multiple languages and linguistic registers present in the Arab world and, through materials from linguistics, anthropology, political science, music, art, and literature, leads them into an exploration of the main socio-linguistic features of Arabic and their broader cultural ramifications. This course is conducted in English. It does not fulfill the College of Arts & Sciences language requirement.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ARB 591. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed readings (Independent study) in Arabic Studies.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARB 625. Arabic for Graduate Students. 0 Credit Hours.
The Arabic language through a communicative approach implementing the use of new vocabulary and applied use of grammatical theories thereby advancing reading comprehension as well as writing skills. The main focus of this class is on communication in Arabic where we aim for maximum use of the language in the classroom. The instructor will strive to speak exclusively in Arabic during class, and students will be expected to do the same with their instructor and classmates
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARB 641. Elementary ARB I for Graduate Students. 0 Credit Hours.
Designed to develop graduate students' communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending Arabic, as well as to provide an introduction to the Arabic-speaking world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARB 642. Elementary ARB II for Graduate Students. 0 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ARB641. Designed to develop graduate students' communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending Arabic, and continued study of the Arabic-speaking world.
Prerequisite: ARB 641.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARB 651. Intermediate ARB I for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
For graduate students with previous study of elementary-level Arabic. Designed to enhance graduate students' communication skills at the intermediate level. Intended principally for students who will carry out research in areas related to the Arabic-speaking world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARB 652. Intermediate ARB II for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
For graduate students with previous study of Arabic at the intermediate level. Designed to enhance graduate students' communication skills in both written and spoken Arabic at the high-intermediate level. Intended primarily for students who will carry out research in the Arabic-speaking world.
Prerequisite: ARB 651.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARB 653. Advanced ARB I for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
Designed to enhance graduate students' communication skills in the Arabic language at the advanced-low level. Intended principally for students who will carry out research related to the Arabic-speaking world.
Prerequisite: ARB 651.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARB 654. Advanced ARB II for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
Designed to enhance graduate students' communication skills in the Arabic language at the advanced-intermediate level. Intended principally for students who will carry out research related to the Arabic-speaking world.
Prerequisite: ARB 653.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
ARB 657. Intermediate Arabic - Graduate Heritage. 0 Credit Hours.
Designed to enhance graduate students' communication skills in the Arabic language at the high-intermediate level. Intended principally for heritage learners who will carry out research related to the Arabic-speaking world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARB 658. Advanced ARB for Graduate Heritage Learners. 1 Credit Hour.
Designed to enhance graduate students' communication skill in the Arabic language at the advanced-low level. Intended principally for heritage learners who will carry out research related to the Arabic-speaking world.
Prerequisite: ARB 657.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARB 691. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed readings (Independent study) in Arabic Studies.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARB 692. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings at the graduate level.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

Architecture (ARC)

ARC 101. Architecture Design I. 6 Credit Hours.
Introduction to architectural design as an intellectual and aesthetic discipline directed at the analysis, interpretation, synthesis and transformation of the physical environment. Topics include concept, site, form, analysis, use of precedents, technique and the ability to communicate design ideas.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 102. Architecture Design II. 6 Credit Hours.
Architectural response to shelter, space and setting requirements. Topics include design thinking skills, programming, site analysis, use of precedents and anthropometrics and human behavior.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 109. Introduction to Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
(Includes Design & History) Introduction to architectural ideas and principles including composition, space, form, function, history and methods of exploring architectural and urban design problems. Students will learn the relationship between two dimensional and 3 dimensional spaces through analytical drawing and model making. Course pedagogy includes weekly lectures in history and theory to better inform the design process. This course will encourage intuitive action, rapid visual analysis and interpretation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ARC 110. Visual Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Concurrent with the ARC 109 course, the visual studies course explores Architectural drawing as a means of discovery, exploration, analysis and representation. Coursework begins with freehand drawing, in which students explore and refine their observation and representational skills, followed by an introduction to digital drawing and 3-d fabrication used in the profession today. The students will develop a portfolio in book format that illustrates the body of work produced during the three- week program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.
ARC 111. Visual Representation I. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to architectural representation as exploration, selection coordination and acquisition of visual knowledge including analog and digital techniques. Topics include: orthographic and oblique projections, geometric constructions, sketching, shade and shadow, and basic knowledge of digital tools.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 112. Visual Representation II. 3 Credit Hours.
An intermediate course that continues methods integration introduced in Visual Representation I with an increased focus on three dimensional projections.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 121. Architecture and Culture. 1 Credit Hour.
Architecture as an intellectual and aesthetic discipline. Focus on design theory, language, typology, image, form, context, and case studies.
Corequisite: ARC 101, 111.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 122. Architecture and Behavior. 1 Credit Hour.
The course focuses on the study of human behavior and its relationship to the design process. Topics include: cultural diversity, social equity and the application of psychological factors in the design of buildings and their environment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 141. On-Site Survey of European Architecture and Urbanism. 3-6 Credit Hours.
On site introduction to architecture and the city with a historical review of European architecture and urban form from the classical to the contemporary. Students travel with faculty to survey selected European architectural and urbanistic precedents at specific locations. Elective course open to all majors; lecture and seminar format.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

ARC 203. Architecture Design III. 6 Credit Hours.
The course focuses on the design of urban form and its relationship to the natural environment. Topics include: site analysis and design, context, climate, access and circulation and landscape.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 204. Architecture Design IV. 6 Credit Hours.
The design course focuses on building materials, techniques and structure as active constituents of architecture design. Focus on orientation, enclosure, low-energy responses, selection and assembly of construction materials, short and intermediate span structural systems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 213. Visual Representation III. 3 Credit Hours.
An advanced representation course that builds on the tools and methods of visual Representation I & II while introducing students to more advanced techniques of three dimensional modeling that integrates analog and digital techniques. Topics covered include: composition, diagramming, research and analytical drawing, perspective, and the integration of digital tools.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 223. Architecture and the Environment. 1 Credit Hour.
Architectural response to natural environmental requirements. Focus on climate, control, natural energy use, ecosystems, energy flow, environmental intervention, case studies of vernacular building techniques.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ARC 230. Building Technology I: Materials and Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
Material characteristics of enclosure and structural systems, case studies in traditional and modern building construction. Topics include properties of building materials: wood, masonry concrete, steel and glass construction techniques; on-site and off-site processes; exterior finishes; assemblies, detailing and basic building code concepts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 231. Building Technology: Structural Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Structural systems: the tectonics, patterns and behavior of the elements of building structures. Topics: Equilibrium, stability, vertical and lateral building envelope and financial considerations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 267. History of Architecture I: Ancient, Medieval and Renaissance. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies of the history of architecture and urban design. Focus on religious and secular monuments and their settings, domestic architecture and infrastructure, regional constructional and compositional traditions from prehistory to the end of the sixteenth century. Corequisite: ARC 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 268. History of Architecture II: Baroque through Contemporary. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies of the history of architecture and urban design. Focus on religious and secular monuments and their settings, domestic architecture and infrastructure, regional constructional and compositional traditions from the end of the sixteenth century through to the present. Corequisite: ARC 204.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 292. Introduction to Architecture Design I. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey of the architecture profession and introduction to architecture design for non-architecture majors. Role, opportunities, vocabulary, visual awareness, techniques and procedures of design.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 293. Introduction to Architecture Design II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ARC 292 and an introduction to the interactions between architecture and the engineering disciplines for non-architecture majors. Theories of building and site design, technology as an integral component of design, program, site, climate and methodology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 294. Introduction to the Development of Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to architecture for non-architecture majors. Vocabulary, themes, principles and processes of design, cultural, social, economic and technological influences demonstrated through historic examples.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 301. Architecture Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Comprehensive building and site design for students transferring into the architecture program at third year level. Topics include human, environmental, cultural and technological factors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 305. Architecture Design V. 6 Credit Hours.
The design course focuses on the analysis and design of housing typologies within the context of the city. Topics include: programming, research and the integrated evaluation and design making in the design process.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ARC 306. Architecture Design VI. 6 Credit Hours.
The design course focuses on the ability to demonstrate skills associated with making integrated architectural design decisions across multiple systems. Students must display an ability to make design decisions within a complex architectural project while demonstrating broad integration and consideration of environmental stewardship, technical documentation, accessibility, site conditions, life safety, environmental systems, structural systems, and building envelope systems and assemblies.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 323. On Site Study of Selected Architecture and Urbanism. 3-6 Credit Hours.
On site study of specific architectural and/or urbanistic precedents at selecte d locations. Focus on specific period(s) and/or architect(s). Elective course open to all majors.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

ARC 324. On Site Graphic Analysis of Selected Architecture and Urbanism. 3 Credit Hours.
On site analysis and illustration of specific architectural and/or urbanistic p recedents at selected locations. Diagrams, sketches, and drawings recording, an alyzing and evaluating buildings and places. Focus on specific period(s) and/or architect(s). Elective course open to all majors.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

ARC 362. Environmental Building Systems I. 3 Credit Hours.
Environmental and Safety Systems. Topics include mechanical - HVAC and conveyors; building envelope and assemblies, plumbing - fixtures and pipes; safety systems - fire safety and emergency and signal systems.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 363. Environmental Building Systems II. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles and applications of light and acoustics. Topics include natural and artificial light - planning for sunlight, problems and solutions for interior and exterior illumination; sound - properties, problems and solutions in new and existing spaces. Principles and applications of electrical equipment and wiring design.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 371. Ancient Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 373. Early Christian, Byzantine, and Medieval Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
History of architecture and human settlements. Early Christian and Byzantine ar chitecture in Italy, the Near East, Greece, North Africa, Eastern Europe, Medie val architecture in Western Europe.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 382. Architecture and Culture in Italy. 3 Credit Hours.
A cultural and historical framework in preparation for participation in the Rome program. A range of topics, including architecture, art, history, cinema, literature and politics presented by University faculty from a variety of disciplines. Required for participation in the Rome Program.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 407. Architecture Design VII. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Elective design studio course: student and faculty select areas of in-depth study. Topics are broadly defined and vary from semester to semester.

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Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
ARC 408. Architecture Design VIII. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Elective component: student and faculty select areas of in-depth study. Topics are broadly defined and vary from semester to semester.
**Components:** STU.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 452. Management of Professional Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of the practice and the profession, legal and ethical concerns, business types and management practices, traditional and non-traditional practices and services, contracts and contractual relationships.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

ARC 475. Colonial Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
History of architecture and human settlements. Colonial Architecture from the 16th through the 19th centuries in North and South America, the Caribbean, India and Africa.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

ARC 476. 19th and 20th Century Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
History of architecture and human settlements. America and Europe during the 19th and 20th centuries; cultural, technological and theoretical development.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

ARC 481. Special Problems. 3 Credit Hours.
Group or individual investigations of significant architectural issues, offered by special arrangement only.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 482. Special Problems. 3 Credit Hours.
Group or individual investigations of significant architectural issues, offered by special arrangement only.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 483. Special Problems. 3 Credit Hours.
Group or individual investigations of significant architectural issues, offered by special arrangement only.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 500. Architecture Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

ARC 501. Architecture Design and Theory I. 6 Credit Hours.
Cultural, human and environment component and architectural responses to these: Social and aesthetic concepts, architectural psychology, climatic principles, programming analysis and design.
**Components:** STU.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

ARC 502. Architecture Design and Theory II. 6 Credit Hours.
Technology component; materials, structure, and environmental control systems as a framework for architectural design. Construction materials and methods, structural systems, mechanical systems.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.
ARC 503. Architectural Design and Theory III. 6 Credit Hours.
Legal and economic component; government and finances as active constituents of architecture design. Zoning regulations, building codes, principles of public health, safety and welfare, market and feasibility studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 504. Architecture Design and Theory I. 6 Credit Hours.
Cultural, human and environment component and architectural responses to these: Social and aesthetic concepts, architectural psychology, climatic principles, programming analysis and design.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 507. Architecture Design. 6 Credit Hours.
Elective component: student and faculty select areas of in-depth study. Topics include building types, environment, energy, community design, etc.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 509. Architecture Design IX. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Elective component: student and faculty select areas of in-depth study. Topics include building types, environment, energy, community design, etc.
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Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 510. Architecture Design X. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Elective component: student and faculty select areas of in-depth study. Topics include building types, environment, energy, community design, etc.
ARCHITECTURE MAJORS.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 511. Visual Representation I. 3 Credit Hours.
Issues covered in the course will deal with the illustration of ideas in architectural manner. Students are to use the skill of drawing and model-making, either by hand or on the computer, as their new language. Topics will include how to read, understand, and create design drawings, to draw from observations and analyze their subject matter, to be able to distinguish the relevance of a particular drawing and to structure how they present their information. Students will be instructed to properly craft their work in and outside of studio in an effort to see their work evolve and improve.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 512. Advanced Visual Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Drawing as a means of analyzing and recording visual experience. Composition, form, light, color and drawing as a primary device in the mental registration of visual experience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 513. Advanced Visual Representation. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will learn to carefully evaluate space, color, depth, hierarchy, balance and scale in all architectural visual representation. The assignments will explore different media as it is used in the profession including but not limited to: diagrams, renderings, plans, elevations, sections, and axonometric. Through lectures and workshops, the course will provide a combination of both theoretical and practical lessons encompassing the fundamentals of architectural visual representation. The course will also include parallel lectures on typography, architectural graphic design, and verbal presentation. The lectures will be given by highly regarded industry professionals who will address the way that students can be aware of and understand typography, verbal presentation, and graphic design fundamentals as it relates to architecture. The class will consist of three parts. Part I introduces students to the fundamentals of 3d modeling and drafting as part of a representation workflow. The exercise will include both urban and building scales. Part II concentrates on understanding and dissecting more complex geometries through advance use of digital parametric software such as Grasshopper. Part III focuses on visual representation based on a studio project with emphasis on graphic techniques for final presentations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ARC 514. Michelangelo. 3 Credit Hours.
Drawing as a form of research across mediums to understand historical research and interpretation of Michelangelo's work.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 515. Computer Modeling. 3 Credit Hours.
Three-dimensional, computer modeling, and rendering. Lecture, problem solving exercises and laboratory.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 516. Architectural Watercolor Renderings. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will use freehand drawing and watercolor painting as a vehicle to study and record the urban and architectural conditions of Coral Gables and other South Florida sites. Particular emphasis will be placed on the analytical potential of sketches (recording space, light, surfaces and color).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 517. Construction Documents. 3 Credit Hours.
Working drawings and specifications. Form, content and role of constituent parts of working drawings and specifications by using case studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 518. Documentation of Historic Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of preservation and restoration, research methods, measured drawings, surveying methods, and case studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ARC 519. Architecture and Color. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the theory and practice of color and its application to architectural design. Topics include color history from Newton through Alber, the relationship between color practice in science versus art, and the discipline of color in architecture from the Neoclassical movement through the Modern Movement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ARC 523. Urban Design Competition. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Intensive, collaborative urban design project, combining master planning and real estate development expertise, to be submitted to international peer reviewed competition. Project teams are comprised of students from several different degree programs, such as architecture, urban design, real estate development, business, and law.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 524. Selected Topics in Interior Architecture Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles and technical components of interior design. Topics include interior volumetrics, finishes, furnishings and lighting.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 525. Landscape Arch Design I. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis and design of landscape spaces. Studies in historical precedent, gardens, parks, plazas, squares, and response to urban and architectural context.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 526. Landscape Arch Design II. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis and design of landscape spaces. Topics include ecological principles, landforms and plant materials.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ARC 527. Architecture Photography. 3 Credit Hours.
Photography with emphasis on architectural subjects. Introduction to visual principles, photographic equipment, materials, and techniques.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 528. Historic Preservation. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic design principles for the rehabilitation of historic buildings and districts. Evaluating character-defining details; significance analysis; context of setting issues within historic districts; applying the Secretary of the Interior’s Standards for rehabilitation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 529. Research in Design-Methods and Procedures. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of research methods and procedures to design issues. Historical, descriptive, analytic, experimental research methods; tools for data manipulation and communication.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 531. Building Technology II: Structural Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Structural systems: The tectonics, patterns and behavior of the elements of building structures. Topics: Equilibrium, stability, vertical and lateral loads, building envelope and financial considerations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 532. Building Structures I. 3 Credit Hours.
The structural behavior of simple frame structures. Topics include techniques to determine basic system layout and preliminary dimensioning of key subsystems and members.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ARC 533. Building Structures II. 3 Credit Hours.
The structural behavior of complex structures. Topics include prestressed systems, waffle and space trusses, curved structures and longspan buildings.
Prerequisite: ARC 532.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

ARC 534. The Palazzo in Italian Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of the development of the Renaissance and Baroque palazzo in Rome and other important centers of art and culture. Emphasis on the socio-political context.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 535. Historic Italian Urbanism. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of Italian cities and towns from medieval to contemporary times, including a comparative analysis of history and form.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 536. Italian Gardens. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of Italian garden design during the Renaissance, Baroque and Mannerist periods. Emphasis on historical and political context.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 537. Research in Rome. 3 Credit Hours.
An exploration of Roman history, architecture and urban form through lectures, on site study and drawing assignments. Emphasis on chronological and spatial sequence of development.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ARC 538. Interior Architecture Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles and technical components of interior design. Topics include activity, analysis, finishes, furniture, fixture, lighting, and acoustics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 539. Adaptation to Climate Change. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the phenomena and related discussion on the topic of climate change. Review of current scientific evidence, tactics for mitigation of emissions and other causal actions, followed by study of the adaptation required by changing conditions. Class assignments include creative proposals for adaptation action.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 540. Tropical Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
A discussion of tropical architecture and the theme of tropicalism. Research, analysis and documentation in drawing of selected case studies
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 541. Seminar on Town Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the lexicon of urbanism; analytical presentations of the concepts of: region, town, neighborhood, corridor, district, and building type; interdisciplinary presentations, review, and criticism of current town and urban design projects.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 542. Seminar on Housing. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to domestic building typology; exploration of the concepts of low, medium, and high density housing with attention to social, environmental, and economic issues; presentations of current case studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 543. Seminar on Retrofit of Suburbia. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the critical reconstitution of the city; theory and history of the concepts of revitalization and redevelopment; presentations, review, and criticism of current case studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 544. Architecture of Palladio. 3 Credit Hours.
On site study of the architecture and urbanism of Andrea Palladio. Emphasis on the artistic precedents of the Veneto Region.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ARC 545. Urban Composition. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey and analytical review of urban rooms as the vessel of human activity in urban culture. Study of proportional and compositional aspects of urban rooms together with economic, social, and cultural factors. Readings and discussion format.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 546. Studies of Havana. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of the physical structure of a major city and its environments including an exploration of its history and iconographic themes, mapping and building studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 547. Architecture and Urban Identity. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of the relationship between architecture and urbanism focusing on the ways in which architecture provides urban identity and image of place. Case studies relating monuments, fabric and urban plans to their culture, time and place. Lecture and seminar format.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ARC 548. Seminar in Community Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of the contemporary context for the development of the physical environment. Examination of public, private and third sector implementation of building and community design. Format: guest speakers, readings, discussions, and seminar.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 549. Construction and Project Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Management of construction projects including legal considerations and techniques of management science applied to construction. Includes engineering methods of cost and time estimating, and exercises in applications of engineering economics, flow charts, tracking progress, construction contracts, indemnity agreements, and network planning techniques including CPM and PERT.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 550. Professional Lecture Series. 3 Credit Hours.
Exposure to the various professional disciplines in South Florida that make contributions to the design process. Case study analysis and evaluation of current building project, from time of initial formulation through completion, including research, diagrammatic studies, site visits and lectures.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 551. Contemporary Theories of Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
Theoretical basis of modern architecture and different present currents and movements. Agrarianism, technism, orthodoxy, brutalism, scientism, revivalism, consumerism, rationalism, classicism.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 553. Structural Design Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Relationship of structural systems to architectural design. Case studies in theories of structure, form and construction.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 554. Architecture of South Florida. 3 Credit Hours.
History of architecture and human settlements. Studies of significant architectural landmarks and urban design of the South Florida Region, chronological growth of Miami, Miami Beach, Coral Gables, Key West and Palm Beach.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 555. 18th and 19th Century American Architecture and Architects. 3 Credit Hours.
The course concentrates on the development of early American architecture, Architects and Urbanism, primarily but not exclusively to 17th, 18th and 19th centuries with particular emphasis on theoretical, technological and cultural developments in America.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 557. Design and Fabrication Techniques. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Design, construction and detailing of wood and other materials as applied to furnishings and interiors. Workshop includes research, exercises, documentation and a final project.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 558. Theories of Landscape Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
Leading theories of landscape architecture which have influenced current considerations of nature, landscape and design, including concerns such as urban heat island effect, climate change resilience, and health impacts of landscape.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ARC 559. Sustainability and LEED Exam Prep. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Study of U.S. Green Building Council standards for environmental efficacy in building and neighborhood design. Emphasis on fundamental knowledge of green building concepts, including transportation, energy, water and air quality. Includes preparation for LEED Accreditation Exam and registration for exam that provides the credential signifying expertise in green building and a LEED rating.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 560. Contemporary Latin American Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of Contemporary Latin American Architecture and Urbanism from the turn of the 20th Century to the present day. The work of some of the great figures on Latin American Modernism such as Niemeyer and Barragan, to contemporary figures such as Paulo Mendes da Rocha and Isay Weinfeld will be discussed. The influence of the Modern Movement in Europe and Le Corbusier will be reviewed. Large scale City Plans such as Lucio Costa’s Plan for Brasilia and Roberto Burle-Marx’s designs for Flamengo Park and Copacabana in Rio de Janeiro will be analyzed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 568. History of Architecture II: Baroque through Contemporary. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies of the history of architecture and urban design. Focus on religious and secular monuments and their settings, domestic architecture and infrastructure, regional constructional and compositional traditions from the end sixteenth century through to the present. Corequisite: ARC502.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 569. Directed Readings. 3 Credit Hours.
A structured program of readings and essays organized by the student and his/her graduate supervisor constituting a preparation for graduate research in the student’s chosen area of interest.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 570. Modern Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
History of architecture, landscape, and city design in the modern era.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 572. Selected Topics in World Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
History of architecture and human settlements. Islamic Near East, North Africa, Hindu and Buddhist India, Nepal, S. E. Asia, China, Japan, Pre-Columbian America.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 574. Renaissance Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
History of architecture and human settlements. Renaissance and Baroque architecture in Italy, France, Spain and Portugal, Great Britain, Austria, Germany, and neighboring countries.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 577. The Architecture of Alvar Aalto. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the architecture of Alvar Aalto through the analysis of selected buildings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 578. Italian Rationalist Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
History of Italian architecture and urban design between 1914 and 1950: cultural, technological, and theoretical developments; relationship between architecture, politics and propaganda; related survey of the period in other countries (France, German, Soviet Union).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ARC 579. An Introduction to Resilient Building and Community Design. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to the relationships between climate, resiliency, architecture and urbanism; building awareness of the growing challenges and opportunities ahead, and the intersections between these disciplines. What does resilience mean in this broader context, and how should escalating stressors and shocks be addressed? Students learn about climate sciences, then research, document, and analyze evolving resilient design strategies, at the scale of buildings, neighborhoods and cities, in the end, applying those lessons to a given case study site; developing a holistic set of resilient design recommendations. During the course, students interact with specialists in the fields of architecture and urban design, as well as related fields, such as engineering, social, marine and environmental sciences, and/or policymakers, to better comprehend first-hand the interwoven scientific, social, environmental, and governmental ramifications to resilient design. Lastly, students learn the mechanics of participatory design methods employed to engage communities in related efforts.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 580. Professional Advancement, Internship + Research (PAIR). 3 Credit Hours.
Research Component of PAIR program. Student, host office and faculty collaboratively develop a focused, in-depth research project related to the tasks the student is completing as part of the Internship Component of the PAIR program. Application and PAIR committee acceptance required prior to enrollment.

Components: RSC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 581. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Group or individual investigations of significant architectural issues, offered by special arrangement only.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 582. Special Problems. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Group or individual investigations of significant architectural issues, offered by special arrangement only.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 583. Special Problems. 3 Credit Hours.
Group or individual investigations of significant architectural issues, offered by special arrangement only.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 584. Special Problems. 3 Credit Hours.
Group or individual investigations of significant architectural issues, offered by special arrangement only.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 585. Special Problems. 3 Credit Hours.
Group or individual investigations of significant architectural issues, offered by special arrangement only.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 586. Special Problems. 3 Credit Hours.
Group or individual investigations of significant architectural issues, offered by special arrangement only.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 589. History of Cities. 3 Credit Hours.
Historical overview of the origin and development of cities around the world. Emphasis on intentional form of settlements (the ideal) as well as response to economic and political imperatives such as trade and defense (the real).

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ARC 592. Cinema and Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
The class studies the relationship between architecture and cinema. Lectures, film screenings, and readings, explore the origin and development of
filmic space with an emphasis on its relation to the real and poetic image of the city. The class analyzes selected films as they relate to, comment,
criticize, and anticipate the development of contemporary concepts of space, urban space, interior space, etc.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 593. Computer Animation. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores the use of computer animation and advanced visualization techniques in architecture with emphasis on texture and lighting, spatial
choreography and story-boarding.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 594. Geographic Information Systems in Urban Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of Geographic Information Systems (GIS) in urban design. Principles of GIS and their application to spatial analysis, data management and
visualization.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 596. Interactive Multimedia in Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Integration of text, video, sound, and computer graphics to create an interactive electronic information medium.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 597. Designing for the Internet of Things. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines how current research and development in embedded computation bears on architecture, landscape, and urbanism. Students will
explore the implications and impact of ubiquitous computing in its potential to change the way we conceive, construct, inhabit and interact with our
buildings, landscapes, and cities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 598. Introduction to Programming for Architects. 3 Credit Hours.
As digital tools continue to play an increasing role in the Architect’s toolkit, it is becoming increasingly important that Architects not only understand
how to use and navigate these tools but to customize and adapt them to their specific needs. Learning how to program allows Architects to start to
fully utilize the potential in digital tools by maximizing the possibilities in not only 3D modeling and digital fabrication but in responsive architecture,
embedded computation and animating spaces contributing to a more dynamic and potentially inter-connected built environment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 601. Urban Design Studio I. 6 Credit Hours.
Introduction to urban design principles and techniques, in the master planning of a new community. Emphasis on the sustainability of human
settlements within the context of degradation of natural systems and resource depletion; regional environmental and infrastructure systems;
transportation and traffic; transit-oriented development; land use, building, and thoroughfare types.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 602. Urban Design Studio II. 6 Credit Hours.
Design projects focusing on contemporary challenges and goals for existing settlements, including urban and suburban disinvestment and
deterioration, urban redevelopment, social equity, resilience and adaptation to climate change, design for healthy communities and active living, and
urban agriculture.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
ARC 603. Urban Design Studio III. 6 Credit Hours.
Urban design projects that deploy full range of techniques for regional control of urban growth. Application of advanced technologies, including smart cities, innovations in transportation and traffic engineering, energy generation and conservation, and emissions reduction.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ARC 604. Architecture Design and Theory I. 6 Credit Hours.
The inaugural design studio focuses on the role of architectural design as an integrative discipline. Using Miami as a laboratory and drawing from natural specimens, the studio will examine the relationship between nature, landscape and the built environment. It will use research and analysis, design thinking skills, ordering systems, site design, materials, methods, structure, light, space, and tectonics as a means of developing a meaningful design process. Components: STU.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 605. Architecture Design and Theory II. 6 Credit Hours.
This introductory design studio focuses on the role of architectural design as a responsive discipline. The studio will look at how architectural form is informed by thoughtful consideration of materials and methods of construction, as well as programming and context. Situated in an urban environment rich in material, stylistic and typological history, the studio will challenge students to develop a careful reading of place while responding to urban context, topography, and other site requirements. By considering issues of precedent, composition, display, and identity, it will examine the production of meaning in architecture.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 606. Architectural Design and Theory III. 6 Credit Hours.
The Rome Design Studio operates as a form of design-based critical inquiry into issues of urban design, architecture, and the adaptive reuse and transformation of buildings and spaces. Drawing will be explored as a means of analysis, in order to observe and record the urban and architectural conditions of Rome. Students will discover the layers of Rome, combining archaeology with architecture and urban history. Coursework emphasizes a critical reassessment of the historic urban sites relative to questions of program, infrastructure, and cultural changes.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 607. Architecture Design and Theory IV. 6 Credit Hours.
Advanced Design Studio based course addressing more complex and ambitious topics related with the built environment, the ability to prepare and solve a program through design, materials, technique, technology, social human centered aspects of architecture, structure, architecture as light and space, site and context and environmental issues.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 608. Architecture Design. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Advanced Design Studio focusing on skills associated with making integrated architectural design decisions across multiple systems. Design decisions within a complex architectural project will focus on the consideration and broad integration of environmental stewardship, technical documentation, accessibility, site conditions, life safety, environmental systems, structural systems, and building envelope systems and assemblies.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 609. Architecture Design. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Specialization component: student and faculty select areas of in-depth study in housing, resiliency, healthcare, urban design, housing and hospitality, historic preservation etc.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
ARC 610. Architecture Design Degree Project. 6 Credit Hours.
The Architecture Design Degree Project studio offers two options: 1) an independent design research project (design thesis) on a topic selected and developed by the student, or 2) a graduate research studio. Design Thesis is an opportunity for each student, working with a faculty advisor, to define an individual position with regard to the discipline of Architecture. The graduate research studio, led by a faculty member, will investigate relevant or thematic issues of architecture. All graduating students will be required to present their Degree Project, comprising research, analysis and creative work, as a book.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 611. Visual Representation. 3 Credit Hours.
Issues covered in the course will deal with the illustration of ideas in architectural manner. Students are to use the skill of drawing and model-making, either by hand or on the computer, as their new language. Topics will include how to read, understand, and create design drawings, to draw from observations and analyze their subject matter, to be able to distinguish the relevance of a particular drawing and to structure how they present their information. Students will be instructed to properly craft their work in and outside of studio in an effort to see their work evolve and improve.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 612. Advanced Visual Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Drawing as a means of analyzing and recording visual experience. Composition, form, light, color and drawing as a primary device in the mental registration of visual experience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 613. Advanced Visual Representation. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will learn to carefully evaluate space, color, depth, hierarchy, balance and scale in all architectural visual representation. The assignments will explore different media as it is used in the profession including but not limited to: diagrams, renderings, plans, elevations, sections, and axonometric. Through lectures and workshops, the course will provide a combination of both theoretical and practical lessons encompassing the fundamentals of architectural visual representation. The course will also include parallel lectures on typography, architectural graphic design, and verbal presentation. The lectures will be given by highly regarded industry professionals who will address the way that students can be aware of and understand typography, verbal presentation, and graphic design fundamentals as it relates to architecture. The class will consist of three parts. Part I introduces students to the fundamentals of 3d modeling and drafting as part of a representation workflow. The exercise will include both urban and building scales. Part II concentrates on understanding and dissecting more complex geometries through advance use of digital parametric software such as Grasshopper. Part III focuses on visual representation based on a studio project with emphasis on graphic techniques for final presentations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 614. Michelangelo. 3 Credit Hours.
Drawing as a form of research across mediums to understand historical research and interpretation of Michelangelo’s work.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 615. Advanced Visualization Techniques. 3 Credit Hours.
Beginning at the urban scale, students will engage with the concept of mapping and the graphical representation of an urban environment. This will be done through site analysis and investigation of existing conditions for the neighborhood of Miami Beach, Fl. After the urban analysis, students will transition into the building scale and analyze a “Lifeguard House” in Miami Beach. Students will be asked to rethink and redesign the lifeguard house using Rhino 30. Each student will produce drawings including elevations, plans, sections, and exploded axonometric of their new design. Lastly, students will create a physical model using the laser cutter.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 616. Architectural Watercolor Renderings. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will use freehand drawing and watercolor painting as a vehicle to study and record the urban and architectural conditions of Coral Gables and other South Florida sites. Particular emphasis will be placed on the analytical potential of sketches (recording space, light, surfaces and color).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ARC 617. Construction Documents. 3 Credit Hours.
Working drawings and specifications. Form, content and role of constituent parts of working drawings and specifications by using case studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 618. Documentation of Historic Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of preservation and restoration, research methods, measured drawings, surveying methods, and case studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ARC 619. Architecture and Color. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the theory and practice of color and its application to architectural design. Topics include color history from Newton through Alber, the relationship between color practice in science versus art, and the discipline of color in architecture from the Neoclassical movement through the Modern Movement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ARC 620. Responsible Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
A responsible architecture is one that takes into consideration aesthetics, ecology, sustainability, history, context (urban or otherwise), as well as the health, welfare, and joy of the people who occupy it. This course will address architecture from a distinctly humanist viewpoint, keeping in mind how man is inextricably connected to his environment, both architectural and natural. To focus on sustainability, typology, urbanism, or aesthetics alone would be to negate architecture’s interconnectedness. The creation of a responsible architecture requires this multi-layered approach.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 621. Housing, Infrastructure and Transportation. 3 Credit Hours.
Case studies in sustainable urban design. Survey and assessment of innovations in community design and building. Examples from the late nineteenth century to contemporary practice illuminate environmental, social, and economic goals and impacts in urban design.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 622. Urban Design History and Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Part I: Survey of housing theories and projects with emphasis on morphological context, typology and composition - focus on topics of modernity. Part II: Introduction to thoroughfare design and walkability principles; description of urban, suburban, rural and regional infrastructure.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 623. Urban Design Competition. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Intensive, collaborative urban design project, combining master planning and real estate development expertise, to be submitted to international peer reviewed competition. Project teams are comprised of students from several different degree programs, such as architecture, urban design, real estate development, business, and law.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 624. Select Topics in Interior Architecture Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles and technical components of interior design. Topics include interior volumetrics, finishes, furnishings and lighting.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 625. Landscape Arch Design I. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis and design of landscape spaces. Studies in historical precedent, gardens, parks, plazas, squares, and response to urban and architectural context.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ARC 626. Landscape Arch Design II. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis and design of landscape spaces. Topics include ecological principles, landforms and plant materials.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 627. Architecture Photography. 3 Credit Hours.
Photography with emphasis on architectural subjects. Introduction to visual principles, photographic equipment, materials, and techniques.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 628. Historic Preservation. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic design principles for the rehabilitation of historic buildings and districts. Evaluating character-defining details; significance analysis; context of setting issues within historic districts; applying the Secretary of the Interior’s Standards for rehabilitation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 629. Research in Design-Methods and Procedures. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of research methods and procedures to design issues. Historical, descriptive, analytic, experimental research methods; tools for data manipulation and communication.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 630. Building Technology I: Materials and Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
Material characteristics of enclosure and structural systems, case studies in traditional and modern building construction; Topics include properties of building materials: wood, masonry concrete, steel and glass construction tech- niques; on-site and off-site processes; exterior finishes, assemblies, detailing and basic building code concepts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 631. Building Technology II: Structural Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Structural systems: The tectonics, patterns and behavior of the elements of building structures. Topics: Equilibrium, stability, vertical and lateral loads, building envelope and financial considerations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 632. Building Structures I. 3 Credit Hours.
The structural behavior of simple frame structures. Topics include techniques to determine basic system layout and preliminary dimensioning of key subsystems and members.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ARC 633. Building Structures II. 3 Credit Hours.
The structural behavior of complex structures. Topics include prestressed systems, waffle and space trusses, curved structures and longspan buildings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

ARC 634. The Palazzo in Italian Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of the development of the Renaissance and Baroque palazzo in Rome and other important centers of art and culture. Emphasis on the socio-political context.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 635. Historic Italian Urbanism. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of Italian cities and towns from medieval to contemporary times, including a comparative analysis of history and form.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ARC 636. Italian Gardens. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of Italian garden design during the Renaissance, Baroque and Mannerist periods. Emphasis on historical and political context.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 637. Research in Rome. 3 Credit Hours.
An exploration of Roman history, architecture and urban form through lectures, on site study and drawing assignments. Emphasis on chronological and spatial sequence of development.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 638. Interior Architecture Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles and technical components of interior design. Topics include activity, analysis, finishes, furniture, fixture, lighting, and acoustics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ARC 639. Adaptation to Climate Change. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the phenomena and related discussion on the topic of climate change. Review of current scientific evidence, tactics for mitigation of emissions and other causal actions, followed by study of the adaptation required by changing conditions. Class assignments include creative proposals for adaptation action.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 640. Tropical Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
A discussion of tropical architecture and the theme of tropicalism. Research, analysis and documentation in drawing of selected case studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 641. Seminar on Town Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the lexicon of urbanism; analytical presentations of the concepts of: region, town, neighborhood, corridor, district, and building type; interdisciplinary presentations, review, and criticism of current town and urban design projects.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 642. Seminar on Housing. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to domestic building typology; exploration of the concepts of low, medium, and high density housing with attention to social, environmental, and economic issues; presentations of current case studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 643. Seminar on Retrofit of Suburbia. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the critical reconstitution of the city; theory and history of the concepts of revitalization and redevelopment; presentations, review, and criticism of current case studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 644. The Architecture of Palladio. 3 Credit Hours.
On site study of the architecture and urbanism of Andrea Palladio. Emphasis on the artistic precedents of the Veneto Region.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 645. Urban Composition. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey and analytical review of urban rooms as the vessel of human activity in urban culture. Study of proportional and compositional aspects of urban rooms together with economic, social, and cultural factors. Readings and discussion format.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ARC 646. Studies of Havana. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of the physical structure of a major city and its environments including an exploration of its history and iconographic themes, mapping and building studies.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 647. Architecture and Urban Identity. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of the relationship between architecture and urbanism focusing on the ways by which architecture provides urban identity and image of place. Case studies relating monuments, fabric and urban plans to their culture, time and place. Lecture and seminar format.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 648. Seminar in Community Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of the contemporary context for the development of the physical environment. Examination of public, private and third sector implementation of building and community design. Format: guest speakers, readings, discussions, and seminar.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 649. Construction and Project Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Management of construction projects including legal considerations and techniques of management science applied to construction. Includes engineering methods of cost and time estimating, and exercises in applications of engineering economics, flow charts, tracking progress, construction contracts, indemnity agreements, and network planning techniques including CPM and PERT.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 650. Professional Lecture Series. 3 Credit Hours.
Real estate transactions and deal structuring from the development perspective. Using the case study method, the course explores the key components and the disciplines needed for successful real estate transactions and projects.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 651. Contemporary Theories of Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
Theoretical basis of modern architecture and different present currents and movements. Agrarianism, technism, orthodoxy, brutalism, scientism, revivalism, consumerism, rationalism, classicism.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 652. Management of Professional Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of the practice and the profession, legal and ethical concerns, business types and management practices, traditional and non-traditional practices and services, contracts and contractual relationships, disputes and risk management.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 653. Structural Design Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Relationship of structural systems to architectural design. Case studies in the ories of structure, form and construction.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 654. Architecture of South Florida. 3 Credit Hours.
History of architecture and human settlements. Studies of significant architectural landmarks and urban design of the South Florida Region, chronological growth of Miami, Miami Beach, Coral Gables, Key West and Palm Beach.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ARC 655. 18th and 19th Century American Architecture and Architects. 3 Credit Hours.
The course concentrates on the development of early American architecture, Architects and Urbanism primarily but not exclusively to 17th, 18th and 19th centuries with particular emphasis on theoretical, technological and cultural developments in America.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 657. Design and Fabrication Techniques. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Design, construction and detailing of wood and other materials as applied to furnishings and interiors. Workshop includes research, exercises, documentation and a final project.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 658. Theories of Landscape Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
Leading theories of landscape architecture which have influenced current considerations of nature, landscape and design, including concerns such as urban heat island effect, climate change resilience, and health impacts of landscape.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 659. Sustainability and LEED Exam Prep. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Study of U.S. Green Building Council standards for environmental efficacy in building and neighborhood design. Emphasis on fundamental knowledge of green building concepts, including transportation, energy, water and air quality. Includes preparation for LEED Accreditation Exam and registration for exam that provides the credential signifying expertise in green building and a LEED rating.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 660. Contemporary Latin American Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of Contemporary Latin American Architecture and Urbanism from the turn of the 20th Century to the present day. The work of some of the great figures on Latin American Modernism such as Niemeyer and Barragan, to contemporary figures such as Paulo Mendes da Rocha and Isay Weinfeld will be discussed. The influence of the Modern Movement in Europe and Le Corbusier will be reviewed. Large scale City Plans such as Lucio Costa’s Plan for Brasilia and Roberto Burle-Marx’s designs for Flamengo Park and Copacabana in Rio de Janeiro will be analyzed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 661. Building Technology I: Materials and Methods.. 3 Credit Hours.
Material characteristics of enclosure and structural systems, case studies in traditional and modern building construction. Topics include properties of building materials: wood, masonry concrete, steel and glass construction tech- niques; on-site and off-site processes; exterior finishes; assemblies, detailin g and basic building code concepts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 662. Environmental Building Systems I. 3 Credit Hours.
Environmental and Safety Systems. Topics include mechanical - HVAC and conveyors; plumbing - fixtures and pipes; electrical - equipment and wiring design; safety systems - fire safety and emergency and signal systems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ARC 663. Environmental Building Systems II. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles and applications of light and acoustics. Topics include natural and artificial light - planning for sunlight, problems and solutions for interior and exterior illumination; sound - properties, problems and solutions in new and existing spaces electrical equipment and wiring design.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 665. Computer Modeling. 3 Credit Hours.
Three-dimensional, computer modeling, and rendering. Lecture, problem solving exercises and laboratory.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ARC 667. History of Architecture I. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies of the history of architecture and urban design. Focus on religious and secular monuments and their settings, domestic architecture and infrastructure, regional constructional and compositional traditions from prehistory to the end of the sixteenth century.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 668. History of Architecture II. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies of the history of architecture and urban design. Focus on religious and secular monuments and their settings, domestic architecture and infrastructure, regional constructional and compositional traditions from the end of the sixteenth century through to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 669. Directed Readings. 3 Credit Hours.
A structured program of readings and essays organized by the student and his/her graduate supervisor constituting a preparation for graduate research in the student's chosen area of interest.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 670. Modern Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
History of architecture, landscape, and city design in the modern era.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 671. Ancient Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
History of architecture and human settlements. Western European prehistory, Egypt, Mesopotamia, Persia, Aegean and Mediterranean, Greece, Rome.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 672. Selected Topics in World Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
History of architecture and human settlements. Islamic Near East, North Africa, Hindu and Buddhist India, Nepal, South West Asia, China, Japan, Pre-Columbian America.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 673. Early Christian, Byzantine, and Medieval Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
History of architecture and human settlements. Early Christian and Byzantine architecture in Italy, the Near East, Greece, North Africa, Eastern Europe, Medieval architecture in Western Europe.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 674. Renaissance Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
History of architecture and human settlements. Renaissance and Baroque architecture in Italy, France, Spain and Portugal, Great Britain, Austria, Germany, and neighboring countries.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 675. Colonial Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
History of architecture and human settlements. Iberian and British Colonies from the 16th through the 19th centuries: North and South America, Caribbean, India and Africa.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 676. 19th and 20th Century Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
History of architecture and human settlements. America and Europe during the 19th and 20th centuries; cultural, technological and theoretical development.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ARC 677. The Architecture of Alvar Aalto. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the architecture of Alvar Aalto through the analysis of selected buildings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARC 678. Italian Rationalist Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
History of Italian architecture and urban design between 1914 and 1950: cultural, technological, and theoretical developments; relationship between architecture, politics and propaganda; related survey of the period in other countries (France, German, Soviet Union).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARC 679. An Introduction to Resilient Building and Community Design. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to the relationships between climate, resiliency, architecture and urbanism; building awareness of the growing challenges and opportunities ahead, and the intersections between these disciplines. What does resilience mean in this broader context, and how should escalating stressors and shocks be addressed? Students learn about climate sciences, then research, document, and analyze evolving resilient design strategies, at the scale of buildings, neighborhoods and cities, in the end, applying those lessons to a given case study site; developing a holistic set of resilient design recommendations. During the course, students interact with specialists in the fields of architecture and urban design, as well as related fields, such as engineering, social, marine and environmental sciences, and/or policymakers, to better comprehend first-hand the interwoven scientific, social, environmental, and governmental ramifications to resilient design. Lastly, students learn the mechanics of participatory design methods employed to engage communities in related efforts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 680. Professional Advancement, Internship + Research (PAIR). 3 Credit Hours.
Research Component of PAIR program. Student, host office and faculty collaboratively develop a focused, in-depth research project related to the tasks the student is completing as part of the Internship Component of the PAIR program. Application and PAIR committee acceptance required prior to enrollment.
Components: RSC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 681. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Group or individual investigations of significant architectural issues, offered by special arrangement only.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 682. Special Problems. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Group or individual investigations of significant architectural issues, offered by special arrangement only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 683. Special Problems. 3 Credit Hours.
Group or individual investigations of significant architectural issues, offered by special arrangement only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 684. Special Problems. 3 Credit Hours.
Group or individual investigations of significant architectural issues, offered by special arrangement only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 685. Special Problems. 3 Credit Hours.
Group or individual investigations of significant architectural issues, offered by special arrangement only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
ARC 686. Special Problems. 3 Credit Hours.
Group or individual investigations of significant architectural issues, offered by special arrangement only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 690. History of Cities. 3 Credit Hours.
Historical overview of the origin and development of cities around the world. Emphasis on intentional form of settlements (the ideal) as well as response to economic and political imperatives such as trade and defense (the real).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 691. Housing and the Contemporary City. 3 Credit Hours.
Housing is a relatively new field and discipline, born of the complex interplay of urban development, building traditions, architectural innovation and basic human needs. The role of housing in building the city, and the role of the city in determining the shape and content of housing, will be the point of departure for this survey and seminar. The student is expected to gain an understanding of how building typology, history, urban traditions, site design, the functional issues of lifestyle and culture affect the critical issue of housing design. Simultaneously, an awareness of the role of housing design in the creation and articulation of urban space will be studied.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ARC 692. Cinema and Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
The class studies the relationship between architecture and cinema. Lectures, film screenings, and readings, explore the origin and development of filmic space with an emphasis on its relation to the real and poetic image of the city. The class analyzes selected films as they relate to, comment, criticize, and anticipate the development of contemporary concepts of space, urban space, interior space, etc.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARC 693. Computer Animation. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores the use of computer animation and advanced visualization techniques in architecture with emphasis on texture and lighting, spatial choreography and story-boarding.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 694. Geographic Information Systems in Urban Design. 0-3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of Geographic Information Systems (GIS) in urban design. Principles of GIS and their application to spatial analysis, data management and visualization.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 695. Interactive Multimedia in Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Integration of text, video, sound, and computer graphics to create an interactive electronic information medium.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 696. Advanced Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Subject matter offerings based upon student demand and availability of faculty. Subtitles describing the topics will be shown in the printed class schedule, following the title "Advanced Topics".
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 697. Designing for the Internet of Things. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines how current research and development in embedded computation bears on architecture, landscape, and urbanism. Students will explore the implications and impact of ubiquitous computing in its potential to change the way we conceive, construct, inhabit and interact with our buildings, landscapes, and cities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ARC 698. Introduction to Programming for Architects. 3 Credit Hours.
As digital tools continue to play an increasing role in the Architect's toolkit, it is becoming increasingly important that Architects not only understand how to use and navigate these tools but to customize and adapt them to their specific needs. Learning how to program allows Architects to start to fully utilize the potential in digital tools by maximizing the possibilities in not only 3D modeling and digital fabrication but in responsive architecture, embedded computation and animating spaces contributing to a more dynamic and potentially inter-connected built environment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARC 699. Directed Research. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The course addresses the issues of design as research and pre-design. Students will develop research, write a thesis statement, select a site, prepare a site documentation and site analysis, and develop an architectural program for the thesis project, select pertinent case studies and diagram them. This work will be collected and presented as both a presentation and in book form. In addition, the course prepares students for an independent design project through thoughtful development of a thesis question, site and program. The preparation of the thesis question will require the development of basic research strategies and methods, and understanding of how to find an evaluate sources, the analysis and synthesis of information, the development of a research plan and a design method, and the written and oral presentation of these skills to an outside audience.
Components: RSC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 701. Masters Final Project. 6 Credit Hours.
Individually supervised projects. Required as a 6 credit course for all Master of Architecture in Computing students electing a final project.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 720. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis or final project for the master's degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in ARC 699 or ARC 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ARC 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THE.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Art (ART)

ART 101. Introduction to Drawing I. 3 Credit Hours.
Contour, cross-contour, perspective, proportion, chiaroscuro, and gesture in pictorial composition.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ART 102. Introduction to Drawing II. 3 Credit Hours.
Experimentation, chance, exaggeration, movement, texture, and color in pictorial composition.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 103. Two-Dimensional Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Line, rhythm, shape, pattern, value, and color in pictorial composition.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ART 104. Intro to 3D Design. 3 Credit Hours.
A background in the elements of three-dimensional aesthetics that will broaden students' understanding and creativity in making sculptural objects. This course is the foundation for further study in sculpture, glass, and ceramics courses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ART 105. Figure Drawing. 3 Credit Hours.
Drawing the human figure: proportion, anatomy, perspective, gesture, and expressive line.
Prerequisite: ART 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 107. Introduction to Drawing III. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 101 with emphasis on Renaissance perspective and alternative systems of spatial representation. Survey of materials and methods. Introduction of color.
Prerequisite: ART 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ART 109. Introduction to Electronic Media. 3 Credit Hours.
Computer skills for desktop publishing and digital imaging.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 180. Studies in Studio Art. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Studio studies taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ART 202. Introduction to Painting. 3 Credit Hours.
Materials and techniques of easel painting.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 206. Special Topics in Studio Art for Undergraduate Students. 3 Credit Hours.
Course devoted to exploring new topics in studio art practice and theory, including media specific and/or inter-disciplinary approaches. Course content to be determined by Instructor.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 210. Introduction to Digital Photography. 3 Credit Hours.
DSLR Camera and Lens Techniques and Adobe LightRoom Processing In Digital Photography.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ART 217. Introduction to Sculpture. 3 Credit Hours.
Integrated approach to concept development, craftsmanship and appropriate use of materials.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 251. Introduction to Printmaking. 3 Credit Hours.
Drypoint, engraving, etching, aquatint, and softground; relief and intaglio printed collographs; relief printing from linoleum.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 252. Introduction to Lithography. 3 Credit Hours.
To learn how to image, process and print lithographic plates and stones. Hand drawn, photographic and computer generated images will be covered on positive working lithography plates; traditional graining, drawing and processing of lithographic stones will also be covered as an optional method for students to pursue. Most printing will be a single color run but adding a second plate and monotyping will also be demonstrated. Print quality is the primary criteria for judging prints: lithography is known for its ability to create continuous tone prints, so utilizing that range of tone in your images is important. You may develop and choose your own subject matter and content or work experimentally and non-objectively.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
ART 253. Silkscreen I. 3 Credit Hours.
Beginning silkscreen: monotyping with screens, reduction printing, multiple run silkscreen printing and beginning photo silkscreen.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ART 254. Computer Applications for Printmaking. 3 Credit Hours.
Software programs used as printmaking manipulation tools to aid in the planning of prints.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 260. Special topics in Ceramics. 3 Credit Hours.
Rotating topics course with a focus on developing modeling skills with clay through various forming methods.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 261. Hand-Built Ceramics I. 3 Credit Hours.
Beginning hand-building techniques: pinching, coiling, slab construction; introduction to glazing and firing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 262. Wheel Thrown Ceramics I. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to wheel throwing, glazing and firing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 263. Introduction to Glass Blowing. 3 Credit Hours.
Forming shapes and vessels from molten glass by the use of a blow pipe and glass tools.
Prerequisite: ART 104.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 268. Figure in Clay I. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to modeling the human figure in clay with emphasis on form, volume, proportion, basic anatomy, and gesture.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 291. Graphic Design I. 3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive approach to understanding design fundamentals and the practice of graphic communications.
Prerequisite: ART 109.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 292. Multimedia I/ Web Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to web design using several current time-based media.
Prerequisite: ART 109.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 293. Typography. 3 Credit Hours.
Type and image compositions, history, arrangement, style, aesthetics of printed communications, type software and calligraphy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ART 294. Multimedia II/Animation. 3 Credit Hours.
Animation using time-based media.
Prerequisite: ART 109.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 301. Intermediate Painting I. 3 Credit Hours.
Painting in oil and acrylic. Emphasis on experimentation and creative expression.
Prerequisite: ART 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 302. Intermediate Painting II. 3 Credit Hours.
Painting in oil and acrylic; emphasis on experimentation and creative expression.
Prerequisite: ART 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 305. Intermediate Figure Drawing. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 105.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 306. Special Topics in Studio Art for Undergraduate Students. 3 Credit Hours.
Course devoted to exploring new topics in studio art practice and theory, including media specific and/or inter-disciplinary approaches. Course content to be determined by Instructor.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 310. Intermediate Digital Photography. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: ART 210.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 311. Color Digital Photography. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: ART 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 312. Alternative Processes Photography. 3 Credit Hours.
Nineteenth Century Photographic Processes. From the Cyanotype to the Collodion Print, all in the service of creative expression.
Prerequisite: ART 311.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 315. Socially Engaged Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Contemporary art practices and the role of visual arts in creating social change, through lectures, group discussions, Individual art projects and a collaborative, hands-on community-based art project. Note: This is a new course implemented as part of the Engaged Faculty Fellows program to provide students with the opportunity for civic engagement within the context of art-making.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
ART 317. Intermediate Sculpture I. 3 Credit Hours.
Incorporation of symbol and metaphor to achieve meaning, use of additional materials and technical processes.
Prerequisite: ART 217.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 318. Intermediate Sculpture II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 317.
Prerequisite: ART 317.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 351. Intaglio/Relief II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 251. Additional processes such as mezzotint, relief printing from woodblocks, multiple block printing, photographic xerox transfers and photo etching.
Prerequisite: ART 251.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 352. Lithography II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 252. Color printing from stones, aluminum plates and photo litho plates. Combination of lithography with other print media.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 353. Silkscreen II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 253, including silkscreening on canvas, larger format work, and advanced photo silkscreen techniques.
Prerequisite: ART 253.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 354. Computer Assisted Printmaking: Lithography and Silkscreen. 3 Credit Hours.
The use of inkjet and laser printers to make positives for black and white and process color work in photo lithography; custom color separations for multiple screen printing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 355. History of Philosophy of Art. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the history of philosophical work on the arts (including literature, visual art, and music) from ancient times through the mid twentieth century.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 361. Hand-Built Ceramics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 261.
Prerequisite: ART 261.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 362. Wheel Thrown Ceramics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 262.
Prerequisite: ART 262.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ART 363. Cast Glass Processes. 3 Credit Hours.
The art of cast glass including sand casting and lost wax techniques.
Prerequisite: ART 263 or ART 104.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 364. Intermediate Glass Blowing. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of glass working techniques.
Prerequisite: ART 263.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 368. Figure in Clay II. 3 Credit Hours.
As continuation of ART 268, this intermediate course will focus on modeling The human figure in clay with emphasis on form, volume, proportion, anatomy, and gesture.
Prerequisite: ART 268.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 391. Graphic Design II. 3 Credit Hours.
Development of form and conceptual design. Contemporary visual rhetorical strategies such as metaphors, puns, irony and methonomy.
Prerequisite: ART 291.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 392. Multimedia III. 3 Credit Hours.
Video art, multimedia, installation art and interactive animation.
Prerequisite: ART 109.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 401. Advanced Painting I. 3 Credit Hours.
Development of a personal style in painting.
Prerequisite: ART 301 and ART 302.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 402. Advanced Painting II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 401.
Prerequisite: ART 401.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 405. Advanced Figure Drawing. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 305.
Prerequisite: ART 305.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 406. Special Topics in Studio Art for Undergraduate Students. 3 Credit Hours.
Course devoted to exploring new topics in studio art practice and theory, including media specific and/or inter-disciplinary approaches. Course content to be determined by Instructor.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ART 407. Special Topics: Renaissance and Baroque Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminar on changing topics in Renaissance and Baroque Art.
Prerequisite: ARH 132.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 410. Advanced Digital Photography I. 3 Credit Hours.
Development of a personal style in digital imaging. Course is designed for students to pursue a semester long thematic project.
Prerequisite: ART 311.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 411. Experimental Photography. 3 Credit Hours.
Course content determined by faculty member teaching it from studio lighting class to the Artist Book Project. May be repeated for credit.
Prerequisite: ART 311.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 417. Advanced Sculpture I. 3 Credit Hours.
Individual and collaborative installation and site-specific art.
Prerequisite: ART 317.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 418. Advanced Sculpture II. 3 Credit Hours.
Development of a personal visual vocabulary.
Prerequisite: ART 417.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 451. Intaglio/Relief III. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 351.
Prerequisite: ART 351.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 452. Lithography III. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 352.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 453. Silkscreen III. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 353.
Prerequisite: ART 353.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 454. Computer Assisted Printmaking: Intaglio and Relief. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 354, photo etching and relief processes.
Prerequisite: ART 354.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ART 462. Advanced Ceramics. 3 Credit Hours.
Development of expressive skills in either handbuilding or wheel throwing techniques.
Prerequisite: ART 361 or ART 362.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 468. Figure in Clay III. 3 Credit Hours.
As continuation of ART 368, this advanced course will focus on modeling The human figure in clay with emphasis on form, volume, proportion, anatomy, gesture and expressive handling of clay.
Prerequisite: ART 368.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 491. Graphic Design III. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced page layout coupled with extensive use of typography with applications in page design for advertising and collateral projects.
Prerequisite: ART 391.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 493. Illustration. 3 Credit Hours.
Contemporary illustration for print, new media, portfolio and exhibition.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 499. Honors Thesis. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Formal thesis and project including an exhibition supervised by member of the department faculty.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 501. Advanced Painting III. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Course content decided between student and professor.
Prerequisite: ART 402.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 502. Advanced Painting IV. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 501.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 503. Advanced Painting V. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Course content decided between student and professor. An independent study course may be repeated.
Prerequisite: ART 502.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 504. Advanced Painting VI. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Course content decided between student and professor. An Independent Study course may be repeated.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 505. Advanced Painting VII. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Current readings and/or technical concerns not covered in the regular curriculum. Course content will vary each semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ART 506. Special Topics in Studio Art for Undergraduate Students. 3 Credit Hours.
Course devoted to exploring new topics in studio art practice and theory, including media specific and/or inter-disciplinary approaches. Course content to be determined by Instructor.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 509. Independent Study in Other Media. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Course content decided between student and professor. Independent study course may be repeated.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 510. Advanced Digital Photography 2. 3 Credit Hours.
Course content decided between student and professor. May NOT be repeated for credit.
Prerequisite: ART 410.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 511. Advanced Digital Photography 3. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 510. May NOT be repeated for credit.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 512. Independent Study in Photography. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Course content decided between student and professor. An independent study course may be repeated.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 517. Advanced Sculpture III. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of ongoing work in relationship to historical and contemporary interpretations issues.
Prerequisite: ART 418.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 518. Advanced Sculpture IV. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 517.
Prerequisite: ART 517.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 551. Intaglio/Relief IV. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced work in intaglio/relief processes: course requirements decided between student and professor.
Prerequisite: ART 451.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 552. Lithography IV. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced work in lithography: course requirements decided between student and professor.
Prerequisite: ART 452.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 553. Silkscreen IV. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced work in silkscreen.
Prerequisite: ART 453.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ART 554. Computer Assisted Printmaking. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced work in computer assisted printmaking; course requirements decided between student and professor.
Prerequisite: ART 454.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 555. Topics in Printmaking. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Current readings and/or technical concerns not covered in the regular curriculum. Course content will vary each semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 562. Contemporary Ceramic Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Development of artistic style and technical abilities in relation to contemporary trends in ceramic art.
Prerequisite: ART 462.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 563. Independent Study in Ceramics/Glass. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Course content decided between student and professor. An independent study course may be repeated.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 564. Directed Research and Projects in Ceramics/Glass. 3 Credit Hours.
Historical to contemporary approach to ceramics; furthering of the technical ability, and development of artistic style.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 591. Portfolio/Business of Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Individually supervised graphic design portfolio. Professional practices in design.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 592. Special Projects/Multimedia/Portfolio. 3 Credit Hours.
Video Art, print design, illustration or multimedia portfolio preparation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 593. Seminar in Professional Practices. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Advanced course with a required placement in a professional design or multimedia setting. Classroom sessions on professional topics and issues. Portfolio required.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 599. Exhibition Preparation. 3 Credit Hours.
A seminar class devoted to the preparatory work needed to plan and promote a solo exhibition, including installation/lighting concerns. Preliminary written assignments will also be given in preparation for ART 710 Thesis.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 602. Advanced Painting ix. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 601.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ART 603. Problems in Studio Art. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Course content will be decided in conference between candidate and instructor. This course may be repeated for credit.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 604. Seminar in Studio Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected area of studio art.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ART 606. Special Topics in Studio Art for Graduate Students. 3 Credit Hours.
Course devoted to exploring new topics in studio art practice and theory, including media specific and/or inter-disciplinary approaches. Course content to be determined by Instructor.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 609. Independent Study in Other Media. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Course content decided between student and professor. Independent study course may be repeated.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 630. Graduate Digital Photography I. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Advance Digital Photography Course: Content decided between student and professor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 631. Graduate Digital Photography II. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Advance Digital Course: Content decided between student and professor-Lecture
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 632. Graduate Independent Study in Photography. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Independent Study in Photography: Content decided between student and professor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 633. Graduate Digital Photography III. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Content decided in conference between candidate and instructor.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 634. Graduate Digital Photography IV. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 610.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 641. Graduate Painting I. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Self-directed study in consultation with instructor.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ART 642. Graduate Painting II. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Self-directed study in consultation with instructor.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 643. Graduate Painting III. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Self-directed study in consultation with instructor.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 644. Graduate Painting IV. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Self-directed study in consultation with instructor.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 645. Graduate Painting V. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Self-directed study in consultation with instructor.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 646. Advanced Painting VIII. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Professional and concentrated experiences in media and subject matter decided in conference between candidate and instructor.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 651. Intaglio/Relief. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Advanced intaglio/relief processes: course requirements decided between candidate and professor.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 652. Lithography. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Advanced lithography. Course requirements decided between candidate and professor.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 653. Silkscreen. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Advanced work in silkscreen.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 655. Topics in Printmaking. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Current readings and/or technical concerns not covered in the regular curriculum.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ART 663. Portfolio/Business of Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Individually supervised graphic design portfolio. Professional practices in design.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 664. Special Projects/Multimedia/Portfolio. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Video Art, print design, illustration or multimedia portfolio preparation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ART 665. Graphic Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced graduate projects in graphic design.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 666. Multimedia. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced graduate projects in multimedia.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 667. Experimental Illustration for Print and Interactive Media. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration and innovation of contemporary illustration and digital publishing. Research and practice of new styles of international illustration for print and interactive media.
Prerequisite: ART 663 or ART 665.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 671. Graduate Sculpture I. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Examination of ongoing work in relationship to historical and contemporary interpretations issues.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 672. Graduate Sculpture II. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 671. Content decided in conference between candidate and instructor.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 673. Graduate Sculpture III. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Content decided in conference between candidate and instructor.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 674. Graduate Sculpture IV. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 673. Content decided in conference between candidate and instructor.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 675. Graduate Sculpture V. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Content decided in conference between candidate and instructor.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ART 676. Graduate Sculpture VI. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Content decided in conference between candidate and instructor.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 681. Writing About Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Writing about art on a professional level.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ART 682. Contemporary Ceramic Art I. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Development of artistic style and technical abilities in relation to contemporary trends in ceramic art.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 683. Contemporary Ceramic Art II. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Development of artistic style and technical abilities in relation to contemporary trends in ceramic art.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 684. Contemporary Ceramics Art III. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Content to be decided in conference between candidate and instructor.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 685. Contemporary Ceramics Art IV. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 661.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 686. Contemporary Ceramic Art V. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 685: Contemporary Ceramic ART IV
Prerequisite: ART 685.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 687. Contemporary Ceramic Art VI. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ART 686: Contemporary Ceramic Art V
Prerequisite: ART 686.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ART 688. Independent Study in Ceramics/Glass. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Theory, history and practice of Video Art and contemporary documentary film and their various manifestations. Creation of conceptual videos for exhibition, web and interactive media.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
**ART 689. Directed Research and Projects in Ceramics/Glass. 3 Credit Hours.**
Historical to contemporary approach to ceramics; furthering of the technical ability, and development of artistic style.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**ART 693. Seminar in Professional Practices. 1-6 Credit Hours.**
Advanced course with a required placement in a professional design or multimedia setting. Classroom sessions on professional topics and issues. Portfolio required.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**ART 699. Exhibition Preparation. 3 Credit Hours.**
A seminar class devoted to the preparatory work needed to plan and promote a solo exhibition, including installation/lighting concerns. Preliminary written assignments will also be given in preparation for ART 810 Thesis.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**ART 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.**
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**ART 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.**
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master's degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in ART 810 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

## Art History (ARH)

**ARH 131. Survey of Western Art I. 3 Credit Hours.**
The art of western cultures from pre-history through the Middle Ages.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**ARH 132. Survey of Western Art II. 3 Credit Hours.**
The art of western cultures from the Renaissance through the 20th century.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**ARH 207. History of Photography. 3 Credit Hours.**
A study of photography as a visual medium of expression and communication: a chronological examination of its origins, styles and uses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**ARH 220. Student Docent Practicum at the Lowe Art Museum. 1 Credit Hour.**
Students gain hands-on training and practical experience on becoming a museum docent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ARH 225. Introduction to Museum Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
An introductory study of the practices and methodologies that shape and guide curatorial studies within the context of museums and similar institutions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 250. Special Topics in Non-European Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in Non-European art.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 260. Islamic Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Islamic art from the 7th to the 17th century including architecture, manuscript illumination, textiles, ceramics, and small-scale luxury objects. Study of Islam as a religious and political entity showing how the Islamic world defined itself in cultural creation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARH 270. Spanish Art. 3 Credit Hours.
A chronological study from prehistory to the present, addressing significant periods in Spanish art history, and establishing the unique characteristics of this art. How the effects of historical conditions (Islamic presence on the peninsula, American colonies, Franco) have defined Spain as distinct from its European neighbors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 320. Aesthetics and Meaning in African Art and Cultures. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to historically, materially, artistically, and politically engage the diversity of artistic production and cultural life on the African continent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARH 321. Andean Art. 3 Credit Hours.
South American art from formative times through the Incan empire and the Spanish conquest (A.D. 1521).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 325. Museum Studies Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
The Museum Studies internship is an independent study course in which the student works on educational projects or programs in a museum.
Components: FLD.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARH 326. Art of Japan. 3 Credit Hours.
The Arts of South Asia with selections from India and Thailand.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARH 327. Art of China. 3 Credit Hours.
The Art of East Asia with selections from China, Korea, and Japan.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARH 332. Greek Art. 3 Credit Hours.
The art of ancient Greek civilization.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ARH 333. Roman Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Roman art from the 1st century B.C. through the 4th century A.D.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 335. Early Christian and Byzantine Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Christian art from the second through the fifteenth centuries in Rome and the Byzantine Empire.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 336. Medieval Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Western European art from the 4th through the 12th century.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 337. Italian Renaissance Art. 3 Credit Hours.
The painting, sculpture, and architecture of Florence in the 15th century.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 338. Sixteenth Century Italian Art. 3 Credit Hours.
The painting, sculpture, and architecture of Italy in the 16th century.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 339. Northern Renaissance Art. 3 Credit Hours.
The painting of France and the Netherlands in the 14th and 15th centuries.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 340. Baroque Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Art and architecture of the seventeenth century, focusing on major cultural centers in Europe and the Americas.
Prerequisite: ARH 132.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 341. Eighteenth-Century European Art. 3 Credit Hours.
European art from 1700-1820, including Rococo and Neoclassicism, ending with Goya in Spain.
Prerequisite: ARH 132.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 342. Nineteenth-Century European Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Neo-Classicism, Romanticism, Realism, Impressionism, 1760-1900.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARH 343. Modern Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Cezanne to Surrealism. Primarily European Art c. 1880-1940 in the context of the development of Modernism and its aesthetic theories.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARH 344. Contemporary Art. 3 Credit Hours.
American and European Art from the Second World War to the present in its social, political, and theoretical contexts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
ARH 345. Contemporary Art in American Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
A critical survey of visual art practices from the 1950s to the present within the United States. By analyzing the multiple legacies of the early avant-garde, the role of nationalism, and the development of the global art market, this course will consider the social, political, and philosophical questions raised by postmodernism and its formative influence on American art after WWII.
Prerequisite: ARH 131 or ARH 132.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARH 346. History of Graphic Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Evolution of Graphic Design from the invention of writing through the twentieth century concentrating on contemporary themes and technical innovations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARH 347. Special Topics in Art History. 3 Credit Hours.
Changing topics in Western and non-Western art that focus on a specific movement, style, or artist.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 349. Special Topics in Art and the Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Changing topics on the relationship between art and law, with a particular focus on policy and the art world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 357. Critical Issues in the History Photography. 3 Credit Hours.
The history and theory of photography in visual culture and an exploration of debates regarding how this medium of mass communication has transformed our perceptions and conceptions of art, society, and culture over the past two centuries.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 360. Art and Cinema. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of the relationship between art, art history, and cinema.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 365. Latin American Modernism. 3 Credit Hours.
The art and theories of Latin American Modernism.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 385. Studies in Art History. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Art History studies taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ARH 405. Special Topics in Medieval Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Changing topics in Medieval Art.
Prerequisite: ARH 131.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 408. Special Topics in Modern Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminar on changing topics in Modern Art.
Prerequisite: ARH 132.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ARH 409. Special Topics in Contemporary Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminar on changing topics in contemporary art.
Prerequisite: ARH 132.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 411. Special Topics: Museum Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminar on changing topics in Museum studies.
Prerequisite: ARH 225. Requisite: Two additional art history courses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 420. Cuban Art, Art History, and the Creation of the Modern Cuban Subject. 3 Credit Hours.
This seminar focuses on the fine art, visual culture, and performance history of Cuba during the 19th and 20th centuries.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARH 421. Reimagining Modernity: Haitian Art and Art History. 3 Credit Hours.
Haiti is a revolutionary society born out of the violence of slavery and revolution during the age of Enlightenment. It can be argued that it is a site of a double artistic modernity; post 1804 with the establishment of the Republic of Haiti and later the first art school in the Americas, and post 1943 following the founding of the Centre d'Art. However, Haiti is rarely considered as a site of modernity. Instead historically afflicted by incalculable crises and unspeakable violence at the hands of man and nature, the nation has been sidelined in art historical narratives in the Americas before and arguably since the 1943 renaissance. This class re-centers Haiti in the discipline of art history as a space that offers fascinating challenges to and possibilities for decentered global art histories. Drawing on seminal scholarship, unique archival resources and art collections at the University of Miami, the city of Miami and beyond, this seminar traces artistic practices and philosophies in and from Haiti that were trans-Atlantic in their formation and always global in their relations.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

ARH 450. Seminar in Methodology and Theory in the History of Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic methodologies that inform the discipline of art history and an introduction to the key authors and ideas that have shaped and continue to shape how critics and art historians write about art.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 505. Problems in Art History. 3 Credit Hours.
A means by which the student of advanced standing may investigate areas of a specialized nature, or those which are not offered as a regular part of the curriculum. Course content will be decided in joint conference between student and instructor.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARH 506. Problems in Art History. 3 Credit Hours.
A means by which the student of advanced standing may investigate areas of a specialized nature, or those which are not offered as a regular part of the curriculum. Course content will be decided in joint conference between student and instructor.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARH 507. Museum Studies Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
The museum as an institution and as a site for the construction of knowledge. Students will also explore the relationship between museums and academia.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 508. Museum Exhibition. 3 Credit Hours.
Organizing an art museum exhibition, and participating in the installation. Writing and composing the catalogue.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ARH 509. Museum Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
UM sponsored internship with Miami-area museum.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARH 510. Arts Administration Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
UM sponsored internship with Miami-area arts institution.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARH 511. Artlab @ the Lowe. 3 Credit Hours.
Organizing an art exhibition at the Lowe Art Museum. Taught by a different faculty member each year.
Prerequisite: ARH 131 and ARH 132.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARH 530. Seminar in Art History. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in western and nonwestern art. Semester’s topic will be announced.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 540. History of Museums and Collecting. 3 Credit Hours.
History of museums and collecting practices in western Europe and the United States from the sixteenth to the twentieth century.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 550. Seminar in Nineteenth and Twentieth Century Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics including museum practices and theory, women’s art and contemporary issues.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 560. Seminar in Non-European Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Special Topics in Non-European Art.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 598. Seminar in Contemporary American Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Issues in Art since 1960: Aesthetic theories and ideological issues generated in contemporary art as expressed in the writing of artists and art critics.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARH 605. Problems in Art History. 3 Credit Hours.
Students conduct independent, graduate research on an art historical topic approved by faculty.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARH 606. Problems in Art History. 3 Credit Hours.
Students conduct independent, graduate research on an art historical topic approved by faculty.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARH 607. Museum Studies Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
The museum as an institution and as a site for the construction of knowledge. Students will also explore the relationship between museums and academia.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ARH 608. Museum Exhibition. 3 Credit Hours.
Organizing an art museum exhibition, and participating in the installation. Writing and composing the catalogue.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 609. Museum Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
UM sponsored internship with Miami-area museum.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARH 610. Arts Administration Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
UM sponsored internship with Miami-area arts institution.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ARH 611. Artlab @ the Lowe. 3 Credit Hours.
Organizing an art exhibition at the Lowe Art Museum. Taught by a different faculty member each year.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ARH 630. Seminar in Art History. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in western and nonwestern art. Semester’s topic will be announced.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 640. History of Museums and Collecting. 3 Credit Hours.
History of museums and collecting practices in western Europe and the United States from the sixteenth to the twentieth century.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

ARH 650. Seminar in Theory and Methodology in the History of Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic methodologies that inform the discipline of art history and an introduction to the key authors and ideas that have shaped and continue to shape how critics and art historians write about art.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 660. Seminar in Nineteenth and Twentieth Century Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics including museum practices and theory, women’s art and contemporary issues.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 670. Seminar in Non-European Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Special Topics in Non-European Art.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ARH 698. Seminar in Contemporary Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Issues in Art since 1960: Aesthetic theories and ideological issues generated in contemporary art as expressed in the writing of artists and art critics.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ARH 810. Master’s Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master’s thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ARH 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master’s degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in ARH 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

Atmospheric Science (ATM)

ATM 102. Introduction to Weather and Climate. 3 Credit Hours.
The structure, physics, dynamics and thermodynamics of the atmosphere. Weather, weather forecasting, climate and climate change.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 103. Survey of Modern Meteorology. 3 Credit Hours.
Dynamics and thermodynamics of the atmosphere as they relate to contemporary issues in meteorology. Overview of numerical weather prediction techniques and new technologies for monitoring weather and climate. Open to all RSMAS majors and minors.
Requisite: Major or Minor in the Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science and Pre/Corequisite: MTH 108 or higher (MTH 108. Or MTH 113. Or MTH 140. Or MTH 141. Or MTH 161. Or MTH 171).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Winter.

ATM 243. Weather Forecasting. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of physical principals to weather forecasting. Use interpretation of computer-generated forecast guidance products of the U.S. Weather Service.
Prerequisite: ATM 103 or MSC 103 and MTH 108 or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ATM 244. Tropical Weather and Forecasting. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to tropical weather systems, with an emphasis on hurricanes, and syntheses of observational data and numerical model predictions to create forecasts
Prerequisite: ATM 103 and ATM 243.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 265. Atmospheric Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
ATM 265 is focused on those aspects of environmental chemistry of most relevance to meteorology students. The class fulfills the American Meteorological Society (AMS) chemistry expectations for a Bachelor’s Degree in Meteorology, and in addition, addresses further recommendations from the AMS. AMS expects knowledge of atomic structure and chemical bonding, and, of the properties of gases. Recommended ‘beyond the basics’ goals include air quality and environmental science applications.
Prerequisite: ATM 103.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ATM 303. Meteorological Instrumentation and Observation. 3 Credit Hours.
Techniques for measuring meteorological variables at the ground and in the free atmosphere.
Prerequisite: ATM 103, and PHY 101 or PHY 205 or PHY 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ATM 305. Atmospheric Thermodynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
Equation of state; water vapor and moist air thermodynamics; phase changes and latent heat; buoyancy and atmospheric convection; thermodynamic diagrams.
Prerequisite: PHY 201 or PHY 205.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ATM 306. Advanced Principles in Broadcasting Meteorology. 3 Credit Hours.
Broadcast meteorology including the production of professional weather briefings and weather news for on camera delivery. Emphasis on accurately communicating complex meteorological concepts, use of computer graphics, and on-camera delivery.
Prerequisite: ATM 103 and ATM 243.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 307. Introduction to the Physics of Climate. 3 Credit Hours.
The physical mechanisms which govern the earth's climate and climate variability.
Prerequisite: ATM 305 or MSC 305.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ATM 321. Scientific Programming in the Atmospheric Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to scientific programming in a linux environment using the FORTRAN 90/95 language with specific applications to Meteorology.
Prerequisites: CSC 120.
Prerequisite: CSC 120 or MSC 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ATM 371. Readings in Atmospheric Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Library research with faculty supervision. Bibliography to be submitted in preparation for laboratory and/or field research project. (No more than 6 credits in total from ATM371, ATM411, and ATM412 can be counted towards any of the RSMAS major or minor requirements with no more than 3 credits from each course.)
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ATM 405. Atmospheric Dynamics I. 3 Credit Hours.
Derivation and scaling of the equations of atmospheric motion; hydrostatic and geostrophic balance; circulation and vorticity.
Prerequisite: ATM 305 (or MSC 305) and MTH 310 or MTH 211.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ATM 406. Atmospheric Dynamics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Baroclinic and barotropic instability; boundary layer dynamics; mathematical principles of numerical weather prediction; maintenance of the general circulation.
Prerequisite: MSC 405 or ATM 405.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 407. Weather Analysis. 4 Credit Hours.
Three-dimensional analysis of synoptic-scale weather systems; application of the fundamental laws of atmospheric dynamics to observed weather patterns; practical questions of worldwide data exchange and display.
Prerequisite: ATM 305 or MSC 305.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 409. Cloud Physics, Radiation, and Remote Sensing. 3 Credit Hours.
Atmospheric radiation; absorption and scattering principles of remote sensing of the atmosphere; cloud microphysics; nucleation, coalescence, ice crystal growth, atmospheric electricity and lightning.
Prerequisite: ATM 305.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
ATM 411. Research in Atmospheric Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual, independent research projects with faculty supervision. A formal written report is required that satisfies signed contract with faculty supervisor.
Requisite: Junior or Senior Standing.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ATM 412. Undergraduate Thesis in Atmospheric Science. 1 Credit Hour.
Students will write a formal thesis summarizing the results of independent research carried out under faculty supervision.
ATM 411 AND Senior Standing.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ATM 511. Geophysical Fluid Dynamics I. 3 Credit Hours.
The basic equations of state, continuity, and motion. Topics include wave motions, group velocity, theory of stratified fluids and internal waves turbulence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 532. Broadcast Meteorology. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will learn the proper techniques involved in preparing and presenting a complete and professional weathercast with a heavy emphasis on communication skills, computer graphics, and on-camera delivery.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ATM 533. Atmospheric Boundary Layer. 3 Credit Hours.
The boundary layer is the lowest 1-2 km of the atmosphere, where we live. It is necessary to understand boundary layer processes to pursue research in clouds and radiation, weather and climate, air/sea/land interaction, and chemistry of the lower atmosphere. In this course, students will learn the basic physical concepts, from observational, theoretical and modeling perspectives.
Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ATM 534. Introduction to Atmospheric Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the basic principles of atmospheric chemistry. Concepts taught will include gas phase reactions, the production and destruction of ozone, aerosol size and composition.
Requisite: Senior Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ATM 536. Hurricanes. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is intended to provide a broad overview of tropical cyclones, starting from the basic structure, dynamics and thermodynamics, then expanding through to observations, modeling, forecasting and impacts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ATM 537. Natural Hazards: Atmosphere and Ocean. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide students with an understanding of natural hazards in both the atmosphere and ocean. In the atmosphere, we will explore both weather events such as storms and hurricanes and tornadoes as well as longer term phenomena such as monsoons and excess rainfall in the tropics. Oceanographically, the course will address hazards such as storm surge and flooding, rogue waves, rip currents, and tsunamis that occur on short time scales as well as the longer terms effects such as sea level rise and the impacts of El Niño and La Niña oceanographic conditions on weather conditions. Thus, the course focus is on hazards and their impacts around the globe.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
ATM 553. Climate Change. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of the physical processes which regulate the earth's climate and response to forcing.
1 year of Calculus 1 year Physics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 554. Climate Variability. 3 Credit Hours.
This class will cover the physical mechanisms that govern the earth's climate and climate variability. It is intended for beginning graduate students in marine and atmospheric science, and upper-level undergraduate physical science students.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ATM 562. Advanced Weather Forecasting. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will learn the skills needed in researching and preparing a professional weather forecast. There is a plethora of forecast resources available online. Students will learn about using these forecast resources and share resources of their own. Specifically, we will cover topics such as the basics of atmospheric meteorology, large and small scale weather forecasting, operational weather forecasting, tropical weather, severe weather, nor'easters, lake effect snow, oscillations and various other weather phenomena. During the course of the semester a couple of Guest speakers in various parts of the field will visit to discuss relevant topics.
Prerequisite: ATM 243 and ATM 305 and ATM 405.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 563. Mesoscale Meteorology and Severe Storms. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include the structure and dynamics of clouds, thunderstorms, and mesoscale convective systems, radar and satellite observations of clouds and precipitation, severe storm forecasting, mesoscale disturbances, frontal and orographic clouds, and precipitation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ATM 581. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics related to Atmospheric Sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ATM 582. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics related to Atmospheric Sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ATM 583. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics related to Atmospheric Sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ATM 584. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics related to Atmospheric Sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ATM 585. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics related to Atmospheric Sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
ATM 611. Geophysical Fluid Dynamics I. 3 Credit Hours.
The basic equations of state, continuity, and motion. Topics include wave motions, group velocity, theory of stratified fluids and internal waves and turbulence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 614. Introduction to Weather and Climate. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will cover the structure, physics, dynamics and thermodynamics of the atmosphere; including weather analysis, weather forecasting, climate and climate change. Contemporary topics covered in this class will include global warming, the ozone hole, hurricanes, thunderstorms and other severe weather phenomena.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 624. Applied Data Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
The course is intended to jump-start students in strategies for fruitful computer interaction practices for careers in MPO areas of science. Academic topics include key concepts in probability & statistics, issues of graphical evidence and inference, linear models and regression, spectral analysis, and matrix decomposition. Practical topics include hands-on exercises in data analysis and the sharing of code+results and interpretation. Students do projects on data from their research or interests.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ATM 632. Broadcast Meteorology. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will learn the proper techniques involved in preparing and presenting a complete and professional weathercast with a heavy emphasis on communication skills, computer graphics, and on-camera delivery.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ATM 633. Atmospheric Boundary Layer. 3 Credit Hours.
The boundary layer is the lowest 1-2 km of the atmosphere, where we live. It is necessary to understand boundary layer processes to pursue research in clouds and radiation, weather and climate, air/sea/land interaction, and chemistry of the lower atmosphere. In this course, students will learn the basic physical concepts, from observational, theoretical and modeling perspectives.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ATM 634. Introduction to Atmospheric Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the basic principles of atmospheric chemistry. Concepts taught will include gas phase reactions, the production and destruction of ozone, aerosol size and composition.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ATM 636. Hurricanes. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is intended to provide a broad overview of tropical cyclones, starting from the basic structure, dynamics and thermodynamics, then expanding through to observations, modeling, forecasting and impacts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ATM 637. Natural Hazards: Atmosphere and Ocean. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide students with an understanding of natural hazards in both the atmosphere and ocean. In the atmosphere, we will explore both weather events such as storms and hurricanes and tornadoes as well as longer term phenomena such as monsoons and excess rainfall in the tropics. Oceanographically, the course will address hazards such as storm surge and flooding, rogue waves, rip currents, and tsunamis that occur on short time scales as well as the longer terms effects such as sea level rise and the impacts of El Niño and La Niña oceanographic conditions on weather conditions. Thus, the course focus is on hazards and their impacts around the globe.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
ATM 651. Introduction to Atmospheric Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course surveys the dynamics of atmospheric flow and the physically-grounded description and depiction of weather phenomena. It is intended to serve as core preparation for incoming PhD students whose research will be dynamical, while also serving as an accessible overview for students in other subdisciplines. For these reasons, it stresses phenomena and the essentials of our physical discourses about them (emphasizing useful approximations and lucid treatments), with enough exposure to the underlying full-complexity fundamentals to facilitate more advanced study in the future.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 652. Introduction to Atmospheric Physics. 3 Credit Hours.
The goal of this class is to develop an understanding of the fundamental physical processes governing cloud behavior and atmospheric radiative transfer, including atmospheric thermodynamics. The class will focus on processes with temporal scales of one day or less, and spatial scales of 1km or less, and will recognize the links to weather and climate, or through the student presentations. Students will learn about: cloud formation, lifetime, and dissipation, and how clouds interact with the aerosol, thermodynamic, and dynamic environments; about how clouds and clear skies interact with sunlight and infrared. This course is split into two sections: the first half will cover thermodynamics and cloud physics, and the second half will cover atmospheric radiation. Guest lectures by advanced graduate students and postdoctoral research associates will introduce students to current research areas.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 653. Climate Change. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of the physical processes which regulate the earth's climate and response to forcing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 654. Climate Variability. 3 Credit Hours.
This class will cover the physical mechanisms that govern the earth's climate and climate variability. It is intended for beginning graduate students in marine and atmospheric science, and upper-level undergraduate physical science students.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ATM 660. Tropospheric Chemistry I. 3 Credit Hours.
Process-Oriented lower atmospheric chemistry. Topics include photochemical oxidant formation, nighttime chemistry, air-sea exchange, cloud droplet and aerosol reactions, physical properties of aerosols, and transport properties of the troposphere.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ATM 662. Advanced Weather Forecasting. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will learn the skills needed in researching and preparing a professional weather forecast. There is a plethora of forecast resources available online. Students will learn about using these forecast resources and share resources of their own. Specifically, we will cover topics such as the basics of atmospheric meteorology, large and small scale weather forecasting, operational weather forecasting, tropical weather, severe weather, nor’easters, lake effect snow, oscillations and various other weather phenomena. During the course of the semester a couple of Guest speakers in various parts of the field will visit to discuss relevant topics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 663. Mesoscale Meteorology and Severe Storms. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include the structure and dynamics of clouds, thunderstorms, and mesoscale convective systems, radar and satellite observations of clouds and precipitation, severe storm forecasting, mesoscale disturbances, frontal and orographic clouds, and precipitation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ATM 681. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics related to Atmospheric Sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
ATM 682. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics related to Atmospheric Sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ATM 683. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, special projects or directed readings in special topics related to Atmospheric Sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ATM 684. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, special projects or directed readings in special topics related to Atmospheric Sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ATM 685. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics related to Atmospheric Sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ATM 701. Seminar in Atmospheric Sciences. 1 Credit Hour.
Oral presentation of research and special topics by students, faculty, and visiting scientists.
Components: SEM.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ATM 711. Geophysical Fluid Dynamics II. 3 Credit Hours.
The focus of this course is on the effects of stratification, on time variable phenomena, and on the interaction between large-scale circulation and mesoscale eddies. Course topics include quasi geostrophic scale analysis, Rossby waves, barotropic and baroclinic instability, wave-mean flow interaction and non-geostrophic waves.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ATM 713. Predictability. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to concepts of predictability and error growth, beginning from the seminal papers of Ed Lorenz, and expanding into state estimation, data assimilation, forecast sensitivity and ensemble prediction.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ATM 716. Lagrangian Fluid Dynamics and Predictability. 3 Credit Hours.
The ash cloud produced by the eruption of Eyjafjallajökull in Iceland, the oil spill produced by the explosion of the Deepwater Horizon drilling rig in the Gulf of Mexico, and release of debris and radioactive contamination into the Pacific Ocean after the Fukushima nuclear reactor was hit by the Tohoku tsunami, are examples of events that have caused considerable impact to the environment. They all represent problems in Lagrangian ocean or atmospheric dynamics in which predicting where the material released into the environment will be transported by the ocean currents or winds is critical. A common approach to predict the outcome of an event like the above is to run an ocean or atmosphere circulation model simulations and then integrate the resulting velocity fields from a given release location to predict pollutant trajectories. An important drawback of such an approach is that the predictions are highly sensitive to small changes in the release time and location. Attempts to cope with the sensitivity to initial conditions include running several different models for the same scenario, but this typically leads to even larger distributions of advected tracers, hiding the key organizing structures of the flow. Improved understanding and forecasting requires novel notions and techniques capable of casting light on why material is transported the way it is by a given flow. The goal of this course is acquaint the student with a series of recent developments originated at the interface of nonlinear dynamics and fluid dynamics that have led to a number of novel such notions and techniques.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ATM 731. Air-Sea Interaction. 3 Credit Hours.
Oceanic and atmospheric mixed layers including fluxes of heat, momentum, moisture and salt between the ocean and atmosphere; vertical distribution of energy sources and sinks at the interface including the importance of surface currents; forced upper ocean dynamics, the role of surface waves on the air-sea exchange processes and ocean mixed layer processes.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 732. Climate Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic understanding of the Earth's Climate System and its variability on time scales ranging from weeks to millennia. Topics include internal atmospheric variability, coupled ocean-atmosphere interactions, and the theory, observations and modeling of climate change.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ATM 750. Reaction Kinetics and Molecular Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
Theories and experimental techniques for studying kinetics in the gas-phase, association, unimolecular and bimolecular reactions, chain reactions, flames, statistical theories, potential energy surfaces, collision dynamics, kinetics in solution and the solid-state, experimental methods, diffusion-controlled processes, transition state theory, thermal decomposition, and nucleation are discussed.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ATM 761. Atmospheric Chemistry II. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced atmospheric chemistry.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 762. Computer Models in Fluid Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include numerical techniques of dealing with dynamic problems in meteorology and oceanography. Dynamic prediction models, initial data conditioning, computational stability, and error estimates are also included.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 764. Atmospheric and Oceanic Turbulence. 3 Credit Hours.
Structure and dynamics of planetary boundary layers, turbulent transport processes, Fickian and statistical theories of turbulence, influence of stratification, and rotation on turbulent motion are discussed.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 765. General Circulation of the Atmosphere. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include structure and behavior of planetary scale motions, energy, momentum, and moisture budgets of the general circulation, and models of the general circulation and climatic change.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ATM 767. Spectral and Finite Element Methods in Computational Fluid Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
The simulation of fluid flows in geometrically complex domains (like ocean basins) and/or with high fidelity requires the adoption of new discretization techniques that can simultaneously handle the complicated geometry and permit high accuracy solution. The finite element method has traditionally been used to tackle the geometric complexity while spectral methods have been developed to handle high accuracy in simple geometries. Here we present an approach to handle both complexity within a single framework, namely the spectral element method. The course starts by describing the weak formulation common to all finite element methods which, by design, are geometrically flexible. The second part of the course describe how high order polynomial can be implemented within the finite element framework to achieve high accuracy rates.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ATM 768. ENSO Dynamics, Prediction, and Predictability. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide students with a comprehensive observational and mechanistic understanding of the El Nino and the Southern Oscillation (ENSO) phenomena and how ENSO impacts the natural variability of the global climate system. Topics will include: Observations and theories of the seasonal and interannual changes in the ocean circulation and temperature, and interactions with the atmosphere; equations of motion and theories of tropical ocean and atmosphere circulation; tropical wave dynamics; large scale air-sea coupling; mechanisms for ENSO: delayed oscillator theory, recharge oscillator theory, slow SST modes; ENSO prediction and predictability; ENSO-monsoon-Indian Ocean interactions; Global climate response to ENSO; decadal ENSO variability; ENSO in a changing climate. This course has a phenomenological focus, which complements current MPO course offerings. In particular, students who have taken dynamic and physical meteorology, ocean general circulation or geophysical fluid dynamics will be exposed to how general theory (e.g., wave dynamics) relates to particular phenomena and current research foci. In addition, student will have the opportunity to design and implement numerical hypothesis testing experiments.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ATM 772. Vortex Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will cover fundamental to advanced topics in vortex dynamics. A review of fluid dynamics and vorticity in two dimensions will be followed by studies of vortex dynamics in three-dimensional, incompressible flow and in three-dimensional, stratified flow.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ATM 774. Advanced Studies. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Supervised study of special interest to graduate students.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ATM 805. MPS Internship. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The MPS internship is an approved, supervised internship project with an organization engaged in activities associated with the student's degree track. The internship results in a collaborative project, written report, and oral presentation on a topic approved by the student's advisory committee. Up to 6 credits are necessary for graduation.
Components: PRA.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ATM 810. Master Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ATM 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor but not for less than a total of 12. Not more than 12 hours of ATM 830 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session. Where a student has passed his/her (a) qualifying examinations, and (b) is engaged in an assistantship, he/she may still take the maximum allowable credit stated above.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (BMB)

BMB 145. Introduction to BMB Research. 2 Credit Hours.
Students will collaborate on a research project and learn valuable laboratory skills. The goal for this course is to make students "research-ready" through an active, inquiry-based, platform for developing core competencies in biology, genetics, BMB (biochemistry & molecular biology), bioinformatics, scientific discourse and ethics.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
**BMB 245. Foundations in BMB Research. 2 Credit Hours.**
Students shadow a research assistant in the lab of a BMB faculty member and learn about the research projects and techniques used by the group. Students will assist in preparing reagents, conducting experiments, analyzing data and generating brief reports. Attendance in lab group meetings is expected. Students maintain a weekly online journal and will write a paper describing the research in the lab and proposing a research problem and approach to solve in BMB545.

Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**BMB 401. Biochemistry for the Biomedical Sciences. 4 Credit Hours.**
The biochemical composition, structure, and cellular metabolism of proteins, carbohydrates, lipids, and nucleic acids are rigorously described, emphasizing problem solving strategies required of biomedical field applications.
Prerequisite: CHM 201 or CHM 222. And with a grade of C- or higher.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**BMB 402. Principles of Experimental BMB. 2 Credit Hours.**
An active, inquiry-based, platform for developing core competencies in biochemistry & molecular biology, making students "research ready".
Corequisite or Prerequisite: BMB 401.

Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**BMB 411. Readings in BMB. 1 Credit Hour.**
Students read and discuss one BMB primary research article each week and answer a set of questions meant to provoke critical evaluation of the work. The course introduces students to critical reading of the primary literature in BMB and is open to students at any level. Peer-mentoring and informal student-led instruction is central to the course.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**BMB 417. Metabolic Regulation. 3 Credit Hours.**
Students will learn to formulate mechanisms of enzyme catalysis and inhibition. Next, students will learn how to plot and analyze enzyme kinetic and binding data. Data analysis will be extended to more complicated, but realistic scenarios, to more rigorously examine metabolic flux control points.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

**BMB 501. Senior Seminars. 1 Credit Hour.**
Students attend seminars of their own choice, presented by either visiting/residing faculty or graduate/postdoctoral students on recent research topics in BMB or any other discipline in the basic biomedical sciences. Students write short reports on these seminars and critically evaluate the presentations. This course can be taken more than once.
Prerequisite: BMB 401.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**BMB 506. Biomedical Case Studies. 1 Credit Hour.**
Students explore topics in BMB in the context of solving problems presented in a clinical/biomedical framework. Students work in small groups and independently to acquire, critically evaluate, synthesize and present information.
Corequisite or Prerequisite: BMB 401.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**BMB 507. Protein Structure, Function and Biology. 3 Credit Hours.**
The physical characteristics and behavior of proteins are described, including structure, folding, dynamics, modifications, and interactions. In addition, experimental approaches to protein structure and function are addressed. Readings include both textbook assignments and current research articles, and a term paper is written and submitted for writing credit.
Prerequisite: BMB 401.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
BMB 509. Molecular Biology of the Gene. 3 Credit Hours.
Biochemical processes involved in the flow of genetic information in both prokaryotes and eukaryotes are described, including DNA replication, repair, genetic recombination, RNA transcription and processing, protein synthesis, control of gene expression, cell differentiation, and recombinant DNA technology. Extensive classroom discussion is mandatory. Reading includes BMB primary research papers, course notes and a textbook. Prerequisite: BMB 401.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BMB 511. Topics in BMB. 3 Credit Hours.
Students independently explore the literature in BMB with guidance by a BMB Faculty mentor. BMB primary research literature in an area of mutual interest to the student and the Faculty mentor (usually a content expert in that area) is discussed. Students prepare a paper or other appropriate product (e.g. computer software, a structural model, a dynamic simulation) for evaluation. Writing credit is available for papers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BMB 514. Genetics and Genomics: Principles, Mechanisms, and Use. 3 Credit Hours.
The quantitative and analytical problem solving, as well as spatial reasoning in genetics. The course will propose genetic hypotheses, identify genetic predictions, create genetic systems for challenging these predictions, and analyze genetic data to solve practical problems. Prerequisite: BMB 401.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BMB 518. Nanomedicine. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will learn how various nanomaterials are synthesized, characterized, and utilized in various medical applications, including imaging, drug delivery, gene therapy, and tissue engineering. Student abilities to read and comprehend advanced research topics and applications in nanotechnology and applications to medicine will be considerably enhanced. Prerequisite: BMB 401.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BMB 519. Epigenetics and Nutrition. 3 Credit Hours.
How epigenetic mechanisms control gene expression and (ii) how epigenetic modifications are propagated. Then, students explore how such epigenetic control and inheritance can be modulated through diet and nutrition. Class participation and attendance are required, since in class discussion will be largely based on emerging and late-breaking topics from recent literature. Prerequisite: BMB 401.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BMB 545. Research Problems in BMB. 3-12 Credit Hours.
Participation in the research laboratory of a faculty mentor to work on an independent research project. Students develop abilities to formulate good questions and sound hypotheses, design practical experiments, collect and analyze useful data, and make justifiable conclusions. Students maintain a weekly online journal, write a paper, and present their research in the lab. Two semesters of BMB 545 are required to write a thesis (pre-requisite for graduating with honors in BMB).
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BMB 555. Cellular Structure, Function, and Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
Students learn composition and function of cellular organelles, and closely examine their biogenic and degradative pathways. Next, students learn cell signaling pathways and mechanisms controlling mitosis, meiosis, and cytokinesis that account for inherited traits. Studies of the molecular basis of cell-cell and cell-matrix interactions provide students with better understanding of tissue stability and function. Modern perspectives regarding stem and cancer cell biology are explored, along with new cell-based therapeutic strategies. Prerequisite: BMB 401.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
BMB 601. Research Journal Club. 1 Credit Hour.
All MS students must participate in the BMB Journal Club course. In this course, pre-doctoral trainees are required to critically review published paper(s) of their choice in the BMB topic area in Fall semester and present their research findings in Spring semester. The MS students will participate in this course and will write summary of the presentation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BMB 605. Principles of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is divided into three parts. Part 1, examine the biochemical composition and structure of the four basic types of biological macromolecules: (i) carbohydrates, (ii) nucleic acids, (iii) proteins, and (iv) lipids. In addition, students will learn the composition and function of dietary nutrients and vitamins. Part 2, study how genetic information flows from its storage as DNA sequence to its expression as functional RNA and protein molecules. A particular emphasis will be towards understanding control of gene expression by various epigenetic and signaling mechanisms. Part 3, learn how metabolic pathways are used to convert food molecules into energy and chemical intermediates used for biosynthesis of our own cellular materials.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BMB 610. Advanced Topics in Biochemistry and Molecular Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
This is a special-topics course for graduate students and advanced undergraduate students. This course will focus on nanotechnology and its applications in medicine. This course offers an introductory concept of an interdisciplinary field of nanotechnology for students with physical, chemical, biological, medical, and engineering background. This course will be focused on nanomaterials, engineering of nanomaterials, cellular and intracellular interactions of nanoparticles, nanotechnology-based drug delivery systems, nano-based diagnosis, nanotoxicology, and clinical translational aspects of nanomedicines. Unique properties, which are offered by the materials at the nanoscale, will be discussed. Nanotechnology in sensing and diagnostics will be discussed. The topics to be discussed are of considerable interest across a broad range of areas in medicine, chemistry, biology, physics, pharmacy, medicine, mathematics, and engineering.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BMB 612. Human Genetics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide the learner with greater knowledge and current understanding the human genome, the mechanisms by which variations and environmental factors contribute to human phenotypes. Examples of potential topics include chromosome aberrations, phenotype-genotype correlations, cytogenetics, multifactorial traits, population genetics, risk assessment, multi-generation Epigenetics, reprogramming and gene therapy. Importantly, students will learn the new developments in Epigenetics. Epigenetics is considered by many to be the "new genetics". The effects of epigenetics are vast, including tissue/organ regeneration, X-chromosome inactivation, and stem cell differentiation and genomic imprinting and aging. This course will discuss the overwhelming evidence of the contribution of non-genetic factors, such as nutrition, environment, and chemical exposure, on gene expression.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BMB 614. Molecular Genetics. 3 Credit Hours.
There are 4 major sub-disciplines of genetics. This course will focus on the first three and leave assessment of quantitative traits as needed for students work. The sub-disciplines include, 1. transmission genetics: basic principles of genetics and how traits are passed from one generation to the next. 2. Molecular genetics: the chemical nature of genes and genomes; how genetic information is encoded, replicated, and expressed. It includes the cellular processes of replication, transcription, and translation - by which genetic information is transferred from one molecule to another - and gene regulation - the processes that control the expression of genetic information. 3. population genetics: the genetic composition of groups of individual members of the same species and how that composition changes over time and geographic space, and 4. quantitative genetics: deals with phenotypes that vary continuously (in characters such as height or mass) – as opposed to discretely identifiable phenotypes and gene-products (such as eye color, or the presence of a particular biochemical).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BMB 615. Structural Biology and Applications to Drug Discovery (Masters). 2 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to structural biology and illustrates how understanding the relationship between structure and function of biological macromolecules drives drug discovery. The course will be in three parts, with the first covering experimental and computational tools of structural biology – X-ray crystallography, cryo-electron microscopy and molecular modeling. The second part of the course will look at examples where structural biology has influenced drug design. The final part of this course will look at structures of nucleic acid (DNA and RNA) binding proteins and how they inform drug discovery.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
BMB 617. Readings in Molecular Biology. 1 Credit Hour.
Discussion of classical papers in molecular biology beginning with the concept of the gene and continuing into modern studies. Format consists of student presentations and group discussions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BMB 618. Scientific Communications & Journal Review. 2 Credit Hours.
This course will train students in how to communicate science to different audiences. The lectures will focus on training students on how to make effective power point and poster presentations. Lectures will also guide on how to write manuscripts and grant applications. Training in data science as well as patents and inventions will be provided. Students will get understanding on academic career. Each student will prepare presentation on their research and will be guided by the instructor on how to improve it.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BMB 619. Epigenetic Control of Gene Expression. 4 Credit Hours.
This course will provide thorough understanding of Epigenetics and the interaction of nutrients and the epigenome. Epigenetics is considered by many to be the new genetics because of the overwhelming evidence of the contribution of non-genetic factors such as nutrition, environment, and chemical exposure on gene expression. The effects of epigenetics are vast, including tissue/organ regeneration, X-chromosome inactivation, and stem cell differentiation and genomic imprinting and aging. Aberrations of epigenetics influence many diseases for which clinical intervention is already in place, and many novel epigenetic therapies for cancer, immune disorders, neurological and metabolic disorders, and imprinting diseases are on the horizon.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BMB 630. Research in Biochemistry and Molecular Biology I. 1-9 Credit Hours.
This will form the most significant portion of the MS student’s degree program. Students will perform research with a mentor that they choose depending upon their research interest. A committee consisting of 3 faculty from the graduate program will be formed to evaluate student for the final oral comprehensive examination. The final oral exam will be scheduled in the last semester of the study. This oral comprehensive exam will involve the review of all experimental data and the entire presentation. During the examination, the mentor is responsible for allotting appropriate time for questions by all participants. Students are expected to understand the significance of their findings, display adequate knowledge of the relevant literature and know the theory and limitations of methods employed. Students must demonstrate the ability to independently design, execute and interpret original experiments. This group will make a decision to pass or fail a student’s oral comprehensive exam.
Components: RSC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BMB 631. Independent Studies in BMB Scientific Research. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The overall goal of the BMB research is to provide students with an opportunity for independent learning with exposure to scientific research. Special work, lecture, laboratory experience, or a combination of any of these, as determined by the student advisor in accord with the student’s individual scientific interest.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BMB 632. Internship in Biochemistry and Molecular Biology. 1-9 Credit Hours.
Through this course, students in the industrial track will participate in an internship in industry. The students’ mentor/course instructor will help in identifying internship opportunities for students and monitor their progress.
Components: FLD.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BMB 633. Capstone project in Biochemistry and Molecular Biology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course will help students learn how to prepare presentations as well as write reports and publications. Students will also learn about the latest advances in the biochemistry field and upcoming topics of interest to the field to help them prepare for their careers. Students will write a report-based on the industrial internship. They will also prepare a presentation about the work performed. The students’ mentor/course instructor will provide guidance as needed in writing the report and presentation.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
BMB 641. Essentials of Biotechniques I. 1 Credit Hour.
Students will be introduced to a variety of techniques used in biotechnology research. The course will be a combination of lectures and hands-on technique experience. The course will teach students both traditional and new techniques used in BMB.

Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BMB 642. Essentials of Biotechniques II. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will be introduced to a variety of techniques used in biotechnology research. The course will be a combination of lectures and hands-on technique experience. The course will teach students both traditional and new techniques used in BMB.

Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BMB 645. Research Problems in Biochemistry, Cell and Molecular Biology. 2-3 Credit Hours.
Laboratory research problems in various areas of biochemistry, cell biology, and molecular biology, including literature search, experimental design, data gathering, and evaluation of results. This course is the mechanism by which graduate laboratory rotations are done in preparation for selection of Ph.D. mentor.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BMB 680. Responsible Conduct of Research. 1 Credit Hour.
In this course, ethical case studies are discussed, and an introduction to laboratory management is provided. Short lectures and discussion are conducted to provide students with the ability to tackle dilemmas and pitfalls associated with the responsible conduct of research. Information is provided on regulatory requirements of conducting research, including safety issues and the use of humans, animals, and radioactive/bio hazardous material. The obligations of scientists with respect to public policy and advocacy are also discussed. In addition, students will participate in an online RCR training course (RST-401/501/601 sections) offered by the Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative (CITI) Program at UM. A CITI Program RCR course typically requires around 4 hours to complete. These students receive an “S” (satisfactory) grade for a CITI RCR course after the completion of the online module. This online training course will serve as yearly continuation of RCR training after completion of the Research Ethics course. Additionally, every semester faculty in the department present a seminar related to topics in research ethics. Students also attend an online training in RCR. Several professional skills workshop such as grant writing workshop, career workshops, and seminars by professional scientists related to career are organized by the BMB department as well as the Office of Graduate studies. Students will attend these series of events.

Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BMB 701. Research Journal Club. 1 Credit Hour.
All registered BMB students must participate in the Journal Club/Seminar. Students are required to critically review published paper(s) of their choice and describe in detail the findings described therein. Senior students will present their own research.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BMB 702. Biochemical Science Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
The Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (BMB) department has an active seminar program that meets on every Friday at noon. In this program seminars are presented by the BMB faculty (primary and secondary), invited speakers within the University of Miami and from other universities, government agencies, and industry. All BMB Graduate Students enrolled in this course will be required to attend this seminar and and will have informal interactions with speaker, and exchange ideas at lunch on the seminar day.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BMB 705. Principles of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is divided into three parts. In Part 1, you will examine the biochemical composition and structure of the four basic types of biological macromolecules: (i) carbohydrates, (ii) nucleic acids, (iii) proteins, and (iv) lipids. In addition, you will learn the composition and function of dietary nutrients and vitamins. Most important, you will be introduced to nature’s catalytic substances termed “enzymes”, paying special attention to their mechanisms of action and regulation. In Part 2, you will study how genetic information flows from its storage as DNA sequence to its expression as functional RNA and protein molecules. Here, you will give particular emphasis towards understanding control of gene expression by various epigenetic and signaling mechanisms. In Part 3, you will learn how metabolic pathways are used to convert food molecules into energy and chemical intermediates used for biosynthesis of our own cellular materials. You are expected to finish this course with rigorous understanding of the biochemical composition, structure, and cellular metabolism of proteins, carbohydrates, lipids, and nucleic acids. This will enable you to read and understand advancing topics and applications in a vast array of biomedical specialties.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BMB 709. Advanced Biochemistry and Molecular Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is a continuation course for BMB 616. It covers essentially the same topics as BMB 616 but at a more advanced level. It brings the student to the forefront of research in Molecular Biology. The course material is discussed exclusively in the form of original research papers. Based on this experience, students are required to propose experimental approaches to biological problems and defend them.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BMB 710. Advanced Topics in Biochemistry and Molecular Biology. 1-5 Credit Hours.
This course is offered by various faculty members in the department on a rotating basis depending upon their expertise. For example, an advanced topic course in Nanomedicine offered by Dr. Deo and Dr. Dhar covers these topics through lectures.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BMB 711. Best Practices in BMB Instruction. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Graduate students in the basic sciences will explore different approaches to science course development, implementation and assessment. This includes identifying gaps in the curriculum, creating classroom structure that reflects the content and execution of classroom activities, identifying and gathering appropriate material from the primary research literature, instructing undergraduates in how to become highly interactive self-directed learners, providing formative feedback to improve student achievement throughout a course, proper design and implementation of assessment tools, student communication, classroom management and ethics.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BMB 712. Human Genetics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide the learner with greater knowledge and current understanding the human genome, the mechanisms by which variations and environmental factors contribute to human phenotypes. Examples of potential topics include chromosome aberrations, phenotype-genotype correlations, cytogenetics, multifactorial traits, population genetics, risk assessment, multi-generation Epigenetics, reprogramming and gene therapy. Importantly, students will learn the new developments in Epigenetics. Epigenetics is considered by many to be the "new genetics". The effects of epigenetics are vast, including tissue/organ regeneration, X-chromosome inactivation, and stem cell differentiation and genomic imprinting and aging. This course will discuss the overwhelming evidence of the contribution of non-genetic factors, such as nutrition, environment, and chemical exposure, on gene expression.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BMB 714. Molecular Genetics. 4 Credit Hours.
This course deals with mechanisms and fundamental concepts of genetic inheritance. The first part of the course is devoted to the genetics of bacteria and bacteriophages. Topics include genetic implementation, recombination, suppression, transposition, conjugation, transformation, transduction, and regulation of prokaryotic gene expression. The second part of the course covers selected topics in eukaryotic genetics (including molecular genetics of yeast, mitochondria, Drosophila, mice and humans). Problem solving is emphasized in homework and exams. The objective of the course is to provide students with an appreciation of the value of molecular genetics as a tool they can use to solve a wide variety of problems in bio-medical research.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
BMB 715. Structural Biology and Applications to Drug Discovery. 2 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the relationships between structure and function in biological macromolecules, and how this knowledge has led to the
discoveries of new drugs.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BMB 716. Bioinformatics of Gene Regulation and Protein Function. 3 Credit Hours.
Among the skills required to become a successful interdisciplinary life scientist is the ability to navigate biological databases to better understand
gene and protein function. Genome sequences contain the signals that guide differential gene expression and encode structural RNAs, regulatory
RNAs and proteins. This course will introduce the tools, databases and evolutionary considerations that help us understand the regulation of
gene expression and predict protein function. The biochemical and regulatory functions encoded in genomic DNA sequences will be explored
using bioinformatics techniques including gene finding, BLAST searches, PubMed searches, high-throughput dataset mining, multiple alignments,
phylogenetic analysis, identification of conserved functional domains and motifs, assessment of protein-protein and protein-ligand interactions, gene
context and co-occurrence analysis, secondary and tertiary structural analysis, metabolic and cellular modeling, and phenotypic analysis. The
databases, tools and tutorials available at websites developed by the National Center for Biotechnology Information, EMBL-EBI, the Protein Data Bank,
and others will be used as supporting course materials. Each week will have a set of online videos and instructions to complete before the weekly live
lecture. The live lecture consist of a one hour slide presentation and one half-hour of Q&A discussions. Competency in bioinformatics will be assessed
by a midterm and a final exam.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BMB 717. Nutrients, Enzymes, and Metabolic Flux. 3 Credit Hours.
Students learn how macronutrients (carbohydrates, protein, and lipids) and (ii) micronutrients (vitamins and minerals) are obtained in the diet,
digested, absorbed, and assimilated. Then, students learn to formulate mechanisms of enzyme catalysis and inhibition. Such analytical skills are
then used to more rigorously examine enzymes that control specific points of metabolic flux. Students finish this course with thorough mechanistic
understanding of (i) macronutrient composition, intake, and energy production and (ii) requirements of micronutrients and hormones in controlling
metabolic balance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BMB 718. Scientific Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will train students in how to communicate science to different audiences. The lectures will focus on training students on how to make
effective power point and poster presentations. Lectures will also guide on how to write manuscripts and grant applications. Training in data science
as well as patents and inventions will be provided. Students will get understanding on academic career. Each student will prepare presentation on their
research and will be guided by the instructor on how to improve it.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BMB 719. Fundamentals of Epigenetics. 3 Credit Hours.
The influence of nutrition on gene expression through modification of DNA and proteins in chromatin is described (i.e., epigenetics). Also, genetic
variants, as well as the influence of bacterial flora of the digestive tract, are considered with respect to abilities to metabolize various dietary
components. Students learn how to gather information about course topics and present their findings
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BMB 720. Research in Residence. 0 Credit Hours.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master’s degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in
BMB 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BMB 731. Special Work. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Special work, lecture, or laboratory or a combination of these, as determined by advisor in accord with student's individual interest.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
BMB 810. Master’s Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for this credit. In most departments not to exceed six credits, as determined by his/her advisor.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BMB 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor but not for less than a total of 24. Not more than 12 hours of BMB 730 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session. Where a student has passed his/her (a) qualifying examinations, and (b) is engaged in an assistantship, he/she may still take the maximum allowable credit stated above.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BMB 840. Doctoral Dissertation- Post Candidacy. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required for all PhD candidates. The student will enroll for credits as determined by the Office of Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.
Components: DIL.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BMB 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THE.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Biology (BIL)

BIL 101. Introductory Biological Science. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to life sciences for the non-major. Students with credit in BIL 150 may NOT take this course to fulfill the natural science requirement. Not for credit in the biology major or minor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BIL 102. Humans and Biotechnology. 3 Credit Hours.
Major aspects of the biotechnology field for non-science majors. Students will learn about genetically modified organisms, biofuels from algae, detergents with enzymes, bacteria that eat oil, pigs that appear green, and much more. Not for credit in the biology major or minor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 103. Introduction to Ecology. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of ecological and evolutionary principles; relationships of organisms to living and non-living aspects of the environment; human impact on ecosystems. Not for credit in the biology major or minor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 104. Genetics and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
Genetics for non-science majors. The basics of DNA, genes, gene function, genomes and inheritance. Application of genetics to real-world issues, both personal and societal, from the history of life to challenges and opportunities we face in the modern times at the molecular level.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 105. Biology of Plants. 3 Credit Hours.
Evolution and diversity of the plant kingdom; economic and cultural importance of plants to humans. Not for credit in the biology major or minor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BIL 106. Biology of Animals. 3 Credit Hours.
Evolution and diversity of the animal kingdom and the relationship between humans and other animals. Not for credit in the biology major or minor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 107. Introduction to Evolution. 3 Credit Hours.
Processes and mechanisms of evolution. A scientific approach to the study of evolution by natural selection, concepts of fitness and adaptation, genetic and developmental bases of evolutionary change, how new species arise, major trends in evolution, extinction and human evolution. Not for credit in the biology major or minor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 108. Molecular Journey to Being Human. 3 Credit Hours.
With a focus on the human species, students will explore the nature of DNA and proteins, the origin of life, RNA World hypothesis, the origins of human ancestors and modern humans, the recently-completed Human Genome Project, the genetic basis human diversity, and the ethics of using genetic knowledge to improve the quality of human life.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 109. Human Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
Structure and function of the human body, and the relationship of our species to its environment and other species. Not for credit in the biology major or minor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BIL 112. Human Hereditary Disease. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of genetics, emphasizing human traits and disorders and their effects on individuals, families, and society. Discover the beauty of human nature, and our knowledge of it, as you develop an understanding of human genetics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 113. General Biology Honors Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
Special topics in biology correlated with BIL 150.
Corequisite: BIL 150.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 114. General Biology Honors Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
Special topics in biology correlated with BIL 160.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BIL 116. Introduction to Cancer Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic concepts in cancer biology, including tumor cell proliferation, prevention and therapy (chemotherapy, radiation and immunotherapy). Discussions on lab diagnostic techniques such as DNA cell cycle, proliferation analysis, hormone and tumor marker receptor expression. Impact of research findings on the management and treatment of cancer. Not for credit in the biology major or minor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 117. Introduction to Animal Behavior. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the scientific study of how and why animals interact with each other and with their environment. Ecological, physiological, and evolutionary approaches to understanding the diversity of behaviors including neurobiology, learning, mating systems, cooperation, communication, habitat selection, and personalities. Not for credit in the biology major or minor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BIL 118. Introduction to Human Ecology. 3 Credit Hours.
An exploration of the interface between human biology and the science of ecology. Ecology is the branch of biology that studies the interactions of organisms with their environments, and our human species may have the most complex interactions of any species on Earth. Human Ecology will explore the evolutionary past, the economic present, and our imagined future, focusing on the life-support services that humans obtain from ecosystems and our increasingly powerful effects on those ecosystems. Not for credit in the biology major or minor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 120. Tree of Life: Introduction to Biodiversity. 3 Credit Hours.
An exploration of the diversity and evolution of life on Earth, including case studies drawn from throughout the Tree of Life that represent the thrilling and surprising ways in which species have evolved to survive, reproduce, and interact. Not for credit in the biology major or minor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 149. First Year Information. 0-1 Credit Hours.
First year seminar for incoming Biology majors. Facilitation and encouragement of development of critical thinking skills, proficiency in oral and written expression, and an ability to solve problems by integrating knowledge from different disciplines in Biology.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 150. General Biology. 4 Credit Hours.
Principles of biology at the cellular, genetic, and organismal levels of organization. Cell structure and function, energy transduction, biological information transfer, genetics, physiology.
Pre/Corequisite: ENG 105 Or ENG 106 Or ENG 107 Or AP ENG COMP =>5 Or SAT Verbal 700 or higher Evidence Base Read and Write Or 32 or higher ACT ENG And ALEKS MTH=>55 Or AP Cal AB score =>3 Or AP Cal BC score=>3 Or SAT MTH Sect Score =>600 Or ACT MTH=>25.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BIL 151. General Biology Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
A laboratory approach to applying the scientific method. Experimental design and hypothesis testing at the cellular and molecular level.
Corequisite: BIL 150.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

BIL 152. HHMI General Biology Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory exercises to accompany BIL 150. Students teams engage in two inquiry-based laboratory research projects, each lasting six weeks, per semester.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 153. Introductory Biology/Chemistry Laboratory I. 1 Credit Hour.
Integrated biology and chemistry laboratory exercises for first year students.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 160. Evolution and Biodiversity. 4 Credit Hours.
Evolution and ecology of life on Earth. Systematics, biodiversity, evolutionary theory and mechanisms, with emphasis on the morphological, ecological, and behavioral adaptations of the diversity of life.
Prerequisite: BIL 150.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BIL 161. Evolution and Biodiversity Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
A laboratory approach to applying the scientific method. Experimental design and hypothesis testing at the organismal and ecological level.
Corequisite: BIL 160.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.
BIL 162. HHMI Evolution and Biodiversity Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory exercises to accompany BIL 160. Student teams engage in two inquiry-based laboratory research projects, each lasting six weeks, per semester.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BIL 163. Introductory Biology/Chemistry Laboratory II. 1 Credit Hour.
Integrated biology and chemistry laboratory exercises for first year students.
Corequisite: BIL 160 and CHM 112 or CHM 221.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 190. Studies in Biology. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Special topics taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

BIL 194. Studies in Biology. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Special topics taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

BIL 195. Studies in Biology. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Special topics taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

BIL 213. HIV and Emerging Diseases: Sex, Science, and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
The importance and value of science in ameliorating human suffering. Students will hear from virologists, immunologists, cell biologists, behavioral scientists, primary care physicians, health care providers, drug discoverers, policy makers, vaccinologists, and HIV-infected individuals aiming to inspire and encourage students to be enthusiastic about science and scientific research on emerging diseases.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 151 or BIL 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 220. Evolution and Disease. 3 Credit Hours.
Evolutionary perspectives on genetic disorders, cancer, virulence, drug resistance and diet. The role of biodiversity in understanding pathogens and parasites, emerging disease, natural products and drug discovery. How diseases have shaped human evolution.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 160.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BIL 222. Plant Diversity. 3 Credit Hours.
The diversity and evolution of seed plants, the most important plants on land that shape our physical environment, affect climate, and provide humans with food, medicines, and materials important in all aspects of our lives. Survey of major lineages of Gymnosperms and Angiosperms, their evolutionary history, adaptations to life on land, reproductive biology, ecology, and economic benefits. Techniques for the collection of plant specimens from the field, and their preparation and identification for museum collections.
Prerequisite: BIL150 and BIL160 Or Consent of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 223. Plants and People. 3 Credit Hours.
A multi-disciplinary survey of ethnobotany and economic botany, emphasizing the ecosystem services that plants provide to humans.
Prerequisite: BIL150 and BIL160 Or Consent of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
BIL 226. General Botany. 3 Credit Hours.  
Survey of the plant kingdom, including evolution, plant diversity, reproduction, structure, function and ecology.  
Prerequisite: BIL150 and BIL160 Or Consent of Instructor.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.

BIL 227. General Botany Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.  
Laboratory exercises to accompany BIL 226.  
Pre/Corequisite: BIL 223 or BIL 226 Or Consent of Instructor.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 228. Medical Botany. 3 Credit Hours.  
History of medical botany, approaches to health by different cultures, seperation and identification of secondary compounds and mechanisms of action. Molecular and physiological action of different secondary compounds in the treatment of common western ailments. In vivo identification of local medicinal plants.  
Prerequisite: BIL150 and BIL151 AND BIL160 and BIL161 for Biology Majors or Minors.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 230. Introduction to Marine Biology. 3 Credit Hours.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 231. Introduction to Marine Biology Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.  
Experimental laboratory exploring ecology, physiology and behavior of marine organisms in southern Florida marine habitats. Exercises cover laboratory techniques in behavior, functional morphology, productivity, fisheries research, osmoregulation and community ecology.  
Pre/Corequisite: BIL 230.  
Components: LAB.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 244. Hormones and Behavior. 3 Credit Hours.  
A comparative approach to the relationship between hormonal mechanisms and behavior in both animal model systems and humans. An introduction to the endocrine system, sex differences in behavior, parental behavior, hormones and social behavior, learning and memory, stress and affective disorders, interactions between brain, hormones and behavior from a historical perspective viewing the emergence of key theories.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 250. Genetics. 3 Credit Hours.  
The nature, organization, replication, expression, and evolution of the genetic materials.  
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 160. BIL 151 or BIL 152 or BIL 153. BIL 161 or BIL 162 or BIL 163.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BIL 251. Genetics Laboratory. 2 Credit Hours.  
Laboratory exercises in genetics.  
Pre/Corequisite: BIL 250.  
Components: LAB.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 255. Cellular and Molecular Biology. 3 Credit Hours.  
Structure, molecules, and functions of cells.  
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 160. BIL 151 or BIL 152 or BIL 153. BIL 161 or BIL 162 or BIL 163.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
BIL 256. Cellular and Molecular Biology Laboratory. 2 Credit Hours.
Laboratory exercises in cellular and molecular biology involving current research techniques and applications.
Pre/Corequisite: BIL 255 Or BIL 559.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BIL 258. Core Laboratory Techniques. 2 Credit Hours.
Conceptual and applied "methods" course in modern analytical techniques. It will expose students to the Department of Biology's three best-developed core laboratory facilities for imaging, molecular biology, and element analysis.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 261. High Altitude Biology and Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
Mechanisms of hypoxia resistance influencing the requirement to match oxygen supply and demand throughout the oxygen cascade. Topics drawn from genomics, integrated physiology, population genetics, biochemistry, gene expression, evolution, and alpine medicine. Taxonomic examples from the literature will include humans, other mammals, birds, reptiles, amphibians, and fish.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 267. Science Documentary: Autism. 3 Credit Hours.
This course brings together students in both science and communication to collaborate on content intended to reach audiences on multiple platforms. Students will be exposed to both history and cutting edge research surrounding Autism Spectrum Disorders. Students will connect with people in the local community, and collaborate on short documentary films as well as audio exercises.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 268. Neurobiology. 3 Credit Hours.
Neurons, organization of the nervous system, electrical properties of neurons, neurotransmitters, receptors, synaptic transmission, sensory and motor system, and complex brain functions.
Prerequisite: BIL 150.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 280. Writing in Biology. 0 Credit Hours.
Writing instruction by faculty using biological topics in BIL courses offered at the 200 level.
Components: IND.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 281. Undergraduate Learning Internship in Biology. 1 Credit Hour.
Undergraduate Learning Intern in Biology Students serve as peer mentors in a laboratory setting, assisting a graduate laboratory instructor in teaching basic biological concepts to first year undergraduates in BIL 151 and BIL 161.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 284. Special Laboratory Topics in Biology. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Topics relevant to the biological sciences, listed as subtitle. May be combined/co-listed with other departments or programs.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 151 and BIL 160.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 285. Special Topics in Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics relevant to the biological sciences, co-listed with other departments or programs.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BIL 286. Clinical Medicine I. 3 Credit Hours.
Bi-weekly clinical rotations with physicians at Miller School of Medicine and simulation labs at the Gordon Center.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 160 AND CHM 111 or 121 AND CHM 113 and CHM 112 or CHM 221 AND CHM 114.
Components: PRA.
Grading: SUS.

BIL 287. Clinical Medicine II. 3 Credit Hours.
A continuation of Clinical Medicine I; bi-weekly clinical rotations with physicians at Miller School of Medicine and simulation labs at the Gordon Center.
Prerequisite: BIL 286.
Components: PRA.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BIL 299. Seminar in Research Problems. 1 Credit Hour.
Discussion of current research of the Biology Faculty.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 151 or BIL 152 or BIL 153 and BIL 160 or BIL 161 or BIL 162 or BIL 163.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 315. Marine Biota and Biogeochemical Cycles. 3 Credit Hours.
The diverse sources, transformations, and sinks of chemical constituents in the sea; distribution of dissolved and particulate materials in the sea. Role of marine organisms in marine biogeochemical cycling and the marine carbon cycle and its interaction with the terrestrial biosphere and atmosphere.
Prerequisite: MSC 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BIL 316. Global Primary Production. 3 Credit Hours.
Photosynthesis supports the vast majority of life on planet earth. Although terrestrial and aquatic photoautotrophs share the same basic photosynthetic mechanisms, the physical environment and the fate of primary product on differ on land versus in the sea. This course reviews the magnitude and processes that shape primary production in terrestrial, oceanic, and freshwater habitats. It includes the fate of primary production in the earth's biomes, and the role of terrestrial and aquatic productivity in regulating, and responding to, variable climate.
Prerequisite: BIL 160.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 320. Evolutionary Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
Microevolution, including mutation, genetic variation, natural selection, genetic drift, gene flow, and nonrandom mating. Evolutionary insights into behavior, including kin selection, sexual selection, and evolutionary game theory. Theories on the origins of life on Earth, its diversification and history. Human evolution, creationism, and the current extinction crisis.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 160.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 321. Invertebrate Zoology. 4 Credit Hours.
Biology of invertebrates, with emphasis on tropical and subtropical marine forms. Field work and combined lecture-laboratory sessions.
Prerequisite: BIL 250 or BIL 255.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 324. The Biology of Fishes. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics on the ecology and physiology of fishes. Lectures on reproduction, respiration, osmoregulation, sense systems, hormonal control.
Prerequisite: BIL 255 and BIL 360.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BIL 328. Biology of Birds. 4 Credit Hours.
General biology of birds. Lectures emphasizing avian behavior, evolution, ecology, and conservation. Field trips and laboratory emphasizing identification and systematics of South Florida birds. Lecture 3 hours, Laboratory one hour. Six weekend field trips, 6 hours each.
Prerequisite: At least one BIL course at the 200-level.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BIL 329. Marine Vertebrate Zoology. 3 Credit Hours.
The form and function of the vertebrate lineage of marine animals from early chordates to the evolution of cartilaginous and bony fish and the emergence of tetrapods, those that evolved from marine ancestors and have since returned to the seas. A comparative point of view will be used to assess the anatomy and physiology of each taxonomic group as well as behavioral and ecological adaptations related to their life history. Topics will include the emergence of the vertebrate body plan and the evolution of fish from agnathans through modern teleosts, as well as the tetrapod lineage of marine reptiles, marine birds, and marine mammals. Discussion of critical points in vertebrate evolution where genome-wide duplication events occurred as well as instances of convergent evolution in various lineages.
Prerequisite: MSC 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BIL 330. Ecology. 3 Credit Hours.
The interactions of living organisms with each other and with their abiotic environment.
Prerequisite: BIL 250 or BIL 255. Calculus strongly recommended.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 331. Ecology Laboratory. 2 Credit Hours.
Lab and field exercises in ecology. Some Saturday field trips required.
Pre/Corequisite: BIL 330.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 332. Tropical Ecology. 3 Credit Hours.
Tropical ecosystem including world distribution of tropical climate biogeographical regions, deserts and environmental factors, grassland and primary production, savannah population dynamics, energy flow, biogeochemical cycling, succession, and biodiversity of tropical ecosystem.
Prerequisite: BIL 250 or BIL 255.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 333. Conservation Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
The challenges facing conservation practitioners and the toolkit that has been developed to face these threats. Examination of important conservation cases and how endangered species and ecosystems are distributed across the globe; common threats to biodiversity and methods that have been developed to face these threats at both species and landscape scales; government implementation of conservation strategies. Students will read papers from the primary literature on a weekly basis that provide examples of how conservation tools are developed and implemented. Biology 330 (Ecology) is recommended.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 151 and BIL 160 and BIL 161. BIL 330 recommended.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BIL 334. Biogeography and Conservation. 3 Credit Hours.
The modern science of biogeography and its implications for the design of spatial strategies to conserve biodiversity and ecosystem services. Examination of the history of biogeography and its geographical and ecological foundations. Study of the fundamental biogeographic processes and uses them to investigate the evolution of biotas and explain the current biogeographic patterns. Exploration of the emerging field of conservation biogeography and its applications.
Pre/Corequisite: BIL 330.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
BIL 335. Tropical Field Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
Intensive field study in the Costa Rican rainforest conducted during semester recesses with additional pre-trip lectures. Requires payment of trip costs.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 336. Hurricanes and Ecology. 2 Credit Hours.
The ecology of disturbance by looking at hurricane impacts on coastal communities of South Florida. The course includes reading journal articles, and understanding the ecological theory behind succession and fragmentation of communities after storms. Weekend trips are required.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 160.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 337. Coastal Ecology. 3 Credit Hours.
Unprecedented pressure from population growth, tourism, and resource exploitation of coastal ecosystems provides a theme for an overview of current coastal ecology, especially within a conservation and management framework. Hands-on learning in ecohydrology, coastal oceanography, integration of biological communities, and coastal wetland classification for tropical Florida and the insular Caribbean. Students will review and actively participate in water quality and environmental monitoring.
Pre/Corequisite: BIL 330.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 340. Herpetology. 4 Credit Hours.
Biology of reptiles and amphibians. Their evolutionary history, a description of their current diversity, and how this diversity is distributed geographically. Physiology, including thermoregulation, reproduction, locomotion, and feeding. Spatial ecology, communication, sexual selection, predation, and community assembly.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 343. Animal Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
How communication evolves and functions across species, from invertebrates to humans, through a range of acoustic, visual, and chemical signals. How physical constraints shape animal signals, how animals convey information through signaling, and how honesty is maintained in communication systems. Signaling in a variety of contexts, including mate attraction, competition, and predation.
Prerequisite: At Least 3 Credits of BIL 200 Level or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 348. Climate Change and Public Health. 3 Credit Hours.
The mechanisms by which climate change adversely affects human health, and the policy options for mitigating our exposure.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 350. Survey of Marine Mammals. 3 Credit Hours.
The evolution and ecology of the cetaceans, pinnipeds, manatees, and allies: Natural history, zoo geography, physiology, husbandry, and biomedical aspects.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and MSC 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 351. Molecular Genetics Laboratory. 2 Credit Hours.
Classical and molecular genetics experimental techniques. Content will include dominant and recessive mutations, regulation of gene expression, transgenes and transposons, DNA and RNA sequencing, and other essential molecular genetic methods and principles demonstrated through original experiments in model organisms.
Prerequisite: BIL 250.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
BIL 352. Techniques in Scanning Electron Microscopy. 3 Credit Hours.
Tissue preparation, use of the scanning electron microscope, photography, and analysis and manipulation of digital images. Lecture 1 hour; laboratory 5 hours.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 353. Projects in Scanning Electron Microscopy. 2 Credit Hours.
Individual research projects in scanning electron microscopy. Six hours of laboratory.
Prerequisite: BIL 352.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 354. Biology of Viruses. 3 Credit Hours.
The molecular biology, ecology, and clinical relevance of prokaryotic and eukaryotic viruses, the most abundant and diverse biological entities on the planet. Current and emerging topics in virus research, including the role of viruses in modulating carbon and nutrient cycles in the biosphere, viral therapy as a tool against emerging multi-drug resistant bacteria, and viral spillover, using the 2020 coronavirus outbreak as a case study.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 160.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 360. Comparative Physiology. 3 Credit Hours.
How animals work and the physiological processes that allow for animal life. Fundamental aspects of physiology, such as homeostasis, metabolism, function of the nervous system, endocrine function, movement, gas and water transport. The relationship between structure and function through comparisons across diverse animal taxa. Emphasis on critical thinking and application of the scientific method.
Prerequisite: BIL 255.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 365. Endocrinology. 3 Credit Hours.
The endocrine glands and the chemistry, mechanisms of action, and physiological effects of hormones. Emphasis on vertebrate hormones, including clinical aspects of human endocrinology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 367. Biology of Cancer. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: BIL 250 or BIL 255.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 369. Fundamentals of the Biology of Aging. 3 Credit Hours.
How and why we age. The biology of aging at the molecular, cellular, and organismal levels in a comparative and evolutionary context.
Prerequisite: BIL 250 or BIL 255.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 371. Readings in Biology. 1 Credit Hour.
Independent readings on selected topics in biology under the supervision of individual faculty.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 372. Readings in Biology. 1 Credit Hour.
Independent readings on selected topics in biology under the supervision of individual faculty.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
BIL 374. Seminar in Biology. 1 Credit Hour.
Seminar in selected topics in biology.
Prerequisite: BIL150 and BIL160 and BIL151 or BIL152, or BIL153 and BIL161 or BIL162 or BIL163.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 375. Seminar in Biology. 1 Credit Hour.
Seminar on selected topics in biology.
Prerequisite: BIL150 and BIL160 and BIL151 or BIL152, or BIL153 and BIL161 or BIL162 or BIL163.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 376. Complementary and Integrative Medicine. 2 Credit Hours.
Almost 40% of Americans use health care approaches outside of mainstream Western medicine. These non-traditional approaches include acupuncture, meditation, massage therapy, reiki, yoga, hypnotherapy, chiropractic manipulation, and herbal medicine. Some of these approaches seem to hold promise in the healing process, while others have had little research to date. In this course, we will examine scientific evidence for the efficacy of these different approaches.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 380. Writing in Biology. 0 Credit Hours.
Writing instruction by faculty using biological topics in BIL courses offered at the 300 level.
Components: IND.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 381. Workshop Leaders in Biology I. 0-1 Credit Hours.
Peer-led Team Teaching of workshops for groups of BIL 150 students. May be taken once only for credit in the BIL major, but may be taken additional times for a general education credit. Students may serve as workshop leaders for a second time for a stipend if they (1) have taken the course once before and (2) are graduating seniors.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 382. Workshop Leaders in Biology II. 0-1 Credit Hours.
Peer-led Team Teaching of workshops for groups of BIL 160 students. May be taken once only for credit in the biology major, but may be taken additional times for general education credit. Students may serve as workshop leaders for a second time for a stipend if they (1) have taken the course once before and (2) are graduating seniors.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 384. Special Laboratory/Field Topics in Biology. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Topics relevant to the biological sciences, listed as subtitle. Maybe combined/co-listed with other departments or programs.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 151 and BIL 160 and BIL 161.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 385. Special Topics in Biology. 2-6 Credit Hours.
Topics relevant to the biological sciences, listed as subtitle. May be co-listed with other departments or programs.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 386. Science Made Sensible Teaching Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
A teaching internship in which students spend at least 60 hours in Miami Dade County Public Schools assisting teachers with science education. Contributions to bimonthly workshops and group meetings, creation of lesson plans following Sunshine State Guidelines. One BIL course at the 200 level or higher.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
**BIL 389. Nonacademic Career in Biology. 2 Credit Hours.**
Speakers recruited from local biotech companies, conservation organizations, science museums, the National Park Service, and Customs as well as invasive species specialists, medical dosimetrists, principals of schools seeking biology teachers, and others will give weekly seminars about their practice of science in their occupations. Following each seminar, students will meet with speakers in an informal setting to discuss the particulars and prospects of the career in question. The express purpose of this course is to provide students with an idea of the utility of their biology degree in the workplace. Papers or writings that pertain to a particular career will be assigned prior to the seminar so that students will be ready with questions for the speaker.
Prerequisite: 1 Course in BIL 200 or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

**BIL 390. Studies in Biology. 1-5 Credit Hours.**
Special topics taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

**BIL 395. Studies in Biology. 1-5 Credit Hours.**
Special topics taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

**BIL 399. DNA and the Changing World. 3 Credit Hours.**
This is an online course, not intended for biology majors. It covers in-depth knowledge of DNA, gene, gene function, genome and inheritance with the focus on applying the knowledge to real-world issues; both personal and societal, from the history of life to challenges and opportunities in the modern times at the molecular level. Does not count towards a Biology major or minor.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

**BIL 402. Seminar in Biology. 1 Credit Hour.**
Seminar on selected topics in Biology.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

**BIL 403. Neuroscience Laboratory. 4 Credit Hours.**
Research methods and laboratory experiments in contemporary neuroscience from individual cells to behavior. Scientific writing and computer applications in experimental design and analysis. Combined lecture and laboratory.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

**BIL 415. Coral Reef Science and Management. 3 Credit Hours.**
Coral reefs as biophysical and socioeconomic systems. Coral reef typology, geomorphology; biotic and abiotic components of coral reef ecosystems. Prerequisite: BIL 250 or BIL 255.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

**BIL 426. Native and Introduced Plants of the Galapagos. 3 Credit Hours.**
The unique vegetation and introduced flora of the Galapagos Islands in Ecuador. Current conservation measures used to control the threats affecting native flora, and future prospects for conserving indigenous plants and for ensuring their rational utilization. Taught in the Galapagos as part of the UGalapagos semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BIL 432. Ecology in the Galapagos. 3 Credit Hours.
Organisms in relation to their environment, with focus on interactive, hands-on learning that connects empirical nature with abstract thinking. Lectures, discussion and fieldwork on ecosystem ecology, plant dispersal and colonization; organisms’ responses to spatial and temporal variability in their environments, plant/animal interactions. Origins and effects of invasive species and actions of bio-control agents. Taught in the Galapagos as part of the UGalapagos semester.
Prerequisite: BIL 332.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 433. Conservation in Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
Intersection between economic development, science and conservation in one of the world’s most pristine and fragile ecosystems, the Galapagos Islands. Exploration of how tourism offers an alternative to unsustainable fisheries that once drove the local economy, yet has created a new set of pressures on the people and the environment. Mitigation efforts, science, and international conservation mesh with an understanding of local politics, customs and cultures. Taught in the Galapagos as part of the UGalapagos semester.
Prerequisite: BIL 432.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 434. Behavioral Ecology of the Galapagos. 3 Credit Hours.
Functional aspects of animal behavior, including topics such as animal communication, optimal foraging, mating systems, sexual selection, and the evolution of cooperation. Studies of the behavior of Galapagos organisms are emphasized.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 151 or BIL 152 or BIL 153 and BIL 160 and BIL 161 or BIL 161 or BIL 162 or BIL 163.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 435. Origins, Ecology and Conservation of Insular Diversity. 3 Credit Hours.
Three-week field course in island systems. Ecological and evolutionary processes that maintain and create biological diversity in tropical islands. Natural selection, island biogeography, phylogenetics, colonization and community assembly of island species. On-site field surveys and experiments. Combined lecture and laboratory/field course.
Components: FLD.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 436. Stable Isotope Ecology. 3 Credit Hours.
Stable isotopes of essential elements (Oxygen, Carbon, Nitrogen, Hydrogen and Sulfur) as natural tracers of ecological processes. Principles of Chemistry, Physics and Biology will be integrated to allow interpretation, via these tracers, of how fundamental elements are cycled through the biosphere.
Prerequisite: BIL 330.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 441. Animal Behavior. 3 Credit Hours.
Mechanistic and evolutionary aspects of animal behavior. A survey of systems that illustrate the control, development and function of behavior in a variety of animals.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 160.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 442. Animal Behavior Laboratory. 2 Credit Hours.
An exploration of the amazing behaviors of animals from an explicitly evolutionary perspective. The study of the diversity of behavior in nature as shaped by natural and sexual selection. Topics will include: resource acquisition and defense, predator avoidance, mate choice and competition for mates, and cooperative behavior. Labs are inquiry based, with students designing, conducting and analyzing experiments to test hypotheses. Students will develop their scientific communication skills throughout the semester by gaining experience in oral presentations and writing manuscripts. Note that this course will involve two required field trips off campus.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 160.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BIL 450. The Biology of Symbiosis. 3 Credit Hours.
Symbiosis, interactions between species that live in close physical association, in particular those between microbes and multicellular eukaryotic hosts is fundamental to almost all aspects of biology. Building discipline specific knowledge about symbiosis. The course includes engagement with the scientific literature as a professional researcher, and development of foundational skills for presentation and synthesis of scientific information in visual, oral and written form.
Prerequisite: BIL 250 Or BIL 330.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 452. Evolution and Conservation Genetics. 3 Credit Hours.
Integration of evolutionary theory and genetics to address conservation problems and their solutions. Theory and empirical information pertaining to evolution on islands and the impact of humans on endemic species. Natural selection, sexual selection, population genetics, niches, diversity, and conservation in the context of the Galapagos Islands.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 151 or BIL 152 or BIL 153 and BIL 160 and BIL 161 or BIL 161 or BIL 162 or BIL 163.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 454. Biological Core Concepts Through Medical Case Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
A capstone course in which students will complete a series of medically-oriented case studies. Knowledge of biology, chemistry, math, and physics will be applied to real-world issues. Critical thinking will be used to solve basic medical problems, and facilitate understanding of the interdisciplinary nature of medicine.
Requisite: BIL 150 And BIL 151 And BIL 160 And BIL 161 Or equivalent And one BIL 200 level or higher course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 455. Developmental Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the process by which a fertilized egg gives rise to a multicellular organism with organs, tissues and cell types that are structurally and functionally distinct and are arranged in a characteristic three-dimensional body plan. This course will take a comparative approach using invertebrate and vertebrate models to cover the current understanding of the cellular, molecular and genetic mechanisms that regulate the development of animals. Evolutionary mechanisms and the biomedical relevance of developmental biology will be emphasized.
Prerequisite: BIL 250 or BIL 255.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 456. Developmental Biology Laboratory. 2 Credit Hours.
Experimental analysis of animal development using a variety of techniques including experimental embryology, microscopy, molecular biology, genetics and immunochemistry. Following a short series of introductory labs and lectures, students will develop an independent research proposal and will spend the remaining weeks of the semester working on their projects under the guidance of the instructors. This class is restricted to students who have taken cell and molecular biology, developmental biology OR genetics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 468. Developmental Neuroscience. 3 Credit Hours.
Molecular, cellular, and physiological mechanisms controlling the proper development and function of neurons and neural circuits. Signaling mechanisms that regulate cell determination, proliferation, and differentiation. Neural migration and outgrowth, synaptic connectivity and plasticity, and neural basis of animal behavior.
Prerequisite: BIL 255.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 480. Writing in Biology. 0 Credit Hours.
Writing instruction by faculty using biological topics in BIL courses offered at the 400 level.
Components: IND.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
**BIL 481. Undergraduate Teaching Assistant Training in Biology. 1-3 Credit Hours.**
Training and teaching assistance for undergraduate workshops or laboratories, under the direct supervision of faculty. Specific topic is indicated by course subtitle. This course may be taken no more than twice for credit in the Biology major or minor, and if taken twice, teaching assistance must be for two different BIL courses. May be taken multiple times for general elective credit only.

Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**BIL 482. PRISM Teaching Fellow. 2 Credit Hours.**
Undergraduate mentors to PRISM students, and teaching fellows to PRISM course instructors in biology.

Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**BIL 484. Special Laboratory Topics in Biology. 1-4 Credit Hours.**
Topics relevant to the biological sciences, listed as subtitle. May be combined/co-listed with other departments or programs.
Prerequisite: BIL 200 or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

**BIL 485. Special Topics in Biology. 2-6 Credit Hours.**
Topics relevant to the biological sciences, co-listed with other departments or programs.

Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**BIL 486. Advanced Science Made Sensible Teaching Internship. 3 Credit Hours.**
A teaching internship in which students spend at least 60 hours in Miami Dade County Public Schools assisting teachers with science education. Contributions to bimonthly workshops and group meetings, development of problem-based lesson plans to promote critical thinking.
Prerequisite: BIL 386.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**BIL 491. Departmental Seminar in Biology. 1 Credit Hour.**
Research seminars by distinguished biologists.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

**BIL 492. Departmental Seminar in Biology. 1 Credit Hour.**
Research seminars by distinguished biologists.

Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

**BIL 495. Projects in Biology. 2 Credit Hours.**
Individual, original laboratory or field research supervised by a member of the department faculty and concluded by a formal written report.

Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**BIL 496. Projects in Biology. 2 Credit Hours.**
Individual, original laboratory or field research supervised by a member of the department faculty and concluded by a formal written report.

Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**BIL 497. Projects in Biology. 2 Credit Hours.**
Individual, original laboratory or field research supervised by a member of the department faculty and concluded by a formal written report.

Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
BIL 498. Senior Thesis. 2 Credit Hours.
Formal thesis preparation supervised by a member of the departmental faculty including a public oral defense and submission of the written document to the department.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 499. Research Colloquium. 1 Credit Hour.
Discussion of current research done by undergraduate students.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 508. Research in Progress Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
Students will explore current research by Biology Department graduate students, postdoctoral fellows, and faculty through weekly research seminar presentations.
Components: SEM.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 511. Advanced Biostatistics. 4 Credit Hours.
Statistical analyses needed to understand, present, and publish biological research. Examples will primarily be drawn from the biomedical and ecological fields. The course will begin with a review of descriptive statistics, probability theory, and univariate distributions, followed by an overview of experimental design and analysis of categorical data using contingency tables. This will be followed by a unit on parametric analysis of univariate data including both simple and multiple linear regression, model selection, and analysis of variance. The final unit will cover non-parametric versions of these analyses and more advanced multivariate statistical methods. Lectures will be accompanied by a computer lab in which students learn hands-on statistical analysis in SAS JMP.
Prerequisite: At least one BIL course at the 300 level.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 515. Object-Oriented Programming and Agent-Based Modelling. 3 Credit Hours.
Hands-on training in object-oriented programming using Java, including Java statistical packages, and in the development of agent-based and individual-based simulation models for ecological, physiological, social, economic and physical sciences. Introductions to cellular automatons and models based on social and behavioral networks. No prior programming experience required.
Prerequisite: At least one BIL course at the 200 level.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

BIL 520. Evolution. 3 Credit Hours.
Evidence for evolution; microevolution including natural selection, kin selection, genetic drift, gene flow, mutation, and evolutionary game theory; macroevolution including speciation, adaptation, phylogenetics, origin of life, and extinction.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 521. Phylogenetics. 3 Credit Hours.
Concepts and methods in phylogenetic systematics. The importance of phylogenetic trees in biology. Use of phylogenies in taxonomy, trait evolution (including homology, adaptations and key innovations), biogeography, speciation, diversification rates, molecular evolution, molecular clocks, and gene duplication.
Prerequisite: BIL 250.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 523. Advanced Biology of Marine Invertebrates. 4 Credit Hours.
Detailed study of major phyla of marine invertebrates. Special emphasis on taxa found in waters off southern Florida. Field course. Lectures, laboratory, special projects, and seminars.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BIL 531. Advanced Field Ecology. 5 Credit Hours.
Principles of and practical experience in quantitative sampling of community structure, plant and animal populations, and animal activities. Emphasis on individual projects. Lecture, 3 hours; laboratory/field, 10 hours on alternate Saturdays, plus research projects.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 535. Molecular Ecology. 3 Credit Hours.
Molecular markers and analyses, and their applications to different problems in biology. Appropriate sampling, methods for assessing genetic diversity and differentiation. Approaches to studying gene flow, tools for behavioral ecology, remote sampling, tracking individuals, and paternity analysis, hybridization and speciation, DNA bar codes, and gene expression from a population biological perspective.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 536. Molecular Ecology Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory techniques, molecular tools, applications, and analysis methods commonly used by researchers in the areas of molecular ecology and population genetics.

Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 537. Ecosystem Ecology. 3 Credit Hours.
Concepts and models of energy and nutrient flow, food webs, successional processes, human influences and effects of spatial heterogeneity.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 539. Conservation and Protected Areas. 3 Credit Hours.
The science and policy of park planning and management will be explored through four case studies. The case studies will explore key concepts in ecology and population biology relating to loss of habitat, habitat fragmentation, invasive species, pollution and declines in population size.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 551. Population Genetics and Genomics. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to population genetics, which examines the evolutionary processes that affect the genetic composition of natural populations: mutation, genetic drift, natural selection, and gene flow. Theoretical and empirical aspects will be examined via mathematical models, methods of measuring genetic variation, and readings of published case studies. Taxonomic focus will be broad and will include both model organisms (e.g., Drosophila), and non-model organisms.
Prerequisite: BIL 250.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 552. Bioinformatics Tools. 3 Credit Hours.
Databases and tools of bioinformatics as relevant to research in genomics and molecular biology. Bioinformatics applications. Information retrieval, analytical tools, BLAST searches, promoter analysis, protein structure- function analysis and various applications.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 553. Biomedical Data Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Computational skills for analysis of genomic data sets. Basics of using a command line interface (text editor, Unix/Linux/iOSX), and logging into and getting started on Pegasus2. Python will be used to write scripts for downloading, manipulating, and analyzing data. File sharing and version control using github will be introduced at this stage, which will include RCR training. Analysis, interpretation, and presentation of Next Generation Sequencing data set (RNAseq, exome, or whole genome; public or their own. Interpreting and presenting results, to enable students to extract information from the data rather than just statistically analyze it.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BIL 554. Electron Microscopy. 4 Credit Hours.
Techniques in transmission electron microscopy (TEM) including tissue preparation, use of the electron microscope, photography, and interpretation of micrographs. Lecture, 1 hour; laboratory, 6 hours.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 555. Projects in Electron Microscopy. 2 Credit Hours.
Individual research projects in transmission electron microscopy, 6 hours.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 556. Ecological and Evolutionary Genomics. 3 Credit Hours.
The evolution of genomes, and the ecological interactions that drive their evolution.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 559. Life in the Cell. 3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive, advanced overview of the molecular biology of the cell, cells, and genomes.
Prerequisite: BIL 255.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 565. Evolution and Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of the relationship between common descent and biological diversity, principally changes in organismal development through time.
Prerequisite: BIL 250 or BIL 255.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 568. Evolution and development of Nervous Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Mechanisms/pathways/modules underlying formation of the nervous system during embryo development. How some properties of nervous systems have resisted change while others have diverged dramatically during evolution.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 575. Advanced Special Studies in Biology. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Content of course will vary by semester. Content in any semester will be indicated via subtitle in the class schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 580. Writing in Biology. 0 Credit Hours.
Writing instruction by faculty using biological topics in BIL courses offered at the 500 level.
Components: IND.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 591. Studies in Biology. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Special topics taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

BIL 592. Studies in Biology. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Special topics taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
BIL 608. Research in Progress Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
Through weekly research seminar presentations, students will explore current research by Biology Department graduate students, postdoctoral fellows, and faculty. Current students will also prepare and present a research seminar on their past, present, or future research objectives for feedback from fellow students and faculty.
Components: SEM.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 610. Lab Group Meeting. 1 Credit Hour.
Weekly seminar meeting for discussion of research projects and other academic issues in graduate faculty research laboratories. (Fall semesters)
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 611. Lab Group Meeting. 1 Credit Hour.
Weekly seminar meeting for discussion of research projects and other academic issues in graduate faculty research laboratories. (Spring semesters)
Components: DIS.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BIL 612. Graduate Core I. 3 Credit Hours.
Foundations of genome structure and how the information encoded in genomes is regulated by intrinsic and extrinsic factors during development and evolution. Major topics include genome structure, gene regulation, cells, development, physiology and EvoDevo.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 613. Graduate Core II. 3 Credit Hours.
Foundations of key ecological and evolutionary theory. Major topics in Ecology include population, community, physiological and ecosystem ecology. Major topics in Evolution include principles of natural selection, speciation, biodiversity, population genetics, neutral theory, molecular evolution, phylogenetics, and systematics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BIL 614. Professional Writing and Grantsmanship. 3 Credit Hours.
Elements of argumentative writing, reader-oriented writing strategies, fundability of submitted grants, and techniques for mastering presentation venues such as posters and talks.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 615. Object-Oriented Programming and Agent-Based Modelling. 3 Credit Hours.
Hands-on training in object-oriented programming using Java, including Java statistical packages, and in the development of agent-based and individual-based simulation models for ecological, physiological, social, economic and physical sciences. Course includes introductions to cellular automatons and models based on social and behavioral networks. No prior programming experience required.
Prerequisite: At least one BIL course at the 200 level.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

BIL 616. Professional Skills I. 1 Credit Hour.
Training and development in the skills necessary to become an accomplished professional scientist. Instruction on preparation, submission, and review of manuscripts; viewing and attending poster sessions; presenting scientific talks; communicating effectively with colleagues, lab partners, and the student's principal investigator.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
BIL 618. Advanced Biostatistics. 4 Credit Hours.
This course will provide an overview of statistical analyses needed to understand, present, and publish biological research. Examples will primarily be drawn from the biomedical and ecological fields. The course will begin with a review of descriptive statistics, probability theory, and univariate distributions, followed by an overview of experimental design and analysis of categorical data using contingency tables. This will be followed by a unit on parametric analysis of univariate data including both simple and multiple linear regression, model selection, and analysis of variance. The final unit will cover non-parametric versions of these analyses and more advanced multivariate statistical methods. Lectures will be accompanied by a computer lab in which students learn hands-on statistical analysis in SAS JMP.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 620. Evolution. 3 Credit Hours.
Evidence for evolution; microevolution including natural selection, kin selection, genetic drift, gene flow, mutation, and evolutionary game theory; macroevolution including speciation, adaptation, phylogenetics, origin of life, and extinction.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BIL 621. Phylogenetics. 3 Credit Hours.
Concepts and methods in phylogenetic systematics. The importance of phylogenetic trees in biology. Use of phylogenies in taxonomy, trait evolution (including homology, adaptations and key innovations), biogeography, speciation, diversification rates, molecular evolution, molecular clocks, and gene duplication.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 622. Plant Diversity. 3 Credit Hours.
The diversity and evolution of seed plants, the most important plants on land that shape our physical environment, affect climate, and provide humans with food, medicines, and materials important in all aspects of our lives. Survey of major lineages of Gymnosperms and Angiosperms, their evolutionary history, adaptations to life on land, reproductive biology, ecology, and economic benefits. Techniques for the collection of plant specimens from the field, and their preparation and identification for museum collections.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 623. Advanced Biology of Marine Invertebrates. 4 Credit Hours.
Detailed study of major phyla of marine invertebrates. Special emphasis on taxa found in waters off southern Florida. Field course. Lectures, laboratory, special projects, and seminars.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 625. Advanced Herpetology. 4 Credit Hours.
Biology of reptiles and amphibians. Their evolutionary history, a description of their current diversity, and how this diversity is distributed geographically. Physiology, including thermoregulation, reproduction, locomotion, and feeding. Spatial ecology, communication, sexual selection, predation, and community assembly. Local field component will include an independent research project addressing a herpetological question.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 630. Population and Community Ecology: Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Classical and contemporary theory in population and community ecology including population dynamics, matrix models, life tables, predator-prey models and food webs.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 631. Advanced Field Ecology. 5 Credit Hours.
Principles of and practical experience in quantitative sampling of community structure, plant and animal populations, and animal activities. Emphasis on individual projects. Lecture, 3 hours; laboratory/field, 10 hours on alternate Saturdays, plus research projects.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BIL 632. Population and Community Ecology: Theory II. 3 Credit Hours.
Classical and contemporary theory in population and community ecology including population dynamics, matrix models, life tables, predator-prey models and food webs.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 633. Conservation Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
Challenges facing conservation practitioners and the toolkit that has been developed to face them. Distribution and value of biodiversity, threats to biodiversity, and methods that have been developed to face these threats at both species and landscape levels. Government implementation of conservation strategies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 634. Stable Isotope Ecology. 3 Credit Hours.
Stable isotope analysis applied to ecological questions such as nutrient cycling, photosynthesis and trophic level studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 635. Molecular Ecology. 3 Credit Hours.
Molecular markers and analyses, and their applications to different problems in biology. Appropriate sampling, methods for assessing genetic diversity and differentiation. Approaches to studying gene flow, tools for behavioral ecology, remote sampling, tracking individuals, and paternity analysis, hybridization and speciation, DNA bar codes, and gene expression from a population biological perspective.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 636. Tropical Biology: An Ecological Approach. 8 Credit Hours.
The tropical environment and biota; ecologic relations, communities and evolution in the tropics. Conducted in Costa Rica under the Organization for Tropical Studies. Lecture, laboratory, and fieldwork.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 637. Ecologia de Poblaciones. 7 Credit Hours.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 638. Tropical Managed Ecosystems. 8 Credit Hours.
Application of ecological principles to problems in agriculture, forestry, conservation and natural resource management in the tropics. Conducted in Costa Rica under the Organization for Tropical Studies.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 639. Ecosystem Ecology. 3 Credit Hours.
Concepts and models of energy and nutrient flow, food webs, successional processes, human influences and effects of spatial heterogeneity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 641. Animal Behavior. 3 Credit Hours.
Amazing behaviors of animals from an evolutionary perspective, including how the diversity of behavior in nature is shaped by natural and sexual selection.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
BIL 645. Developmental Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the process by which a fertilized egg gives rise to a multicellular organism with organs, tissues and cell types that are structurally and functionally distinct and are arranged in a characteristic three-dimensional body plan. This course will take a comparative approach using invertebrate and vertebrate models to cover the current understanding of the cellular, molecular and genetic mechanisms that regulate the development of animals. Evolutionary mechanisms and the biomedical relevance of developmental biology will be emphasized.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 649. Seminar in Behavior. 1 Credit Hour.
Discussion of current literature in animal behavior. This course may be repeated for credit.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BIL 650. The Biology of Symbiosis. 3 Credit Hours.
Symbiosis, interactions between species that live in close physical association, in particular those between microbes and multicellular eukaryotic hosts is fundamental to almost all aspects of biology. Building discipline specific knowledge about symbiosis. The course includes engagement with the scientific literature as a professional researcher, and development of foundational skills for presentation and synthesis of scientific information in visual, oral and written form.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 651. Population Genetics and Genomics. 3 Credit Hours.
Population genetics, which examines the evolutionary processes that affect the genetic composition of natural populations: mutation, genetic drift, natural selection, and gene flow. Theoretical and empirical aspects will be examined via mathematical models, methods of measuring genetic variation, and readings of published case studies. Taxonomic focus will be broad and will include both model organisms (e.g., Drosophila), and non-model organisms.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 652. Bioinformatics Tools. 3 Credit Hours.
Databases and tools of bioinformatics as relevant to research in genomics and molecular biology. Bioinformatics applications. Information retrieval, analytical tools, BLAST searches, promoter analysis, protein structure-function analysis and various applications.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 653. Bioinformatics Algorithms. 3 Credit Hours.
The complexity of bioinformatics computations. Introduction to Perl and Bioperl. Pattern matching and sequence homology. Genome assembly. Transcription factor binding site recognition and motif finding, gene prediction, phylogeny, micro array analysis, RNA folding, gene design and synthesis.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 654. Electron Microscopy. 4 Credit Hours.
Techniques in transmission electron microscopy (TEM) including tissue preparation, use of the electron microscope, photography, and interpretation of micrographs. Lecture, 1 hour; laboratory, 6 hours.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BIL 655. Techniques in Scanning Electron Microscopy. 3 Credit Hours.
Tissue preparation, use of the scanning electron microscope (SEM), photography, and analysis and manipulation of digital images. Lecture 1 hour; laboratory 5 hours.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
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<td>Speakers recruited from local biotech companies, conservation organizations, science museums, the National Park Service and Customs as well as invasive species specialists, medical dosimetrists, principals of schools seeking biology teachers, and others will give weekly seminars about their practice of science in their occupations. Following each seminar, students will meet with speakers in an informal setting to discuss the particulars and or prospects of the career in question. The express purpose of this course is to provide students with an idea of the utility of their biology degree in the workplace. Papers or writings that pertain to a particular career will be assigned prior to the seminar so that students will be ready with questions for the speaker.</td>
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<td>BIL 810</td>
<td>Master's Thesis</td>
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<td>The student working on their Master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by the student’s advisor. May be regarded as full time residence.</td>
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BIL 820. Research in Residence - Master’s Thesis. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the Master’s degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in BIL810 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BIL 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D.. The student will enroll for credit as determined by their advisor. Not more than 12 credits of BIL830 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six credits in a summer session. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BIL 840. Post-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. who have advanced to candidacy. The student will enroll for credit as determined by their advisor. Not more than 12 credits of BIL840 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six credits in a summer session. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BIL 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Biomedical Engineering (BME)

BME 100. Introduction to Biomedical Engineering for Summer Scholars. 3 Credit Hours.
This introductory course is designed to expose high school students to biomedical engineering. The program is designed for the exemplary high school student interested in applied mathematics and science. The students will be provided with an understanding and some hands-on experience on topics relative to the discipline of Biomedical Engineering. The course content changes throughout the 3-week duration and includes topics on lasers, medical imaging, biomaterials, bioclectricity and biomechanics. The students will be able to understand the challenges associated with the designing, testing and FDA clearance of biomedical devices and the importance of the scientific methods in engineering. The laboratory and field trip experiences will deal with the designing and testing of a bioelectric device. Summer Scholar Students only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

BME 110. Introduction to Innovation: Learning About Innovation by Innovating. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to diverse methods and tools that promote and nurture student creativity, entrepreneurship, team-work, and skills for creating business plans that consider ethical, global and financial issues. Students will learn to use the Maker Space facility to implement their design ideas.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BME 111. Introduction to Engineering I. 3 Credit Hours.
Use of engineering tools for problem solving are discussed. Topics include the use of computer techniques for data acquisition, analysis, presentation, software design, computer aided drafting, and development of design skills through several design and building competitions. Introduction to professional ethics and intellectual property rights, the use of MATLAB, AutoCAD, and programming in C++.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 112. Introduction to Biomedical Engineering. 2 Credit Hours.
Introduction to Engineering II provides an introduction to biomedical engineering analysis, design, and manufacturing processes. Ethics, Regulatory Factors, and Biomedical Design Tools (mechanical, electrical, and computer tools) are introduced. Students will also be given lectures from both Biomedical Engineering researchers and industrial professionals concerning their experiences and the current trends within the field. Hands on experience is provided.
Prerequisite: BME 111.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
BME 123. Explorations in Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to engineering for non-engineers with emphasis on real-world engineering systems and services which are changing the way we live, communicate, learn, play, and care for ourselves, our communities and our planet. Students will learn how to use modern tools to observe and design simple engineering systems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 211. Introduction to Programming for Biomedical Engineers. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide a comprehensive introduction to programming using MATLAB. The students will learn MATLAB functions for importing, analyzing, visualizing and exporting data, numerical computation, modeling and solving biomedical engineering problems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 265. Medical Systems Physiology. 3 Credit Hours.
Human physiological processes from a bioengineering and medical point of view. Pertinent aspects of anatomy, biophysics, biochemistry, and disease mechanisms are also included.
Prerequisite: BIL 150. And CHM 121.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 266. Human Physiology Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
This course provides a series of laboratory experiments to assist students to learn human physiology through noninvasive measurements by using the Powerlab Physiology Data Acquisition station. Following introductory lectures in the lab, students will assemble measurement probes, connect different devices, collect data under normal and stimulating conditions, and perform data analysis. Lab report is required for each experiment.
Prerequisite: Or Corequisite: BME 265.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 302. Cellular Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Cellular engineering addresses issues related to understanding and manipulating cell structure-function relationships. This course is intended to bridge between cell biologists and engineers, to understand quantitatively cell biological aspects. Central to biomaterial and tissue engineering is our use of cells and our understanding of their interactions with their environment. It is important to understand how cells respond to external signals from their substrata or their milieu, how they move, and what they need in order to perform their desired function. Students are provided with an introduction to engineering principles and modeling at the cellular level. Of particular interest are cytomechanics, receptor/ligand binding, genetic engineering, enzyme kinetics, and metabolic pathway engineering.
Prerequisite: BIL 150. And CHM 121.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 303. Cell Engineering Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
The principles of cell engineering will be presented in a hands-on laboratory experience. General techniques learned will include sterile methods, cell culture techniques, cell imaging, DNA cloning and cell transfection, microcontact printing. Cell engineering topics include cell cycle/metabolism, adhesion, signal transduction, and assessment and fabrication of 2D culture substrates.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 151.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 305. Biomedical Technology. 3 Credit Hours.
Non-mathematical introduction to technical and clinical aspects of biomedical engineering. Biomedical signals and instrumentation, sensors, transducers, physiological measurements, laboratory instrumentation, implants, cardiac assist devices, radiology, ultrasound, CT, MRI, transmission, and scanning electron microscopy. Field trips to clinical and research laboratories are included. Open only to non-BME students.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and CHM 121.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
BME 310. Mathematical Analysis in Biomedical Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Mathematical modeling of physiological and other biomedical engineering systems and devices. Basic engineering principles and mathematical tools are covered for rigorous understanding of physiological regulation and control in biosystems.
Prerequisite: MTH 311.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 312. Biomedical Statistics and Data Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will provide a comprehensive introduction to biostatistical models and methods, with applications in clinical trials research, observational studies, physiology, genomics and public health. Various examples will be solved using MATLAB and the results will be compared and discussed. A brief introduction to R will be provided.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 320. The Evolution of Technology. 3 Credit Hours.
Organized and taught by an interdisciplinary team, this innovative course is designed for juniors and seniors. An experimental elective, the course uses multimedia to explore the ways in which innovation is driven by the needs of society and individuals, and nurtured by improvements in tools and production. Five broad subject areas will receive special attention: survival, communication, transportation, entertainment and medicine.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 330. Foundations of Medical Imaging. 3 Credit Hours.
Physical and biological principles of medical imaging, including ultrasound, X-ray, nuclear, magnetic resonance, electrical impedance and optical imaging. Propagation and interaction of ultrasonic waves, light waves, X-ray photons, and nuclear radiation in hard and soft biological tissue.
Corequisite: BME 310.
Prerequisite: PHY 222. And PHY 223. Or Pre/Corequisite: BME 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 335. Biomaterials. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the field of Biomaterials. Review of materials science for four main types of biomaterials: ceramics, metals, polymers, and composites. Lectures on special topics given by guest lecturers who are active in their specific areas, under supervision of the instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 337. Fundamentals of Biomechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of solid and fluid mechanics to describe the mechanical behavior of human motion, mechanical behavior of soft and hard biological tissues, cells and biofluids. Review of fundamental concepts and techniques of mechanics (stress, strain, constitutive relations). Focus on mechanical properties of specific tissues, including tendon, skin, smooth muscle, heart muscle, cartilage, and bone. Cellular and biofluid mechanics will be presented.
Prerequisite: MTH 311. And PHY 221.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 375. Undergraduate Research in Biomedical Engineering. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Research and/or design projects consisting of an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BME 399. Cooperative Education. 1 Credit Hour.
Practical application of classroom theory through alternating semester or summer employment with firms offering positions consistent with the student's field of study. May be repeated.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
BME 401. Biomedical Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the clinical problem-based design for undergraduate biomedical engineering students. Focus will be on need identification, concept generation, prototype development and testing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 402. Senior Design I. 2 Credit Hours.
This course deals with the introduction phase of an individual or group project for seniors. Need identification, screening, technical and economic feasibility, proof of concept development and killer experiment will be performed by students working on teams. Scheduled individual or group report presentations are required.
Prerequisite: BME 401.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 403. Senior Design II. 1 Credit Hour.
This course deals with the completion phase of an individual or group project for seniors. Concepts on projects related to the hypotheses/testing protocols, design limitations (constraints), and validation of the design in Biomedical Engineering will be discussed. Scheduled individual or group report presentations are required.
Prerequisite: BME 402.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 440. Biomedical Measurements. 4 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the principles of measurements in physiological and biological systems, as well as a discussion of measurable parameters, transducers, sensors, signal conditioning, and processing. Laboratory experiments are conducted in parallel with the course.
Prerequisite: ECE 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 450. Biomedical Transport Phenomena. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of transport phenomena in biological systems including diffusion, osmosis, convection, electrophoresis, and transport with binding. Applications to cell electrophysiology and drug delivery. Introduction to physiological fluid flow in tissues.
Prerequisite: BME 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 460. Introduction to Physiological Fluid Mechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
The role of transport processes in biological systems, mathematical modeling of physiological fluid transport, conservation of mass and momentum, rheology of blood flow in large and small vessels, approximation methods for the analysis of complex physiological flow, fluid flow in the circulation and tissue. Basic engineering principles and mathematical tools are covered for rigorous understanding of physiological fluid flow.
Prerequisite: BME 310 and PHY 222.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 470. Biomedical Signal Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Time and frequency description, analysis and processing of biophysical and physiological signals. This course covers analytical and computational tools for measuring, manipulating and interpreting signals fundamental to biomedical engineering. Fourier analysis, Fourier transform, data acquisition, averaging, digital filter design, discrete Fourier transform, correlation, convolution, coherence are discussed.
Prerequisite: BME 211.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
BME 480. Biomedical Instrumentation. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis and design of systems and electronic circuits in biomedical instrumentation including modeling and simulation of dynamic measurement systems and implementation of analog signal processing. The functional principles, operation, clinical context and technological trends of medical instrumentation systems used in clinical and research applications will be discussed.
Prerequisite Or Corequisite: BME 440.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 506. Computer Aided Design in Biomedical Engineering. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory course for computer based two and three dimensional drawing and design based on ProEngineer. Parametric design, parts, features, assemblies for complex modeling. Applications in biomedical engineering design.
Prerequisite: BME 112. And BME 211.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 507. LabView Applications for Biomedical Engineering. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory course for computer based instrumentation and design based on Labview. Virtual instrumentation, data acquisition and display, GPIB instrument control, biomedical applications in biosignal recording, and monitoring are discussed.
Prerequisite: BME 112. And BME 211.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 510. Introduction to Medical Robotics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will discuss the basic principles of robotics and focus on its medical applications. The course integrates previously learned math, programming and imaging knowledge into an application platform to enable students to understand fundamentals of robotics methods in biology and medicine and to train students to build a robotics prototype through hands-on projects.
Prerequisite: BME 211. And BME 310. And BME 330.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BME 512. Regulatory Control of Biomedical Devices. 3 Credit Hours.
Regulatory agencies and requirements, Food and Drug Administration, 510(k) and premarket approval (PMA), international regulatory requirements, ISO 9000 series, CE, UL, product and process validation, quality engineering, quality improvement programs, rapid prototyping, packaging and sterilization, and project management are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 513. Biomedical Systems Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides students with an understanding and appreciation of Biomedical Systems Engineering with emphasis on current day industrial project management and product development processes. The components of Systems Engineering to be presented include: functional system analysis, requirements analysis, translation of functions and requirements into a system and product architecture, and, finally, testing methods to verify the biomedical product meets all design requirements. Decision methodology, alternative concept analysis, trade-off studies, integration of human factors, manufacturability, reliability, maintainability, feasibility demonstration, and safety are all addressed as part of the product design system. The entire product development life cycle will be analyzed with relevant concepts from initial market evaluation, to requirement development, through final product manufacturing and product launch. The regulatory environment for biomedical devices will also be presented for both US FDA and international compliance. The lectures will provide detailed notes on the subjects; other articles as handouts or additional readings will also be assigned.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BME 520. Medical Imaging Systems: X-ray and CT. 3 Credit Hours.
Engineering and scientific principles of medical imaging systems. The physics concepts and engineering implementations for different medical imaging modalities are discussed. Topics include imaging fundamentals, radiographic imaging (X-ray) system, and computed tomography (CT) system.
Prerequisite: ECE 201. And BME 211. And BME 330.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
BME 521. Medical Imaging Systems: MRI, NMI and Ultrasound. 3 Credit Hours.
Engineering and scientific principles of medical imaging systems. The physics concepts and engineering implementations for different medical imaging modalities are discussed. Topics include magnetic resonance imaging (MRI) system, nuclear medicine imaging (NMI) system, and ultrasound imaging system.
Prerequisite: ECE 201. And BME 211. And BME 330.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 522. Scanning Electron Microscopy for Engineers. 3 Credit Hours.
Physics of transmission and scanning electron microscopy including x-ray spectroscopic analysis. Students will learn to independently operate and use the SEM for imaging in its role in research and engineering. Each student will be responsible for several imaging assignments and an independent research project related to their field of interest.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 523. Neurosensory Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Biophysics of neural communication, quantitative electroencephalography and evoked potentials, sleep, seizure, anesthesia and intraoperative monitoring, neural stimulation, neural signal processing, cochlear and visual implants.
Prerequisite: BME 265 and BME 470.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 524. Neuromotor Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Advances in Neural Engineering have led to improved medical-device designs with novel functions. This course focuses on the fundamental engineering approaches, technical principles, neurophysiology, and applications of neuroprosthetics. We will cover Neural Engineering theory and applications from the perspectives of electronics design, neural signal analysis, and neurophysiology.
Prerequisite: BME 265 and BME 470.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 525. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Research and/or design projects consisting of an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BME 526. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Research and/or design projects consisting of an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 535. Advanced Biomaterials. 3 Credit Hours.
Applications of biomaterials in different tissue and organ systems. Relationship between physical and chemical structure of materials and biological system response are discussed as well as choosing, fabricating, and modifying materials for specific biomedical applications.
Prerequisite: BME 335.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 540. Microcomputer-Based Medical Instrumentation. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles and design of microcomputer-based biomedical instruments, analog and digital signal conversion, microcomputer hardware and software design, algorithm development for medical applications, medical signal processing with microcomputers, software safety in life support systems, and current applications are discussed.
Prerequisite: ECE 315. And ECE 304. Or ECE 211.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BME 541. Medical Electronic Systems Laboratory. 2 Credit Hours.
Laboratory course for BME 540/640. Design of medical instruments integrated with microcomputers and telemetry devices.
Pre/Corequisite: BME 540. Or BME 640.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 545. Biomedical Optical Instruments. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to geometrical optics, light sources, detectors, and fiber optics with an emphasis on engineering aspects and medical applications. Fiber-optic delivery systems for medical applications, optics of the eye and visual instruments, and optical instruments used in medicine (microscopes, endoscopes, ophthalmic instruments) are discussed. Hands-on sessions in the laboratory are included.
Prerequisite: PHY 222. And PHY 223. And MTH 311.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BME 546. Medical Applications of Lasers. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of geometrical optics, fiber optics, wave optics, laser physics, and technology. Medical laser systems, optical properties of tissue, light propagation in tissue, laser-tissue interactions, and surgical applications of lasers are also covered. Hands-on sessions in the laboratory are included.
Prerequisite: PHY 222. And PHY 223. And MTH 311.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 555. Fundamentals of Computational Neuroscience. 3 Credit Hours.
Major concepts include neural signaling and communication from the single neuron to system of neural ensembles and the role of neural computation in engineering applications. Theory and principles of information processing in the brain are presented. Experimental data and computer simulations are used to provide real examples for students experimentation.
Prerequisite: BME 265 and Corequisite: BME 470.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 565. Principles of Cellular and Tissue Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to cellular and tissue engineering. Current therapeutic approaches for lost/damaged tissue or organ function, tissue engineering strategies to replace/repair tissue or function: infusion of cells, production and delivery of tissue-inducing substances, cells placed on or within biomaterial scaffolds, examples of tissue engineering applications: skin, heart muscle, blood vessels, and blood.
Prerequisite: BME 302. And BME 335.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BME 566. Cell and Tissue Engineering Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
The principles of cell and tissue engineering will be presented in a hands-on laboratory experience. General techniques learned will include sterile methods, cell culture techniques and integration of cells within biomaterials. Cell engineering topics include cell cycle/metabolism, adhesion, signal transduction, and assessment. Tissue engineering topics include fabrication, biomaterials/scaffolds and cell integration, and functional assessment.
Pre/Corequisite: BME 565 Or BME 302.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 567. Tissue Engineering Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
The principles of tissue engineering will be presented in a hands-on laboratory experience. General techniques learned will include hydrogel spectroscopy analysis, swelling tests, permeability tests, rheological tests, cell culture techniques, cell imaging, cell culture in hydrogels. Cell & Tissue engineering topics include cell cycle/metabolism, adhesion, biomaterials synthesis and characterization, biocompatibility.
Prerequisite: BME 302 and BME 303. And Corequisite: BME 335 or BME 565.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
BME 570. Advanced Biomedical Signal Processing. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an overview of advanced topics in biomedical signal processing with an emphasis on practical applications. Topics include quantitative description, analysis, on-line and real-time processing of biophysical and physiological signals (cardiovascular, neural, sensory, muscular, respiratory and other) using adaptive, learning, pattern recognition and data dimension reduction methods.
Prerequisite: BME 470.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 571. Introduction to Biosignal Processing Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory course in conjunction with BME 570 course. Corequisite: BME 570.
Prerequisite: BME 570. Or Corequisite: BME 570.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 575. Tissue Mechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
Applications of linear and nonlinear viscoelastic concepts to the biomedical characteristics of biological tissues and structures at small and large deformations of blood flow, experimental methods of analysis, artificial organs, and life-support systems.
Prerequisite: BME 375. And BME 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BME 581. Radiation Biology and Physics. 3 Credit Hours.
The principles, methods, and results of radiation biology with physics applications in radiation therapy will be introduced in the course. The course will focus on mechanisms of radiation and biological system interaction, biological aspects of the foundation of radiation therapy, and mathematical models for radiobiological analysis.
Prerequisite: BME 265.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BME 582. Radiation Therapy Physics. 3 Credit Hours.
The principles and instrumentation of radiation dosimetry with focus on the applications in radiation therapy will be introduced in this course. The course will emphasize radiation dose computation algorithms and applications in treatment dose planning. The course will also cover a catagorized dosimetric analysis of radiation therapy to different clinical conditions.
Prerequisite: BME 310. Or Pre/Corequisite: BME 581.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 583. Radiation Protection. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers radiation safety principles for all areas of clinical medical physics, including regulatory requirements for personnel, equipment and facilities and detailed structural shielding design requirements for medical facilities. The student will become proficient in practical aspects of radiation safety objectives and regulatory requirements in clinical practice, including those for patients, members of the general public and staff. Students will learn the principles for designing and installing structural shielding in clinical facilities that satisfies both regulatory requirements and clinical needs.
Prerequisite: BME 581. Or Pre/Corequisite: BME 582.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BME 585. Immunoengineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Immunoengineering is a novel interdisciplinary field that combines biomaterial science and bioengineering design with immunology to develop cutting edge technology for the prevention, rapid diagnosis and treatment of infectious diseases, cancer, autoimmune and inflammatory diseases. The goal of this course is to provide a basic background in immunology that will allow understanding the need for immunoengineering and providing the tools to be able to design novel vaccines, anti-inflammatory agents, and immunotherapy. Application of biomaterials for immunoengineering applications will be reviewed through lectures, reading assignments and journal clubs. This course will provide valuable knowledge of an emerging field that will impact both the academic and industrial world.
Prerequisite: BME 335.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
BME 587. Finite Element Analysis for Engineers. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the finite-element method. Hands-on applications of FEMLAB software to the analysis of structural, thermal, chemical, electromagnetic, optical, and fluid flow problems.
Prerequisite: MTH 311.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 595. Current Trends in Regenerative Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
This team-taught course provides background, clinically-relevant applications and ethical aspects of regenerative medicine as it applies to multiple types of cell, tissues and organs. The course is divided into modules focused on one application of regenerative medicine and taught by an expert in that specific topic area. The course includes hands-on demonstrations of key techniques and problem-based group projects.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 599. Cooperative Education. 1 Credit Hour.
Practical application of classroom theory through alternating semester or summer employment with firms offering positions consistent with the student's field of study. Course may be repeated. Periodic reports and conferences are required.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BME 601. Biochemistry and Cellular Physiology for Engineers. 3 Credit Hours.
Treatment of the basic biological and medical elements in physiological systems. The anatomy, physiology, biophysics, biochemistry and certain aspects of clinical medicine are unified with an emphasis on cellular and subcellular systems. Not open to BME undergraduates.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BME 602. Human Physiology for Engineers. 3 Credit Hours.
Treatment of the basic biological and medical elements in physiological systems. The anatomy, physiology, biophysics, biochemistry, and certain aspects of clinical medicine are unified with an emphasis on cardiovascular, renal, digestive, endocrine, and reproductive systems. Not open to BME undergraduates.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BME 603. Neurophysiology for Engineers. 3 Credit Hours.
Treatment of the basic biological and medical elements in physiological systems. The anatomy, physiology, biophysics, biochemistry, and certain aspects of clinical medicine are unified with an emphasis on neural, sensory, and muscular systems. Not open to BME undergraduates.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 606. Computer Aided Design in Biomedical Engineering. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory course for computer based two and three dimensional drawing and design based on ProEngineer. Parametric design, parts, features, assemblies for complex modeling. Applications in biomedical engineering design.
Prerequisite: BME 112. And BME 211.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 607. LabView Applications for Biomedical Engineering. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory course for computer based instrumentation and design based on Labview. Virtual instrumentation, data acquisition and display, GPIB instrument control, biomedical applications in biosignal recording, and monitoring are discussed.
Prerequisite: BME 112. And BME 211.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
BME 610. Introduction to Medical Robotics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will discuss the basic principles of robotics and focus on its medical applications. The course integrates previously learned math, programming and imaging knowledge into an application platform to enable students to understand fundamentals of robotics methods in biology and medicine and to train students to build a robotics prototype through hands-on projects.
Prerequisite: BME 211. And BME 310. And BME 330.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BME 612. Regulatory Control of Biomedical Devices. 3 Credit Hours.
Regulatory agencies and requirements, Food and Drug Administration, 510(k) and premarket approval (PMA), international regulatory requirements, ISO 9000 series, CE, UL, product and process validation, quality engineering, quality improvement programs, rapid prototyping, packaging and sterilization, and project management are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 613. Biomedical Systems Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides students with an understanding and appreciation of Biomedical Systems Engineering with emphasis on current day industrial project management and product development processes. The components of Systems Engineering to be presented include: functional system analysis, requirements analysis, translation of functions and requirements into a system and product architecture, and, finally, testing methods to verify the biomedical product meets all design requirements. Decision methodology, alternative concept analysis, trade-off studies, integration of human factors, manufacturability, reliability, maintainability, feasibility demonstration, and safety are all addressed as part of the product design system. The entire product development life cycle will be analyzed with relevant concepts from initial market evaluation, to requirement development, through final product manufacturing and product launch. The regulatory environment for biomedical devices will also be presented for both US FDA and international compliance. The lectures will provide detailed notes on the subjects; other articles as handouts or additional readings will also be assigned.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BME 620. Medical Imaging Systems: X-ray and CT. 3 Credit Hours.
Engineering and scientific principles of medical imaging systems. The physics concepts and engineering implementations for different medical imaging modalities are discussed. Topics include imaging fundamentals, radiographic imaging (X-ray) system, and computed tomography (CT) system.
Prerequisite: ECE 201, BME 211, BME 330 Or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BME 621. Medical Imaging Systems: MRI, NMI and Ultrasound. 3 Credit Hours.
Engineering and scientific principles of medical imaging systems. The physics concepts and engineering implementations for different medical imaging modalities are discussed. Topics include magnetic resonance imaging (MRI) system, nuclear medicine imaging (NMI) system, and ultrasound imaging system.
Prerequisite: ECE 201. And BME 211. And BME 330. Or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BME 622. Scanning Electron Microscopy for Engineers. 3 Credit Hours.
Physics and operating principles of scanning electron microscope (SEM), transmission electron microscope (TEM), and optical light microscope. Biological tissue preparation, storage, fixation and digital image storage. Each student will learn to use the SEM in the design and/or analysis of a biomedical device.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 623. Neurosensory Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Biophysics of neural communication, quantitative electroencephalography and evoked potentials, sleep, seizure, anesthesia and intraoperative monitoring, neural stimulation, neural signal processing, cochlear and visual implants.
Prerequisite: BME 265 and BME 470.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
BME 624. Neuromotor Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Advances in Neural Engineering have led to improved medical-device designs with novel functions. This course focuses on the fundamental engineering approaches, technical principles, neurophysiology, and applications of neuroprosthetics. We will cover Neural Engineering theory and applications from the perspectives of electronics design, neural signal analysis, and neurophysiology.
Prerequisite: BME 265 and BME 470.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 625. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Research and/or design projects consisting of an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BME 626. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Research and/or design projects consisting of an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 635. Advanced Biomaterials. 3 Credit Hours.
Applications of biomaterials in different tissue and organ systems. Relationshi p between physical and chemical structure of materials and biological system re response are discussed as well as choosing, fabricating, and modifying materials for specific biomedical applications.
Prerequisite: BME 335.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 640. Microcomputer-Based Medical Instrumentation. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles and design of microcomputer-based biomedical instruments, analog and digital signal conversion, microcomputer hardware and software design, algorithm development for medical applications, medical signal processing with microcomputers, software safety in life support systems, and current applications are discussed.
Prerequisite: ECE 315. And ECE 304. Or ECE 211.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BME 641. Medical Electronic Systems Laboratory. 2 Credit Hours.
Laboratory course for BME 540. Design of medical instruments integrated with microcomputers and telemetry devices.
Pre/Corequisite: BME 540. Or BME 640.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 645. Biomedical Optical Instruments. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to geometrical optics, light sources, detectors, and fiber optics with an emphasis on engineering aspects and medical applications. Fiber-optic delivery systems for medical applications, optics of the eye and visual instruments, and optical instruments used in medicine (microscopes, endoscopes, ophthalmic instruments) are discussed. Hands-on sessions in the laboratory are included.
Prerequisite: PHY 222. And PHY 223. And MTH 311.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

BME 646. Medical Applications of Lasers. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of geometrical optics, fiber optics, wave optics, laser physics, and technology. Medical laser systems, optical properties of tissue, light propagat ion in tissue, laser-tissue interactions, and surgical applications of lasers are also covered. Hands-on sessions in the laboratory are included.
Prerequisite: PHY 222. And PHY 223. And MTH 311.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
BME 655. Fundamentals of Computational Neuroscience. 3 Credit Hours.
Major concepts include neural signaling and communication from the single neuron to system of neural ensembles and the role of neural computation in engineering applications. Theory and principles of information processing in the brain are presented. Experimental data and computer simulations are used to provide real examples for students experimentation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 665. Principles of Cellular and Tissue Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to cellular and tissue engineering. Current therapeutic approaches for lost/damaged tissue or organ function, tissue engineering strategies to replace/repair tissue or function: infusion of cells, production and delivery of tissue-inducing substances, cells placed on or within biomaterial scaffolds, examples of tissue engineering applications: skin, heart muscle, blood vessels, and blood.
Prerequisite: BME 302. And BME 335.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BME 666. Cell and Tissue Engineering Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
The principles of cell and tissue engineering will be presented in a hands-on laboratory experience. General techniques learned will include sterile methods, cell culture techniques and integration of cells within biomaterials. Cell engineering topics include cell cycle/metabolism, adhesion, signal transduction, and assessment. Tissue engineering topics include fabrication, biomaterials/scaffolds and cell integration, and functional assessment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BME 667. Tissue Engineering Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
The principles of tissue engineering will be presented in a hands-on laboratory experience. General techniques learned will include hydrogel spectroscopy analysis, swelling tests, permeability tests, rheological tests, cell culture techniques, cell imaging, cell culture in hydrogels. Cell & Tissue engineering topics include cell cycle/metabolism, adhesion, biomaterials synthesis and characterization, biocompatibility.
Co-requisite: BME 635 or BME 665.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 670. Advanced Biomedical Signal Processing. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an overview of advanced topics in biomedical signal processing with an emphasis on practical applications. Topics include quantitative description, analysis, on-line and real-time processing of biophysical and physiological signals (cardiovascular, neural, sensory, muscular, respiratory and other) using adaptive, learning, pattern recognition and data dimension reduction methods.
Prerequisite: BME 470.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 671. Introduction to Biosignal Processing Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory course in conjunction with BME 570 course. Corequisite: BME 570.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 675. Tissue Mechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
Applications of linear and nonlinear viscoelastic concepts to the biomedical characteristics of biological tissues and structures at small and large deformations of blood flow, experimental methods of analysis, artificial organs, and life-support systems.
Prerequisite: BME 375. And BME 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BME 681. Radiation Biology and Physics. 3 Credit Hours.
The principles, methods, and results of radiation biology with physics applications in radiation therapy will be introduced in the course. The course will focus on mechanisms of radiation and biological system interaction, biological aspects of the foundation of radiation therapy, and mathematical models for radiobiological analysis. Corequisite or prerequisite: BME 502 or permission of instructor.
Corequisite: BME 602.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
BME 682. Radiation Therapy Physics. 3 Credit Hours.
The principles and instrumentation of radiation dosimetry with focus on the applications in radiation therapy will be introduced in this course. The course will emphasize radiation dose computation algorithms and applications in treatment dose planning. The course will also cover a categorized dosimetric analysis of radiation therapy to different clinical conditions.
Prerequisite: BME 310. Or Pre/Corequisite: BME 681.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BME 683. Radiation Protection. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers radiation safety principles for all areas of clinical medical physics, including regulatory requirements for personnel, equipment and facilities and detailed structural shielding design requirements for medical facilities. The student will become proficient in practical aspects of radiation safety objectives and regulatory requirements in clinical practice, including those for patients, members of the general public and staff. Students will learn the principles for designing and installing structural shielding in clinical facilities that satisfies both regulatory requirements and clinical needs.
Prerequisite: BME 681. Or Pre/Corequisite: BME 682.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BME 685. Immunoengineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Immunoengineering is a novel interdisciplinary field that combines biomaterial science and bioengineering design with immunology to develop cutting edge technology for the prevention, rapid diagnosis and treatment of infectious diseases, cancer, autoimmune and inflammatory diseases. The goal of this course is to provide a basic background in immunology that will allow understanding the need for immunoengineering and providing the tools to be able to design novel vaccines, anti-inflammatory agents, and immunotherapy. Application of biomaterials for immunoengineering applications will be reviewed through lectures, reading assignments and journal clubs. This course will provide valuable knowledge of an emerging field that will impact both the academic and industrial world.
Prerequisite: BME 335.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 687. Finite Element Analysis for Engineers. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the finite-element method. Hands-on applications of FEMLAB software to the analysis of structural, thermal, chemical, electromagnetic, optical, and fluid flow problems.
Prerequisite: MTH 311.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 695. Current Trends in Regenerative Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
This team-taught course provides background, clinically-relevant applications and ethical aspects of regenerative medicine as it applies to multiple types of cell, tissues and organs. The course is divided into modules focused on one application of regenerative medicine and taught by an expert in that specific topic area. The course includes hands-on demonstrations of key techniques and problem-based group projects.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 699. Cooperative Education. 1 Credit Hour.
Practical application of classroom theory through alternating semester or summer employment with firms offering positions consistent with the student’s field of study. Course may be repeated. Periodic reports and conferences are required.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BME 702. Organs on Chips. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides a comprehensive introduction to engineering the living and non-living components of cellular systems in a dish. The first part of the course will focus on cell source, with an emphasis on human stem cell acquisition and differentiation. The second part of the course will focus on biomaterials and methods for engineering tissues. The final portion of the course will be a survey of tissue engineering in the clinic today and existing “Organ on Chip” platforms. Throughout the course, laboratory principles will be discussed, including cell culture and gene editing. Most of the assigned reading will be recent primary literature articles.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
BME 705. Senior Design Project. 3 Credit Hours.
Team-based capstone design project. Students will apply the Biodesign concepts learned in BME 401, including the phases of identify, invent and implement. In the identify phase, students will perform unmet-need identification, technical and economic feasibility and screening to end with a need statement and a set of specifications and constraints. In the invent phase, the students design a proof of concept prototype and perform a technological de-risking exercise by means of a killer experiment. In the implement phase, student teams develop a device for which a risk analysis is completed, and verification protocols are designed and performed. Student teams are required to report their progress on a regular basis.
Prerequisite: BME 401.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BME 706. Master's Project. 3 Credit Hours.
Comprehensive MS research or design project in biomedical engineering. Open only to students who are enrolled in the MS program. This course is a requirement for all MS students in biomedical engineering.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BME 711. Accelerated Basic Science Curriculum. 1-9 Credit Hours.
Beginning in the latter part of June each year, extending to the middle of February of the ensuing year, the following accelerated and intensive complete basic science medical curriculum is offered: Embryology, Gross Anatomy, Histology, Biochemistry, Neuroanatomy, Biophysics and Neurophysiology, Systematic Physiology, Pathology, Medical Microbiology, and Pharmacology. A single grade will be entered on the graduate transcript for this course. MD-PhD Students Only
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BME 713. Application of Computers in Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
Applications in the clinical and medical research laboratories for physiological data acquisition, analysis, and management of patient records. Differences among computer systems and languages for clinical and research activities are also covered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BME 722. Scanning Electron Microscopy Special Projects. 3 Credit Hours.
An advanced course for graduate students with basic skills in SEM. Course is open only to masters or Ph.D. students. Students will have an opportunity to do independent research under supervision of the instructor on special projects of interest that may be related to their field of study as long as it is not part of their thesis or dissertation.
Prerequisite: BME 522 Or BME 622.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BME 725. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Research and/or design projects through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BME 726. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Research and/or design projects through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring.

BME 728. Advanced Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Subject matter offerings based upon student demand and availability of faculty. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title "Advanced Topics".
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
BME 729. Advanced Medical Imaging. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of contemporary medical imaging systems and the associated technologies. The course focuses on principles of advanced medical imaging systems. Topics include multimodality imaging, three-dimensional image reconstruction and visualization, clinical and research applications, and derivation and comparison of algorithms.
Prerequisite: BME 620.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 731. Advanced Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Subject matter offerings based upon student demand and availability of faculty. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title "Advanced Topics."
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 732. Advanced Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Subject matter offerings based upon student demand and availability of faculty. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title "Advanced Topics."
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 735. Auditory and Visual Neural Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Design and application of auditory and visual neural systems and devices for medical purposes. Methodologies and instrumentation using electrophysiological, psychophysical and other measurements are explored focusing on diagnostic and therapeutic applications.
Prerequisite: BME 603.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BME 740. Implantable Biomedical Devices. 3 Credit Hours.
Development and advances in implantable materials and devices especially those used as electrically driven protheses. Topics include pacemakers, defibrillators, catheters, neurological stimulators, heart assist, bone repair, and other diagnostic and therapeutic devices. The historical, medical significance, business, economic, and technical aspects of these devices and the associated instruments for monitoring are discussed. Fundamentals of electrochemical corrosion and stimulation as well the technology of implantable power sources are reviewed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BME 745. Biomedical Optical Imaging and Diagnostics. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of geometrical optics, fiber optics, and tissue optics. Introduction to physical optics: interference, diffraction, and polarization; optical imaging resolution limits, super-resolution imaging, advanced optical microscopy, and optical coherence tomography (OCT). Imaging through scattering tissue, imaging and diagnostics with polarized light, fluorescence, infrared, and Raman spectroscopy and applications are also discussed. Optical diagnostics using scattered light: laser Doppler flowmetry, and dynamic light scattering; and opto-chemical and evanescent wave sensors are also covered.
Prerequisite: BME 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BME 760. Stem Cell-Based Tissue Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles and advanced topics on cellular and tissue engineering. Topics include biodegradable and non-biodegradable biomaterials, cytokines, the traditional and stem cell-based tissue engineering approaches, bioreactors and special topics such as bone, cartilage and other tissues.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BME 761. Stem Cell Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Stem cell engineering is a relatively new field of research that focuses on using stem cells and tissue derived products to repair damaged or diseased tissues. This course will examine through the most recent publications the role of stem cells and tissue derived donors for tissue repair, wound healing, and as well as regeneration/repair. In addition, we will highlight the use of engineered products developed from tissue banks associated with the different type of cells for clinical application. The course will use a mix of lectures/article presentations and discussion format to effectively present relevant information.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
BME 779. Biomedical Engineering Seminar Series. 1 Credit Hour.
A course for Biomedical Engineering doctoral students. Students will attend lectures and roundtable discussions with leading experts from both academia and industry.
Components: SEM.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BME 780. Graduate Scholarship in Biomedical Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
A course for Biomedical Engineering doctoral students. Students will learn to critically review scientific journal articles as well as NIH research proposals (i.e. R01, R03, F30/31 and R21 ). Students will also learn how to read federal grant application guidelines and determine what is required for a highly competitive written application. The students will have the opportunity to prepare their own research proposal in the form of an F31 NIH application on a biomedical engineering topic of interest. Students will also learn how to prepare and present their research findings at conferences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BME 781. Radiation Dosimetry and Physics. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of radiation physics in the field of radiation therapy. The course will cover the relevant subjects of modern physics, the basic modalities and basic instrumentations of radiation therapy, the principles of particle transport and radiation dose computation and quality assurance of radiation therapy instruments. The subject of radiation protection will also be discussed.
Prerequisite: BME 582. Or BME 682.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BME 783. Radiation Therapy Physics Clinical Rotation. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will observe clinical activities at a designated radiation therapy center for ten hours per week. Rotation includes observation of daily treatment, simulation, dose planning, physics quality assurance and routine physics support activities (special physics consultation, weekly physics chart check, monitoring radiation safety activities, support of brachytherapy procedures). Students will meet with the course instructor one and a half hours/week to discuss the schedule and the progress of the rotation activities. Students need to submit reports on each radiation therapy category.
Prerequisite: BME 682. And BME 781.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BME 784. Medical Physics Journal Club. 1 Credit Hour.
The course aims to keep track of recent developments in the field of Medical Physics for therapeutic and diagnostic purposes in oncology through reading, discussion and presentation of identified scientific papers from the major journals of Medical Physics among enrolled students.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BME 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BME 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master's degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in BME 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BME 825. Continuous Registration--Master's Study. 1 Credit Hour.
To establish residence for non-thesis master's students who are preparing for major examinations. Credit not granted. Regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
BME 830. Pre-candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Doctoral dissertation credits taken prior to Ph.D. student's candidacy. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Not more than 12 hours of BME 730 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.

Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Doctoral dissertation credits taken after Ph.D. student has been admitted to candidacy. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Not more than 12 credits in BME 740 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six credits in a summer session.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.

Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BME 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.

Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

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BST 603. An Introduction to Probability Theory and Its Applications. 3 Credit Hours.
This is an elementary introduction to probability theory. Its goal is to present the logic and the mathematics behind the theory, supply it with many examples and techniques, and to infuse these results in the student through many, many exercises.
Requisite: Academic Plan: BSTS_PHD or BSTS_MS.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Fall.

BST 605. Statistical Principles of Clinical Trials. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed for individuals interested in the statistical aspects of clinical trials. Topics include types of clinical research, study design, treatment allocation, randomization and stratification, quality control, sample size requirements, patient consent, and interpretation of results. This course will additionally cover strengths and limitations of alternative study designs such as quasi-experiments and observational studies. Common sources of bias in these alternative study designs will be described along with design approaches to minimize bias.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Spring.

BST 610. Introduction to Statistical Collaboration. 3 Credit Hours.
This course gives students exposure to issues arising in biostatistics consulting and collaboration. Students will learn how to identify the scientific objectives of a study and to develop a statistical strategy appropriate for those objectives. The student will become familiar with problems arising in consulting situations, specifically relating to identification of study objectives and framing of research questions, study design, power and sample size determination and choice of analytical approach. The student will learn to communicate through presentation of oral and written reports, and through student and faculty critiques of these reports. This course is open only to MS and PhD Biostatistics students or instructor's permission.
Requisite: Academic Plan: BSTS_PHD or BSTS_MS.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Summer.

BST 625. Survey of Statistical Computing. 3 Credit Hours.
This three credit course aims to familiarize students with the basic use of SAS and R for routine statistical analysis and prepare them for more advanced courses and/or thesis research. Statistical computation will be illustrated with examples in medical research, biological study and business. The focus of the course is on the computing environment, therefore a thorough discussion of statistical theories will not be provided. It is expected that students will already be prepared statistically.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Fall.
**BST 630. Longitudinal and Multilevel Data. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course offers students an introduction to linear and generalized linear models for the analysis of multi-level and longitudinal biomedical data. The course will also provide students with the opportunity to develop the skills necessary to perform analysis of these types of data using statistical software packages.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

**BST 640. Modern Numerical Multivariate Methods. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course covers multivariate topics from both a classical as well as modern perspective. Topics to include: Multivariate Normal Distribution; Spectral Decomposition; Principal Component Analysis; Canonical Correlation Analysis; Newton's Method; Steepest Descent; Gradient Boosting; Coordinate Descent Algorithms; Trees; Forests; Discriminant Analysis. The R programming language (http://www.r-project.org) will be used extensively throughout the course for computation and statistical analysis.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

**BST 649. Advanced Individual Study. 1-3 Credit Hours.**
Individual work on a special project under faculty guidance.
**Components:** IND.
**Grading:** SUS.
**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**BST 650. Topics in Biostatistical Research. 1 Credit Hour.**
The course consists of a series of research level presentations in contemporary biostatistics research (broadly defined) by diverse outside speakers as well as faculty in the Division of Statistics or in other units on campus who are hosting presentations in biostatistics research. The emphasis will be on new methodologies and new developments in existing methodologies. However, recent developments on the implementation and comparison of methodology and on data types may also be included.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** SUS.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**BST 660. Spatial Statistics. 3 Credit Hours.**
Spatial data commonly arise from many fields including business, ecological, and health studies. This course will cover advanced techniques to tackle the spatial correlation. Topics include variogram estimation, spatial prediction, spatial point pattern analysis, estimating function based methods and others. Real data examples will be used to motivate and illustrate the use of the methods.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

**BST 665. Design and Analysis of Clinical Trials. 3 Credit Hours.**
This first part of this course is an advanced treatment of the key ideas undergirding the design and analysis of contemporary clinical trials. By the end of the course, students will have learned the statistical foundations of Phase I, II, and III trials from the standpoint of classical Frequentist, Bayesian, and adaptive designs. In addition, students will learn the usual mechanisms for preparing a clinical trial protocol, data safety and monitoring, interim analysis, and proper close out of a trial.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

**BST 670. Bayes Data Analysis: Theory and Computing. 3 Credit Hours.**
This first part of this course is an advanced and comprehensive treatment of the foundations of Bayesian theory. Beginning with the Bayesian alternative to sampling theory, the course covers Savage’s axioms, the standard Bayesian inference procedure, subjective Bayes interpretation and prior selection, the minimax and complete class theorems, a variety of Bayesian principles (likelihood, stopping time etc.), and a selection of standard parametric and non-parametric examples. The second part focuses on the computational implementation of Bayesian inference, namely Gibbs sampling, Metropolis-Hastings, and other Markov-Chain-Monte Carlo techniques for obtaining the posterior and posterior quantities. Computational examples will be illustrated using R and WinBUGS. Special topics will include approximate Bayes computing (ABC) and particle methods.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

**BST 675. Intermediate Probability. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course covers the basic foundations of probability to limit theorems at an intermediate level. Topics to include are events, random variables and their distributions, discrete and continuous random variables, generating functions, markov chains and convergence.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.
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**BST 676. Introduction to Generalized Linear Models. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course provides a unifying framework for formulation, estimation and inference using generalized linear models and towards the end examines some modern day extensions. Throughout the course, real data applications from medicine will be used and extensive use will be made of the R programming language.

*Components:* LEC.
*Grading:* GRD.
*Typically Offered:* Spring.

**BST 680. Advanced Statistical Theory. 3 Credit Hours.**
The first part of this course is a searching treatment of many of the key ideas undergirding hypothesis testing and estimation. In particular, several of the main theorems in mathematical statistics will be stated and proved in full detail. By the end of the course, students will have acquired enough background material for the treatment of a special topic, through a mix of lectures and assignments. Topics will include asymptotic expansions, information theory and non-parametrics.

*Components:* LEC.
*Grading:* GRD.
*Typically Offered:* Spring.

**BST 690. Theory of Survival Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.**
Survival analysis is an important tool of statistic with many applications. In this course, without losing sight of such applications, we will give special emphasis to the probabilistic foundations, in terms of counting processes and martingales. Topics include: Failure time models, inference in parametric models, Cox models, counting processes and martingales, likelihood, competing risks and analysis of recurrent event data. The R programming language will be used.

*Prerequisite:* MTH 524, MTH 525, and BST 680.

*Components:* LEC.
*Grading:* GRD.
*Typically Offered:* Fall.

**BST 691. High Dimensional and Complex Data. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course will cover some salient topics in high dimensional data analysis focusing on the uniqueness of the problem and discussing various analyses including error rate control methods, model based shrinkage, prediction, set analysis, cluster analysis, bump hunting and (if time permits), graphical models.

*Components:* LEC.
*Grading:* GRD.
*Typically Offered:* Spring.

**BST 692. Data Science and Machine Learning for Health Research. 3 Credit Hours.**
BST 692 (3-credits) will teach computational data science techniques using end-to-end data processing pipelines. It will focus on applied data analysis problems that the faculty are actively trying to solve. Students will be presented with data that the faculty are working on and will be asked to apply programming knowledge that they have learned in previous classes. They will then study and apply new data acquisition, data processing, and machine learning methods to handle problems that are not well handled by the common techniques. The goal of the class is to give students the opportunity to deploy a complete data science pipeline. Students will apply their data acquisition and exploration skills to real world problems; study modern machine learning methods; contrast traditional and new methods to deal with large, complex and messy data; and learn to disseminate results through online, interactive displays.

*Components:* LEC.
*Grading:* GRD.
*Typically Offered:* Summer.

**BST 695. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.**
The course is designed to allow the listing of special topics within the Division of Biostatistics degree programs and cross list topics with other department's offerings.

*Components:* LEC.
*Grading:* GRD.
*Typically Offered:* Fall & Spring.

**BST 830. Doctoral Dissertation (pre-candidacy). 1-12 Credit Hours.**
Required of all candidates for the PhD. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor but not for less than a total of 24. Not more than 12 hours of BST 730 may be taken in regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session.

*Components:* THI.
*Grading:* SUS.
*Typically Offered:* Fall, Spring, & Summer.
BST 840. Doctoral Dissertation (Post-Candidacy). 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the PhD. The student will enroll for credits as determined by his/her advisor but not for less than a total of 24. Not more than 12 hours of BST 740 may be taken in regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BST 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the PhD. after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Business (BUS)

BUS 150. Business Analytics. 3 Credit Hours.
The primary purpose of this course is to build skills in learning and using software technologies to support business-oriented problem solving and decision making. Specifically, you will develop the ability to solve problems, to organize and analyze data using spreadsheet and database software, and to learn to distribute information to others through the effective use of collaborative technologies and the Web. Case problems will cover areas such as accounting, finance, marketing, statistics and operations management. Professors from several business school departments will discuss how their disciplines use spreadsheets to solve problems.
Requisite: Business School.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BUS 155. Exploration of Faculty Research in SBA. 1 Credit Hour.
Students will be exposed to some of the SBA's top faculty researchers to learn more about research opportunities and styles of research methodologies within b usiness.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BUS 156. Global Business Studies Introductory Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
The honors seminar provides an experiential introduction to culture, history, and geography of the region, as well as economic challenges and successes of business in the region. Course involves social interaction among Global Business Studies cohort through cultural visits and workshops/talks, both on and off campus. Travel component is designed to showcase key sectors of a regional economy, and includes case-study and presentation activities.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BUS 200. Introduction to Business. 3 Credit Hours.
Businesses today operate in an exceedingly complex environment. Such factors as commodity prices, labor and capital markets, as well as trends in tastes and preferences are constantly changing. This course will explore many of the key issues facing business decision makers in the contemporary environment, including an introduction to business ethics and corporate social responsibility. The course will take an interdisciplinary perspective, touching on essentially all of the business functions including economics, finance, accounting, marketing, management, and business communications. Using approaches from different business disciplines, students will gain insight into the structures and systems of business, as well as the strategies that firms use to compete effectively in the global business environment. BUS200 serves as the foundational course for the Business Cognate in People & Society, and it is offered for Gen Ed credit only.
Requisite: Non Business Majors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 201. Money. 3 Credit Hours.
Financial decisions are at the heart of success in today's economy. Thus, financial literacy and the ability to manage personal finances is increasingly important. This GENERAL EDUCATION course delivers a comprehensive introduction to savings and borrowing, investments, and insurance, including such topics as budgeting, banking and consumer credit, the purchase of residential real estate, planning for retirement, starting a business, and understanding basic financial statements. Not for credit toward any business major or minor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
BUS 202. Introduction to the Legal Environment of Business. 3 Credit Hours.
The course provides an overview of legal principles impacting business. Students will explore fundamental features of the U.S. judicial system, conflict resolution, the domestic system of property rights, the U.S. Constitution, and the regulatory process, as they relate to the business firm or business as a societal actor. Topical areas may include business ethics, consumer protection, employment discrimination laws, privacy concerns, the law of competition, and environmental regulation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 203. Managing Effectively: A Skills Development Approach. 3 Credit Hours.
This Business Cognate course focuses on the seven core skills used by successful managers in their day to day work. Students will explore these skills, how they are applied and practiced in organizational settings, how they enable organizational success, and how they fit with the students' own capabilities. The course uses an action-based learning format that makes students participants in the process whereby they assess, practice, and enhance their own managerial skills.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 204. Intro to Corporate Sustainability. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to issues associated with business and sustainability, through the lens of corporate governance and corporate citizenship. Readings, class sessions, and assignments are designed to instill in students a practical understanding of key corporate sustainability frameworks, challenges and opportunities, institutions, and actors in the global corporate context. Students will learn to apply alternative decision making models to current business activities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BUS 206. Principles of International Business. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide nonbusiness students with an understanding of what global business is, in particular how international business is conducted across countries with different sets of formal and informal institutions. It also addresses the issues facing multi-national corporations and the factors influencing their success or failure globally.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 211. Professional Development for Finance and Accounting. 1 Credit Hour.
This one-credit course is designed to immerse undergraduate BSAF students in professional development, including inculcating in them a deeper understanding of areas of specialization within accounting and finance, and of careers within those specialties, creation of a career direction and trajectory, development of job search strategies, enhancing their communication and networking skills, building and creating a compelling resume for these industries, and both general and specific interview techniques. It is designed to improve these students’ preparedness to find and secure internships and permanent placement offers, and ultimately to be successful in these industries.
Requisites: BSAF degree and Sophomore Status or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BUS 255. Business and Society: Inquiry and Discourse. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course will explore the relationships between business firms and their regulatory, ethical, political, cultural, and social environments. Students will be exposed to a wide range of source materials and academic activities, with the objective of developing their capacity for principled professionalism.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BUS 256. Global Business Studies Seminar II. 1 Credit Hour.
This honors seminar introduces the key political movements and concepts that have shaped society in the region studied.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
BUS 300. Critical Thinking and Persuasion for Business. 3 Credit Hours.
The modern businessperson faces a constantly evolving environment and must be able to confront and respond to an array of business issues. At the heart of an effective response is a critical, comprehensive analysis coupled with the ability to meaningfully and persuasively communicate that assessment and recommendations to a variety of constituencies. This course prepares business students for this by exposing them to a three-step process of problem solving in which they critically analyze the problem, and then communicate their analysis both in writing and orally.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 with a C- or better AND Requisite: Business School.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 356. Global Business Studies Seminar III. 1 Credit Hour.
This honors seminar facilitates understanding of economic challenges faced by business communities, connecting regional studies work with business curriculum. May be conducted in language of the region.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BUS 400. Senior Experience for Business Students. 0 Credit Hours.
The Miami Business School Senior Experience (SBX) is a virtual, self-paced, credit/no credit course specially designed to assist business seniors in successfully navigating the final year at the University of Miami Business School. The course collects the various tasks required of business seniors under a single LMS-enhanced umbrella, making it easier for students to track completion of mandated assignments within established deadlines. SBX also serves as a hub for peer networking and for access to relevant resources for senior-level students, related to professional life, graduate study, and young alumni leadership opportunities. Videos, power points, blogs, threaded discussions, as well as detailed instructions and web-links for required activities for graduating seniors are only a click away.
Requisite: Business School And Junior Or Senior Status.
Components: DIL.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 428. Multidisciplinary Action Projects. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The University of Miami Business School's Multidisciplinary Action Projects course (UMAP) places students with organizations throughout the world to address pressing organizational challenges. Students work in teams with guidance from faculty advisors to develop actionable and valuable recommendations for sponsoring organizations.
Components: EXP.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 456. Global Business Studies Seminar IV. 1 Credit Hour.
The honors seminar is designed to introduce students to research methods and structuring a thesis question/argument.
Requisite: Global Business Studies co-major.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 496. Directed Studies in Business. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project, or independent investigation of selected non-STEM related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BUS 497. Directed Studies in Business. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project or independent investigation of selected STEM-related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BUS 498. Special Topics in Business. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected non-STEM areas of Business.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BUS 499. Special Topics in Business. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected STEM areas of Business.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BUS 555. Business Departmental Honors Research Project. 3 Credit Hours.
Research project to fulfill requirements for Departmental Honors in Business.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BUS 556. Global Business Studies Seminar V. 1 Credit Hour.
This directed study course provides individual supervision in thesis writing.
Requisite: Global Business Studies co-major.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

This honors seminar is designed for completion of the thesis writing and individualized preparation for thesis defense.
Requisite: Global Business Studies co-major.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BUS 600. Critical Thinking and Persuasion for Business/Non-native English Speakers. 2 Credit Hours.
Critical thinking skills are developed by studying questions that transcend any single business discipline. Utilizing a variety of written formats, students hone analytic and persuasive skills, with emphasis on identifying critical issues, developing reasoned positions, and making compelling written arguments.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 601. MBA Math Module. 0-3 Credit Hours.
This course provides the student with the necessary mathematical skills to progress toward an MBA degree. The course begins with a review of algebra and continues with the fundamentals of differential and integral calculus. The focus is on applying these concepts in solving business problems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BUS 602. Critical Thinking and Effective Writing. 1 Credit Hour.
Critical thinking skills are developed by studying questions that transcend any single business discipline. Utilizing a variety of written formats, students hone analytic and persuasive skills, with emphasis on identifying critical questions, developing reasoned positions, and making compelling written arguments.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BUS 603. Critical Thinking and Effective Speaking. 1 Credit Hour.
Builds on critical thinking and writing skills acquired in BUS 602. Topics include oral persuasion, prepared and impromptu speeches and dealing with the media, defending one's view before adversarial audiences, display of data, and effective use of visual aids.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 604. Career Development and Enrichment. 0-1 Credit Hours.
This course will expose students to a variety of academic and industry career lectures, events, and workshops to enhance their MBA experience. The focus is to establish added-value to an MBA student through real world and relevant access to information and resources beyond the traditional curriculum.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
BUS 605. Residential Session Abroad. 1-6 Credit Hours.
One two-week session of the Global Executive MBA program is held abroad. During this corporate and international experience students attend lectures and institutional visits. This experience exposes students to other cultures and different perspectives on business issues, and widens international networking opportunities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BUS 610. Communicating for Career Success. 2 Credit Hours.
The modern businessperson faces a constantly evolving environment and must be able to confront and respond to an array of business issues. At the heart of an effective response is a critical, comprehensive analysis coupled with the ability to meaningfully and persuasively communicate that assessment and recommendations to a variety of constituencies. This course prepares business students for this by exposing them to a three-step process of problem solving in which they critically analyze the problem, and then communicate their analysis both in writing and orally. The critical thinking and communication elements of the course are supplemented with additional practical applications relating to career readiness, job search and job procurement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BUS 622. Global Business Consulting. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The Global Business Consulting (GBC) project is a collaborative course offered by participating CIBER schools to their Graduate Students. Students in related disciplines work in teams both virtually and in person on real business issues with multinational and local businesses and not-for-profits. Project supervision and final grade provided by Faculty Advisor.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BUS 624. Asian/Pacific Business Environment- International Trip. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Course content, dates and location will vary from semester to semester at selected universities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 625. Latin America Business Environment - International Trip. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Course content, dates and location will vary from semester to semester at selected universities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 628. Multidisciplinary Action Projects. 1-4 Credit Hours.
The Multidisciplinary Action Projects core course (MAP) places students with organizations throughout the world to address pressing organizational challenges. Students work in teams with guidance from faculty advisors to develop actionable and valuable recommendations for sponsors. For students, MAP provides an opportunity to augment and integrate knowledge of fundamental business concepts and tools learned in classroom settings. MAP also offers opportunities to develop and test both critical thinking and leadership skills through practical experience with real business challenges. For sponsoring organizations, MAP offers access to a high-caliber team of 4-6 students, the latest business concepts and tools, an external viewpoint, and rapid turnaround. The ultimate deliverable to the sponsor from a MAP project is a set of actionable, data-driven recommendations. MAP projects are based on sponsor needs and address a wide range of business issues — from identifying new processes and improving existing operations to launching new products and targeting new growth opportunities. Sponsors come from many different industries — from alternative energy to business process outsourcing to consumer products to financial services to healthcare to real estate to telecom. Sponsoring organizations may be large corporations, small entrepreneurial start-ups, or non-profit organizations. While each MAP project is different in context, all have essential features in common. All confront students with a real business challenge of significant importance and no existing solution. All require applying concepts and tools from multiple disciplines to successfully complete. All require dynamic sense-making, fact-based decisions, and high-performance teamwork. All unfold in unpredictable ways. All conclude with teams presenting actionable recommendations to project sponsors and faculty advisors.
Components: EXP.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BUS 629. Graduate Business Exchange Program. 1-16 Credit Hours.
Course content may vary from semester to semester at selected universities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
BUS 630. Fundamentals of Economics, Accounting, and Finance. 4 Credit Hours.
This course provides an overview of business economics, accounting, and finance. Economic themes primarily focus on microeconomic topics such as demand, supply, elasticity, and forms of competition. Accounting concepts include corporate financial statements, cost-volume-profit analysis, and traditional and activity-based cost accounting. Finance topics include time value of money, capital budgeting basics, foreign exchange, risk and return, modern portfolio theory, and financial markets. The course includes an integration of many of these concepts through an exposure to business plan development.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BUS 631. Business Analytics and Operational Excellence. 4 Credit Hours.
This course combines three disciplines that form the basis of a modern analytical approach to business management: statistics, optimization, and operations management. Many of the concepts covered are cross-disciplinary and can be applied to a variety of business functions and situations. Although specific examples will be used during the course to illustrate each concept, instruction will focus on the general applicability of the material. Topics to be covered include: numerical and categorical data, population/sample, parameter/statistic, introduction to excel, frequency distributions, histograms, pie charts, measures of variability, pivot tables, measures of association, random variables and distributions, sampling, types of hypothesis and of statistical errors, linear programming, network models, sensitivity analysis, integer and goal programming, forecasting, inventory management and location analysis.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BUS 632. Introduction to Strategy, Market, and Management. 4 Credit Hours.
This integrated course focuses on the external environment in which business firms operate and on the management techniques through which managers organize and motivate human resources to support strategic initiatives. It emphasizes in particular three critical sets of actors: customers, competitors, and employees. The purpose of the course is to introduce the student to basic conceptual frameworks and analytic models that managers use to a) identify and understand the customer segments that make up a marketplace, b) formulate strategies that achieve a competitive advantage within that marketplace, and c) lead and motivate employees in the execution of competitive strategies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BUS 633. Business Plan Fundamentals and Communications. 4 Credit Hours.
This course provides students with the fundamentals in the development and preparation of a business plan, as well as of oral and written business communications. Students, after exploring new venture opportunities, will develop a comprehensive business plan, including its functional components (marketing, finance, operational, human and intellectual capital plans), the support with which to secure the needed financial and human resources, and the organization to manage the new venture. Students will also enhance their communication skills with which to identify critical issues, develop reasoned positions, display data, use visual aids effectively, state persuasive and compelling arguments for written documents as well as prepared and impromptu speeches, and deal with the media.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BUS 634. Research Project. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Individually supervised research project in selected field. Scope of work must be approved by supervision instructor prior to registration. Total enrollment may not exceed six credits.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BUS 635. Research Project. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Investigation and research in special areas of interest. Offered by special arrangement. The study will be supervised and graded by a faculty member.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BUS 636. United States Business Environment - Domestic Trip. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Course content, dates and location will vary from semester to semester at selected universities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
BUS 642. Global Residency - South America. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This global residency in South America is one of four global residency courses associated with OneMBA, the truly global executive MBA program of Miami Herbert Business School. Across the OneMBA program of four residencies, students experience a week-long global residency in each course: BUS642- Global Residency- South America, BUS643- Global Residency- North America, BUS644- Global Residency- Asia, and BUS645- Global Residency- Europe. Students experience first-hand how business is done in different parts of the world. During each residency, students attend class, visit local and multinational firms, interact with leaders from business, government, and non-government agencies. And students meet, network and interact with their cohort, and global team members, face-to-face. Miami Herbert students join with students from OneMBA schools in other countries to build lasting relationships through formal learning experiences and cultural exchanges. This global residency course will include multiple activities, which address the institutional environment (economic, political social and cultural aspects), the business arena and the entrepreneurial ecosystem of South America – and their impact on business activity. Students should expect a balance between faculty and executive presentations, covering the challenges and opportunities of doing business in South America.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 643. Global Residency-North America. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This global residency in North America is one of four global residency courses associated with OneMBA, the truly global executive MBA program of Miami Herbert Business School. Across the OneMBA program of four residencies, students experience a week-long global residency in each course: BUS642- Global Residency- South America, BUS643- Global Residency- North America, BUS644- Global Residency- Asia, and BUS645- Global Residency- Europe. Students experience first-hand how business is done in different parts of the world. During each residency, students attend class, visit local and multinational firms, interact with leaders from business, government, and non-government agencies. And students meet, network and interact with their cohort, and global team members, face-to-face. Miami Herbert students join with students from OneMBA schools in other countries to build lasting relationships through formal learning experiences and cultural exchanges. In this global residency students take a closeup comparative look at Mexico and the United States and their place in the global business community from the perspective of Miami and Mexico City. In Miami, students begin by examining the role of the United States in global business, guided by world-class faculty and thought leaders in the field. They engage with executives from leading multinational companies on topics such as sustainable business, corporate innovation, and principled leadership. Students then move on to explore, firsthand, the burgeoning business environment in Mexico. In Mexico’s capital city, they dive into topics as diverse and important as mega trends in business development, high performance management, and transformational leadership.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 644. Global Residency-Asia. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This global residency in Asia is one of four global residency courses associated with OneMBA, the truly global executive MBA program of Miami Herbert Business School. Across the OneMBA program of four residencies, students experience a week-long global residency in each course: BUS642- Global Residency- South America, BUS643- Global Residency- North America, BUS644- Global Residency- Asia, and BUS645- Global Residency- Europe. Students experience first-hand how business is done in different parts of the world. During each residency, students attend class, visit local and multinational firms, interact with leaders from business, government, and non-government agencies. And students meet, network and interact with their cohort, and global team members, face-to-face. Miami Herbert students join with students from OneMBA schools in other countries to build lasting relationships through formal learning experiences and cultural exchanges. This global residency course will include multiple activities, which address the institutional environment (economic, political social and cultural aspects), the business arena and the entrepreneurial ecosystem of Asia – through the perspective of visits to China and India. Students should expect a balance between faculty and executive presentations, covering the challenges and opportunities of doing business in Asia.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 645. Global Residency-Europe. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This global residency in Europe is one of four global residency courses associated with OneMBA, the truly global executive MBA program of Miami Herbert Business School. Across the OneMBA program, students experience a week-long global residency in each course: BUS642- Global Residency- South America, BUS643- Global Residency- North America, BUS644- Global Residency- Asia, and BUS645- Global Residency- Europe. Students experience first-hand how business is done in different parts of the world. During each residency, students attend class, visit local and multinational firms, interact with leaders from business, government, and non-government agencies. And students meet, network and interact with their cohort, and global team members, face-to-face. Miami Herbert students join with students from OneMBA schools in other countries to build lasting relationships through formal learning experiences and cultural exchanges. This global residency course will include multiple activities, which address the institutional environment (economic, political social and cultural aspects), the business arena and the entrepreneurial ecosystem of Europe – through the vantage point of visits to The Netherlands and Poland. Students should expect a balance between faculty and executive presentations, covering the challenges and opportunities of doing business in Europe.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
BUS 650. Introduction to the Miami EMBA for the Americas. 1 Credit Hour.
This course provides incoming Executive MBA students an orientation to program tools and resources central to program success. Students will receive training in Blackboard, learn to access e-materials and navigate the business fundamental virtual modules, and increase their knowledge of business networking and influence. Students will also be introduced to business information resources and research strategies that they will use throughout the program. They will partake in Case Study preparation and receive an overview of the Integrated Project from Global Management, Global Enterprise, and Global Strategic Marketing perspectives. Students will also receive guidance on operating in teams both virtually and during the residency components of the program. Students will also participate in a corporate visit. This orientation also helps build a sense of affiliation among students and with the University.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BUS 651. Global Strategic Marketing. 4 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this course is to acquaint the student with the theories and practice of strategic marketing management in the Americas. This course will enable the student to understand markets, develop strategies to capture value, and develop marketing plans based on the nature of national as well as international markets. Specifically, the issues of strategic marketing in the context of firm level strategy will be addressed, as well as issues of value capture and delivery, customer life-time value, pricing, distribution, branding and communication in markets.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BUS 652. Global Strategy. 2-4 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this course is to change how the strategic environment is viewed, how students think about their own organizations and other others, and how strategy and its execution is viewed. This course will help the student: understand organizations as complex systems embedded in a set of evolving cooperative and competitive economic relationships; identify the distinct resources and capabilities that form the foundation of an organization's competitive advantage; formulate business strategies that anticipate imitation and competitor response; evaluate the relationship between a firm's competitive advantage and its growth opportunities; understand the role of the corporate center in supporting and enhancing the competitive success of operating divisions; and see the interplay of organizational structures, systems, networks, and influence centers that form the basis of effective strategy implementation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BUS 653. Global Institutions and Economy. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This course considers how a country's legal and economic institutional arrangements influence managerial strategy involving goods, services and financial flows across nations. The course addresses how economic problems are dealt with by institutional arrangements in different ways around the world. Discussions will emphasize the influence that these institutional arrangements have on managerial project strategy when firms operate across borders. Specific emphasis will be placed on legal, economic and financial institutions in the Americas.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BUS 654. Corporate Financing and Investing. 4 Credit Hours.
This course considers financing and investing within the corporation. As such, it will consider the theoretical structure of the problem, the boundaries that management faces and how these decisions are made by management. The inter-residency portion will focus on the theoretical development and computational aspects of solving the problems. The residency portion will emphasize case discussion and simulation to demonstrate the practical implementation as well as integrating these concepts into the overall management picture. The objective of the course is to develop your understanding of the principles that define financial decision making in the firm. These topics are an important component of the strategic planning and top-level management of the firm. The course will guide you through the theory and computational aspects applying the theory, then through application to situations that will enhance and cement your understanding. Finance theory is universal and therefore does not apply to any given country or system. All of the applications will be international, multinational, or global in context. A central theme of the course is decision making. Specifically we will focus on the financial aspects of major strategic decisions. We will build on previous courses to understand how institutions, accounting, legal structures and more, affect these decisions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 655. Public Policy and Health. 3 Credit Hours.
Development of public policy at the federal, state and local level. Policy process, models of policy analysis, policy development in several government service areas, and plans for policy change. Special emphasis on health policy formulation, implementation and the use of epidemiological tools in health policy analysis.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.
BUS 656. Integrated Business Project. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The Integrated Project course (IP) requires students to formulate, develop and implement three business projects that address pressing organizational challenge, over the 17-month duration of the EMBA for the Americas. Students may work in teams or individually to develop actionable and valuable recommendations for their chosen organization and present project outcomes to faculty advisors during the February, June and October residencies. For students, IP provides an opportunity to augment and integrate knowledge of fundamental business concepts and tools learned in classroom settings. IP also offers opportunities to develop and test both critical thinking and leadership skills through practical experience with real business challenges.

Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 657. Optimizing Human Capital. 2-4 Credit Hours.
The 21st century workplace has often been characterized as the "Age of Intellectual Capital," a time in which competitive advantage is linked intricately to optimizing human resources in distinctive ways. In this dynamic, global marketplace, Darwin rules. To survive, organizations must provide the best products, the best services with the best labor or risk extinction. Contextual factors including changing demographics; global social, economic, and regulatory issues; and technological innovations have created major challenges for organizational sustainability. In a recent publication based on survey results from 94 countries, talent acquisition, retention, management, and engagement were viewed as "urgent" global trends for the 21st century. Utilizing a variety of pedagogical approaches, this course will focus on the ways in which human capital can be leveraged to create sustainability as well as work environments that engage the minds and hearts of participants to achieve strategic initiatives.

Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BUS 658. Business Analytics. 2-4 Credit Hours.
One of the strengths of Business Analytics is its broad applicability. The skills learned in this module can be used in virtually any context of business, including but not limited to: finance, marketing, strategy, operations, logistics, transportation, health care, real estate, sports, manufacturing, etc. For that reason, rather than focusing on a single central theme, as do other modules in the MEMBAA program, the Business Analytics module touches on a variety of themes that illustrate its potential.

Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 660. High Performance Leadership. 4 Credit Hours.
The High Performance Leadership course was developed to help executives build a high-performance work environment and effectively operate in the multicultural environment of the Americas and the World. The course is divided into two parts. The first part, the inter-residency will concentrate on the facets of high-performance leadership. It will explore the fundamentals of leadership; investigate the major leadership theoretical concepts; explore a wide-range of leadership research; convey practical leadership implications; and share lessons in conquering self-leadership. This section will be taught online through readings, discussion boards, and case and leader analyses. The emphasis will be on building a sound grasp of good practice, and on developing the ability to apply such knowledge to actual business problems. The theories will be applied to specific situations. The second part of the course, the residency concentrates on the cross-cultural environment of the Americas (and global markets) and addresses four main topics. The first session focuses on Cross-Cultural Communication in Business and allows executives to understand culturally-specific communication patterns, negotiation styles, expectations, cues, and norms. The second session addresses Leadership Issues in Organizational Control and participants will explore ethical and moral dilemmas, and external communications by senior executives. The third session focuses on Cross Cultural Issues in Leadership and examines effective leadership across cultures. The final session addresses Guanxi and Doing Business in China. China is currently or will soon become the world’s largest economy (PPP basis) and is increasingly becoming important to the Americas. This session addresses critical thinking, cultural understanding, solutions to problems, and evaluating different options when doing business with China.

Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 661. Enhancing Global Operations. 4 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on how to manage more complicated global networks; how to optimize service and quality levels of performance; and, how to minimize risks yet maintain required capacities. Operational transformation requires commitment and expertise in strategy and execution to achieve lasting improvements. This course draws on research and real world issues confronting manufacturing and service companies today, providing strategic frameworks to enable executives to make smart choices so that their firms can deliver the products and services they are committed to providing their customers.

Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
BUS 662. Decision Making in Global Environment. 4 Credit Hours.
This course provides students with a systematic way to carefully think about decisions to arrive at more informed choices while doing business globally and specifically in the Americas. The course covers structuring decisions, creating alternatives, making tradeoffs among conflicting objectives, accounting for uncertainties and risk tolerance, and analyzing and evaluating alternatives. The course is intended to make participants aware of decision making issues surrounding global business, the dynamic issues surrounding their context, and how these affect managerial strategy. An objective of the course is to increase participants’ competence in managerial decision making related to globalization, institutions, incentives, corporate governance, regulation, business law, international finance and accounting, organizations and management (including culture), and international trade.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 663. Entrepreneurship and Innovation. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This course considers entrepreneurship and innovation within the Americas, together with a special emphasis on the Latin American context. The course covers the building blocks of the entrepreneurial process and pays special attention to the family business model where ownership is closely held. The objective of the course is to develop an understanding of the venture formulation process within the Americas and the processes that surround this. The topics of innovation; venture capital; venture formulation; human capital; market dynamics; technological readiness; role of government, regulation, and culture will be assessed. An objective of the course is to consider new models for venture design such as the agile model of development and the creation of the business canvases, a lean version of the traditional business plan.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 698. Selected Topics. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Topics in selected areas of business.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BUS 801. Introduction to Commercial Real Estate: Analysis and Field Experience. 3 Credit Hours.
Students enrolled in the Accelerated MBA in Real Estate program are required to participate in a one-week, four module, on-campus class followed by a full-time internship at a local Commercial Real Estate Institution during the first summer of the program. Module I: Students are introduced to the complexities of commercial construction techniques used in South Florida and the important links between architectural plans and economic value to owners and tenants. Module II: Students are introduced to the terminology and financial analysis of commercial real estate. Module III: Students are introduced to the application of real estate finance and valuation principles using ARGUS Valuation – DCF. Module IV: Students participate in a required internship at a local Commercial Real Estate Institution. Regarded as a full-time student.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

BUS 802. Commercial Real Estate Field Experience. 3 Credit Hours.
Students enrolled in the Accelerated MBA in Real Estate program are required to participate in a full-time internship at a local Commercial Real Estate Institution during the first fall semester of the program. This internship is subsequent to their previous summer internship (BUS 700). Regarded as a full-time student.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

Business Law (BSL)

BSL 212. Introduction to Business Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to business law and ethics for the undergraduate student. Topics include business ethics, contracts (the nature and requisites, formation, interpretation, performance and breach, and remedies), and sales (Uniform Commercial Code, Convention on the International Sale of Goods, transfer of title, warranties, and rights and remedies of buyers and sellers).
Requisite: Business School.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
BSL 304. Corporate Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the law and regulation of corporations and other business entities. Topics include: tort and other business liabilities, agency and fiduciary duty, partnerships, limited liability companies, corporations (including the legal relationships underpinning their financial structure, director and officer liability, and laws relative to change of control), securities regulation, and antitrust law.
Prerequisite: BSL 212 or equivalent or BUS 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BSL 305. Legal and Social Aspects of Business Regulation. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the legal and ethical issues arising out of business and the regulatory environment. Topics include business ethics and subjects as environmental law antitrust, securities, administrative process, consumer protection, and employment regulation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BSL 306. Introduction to Corporate Sustainability. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to issues associated with business and sustainability, through the lens of corporate governance and corporate citizenship. Readings, lectures, class discussion, and student projects are designed to instill in students a practical understanding of key corporate sustainability frameworks, challenges and opportunities, institutions, and actors in the global corporate context. Students will learn to apply alternative decision making models to current business activities. BSL 304 recommended as a prerequisite, but not required.
Prerequisite: BSL 212 or equivalent or BUS 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BSL 324. Negotiation. 3 Credit Hours.
This experiential course is designed to introduce undergraduate business students to the theory and practice of negotiation. The lectures and readings will discuss negotiation theory, equipping students with the concepts and terminology to prepare and execute value-creating, interest-based negotiations. Negotiation exercises will provide the student with an opportunity to apply the theoretical elements of the course in live, simulated negotiations. Extensive review of these simulated negotiations through classroom discussion and film analysis will assist students in cementing their understanding of the use of negotiation theory in practice. Although negotiation theory is applicable to a wide variety of academic contexts, this course focuses on negotiations in the practice of law and business.
Requisite: Business School or Business Law minor AND Prerequisite: BSL 212 or equivalent or BUS 202 AND Sophomore Standing or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BSL 333. Legal Aspects of Real Estate Transactions. 3 Credit Hours.
Legal principles controlling the acquisition, ownership, financing, and development of real property. Topics include nature and acquisition of rights in real property, theory of estates, co-ownership, fixtures, easements, legal descriptions, evidence of title, title insurance, deeds, mortgages, closing the sales and mortgage transactions, condominiums and cooperatives, brokers, and land use.
Prerequisite: BSL 212 or equivalent or BUS 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BSL 401. The Law of Financial Transactions. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of the law of commercial finance as it relates to existing and emergent payment systems, secured credit, and bankruptcy. Topics include: negotiable instruments, bank deposits and collections, secured transactions, personal and commercial bankruptcies, and accountant liability.
Prerequisite: BSL 212 or equivalent or BUS 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BSL 412. International Business Law. 3 Credit Hours.
International law and organizations, international sales, credits and commercial transactions, U.S. trade law, and the regulation of the international market place are discussed.
Prerequisite: BSL 212 or equivalent or BUS 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BSL 424. Intellectual Property Law. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to acquaint the business student with the general framework of laws that regulate innovation, marketing, competition, and business development in the U.S. Special emphasis will be placed on discussion of ethical issues in information property, unfair competition, and management of intellectual property across various industries.
Prerequisite: BSL 212 or equivalent or BUS 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BSL 435. Law of Entrepreneurship. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of the legal aspects of entrepreneurship and business management. Special emphasis on entity formation, intellectual property protection, capital formation, securities, tax planning, and risk management.
Prerequisite: BSL 212 or equivalent or BUS 202 or Entrepreneurship Minor for Non-Business Students AND Sophomore Standing or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BSL 460. Health Care Law and Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to offer students an appreciation of the legal foundations and ethical considerations in healthcare administration in the U.S. The readings and classroom discussion assist the student in (1) understanding the legal framework of relationships and institutions in healthcare, and (2) appreciating some of the particularly delicate ethical implications of decision-making in this field. Case study will promote the ability to analyze both. Special emphasis is placed on discussion of ethical issues in healthcare administration, including access to care, allocation of scarce resources and privacy.
Prerequisite: BSL 212 or equivalent or BUS 202 AND Business School or Business Law minor AND Sophomore Standing or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BSL 476. The Law of Risk. 3 Credit Hours.
This course offering will analyze risk in business and examine the tools that the law offers to identify danger and risk in the workplace and shift and minimize potential losses. This highly interactive course will first examine the various sources of legal risk, from criminal liability to employment discrimination to personal injury claims and toxic tort exposures. It will then examine the ways business and law pool, shift, and minimize risk. This seminar-style course will also include a significant experiential, hands-on component. Students will also practice contract construction and interpretation in a workshop environment.
Prerequisite: BSL 212 or equivalent or BUS 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BSL 485. Managing the Legal Factor. 3 Credit Hours.
This course offers the business manager a frank and analytical view of law and legal practice as they affect business decision-making. It addresses both the issues of cost containment and relationships between counsel and the company with the objective of achieving a more effective management of the legal function in business.
Prerequisite: BSL 212 or equivalent AND Requisite: Senior Status and Legal Studies major or Business Law minor. For Business Students only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BSL 496. Directed Studies in Business Law. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project, or independent investigation of selected non-STEM related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BSL 497. Directed Studies in Business Law. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project or independent investigation of selected STEM-related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BSL 498. Special Topics in Business Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected non-STEM areas of Business Law.
Prerequisite: BSL 212 or equivalent or BUS 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BSL 499. Special Topics in Business Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected STEM areas of Business Law.
Prerequisite: BSL 212 or equivalent or BUS 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BSL 555. Business Law Departmental Honors Research Project. 3 Credit Hours.
Research project to fulfill requirements for Departmental Honors in Business Law.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BSL 612. Legal Aspects of International Business. 3 Credit Hours.
International legal framework, transactional legal issues in finance, marketing, management, distribution, and a review of theory and practice of negotiations. Case studies on such topics as legal implications of GATT, European Competition, C.I.S.G., and Export Import Rules are also included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BSL 624. Negotiation: Theory and Practice. 2-3 Credit Hours.
This experiential course is designed to introduce graduate business students to the theory and practice of negotiation. The lectures and readings will discuss negotiation theory, equipping students with the concepts and terminology to prepare and execute value-creating, interest-based negotiations. Negotiation exercises will provide the student with an opportunity to apply the theoretical elements of the course in live, simulated negotiations. Extensive review of these simulated negotiations through classroom discussion and film analysis will assist students in cementing their understanding of the use of negotiation theory in practice. Although negotiation theory is applicable to a wide variety of academic contexts, this course focuses on negotiations in the practice of law and business.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BSL 675. Advanced Business Law. 2 Credit Hours.
Advanced Business Law focuses on the following substantive subject areas commonly encountered by Certified Public Accountants and tested on the Uniform Certified Public Accountancy Examination: business ethics, contracts (including formation, performance, breach, and remedies), commercial transactions under UCC Article 2, commercial paper, agency principles, and secured transactions. Special attention is given to the areas tested on Regulation section of the Uniform CPA Exam.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BSL 685. Legal Aspects of Health Administration. 2-3 Credit Hours.
Derivation of rule of law governing health providers, vicarious liability of administrative and medical personnel, informed consent, and other related problems are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BSL 690. Responsible Business. 2 Credit Hours.
BSL 690 explores the law's role in regulating responsible business and the impact of law on managerial decision-making. Students will evaluate whether the law engineers responsible, sustainable business, focusing on tort, compliance, and criminal law as examples of the law as regulator. Critical to this analysis is the degree to which ethics and corporate social responsibility are vital gap fillers. Students will achieve a firm grasp on and will practice using ethical decision-making models. Other topics include, for example, contract law as a means to achieve mutually agreed-upon responsible conduct in business.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
BSL 691. The Public Corporation: Legal Perspectives. 2 Credit Hours.
The Public Corporation: Legal Perspectives reviews the laws governing the formation, operation, regulation, and governance of the public corporation with the objective of providing the graduate business student a sophisticated examination of the legal and social aspects of managing the money of others. Further, the course examines the rules and regulations governing the raising of capital from the public through the sale of securities for the development of and investment in a private enterprise.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BSL 692. Legal Implications of International Business Transactions. 2 Credit Hours.
International legal framework, transactional legal issues in finance, marketing, management, and distribution. Case studies in substantive international legal topics such as international sales contracts, international documentary sale, international terms of trade, legal implications and substantive rules governing international finance, collections, payments, and letter of credit, the resolution of international disputes with a particular emphasis and examination upon the management of litigation, enforcement of foreign judgments, and alternative dispute resolution are also included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BSL 694. Real Estate Law. 2 Credit Hours.
Real Estate Law focuses on the U.S. legal system as it relates to the buying, selling, and financing of real property. In addition to traditional text material, the analysis of U.S. court cases is used to detail the legal factors of ownership rights and liabilities, specific interests in real property, contracting issues related to the purchase and sale of real property, as well as financing and closing the real estate transaction. The course provides a problem-solving experience, which is intended to develop graduate students' critical thinking process as well as their skills in oral and written communication.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BSL 695. Legal Implications in Executive Decision Making. 3 Credit Hours.
Law and legal process are examined as they mix with the politics and ethics of business, including the weight given to legal implications in the executive decision-making process.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BSL 696. Legal and Ethical Implications in Executive Decision Making. 3 Credit Hours.
Business and public administration cases requiring identification of the legal, ethical, and social elements as well as the determination of the weight such elements should have in setting policy are discussed. Integration of law and ethics with public and business administration is also included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BSL 698. Selected Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics in selected areas of specialization.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

Business Technology (BTE)

BTE 120. Introduction to Business Technology and Programming. 3 Credit Hours.
This Course covers the fundamentals of technology focusing on programming logic and structured programming principles including problem solving, algorithm design, and program development using Python. The course introduces the student to object-oriented programming through a study of the concepts of program specification and design, algorithm development, and coding and testing using a modern software development environment. Students learn how to write programs in an object-oriented high-level programming language (Python). Topics covered include fundamentals of algorithms, flowcharts, problem solving, programming concepts, classes and methods, control structures, arrays, and strings, data structures and object oriented programming. Throughout the semester, problem-solving skills will be stressed and applied to solving computing problems. Weekly assignments will provide hands-on experience in topics covered in this course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BTE 210. Fundamentals of Business Technology and Innovation. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the fundamental technologies used in business today. Topics include information technology platforms; enterprise technology concepts; network infrastructure; enterprise resource planning; information security; technology architectures; internet; cloud, mobile, and web platforms; analytical technologies; business intelligence; expert systems, and Big Data. Students work on an innovation project to create a specification/business canvas for a new technology product.
Requisite: Business School.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BTE 320. Introduction to Programming. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the fundamentals of programming logic and structured programming principles—including problem solving, algorithm design, and program development—using a high level programming language. Topics covered include fundamentals of algorithms, flowcharts, problem solving, programming concepts, classes and methods, control structures, arrays, and strings, pointers, and data structures.
Requisite: Miami Business School or BTE Minor or CSC Major or Minor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

BTE 324. Object-Oriented Programming. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces the concepts and fundamental techniques of object-oriented programming. Topics include: data abstraction, encapsulation, inheritance, polymorphism, class library, graphics/GUI, exception handling, multithreading, multimedia, files and streams, Internet applets, application development, integrated development environment, interactive program debugging and the eXtensible Markup Language (XML).
Prerequisite: BTE 320 or equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BTE 360. Systems Analysis and Design. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces the techniques of systems analysis and design. Topics include: the Software Development Life Cycle (SDLC), Agile Programming, Extreme Programming, lean software development, Universal Modeling Language (UML), requirements modeling, data modeling, user interface design, data design, normalization, systems architectures, implementation methods, and testing methodologies.
Prerequisite: BTE 320 or CSC 120 or ECE 118 or equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BTE 361. Design of Information Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of BTE 360. Topics include concepts, tools, and techniques of systems design, prototyping, file/database design, and physical process modeling. Students work in groups to design an application system for a business related problem.
Prerequisite: BTE 360.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BTE 389. Launching HighTechnology Ventures. 3 Credit Hours.
This course develops an understanding of the entrepreneurial processes as they apply to new technology ventures. Topics include: venture formation, venture and angel investments, innovation and creativity, business plan creation, human capital, ethics, and intellectual property.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BTE 400. Web-Mobile-Cloud. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces the basics of the cloud computing paradigm and examines how to implement different algorithms for different web and mobile applications in the cloud. The course covers the principles, systems, and applications of cloud computing that integrate web applications, smart phones, and tablets with cloud computing infrastructure. The student will be introduced to the basics of Infrastructure, Platform, and Software as a Service (IaaS/PaaS/SaaS), as well as to cloud platforms such as Google App Engine, Microsoft Azure, and Amazon Web Services (AWS).
Prerequisite: BTE 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
BTE 401. Computers in an Inter-Networked Society. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides students with fundamental knowledge of the technology and tools that integrate big data, cloud, and mobile computing within a business and social context. Students will study these technologies and their impact on socioeconomic, political, organizational, and personal environments. The course covers the cultural components of a social media society and examines the systems and processes that need to be developed for effective management of that environment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BTE 412. Foundations of Business Enterprise Technologies. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an understanding of the foundations of enterprise technologies. Topics include: making the business case for technology, distributed architectures, customer relationship management systems (CRM), enterprise resource planning systems (ERP), requirements modeling and design for enterprise systems, software development and outsourcing for the enterprise, enterprise productivity technologies (RFID, internet of things, machine data), 3D-design technologies, cloud technologies, and technologies for the global enterprise.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BTE 413. Big Data Strategy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to the area of business intelligence termed Big Data. The concepts of high volume, velocity, and variety data are examined. The course examines how big data can be used to create business intelligence strategies in the areas of marketing, product development, systems deployment, and innovation. The course utilizes business intelligence software and Structured Query Languages (SQL) to analyze data. Other Big Data topics covered include the ethics, security, streaming data, sourcing, emergent technologies, and international data regulations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BTE 417. Fundamentals of Tech Project Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide the fundamental project management knowledge necessary for a business manager, consultant, project manager, IT professional, and/or team member to successfully initiate and plan IT and other business projects. It is structured to provide principles, methodology, and practical information through a combination of lectures, group collaboration and hands-on exercises. Emphasis is placed on the importance of standardization and best practices as defined by the PMI's Project Management Body-of-Knowledge (PMBOK®).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BTE 420. Python Programming for Fintech. 3 Credit Hours.
The course covers the fundamentals of object-oriented programming, logic and structured programming principles including problem solving, algorithm design, and program development using Python with focus on financial programming applications. Topics covered include fundamentals of algorithms, flowcharts, problem-solving, programming concepts and methodologies, control structures, arrays, and strings, classes and class-methods, data structures and object oriented programming concepts including classes, methods, inheritance and polymorphism.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BTE 421. Design of Information Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of BTE 420. Topics include concepts, tools, and techniques of systems design; prototyping; file/database design; and physical process modeling. Students will work in groups to design an application system for a business related problem.
Prerequisite: BTE 420.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BTE 422. Tech Foundations of Fintech. 3 Credit Hours.
The course covers multiple disciplines of technology and how they are individually and collectively applied in financial systems, transactions, payments, and data lifecycles. The course aims to develop a student’s understanding of key technological components such as cloud computing, Internet of Things(IoT), Big Data and Machine Learning, Artificial Intelligence, Blockchain technologies, data security, privacy and technology regulations as they relate to financial transactions, financial institutions, public and private business entities, governments, regulations and an overall monetary system.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
**BTE 423. Database Management Systems. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course covers the foundations of database management systems (DBMS). Topics include: database systems design, SQL, the relational model, entity-relationship modeling, distributed DBMS, object DBMS, web technology and DBMS, semi-structured data, XML, business intelligence, data warehousing, data warehousing design, introduction to OLAP and a brief overview of data mining. Students will engage in hands-on exercises for the design and implementation of database business applications.
Prerequisite: BTE 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**BTE 430. Business Networks. 3 Credit Hours.**
In this course, students will learn the underlying concepts and technologies in the field of business networks with specific focus on their applications in businesses. Topics covered include: network types, networking standards, protocols, and architectures; the characteristics of physical and logical networking components and technologies; the security issues that affect network systems and their implications on business applications; the technical and organizational issues concerning wireless networks; emerging networking technologies and software tools for designing and troubleshooting various aspects of networks.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

**BTE 450. Introduction to Health Informatics. 3 Credit Hours.**
The course develops an understanding of the role of information systems and technology within a healthcare organization. It examines the business and technical issues associated with the selection, deployment and use of health informatics, both in the clinical and back office areas. Health informatics, for the purpose of the course, is defined as the convergence of information technology, information management, and health care, at various levels, ranging from simple data gathering, to the design and implementation of new health care information systems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

**BTE 465. Web Application Development. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course will explore Internet and mobile application development methodologies. Topics include: HTML 5, CSS3, scripting languages (JavaScript); jQuery, AJAX, web services, Web Servers (IIS and Apache) and relational databases (MySQL/Apache Derby/Java DB)—all the skills and tools needed to create dynamic Web-based and mobile applications. The coverage will be both on the client side and the server side of Web-based applications, and the course will provide instruction on building rich Internet applications that enhance the presentation of online content and give web applications the look and feel of desktop applications. Students in the course will build Web-based, client/server, database-intensive, multi-tier, and mobile business applications.
Prerequisite: BTE 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

**BTE 496. Directed Studies in Business Technology. 1-3 Credit Hours.**
Supervised readings, individual research project, or independent investigation of selected non-STEM related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

**BTE 497. Directed Studies in Business Technology. 1-3 Credit Hours.**
Supervised readings, individual research project, or independent investigation of selected STEM related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

**BTE 498. Special Topics in Business Technology. 3 Credit Hours.**
Special topics in selected non-STEM areas of Business Technology.
Prerequisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BTE 499. Special Topics in Business Technology. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected STEM areas of Business Technology.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BTE 523. Big Data Development. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers foundational techniques and tools required for data science and big data analytics. The course delivers a thorough overview of and hands-on experience with Big Data technologies, including: Hadoop, Mapreduce, Association rules, Large scale supervised machine learning, Data streams, Clustering, NoSQL systems (Casadenra, Pig, Hive), and applications, including recommendation systems, Web, and security. Students will also examine current research and publications in Data Science/Big Data Analytics, with emphasis on systems and algorithms for large-scale advanced data analysis.
Prerequisite: BTE 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BTE 524. Mobile Apps Development. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the fundamentals of programming logic and structured programming principles—including problem solving, algorithm design, and program development for mobile environments—with a focus the Android Platform. The course introduces the requirements and methodologies for developing dedicated and client-server applications that target smartphones, tablet computers, and other mobile devices. Topics include: memory management, communications, power systems, APIs, and among others. The techniques studied are applicable to and can be transitioned to the iOS or Windows 8 platforms.
Prerequisite: BTE 320 and BTE 324.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BTE 535. Information Security. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces the principles of computer security. Information is an important strategic and operational corporate asset that needs to be protected from data breaches. This course investigates some of the security measures that can be employed to safeguard information and explores some of the tools and techniques used in designing these measures. Students will examine how system designs, network protocols, and software engineering practices can result in vulnerabilities. They will also explore how to detect and mitigate vulnerabilities in existing systems and, so, how to design and implement better future systems. Additional topics include ethical hacking, social engineering strategies, and other approaches to managing vulnerabilities.
Prerequisite: BTE 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BTE 550. Business Technology Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Student is individually assigned to operating business firm or other organization to gain insight in information technology practice in the area of career interest. Periodic reports and conferences are required.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BTE 555. Business Technology Departmental Honors Research Project. 3 Credit Hours.
Research project to fulfill requirements for Departmental Honors in Business Technology.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BTE 565. Mobile to Cloud: Developing Distributed Applications. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to the basics of the emerging cloud computing paradigm. It also examines how to implement different algorithms for different applications in the cloud and how to deploy mobile applications in the cloud. The course covers the principles, systems, and applications of mobile cloud computing that integrates smart phones and tablets with virtualized distributed computing infrastructure. Students will learn the fundamentals of a variety of systems such as virtual machines, the principles and practices of client/server architectures, the concepts and practices of Infrastructure, Platform, and Software as a Service (IaaS/PaaS/SaaS), cloud platforms such as Google App Engine, Microsoft Azure, and Amazon Web Services(AWS), as well as security issues.
Prerequisite: BTE 320 and BTE 324.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BTE 571. AI Programming for Business Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of AI programming languages and technologies. Topics include: Functional Programming, Logical Programming, Software methodologies for development of AI systems and software.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BTE 601. Programming for Distributed Systems. 2 Credit Hours.
This course covers the fundamentals of programming logic and structured programming principles including problem solving, algorithm design, and program development using Python. The course introduces the student to object-oriented programming through a study of the concepts of program specification and design, algorithm development, and coding and testing using a modern software development environment. Students learn how to write programs in an object-oriented high-level programming language Python. Topics covered include fundamentals of algorithms, flowcharts, problem solving, programming concepts, classes and methods, control structures, strings, and data structures. Throughout the semester, problem solving skills will be stressed and applied to solving computing problems. Weekly assignments will provide hands-on experience in topics covered in this course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BTE 608. Technology and Innovation. 1 Credit Hour.
The focus of this course is two-fold. First, it deals with some of the digital innovations shaping our businesses. We look into some of the core technologies such as blockchain and machine learning. We examine closely the way by which such technologies become the basis for innovation processes with the potential to change companies and even industries. In doing this, platforms and platform architectures are covered. Second, the course covers the strategic management of technology innovation. It deals with the industry dynamics of technological innovation as it is expressed in terms of standards battles, modularity, and platform competition. It furthermore deals with how to formulate and implement technological innovation strategies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BTE 609. Artificial Intelligence for Business. 1 Credit Hour.
The unprecedented improvement in the performance-price ratio of computer processing technology and data storage and management, as well as the use of more advanced algorithms, has moved machine learning from IBM’s Pughkeepsie Laboratory in the 1950s to the heart of today’s most successful platform businesses. Examples such as GE Healthcare’s Edison, Skype’s recommendation engine, and IBM Watson witness of new interesting applications of artificial intelligence, promising to shape our future businesses. We are indeed increasingly recognizing how this potential is turning into a new business reality. The pervasive use of artificial intelligence as reflected in, for instance, self-driving cars, robotic technology, and language technology is impressive in itself. It promises to challenge what we know about transportation, service work, intellectual activity, and so on. In this regard, digital technology is no longer merely a way of more efficiently supporting business processes, but also something that will strategically shape the core of what companies do. At the same time, for the individual firm, turning the promise of artificial intelligence into successful business application can be challenging. The firm needs to develop its AI capability and use that capability to improve its products and services. This course deals with the factors that facilitate business use of artificial intelligence including AI capability, data management, user-centered design, and platform governance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BTE 610. Digital Transformation. 2 Credit Hours.
Course is designed to give prospective managers and line employees an understanding of how technology can be used to transform business and how organizational change occurs in that context. Topics include technology platforms and solutions, design thinking, technology-business models, technology leadership issues, managing technology change, and innovation through technology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BTE 612. Enterprise Technologies. 2 Credit Hours.
Course addresses the needs of business students who wish to expand their understanding of information technology fundamentals. Focusing upon their use in today’s enterprises, the course aims to provide students with knowledge of a variety of technological concepts commonly used in the IT Organization’s systems development initiatives and enables students to understand the implications of deploying such technologies within the enterprise.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BTE 613. Business Intelligence Technologies. 2 Credit Hours.
Course facilitates business decision makers in their understanding of data analysis tools that operate over data warehouses and 'data marts' more commonly referred to as Business Intelligence. Course focuses upon using technologies to drive effective data driven decision making through effective mining of corporate data warehouses, thus improving operational efficiency and ultimately increasing profitability. Students are exposed to the concepts, analysis techniques, data cubes, and manipulation of information extracted from a data warehouse that enables the formulation and execution of business strategies. Data analysis case studies are used to reinforce students' understanding and strategic use of results to accomplish business objectives.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BTE 617. Information Technology Project Management. 2 Credit Hours.
Course covers the identification and development of information technology plans for projects supporting the organization's business objectives and all activities required in the initiating, planning, executing, controlling, and closing phases of the project's lifecycle. Course is intended to provide the body of knowledge and best practices necessary for a new Consultant, Business Analyst or Project Manager to successfully perform his/her responsibilities on a wide variety of IT enterprise projects.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BTE 620. Database Development for High Performance Computing. 2 Credit Hours.
Course enables software developers to understand the fundamental database concepts, practice, and emerging trends in relational database design and implementation for high performance computing. Formal query languages are covered including SQL, No SQL and relational object-orientated databases are examined. Other topics include database performance tuning and query optimization, distributed database systems, administration and security.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BTE 621. Management of Digital Transformation. 3 Credit Hours.
Course is designed to give prospective senior managers an understanding of how technology can be used to transform business. Topics include technology platforms and solutions, design thinking, technology-business models, technology leadership issues, managing technology change, and innovation through technology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BTE 622. High Performance Computing. 2 Credit Hours.
The course is designed to introduce HPC and Big Data Compute environments. Topics include: Cloud concepts, container concepts, distributed file systems, dockers, fundamentals of the ETL process, introduction to the Hadoop environment, Pig, Hive and JAQL, BigSQL, and SQL.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BTE 623. Database Management Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Course covers the fundamental concepts of database management systems using the Oracle DBMS. Topics include database theory and terminology, logical modeling, normalization, SQL language, database design and implementation, database administration, data security, database transaction/concurrency, and data backup.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BTE 624. Mobile Apps Development. 3 Credit Hours.
The course covers the programming languages associated with the iPhone application. Topics include the development platform, the libraries used, memory management, communication and power systems, APIs and tools associated with application development for the mobile environment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
BTE 630. Fundamentals of Local and Wide Area Networks. 3 Credit Hours.
Course provides the graduate student the necessary knowledge to understand the design, integration, technologies, and services of local and wide area networks (LANs and WANs) in the business environment. Topics include signal transmission and propagation, standards and protocols, data communications media and devices, layered/encapsulated communications based on the hybrid TCP/IP-OSI standards, small and large-site PC LANs, Frame Relay, ATM, Virtual Private Networking (VPN), Telephony, Internet technologies, and network security.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BTE 631. Computer and Network Security. 3 Credit Hours.
Protection of computers and networks against unauthorized access, access control, encryption, firewalls, proxy, digital certificates, and software security are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BTE 635. Comp Communication Security. 3 Credit Hours.
The course covers technical and managerial aspects associated with the deployment of mobile communication platforms such as phones and tablets. The course investigates and introduces some of the security measures that can be employed to safeguard these devices and explores some of the tools used in designing these measures. Topics includes: Ethical Hacking, social engineering strategies, and other approaches to managing these vulnerabilities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BTE 640. Data Communications and Networking. 3 Credit Hours.
Course addresses advanced topics in computer networks from the perspective of a business decision-maker. The course begins with a focus on signal propagation, media characteristics, and digital and analog encoding techniques. It continues with a study of datalink, network, and transport layer functions as defined by the OSI and TCP/IP models. The architecture of the Internet is explored and routing algorithms for wired, wireless, and peer-to-peer networks are introduced. Course concludes with a high-level overview of the top OSI layers. After taking the class the students should be able to critically evaluate network solutions based on the capabilities and limitations of the equipment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BTE 646. IT Planning and Project Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Course covers the development of information technology strategic and tactical plans for projects supporting the organization’s business objectives and project management as applied to planning, implementing, controlling networking, information systems and e-commerce projects. Course is intended to provide a body of knowledge necessary for a new Consultant or Project Manager to successfully initiate, plan, manage, control, and report on a variety of project types. People skills required in the areas of team selection, structure, conflict resolution, and leadership is also covered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BTE 650. Introduction to Health Informatics. 3 Credit Hours.
The course develops an understanding of the role of information systems and technology within a healthcare organization. It examines the business and technical issues associated with the selection, deployment and use of health informatics, both in the clinical and back office areas. Health informatics, for the purpose of the course, is defined as the convergence of information technology, information management, and health care, at various levels, ranging from simple data gathering, to the design and implementation of new health care information systems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BTE 665. Applied Software Project Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced concepts and techniques in application project development. Topics include project management, program testing, documentation, application installation, and application maintenance. Students will work on a group project to sharpen their implementation skills. Prerequisite: CIS 223 or 226 or equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BTE 680. Topics in Business Technology. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics in selected areas of specialization.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BTE 682. Topics in Business Technology. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics in selected areas of specialization.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BTE 684. Topics in Business Technology. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics in selected areas of specialization.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BTE 685. Topics in Business Technology. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics in selected areas of specialization.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BTE 686. Topics in Business Technology. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics in selected areas of specialization.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BTE 687. Topics in Business Technology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics in selected areas of specialization.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BTE 690. Directed Study in Business Technology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Investigation and research in special areas of interest. Offered by special arrangement.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BTE 691. Directed Study in Business Technology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Investigation and research in special areas of interest. Offered by special arrangement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BTE 699. Directed Study in Business Technology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Offered by special arrangement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
Cancer Biology (CAB)

CAB 701. CAB Student Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
This course (required of 2nd and 3rd year students) offers instruction on the fundamental elements of scientific speaking. The ability to communicate effectively is essential for scientists. All CAB students are required to present their research each year as a 25 min (2nd year students) or 55 min seminar (3rd year and above). Students who are 4th year+ give seminars but are not enrolled.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CAB 705. Translational to Clinical Research. 0-1 Credit Hours.
Beginning in the fall of their second year, students participate in "Translational to Clinical Research", which spans years two through four of the program. Students are introduced to clinical trials, pathology reviews, tumor boards, the protocol review process and have an opportunity to interact with physicians who care for cancer patients and conduct clinical trials. The student's Physician Mentor advises and directs the student in the most relevant activities to attend and discusses the student's experience with them every semester. Students are required to attend 2 meetings each semester for a total of 12 meetings in addition to discussion with their Physician Mentors. A short written report of each review meeting of the student's experience is required. Didactic seminars are not accepted.

Components: DIS.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CAB 710. Cancer Biochemistry and Molecular Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
This is an entry-level lecture course designed to introduce students to the major concepts and principles of cell growth deregulation in cancer with a major emphasis on molecular mechanisms. Topics include: oncogenes, tumor suppressors, mechanisms of uncontrolled cell growth, receptors and intracellular signal transduction pathways.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAB 712. Special Topics in Cancer Research - Viral Oncology and Tumor Immunology Module. 2 Credit Hours.
This module emphasized state of the art knowledge of each discipline, student participation in a problem based learning context. Topics include viral carcinogenesis and epidemiology, Hepatitis, Herpes, Epstein Barr and Human Papilloma Viruses, Kaposi's Sarcoma, viral induced lymphomas, viral oncolysis, and mechanisms of anti-tumor immunity.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAB 713. Special Topics in Cancer Research - Molecular Cancer Therapeutics Module. 2 Credit Hours.
This module explores the signal transduction pathways critical for cancer cell proliferation and survival that may provide new therapeutic targets, approaches for identification and validation of molecular targets within these pathways. Students are introduced to the strategies used in the discovery and design of biological and drug based therapies, and the implementation of clinical trials.

Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAB 714. Integrated Cancer Epidemiology and Prevention and Biobehavioral Oncology. 2 Credit Hours.
2 credits, Spring I (7-week module) (Offered alternate years 2018, 2020, 2022) Tuesday/Thursday 3:30 – 5:00 p.m. The overall philosophy of this module is to introduce students to the basic principles of biobehavioral oncology and integrated cancer epidemiology and cancer prevention. The course will explore cancer epidemiology approaches used to identify the molecular and genetic mechanisms of cancer risk and progression and how these are used to develop predictive models in treatment response. It is necessary to integrate modern and rapidly evolving multi-omic technologies to study, develop predictive models of disease etiology, treatment and prevention. Lectures will take into context, feasibility, quality control and practical limitations of integration of data types. Methods for identifying social, environmental, and biological reasons for cancer disparities among different populations will also be covered. Sections on biobehavioral oncology include: health behavior change processes in persons at risk for and diagnosed with cancer; methods to improve adaptation to cancer diagnosis and treatment, psychosocial intervention research techniques and bio-behavioral processes explaining their effects on health and quality of life (QOL), translation of behavioral and psychosocial intervention to the community, symptom/treatment side effects management approaches, predictors of late effects of cancer treatment and development of preventative interventions.

Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Spring.
CAB 715. Special Topics in Cancer Research - Breast and Genitourinary Cancers Module. 2 Credit Hours.
This module highlights key aspects of the cellular and molecular mechanisms of breast, prostate, renal and bladder cancers as well as providing an overview of cancer detection, diagnosis, and therapy. Emerging research opportunities are identified. Topics include estrogen receptor and androgen receptor signaling, cancer progression, endocrine therapies and resistance. Key signaling pathways and the biology of metastasis will be discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAB 716. Special Topics in Cancer Research: Design and Management of Cancer Clinical Trials. 1 Credit Hour.
Modeled after the AACR-ASCO Methods in Clinical Cancer Research Workshop, this course includes 20 hours of lectures and discussion over five weeks. Participants complete homework assignments leading to the development of a clinical trial protocol ready for IRB submission by the end of the series. Lectures teach basic research concepts and principles that underlie the design and actual day-to-day conduct of clinical trials, using examples primarily from cancer clinical trials.
Components: DIS.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CAB 720. Dialogues with Cancer Clinicians (PIBS Module). 1 Credit Hour.
This module features physician mentors of the Cancer Biology Graduate Program who will discuss clinical aspects of cancer treatment with an emphasis on continuity of care of newly diagnosed patients between disciplines and will articulate unmet clinical needs and research. Mentors will provide clinical perspectives on their areas of specialization as it relates to patient care including diagnosis, staging, therapy, and outcomes.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAB 731. Special Work. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Independent, faculty assigned study.
Components: IND.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CAB 750. Logic and Reasoning in Translational Cancer Research: Bench to Bedside Part 1. 3 Credit Hours.
An important facet of the Cancer Biology Ph.D. Program is the training of students in the interrelationships between basic research and clinical medicine, i.e., translational research. The goal of this advanced course is to expose students to the scientific reasoning and logic underlying problem solving in clinical cancer research. This course is designed to help students integrate information and develop the thought processes necessary to critically evaluate information in the literature and experimental approaches, conceptualize problems in the field and identify areas for scientific exploration. Students learn how the knowledge obtained from basic research laboratories is applied to clinical problems including prevention, diagnosis, prognosis, and therapeutic treatment of cancer. Specific examples of translational research, i.e., laboratory to clinic are emphasized. Students also learn the key role of clinical observation in identifying basic research problems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAB 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her Master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CAB 820. Master's Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Students must be registered in the semester they plan to defend. Used to establish research in residence for the Master's degree, after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate Master's research. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CAB 830. Dissertation Research - Pre Candidacy. 2 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credits as determined by the Office of Graduate Studies but not less than a total of 24. Not more than six in the summer. If a student has a) passed qualifying exam(s) and b) is engaged in an assistantship, he/she may still take the maximum allowable credits.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
CAB 840. Doctoral Dissertation- Post Candidacy. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required for all Ph.D. candidates. Grade will remain IP until student dissertation is accepted by Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CAB 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit is not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Chemistry (CHM)

CHM 101. Chemistry and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
The basic principles of chemistry for the non-science major with an emphasis on understanding the chemistry of the world around us, especially as it pertains to the choices we make as consumers and as a society. Integrated themes include energy, the environment, food and nutrition, health and personal care, and other contemporary societal issues.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CHM 103. Chemistry for the Health Sciences I. 3 Credit Hours.
Essentials of chemistry as they apply to biological systems
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CHM 104. Chemistry for the Health Sciences II. 3 Credit Hours.
A continuation of CHM 103, with emphasis on organic and biological chemistry, including biochemical processes and metabolism. Lecture, 3 hours. Prerequisite: CHM 103 with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CHM 105. Chemistry for the Health Sciences I (Laboratory). 1 Credit Hour.
Designed for those students in CHM 103 requiring a laboratory course. Laboratory, 3 hours. Pre/Corequisite: CHM 103 with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CHM 106. Chemistry for the Health Sciences II (Laboratory). 1 Credit Hour.
Designed for those students in CHM 104 requiring a laboratory course. Laboratory, 3 hours. Pre/Corequisite: CHM 104 with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CHM 110. Chemical Problem Solving. 3 Credit Hours.
Chemical problem solving strategies to prepare students for more advanced studies in the sciences. Focusing on basic concepts in chemistry, chemical problem solving, and mathematical preparation for future studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHM 111. Principles of Chemistry I. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamental principles of chemical science.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
CHM 112. Principles of Chemistry II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of CHM 111. Lecture, 3 hours.
Prerequisite: CHM 111 with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHM 113. Chemistry Laboratory I. 1 Credit Hour.
Basic laboratory techniques in chemistry.
Corequisite: CHM 121 with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHM 114. Chemistry Laboratory II. 1 Credit Hour.
Continuation of CHM 113. Intermediate laboratory techniques and quantitative analysis. To accompany CHM 112. Laboratory, 3 hours.
Corequisite: CHM 112 Or CHM 221 And with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHM 121. Principles of Chemistry. 4 Credit Hours.
Fundamental principles of chemical science for studies in the discipline.
Pre or Corequisite: MTH 140 or higher Or Prerequisite: CHM 110 with a grade of C- or higher Or Prerequisite: SAT Math Score >/= 730 Or ACT Math Score >/= 31 Or AP Calc AB score = 4 Or AP Calc BC score = 3 Or ALEKS score >/= 76.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHM 151. Chemistry for Engineers. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamental principles of chemistry for engineering students. Not recommended for students that plan to enter Medical School. Lecture, 3 hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CHM 153. Chemistry Laboratory for Engineers. 1 Credit Hour.
An introductory laboratory course to accompany CHM 151. The techniques of chemistry for engineering students.
Pre/Corequisite: CHM 151 with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CHM 201. Organic Chemistry I (Lecture). 3-4 Credit Hours.
The chemistry of carbon compounds. Required of chemistry majors, and premedical students; recommended for majors in life sciences. Lecture, 3 hours.
Prerequisite: CHM 112 Or CHM 221 And with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHM 202. Organic Chemistry II (Lecture). 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of CHM 201. Lecture, 3 hours.
Prerequisite: CHM 201 with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHM 205. Chemical Dynamics Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Introduction to techniques of chemistry.
Corequisite: CHM 221 with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
CHM 206. Organic Reactions and Synthesis Laboratory. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Continuation of CHM 205
Prerequisite: CHM 205. And Corequisite: CHM 202 or CHM 222. And with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHM 207. Chemical Dynamics and Organic Synthesis Laboratory. 2 Credit Hours.
Introduction to techniques in Chemistry. For students in the HHMI program only.
Prerequisite: CHM 205 And Corequisite: CHM 222.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CHM 214. Quantitative Analytical Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to quantitative chemical analysis. Topics will include statistical analysis of analytical data, a review of stoichiometry, analytical separation processes, chemical and acid-base equilibria, and an introduction to potentiometric, titrimetric, gravimetric, and spectrophotometric methods of analysis.
Prerequisite: CHM 202 with a grade of C- or higher. And MTH 162. or MTH 172.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CHM 221. Introduction to Structure and Dynamics. 4 Credit Hours.
The chemistry of carbon compounds.
Prerequisite: CHM 112 or CHM 121 with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHM 222. Organic Reactions and Synthesis. 4 Credit Hours.
Continuation of CHM 221.
Prerequisite: CHM 201 or 221 with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHM 304. Structural Identification of Organic Compounds. 3 Credit Hours.
The fundamental principles of ultraviolet/visible, infrared, nuclear magnetic resonance and mass spectrometry. How the combination of these sophisticated analytical techniques can be used to elucidate the structures of organic compounds.
Prerequisite: CHM 202 and CHM 206.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CHM 316. Instrumental Analytical Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Modern methods of quantitative analysis. Lecture, 3 hours.
Prerequisite: CHM 360 and CHM 214 Or CHM 360 and CHM 304. And with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CHM 317. The Chemistry of Food and Taste. 3 Credit Hours.
The chemical compositions of the raw materials and end products, and a survey of the changes that these undergo when exposed to human manipulations.
Prerequisite: CHM 202 or CHM 222.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
CHM 320. Instrumental Methods in Chemistry and Biochemistry. 2 Credit Hours.
Instrumental methods in modern chemistry and biochemistry, including spectrometric, electrochemical, and chromatographic (separation) Laboratory, 8 hours. Satisfies writing requirement.
Prerequisite: CHM 214 or CHM 304 And Corequisite: CHM 316. And with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CHM 331. Physical Chemistry for Premedical Students. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of thermodynamics as applied to gases, liquids and solutions; chemical kinetics and other selected topics. Lecture, 3 hours.
Prerequisite: CHM 112 with a grade of C- or higher And MTH 161 And PHY 102.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHM 360. Physical Chemistry I (Lecture). 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to physical chemistry including thermodynamics, gaseous and liquid states, solutions, homogeneous and heterogeneous equilibrium. Lecture, 3 hours.
Prerequisite: CHM 112 with a grade of C- or higher And MTH 162 or MTH 172. Requisite: One Semester of Physics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CHM 364. Physical Chemistry (Laboratory I). 1 Credit Hour.
Representative experiments in physical chemistry. Laboratory, 4 hours.
Pre/Corequisite: CHM 360 or CHM 331 And with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CHM 365. Physical Chemistry II (Lecture). 3 Credit Hours.
Chemical kinetics, introductory quantum chemistry, molecular spectroscopy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CHM 381. Workshop Leaders in Chemistry I. 1 Credit Hour.
Students engaged in Peer-Led Team Teaching of workshops for groups of CHM 111 and/or CHM 112 students may enroll for this course. May be repeated.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CHM 382. Workshop Leaders in Chemistry II. 1 Credit Hour.
Students engaged in Peer-Led Team Teaching of workshops for groups of CHM 111 and/or CHM 112 students may enroll for this course. May be repeated.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CHM 391. Chemistry Internship for Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Provides chemistry majors with an opportunity to apply skills learned in coursework within settings outside the university. For example students can work in local schools, assisting instructors and mentoring students. They can also work in companies or government agencies for a defined period of time with clearly delineated goals to expand their expertise and practical knowledge of chemistry. Each enrolled student will be closely mentored by a faculty member.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHM 401. Environmental Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Major environmental features of the earth; Role of natural and synthetic chemicals in the environment; Atmospheric and aquatic pollution; Application of acid-base theory and oxidation reduction to environmental problems.
Prerequisite: CHM 201 or CHM 222. And with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
CHM 441. Inorganic Chemistry (Lecture). 3 Credit Hours.
The relation of atomic and molecular structure to chemical and physical properties; introduction to nonaqueous solvents, coordination compounds, solid state chemistry and nuclear reactions. Lecture, 3 hours. Prerequisite: CHM 365.
Prerequisite: CHM 365 with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CHM 442. Inorganic Chemistry (Laboratory). 1 Credit Hour.
Synthesis of inorganic compounds and determination of their physical and chemical properties. CHM 541 is a co-requisite for ACS chemistry majors. Laboratory, 3 hours.
Prerequisite: CHM 365 and CHM 541 And with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CHM 464. Physical Chemistry (Laboratory II). 1 Credit Hour.
Continuation of CHM 364. Laboratory, 4 hours.
Prerequisite: CHM 365 with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CHM 488. Undergraduate Research. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Laboratory research under the direction of a member of the chemistry faculty. Thesis optional. Course may be repeated for credit.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHM 490. Honors Research. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Laboratory research under the direction of a member of the Chemistry faculty. Thesis required. Course may be repeated for credit.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHM 515. Makings of a Scientist. 3 Credit Hours.
By analyzing achievements and advise of few successful scientists, chemists in particular will highlight what qualities are needed to be a successful scientist. Importance of motivation, perseverance, communication skills, adhering to ethical guidelines and ability to deal with colleagues and co-workers will be brought out. Career options available for a trained chemist and how different each one is will be pointed out. Overall this is a course in multi-mentoring of graduate students who are aiming for a career in science and hope to be successful researchers in science, particularly in chemistry.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CHM 520. Physical Organic Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Aspects of chemical bonding, acids and bases, steeocochemistry, aromaticity, pericyclic reactions, linear free energy relationships, transition state theory, excited state chemistry, reactive intermediaries, mechanisms of uni- and bi-molecular reactions.
Prerequisite: CHM 202 and CHM 360 And with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CHM 522. Synthetic Organic Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Functional group transformations, Synthon approach. Retro-synthetic analyses, multistep syntheses.
Prerequisite: CHM 202 with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
CHM 524. Supramolecular Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Complexation, recognition, and catalysis as applied to bio-organic chemistry. Steric, polar, and lipophillic interactions as well as proximity effects in the
design of synthetic enzyme mimics, cationic transport species, etc.
Prerequisite: CHM 365 and CHM 520 And with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CHM 525. Structural Organic Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Use of electronic and vibrational spectroscopy in structure elucidation. Structure elucidation by modern NMR; EI, CI, MALDI and Electropsray mass
spectrometry. Assignment of absolute configuration of chiral centers.
Prerequisite: CHM 202 with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CHM 526. CHM523 Medicinal Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Medicinal chemistry is primarily concerned with the development of drug molecules, and the interpretation of their mode of action at the molecular
level, with an emphasis on chemical synthesis.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CHM 530. Fluorescence Spectroscopy and Microscopy. 3 Credit Hours.
The photophysical properties of organic compounds that illustrates the fundamental principles of fluorescence. It also explains how fluorescence
spectra and images can be recorded and how these powerful analytical techniques can be used to address significant problems in biology and
medicine.
Prerequisite: CHM 304 and CHM 360 And with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CHM 535. Molecular and Supramolecular Photochemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Generation of a model that will help rationalize/predict excited state reactions. A brief background on physical aspects of photochemistry will be
given. Exploring and understanding of reactions that are triggered by light. Importance of light in life will be highlighted.
Prerequisite: CHM 201 and CHM 202 And with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CHM 541. Principles of Bonding and Reactivity in Inorganic Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Bonding principles necessary to understand the structure, stability, and fundamental reactivity of main group and transition metal inorganic
compounds.
Prerequisite: CHM 365 with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CHM 553. Modern Quantum Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Many-electron wave functions and operators. Hartee-Fock approximation, density functional theory, configuration interaction, and many-body
perturbation theory.
Prerequisite: CHM 365 with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CHM 565. Principles of Spectroscopic Techniques. 3 Credit Hours.
Spectroscopic techniques: nuclear magnetic resonance (NMR), mass spectra (MS), ultraviolet (UV), visible infrared (IR), fluorescence, and other
specialized spectroscopic techniques.
Prerequisite: CHM 365 with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
CHM 575. Principles of Nuclear Magnetic Resonance and Multidimensional Spectroscopy. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory of nuclear magnetic resonance; Bloch equations; relaxation theory; time-domain versus frequency domain spectrosopies, and principles of multidimensional spectroscopy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CHM 581. Advanced Analytical Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Provides a strong foundation in the most important concepts in advanced analytical chemistry, including electrochemistry, chemical separations, and bioanalytical chemistry, and in the different classes of instrumental analytical techniques available to current chemists.
Prerequisite: CHM 214 and CHM 316 And with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CHM 591. Topics in Chemistry. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Subject matter offerings based upon student demand and availability of faculty. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule following the title, "Topics in Chemistry".
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CHM 592. Topics in Chemistry. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Subject matter offerings based upon student demand and availability of faculty. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule following the title, "Topics in Chemistry".
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CHM 593. Readings in Chemistry. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings on special topics. Offered by special arrangement. May be repeated for credit.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CHM 594. Readings in Chemistry. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings on special topics. Offered by special arrangement. May be repeated for credit.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CHM 615. Makings of a Scientist. 3 Credit Hours.
By analyzing achievements and advise of few successful scientists, chemists in particular, will highlight what qualities are needed to be a successful scientist. Importance of motivation, perseverance, communication skills, adhering to ethical guidelines and ability to deal with colleagues and co-workers will be brought out. Career options available for a trained chemist and how different each one is will be pointed out. Overall this is a course in multi-mentoring of graduate students who are aiming for a career in science and hope to become successful researchers in science, particularly in chemistry.
Prerequisite: CHM 202 with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CHM 620. Physical Organic Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Aspects of chemical bonding, acids and bases, steeoochemistry, aromaticity, pericyclic reactions, linear free energy relationships, transition state theory, excited state chemistry, reactive intermediaries, mechanisms of uni- and bi-molecular reactions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CHM 622. Synthetic Organic Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Functional group transformations, Synthon approach. Retro-synthetic analyses, multistep syntheses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
CHM 624. Supramolecular Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Complexation, recognition, and catalysis as applied to bio-organic chemistry. Steric, polar, and lipophilic interactions as well as proximity effects in the design of synthetic enzyme mimics, cationic transport species, etc.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CHM 625. Structural Organic Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CHM 626. Structural Organic Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CHM 630. Fluorescence Spectroscopy and Microscopy. 3 Credit Hours.
The photophysical properties of organic compounds that illustrates the fundamental principles of fluorescence. It also explains how fluorescence spectra and images can be recorded and how these powerful analytical techniques can be used to address significant problems in biology and medicine.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CHM 635. Molecular and Supramolecular Photochemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Generation of a model that will help rationalize/predict excited state reactions. A brief background on physical aspects of photochemistry will be given. Exploring and understanding of reactions that are triggered by light. Importance of light in life will be highlighted.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CHM 641. Principles of Bonding and Reactivity in Inorganic Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Bonding principles necessary to understand the structure, stability, and fundamental reactivity of main group and transition metal inorganic compounds.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CHM 653. Modern Quantum Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Many-electron wave functions and operators. Hartee-Fock approximation, density functional theory, configuration interaction, and many-body perturbation theory.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CHM 655. Electrochemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Modern electrochemical techniques including voltammetry, chronocoulometry, rotating disk electrode, and ultramicroelectrodes.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CHM 665. Principles of Spectroscopic Techniques. 3 Credit Hours.
Spectroscopic techniques: nuclear magnetic resonance (NMR), mass spectra (MS), ultraviolet (UV), visible infrared (IR), fluorescence, and other specialized spectroscopic techniques.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
CHM 675. Principles of Nuclear Magnetic Resonance and Multidimensional Spectroscopy. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory of nuclear magnetic resonance; Bloch equations; relaxation theory; time-domain versus frequency domain spectroscopies, and principles of multidimensional spectroscopy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CHM 681. Advanced Analytical Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Provides a strong foundation in the most important concepts in advanced analytical chemistry, including electrochemistry, chemical separations, and bioanalytical chemistry, and in the different classes of instrumental analytical techniques available to current chemists.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CHM 691. Topics in Chemistry. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Subject matter offerings based upon student demand and availability of faculty. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule following the title, "Topics in Chemistry".
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CHM 692. Topics in Chemistry. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Subject matter offerings based upon student demand and availability of faculty. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule following the title, "Topics in Chemistry".
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CHM 693. Readings in Chemistry. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings on special topics. Offered by special arrangement. May be repeated for credit.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CHM 694. Readings in Chemistry. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings on special topics. Offered by special arrangement. May be repeated for credit.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CHM 779. Chemistry Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
Participation in the departmental seminar program. Required each semester the student is in residence and not enrolled in CHM 680 (excluding summer sessions).
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CHM 780. Chemistry Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
Participation in the chemistry department seminar program, including an oral presentation of special topics.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CHM 785. Introduction to Research. 2 Credit Hours.
Research principles and practices, independent study in selected subject areas, and/or oral presentation of a proposed research topic. Open only to graduate students working toward the M.S. or Ph.D. in chemistry.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CHM 788. Problems in Research Planning. 2 Credit Hours.
Formulation of a research program for investigating an original problem not related to the candidate's major laboratory research. A brief written summary and an oral defense of the plan will be required.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
CHM 805. Research Practices. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Research experiences in special techniques. For students electing the non-thesis M.S. option. May be repeated for a total not to exceed six credits.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CHM 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHM 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master’s degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in CHM 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHM 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but for not less than a total of 12 hours. Up to 12 hours may be taken in a regular semester, but not more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHM 840. Post-candidacy Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. who have advanced to candidacy. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but not for less than a total of 12. Up to 12 hours may be taken in a regular semester, but not more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHM 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D. and D.A., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHM 880. Doctoral Dissertation Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. degree when defending their doctoral dissertation during their final term. A written dissertation and an oral defense of the Ph.D. dissertation will be required.
Prerequisite: CHM 830 and CHM 840.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Chinese (CHI)

CHI 101. Elementary Chinese (Mandarin). 3 Credit Hours.
Conversation, grammar, reading, elementary composition.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CHI 102. Elementary Chinese (Mandarin). 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of CHI 101, conversation, grammar, reading, elementary composition.
Prerequisite: CHI 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
CHI 195. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 100-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHI 201. Intermediate Chinese I. 3 Credit Hours.
Expanding further on language skills (grammar, composition and reading) while introducing students to aspects of Chinese customs, history and culture. Closed to native speakers.
Prerequisite: CHI 102.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CHI 202. Intermediate Chinese II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of CHI 201. Further development of reading, writing, speaking and listening skills in Mandarin Chinese. CLOSED TO NATIVE SPEAKERS.
Prerequisite: CHI 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CHI 203. Advanced Chinese. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to develop students’ ability to use Chinese in a more advanced way. The course emphasizes accurate comprehension, expansion of vocabulary, and development of the ability to use increasing complex grammatical and sentence structures. In addition to improving their language abilities, students will also be exposed to different areas of Chinese culture.
Prerequisite: CHI 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CHI 204. Advanced Chinese II. 3 Credit Hours.
The course aims to develop students’ ability to use Chinese in a more advanced way by continuing Chinese 203’s emphasis on accurate comprehension, expansion of vocabulary, and development of the ability to use increasing complex grammatical and sentence structures. In addition to improving their language abilities, students will also be exposed to different areas of Chinese culture.
Prerequisite: CHI 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHI 210. Experiencing Chinese Culture through Art and Design. 3 Credit Hours.
A broad exposure on both traditional and modern Chinese arts, crafts, designs, architectures, and other cultural elements. Through discussions, hands on art projects, and cultural excursions, students will examine how traditional and contemporary Chinese values and beliefs are expressed in Chinese arts, crafts, designs, and architecture. An opportunity to truly immerse in Chinese culture. Students will visit historical and cultural sites. Local Chinese artists and scholars will co-teach certain sessions. Students will be guided to conduct cultural interviews and presentations to develop their own understanding on Chinese values and perspectives. This course takes place in Beijing during summer term. And it will be taught primarily in English.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

CHI 295. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 200-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHI 301. Advanced Reading and Diction Chinese. 3 Credit Hours.
Use of Chinese in a more advanced way to achieve greater fluency in a variety of written and spoken genres. Course materials incorporate authentic Chinese materials in genres including formal speech, short story, debate, op-ed essay, and newspaper. The course emphasizes accurate comprehension, expansion of vocabulary, and development of the ability to use increasing complex grammatical and sentence structures, in particular, formal speech and written language. In addition to improving their language abilities, course materials are also geared towards deepening students understanding of many different areas of Chinese culture.
Prerequisite: CHI 204.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
CHI 310. Topics in Chinese Literature and Culture in Translation. 3 Credit Hours.
Specific topics within the literature and cultures of the Chinese-speaking world, including literary, cinematic, and artistic representations of central themes or issues, and the cultural production of particular historical periods or national or immigrant groups. This course is taught in English and does not fulfill the CAS foreign language requirement. May be repeated for credit if topics vary.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CHI 311. Comparative Literature in East Asia. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the East Asian literary tradition (in China, Japan, and Korea) while introducing the methods of and issues surrounding comparative literary study. The course is structured thematically, according to particular motifs and themes that become central in Chinese, Japanese, and Korean literature. Themes to be studied include the non-human bride; romantic ideals and the romance narrative; the otherworldly journey; the dream; and the modern nation. It also seeks to challenge pre-conceived notions about East Asian literature and culture to instill a nuanced understanding of East Asian literary traditions.
Prerequisite: ENG 106.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CHI 312. The Esoteric and the Mundane in the Chinese Literary Tradition. 3 Credit Hours.
A variety of important genres and themes in the Chinese literary tradition through the close reading of texts spanning three millennia. Particular attention is paid to notions of humanity, divinity, and monstrosity. The course is taught in English.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CHI 315. The Powerful Women of Medieval China in History, Fiction, and Modern Media. 3 Credit Hours.
An interdisciplinary examination of the portrayals of ruling-class women who lived during the medieval period in China and who have become a part of the Chinese literary-historical tradition. Works to be examined include short stories, novels, plays, films, and television. This course is taught in English.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CHI 322. Cultural Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
A variety of important genres, issues, and themes related to Chinese culture through the close reading and analysis of texts. Topics may include film, religion, gender, epistemology, visual arts, immigration, travels, the preternatural. Note: Students will complete all readings and written assignments in Chinese. Course is open only to students with native or native-level fluency in Chinese.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CHI 394. Chinese Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The internship is an opportunity to apply analytical, interpretative, and creative skills developed in coursework. Internships ordinarily take place outside the University and they involve UM faculty supervision, as well as supervised on-site experience in an Chinese-speaking cultural, business, or not-for-profit organization. Students need to fill out the Internship Application Form. Normally 27 internship hours are required per credit earned. A maximum of three semester hours of internship credit may be counted toward the student’s degree program. Permission of MLL faculty member is required (the host will apply documentary evidence of the hours worked).
Prerequisite: CHI 204.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHI 395. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 300-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHI 495. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 400-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
CHI 591. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Provides Directed Readings in Chinese.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CHI 641. Elementary CHI I for Graduate Students. 0 Credit Hours.
Designed to develop graduate students' communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending Chinese, as well as to provide an introduction to Chinese Studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHI 642. Elementary CHI II for Graduate Students. 0 Credit Hours.
Continuation of CHI 641. Designed to develop graduate students' communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, comprehending Chinese, and continued engagement in Chinese Studies.
Prerequisite: CHI 641.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHI 651. Intermediate CHI I for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
For graduate students with previous study of elementary-level Chinese. Designed to enhance graduate students' communication skills in the Chinese language at the intermediate level. Intended principally for students who will carry out research in Chinese Studies.
Prerequisite: CHI 642.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHI 652. Intermediate Chinese II for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
For student with previous study of Chinese at the intermediate level. Designed to enhance graduate students' communication skills in the Chinese language at the high-intermediate level. Intended principally for students who will carry out research in Chinese Studies.
Prerequisite: CHI 651.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHI 653. Advanced Chinese I for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
Designed to enhance graduate students' communication skills in the Chinese language at the advanced-low level. Intended principally for students who will carry out research in Chinese Studies.
Prerequisite: CHI 652.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHI 654. Advanced Chinese II for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
Designed to enhance graduate students' communication skills in Chinese language at the advanced-intermediate level. Intended principally for students who will carry out research in Chinese Studies.
Prerequisite: CHI 653.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CHI 692. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings at the graduate level.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
Cinematic Arts (CCA)

CCA 103. Survey of Motion Pictures. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of the aesthetic, social, and economic aspects of the motion picture industry. Concentration on the present state of the medium with particular emphasis on future trends.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CCA 113. Documentary Approaches. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will explore the varied forms and narrative approaches used in contemporary documentary filmmaking to understand the position of the filmmaker as a storyteller.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CCA 126. Introduction to Screenwriting. 3 Credit Hours.
Creation and formatting of narrative material for motion pictures. Emphasis on writing the short film.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CCA 151. Introduction to Digital Filmmaking. 3 Credit Hours.
Lectures and laboratory work to acquaint the student with the basic techniques of motion pictures. Students make short films using digital equipment to develop an understanding of the motion picture as a creative tool of communication and expression.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CCA 206. History of International Cinema. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an examination of the origin and history of the motion picture. Narrative and non-fiction genres, in the American and World Cinemas, from 1890 to the present are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CCA 251. Motion Picture Workshop: Storytelling. 3 Credit Hours.
The practice of the grammar of cinematic language including shot selection, composition, pacing, story clarity, performance, pre-visualization and pre-planning for the creation of short narrative projects. Through critiques, students encounter and interact with an audience of their peers. This course requires students to master contemporary technology in use in the profession.
Prerequisite: CCA 103 and CCA 151.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CCA 294. Special Topics in Cinematic Arts. 3 Credit Hours.
This course subject matter varies according to announced special topic. See class schedule for details.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CCA 326. Intermediate Screenwriting. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of, and practice in, writing feature length, narrative motion pictures. Development of story line in treatment form, attention to cinematic structure, the development of character, and its presentation on screen is discussed.
Prerequisite: CCA 126.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CCA 329. Writing for Series Television. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the structures and techniques of writing situation-comedy and dramatic series television.
Prerequisite: CCA 126.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
CCA 351. Intermediate Filmmaking. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an introduction to intermediate level techniques and methodologies for digital production of all contemporary media genres including narrative, documentary, experimental and music performance. Students will work in crews, collaboratively, with specific assigned roles throughout the production work flow.
Prerequisite: CCA 206 and CCA 251.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CCA 353. Post Production Sound Editing and Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Post production sound editing and design is a seminar/workshop that provides a practical and theoretical introduction to sound and its function in the narrative moving image process. The course explores the process from production recording through the final mix.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CCA 355. Essentials of Documentary Film. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to teach students how to tell compelling cinematic documentary stories with a clear and effective point-of-view. We will compare and analyze various styles of documentary storytelling and use these methods in creating effective documentaries films. An emphasis will be put on the various styles of documentary filmmaking.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CCA 356. Cinematography. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of the cinematographer's process from script to screen. Working with camera, lighting, and grip equipment on exercises and projects is discussed.
Prerequisite: CCA 251.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CCA 357. Editing. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the theory and practice of motion picture editing. Short editing assignments are designed to develop students' understanding of aesthetic, and technical considerations in the art of dramatic editing.
Prerequisite: CCA 251.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CCA 364. Business of Motion Pictures. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will get an overview of how content is created and who the players are. They will practice synthesizing information and translating it into a strategic plan for a business or individual career path in the entertainment industry.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CCA 386. Online Screenwriting. 3 Credit Hours.
This is an online course on screenwriting. Students will learn to analyze films through the lens of genres, including Drama, Comedy, Horror, Romance, Sci-Fi, and Coming of Age, to write scripts, and to critique genre conceits of assigned films.
Prerequisite: CCA 126.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CCA 394. Special Topics in Cinematic Arts. 3 Credit Hours.
This course subject matter varies according to announced special topic. See class schedule for details.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
CCA 395. Directing Techniques I. 3 Credit Hours.
To teach the craft of directing through exercises, screen work, and readings.
Prerequisite: CCA 251.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CCA 401. Nonfiction Film and Digital Media. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of American and world nonfiction films and media.
Requisite: Junior Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 402. Global Issues and Filmmaking: An Interdisciplinary Approach. 3 Credit Hours.
A trans-disciplinary approach to study and analyze a variety of complex global issues such as climate change, human security, globalization, and rise of nationalism while gaining hands-on experience to develop short analytical documentary films about such topics. Prior film-making experience is NOT required
Requisite: Permission of Instructor.
Components: HRK.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CCA 403. Film Directors. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of the film authorship through a focus on specific directors.
Requisite: Junior Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CCA 404. Aspects of Contemporary Cinema. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of contemporary movements in American and world cinemas.
Requisite: Junior Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CCA 405. Representations of Sport in Popular Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
This course presents approaches to understanding and contextualizing representations of sports in cinema, television, and digital media. Students gain valuable skills in critical thinking, analysis, and evaluation as they learn to reflect on the various ways sports are portrayed in selected media and popular culture.
Requisite: Junior Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CCA 406. Genres. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of selected genres from a variety of critical perspectives. Issues pertaining to methodologies of defining and categorizing film are discussed.
Requisite: Junior Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CCA 407. National Cinemas. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected films from Europe, Asia, Africa and Latin America will be studied in relation to their diverse social, political and cultural contexts.
Requisite: Junior Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
CCA 408. Women, Media, and Popular Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of film, media, and gender representation from the perspective of feminist theory and cultural studies. Students explore the many ways that women have been portrayed, and how they have portrayed themselves, within popular culture.
Requisite: Junior Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 409. Legal Aspects of Motion Pictures. 3 Credit Hours.
The law, contracts, and negotiating techniques of the business affairs aspects of the production of motion pictures.
Requisite: Junior Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 426. Advanced Screenwriting. 3 Credit Hours.
A continuation of CIM 326. Study of, and practice in, writing feature length, narrative motion picture scripts. Attention is given to cinematic structure, the development of character, and its presentation on screen. Emphasis is placed on bringing the script to a completed draft.
Prerequisite: CCA 326.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 429. Advanced Television Writing. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores how to create, format, and write the original Television Pilot and treatment. The class will cover TV pilot format, length, structure as well as techniques in creating TV characters and situations for both comedy and dramatic episodic TV.
Prerequisite: CCA 329.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 451. Advanced Filmmaking Workshop. 3 Credit Hours.
The theory and practice of motion pictures production from script to screen. Lecture and laboratory. Students will develop and produce a narrative, a documentary, or an experimental work of their choice.
Prerequisite: CCA 351.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CCA 455. Science Documentary: Autism. 3 Credit Hours.
This course brings together student citizens across science, communication, and education to collaborate on content intended to reach audiences on multiple platforms. Students will be exposed to both history and cutting edge research surrounding Autism Spectrum Disorder. In addition to learning the neuroscience and genetics that underlie autism spectrum disorders, students will connect with people in the local community - to lend these issues a face and context. Students will gather information from readings, experts at the University of Miami, and the larger South Florida Community. Students will work in teams to share expertise from their fields of study to generate content for community consumption.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 456. Advanced Cinematography. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced work with camera, lighting, and grip equipment on exercises and projects.
Prerequisite: CCA 356.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 457. Advanced Editing. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced concepts in aesthetics and theories of picture and sound editing, mixing, color correction, and finishing techniques.
Prerequisite: CCA 357.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
CCA 458. Documentary Production. 3 Credit Hours.
Students produce two short digital documentaries and explore various approaches to the documentary film.
Prerequisite: CCA 151.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CCA 462. Motion Picture Marketing and Distribution. 3 Credit Hours.
Economic and marketing considerations in the production and distribution of motion pictures.
Prerequisite: CCA 364.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CCA 465. Creative Producing. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will discover what their creative voice is as a producer; sharpen their communication skills (networking, pitching, coverage & notes); and will learn the nuts and bolts of what a producer does.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CCA 469. Motion Picture Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The internship is designed to provide valuable career-related work experience in a real-world setting, e.g., institutions, organizations and/or businesses. Students will identify an opportunity, supervisor, and write a proposal as to the relevancy to their goals. The Internship may be paid or unpaid.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CCA 489. Projects in Screenwriting. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual study. This course and CIM 499 cannot count for more than three credits towards a Communication major or minor.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CCA 494. Special Topics in Cinematic Arts. 3 Credit Hours.
Prescribed study and supervised work with practitioners in motion pictures.
Requisite: Sophomore Status And Cumulative GPA 2.5.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CCA 499. Projects and Directed Research. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual study. No more than three credits may be counted toward a Communication major or minor.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CCA 501. Principles of Aesthetics and Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Provides graduate students with introductory immersion in aesthetics, analysis, and history of film and media.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CCA 510. Foundation of Screenwriting. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the fundamental skill set necessary to manipulate the basic elements of cinematic writing. The course will investigate common dramatic elements found in all screenplays as well as teach format principles of feature, TV and emerging media scripts.
Prerequisite: CCA 126.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
CCA 511. Writing the Short Film. 3 Credit Hours.
A course in the fundamentals of screenwriting focused on the creation of a 15-30 page screenplay suitable for an MFA project film. Study of and practice in writing short narrative motion picture scripts. Focus is placed on concept, content, cinematic story structure and presentation of character. Prerequisite: CCA 510.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CCA 514. Motion Picture Studio. 3 Credit Hours.
This course allows students the time to enhance and exhibit their knowledge and skills in Motion Picture. Students will fine-tune their final film projects, polishing their final cuts for film festival submission to film festivals and professional consideration. Motion Picture Major and Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 518. Seminar in Documentary Film History: Cinéma-vérité. 3 Credit Hours.
The primary focus of this course will be on the half-century old school or tradition of documentary filmmaking associated with the terms "Cinéma-vérité" and "direct cinema". Through close analysis of selected classic and contemporary documentaries, the class will explore their historical significance, their aspirations and achievements as films, and their ways of addressing the aesthetic, epistemological, political and moral issues that inevitably arise when filmmakers take their sync-sound camera into the world and undertake to film life as it is really lived.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 519. Seminar in Documentary Production. 3 Credit Hours.
The Seminar in Documentary Production is the capstone production class within the documentary track of the Cinema and Interactive Media Department. Students are entered into the course based on a proposal that outlines their documentary project. Prerequisite: CCA 458 Or JMM 541.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 523. Advanced 3D Character Design and Motion Capture. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the 3D game art development pipeline from modeling, texturing, rigging and animation to motion capture, and special effects.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CCA 526. Adaptation. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will examine the craft and techniques of adapting sources such as novels, short stories, plays, articles, comic books, Shakespeare to the screen.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 529. Nonfiction Film. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of American and world nonfiction films.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CCA 550. Motion Graphics and Compositing. 3 Credit Hours.
Methods, techniques and aesthetics of 2D computer animation and compositing including animated text, title design, and green screen. Prerequisite: CCA 206.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 551. Advanced Motion Graphics and Compositing. 3 Credit Hours.
Extend the 2D skills of students who have taken CIM 550 to 3D motion graphics and animation. Emphasis on title design and animation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
CCA 553. Advanced Motion Picture Marketing and Distribution. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced marketing considerations in the distribution of motion pictures.
Prerequisite: CCA 462.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CCA 560. Directing the Actor. 3 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this course is to teach and practice the craft of directing, including text analysis, characterization, visualization, design, intention and rehearsal: to train students to articulate their ideas to actors and film crew.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CCA 566. Character and Dialogue. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the craft and techniques of creating original characters and dialogue.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CCA 594. Special Topics in Cinematic Arts. 3 Credit Hours.
This course subject matter varies according to announced special topic. See class schedule for details.
Requisite: Junior Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CCA 595. Directing Techniques II. 3 Credit Hours.
To build a more advanced set of professional skills and practices through scene work, shooting, and collaboration.
Prerequisite: CCA 251.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CCA 601. Principles of Aesthetics and Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Provides graduate students with introductory immersion in aesthetics, analysis, and history of film and media.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CCA 602. Global Issues and Filmmaking. 3 Credit Hours.
A trans-disciplinary approach to study and analyze a variety of complex global Issues such as climate change, human security, globalization, and rise of nationalism while gaining hands-on experience to develop short analytical documentary films about such topics. Prior film-making experience is NOT required.
Components: HRK.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CCA 603. Film Directors. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address the conditions of authorship in film through an intensive study of the films of two or more directors, whose careers will serve as case studies. These directors will be historically important and their work will represent significant achievements in the art of film.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CCA 604. Aspects of Contemporary Cinema. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of the ways in which film communicates. Intensive analysis and criticism of cinematic techniques exemplified through particular films.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CCA 606. Genres. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of selected movie genres from a variety of critical perspectives. Issues pertaining to selfhood, sexual difference, and other concerns of present-day film criticism will be examined.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
CCA 608. National Cinemas. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected films from Europe, Asia, Africa and Latin America will be studied in relation to their diverse social/political and cultural contexts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 609. Legal Aspects of Motion Pictures. 3 Credit Hours.
The law, contracts, and negotiating techniques of the business affairs aspects of the production of motion pictures.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 610. Foundation of Screenwriting. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the fundamental skill set necessary to manipulate the basic elements of cinematic writing. The course will investigate common dramatic elements found in all screenplays as well as teach format principles of feature, TV and emerging media scripts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CCA 611. Writing the Short Film. 3 Credit Hours.
A course in the fundamentals of screenwriting focused on the creation of a 15-30 page screenplay suitable for an MFA project film. Study of and practice in writing short narrative motion picture scripts. Focus is placed on concept, content, cinematic story structure and presentation of character.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CCA 612. Writing for Episodic Television. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will explore the art and craft required to write a "spec" Television episode. The course will explore how TV writing differs from feature writing and how the TV writer/producer business model works. By the end of the course the student will have finished an hour-long "spec" script for an existing TV show or a two-part sitcom teleplay.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 618. Seminar in Documentary Film History: Cinéma-vérité. 3 Credit Hours.
The primary focus of this course will be on the half-century old school or tradition of documentary filmmaking associated with the terms "Cinéma-vérité" and "direct cinema". Through close analysis of selected classic and contemporary documentaries, the class will explore their historical significance, their aspirations and achievements as films, and their ways of addressing the aesthetic, epistemological, political and moral issues that inevitably arise when filmmakers take their sync-sound camera into the world and undertake to film life as it is really lived.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 619. Seminar in Documentary Production. 3 Credit Hours.
The Seminar in Documentary Production is the capstone production class within the documentary track of the Cinema and Interactive Media Department. Students are entered into the course based on a proposal that outlines their documentary project.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 620. Cinematography. 3 Credit Hours.
This hands-on course provides students with the aesthetic and technical aspects of professional concepts and techniques in film and digital media cinematography.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CCA 621. Narrative Production. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to film and digital production techniques on narrative projects. Emphasis on collaboration, group process and social purpose. Students will be expected to produce a short film abroad as part of this course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
CCA 623. Advanced 3D Character Design. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the 3D game art development pipeline from modeling, texturing, rigging and animation to motion capture, and special effects.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CCA 626. Adaptation. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will examine the craft and techniques of adapting sources such as novels, short stories, plays, articles comic books, and public domain material such as Shakespeare to the screen.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 629. Nonfiction Film. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of American and world nonfiction films.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 630. Introduction to Editing. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the theory and practice of motion picture editing. Short editing assignments are designed to develop students’ understanding of aesthetic, and technical considerations in the art of dramatic editing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 651. Motion Graphics and Compositing. 3 Credit Hours.
Methods, techniques and aesthetics of 2D computer animation and compositing including animated text, title design, and green screen.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 654. Advanced Motion Graphics and Compositing. 3 Credit Hours.
Extend the 2D skills of students who have taken CMP 550 to 3D motion graphics and animation. Emphasis on title design and animation.
Prerequisite: CCA 651.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 655. Science Documentary: Autism. 3 Credit Hours.
This course brings together student citizens across science, communication, and education to collaborate on content intended to reach audiences on multiple platforms. Students will be exposed to both history and cutting edge research surrounding Autism Spectrum Disorder. In addition to learning the neuroscience and genetics that underlie autism spectrum disorders, students will connect with people in the local community - to lend these issues a face and context. Students will gather information from readings, experts at the University of Miami, and the larger South Florida Community. Students will work in teams to share expertise from their fields of study to generate content for community consumption.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CCA 658. Documentary Production. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the documentary genre including the production of a documentary from start to finish.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 660. Directing the Actor. 3 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this course is to teach and practice the craft of directing, including text analysis, characterization, visualization, design, intention and rehearsal: to train students to articulate their ideas to actors and film crew.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
CCA 666. Character and Dialogue. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the craft and techniques of creating original characters and dialogue.
Prerequisite: CCA 610.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CCA 670. The Independent Producer. 3 Credit Hours.
Beyond covering the role of the producer, this hands-on class offers students a place to workshop their thesis projects. Students will brand themselves or their company and leave with a packaged project ready to take to market.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 686. Online Screenwriting. 3 Credit Hours.
The student will prepare and complete the first act of a feature-length screenplay or the student will prepare and commence the rewrite of an existing screenplay.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CCA 694. Motion Picture Marketing and Distribution. 3 Credit Hours.
Economic and marketing considerations in the production and distribution of motion pictures.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CCA 695. Advanced Motion Picture Marketing and Distribution. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced marketing considerations in the distribution of motion pictures.
Prerequisite: CCA 694.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CCA 696. Directing Techniques II. 3 Credit Hours.
To build a more advanced set of professional skills and practices through scene work, shooting, and collaboration.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CCA 697. Topics in Film Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester. Topics such as Film Directors, National Cinemas, Silent Film, Contemporary Cinema. Course may be repeated for credit if content varies.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CCA 705. Production Management. 3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive examination of the skills and techniques employed by line producers and production managers in the preproduction, production, and post-production of motion pictures.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 707. Pedagogy and Film. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers a range of traditions in pedagogy, including history, theory, and practical applications. Intended for those who are currently teaching—or who intend to teach—at the college level, the course provides grounding in foundational approaches as well as a familiarity with recent research advancements in pedagogy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
CCA 710. Writing the Feature-Length Screenplay. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of and practice in writing feature-length, narrative motion picture scripts. Focus is placed on cinematic structure and presentation of character. Classes will generally be conducted as follows: a discussion of screenplay craft, an in-depth analysis of various films from the writer’s POV, and a critique of the various stages of your fellow student screenplays as they evolve throughout the semester.
Prerequisite: CCA 510.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CCA 727. Scriptwriting. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of and practice in writing feature-length, narrative motion picture scripts. Focus is placed on cinematic structure and presentation of character.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CCA 730. Advanced Editing. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the art and techniques of post-production designed for students completing advanced motion picture projects. Lectures, group discussions and screenings. Emphasis on rhythm, dramatic moments, character arcs, symbolic vs. thematic editing, elements of sound editing, sound design, and professional mastering standards. This class is designed to develop editorial skills that will prepare students for professional careers in editing. In-depth examination of effects and sound palettes of the Avid Media Composer, as well as a discussion of how to integrate visual effects from external applications. Finishing and mastering techniques for a variety of mediums as well as a reel building will be covered.
Prerequisite: CCA 630.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 738. Writing the Short Film. 3 Credit Hours.
A course in the fundamentals of screenwriting focused on the creation of a 15-30 page screenplay suitable for an MFA project film.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 740. Sound Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Sound Design through seminar and workshop provides a practical and theoretical introduction to sound and its function in the narrative moving image process. The course utilizes professional environments to instruct in the basics of sound editing, studio recording and mixing as it is practiced in the film industry. It will also present the aesthetic use of sound and its integral part in the moving image narrative process.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 750. From Script to Screen. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced production concepts and techniques explored in a variety of media. Students will produce an approved film or script. The class will explore the language of motion picture and how this language is utilized in the story telling process. Knowledge of both the practical and aesthetic aspects of film will be stressed at all times.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CCA 752. Advanced Cinematography. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced technical and photographic principles begun in CMP 651. Preparation for the filming of the MFA project film.
Prerequisite: CCA 620.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 756. Motion Picture Post-Production Procedures. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the esthetics of editing, recording, re-recording, and laboratory procedures following completion of principal photography.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
CCA 761. Directing the Camera. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to directing actors in low budget, independent films utilizing traditional, modern and evolving directorial techniques used by independent and traditional film makers: analyzing and orchestrating scripted material, developing a directorial concept, creating indelible characterizations, building a visual image, auditioning and casting the talent, blocking and directing the untrained amateur or highly skilled professional actor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CCA 794. Motion Picture Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Prescribed study and supervised work with practitioners in motion pictures.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CCA 795. Special Topics in Motion Pictures. 3 Credit Hours.
This course subject matter varies according to announced special topic. See class schedule for details.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CCA 799. Advanced Projects and Directed Research. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Individual study. No more than three credits may be counted toward a Communication major or minor.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CCA 815. MFA Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The focus is on completing the culminating thesis project, in consultation with the student’s selected committee and thesis chair.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Civil, Architectural, and Environmental Engineering (CAE)

CAE 100. Introduction to Civil, Architectural, and Environmental Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
This introductory course is designed to expose high school students to a variety of specific disciplines within the civil engineering arena to assist them in making informed decisions about possible college majors. The program is designed for the exemplary high school student interested in applied mathematics and science. All students enrolled in this course will gain experience in problem solving, engineering mechanics, computer simulation, and laboratory activity. The course content changes throughout the 3-week duration and includes topics on civil engineering, environmental engineering, and architectural engineering. The students will be provided with an understanding and some hands-on experience on topics relative to the disciplines of civil, architectural, and environmental engineering. Via an introduction to several case histories, the students will be able to understand the challenges associated with the design and construction and importance of the scientific methods in engineering. The laboratory and field trip experiences will deal with bridge building, material testing, water purification, and building systems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

CAE 111. Introduction to Engineering I. 3 Credit Hours.
Use of engineering tools for problem solving. Computer techniques for data acquisition, analysis and presentation, software design, and computer aided drafting are covered. Development of design skills is achieved through several design and building competitions. Introduction to professional ethics and intellectual property rights, MATLAB, AutoCAD, and programming in C++ is also included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CAE 112. Introduction to Engineering II. 2 Credit Hours.
Hands-on applications of various surveying instruments for leveling, angles and distance measurements, and other engineering applications. Hands on application of Geographic Information Systems, including ArcView and extensions.
Prerequisite: CAE 111.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
CAE 115. Introduction to Engineering II (Surveying). 1 Credit Hour.
Hands on application of various surveying instruments. Leveling, angles and distance measurements.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 210. Mechanics of Solids I. 3 Credit Hours.
Vectors, force systems, equilibrium, analysis of frames, machines, trusses for internal forces, friction, centroids, moment of inertia, and shear and bending moment diagrams are discussed. This course may be offered in the Flipped Classroom format, which emphasizes discussion-based learning.
Prerequisite: Engineering Program - PHY 221 And MTH 151 Or 161 Or 171. Non-Engineering Program - PHY 101 Or 103 Or 160 Or 201 And MTH 130 Or 141 Or 161 Or 171.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CAE 211. Mechanics of Solids II. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamental material behavior including stresses, strains, and deformations associated with axial, bearing, flexural, shear, thermal, and torsional loading. Composite beams, elastic buckling of columns, combined loading, Mohr’s Circle, and statically indeterminate analysis of axial members is also included.
Prerequisite: CAE 210.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CAE 212. Structural Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory techniques, tests for tension, compression, shear, bending, and torsion are discussed. Models, similitudes, buckling of columns, and review of current research are also included. Laboratory 3 hours.
Pre or Corequisite: CAE 211 and IEN 311.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CAE 213. Behavior of Structural Systems I. 3 Credit Hours.
The course begins with a review of basic structural principles. From this basis, analysis and design of simple axial loaded structural systems and members is covered. Through the use of project based learning the students are introduced to the principles of statics using both graphical and calculated methods. Concurrent and non-concurrent systems are defined and analysis of concurrent systems is covered in this course. Structural systems based on concurrent forces are covered including cable suspension structures, concrete shells, trusses, fan like structures and membrane structures. The requirements of building codes are included in the lectures. The class concludes with discussion of structural materials and failure modes accompanied with a visit to the Civil/Architectural Engineering Laboratory.
Prerequisite: ARC 231.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CAE 240. Environmental Pollution. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of contemporary environmental issues. Introduction to engineering approaches for protecting and cleaning up the environment, techniques for assessing the impact of human activity on the environment, strategies for pollution control and implementation of environmental mitigation measures.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 310. Structural Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of statically determinate and indeterminate structures for internal forces, external reactions, displacements, including influence lines.
Prerequisite: CAE 211.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
CAE 313. Behavior of Structural Systems II. 3 Credit Hours.
Upon completion the students will understand the application of fundamental methods of structural frame systems and their place in architectural
design. The bending action of beams, including shear and moment diagrams and shear and bending stress calculations are covered. Structural
material design for steel, concrete, wood and masonry are covered as separate topics. They will also understand the integration of basic elements into
structural systems that resist both gravity and lateral loads. The course allows students to develop foundation and framing systems.
Prerequisite: CAE 213.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 320. Concrete Structures. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include design of concrete beams, columns, structural systems one-way slabs, and isolated footings by ultimate design methods.
Pre or Corequisite: CAE 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CAE 321. Steel Structures. 3 Credit Hours.
Design of tension, compression, flexural members, and beam columns using load and resistance factor design are discussed. Introduction to design
and detailing of welded and bolted connections is also included.
Pre or Corequisite: CAE 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 330. Fluid Mechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
Properties of fluids, gas systems, pressure distribution in static fluids, and hydrostatic forces on plane and curved surfaces are discussed. Kinematics
and dynamics of fluid motion, dimensional analysis and similitude, flow in closed conduits, pumps, design of water distribution systems, and an
introduction to flow in open channels is also included.
Prerequisite: CAE 211. And PHY 222.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CAE 340. Introduction to Environmental Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Environmental mass and energy balances, introduction to environmental chemistry, air pollution, water pollution, sustainable solid waste management,
risk assessment, and global atmospheric change are discussed.
Prerequisite: MTH 162, and CHM 121 or CHM 151.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CAE 345. Environmental Laboratory and Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Laboratory-based course focusing on the analysis of environmental samples including water, wastewater, air, and solids. Basic analytical techniques
and quality control are also included as well as an introduction to advanced analytical measurements.
Prerequisite: CHM 112 And CAE 340.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 350. Transportation Engineering I. 3 Credit Hours.
Transportation systems and organizations. Characteristics of driver, vehicles and roads. Basic probability and statistics. Traffic studies and data
collection. Signal timing design, basic capacity and analysis. Basic geometric design and route surveying. Highway safety. Sustainable transportation
systems.
Prerequisite: MTH 211 and Requisite: Junior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
CAE 361. Building Information Modeling I. 3 Credit Hours.
The course prepares students to utilize AutoCAD and Building Information Modeling (BIM) in a coordinated, integrated and consistent approach for the Architecture, Engineering and Construction (AEC) Industry. The basics of AutoCAD drafting and usage are covered in the first five weeks of the course. The remaining time is dedicated to high-quality 4 dimensional BIM modeling, including 3D modeling of buildings and building components, embedded cost-estimating and scheduling for the construction process. Basics of REVIT Structure and MEP are also covered.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CAE 370. Geotechnical Engineering I. 3 Credit Hours.
Soil composition and classification, excavation, grading, fill compaction, stress distribution in soils, one-dimensional flow of water through soil, laboratory, and field permeability, effective stress concept, calculation of consolidation, field settlement, bearing capacity, and design and analysis of shallow foundations are discussed.
Prerequisite: CAE 211. And Corequisite: CAE 371.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 371. Geotechnical Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Evaluation of physical and mechanical properties of soils, and preparation of reports. Three hours.
Prerequisite: ENG 107. And IEN 311. And Corequisite: CAE 370.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CAE 380. Electrical and Illumination Systems for Buildings. 3 Credit Hours.
Typical electrical systems for buildings including electrical circuits, protective devices and code requirements. Illumination and lighting design.
Prerequisite: PHY 223.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 381. Building Mechanical Systems I: Hvac Fundamentals. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MAE 303 and Corequisite: CAE 330.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 395. Undergraduate Research. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Designed for the undergraduate student who wishes to engage in research. Subject and credit to be arranged with the instructor.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 399. Internship. 1 Credit Hour.
Practical application of classroom theory through employment with firms offering positions consistent with the student's field of study. Courses may be repeated.
Components: IND.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CAE 400. Preparation for FE Exam. 1 Credit Hour.
Review of material in preparation for the Fundamentals of Engineering (FE) exam ination. For credit only.
Prerequisite: Senior Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
CAE 402. Professional Engineering Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of engineering economics and economic evaluation of engineering projects. A discussion of professional practice issues including the philosophy and methodology of engineering, professional licensure and ethics. Discussion of the business aspects of engineering including business organization, management, contracts and legal issues. Engineering leadership in the formulation of public policy.
Requisite: Senior Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CAE 403. Senior Design Project I - Engineering Design. 3 Credit Hours.
A two semester comprehensive design project applying the knowledge acquired during earlier coursework and implementing the pedagogy of life-long learning. Team projects incorporate interdisciplinary design skills, engineering standards and realistic constraints. The faculty coordinator working with practicing design professionals provide consultation, guidance and recommendations on aspects such as problem definition, evaluation of design alternatives and approaches. The course progresses along the customary design sequence of pre-design, schematic design and design development phases established in Civil, Architectural and Environmental Engineering practice.
Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CAE 404. Senior Design Project II - Construction Documents. 3 Credit Hours.
The second semester of a two semester comprehensive design project applying the knowledge acquired during earlier coursework and implementing the pedagogy of life-long learning. Team projects incorporating interdisciplinary design skills, engineering standards and realistic constraints. The faculty coordinator working with several practicing design professionals provide consultation, guidance, and recommendations on aspects of preparing the construction documents required for project procurement and construction. Using the designs produced in CAE 403 the course develops the drawings, specifications and calculations required for a comprehensive construction documents package.
Prerequisite: CAE 403.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 421. Timber Structural Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Engineering properties of timber, design of tension, compression, and flexural members are covered. The design and detail of connections and hardware, and the design of timber systems and heavy timber construction is also included. Prerequisite: CAE 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 430. Water-Resources Engineering I. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic principles of open channel flow. Computation of water surface profiles. Design of hydraulic structures, design of lined and unlined open channels, and design of sanitary sewer systems. Introduction to hydrology and analysis of hydrologic data. Rainfall characteristics and peak runoff models.
Prerequisite: CAE 330.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 440. Water Quality Control Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Physical, Chemical and Biological Transformations; Water and Wastewater Treatment Processes; Water Treatment Plant Design; Wastewater Treatment Plant Design; Case Studies
Prerequisite: CAE 330. And CAE 340.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 450. Transportation Engineering II. 3 Credit Hours.
Transportation system planning and design. Advanced geometric design for highway and railway/transit. Human, vehicle, and environmental factors affecting the design, operation, and safety of transportation systems. Planning and design of both landside/airside aspects of airport facilities. Water port and multi-modal facilities design.
Prerequisite: CAE 350.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
CAE 460. Construction Management. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the management of construction projects including legal considerations as well as the techniques of management science applied to construction. The course includes engineering methods of cost and time estimating, and exercises in applications of engineering economics, network planning techniques, including CPM and PERT are introduced. The management principles of time and cost control are also explored. Computer application of project management tools are included.
Requisite: Senior Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 470. Foundations and Earth Retaining Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Natural soil deposits and subsoil exploration. Geotechnical analysis and design of shallow and deep foundations. Theories of lateral earth pressure.
Design and analysis of earth-filled retaining systems.
Prerequisite: CAE 330. And CAE 370. And CAE 371.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CAE 480. Plumbing and Life Safety for Buildings. 3 Credit Hours.
Design of Building environmental systems including domestic cold and hot water systems, sanitary storm and special waste systems, fuel gas systems, building life safety systems and architectural acoustics.
Prerequisite: CAE 330.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CAE 481. Building Mechanical Systems II: HVAC Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Applies engineering principles to the design of heating, ventilating, and air conditioning (HVAC) systems for buildings. Covers air distribution systems, air handling units, coils and heat exchangers, water distribution systems, and primary systems.
Prerequisite: CAE 381. And CAE 330.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CAE 510. Structural Mechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of stress and deformation of solids. Application to systems in the elastic and inelastic range. Topics include beams of special geometry and support, stress concentrations, stresses in elastic foundations, torsion, energy methods, failure theories, and brittle fracture.
Prerequisite: CAE 211. And CAE 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 511. Advanced Structural Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
General methods of indeterminate analysis. Elements of energy method in indeterminate analysis of axial, flexural torsional, and composite members. Basic flexural and stiffness methods and matrix development are also included.
Prerequisite: CAE 211. And CAE 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 520. Advanced Design of Concrete Structures. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis and design of reinforced concrete elements in the context of the current ACI Building Code; beams subjected to combined loading, flat plates, flat slabs, slender columns, connections, and concrete building systems are included.
Prerequisite: CAE 310. And CAE 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 521. Advanced Design of Steel Structures. 3 Credit Hours.
Steel framing systems, design of members and connections of braced and rigid frames, design for torsion, and design of steel-concrete composite members are discussed.
Prerequisite: CAE 310. And CAE 321.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
CAE 522. Design of Prestressed Concrete Structures. 3 Credit Hours.
Materials and systems for prestressing, design of prestressed concrete members for flexure and shear, camber, deflection, and crack control are discussed. Design of continuous beams, compression members, two-way concrete floor systems, and the loss of prestress are also included. Prerequisite: CAE 310. And CAE 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 523. Design of Masonry Structures. 3 Credit Hours.
Masonry construction. Design of flexural and compression members, bearing walls, shear walls, diaphragms, and connections of masonry structures. Arches, vaults, and buttresses are also included. Prerequisite: CAE 310. And CAE 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 525. Timber Structural Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Engineering properties of timber, design of tension, compression, and flexural members are covered. The design and detail of connections and hardware, and the design of timber systems and heavy timber construction is also included. Prerequisite: CAE 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 530. Water Resources Engineering II. 3 Credit Hours.
Runoff models, routing models, water-quality models, and evapotranspiration models. Design of storm water management systems. Principles of groundwater flow. Design of wells and wellfields for public water supply. Legal regulatory, and economic components of water-resources management systems. Comprehensive design project. Prerequisite: CAE 430.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CAE 531. Surface-Water Hydrology. 3 Credit Hours.
Rainwater characteristics, abstraction processes, surface-runoff, routing, and water-quality models. Design of stormwater-management systems, evapotranspiration, and regional water-management is also included as well as case studies. Prerequisite: CAE 430.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 532. Ground-Water Hydrology. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 533. Water-Quality Control in Natural Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Water quality regulations, fate and transport processes, water-quality control in rivers, lakes, wetlands, oceans, and ground water. Pre or Corequisite: CAE 430. And CAE 440.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 540. Environmental Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Kinetics, equilibrium, acid-base, oxidation-reduction, and reaction chemistry applied to water and wastewater engineering. Prerequisite: CHM 112.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
CAE 541. Engineering Systems for Disease Control and Bioremediation. 3 Credit Hours.  
Classification of microorganisms. Microbial agents of infectious diseases and modes of disease transmission. Control of pathogens through water and waste treatment, food protection, and insect control. Microbial ecology and bioremediation systems. Laboratory exercises in microbiology.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 542. Solid and Hazardous Waste Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.  
Solid-waste characteristics, recycling, incineration, hazardous waste characteristics, prevention, and physical and chemical treatment are covered. Design projects are also included.  
Prerequisite: CAE 340.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 543. Air Pollution Control Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.  
Fundamentals of air pollution and air quality; properties and control of particulates, volatile organic compounds, carbon monoxide, sulfur oxides, and nitrogen oxides; motor vehicle emissions; health and aesthetic effects (acid rain, visibility), laws and regulations, meteorology and pollutant transport in the atmosphere; indoor air pollution.  
Prerequisite: MAE 303. And CAE 330. Or MAE 309.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 560. Sustainable Construction. 3 Credit Hours.  
Pre or Corequisite: CAE 403. Or CAE 404.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 561. Computer Aided Architectural Engineering Design. 3 Credit Hours.  
The course prepares students to utilize Building Information Modeling (BIM) and Building Performance Analysis (BPA) in a coordinated, integrated and consistent approach in the Architecture, Engineering and Construction (AEC) Industry. The basics of high-quality 5 dimensional BIM modeling are covering including 3D modeling of buildings and building components, imbedded cost-estimating and the phasing the construction process. Basics of REVIT Structure and MEP are also covered. BPAC components covered include climate analysis, daylighting, wind and airflow analysis, solar radiation analysis and whole building energy analysis. Upon completion student will receive a PBA certification from Autodesk.  
Requisite: Junior Status or Permission of Instructor.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall.

CAE 570. Advanced Foundation Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.  
Prerequisite: CAE 470.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 581. Energy-Efficient Building Design. 3 Credit Hours.  
Concepts and methods of energy-efficient building design and sustainable performance. Topics cover building envelope, mechanical, power and lighting, and service water heating systems. Computer-based energy simulation methods and building energy standards are emphasized.  
Prerequisite: CAE 481.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Spring.
CAE 582. Building Energy Modeling and Simulation. 3 Credit Hours.
Modeling and analysis of building energy performance using state-of-art whole building energy simulation programs. Topics include dynamic simulation of heating and cooling loads in buildings, modeling of building equipment and control system, and integrated simulation of equipment and building loads.
Pre-Co-requisite: CAE 581.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 590. Special Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Sub-titles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title "Special Topics."
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 595. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 604. Master's Design Project. 3 Credit Hours.
Course is taken in place of CAE 404 for students accepted to the Bachelor to Master (4+1) degree program in the CAE Department. A project elaborating on a topic from the students Senior Design course is the basis of the course. See CAE 403 and CAE 404 for the description of the Senior Design Project.
Prerequisite: CAE 403.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 610. Structural Mechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of stress and deformation of solids. Application to systems in the elastic and inelastic range. Topics include beams of special geometry and support, stress concentrations, stresses in elastic foundations, torsion, energy methods, failure theories, and brittle fracture.
Prerequisite: CAE 211. And CAE 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 611. Advanced Structural Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
General methods of indeterminate analysis. Elements of energy method in indeterminate analysis of axial, flexural torsional, and composite members. Basic flexural and stiffness methods and matrix development are also included.
Prerequisite: CAE 211. And CAE 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 620. Advanced Design of Concrete Structures. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis and design of reinforced concrete elements in the context of the current ACI Building Code; beams subjected to combined loading, flat plates, flat slabs, slender columns, connections, and concrete building systems are included.
Prerequisite: CAE 310. And CAE 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 621. Advanced Design of Steel Structures. 3 Credit Hours.
Steel framing systems, design of members and connections of braced and rigid frames, design for torsion, and design of steel-concrete composite members are discussed.
Prerequisite: CAE 310. And CAE 321.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
CAE 622. Design of Prestressed Concrete Structures. 3 Credit Hours.
Materials and systems for prestressing, design of prestressed concrete members for flexure and shear, camber, deflection, and crack control are discussed. Design of continuous beams, compression members, two-way concrete floor systems, and the loss of prestress are also included. Prerequisite: CAE 310. And CAE 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 623. Design of Masonry Structures. 3 Credit Hours.
Masonry construction. Design of flexural and compression members, bearing walls, shear walls, diaphragms, and connections of masonry structures. Arches, vaults, and buttresses are also included. Prerequisite: CAE 310. And CAE 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 625. Timber Structural Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Engineering properties of timber, design of tension, compression, and flexural members are covered. The design and detail of connections and hardware, and the design of timber systems and heavy timber construction is also included. Prerequisite: CAE 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 630. Water Resources Engineering II. 3 Credit Hours.
Runoff models, routing models, water-quality models, and evapotranspiration models. Design of storm water management systems. Principles of groundwater flow. Design of wells and wellfields for public water supply. Legal regulatory, and economic components of water-resources management systems. Comprehensive design project. Prerequisite: CAE 430.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CAE 631. Surface-Water Hydrology. 3 Credit Hours.
Rainwater characteristics, abstraction processes, surface-runoff, routing, and water-quality models. Design of stormwater-management systems, evapotranspiration, and regional water-management is also included as well as case studies. Prerequisite: CAE 430.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 632. Ground-Water Hydrology. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 633. Water-Quality Control in Natural Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Water quality regulations, fate and transport processes, water-quality control in rivers, lakes, wetlands, oceans, and ground water. Pre or Corequisite: CAE 430. And CAE 440.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 640. Environmental Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Kinetics, equilibrium, acid-base, oxidation-reduction, and reaction chemistry applied to water and wastewater engineering. Prerequisite: CHM 112.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
CAE 641. Engineering Systems for Disease Control and Bioremediation. 3 Credit Hours.
Classification of microorganisms. Microbial agents of infectious diseases and modes of disease transmission. Control of pathogens through water
and waste treatment, food protection, and insect control. Microbial ecology and bioremediation systems. Laboratory exercises in microbiology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CAE 642. Solid and Hazardous Waste Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Solid-waste characteristics, recycling, incineration, hazardous waste characteristics, prevention, and physical and chemical treatment are covered.
Design projects are also included.
Prerequisite: CAE 340.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CAE 660. Sustainable Construction. 3 Credit Hours.
Drivers and foundations of sustainable construction. Principles of sustainable construction: integrated planning and design, life-cycle view of projects,
resource selection and optimization, protection of the natural environment, toxics and pollutants elimination, durability and quality. Green building
assessment initiatives, green building policies, and code impacts. Evaluation of the environmental impacts of construction operations. Innovative
Pre or Corequisite: CAE 403. Or CAE 404.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 661. Computer Aided Architecture Engineering Design. 3 Credit Hours.
The course prepares students to utilize Building Information Modeling (BIM) and Building Performance Analysis (BPA) in a coordinated, integrated
and consistent approach in the Architecture, Engineering and Construction (AEC) Industry. The basics of high-quality 5 dimensional BIM modeling are
covering including 3D modeling of buildings and building components, embedded cost-estimating and the phasing the construction process. Basics of
REVIT Structure and MEP are also covered. BPAC components covered include climate analysis, daylighting, wind and airflow analysis, solar radiation
analysis and whole building energy analysis. Upon completion student can receive a PBA certification from Autodesk.
Requisite: Senior Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CAE 665. Facilities Operation and Management. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Facilities management topics based on core concepts of International Facility Management Association (IFMA) involving management of corporate
needs, health, safety, security, operation and maintenance of physical facilities. This course will focus on development and understanding of
sustainable facilities management responsibilities involving the building envelope, preventative maintenance, system operational efficiencies, data
analytics and intelligent building systems, building security, maintenance staffing, infrastructure utility requirements as well as holistically integrated
assets, people, corporate strategic planning and technology. Additionally development of skills to engage in facilities management functions
which include EPA environmental / waste disposal, fleet management and statutory regulations as well as emergency management planning will be
emphasized.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 669. Construction Management Seminars. 1 Credit Hour.
Seminar series on construction management required for all students in the construction Management MS program. The faculty coordinator will set
up a series of weekly Seminars on topics such as risk management, construction safety, environmental conservation and policy, conflict resolution,
ethics, quality control and construction permitting. Speakers will include leading researchers and specialists from the construction industry. Grades
will be based on reports submitted by the students on the seminar topics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 670. Advanced Foundation Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CAE 470.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
CAE 681. Energy-Efficient Building Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Concepts and methods of energy-efficient and environmentally-friendly building design. Topics include energy and sustainable design strategies, climate, passive and active solar design, passive cooling systems, day lighting, and computer simulation of energy flows in buildings. A quantitative understanding of energy fundamentals, examples from practice, and design exercises using computer simulation programs are emphasized.
Prerequisite: CAE 481.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 682. Building Energy Modeling and Simulation. 3 Credit Hours.
Modeling and analysis of building energy performance using state-of-art whole building energy simulation programs. Topics include dynamic simulation of heating and cooling loads in buildings, modeling of building equipment and control system, and integrated simulation of equipment and building loads.
Pre-Co-requisite: CAE 581.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CAE 690. Special Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Sub-titles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title "Special Topics."
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 691. Special Topics in Construction Management. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Sub-titles describing the topics to be offered in Construction Management’s Special Topics will be shown in parenthesis, in the printed class schedule following the title, "Special Topics."
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 695. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 702. Finite Element Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
Variational principles and their application to finite element methods. Applications to: plane stress and plane strain, three-dimensional stress analysis, bending of plates, and axi-symmetric shells. Lecture, 3 hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 711. Theory of Elasticity. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 712. Structural Reliability. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic theory and tools of structural reliability including theory of probability, statistical assessments as well as inference and model building. Topics include: review probability theory; descriptive statistics; uncertainty modeling; estimation and model building; structural reliability theory; first and second order reliability methods; Level I methods/code calibration; load combinations; Bayesian decision analysis and reliability updating.
Prerequisite: IEN 311.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
CAE 714. Structural Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
Elementary structural dynamic analysis covering single degree-of-freedom and multiple degree-of-freedom systems. Topics include: free, damped and forced vibrations; transmissibility and ground motion; arbitrary, step and pulse excitation; numerical evaluation; rigid and flexible bodies; natural frequencies and modes; tuned-mass dampers; responses and spectrum; practical indications as well as an introduction to wind and earthquake engineering.
Prerequisite: CAE 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 716. Fracture Mechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory of fracture mechanics for linear elastic and nonlinear material behavior, energy release rate, stress intensity factor, and J-integral with practical application to brittle fracture and fatigue. Case studies involving civil infrastructure such as bridges, buildings, pipelines and ships. Metallurgical aspects of fatigue and fracture.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 730. Environmental Hydrology. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of ecohydrology, agricultural hydrology, impacts of climate change, fundamentals of remote sensing and geographic information systems for hydrologic applications, statistical applications in hydrology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 735. Water and Wastewater Engineering: Treatment and Reuse. 3 Credit Hours.
Physical treatment processes; Chemical unit processes; Advanced biological treatment processes; Sludge treatment and disposal; Industrial water supply and wastewater treatment; Membrane systems for wastewater treatment and case studies; Advanced wastewater treatment and reuse; Environmental nanotechnology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CAE 743. Risk Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 744. Risk Management and Resilience. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 761. Building Information Modeling II. 3 Credit Hours.
The course prepares students to utilize the predictive capabilities Building Information Modeling (BIM) technology in the Architecture, Engineering, and Construction (AEC) Industry. Continuing from the fundamental lessons of CAE 361 BIM I, this course prepares students for in depth modeling of engineering systems within AEC projects. Modeling of Structural, Mechanical, Electrical and Plumbing systems will be covered. Using the BIM of these systems to predict the system performance will be covered in the form of analytical modeling and detailed energy modeling.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
CAE 762. Construction Project Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide a practical background and working knowledge of how Construction Projects are developed and managed through professional Program Management. Elements consisting of Program Organization, Program and Project conception, Project planning, Scoping, effective project communication strategies, budgeting, scheduling, controls, resource and cost management and behaviors of the Program Manager to lead. The Project Management Body of Knowledge (PM BoK) guide relating to scope, time, cost, quality and other knowledge areas for planning and control of projects throughout their entire lifecycle. This course will also explore various applications that use construction project management software such as Primavera, eBuilder, etc. as interactive platform tools. Key leadership skills and managerial styles needed to effectively build, manage, and lead a successful project team.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CAE 765. Construction Accounting and Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will investigate the theory and practice of financing large projects. Insights into the logic of capital structure decisions – the mix of debt and equity, the choices among debt alternatives, private/public partnerships - will require an understanding of financial theory and an investigation of the relevant literature will be conducted. Accounting techniques will be reviewed that will provide students with a toolset for performing financial analyses in the construction industry. Finally, case projects will be evaluated by the class and decisions made regarding project viability using the tools presented during the course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CAE 766. Forensic Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
OBJECTIVE OF THE COURSE IS TO INTRODUCE STUDENTS INTO THE FIELD OF FORENSIC ENGINEERING. THIS COURSE IS DESIGNED TO PROVIDE BACKGROUND AND WORKING KNOWLEDGE OF HOW FORENSIC ENGINEERING PROJECTS ARE INITIATED AND MANAGED FROM THE ENGINEER'S AND ATTORNEY'S PERSPECTIVES. VARIOUS ELEMENTS REQUIRED IN A FORENSIC INVESTIGATION PROJECT FROM CONDITION ASSESSMENT TO EXPERT REPORT PREPARATION AND EXPERT TESTIMONY WILL BE COVERED. THE ROLE OF THE FORENSIC ENGINEERING EXPERT WILL BE EXPLAINED FROM THE VIEW OF THE ENGINEER AND FROM THE ATTORNEY. BY ENGAGING STUDENT IN THE GROUP PROJECT ASSIGNMENT, IN WHICH HE/SHE IS DEALING WITH THE REAL-LIFE EXAMPLES (DEFECTS), AND BY PARTICIPATING IN A MOCK MEDIATION AND DEPOSITION/ TRIAL BY THE END OF THIS COURSE STUDENT WILL BE EQUIPPED WITH KNOWLEDGE ALLOWING HER/HIM TO BETTER DEAL WITH A REAL LIFE SITUATIONS.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CAE 769. Construction Management Capstone Course. 3 Credit Hours.
The Construction Management Capstone Project is taken during the final semester of study in the MS in construction management program. It is designed to reinforce the knowledge and skills acquired during the program of study via a simulated construction project. The faculty coordinator will pair student teams with industry partners who will guide them through the steps in planning, coordination and execution of a building project. The course will provide students experience in the use of various project management tools in a virtual setting. Site visits and interaction with the project members will also provide experience in solving complex and strategic issues that often arise on actual construction projects. A comprehensive project report will be due at the end of semester which will be graded by the faculty coordinator in consultation with the industry partners.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CAE 780. Indoor Environmental Modeling. 3 Credit Hours.
Prediction of indoor environment using computational fluid dynamics techniques. Advanced topics in thermal comfort and indoor air quality. Basic concepts of turbulence modeling and numerical methods for natural, forced, and mixed convection and jet flows indoors. Simulation of air velocity, temperature, and contaminant concentrations in buildings. Comparison of the simulated results with measured data.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 781. Advanced Building Energy Modeling and Simulation. 3 Credit Hours.
Equation-based object-oriented building energy modeling. Coupling of different building simulation tools. Applications in rapid prototyping of new building systems, model-based design and evaluation of building control, and building performance evaluation.
Prerequisite: CAE 582. Or CAE 682.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
CAE 790. Advanced Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Subject matter offerings based upon student demand and availability of faculty. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title "Advanced Topics".
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 791. Advanced Topics in Construction Management. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Sub-titles describing the topics to be offered in Construction Management's Special Topics will be shown in parenthesis, in the printed class schedule following the title, "Special Topics."
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 795. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Research and/or design projects. Individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CAE 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her Master's thesis enrolls for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CAE 820. Research in Residence. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the Master's degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in CAE 810. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CAE 825. Continuous Registration--Master's Study. 1 Credit Hour.
To establish residence for non-thesis master's students who are preparing for major examinations. Credit not granted. Regarded as full-time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CAE 830. Pre-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Doctoral dissertation credits taken prior to the Ph.D. student's candidacy. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Not more than 12 credit hours of CAE 830 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than 6 credit hours in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CAE 840. Post-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Doctoral dissertation credits taken after the Ph.D. student has been admitted to candidacy. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Not more than 12 credit hours in CAE 840 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than 6 credits in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CAE 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D. after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
Classics (CLA)

CLA 101. Greek and Roman Mythology. 3 Credit Hours.
The major political, cultural, and social themes that appear in Greek and Roman mythology, examining literary and material evidence.
Requisite: Not Allow Enrollment in CLA 220 if already Enrolled/Took CLA 219.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CLA 102. Writing on Greek and Roman Mythology. 3 Credit Hours.
A companion writing course for students enrolled in CLA 220, Greek and Roman Mythology.
Requisite: Not Allow Enrollment in CLA 219 if already Enrolled/Took CLA 220.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CLA 105. Greek Civilization. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces key concepts, events, and personalities of Greek culture.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CLA 106. Roman Civilization. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduces key concepts, events, and personalities of ancient Roman culture.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CLA 210. The Greek and Latin Roots of English. 3 Credit Hours.
Equips students with the tools needed to analyze and understand the meanings of English words with Ancient Greek and Latin roots. Special attention will be paid to legal and medical terminology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CLA 211. Medical Terminology. 3 Credit Hours.
Medical Terminology is an introduction to the international vocabulary of medical science derived from Ancient Greek and Latin. We will approach this topic linguistically, beginning with the roots of ancient words and examining the rules and techniques by which Greek and Latin elements (prefixes, suffixes, and stems) are constructed into medical and scientific vocabularies. We will also look at some of the intellectual contributions of Graeco-Roman civilization to modern science and medicine.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CLA 221. Sports and Society in the Ancient World. 3 Credit Hours.
The role of sports in ancient Greek and Roman culture. Topics covered include: Mycenean bull-Jumping; athletic events in Homer; the Olympic games; chariot racing and gladiatorial combat at Rome; and the connection between public athletics and religion. Students learn to interpret literary and iconographic evidence, and study architectural remains such as the stadium at Olympia. the Circus Maximus, and the Colosseum.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CLA 222. Sexuality and Gender in the Ancient World. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic questions of sexuality and gender in ancient Greece and Rome: What does it mean to be male or female? What can we discover about ourselves from the way(s) we have sex? How are all these things related to life, love, power?
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CLA 224. The Heroic Journey. 3 Credit Hours.
The figure of the Hero On a Journey has long captivated the minds of story-tellers and audiences. This motif, known as "The Monomyth," speaks the profoundest hopes and fears of humankind. This course will examine the Monomyth as it occurs particularly in the classical tradition from Gilgamesh to Tolkien.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
CLA 225. Magic and the Occult in Antiquity. 3 Credit Hours.
A broad sweep of evidence for magic and the occult in the ancient Mediterranean world. The focus is Graeco-Roman Egypt, renowned in antiquity for occult arts such as divination, daemonology, astrology, and alchemy. The primary sources analyzed are diverse, and include magical formulae, manuals, recipes, curses, philosophical writings, and literary accounts, in particular those by Lucian and Apuleius, purporting to provide true tales of magic.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CLA 226. Greek and Roman Art. 3 Credit Hours.
The course is an introduction to ancient Greek and Roman art within its socio-political and religious context. It includes a survey of stylistic movements, elements of architecture, and a brief historical background for each period outlined in the syllabus.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CLA 231. Sciences in Ancient Greece and Rome. 3 Credit Hours.
The beginnings of scientific investigation in ancient Greece and its development and codification under the Roman Empire.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CLA 232. Ancient Greek and Roman Law. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines selected trials from ancient Greece and Rome both as a way to understand these legal systems in themselves and as a way to explore the cultures, values, and biases that shaped them.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CLA 233. Ancient Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
Provides a historical survey of evidence, practices, and ideas from the world of ancient medicine.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CLA 243. The Art of Government in Greece and Rome. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduces key concepts and models of Greek and Roman Statecraft, including the polis democracy, the Republic and the Empire.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CLA 246. Ancient Rhetorical Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
The historical development of, and key topics in, theories of persuasive communication developed by the ancient Greeks and Romans.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CLA 271. Ancient Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
What is knowledge, and how can it be known? Why be moral? What is justice? What is the good life? If we really have free will, can there be such a thing as destiny? In what does friendship consist? What exactly is love? What is the meaning of death? These and other questions were addressed powerfully by the ancient Greeks and Romans. This course will explore such crucial philosophical themes, along with the actual method(s) of inquiry that the ancients devised for examining them. Major figures such as Plato and Aristotle will be featured, along with fragments of the Presocratics and selections from other ancient philosophers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CLA 301. Ancient Greece. 3 Credit Hours.
Greek civilization from the Late Bronze Age to the end of Greek independence at the battle of Chaeronea in 338 B.C.E.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
CLA 302. The Hellenistic Age. 3 Credit Hours.
Conquests of Alexander the Great and the spread of Greek culture in the Near East under Alexander's successors until the death of Cleopatra in 31 B.C.E.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CLA 303. The Roman Republic. 3 Credit Hours.
Roman civilization from the establishment of the Republic until the Battle of Actium in 31 B.C.E.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CLA 304. The Roman Empire. 3 Credit Hours.
Roman civilization from the reign of Augustus in 37 B.C.E. to the Fall of Rome in 476 C.E.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CLA 305. What is a Classic?. 3 Credit Hours.
An explanation of what it means to designate a work of art as 'a classic', in our own culture as well as in other times and places. In order to arrive at a more sophisticated understanding of the category, readings will be chosen from a variety of texts, selected from the world's treasury of acknowledged 'classics,' beginning from the canon of ancient Greek and Roman literature that for many centuries has been the touchstone of Western civilization.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CLA 310. Survey of Ancient Greek Literature and Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
Classical Greek culture, paying special attention to Greek literature from Homer to Aristotle. It is intended to lay a foundation for understanding how Hellenic thought and art influenced the development of all subsequent Western culture. All texts will be read in English translation.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CLA 311. Survey of Classical Latin Literature and Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
A broad introduction (in English translation) to the literature of the Roman Republic and Empire. The Greek heritage behind Latin literature will be highlighted. Readings will be chosen from authors such as Catullus, Cicero, Vergil, Horace, Ovid, Petronius, Juvenal, Tacitus, and Suetonius, and from genres such as epic and lyric poetry, oratory, history and satire.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CLA 315. The Classical Epic Tradition. 3 Credit Hours.
The course treats the rise and development of the Western epic tradition from Homer, Lucretius, and Virgil in the classical world, through Dante in the Middle Ages, Milton in the Renaissance, and Wordsworth and Eliot in modernity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CLA 322. Monsters and Fantastical Creatures in Western Antiquity and Other Cultures. 3 Credit Hours.
An explanation of the notion of the "monster" and the “fantastic creature” in a range of literary and visual representations from classical antiquity (the Greek and Roman World) and other cultures from various time periods. Starting with Hesiod's "Catalogue of Monsters" we examine the following questions: Whose mental projection is embodied in a given monster? Are there different categories of monsters? What does the monster represent? What fears does the monster crystallize?
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CLA 323. The Ancient World on Screen. 3 Credit Hours.
How do we represent the ancient Greeks and Romans in modern media? What happens to the books the ancients wrote when these are turned into modern films, TV shows or video games?
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
CLA 324. Classical Myth and Contemporary Art. 3 Credit Hours.
The use, adaptation, transformation, and re-figuring of Classical myth in contemporary art. The artwork will range from photographs to installations and videos. We will use theories drawn from both art criticism and literary criticism. Female artists and post-feminist theory will figure prominently as a way to bring a broader perspective to a scrutiny of the marked gender imbalance in Classical myth.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CLA 325. The Vampire in Folklore, Fiction, and Film. 3 Credit Hours.
By pondering the role of vampires and other such monsters, in folklore, fiction, and film, this course attempts to ponder such fundamental questions as "What does it mean to be human?" and "What are the implications of death?" The tradition will be traced from its earliest antecedents in the ancient world to its latest manifestations in current fiction and screen media.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CLA 326. What Does it Mean to be Human. 3 Credit Hours.
Questions of Artificial Intelligence, the Singularity, Superintelligence, and Robotics capture our imaginations (and sometimes stir profound anxiety and fear). But are these technological developments merely phenomena of the 20th and 21st centuries? Or are the key issues entailed already adumbrated in the literatures and cultures of the ancient Greeks and Romans? This course explores the parameters of that most-fundamental question of the Humanities: What does it mean to be human? Is 'human' a discrete category with well-defined boundaries, or have fuzzy logic and the dizzying pace of technological percentage a human body must be organically/naturally produced (as opposed to mechanically/technologically engineered) in order to be considered human. The course will entail reading assignments from the Greek and Roman classics (in English translation); weekly screenings of movies (including television programs); and in-class discussion.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

CLA 327. Heroes Ancient and Modern. 3 Credit Hours.
'What is a hero?' Throughout time and across a variety of cultures, beginning with the ancient Greeks various types or categories of 'hero' are considered from these cultures, including the classical model of the aristocratic hêrôs; the Monomyth Hero (most famously formulated by Joseph Campbell); Public & Private Heroes; the Tragic Hero; the Comic Hero; the Antihero; the so-called 'Dark Hero'; and the modern 'Superhero.' Key elements will include the relations between [a] the heroic and the divine, and [b] the notion of the hero and the concepts of social and civic leadership in the 21st century.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CLA 340. Greek Tragedy. 3 Credit Hours.
Readings in English of the tragedies of Aeschylus, Sophocles, and Euripides.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CLA 341. Comedy in Ancient Athens and Rome. 3 Credit Hours.
The comic plays of the ancient Greeks and Romans in English translation. The focus is close reading and analysis of plays by Aristophanes, Menander, Plautus, and Terence, with a view to their socio-political, cultural, and historical milieu. The final weeks are devoted to reception of these works by Shakespeare and Molière.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CLA 360. Women in Greek and Roman Antiquity. 3 Credit Hours.
The lives of women in ancient Greece and Rome. The historical panorama extends from the Mycenaean period ca. 1200 BC to the end of the Roman Empire in the West, 476 AD. The role and influence of Women as mothers and wives in control of the household will be examined in detail. Other themes such as love, death, marriage, divorce, legal and social status, foreign women, spinsters, wise women such as Diotima and Aspasia, Women in the arts and women of power, these will be considered through a close study of historical and literary texts as well as material culture.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CLA 370. Self and Other in the Ancient World. 3 Credit Hours.
The course examines Greek and Roman depictions of outsiders in a wide range of ancient texts and material sources.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
CLA 372. Greek Religion. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines the religious thought and practice of the ancient Greek-speaking world from the Bronze Age to the first century CE. Major topics include ritual, sacrifice, prayer, chthonic and sky deities, oracles, and mystery-cults. Students will learn to interpret primary source material, such as the epic poems of the archaic period, the so-called Homeric Hymns, and objects of material culture.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CLA 373. Religions of Rome. 3 Credit Hours.
The religious practices of ancient Romans. Major topics include the machinery or state cult, the importation of foreign divinities to Rome, the deification of emperors, and Roman attitudes towards the Christians. Students will learn to interpret primary source material, such as the writings of Varro, Cicero, the historians, and St. Augustine, and archeological evidence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CLA 401. Special Topics in Classics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address a specific author, topic or text (appearing as a subtitle). Required readings will be in English. Analogous to REL 404-409 courses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CLA 402. Special Topics in Classics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address a specific author, topic or text (appearing as a subtitle). Required readings will be in English. Analogous to REL 404-409 courses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CLA 403. Special Topics in Classics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address a specific author, topic or text (appearing as a subtitle). Required readings will be in English. Analogous to REL 404-409 courses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CLA 404. Special Projects in Classics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address a specific project in Classics (appearing as a subtitle). Analogous to REL 407-409.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CLA 405. Special Projects in Classics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address a specific project in Classics (appearing as a subtitle). Analogous to REL 407-409.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CLA 406. Special Projects in Classics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address a specific project in Classics (appearing as a subtitle). Analogous to REL 407-409.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CLA 422. Aristophanes. 3 Credit Hours.
Readings from Aristophanes' plays in the original Ancient Greek.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CLA 491. Directed Reading in Classics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content to be determined by faculty member and registering student(s).
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
CLA 492. Directed Reading in Classics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address a specific author, topic or text (appearing as a subtitle). Analogous to REL 401-403 courses and to (existing) CLA 491.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CLA 493. Directed Reading in Classics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address a specific author, topic or text (appearing as a subtitle). Analogous to REL 401-403 courses and to (existing) CLA 491.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CLA 495. Senior Thesis I. 3 Credit Hours.
Part I of the project or thesis normally completed in the senior year.
Components: THE.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CLA 496. Senior Thesis II. 3 Credit Hours.
Part II of the project or thesis normally completed in the senior year.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CLA 505. Seminar in Ancient Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics in Greek and Roman studies.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CLA 605. Graduate Seminar in Ancient Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
A graduate-level seminar focused on various topics in Classical history, literature and culture.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CLA 691. Direct Readings in Classical Studies for Graduate Students. 3 Credit Hours.
Graduate students will pursue supervised, directed readings on various classical topics.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

Clinical and Translational Investigation (CTI)

CTI 602. Writing for Translational and Clinical Science. 2 Credit Hours.
This introductory core course will be taught by the Masters of Science in Clinical and Translational Investigation (MSCTI) Program Directors, as well as various guest lecturers. The focus of the course will be on developing grant and manuscript writing skills in the area of clinical and translational science across the translational science spectrum.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CTI 603. Research Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
Course focuses on topics related to what is sometimes called the "responsible conduct of research" (RCR). It covers the landscape of "scientific integrity" - both the principles and day-to-day practicalities of research ethics. The course is inter-disciplinary in its approach. Readings and other materials used as part of the course draw on the examples from many academic fields, and are intended to have application to any academic or professional area of study in which research is conducted.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
CTI 604. Advanced Independent Study. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual work on a special project and/or additional coursework under faculty guidance.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CTI 605. Introduction to Team Science and Entrepreneurship. 2 Credit Hours.
This introductory core course will introduce students to fundamental topics in translational science related to team science and entrepreneurship. Through a series of lectures, participatory exercises, and guided discussions, students will learn practical strategies for engaging in team science and for developing a translational research project into an entrepreneurial endeavor.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CTI 805. Capstone Project / Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The Capstone Project is an opportunity for MSCTI students to apply the principles and practices of clinical and translational research, and is a vital component in the training of impactful clinical and translational investigators. Students will engage in research, produce publishable content, and advance their research careers.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Communication (COM)

COM 101. Mass Media Communication in Society. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of the history, development, structure, and effects of mass communication media.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

COM 250. Freedom of Expression and Communication Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the concept of freedom of expression, its philosophical roots, its application of contemporary issues in communication, and of the basics of moral philosophy (ethics) and moral reasoning.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

COM 302. Structured Research and Practice at SoC Consultancy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students will engage in structured participation in programmatic research and applied practice through the SoC Consultancy. Requisite: Sophomore or Higher and Min Cumulative GPA 2.5.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

COM 395. Honors Seminar in Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of central issues and topics in the field of Communication.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

COM 401. Honors Communication Colloquium. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of central issues and topics in the field of Communication.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

COM 406. Special Topics in Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
Course subject matter varies according to announced special topic. See class schedule for details.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
COM 499. Senior Honors Project/Thesis. 3 Credit Hours.
The focus is on completing the culminating thesis project, in consultation with the student's selected committee and thesis chair.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

COM 601. Theories of Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
Comparison of theories dealing with the processes and effects of communication is discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

COM 602. Methods of Communication Research. 3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive survey of communication research methods. Qualitative and quantitative approaches will be explained and practiced.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

COM 603. Qualitative Research Methodologies. 3 Credit Hours.
Research methods and theories for participant-observation, phenomenology, symbolic interactionism, ethnomethodology, content analysis, and historical-critical interpretation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

COM 604. Advanced Communication Research Methods and Statistics. 3 Credit Hours.
Provides an advanced examination of the problems and methods found in quantitative communication research.
Prerequisites: COM 601, COM 602.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COM 605. Theories and Methods for Mass Communication Research. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce you to the theoretical concepts and research methodologies that apply to work in, and study of, journalism and mass communication. The curriculum stresses critical thinking skills necessary to evaluate the credibility of research findings offered by various organizations, including government, business and academia.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

COM 606. Visual and Narrative Theories. 3 Credit Hours.
This course surveys theories of film, visual communication, design, game and interactive theory, critical analysis, cultural studies.
Prerequisite: COM 601 and Requisite: Doctoral Standing.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

COM 607. Survey of Media Production. 3 Credit Hours.
This course gives students an overview on how to produce compelling media stories. Students will learn key concepts and design principles used in modern media production. Students will develop a website and a short film using learned key concepts in creating and effective multimedia experience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

COM 608. Designing and Producing Messages. 3 Credit Hours.
Drawing on message design theories from areas such as persuasion and discourse studies and using creative and secondary research skills, students design and implement a production such as a public service announcement, short documentary, microsite, game prototype, or data visualization project.
Prerequisite: COM 601 and 602 and 607.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
COM 609. Special Topics in Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
This course subject matter varies according to announced special topic. See class schedule for details.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COM 610. Doctoral Colloquium. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce students to the nature and scope of doctoral study. The topics of this course include different aspects of engaging productively with the doctoral program, such as developing a research program, publication, grant writing, and job search dynamics.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

COM 612. Pedagogy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the traditions as well as the recent advances in pedagogy, including its historical, theoretical and practical applications with the aim of preparing students to teach at the University level.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

COM 615. Social Effects of Mass Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
Roles, functions, and consequences of mass communication in American society.
Prerequisite: COM 601.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

COM 620. Structured Research and Practice in SoC Consultancy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students engage in programmatic research and applied practice through structured participation at the SoC Consultancy.
Requisite: Graduate and Min Cumulative 3.0 GPA.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

COM 672. Seminar in Persuasive Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide students with a basic understanding of the role of communication in the persuasion process. This will be achieved by exploring historical and contemporary theories of persuasion as well as examining research that has focused on persuasion.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COM 695. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students work independently with a professor, researching a topic in a selected area. Repeatable up to 6 credits.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

COM 698. Independent Research. 3 Credit Hours.
An in-depth, hands-on course in which students conduct a research project using the specified research method. May include experimental design, advanced qualitative methods, content analysis, or survey methods. Repeatable up to 6 credits.
Prerequisites: COM 602, COM 603.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

COM 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
COM 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master's degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in
COM 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

COM 825. Continuous Registration--Master's Study. 1 Credit Hour.
To establish residence for non-thesis master's students who are preparing for major examinations. Credit not granted. Regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

COM 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but for not less than a total of 12 hours.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

COM 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral
research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Communication Studies (COS)

COS 112. Interpersonal Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of current theories of interpersonal communication. Consideration is given to impression formation, relationship between self-concept and
others, function of language in social interaction, and development and maintenance of relationships.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

COS 120. Exploring Human Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
Course content focuses on behavioral science research highlighting verbal and nonverbal skills, knowledge, and abilities necessary for effective
communication in a broad range of contexts, including romantic relationships, business interactions, political campaigns, health promotion, and
persuading and influencing people in general.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

COS 210. Writing for Communication Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of writing, reviewing literature, and synthesizing research for communication studies and the social sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

COS 211. Public Speaking. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to effective audience communication including theory and extensive practice in oral presentations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

COS 212. Interview Skills. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of interview skills, listening techniques, voice and diction.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 220. Communication Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey of basic communication theories and models. Study of processes, functions, levels, and general principles of human communication.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
COS 304. Intercollegiate Debate Theory and Practice. 1 Credit Hour.
A course designed to teach students how to compete successfully in intercollegiate debate, and to reinforce training through practice and competition.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

COS 311. Advanced Oral Advocacy. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced presentational speaking to persuade including theory and extensive practice.
Prerequisite: COS 211.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 314. The Power of Dialogue. 3 Credit Hours.
Students learn how to engage in and lead constructive dialogue about sensitive, emotional, and controversial issues in the public and private spheres.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

COS 316. Small Group Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
Techniques of discussion applied to goal-oriented, small group situations. Consideration is given to research methods, leadership, and conflict resolution. Theory is applied to active classroom participation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

COS 318. Nonverbal Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory and application of selected areas of research in nonverbal communication is addressed. Discussion of environment, space, body movement, posture, eye contact, facial expression, vocal cues, and physical appearance is included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 324. Health Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide a broad introduction to human communication in a health-care context. Emphasis will be on issues of social support, patient-health professional/caregiver interaction, organizational culture, planning health promotion campaigns, and cultural conceptions of health and illness.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

COS 325. Communication in Health Organization. 3 Credit Hours.
This course looks at the dyadic, small group, and institutional communication patterns that can affect health outcomes within and between health organizations including hospitals and other allied health services.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 328. Sports As Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
This is a course which introduces students to the study of spectator and participation sports as communication and to communication within sports.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

COS 330. Conflict Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an understanding of conflict dynamics and strategies for constructive conflict management.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

COS 333. Business Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
Study and practice in the major forms of spoken and written communication in the context of businesses and other professional organizational settings.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
COS 336. Political Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
A review of the history, strategies, theories and trends in political campaign communication in the United States.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

COS 343. Introduction to Intercultural Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to communication among people from diverse cultures. Application of communication theory to intercultural sensitivity and cultural diversity is emphasized.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

COS 351. Qualitative Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
Course is designed to introduce students to a sample of qualitative research methods used in communication.
Prerequisites: COM 110, COS 210.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

COS 352. Critical Research in Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
This is a course in rhetorical criticism. Students will gain an understanding of rhetorical theory as it is applied to the analysis and evaluation of significant public communication events.
Prerequisites: COM 110, COS 210.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

COS 353. Quantitative Communication Research Methods and Analyses. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to communication research methods. Application of quantitative measurement techniques and statistical analyses will be discussed as well as the use of microcomputer statistical programs.
Prerequisites: COM 110, COS 210.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

COS 354. Organizing for Action. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will learn a range of communication strategies and tactics to advocate for and effect social change.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

COS 355. Applied Communication Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
Students learn to read and interpret quantitative and qualitative research methods. Students develop skills in basic qualitative methods (focus groups, observation) and quantitative methods (surveys, polls, comparisons, basic statistical analysis) for use in daily and professional life.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

COS 360. Speech Writing. 3 Credit Hours.
This is a course on written speeches, speechwriting, and delivering speeches from manuscripts. Students will write, review and edit their own work, and will work in teams engaging peer review and corporate authorship to produce manuscripts for a variety of types and purposes of speeches employing a broad range of strategies for proof, language, and engagement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

COS 377. Argumentation and Critical Thinking. 3 Credit Hours.
Argumentation theory and practice are discussed. Rhetorical and philosophical foundations of argumentation and their application in various settings including academic debate are also covered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
COS 391. Undergraduate Special Topics in Communication Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Course subject matter varies according to announced special topic. See class schedule for details.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 405. Practicum in Communication Studies. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Structured participation in programmatic research and applied practice in the community.
Requisite: Junior Status.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

COS 418. Organizational Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to organizational communication theory. Consideration of structure, function, and effects of communication in organizations are analyzed. Emphasis is placed on principles needed for decision making and effective management of organizational communication processes.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

COS 426. Patient-Provider Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
This class focuses on the interpersonal environment of patient-provider interaction. The primary purpose of this course is to describe best practices for coming to shared meaning and decision-making between medical professionals and patients in healthcare settings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 427. Health Behavior and Risk. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to different theories and models of health communication that are frequently used to develop persuasive health messages. It draws on health communication messaging theory, as well as literature in public health, psychology, and medicine.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 472. Persuasion. 3 Credit Hours.
A review of theory, research, and practice of the intentional use of symbols to influence attitudes, beliefs, and actions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

COS 473. Words that Shaped the World. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of great speakers and speeches in important international settings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

COS 474. Presidential Debates. 3 Credit Hours.
History, impacts, content and strategies of televised presidential campaign debates.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 477. Engaged Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
Capstone course designed for communication studies majors. Provides students opportunities to apply knowledge of communication theory and associated research skills through their personal engagement in community or organizational service and action research.
Prerequisites: COM 110, COS 210, COS 351, COS 354. Requisite: Senior Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

COS 479. Capstone for Communication Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Capstone course designed for communication studies majors. Provides students with the opportunity to apply knowledge of communication theory and research skills through development of capstone project.
Prerequisites: COM 110 and COS 210 and COS 351 and COS 353. Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
COS 498. Communication Studies Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Prescribed study and supervised work with practitioners in organizations.
Requisite: Junior Status.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

COS 499. Projects and Directed Research. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual study. No more than three credits may be counted toward a Communication major or minor.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

COS 545. Intercultural Communication: International Perspectives. 3 Credit Hours.
Effects of cultural attitudes, beliefs, and attributions on meaning assignment. Effects of language on the structure of thought. Ethics and process of the diffusion of cultural innovations are analyzed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 546. Intercultural Communication: Domestic Perspectives. 3 Credit Hours.
Effects of cultural attitudes, beliefs, and attributions on meaning assignment. Diffusion of cultural innovations, prejudice, discrimination, and equality are discussed. Emphasis is placed on intercultural interactions within the United States.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 560. The Executive Communicator. 3 Credit Hours.
Audience analysis, speech writing, delivery in professional presentations, theory, and history of great speeches are covered. Detailed critiques of student speaking styles and performances are also included.
Prerequisite: COS 211. Requisite: Junior Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

COS 591. Advanced Special Topics in Communication Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
This course subject matter varies according to announced special topic. See class schedule for details.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 599. Advanced Projects and Directed Research. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Individual study. Course may be repeated to a maximum of six credits.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

COS 616. Small Group Processes. 3 Credit Hours.
Techniques of discussion applied to goal-oriented, small group situations. Consideration is given to research methods, leadership, and conflict resolution. Theory is applied to active classroom participation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

COS 618. Seminar in Nonverbal Communication (NVC). 3 Credit Hours.
Theory and application of selected areas of research in nonverbal communication is addressed. Discussion of environment, space, body movement, posture, eye contact, facial expression, vocal cues and physical appearance is included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

COS 620. Gender Issues in Leadership. 3 Credit Hours.
This course utilizes case studies of innovative executives to analyze different leadership and communication styles between men and women.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
COS 630. Conflict Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an understanding of conflict dynamics and strategies for constructive conflict management.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 645. Intercultural Communication: International Perspectives. 3 Credit Hours.
Effects of cultural attitudes, beliefs, and attributions on meaning assignment. Effects of language on the structure of thought. Ethics and process of the diffusion of cultural innovations are analyzed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 646. Intercultural Communication: Domestic Perspectives. 3 Credit Hours.
Effects of cultural attitudes, beliefs, and attributions on meaning assignment. Diffusion of cultural innovations, prejudice, discrimination, and equality are discussed. Emphasis is placed on intercultural interactions within the United States.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 647. Culture and Organizations. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the effects of cultural diversity on communication in organizations. Diffusion of innovations, prejudice, discrimination, and equality are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 651. Survey of Health Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is intended to provide a graduate-level introduction to the study of health communication. Accordingly, it covers a wide range of topic areas informed by an equally diverse range of theories, research paradigms, and applied foci.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 652. Culture and Health. 3 Credit Hours.
This class is designed to give participants an overview of the problems, issues, and processes involved with communicating with people of different cultural and subcultural backgrounds about issues of health and illness.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 653. Organizations, Communication, and Health. 3 Credit Hours.
This class focuses on the organizational, interpersonal and intercultural dimensions of communication in health care settings. It draws on material from the communication discipline as well as work from medical sociology, anthropology, medicine, humanities and discourse studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 654. Risk Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will offer a foundational understanding of the psychological and sociological bases of risk perceptions that are necessary for effective risk communication.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 655. Health Communication Interventions. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will focus on the planning, development, and assessment of health communication intervention messages and materials.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 660. The Executive Communicator. 3 Credit Hours.
Audience analysis, speech writing, delivery in professional presentations, theory, and history of great speeches are covered. Detailed critiques of student speaking styles and performances are also included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
COS 674. Seminar in Interpersonal Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on theoretical approaches to interpersonal communication. Emphasis is placed on current research including fundamentals of relationships, developmental issues, interaction management, and interpersonal competence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 680. Organizational Training and Development. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide an examination of internal organizational communication in order to understand appropriate strategies for training and development of supervisors and employees.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 682. Seminar in Organizational Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores theoretical perspectives and the impact of communication in organizations. Critical analysis includes management styles, decision-making, group interaction, conflict resolution, and diffusion of innovations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 690. Communication Studies Practicum. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Prescribed graduate study and supervised work with practitioners in organizations.
Prerequisites: COM 601 and COM 602 and COM 603.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

COS 691. Advanced Special Topics in Communication Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
This course subject matter varies according to announced special topic. See class schedule for details.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

COS 699. Advanced Projects and Directed Research. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Individual study. Course may be repeated to a maximum of six credits.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Computer Science (CSC)

CSC 100. Data Science for the World. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the concepts of data science. Basic data analysis skills. The programming language R
Prerequisite: MTH 108.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 110. Social and Ethical Issues in Computing. 3 Credit Hours.
History, social context and methods and tools of analysis. Professional and ethical responsibilities. Intellectual property. Privacy and civil liberties.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CSC 115. Introduction to Python for Arts & Humanities. 3 Credit Hours.
Designed for students from the Arts and Humanities.
Prerequisite: MTH 108 or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
CSC 116. Cybersecurity: An Introduction to Security in Cyberspace. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

CSC 118. Information Technology and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
A variety of topics on information technology and society through various course activities including research papers, experiments, and by reading articles. The topics covered include but are not limited to: history of computing, hardware mechanisms, algorithms design, software development principles, software tools, security, and artificial intelligence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

CSC 119. Computers and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CSC 120. Computer Programming I. 4 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MTH 108. or Corequisite: MTH 140 or Higher or MAS 110.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CSC 198. Freshman Topics in Computer Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 210. Computing for Scientists. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MTH 141 or MTH 151 or MTH 161 or MTH 171.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CSC 220. Computer Programming II. 4 Credit Hours.
Common APIs including list, priority queue, set, and map, and their efficient implementations in an object-oriented language using fundamental data structures. Sorting and other applications of recursion. Combining asymptotic analysis and experiments to extrapolate running times. Using APIs in a software project.
Prerequisites: CSC 120 or BTE 324 or ECE 218 and MTH 108 or MTH 140 or MTH 141 or MTH 161 or MTH 162 or MTH 171 or MTH 172 or MAS 110.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CSC 298. Sophomore Topics in Computer Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Sophomore Topics in Computer Science - Content varies by semester.
Requisite: At Least 6 credits of CSC courses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 314. Computer Organization and Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
Digital logic and digital systems. Machine level representation of data. Assembly level machine organization. Memory system organization and architecture. Interfacing and communication. Functional organization. Multiprocessing and alternative architectures
Prerequisite: CSC 220. or BTE 324. or ECE 218. and Corequisite: MTH 309.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
CSC 315. Introduction to Python for Scientists. 3 Credit Hours.
Python programming. Python packages for scientific applications. Data science and machine learning applications. Designed for students from the sciences.
Prerequisite: MTH 161 and MTH 224.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 317. Data Structures and Algorithm Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 220 or ECE 318 and MTH 309.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CSC 322. System Programming. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 220 or ECE 318.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CSC 329. Introduction to Game Programming. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamental programming issues in game design: Software design; Version control; Basic graphics; GUI programming. Large-scale game project: Team development of a functional game; Graphics and GUI component; Networking component; Core game engine.
Prerequisite: CSC 220 or ECE 318.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CSC 330. Android Programming. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 220.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 398. Junior Topics in Computer Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Junior Topics in Computer Science - Content varies by semester.
Requisite: At Least 9 credits of CSC courses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 401. Computer Science Practicum I. 1 Credit Hour.
Implementation of techniques, algorithms, and data structures being taught in a co-requisite computer science course.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 402. Computer Science Practicum II. 1 Credit Hour.
Implementation of techniques, algorithms, and data structures being taught in a co-requisite computer science course.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 403. Computer Science Practicum III. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Implementation of techniques, algorithms, and data structures being taught in a co-requisite computer science course.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
CSC 405. Computer Science Seminars. 1 Credit Hour.
A range of topics in Computer Science, as embodied in the seminars hosted by the Department.
Requisite: At least 12 credits of CSC courses.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CSC 410. Computer Science Project Planning. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Planning for the implementation of a Computer Science project, including: Problem analysis, System architecture design, Algorithm and data structure selection, User interface design, Verification and validation plan, and Prototyping.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 411. Computer Science Project Implementation. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Implementation of a Computer Science project, including: Hardware preparation, Component implementation, System integration, Verification and validation, and Documentation.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 412. Computer Science Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
A commercial computing environment. Normally 50 internship hours are required per credit earned (the host company must supply documentary evidence of hours worked).
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 419. Programming Languages. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 317 or CSC 517.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 421. Principles of Computer Operating Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 314 and CSC 322.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CSC 423. Database Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 322 or ECE 322.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 424. Computer Networks. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 314 and CSC 322.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CSC 427. Theory of Computing. 3 Credit Hours.
Sets, relations, and languages. Automata theory. Basic computability theory. Turing machines. The complexity classes P and NP.
Prerequisite: CSC 220 or ECE 318 and MTH 309.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
CSC 431. Introduction to Software Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 317 or CSC 322 or CSC 517.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CSC 481. Teaching Assistant Training in Computer Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Training and teaching assistant for a specific course, in computer laboratories. May be taken multiple times, assisting maximally twice for a given course.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CSC 498. Senior Topics in Computer Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Senior Topics in Computer Science - content varies by semester.
Requisite: At least 12 credits of CSC courses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 506. Logic. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MTH 230 or PHI 210 or PHI 510.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 507. Data Security and Cryptography. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 317 or CSC 427.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CSC 516. Cybersecurity. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 317 And MTH 224 And MTH 309.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 518. Interpreters and Compiler Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 419.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 528. Introduction to Parallel Computing. 3 Credit Hours.
Parallel computing systems shared-memory parallel programming, with open MP, distributed-memory parallel programming, software with open MPI software package. Applications: vector and matrix operations, sorting, image processing.
Prerequisite: CSC 317.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
CSC 529. Introduction to Computer Graphics. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 220. or ECE 318. and MTH 210.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 540. Algorithm Design and Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Design techniques include divide-and-conquer, greedy method, dynamic programming, backtracking. Time and space complexity. Sorting, searching, combinatorial and graph algorithms.
Prerequisite: CSC 317.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 545. Introduction to Artificial Intelligence. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 317 or ECE 318 and MTH 224 or ECE 310 or IEN 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 546. Introduction to Machine Learning with Applications. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MTH 210 and MTH 224.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

CSC 547. Computational Geometry. 3 Credit Hours.
Algorithms for solving geometric problems arising from application domains including graphics, robotics, and GIS.
Prerequisite: CSC 317.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 548. Bioinformatics Algorithms. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 120 or CSC 210 and BIL 150 or BIL 104 or BIL 352 or BIL 552 or CSC 552.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CSC 549. Biomedical Data Science. 3 Credit Hours.
The computational skills needed for analysis of genomic and biomedical data sets, including: The basics of a command line interface; programming in (bio-)python; running programs on Pegasus2; writing scripts for downloading, manipulating, and analyzing data; file sharing and version control using github; analyzing a Next Generation Sequencing data set, and interpreting the results; and responsible conduct of Research.
Prerequisite: CSC 120 and BIL 150.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 550. Computational Neuroscience. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MTH 162 and MTH 224.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
CSC 552. Bioinformatics Tools. 3 Credit Hours.
Databases and tools of bioinformatics, as relevant to research in genomics and molecular biology. Bioinformatics applications. Information retrieval, analytical tools, BLAST searches, promoter analysis, and protein structure-function analysis, and various applications.
Prerequisite: BIL 250 or BIL 150.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CSC 555. Multimedia Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 317.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 595. Topics in Computer Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics in Computer Science - content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 596. Topics in Computer Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics in Computer Science - content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 597. Topics in Computer Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics in Computer Science - content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 598. Topics in Computer Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics in Computer Science - content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 607. Logic. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 609. Data Security and Cryptography. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 317 or CSC 427.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 615. Introduction to Python Programming for Graduate Students. 3 Credit Hours.
Python programming and data structures. Program design and implementation. Python packages for scientific applications, data analysis, and machine learning. Designed for graduate students from the sciences. Not available to Computer Science students.
Prerequisite: MTH 161 and MTH 224.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
CSC 616. Cybersecurity. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 317 And MTH 224 And MTH 309.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 618. Interpreters and Compiler Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 419.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 623. Theory of Relational Databases. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 423.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 629. Introduction to Computer Graphics. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 632. Introduction to Parallel Computing. 3 Credit Hours.
Parallel computing systems shared-memory parallel programming, with open MP, distributed-memory parallel programming, software with open MPI software package. Applications: vector and matrix operations, sorting, image processing.
Prerequisite: CSC 317.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 640. Algorithm Design and Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Design techniques include divide-and-conquer, greedy method, dynamic programming, backtracking. Time and space complexity. Sorting, searching, combinatorial and graph algorithms.
Prerequisite: CSC 317.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 645. Introduction to Artificial Intelligence. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 317 Or ECE 318 And MTH 224 Or ECE 310 Or IEN 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CSC 646. Introduction to Machine Learning with Applications. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MTH 210 and MTH 224.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
CSC 647. Computational Geometry. 3 Credit Hours.
Algorithms for solving geometric problems arising from application domains including graphics, robotics, and GIS.
Prerequisite: CSC 317.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 648. Bioinformatics Algorithms. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CSC 650. Computational Neuroscience. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MTH 162 and MTH 224.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 656. Multimedia Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 317.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 670. Directed Reading. 2-4 Credit Hours.
Directed reading in Computer Science - content varies by semester.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CSC 685. Topics in Computer Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics in Computer Science - content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 686. Topics in Computer Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics in Computer Science - content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 687. Topics in Computer Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics in Computer Science - content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 688. Topics in Computer Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics in Computer Science - content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 689. Topics in Computer Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics in Computer Science - content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
CSC 690. Seminar for Graduate Students I. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Flexible topics of interest to graduate students.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 692. Seminar for Graduate Students II. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Flexible topics of interest to graduate students.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 707. Logic Programming. 3 Credit Hours.
Programming in Prolog, Fix-point semantics, Declarative semantics, Completeness of SLD-resolution, Negation, Implementation of logic programming languages. Deductive databases.
Prerequisite: MTH 506 and CSC 317.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 711. Theory of Computation. 3 Credit Hours.
Recursive functions, Markov algorithms, Turing machines. Unsolvability.
Prerequisite: CSC 317 or CSC 517.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 712. Complexity Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Models of computations, Blum's axioms, intractability, NP-completeness.
Prerequisite: CSC 427.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 724. Mobile Wireless Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Cellular Systems, multiple access techniques, wireless networking, mobile IP, power management, user location information management, TDMA, CDMA, and GSM systems, data broadcasting.
Prerequisite: CSC 424.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 732. Parallel Algorithms. 3 Credit Hours.
Parallel computation models; sorting networks; parallel algorithms for sorting, searching, graph problems, prefix computation, pattern matching, and fast Fourier transforms; theory of P-completeness, the class NC.
Prerequisite: CSC 317.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 746. Neural Networks and Deep Learning. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 317.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 749. Automated Reasoning. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 317 or CSC 645.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
CSC 751. Semantic Web. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of the underlying semantic web technologies. Ontology construction and implementation using tools and APIs (logic, XML, RDF, RDFS). Theoretical and practical aspects of knowledge representation (description logic, RDF, RDFS, SPARQL, SROIQ(D)). Designing and debugging ontologies (ontology engineering, entailment tools, project).
Prerequisite: CSC 317 and MTH 309.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 752. Autonomous Robotic Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 317 and MTH 210.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 756. Advanced Multimedia Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: CSC 656.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 785. Advanced Topics in Computer Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced Topics in Computer Science
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 786. Advanced Topics in Computer Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced Topics in Computer Science
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CSC 793. Research Project. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Supervised research project preceding dissertation research for the Ph.D.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CSC 794. Research Project. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Supervised research project preceding dissertation research for the Ph.D.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
CSC 810. Master’s Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master’s thesis enrolls for the number of credit s as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CSC 825. Continuous Registration--Master’s Study. 1 Credit Hour.
To establish residence for non-thesis master’s students who are preparing for major examinations. Credit not granted. Regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CSC 830. Pre-Candidacy DOCTORAL DISSERTATION. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but for not less than a total of 12 hours. Up to 12 hours may be taken in a regular semester, but not more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CSC 840. Post-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. who have advanced to candidacy. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but not for less than a total of 12. Not more than 12 hours of CSC 740 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CSC 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for Ph.D. students after the student has enrolled for permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Regarded as full-time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Dance (DAN)

DAN 102. Stretching and Body Work. 1 Credit Hour.
Stretching techniques and examination of various body therapy concepts.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

DAN 111. Modern Dance, Level One. 2 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the discipline of modern dance designed to develop understanding and skill in the basic vocabulary. Open to all students.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

DAN 121. Ballet, Level One. 2 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the discipline of classical ballet designed to develop understanding and skill in the basic vocabulary. Open to all students.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

DAN 130. Orientation to Dance. 2 Credit Hours.
Introduction to dance as an art form for those interested in career opportunities in dance education. Required for prospective dance minors. Open to all students.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

DAN 140. Theatre Dance Forms. 2 Credit Hours.
Introduction to movement skills and stylistic elements of theatrical forms of dance. Open to all students.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
DAN 190. Improvisation. 2 Credit Hours.
Experience in selective and basic processes of movement involvement both individual and group. Open to all students.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

DAN 211. Modern Dance, Level Two. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuing exploration of modern dance basic techniques and theoretical concepts. Open to all students.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

DAN 221. Ballet, Level Two. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of ballet designed to extend technical skill and prepare student for intermediate level work. Open to students with formal ballet training or permission
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

DAN 240. Cultural Dance Forms. 2 Credit Hours.
Introduction to movement skills and stylistic elements of dance forms from various cultures. Open to all students.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

DAN 250. World History of the Dance. 3 Credit Hours.
Introductory exploration of dance history in relation to life, thought, and culture.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

DAN 280. Dance Composition Level 2. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to choreography through creative problem solving by exploring and experimenting with the basic elements of dance: space, time, energy, and motion. Emphasis is on compositional studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

DAN 285. Creative Dance for Children. 2 Credit Hours.
Introduction to theories and methods of teaching dance to children of elementary school age. Open to all students.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

DAN 286. Teaching Dance to Children. 2 Credit Hours.
Theory and practice of teaching dance to preschool and school age children. Open to all students.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

DAN 290. Introduction to Dance-Movement Therapy. 2 Credit Hours.
Introduction to dance-movement therapy theory and practice.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

DAN 291. Dance Movement Therapy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide a continued investigation into the theoretical and experiential techniques and practices of dance therapy as well as career options for students majoring in education and the healing professions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

DAN 311. Modern Dance, Level Three. 3 Credit Hours.
Intermediate study of modern dance techniques and theoretical concepts.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
DAN 321. Ballet Level Three. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of classical ballet at intermediate/advanced level. Open to students with formal ballet training.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

DAN 380. Dance Composition Level 3. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of creative problem solving by exploring, experimenting, and combining the basic elements of dance: space, time, energy and motion. Emphasis is on expansion of ideas for stage productions.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

DAN 385. Methods of Teaching Dance (K-12). 3 Credit Hours.
Content for teaching dance in a variety of settings including public school grades K-12. Required for dance minor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

DAN 411. Modern Dance; Level Four. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced study of modern dance technique and theatrical concepts.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

DAN 421. Ballet, Level Four. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of Classical ballet at an advanced level. Permission of Instructor
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

DAN 450. History of Modern Dance. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of development, philosophies, and theories of American and European modern dance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

DAN 493. Special Projects in Dance. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member’s area expertise and student’s area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

DAN 494. Special Topics in Dance. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty to faculty member’s expertise and students’ areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

DAN 550. Women in Theatrical Dance. 3 Credit Hours.
Women in Dance; the most prominent dancers and choreographers from the 19th and 20th centuries who helped shape western theatrical dance art.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

DAN 585. Methods of Teaching Dance K-12 (Advanced). 3 Credit Hours.
An advanced study of the dance curriculum content in a variety of settings including public schools, grades K-12.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

DAN 593. Special Projects in Dance. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member’s area expertise and student’s area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
DAN 594. Special Topics in Dance. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty to faculty member's expertise and students' areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

DAN 650. Women in Theatrical Dance. 3 Credit Hours.
Women in Dance; the most prominent dancers and choreographers from the 19th and 20th centuries who helped shape western theatrical dance art.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

DAN 693. Special Projects in Dance. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member's area of expertise and student's area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

DAN 694. Special Topics in Dance. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member's expertise and students' areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

DAN 720. Embodied Movement Practices in the Performing Arts. 2 Credit Hours.
Embodied Movement Practices in the Performing Arts is a course which focuses on the functional and expressive use of movement for graduate music students. This course includes body conditioning (yoga, Pilates), body mechanics, injury awareness and prevention, expressive movement, stage presence, stage movement, and movement pedagogy as basic skills in the crafting of a well-rounded sense of musicianship. In addition, this course will teach music students creative approaches to incorporating movement theories such as Laban theory, Meisner technique, mindfulness, and other somatic practices.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.

DAN 793. Special Projects in Dance. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member's area of expertise and student's area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

DAN 794. Special Topics in Dance. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member’s expertise and students’ areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Dermatology (DER)

DER 600. Cutaneous Biochemistry, Cell Biology and Genetics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will bring students to basic, fundamental and integrated sciences of human skin in biochemistry, cellular and molecular biology, and genetics. The course will cover various topics from skin cellular and molecular structure, function and biology, to their genes, DNA, RNA and protein, biochemical reactions, metabolism, and genetic processes that transmit biological information and regulation. This course will help students to understand the fundamental concepts on and connection between genes, structure and functions of human skin. The course is specifically designed and required for students who do not have strong background in human biochemistry and/or cell biology. Other students may elect this course to prepare for the subsequent vigorous studies in the MS degree program in Skin Biology and Dermatological Sciences. This is a hybrid course therefore students are required to attend campus-based classroom lectures (28 hours) and online sessions of live lectures or pre-recorded presentations (20 hours).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
DER 601. Introduction to Dermatology. 1 Credit Hour.
The aim of the course is to familiarize participants with the basic subject of dermatology and the most common terminology. Students will be introduced to the subject of dermatology, subspecialties in dermatology, structure of the skin (basic anatomy and physiology), terminology (primary and secondary cutaneous lesions), and examples of the most common dermatological conditions.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

DER 602. Skin Anatomy and Histology. 1 Credit Hour.
This course familiarizes students with the structure and morphology of the skin and its appendages. Students will be exposed to the basic aspects of skin anatomy and histology, of skin epidermis, dermis, dermal-epidermal junction and subcutaneous tissue, skin appendages of hair, sebaceous gland, sweat glands, and skin microvasculature and sensitive nerve endings, and to the relationships between structures, functions and diseases.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

DER 603. Skin Biology and Pathophysiology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course helps students to understand the fundamental concepts on and connection between structure and function of the skin. The course will include biology of major skin cell types of keratinocytes, fibroblasts, endothelial cells, melanocytes and Langerhans cells. It will cover biology of skin metabolism, skin appendages, skin matrix, cutaneous vasculature, neuroendocrine system and major processes required for cutaneous barrier function during normal and pathophysiological states. Molecular and cellular mechanisms of cutaneous wound healing, matrix remodeling, tissue regeneration and skin ageing will be also included into coursework.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

DER 604. Microbiology of the Skin. 1 Credit Hour.
This course covers skin microbiota/microbiome in health and disease, and bacterial species that cause most common skin infections such as Staphylococcus aureus (folliculitis, impetigo, abscesses, pyoderma, toxic-shock syndrome, staphylococcal scalded skin syndrome, wound infections); Streptococcus pyogenes (impetigo, erysipelas, cellulitis, necrotizing fasciitis, rheumatic fever, scarlet fever, wound infections), and Corynebacterium spp. (wound infections), etc. It addresses bacterial biofilms and their importance in skin infections.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

DER 605. Microbiology and Immunology of the Skin. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers skin microbiota and immune components of the skin in healthy and disordered states. The microbiology will cover bacterial species that cause most common skin infections such as Staphylococcus aureus (folliculitis, impetigo, abscesses, pyoderma, toxic-shock syndrome, staphylococcal scalded skin syndrome, wound infections); Streptococcus pyogenes (impetigo, erysipelas, cellulitis, necrotizing fasciitis, rheumatic fever, scarlet fever, wound infections), and Corynebacterium spp. (wound infections), etc. The bacterial biofilms and their importance in skin infections will also be addressed. The skin hosts the same immunocompetent cell types found throughout the body - T cells, B cells, macrophages, eosinophils, neutrophils, etc. - as well as its own skin-specific subpopulations-Langerhans cells, keratinocytes, and dermal dendrocytes. The second part of the course will cover the biology of immunology of the skin in normal functioning and underlying both intradermal allergic reactions and skin-specific autoimmune disorders ( alopecia areata, vitiligo, psoriasis), as well as the standard treatments for each. Further, this course addresses unique immune environments within the skin, such as the immune privilege of the hair follicle, and wound infection.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

DER 606. Dermato-epidemiology. 2 Credit Hours.
Students will be introduced to the emerging discipline in skin epidemiology or Dermatooepidemiology, to obtain an overview of incidence rates and time trends of skin disorders in the US and in the world, learn biostatistical tools in data analysis including descriptive statistics, hypothesis testing, analysis of variance, and regression analysis. Students gain an appreciation for disparity in the disease outcomes among populations and various barriers contributing to current disparity. Students will also learn about various state and national registries for skin cancer and some other skin disorders available for database research.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
DER 607. Dermatopharmacology. 2 Credit Hours.
This course familiarizes students with the mechanisms of drug action, FDA-indications, off-label uses, safety and efficacy, side effects and necessary monitoring and important drug interactions relevant to topical and systemic medications used in dermatology. The course covers skin barrier and transdermal drug delivery (structure of the skin barrier, factors affecting the skin barrier, strategies to enhance transdermal drug delivery), major drugs used in dermatology including glucocorticosteroids, retinoids, antimicrobials, immunomodulators, agents used in oncology, hormonal therapy, other systemic medications (antimalarials, colchicine, dapsone, leukotriene inhibitors, antihistamines, thalidomide) and topic medications.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

DER 608. Photobiology and Photomedicine. 1 Credit Hour.
This course discusses fundamental concepts on photobiology and phototherapy with Ultraviolet light (UV) B, Excimer Laser, UV A, PUVA (psoralen + UV A), Photopheresis, and Photodynamic therapy. The course will cover photobiology, photochemistry and mechanisms of actions. Treatment protocols with clearing phase and maintenance phase, indications, adverse effects and complications, practice and techniques and future directions will be also included into coursework.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

DER 609. Skin Carcinogenesis. 2 Credit Hours.
This course considers the etiology, pathophysiology, epidemiology, types, prognosis and various treatment of the most common types of skin cancers will be covered. Skin cancer is by far the most common type of cancer affecting the humans. More than 50% of all the cancers combined are skin cancers. The most common skin cancer is Basal Cell Carcinoma (BCC). The second most common type is Squamous Cell Carcinoma. One of the most serious form of skin cancer is Melanoma. There are other types of skin cancers that affect us. One in 5 Americans develop skin cancer during their lifetime.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

DER 610. Clinical Skin Diseases. 2 Credit Hours.
This course gives students a clinical overview of the common skin disorders encountered by society. It discusses the most common skin diseases such as acne, seborrheic dermatitis, and xerosis, with an emphasis on pathogenesis, and current research in these conditions. Older treatments will be compared to newer treatments with respect to efficacy as well as cost to patients.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

DER 611. Visualizing the Skin. 2 Credit Hours.
This course covers basic and advanced techniques of visual examination and digital photography of the skin and hair. Topics include macrophotography of the skin and scalp, dermatoscopy, processing of biopsies for histology, routine and special histological staining, microscopy with regular and special lights, immunohistochemistry and immunofluorescence, and recent advances of non-invasive methods of visualizing the skin in depth such as optical coherence tomography and in vivo confocal microscopy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

DER 612. Grant Writing. 1 Credit Hour.
The course presents approaches and important aspects of preparation of some major grant applications to including government funding from National Institute of Health (NIH) such as Research grants (R formats) for academia and Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) and Small Business Technology Transfer (STTR) grants for industries and grants from Department of Defense. Major sources, tools and policies for grant application and management will be discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.
DER 613. Techniques in Skin Research. 1 Credit Hour.
This course will cover different areas of research techniques employed in studying skin biology/pathophysiology that span from in vitro cell based assays, ex vivo skin or reconstructed skin equivalents to in vivo animal models to study skin biology and skin diseases, and will integrate various molecular, cellular and tissue based methods. The course will balance multiple teaching methods from traditional didactics to individual and group “hands-on” laboratory experience and training. Its main approach will be using skin specimen (human or animal) as a major source and starting point. It will follow progression from simple methods (cell-based) to more complex (organotypic and tissue-based techniques) to in vivo animal models in pre-clinical trials. The course will also cover high throughput approaches in skin genomics, genetics and proteomics, and use and analysis of big data as well.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

DER 614. Innovation in Dermatology. 1 Credit Hour.
The aim of this course is to familiarize the participants with the tools of innovation. It will cover the strategic processes of how to ideate, formulate, innovate and push through new ideas-from concept to implementation. This course will also cover the issues related to patent and how to protect the intellectual property.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

DER 615. Dermatology Health Care Delivery. 1 Credit Hour.
This course prepares students for positions of leadership in skin care and skin health-related industrials and organizations. The course focuses on the educational needs of professionals already fully employed in the health care industry, as well as those aspiring to careers in the field. The course considers practical administrative skills as well as broad strategic and theoretical perspectives to students who wish to expand their knowledge of management and administration as applied to the skin care industry, with emphasizes in the development of business; technical, administrative, and leadership concepts as they apply to the clinical practice and skin care industry. TeleHealth, TeleDermatology and Clinical Outreach will also be discussed. This course considers the topics on the development of business, technical, administrative, and leadership concepts as they apply to the health care industry. Students will consider issues pertaining to animal use and protection and human subject in research, regulatory requirements and allied issues.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

DER 622. Introduction to Dermatopathology. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is the continuation of the course DER 602 Skin Anatomy and Histology and or DER 603 Skin Biology and Pathophysiology. The aim of the course is to give students a general introduction to clinical histopathology in common skin disorders. The course will familiarize students with basic terms of histopathological changes in skin tissue, basic characteristic pattern recognitions, clinic-pathologic correlations, and histopathologic features of common skin diseases.
Prerequisite: DER 602 or DER 603.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

DER 623. Techniques in Skin Research- II. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is the continuation of the course DER 613 Techniques in Skin Research-I. It will teach students how to approach and solve research problems with different strategies and methods. Various research models specific to skin research will be discussed including angiogenesis, aging, cancer, endocrinology, hair, itching and sensation, wound repair and tissue regeneration, therapeutic research in drug transdermal and systemic deliveries, and clinical skin disease research and therapeutic trials as well. Students will also consider issues pertaining to animal use and protection and human subject in research and allied issues.
Prerequisite: DER 613.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

DER 631. Advances in Dermatology. 1 Credit Hour.
This hour-long seminar course is held in conjunction with Dermatology Grand Rounds, which will be the basis of this course. The purpose is to help students to keep up with advances in investigative dermatological research and patient care. The lectures are delivered by Dermatology full time faculty, voluntary faculty, visiting dermatologists/investigators, and physicians and investigators from related disciplines at the University of Miami. This series covers various aspects of skin biology, dermatology, and related disciplines.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
DER 632. Advances in Dermatology. 1 Credit Hour.
This hour-long seminar course is held in conjunction with Dermatology Grand Rounds, which will be the basis of this course. The purpose is to help students keep up to date in advances in investigative dermatological research and patient care. The lectures are delivered by Dermatology full time faculty, voluntary faculty, visiting dermatologists/investigators, and physicians and investigators from related disciplines at the University of Miami. This series covers various aspects of skin biology, dermatology, and related disciplines.
 Components: LEC.
 Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Spring.

DER 633. Advances in Dermatology. 1 Credit Hour.
This hour-long seminar course is held in conjunction with Dermatology Grand Rounds, which will be the basis of this course. The purpose is to help students keep up to date in advances in investigative dermatological research and patient care. The lectures are delivered by Dermatology full time faculty, voluntary faculty, visiting dermatologists/investigators, and physicians and investigators from related disciplines at the University of Miami. This series covers various aspects of skin biology, dermatology, and related disciplines.
 Components: LEC.
 Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Summer.

DER 641. Frontiers in Sciences. 1 Credit Hour.
This course will be in conjunction with Dermatology Journal Clubs. Students will participate in the presentation, discussion and critiques of the publications in peer-reviewed journals in both basic sciences and clinical aspects, not limited to the field of dermatology, with emphasis in translational research and research applications. In addition, this course will be run in conjunction with Dermatology Research Conferences. It will provide the most recent updates on various aspects of dermatological sciences ranging from molecular mechanisms of normal skin regeneration and repair to pathologies such as impaired healing disorders and skin cancer. Faculty, fellows and students from each research laboratory will present their research discoveries. Each MS thesis track student will be required to present their own research projects during their thesis period.
 Components: LEC.
 Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Fall.

DER 642. Frontiers in Sciences. 1 Credit Hour.
This course will be in conjunction with Dermatology Journal Clubs. Students will participate in the presentation, discussion and critiques of the publications in peer-reviewed journals in both basic sciences and clinical aspects, not limited to the field of dermatology, with emphasis in translational research and research applications. In addition, this course will be run in conjunction with Dermatology Research Conferences. It will provide the most recent updates on various aspects of dermatological sciences ranging from molecular mechanisms of normal skin regeneration and repair to pathologies such as impaired healing disorders and skin cancer. Faculty, fellows and students from each research laboratory will present their research discoveries. Each MS thesis track student will be required to present their own research projects during their thesis period.
 Components: LEC.
 Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Spring.

DER 643. Frontiers in Sciences. 1 Credit Hour.
This course will be in conjunction with Dermatology Journal Clubs. Students will participate in the presentation, discussion and critiques of the publications in peer-reviewed journals in both basic sciences and clinical aspects, not limited to the field of dermatology, with emphasis in translational research and research applications. In addition, this course will be run in conjunction with Dermatology Research Conferences. It will provide the most recent updates on various aspects of dermatological sciences ranging from molecular mechanisms of normal skin regeneration and repair to pathologies such as impaired healing disorders and skin cancer. Faculty, fellows, and students from each research laboratory will present their research discoveries. Each MS thesis track student will be required to present their own research projects during their thesis period.
 Components: LEC.
 Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Summer.

DER 661. Research Rotation. 1 Credit Hour.
This elective course will be offered in all three semesters in the first year. Thesis Path students will elect to take this course during the first year. Students will rotate through 1-3 research labs to explore a variety of potential topics for thesis. Thesis path students are required to take at least 1 lab rotation (1 credit) prior to their lab selection for thesis by the end of 2nd semester. Non-thesis path students will have the option to take this elective course as an opportunity to get hands-on experience in laboratory research and learn research techniques.
 Components: LAB.
 Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Fall.
DER 662. Research Rotation. 1 Credit Hour.
This elective course will be offered in all three semesters in the first year. Thesis Path students will elect to take this course during the first year. Students will rotate through 1-3 research labs to explore a variety of potential topics for thesis. Thesis path students are required to take at least 1 lab rotation (1 credit) prior to their lab selection for thesis by the end of 2nd semester. Non-thesis path students will have the option to take this elective course as an opportunity to get hands-on experience in laboratory research and learn research techniques.

Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

DER 663. Research Rotation. 1 Credit Hour.
This elective course will be offered in all three semesters in the first year. Thesis Path students will elect to take this course during the first year. Students will rotate through 1-3 research labs to explore a variety of potential topics for thesis. Thesis path students are required to take at least 1 lab rotation (1 credit) prior to their lab selection for thesis by the end of 2nd semester. Non-thesis path students will have the option to take this elective course as an opportunity to get hands-on experience in laboratory research and learn research techniques.

Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

DER 670. Dermatology Clinical Shadowing. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course will consist of shadowing with a clinical faculty dermatologist in clinics in the Department of Dermatology and Cutaneous Surgery at the University of Miami (minimum 2-3 hours per week for each credit hour). This course is for students who are interested in clinical dermatology or medicine. It will give students firsthand experience in clinical dermatology. Students will be rigorously monitored for progress by clinical faculty mentors. Student will be required to write a case report or present a case report at the end of the semester.
Prerequisite: DER 601.
Components: CLN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

DER 700. Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
A 6-credit research thesis course will be required for students who choose M.S. Thesis track. Research work will be performed in fall semester in the second year. For timing reasons, students will choose a mentor's lab by the end of the second semester and select a thesis proposal after rotation through 1-2 prospective mentors' labs. Students will be required to provide a proposal to a thesis committee drawn from members of program faculty. The major(ity) of these mentoring faculty are members of the UM Graduate Faculty with a track record of graduate level teaching, research funding, and/or have (had) graduate students in their labs. The thesis proposal should be written such that the data collection will be completed within one semester. Mentors will provide support for students with necessary reagents, supplies, and equipment, etc. needed for completion of the thesis project. The committee will monitor the student closely and will also identify an alternate lab, should the project did not make satisfactory progress within first two months. The committee will also evaluate by the end of the first year prior to the start of thesis work to determine if students have spent time rotation with prospective mentor's lab, evaluated the prospect of a project, and worked towards defining and completing a thesis project. A thesis requires an oral defense and a written paper evaluated and approved by the thesis committee convened for that purpose. The oral defense is open to the university community and the public. The student should distribute the thesis paper to the thesis committee for preliminary approval at least 10 days prior to the oral defense. The written paper should be of quality to be submitted for publication as first author or a co-author. Students may request to extend the length of thesis work and/or later date of thesis defense with the approval of the thesis committee and the program committee.
Components: THE.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

DER 808. Research Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
A 6-credit research thesis will be required for students who choose the Thesis Path. For the timing reasons, students will choose a mentor's lab by the end of the first year and select a thesis proposal after rotation through 1-3 research labs (DER 661, DER 662, or DER 663). Students are required to conduct campus-based thesis research in the second year in the research laboratories with faculty mentors in the Department of Dermatology and Cutaneous Surgery. The length of the thesis research, including written thesis paper and oral defense, usually takes 12 months. Students need to discuss with their thesis mentor research topic, thesis committee, duration and expectation.
Prerequisite: DER 661 or DER 662 or DER 663.
Components: THE.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
Economics (ECO)

ECO 211. Principles of Microeconomics. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamental course devoted to the development and application of basic analytical tools and principles required for an understanding of major economic problems and policy alternatives available for their solution. A particular emphasis is devoted to microeconomic analysis. Topics include the study of markets under varying conditions of competition, including market deficiencies such as pollution, prices, and resource allocation distribution of income, including poverty problems, the economics of the firm and the government, and international economic relations.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECO 212. Principles of Macroeconomics. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamental course devoted to macroeconomic analysis. Topics include national income and employment analysis, money and banking, economic growth, and comparison of different economic systems, including the problems of developing the less developed world.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECO 213. Principles of Economics. 4 Credit Hours.
This course introduces the study of the economic behavior of individuals, firms, and markets; as well as the analysis of the economy as a whole, both in terms of short-run fluctuations (the business cycle) and long-run determinants of economic growth.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 300. Microeconomic Theory and Applications. 3 Credit Hours.
Intermediate level analysis of the role of price in resource allocation in markets of varying degrees of competition. It focuses on the process of decision-making by individuals and firms, and the welfare consequences. Special attention is devoted to economic applications.
Prerequisite: ECO 211 or ECO 213 and MAS 110, or MTH 130 or MTH 141 or higher.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECO 301. Macroeconomic Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Intermediate level analysis of the measurement, determination, and control of aggregate economic activity.
Prerequisite: ECO 212, MAS 110, or MTH 130 or MTH 141 or higher.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECO 302. Microeconomic Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Intermediate level analysis of the role of price in resource allocation in markets of varying degrees of competition, as well as in the determination of wages, rent, interest, profits, and public policy.
Prerequisite: ECO 211 or ECO 213 and MTH 141 or higher.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECO 303. Macroeconomic Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Intermediate level analysis of the measurement, determination, and control of aggregate economic activity.
Prerequisite: ECO 212 or ECO 213 and MAS 110 or MTH 130 or MTH 141 or Higher.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ECO 307. Public Economics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course studies the role of governments in the economy by surveying several topics in public finance and public policy; it is designed to be a link between the theory and several policy-relevant applications. Students will acquire the microeconomic tools and techniques to identify, analyze, and solve public policy and political economy problems. Students will also learn to apply the theory to current events such as the policy debates over social security, health care, education, and tax reform. Selected topics: budget analysis and scoring; correction of externalities and provision of public goods; public choice theory and government failure; fiscal federalism and redistribution; role of government in education, social security, and health care; income distribution and welfare programs; optimal taxation and tax inefficiencies; taxes on labor supply, savings, capital gains, and business income; fundamental tax reform and consumption taxation. This is an elective class addressed to economics majors, minors, and any student with an interest in the topics.
Prerequisite: ECO 213 or ECO 211 and ECO 212.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECO 311. Labor Economics (I). 3 Credit Hours.
Course surveys the structure and functioning of labor markets. Topics include determinants of labor supply and labor demand, economics of wage differentials, economic impact of labor unions, discrimination in labor markets, and the labor market effects of various government policies such as payroll and income taxes, educational subsidies, and minimum wage laws. The central goal of the course is to provide the student with a framework for analyzing diverse issues related to the labor sector of the economy.
Prerequisite: ECO 300. Or ECO 302.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECO 333. Industrial Economics and Public Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course surveys several topics in industrial economics, regulation, and antitrust; it is designed to be a link between the theory and several applications. Students will acquire the microeconomic tools and techniques to identify, analyze, and solve industrial economics and government competition policy problems, and will learn to apply the theory to many real-world markets and current economic events. Selected topics: price discrimination; product differentiation; advertising; network effects; consumer search and digital markets; auctions; bargaining; vertical restraints and mergers; collusion and cartels; innovation and intellectual property; natural monopolies and regulation; and antitrust policies. This is an elective class addressed to economics majors, minors, and any student with an interest in the topics.
Requisite: ECO 300 OR ECO 302.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECO 345. Environmental Economics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course determines the appropriate way to regulate economic activity so as to achieve an optimal balance between competing environmental and economic goals. Economic reasoning is used to evaluate causes and consequences of environmental problems. The course rigorously evaluates various types of environmental regulation, including "cap-and-trade," command and control mandates, and pollution taxes. Other specific topics include public goods, externalities, cost benefit analysis, non-market valuation, and international trade and development and the environment.
Prerequisite: ECO 211 or ECO 213.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 351. Economics of Development. 3 Credit Hours.
This course studies factors underlying economic development, measures of and goals for development, principles applicable to problems of development, the role of markets and planning in development, social, cultural, and political factors affecting economic development, and comparative rates of progress in different countries.
Prerequisite: ECO 213 or ECO 211 and ECO 212.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECO 371. Latin America and the Global Economy. 3 Credit Hours.
An analysis of the historical growth of major Latin American countries, with emphasis on the post World War II period. Topics include industrialization, foreign investment, international trade and regional integration, agrarian reform, inflation, and development strategies and planning within the context of Latin America.
Prerequisite: ECO 213 or ECO 211 and ECO 212.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ECO 379. The Political Economy of Growth. 3 Credit Hours.
This course studies the causes of economic growth such as geography, culture, institutions, human and physical capital, as well as technology. It examines the role they play in the development process, casting light in their order of importance for growth and into which growth determinants are amenable to policy change.
Prerequisite: ECO 213 or ECO 211 and ECO 212.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECO 386. Health Economics. 3 Credit Hours.
The course applies the tools of microeconomic analysis to the health care sector. It examines how models of demand and supply apply to the health care sector in general, and in particular to the health insurance, the hospital, the physicians, and the pharmaceutical sectors. By examining the actors and issues in this market, students are able to discuss policy issues from an economic perspective.
Prerequisite: ECO 300. Or ECO 302.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 403. Monetary Economics. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of the role of money in economic affairs. Topics include the determinants of the money supply and interest rates, money and prices, money and stability, and growth. Emphasis is placed on current problems and policies.
Prerequisite: ECO 301 or ECO 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECO 420. Economic Growth. 3 Credit Hours.
Course covers selected topics in economic growth. Topics include stylized facts associated with economic growth, the theoretical study of economic growth, and empirical tests of those theories. Course work is supplemented by case studies of individual countries, particularly developing countries.
Prerequisite: ECO 301 or ECO 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECO 430. Applied Econometrics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces basic econometric techniques for analyzing economic data. The goal is to make students sophisticated consumers and skilled producers of empirical analysis, which will be attained by extensive work on a variety of real-world data like students' test scores, CEO wages, mortgage applications, cigarette demand, stock market capitalization, inflation, GDP and interest rates. Learning how to use econometric analysis software is an integral part of the course.
Prerequisite: ECO 211 or ECO 213 and MAS 110, or MTH 130 or MTH 141 or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECO 441. International Trade Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of the principles of comparative advantage and the gains from international trade. Analysis of tariffs, quotas, and protectionism is included.
Prerequisite: ECO 300. Or ECO 302.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECO 442. International Monetary Economics. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of models of the exchange rate, the balance of payments, and monetary policy in an open economy.
Prerequisite: ECO 301 or ECO 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECO 443. Economic Analysis of Energy and Commodity Markets. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the principles of energy economics, commodity markets and advanced macroeconomics. It discusses the main trends in energy production and consumption, the methods of analysis in energy and commodity markets, and the main challenges in the energy sector. The analysis of oil prices and the economics of oil exporting countries is emphasized.
Prerequisite: ECO 213 or ECO 211 and ECO 212.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ECO 444. Game Theory in Economic Applications. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an introduction to the techniques and questions of modern microeconomics. The course will expose you to the techniques of game theory, the workhorse of modern microeconomics, and will apply those techniques to the analysis of a variety of economics situations and institutions.
Prerequisite: MAS110 or MTH 130 or MTH 141 or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECO 445. Global Economics: Trade and Currencies. 3 Credit Hours.
In this course, students are exposed to two fundamental topics which are primordial to the understanding of any economic, political and/or social circumstance in any given country at any given time: (1) The evolution and meaning of the business cycle and capitalism, and (2) The effect of international trade and currencies. These two themes have sparked debates for centuries as they have great implications in the development of countries. Also, this course challenges students' critical thinking and analytical skills with a wide range of controversial readings on these two topics. This course is divided into four sections. The first one introduces students to the idea of the business cycle. The second section aims at explaining how capitalism was born and how it has evolved in the 19th and 20th centuries. Then, the course centers on explaining capitalism today and presents criticisms. And finally, students analyze how the business cycle and capitalism has unfolded and affected certain countries in Latin America.
Prerequisite: ECO 301 or ECO 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECO 460. Industrial Organization. 3 Credit Hours.
This course shows how microeconomic theory can be used to understand the diverse practices encountered in real-world markets between the extreme cases of perfect competition and monopoly. Topics to be covered include strategic pricing behavior, collusion, advertising and information, vertical integration, vertical restraints, regulation and a review of empirical literature.
Prerequisite: ECO 302.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECO 496. Directed Studies in Economics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project, or independent investigation of selected non-STEM related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECO 497. Directed Studies in Economics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project or independent investigation of selected STEM-related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECO 498. Special Topics in Economics. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected non-STEM areas of Economics.
Prerequisite: ECO 300. Or ECO 302.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECO 499. Special Topics in Economics. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected STEM areas of Economics.
Prerequisite: ECO 302.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ECO 510. Mathematical Economics and Applications. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will focus on specific applications of microeconomic theory, which may vary each semester. Topics may include choice under uncertainty, game-theoretic models of insurance markets, principal-agents problems, and basic auction theory. The discussion of each application will be preceded by a discussion of the mathematical tools required. The mathematics topics covered may include basic theory of sets and functions, concave / convex functions and their role in optimization, expectations, conditional probability, Bayes rule, and order statistics.
Prerequisite: ECO 211 or ECO 213 and MAS 110, or MTH 130 or MTH 141 or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 511. Empirical Labor Economics. 3 Credit Hours.
A theoretical and empirical analysis of how labor markets operate. A survey of the literature, problems, and methodology of modern labor economics. Human capital analysis, the wage structure, job search and job-matching models, time-allocation models, the economic impact of labor unions, labor market discrimination, the determinants of labor demand and supply, and the factors affecting government policy relating to the labor sector is also included.
ECO 430.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECO 512. Topics in Mathematical Economics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course shows how modern economic techniques can be used to identify optimal managerial decisions and industrial developments. Diverse real-world economic applications are examined.
Prerequisite: ECO 211 or ECO 213 and MAS 110, or MTH 130 or MTH 141 or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECO 520. Econometrics. 3 Credit Hours.
Statistical methods of estimating and testing mathematical model of economic relationships.
Prerequisite: ECO 211 or ECO 213 and MAS 110, or MTH 130 or MTH 141 or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 521. Advanced Macroeconomic Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
The primary objective of this course is to introduce the student to the mathematical presentation of the major Classical, Neo-classical, Keynesian, and Neo-Keynesian macroeconomic models.
Prerequisite: ECO 301 or ECO 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECO 532. History of Economic Thought. 3 Credit Hours.
Historical development of economic doctrines and theory. Topics and individuals discussed include mercantilism, physiocracy, Adam Smith, Thomas Malthus, David Ricardo, J. S. Mill, Karl Marx, marginal analysis, Alfred Marshall, and J. M. Keynes. Special emphasis is placed on the effect of historical insights upon the contemporary core of economic theory.
Prerequisite: ECO 213 or ECO 211 and ECO 212.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECO 533. Advanced Microeconomic Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the mathematical approach to microeconomic theory. Topics include consumer/household behavior, the theory of the firm, resource allocation, welfare economics, and uncertainty theory.
Prerequisite: ECO 302.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 555. Economics Departmental Honors Research Project. 3 Credit Hours.
Research project to fulfill requirements for Departmental Honors in Economics.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ECO 600. Econometrics. 3 Credit Hours.
Statistical methods for estimating and testing mathematical models of economic relationships.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 601. Graduate Macroeconomic Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
The primary objective of this course is to introduce the student to the mathematical presentation of the major Classical, Neo-classical, Keynesian, and Neo-Keynesian macroeconomic models.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 602. Advanced Microeconomic Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the mathematical approach to microeconomic theory. Topics include consumer/household behavior, the theory of the firm, resource allocation, welfare economics, and uncertainty theory.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 603. Monetary Theory and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Current monetary theory and its use and application in fiscal and monetary policymaking. Topics include the rational expectations hypothesis, time inconsistency, and the role of the government budget constraint.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 604. Topics in Applied Macroeconomics. 3 Credit Hours.
Course acquaints students with current substantive issues in macroeconomics. Topics include consumption determination, savings behavior, bequest behavior, fiscal policy effects on interest rates, consumption, real exchange rates, trade balances, and inflation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECO 610. Mathematical Economics and Applications. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will focus on specific applications of microeconomic theory, which may vary each semester. Topics may include choice under uncertainty, game-theoretic models of insurance markets, principal-agents problems, and basic auction theory. The discussion of each application will be preceded by a discussion of the mathematical tools required. The mathematics topics covered may include basic theory of sets and functions, concave / convex functions and their role in optimization, expectations, conditional probability, Bayes rule, and order statistics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 611. Labor Economics (III). 3 Credit Hours.
The formulation and testing of models of labor markets. The application of the tools of microeconomics and econometrics to the analysis of labor markets. Leading contributions in the areas of dynamic analysis of labor markets, human capital investment, the determinants of the wage structure, time allocation and search models, dual and internal labor market models, and analysis of government policy are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECO 612. Economic Strategies for Firms and the Industry. 3 Credit Hours.
This course shows how modern economic techniques can be used to identify optimal managerial decisions and industrial developments. Diverse real-world applications are examined.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
ECO 613. Microeconomics of Sustainability. 2 Credit Hours.
The course examines production and costs from a sustainability perspective, emphasizing the tradeoffs associated with reducing energy and other natural resources in production processes. Conditions under which reducing natural resources while using more of other inputs reduces total costs without sacrificing production are derived. Extensions are studied in which the same conditions are derived under a more general definition of costs which includes the costs of natural resource use to society and to brand reputation. The course then examines consumer demand for energy efficient products, emphasizing financing arrangements which allow the household to avoid the up-front fixed costs of energy efficient durable goods. Finally, the course examines externalities: actions by the firm which impose costs or benefits to society in a way which is not accounted for by prices.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 614. Valuing Public Goods. 2 Credit Hours.
While the costs of becoming more sustainable are relatively straightforward for the firm to quantify, the benefits to society (social benefits) are more difficult to determine. Nonetheless, assessing how clientele and other external stakeholders value sustainable practices is important if firms are to prioritize their efforts. This course will introduce students to the world of non-market valuation: the valuation of goods and services for which no true market exists with prices to reveal how much consumers are willing to pay. This class will provide a solid foundation for any manager to begin to understand how to appropriately value sustainable practices, enabling the firm to choose projects that provide the most social benefit net of implementation costs.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 615. Managing Regulation Compliance. 2 Credit Hours.
Sustainability initiatives must be integrated with a complex set of government regulations. Regulation systems such as standards, tradeable permits, and taxes are analyzed from the firm's point of view. Regulation systems are also studied when compliance costs are uncertain or changing over time. Many modern regulation systems allow firms to earn credits by over-complying, which can be sold or banked for future use. The course will study compliance/credit management, including over the business cycle and when regulation changes over time. The value of compliance/over-compliance to the firm's brand and to society/external stakeholders is integrated into the optimal compliance decision.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECO 616. Sustainability and Market Dynamics. 2 Credit Hours.
The course studies the impact of sustainability initiatives on the organization of firms in the market. The course derives conditions under which sustainability initiatives favor market entrants over incumbent firms and the reverse. The course studies the use of sustainability initiatives by firms to segment the market. The value of sustainability initiatives in oligopolistic versus competitive markets are also studied. Finally, the value of sustainability initiatives to external stakeholders and to the firm's brand is integrated with the benefits and costs of changes in the competitiveness of the market resulting from the sustainability initiatives.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECO 617. Enterprise Risk Management. 2 Credit Hours.
Tools for the measurement and mitigation of risk are developed. Measurement tools include value at risk measures, expert opinion, and the use of market prices. Mitigation tools include catastrophe bonds, derivatives such as weather derivatives, and adaptations (building resilience). Risks that are relevant to sustainability, such as fat tailed risk and environmental catastrophes, are emphasized. The value of environmental risk reduction to the firm and society are derived.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECO 620. Advanced Econometrics. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced econometric methods including advanced techniques in multiple regression, Bayesian methods, maximum likelihood estimators, distributed lag models, spectral analysis, and Monte Carlo studies are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECO 621. Advanced Macro Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory of the determination of national income, employment, and price levels. Course emphasizes mathematical solutions of Classical, Keynesian, and other economic models.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
ECO 625. Applied Econometrics. 3 Credit Hours.
Practical applications of econometrics are surveyed. Computer packages are used to examine economic data. Topics include the series analysis, limited dependent variable modes, pooling cross section and time series data, model selection, and rational expectations models.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 633. Advanced Micro Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory of the behavior of firms and households and the determination of prices and resource allocation in a decentralized economy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECO 634. Advanced Micro Analysis II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ECO 633. Advanced analysis of theory of the household and firm emphasizing recent approaches. Analysis of decisions over time, duality relationships, advanced demand theory, risk and uncertainty, behavioral theories of the firm, and technological change are covered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 645. Regulations Economics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines public policies for dealing with problems arising in markets in which competitive forces are weak. The focus is on monopolies, oligopolies, cartels, and other environments where market mechanisms are unlikely to produce outcomes that benefit consumers more than the alternatives involving costly government intervention.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 675. Latin America and the Global Economy. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of the economic, political, and social forces at work in the changing economies in Latin America.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECO 680. Essentials of Economics. 2 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to the core concepts of economics. Topics include allocation of scarce resources by the laws of supply and demand, use of the market place as the principle organizing and distribution tool of the economy, externalities, and market failure. Pollution of the environment is treated as a needed correction to be done by public regulation through taxation and legislation. The principal forms of firm organization and dissolution are also discussed. Applications of the laws of supply and demand are made to forecasting demand and analyzing cost structure. The entry and exit of firms and the valuation of the firm is also covered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 685. Managerial Decisions in a Global Economy. 2 Credit Hours.
Modern techniques of economic analysis and decision science are applied to the management of the firm in a global environment. Business planning and the determinants of supply and demand are an integral part of the course. The principal forms of business organization and dissolution are reviewed. The major issues confronted by the firm: Principal-agent problem (or how to motivate managers to act in the best interest of the owners, the shareholders), moral hazard, discounting of free cash flow and terminal value, economies of scale and scope, and strategic management decision making are covered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 690. Essentials of Economic Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
An economic study of the environment in which the decision making process takes place in management and the functional areas. Structured especially for students without an undergraduate background in economics. Credit not applicable toward 36-credit professional MBA component.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECO 691. Managerial Economics. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of economic analysis to the formulation and solving of management problems and the determination of business policy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
ECO 692. Applied Economics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is to provide practice in applying economic principles for graduate students with a basic understanding of economic theory.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECO 693. Applied Managerial Economics. 1 Credit Hour.
Managerial Economics is the application of economic theory to decisions made by firms and managers. This course approaches managerial economics from the point of view of a data driven manager or firm, seeking to apply economic theory to business decision making. The course starts by teaching students how to use data on costs, sales, and pricing available at any firm to compute key metrics that needed to apply economic theory to business decision making. Students will learn data-driven methods to make key business decisions, such as how much to produce, what price to charge, and advanced pricing strategies such as up-charging and price discrimination. Students will learn how to make these decisions in both competitive and imperfectly competitive industries. Given the explosion of data being collected in many industries, companies are increasingly focused on combining economic theory and data to make better decisions. Indeed, many firms such as Google and Microsoft are now have in-house economics departments (as well as economists who work at investment banks and consulting firms) to advise on such decisions. Because in general these very fundamental decisions are made by higher level executives, economics becomes critically important for CEOs and other senior executives. This is one reason why economics is the most common major among Fortune 500 CEOs.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 694. Game Theory and Economic Strategy. 1 Credit Hour.
Game theory is a powerful tool for making strategic decisions. This course teaches students how to use game theory to make better strategic decisions. The setting is a small group of firms (e.g. Apple and Samsung) or managers (e.g. a small team). In such settings, managers must anticipate decisions by others and react accordingly, and anticipate how others will react to their decisions. Game theory teaches students how to anticipate decisions by others, which allows for better strategy. The course will teach game theory tools for cases when managers make decisions simultaneously, when managers make decisions sequentially, and cases where managers have incentives to make their decisions hard to predict. Strategic decisions analyzed include price competition, market segmentation, market entry/exit, flash sales, cartels and collusive behavior, strategic inventory decisions, entry deterrence, and many others.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECO 695. Global Economics. 2 Credit Hours.
This is a course in global economics with focus on economic policies and country risk. We study the aggregate behavior of macroeconomics variables that are relevant for business decisions. We take into account the interaction of the national economy with the rest of the world. In other words, we do global economics and study the roles of monetary and fiscal policies in an open economy, foreign direct investment, and the exchange rate.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

ECO 698. Selected Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics in selected areas of specialization.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECO 699. Directed Study. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Graduate-level supervised readings, individual research project or independent investigation of selected economics problems. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ECO 750. Applied Economics: IO. 3 Credit Hours.
The first part of the course will focus on static analysis of market outcomes. The emphasis will be on empirical work, and there will be a number of places where we take digressions into econometric and computational issues. The second part will focus on related fields (bargaining, auctions and market design), and then move on to dynamic analysis in I.O. (both single and multiple agent dynamic models).
PRE-REQUISITE: ECO 602 AND ECO 633.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
ECO 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor but not for less than a total of 12. Not more than 12 hours of ECO 730 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session. Where a student has passed his/her (a) qualifying examinations, and (b) is engaged in an assistantship, he/she may still take the maximum allowable credit stated above.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECO 860. The Theory of International Trade. 3 Credit Hours.
This course presents rudiments in trade theory and open macroeconomics. International arbitrage as well as determination of the values of currencies and stocks.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

Ecosystem Science and Policy (ECS)

ECS 111. Introduction to the Earth's Ecosystem. 3 Credit Hours.
Earth's ecosystems and the interactions of humans with them. Concepts in ecology, environmental science and policy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECS 112. Field Problems in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 2 Credit Hours.
Problem solving in ecology and environmental management. Class projects and case studies providing experience in identifying problems, quantifying scientific issues and considering management options and outcomes. Extensive field experience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECS 113. Introduction to Environmental Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Theories and case studies from various fields, including anthropology, economics, ethics, geography, political science and psychology, will be used to explore the multiple perspectives that influence group and individual perceptions of environmental issues.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECS 195. Studies in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions but having no direct equivalents here.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ECS 196. Studies in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions but having no direct equivalents here.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ECS 197. Studies in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions but having no direct equivalents here.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ECS 198. Studies in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions but having no direct equivalents here.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ECS 199. Studies in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions but having no direct equivalents here.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ECS 201. Seminar Series in Contemporary Environmental Issues I. 1 Credit Hour.
Current environmental topics involving interaction of science and policy.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ECS 202. Seminar Series in Contemporary Environmental Issues II. 1 Credit Hour.
Current environmental topics involving interaction of science and policy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECS 204. Environmental Statistics. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of parametric and nonparametric statistics with an emphasis on applications in the analysis of environmental data.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECS 215. Introduction to Private Urban and Suburban Green Spaces. 1 Credit Hour.
Faculty supervised research & application projects in indoor, urban, and suburban green spaces. Topics of focus include green walls, roof gardening, edible gardening, permaculture, sustainable gardening, composting & vermiculture, gardening for wildlife, and backyard ecology. No previous ecology or gardening experience required.
Components: FLD.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECS 232. Ecological Principles and Environmental Applications. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of the science of ecology and its basic principles. Covers aspects of organismal ecology (including population genetics, structure, growth and regulation; adaptations and responses to the physical environment and biological communities); community ecology; and ecosystems (including energy flow, biogeochemical cycles, and biomes). Students will learn to apply ecological principles to understand and solve environmental problems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECS 272. Special Topics in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in class schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECS 295. Studies in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-5 Credit Hours.
For courses taken at other institutions that have no equivalents here.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ECS 296. Studies in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-5 Credit Hours.
For courses taken at other institutions that have no equivalents here.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ECS 297. Studies in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-5 Credit Hours.
For courses taken at other institutions that have no equivalents here.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ECS 298. Studies in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-5 Credit Hours.
For courses taken at other institutions that have no equivalents here.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ECS 301. Tools for Environmental Decision-Making: The Quantitative Perspective. 3 Credit Hours.
Quantitative decision-making techniques and methodologies.
Prerequisite: ECS 111 and ECS 112. or Requisite: Plan of ECS.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ECS 302. Perspectives on Environmental Decision Making. 3 Credit Hours.
Techniques for assessing human impacts on the environment. Covers approaches from law, ethics, anthropology and includes cases involving local, regional and global environmental management issues.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECS 309. Microbes and the Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide students in geology, biology and environmental science a fundamental understanding of the role microbes play in shaping the Earth and its environments as well as the basic principles and approaches to studying these interactions in both modern and ancient settings. The metabolic diversity displayed by microbial communities makes them an integral component of global elemental cycles. In this regard, microorganisms have shaped our planet over the past 4 billion years and continue to do so in a very prominent way. The goal of this course is to learn about microbial diversity and metabolism, and the ability of microbes to shape and influence the environment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECS 310. Sustainable Living. 3 Credit Hours.
Sustainable Living explores ways of living that can be sustained for thousands of years, without further damage to earth, ocean and atmosphere. Topics covered include renewable energy, agricultural practices, water issues, green building, low carbon transportation and healthy living/eating. Students advocate for sustainable practices of their choice in writing and in oral/visual presentations. Frequent field trips.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECS 312. Environment Assessment. 3 Credit Hours.
Execution of environmental due diligence in the context of property transactions and land and water pollution in a technical, regulatory, and legal framework, including how client advocacy and regulatory detail influence project design.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECS 323. Population, Sustainability, and the Media. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores opposing views of population growth and environmental sustainability through the media and cinema: contrasts "Doomsters" who believe population growth and resource consumption threaten human survival and pro-growth "Boomsters" who believe human ingenuity and technology will continue to allow humankind to prosper.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECS 324. You & Your Microbiome. 3 Credit Hours.
Recent advances in immunology, genetic manipulation and the microbiome; consequences on emerging notions of personalized health and medications; the creation of tailored therapies against cancer; implications for cost of healthcare and politics of medicine.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECS 325. Hazards and Disasters: The Nature-Society Interface. 3 Credit Hours.
Borrows from themes in Geography, Urban Planning, Anthropology and Policy Studies to explore how human-environmental interactions determine the distribution, causes and consequences of natural hazards and disasters.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECS 332. Ecology and Land Use in the Galapagos. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamental principles of ecology manifested on Isla Isabela will be employed to evaluate land usages including subsistence and production agriculture, animal husbandry, fuel wood and timber, and conservation with ecotourism. Habitats, flora, and fauna from the vicinity of Puerto Villamil to the rim of Volcán Sierra Negra; analysis of agricultural practices and problems of the mist zone on this volcano’s southeastern flank.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ECS 335. Biodiversity in Peru. 3 Credit Hours.
The focus is on developing skills to analyze and value the components of biodiversity, identifying its potentials and the tools to make sustainable use and conservation possible.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECS 337. Latin America and the Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
Theoretical dimensions of current environmental challenges in Latin America and examines their ecological, social, economic, and political dimensions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECS 342. Decision-Making and the Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
Provides a comprehensive overview of the art and science of decision modeling in natural resources policy management. Students learn to understand and develop basic decision models, interpret the results and communicate them to non-analytical decision makers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECS 345. Economics of Natural Resources and the Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive overview of the economics of national, international, and global environmental problems. A unifying theme throughout is sustainable development defined as “maximizing the net benefits of economic development while maintaining the services and quality of natural resources over time”. We will use economic reasoning to examine causes and consequences of environmental and resource problems, and measures for dealing with them.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECS 352. Environmental Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
Theoretical and practical issues in the field of environmental ethics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECS 357. Global Food: A Hands-On Approach. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of principles of permaculture via designing and creating a small "global farm" on campus to grow perennial food crops which are unique to the South Florida environment. We learn by doing, cultivating plants that hold the solution to world hunger problems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECS 360. Readings in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings on special topics. Offered by special arrangement with a faculty member. May be repeated for credit.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECS 361. Readings in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings on special topics. Offered by special arrangement with a faculty member. May be repeated for credit.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECS 362. Readings in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings on special topics. Offered by special arrangement with a faculty member. May be repeated for credit.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECS 363. Readings in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings on special topics. Offered by special arrangement with a faculty member. May be repeated for credit.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ECS 371. Readings in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings on special topics. Offered by special arrangement with a faculty member. May be repeated for credit.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECS 372. Special Topics in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in class schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECS 373. Topics in Ecosystem Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in class schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECS 374. Topics in Environmental Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in class schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECS 375. Topics in Environment and the Humanities. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in class schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECS 376. Topics in Environmental Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in class schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECS 377. Topics in Environmental Economics and Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in class schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECS 379. Special Topics in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in class schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECS 380. Field Studies in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Field course to various U.S. and international regions, focusing on current and historic interactions of humans with the local environment. Includes water, land, and mineral resources as well as impacts on local ecosystems. Emphasis on current management efforts and potential impacts of climate change.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECS 381. Field Studies in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Field course to various U.S. and international regions, focusing on current and historic interactions of humans with the local environment. Includes water, land, and mineral resources as well as impacts on local ecosystems. Emphasis on current management efforts and potential impacts of climate change.
Components: FLD.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ECS 385. Civic Engagement in the Galapagos. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is part of the UGalapagos semester held in the Galapagos and is open only to students who have been accepted by the Department of Biology. This field course offers you a rare chance to examine human interactions in a highly politicized landscape of conservation. You will learn historical development and contemporary issues of Latin America from an interdisciplinary perspective, through the cultural, political and social lens of the Galapagos
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECS 391. Studies in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-4 Credit Hours.
(Not offered: transfer credit only) Courses taken at other institutions but having no direct equivalents here.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ECS 392. Studies in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-4 Credit Hours.
(Not offered: transfer credit only) Courses taken at other institutions but having no direct equivalents here.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ECS 393. Studies in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-4 Credit Hours.
(Not offered: transfer credit only) Courses taken at other institutions but having no direct equivalents here.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ECS 394. Studies in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-4 Credit Hours.
(Not offered: transfer credit only) Courses taken at other institutions but having no direct equivalents here.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ECS 395. Studies in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-4 Credit Hours.
(Not offered: transfer credit only) Courses taken at other institutions but having no direct equivalents here.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ECS 401. Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
Students selecting the internship will be required to spend a minimum of 120 contact hours working in an outside firm or agency whose mission is to address environmental issues where science and policy intersect.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECS 402. Thesis. 3 Credit Hours.
Individual, original research of independent study supervised by a UM faculty member and concluded by formal thesis preparation, public oral defense and submission of the thesis.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECS 403. Interdisciplinary Approaches. 3 Credit Hours.
Students with diverse disciplinary backgrounds will design an interdisciplinary study focused on an environmental problem with a major science component and significant societal implications. Students will apply quantitative methods, formulate usable policy, and communicate their results.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECS 405. Applied Research in Ecosystem Science and Policy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Faculty-mentored applied research in environmental topics. Projects in natural ecosystems, sustainable design and business, and communication of environmental issues.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
ECS 415. Research in Private Urban and Suburban Green Spaces. 1 Credit Hour.
Faculty supervised research & application projects in indoor, urban, and suburban green spaces. Topics of focus include green walls, roof gardening, edible gardening, permaculture, sustainable gardening, composting & vermiculture, gardening for wildlife, and backyard ecology.
Requisite: ECS Major or ECS Minor or Prerequisite: ECS 215.
Components: FLD.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECS 432. Ecology in the Galapagos. 3 Credit Hours.
Organisms in relation to their environment, with a focus on interactive hands-on learning experiences that connect empirical nature with abstract thinking. Lectures, discussion and field work will help students begin to understand ecosystem ecology, plant dispersal and colonization, organisms' responses to spatial and temporal variability in their environments, plant/animal interactions. Origins and effects of invasive species and actions of bio-control agents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECS 433. Conservation in Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
Intersection between economic development, science and conservation in one of the world's most pristine and fragile ecosystems. Exploration of how tourism offers an alternative to unsustainable fisheries that once drove the local economy, yet has created a new set of pressures on the people and the environment. Mitigation efforts, science, and international conservation mesh with an understanding of local politics, customs, and cultures.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECS 485. Political Ecology of the Galapagos. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is part of the UGalapagos semester held in the Galapagos and is open only to students who have been accepted by the Department of Biology. Throughout the term, you will engage in civic activities identified in consultation with the people, government and public health facilities of the small, rural village of Villamil, the sole habitation on Isla Isabella. A major aim is to nurture the mutual respect and understanding across the cultural divide that is necessary to make a difference in the civic life of a community.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECS 501. Interdisciplinary Environmental Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Theoretical approaches in environmental and social science fields, including conservation biology, ecology, geography, economics, sociology, anthropology, philosophy, and interdisciplinary approaches. Themes include human ecology, historical ecology, landscape ecology, environmental law and ethics, perception of risk and uncertainty, vulnerability and adaptation, and environmental valuation.
Requisite: Plan of Ecosystem Science and Policy.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECS 503. Interdisciplinary Environmental Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
Environmental methods related to core programmatic themes of Urban Ecology, Global Public Health, Climate and Society, Environment and the Media, Integrated Marine and Terrestrial Management, and Regulatory Regimes. The course focuses on the application of Interdisciplinary approaches and methods for addressing complex environmental problems. Students will learn to design and employ interdisciplinary approaches, using qualitative and quantitative methods and analysis, through lectures, reading assignments, discussion sessions, and assignments.
Requisite: Plan of Ecosystem Science and Policy.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECS 507. Interdisciplinary Environmental Decision Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Approaches to studying and interpreting human behavior related to a range of decision making at the level of individual, group, and firm. Multidisciplinary theories and methods informing work in the decision sciences will be covered from fields of psychology, business, economics, political science, and anthropology.
Requisite: Plan of Ecosystem Science and Policy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ECS 515. Private Green Space Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Students plan and manage ongoing and proposed green space projects. Student managers work with supervising faculty; also organize and educate
student volunteers and students concurrently enrolled in ECS 215 and 415.
Prerequisite: ECS 415.
Components: FLD.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECS 572. Special Topics in ECS. 0-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in class schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECS 580. Field Studies. 1-4 Credit Hours.
This course will provide participants with the opportunity for intensive field research geared toward an interdisciplinary understanding of
environmental issues and conservation concerns.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECS 601. Interdisciplinary Environmental Research: Introduction to the Why and the How. 3 Credit Hours.
The why and the how of developing and implementing interdisciplinary environmental research; research objectives and design choices informed
by philosophies of knowledge and policy relevance. Assignments include development of research questions, a preliminary literature review, a draft
dissertation proposal, and oral communication of research. Course is structured around peer critique and discussion of work in progress.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECS 603. Interdisciplinary Environmental Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
Environmental methods related to core programmatic themes of Urban Ecology, Global Public Health, Climate and Society, Environment and the Media,
Integrated Marine and Terrestrial Management, and Regulatory Regimes. The course focuses on the application of Interdisciplinary approaches and
methods for addressing complex environmental problems. Students will learn to design and employ interdisciplinary approaches, using qualitative and
quantitative methods and analysis, through lectures, reading assignments, discussion sessions, and assignments.
Requisite: Plan of Ecosystem Science and Policy.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECS 605. Interdisciplinary Environmental Law and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of science-based environmental decision-making and policy implementation at the federal and state levels in the United States, with
comparative international perspectives, and an introduction to international institutions that fashion and carry out environmental policy. Case studies
will cover authorization, appropriations and over-sight functions of Congress and state legislatures; the role of the executive, federal and state, in
initiating and implementing statutes by regulation and other means; and the role of negotiation, litigation, mediation and consensus-building in
resolving disputes and advancing or thwarting environmental policy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECS 607. Interdisciplinary Environmental Decision Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Approaches to studying and interpreting human behavior related to a range of decision making at the level of individual, group, and firm.
Multidisciplinary theories and methods informing work in the decision sciences will be covered from fields of psychology, business, economics,
political science, and anthropology.
Requisite: Plan of Ecosystem Science and Policy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECS 608. Interdisciplinary ECS Seminar.. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Seminar centering on research and case studies illustrating cutting edge human- environment research, and including both qualitative and quantitative
methods. Intensive reading and writing related to relevant topics in the field.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ECS 609. Contemporary Representations of the Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will combine media studies, environmental studies, and critical theory to give students a broad introduction to ways in which screen media are used today to represent both the natural world and also environmental issues such as climate change, animal extinction, and natural resource use. From more conventional media such as feature fiction films (e.g. Wall-e, The Day After Tomorrow, Avatar), documentary films (e.g. An Inconvenient Truth, HBO’s Gasland), and television news coverage, to more niche formats like Google Earth’s global mapping and in-dash monitors that depict mile-per-gallon, screen technology has long been and is increasingly used to mediate our relationship with surrounding ecosystems. Students will look at mainstream television channels (e.g. Discover, National Geographic, and the Weather Channel) alongside the digital campaigns of agencies and institutions directly aimed at conservation efforts, including the ecotourism industry, non-profit environmental groups, and governmental bodies such as the National Parks Service. In addition, this course will investigate the increasing role of interactive media in museums and science centers, as well as the rising power of social media in disseminating news regarding environmental issues.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECS 610. Technology and Human Behavior. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will explore the social aspects of technology use and cultural adaptation through cross-cultural ethnographic research on science and traditional beliefs. From the adoption of chainsaws in Amazonian forestry to the use of smart watches in Japanese cities, technological choice will be examined through psychological theories of behavior, socio-cultural perspectives, and institutional and economic forces. Reflecting the rising social, cultural, scientific, and political importance of emerging digital culture (e.g. virtual reality, smart devices, artificial intelligence), a key focus of the second half of the course will focus on philosophical notions of post-human cyborgism. Students will be introduced to recent research on the cognitive issues of social media use and consumption, including social media addiction and other neurological impacts of chronic screen use. Coursework will connect historical understandings and larger social analysis of digital media use and encourage students to participate in an ongoing exploration of their own technological choices and media practices. Students will also be exposed to multidisciplinary theories and research on risk perception and the psychology and effectiveness of environmental messaging in order to address how various media technologies impact individual and collective thinking and action.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECS 611. Nature, the Anthropocene, and Visual Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
Different cultural and historical contexts have conceived of humanity’s relationship to the natural world in vastly different ways, from ‘sacred and part of’ to ‘separate from’ and ‘steward over.’ A culture’s techniques of representation, use of imagery, and ways of seeing are a key part of the shaping of its worldview and cognitive framework of shared ideas and beliefs. This course is an opportunity for students to use an anthropologist’s eye to actively engage with the human production of knowledge about the natural world through visual culture. Rather than approaching visual anthropology with its usual divide between ‘anthropological content’ and ‘aesthetic composition,’ this course will foster both approaches as it examines human perceptions of the environment from prehistoric cave paintings to modern day street art. Key elements of visual anthropology will be introduced, including symbols and symbolism, reflexivity, visual data of everyday life, art analysis, ethics, society-as-text paradigm, urban visual data, and ways of conceiving systems of visual representation. Representations of Other will be analyzed through theories of the exotic, gender, race, post-colonialism, nationalism, and heritage studies.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECS 612. Environmental Communication, New Media, and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Facebook and Twitter to the rhetorical essay documentaries that have waged ideological wars over the past twenty years, screen and new media are an increasingly powerful force in the shaping of policy, political awareness, and popular ideological views of the environment. This course will draw on critical approaches of media theory, rhetoric, and political science to study and interpret the political use of visual media. Just as FDR’s WPA used film to propagandize the agricultural importance of public works, and Hollywood has been harnessed for ecological causes from natural conservation to climate change, today screen and digital media (e.g. television commercials, podcasts, social media blasts) are the driving force of PR campaigns for both governmental bodies and private companies that greatly impact environmental understanding and policy. From information to misinformation, viral content streams constantly onto screens across the world, whose apps are also used for activism and citizen science—students will look at what strategies of circulation and rhetoric are used to wage digital campaigns to communicate and shape ecological values and policy.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECS 615. Environment, Culture, and Media Internship. 3-6 Credit Hours.
This course is for hands-on experience and research culminating in a final Master’s internship report. Students will enroll in 3-6 credits while completing their internship and researching their final project for the ECM Masters of Professional Science.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
ECS 672. Special Topics in ECS. 0-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in class schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECS 680. Field Studies. 1-4 Credit Hours.
This course will provide participants with the opportunity for intensive field research geared toward an interdisciplinary understanding of environmental issues and conservation concerns.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

ECS 725. Problems in Environmental Science and Policy. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Content and prerequisites announced when offered. Course may be repeated for credit if content varies.
Requisite: Plan of Ecosystem Science and Policy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECS 790. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individually supervised readings on special topics. Offered by arrangement with the instructor. May be retaken for credit.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECS 814. Environment, Culture, and Media Thesis. 3-6 Credit Hours.
This course is for research culminating in a Master's thesis. Students will enroll in 3-6 credits while researching and writing their final project for the ECM Masters of Arts.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECS 820. Master's Research. 0-9 Credit Hours.
Individual study for students exiting the doctoral program without a successful dissertation proposal.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECS 830. Pre-Candidacy Research. 1-9 Credit Hours.
Research for ECS Ph.D. students who have not attained candidacy.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECS 840. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required for all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor but not for less than a total of 13 credits total. No more than 12 hours of ECS 730 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECS 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
Educational and Psychological Studies (EPS)

EPS 201. Psychosocial Change and Well-being. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to personal and interpersonal approaches to well-being. Includes theoretical, historical, philosophical, and psychological bases of well-being. Emphasis will be placed on real-life applications of theory and practice to the promotion of psychosocial change and well-being.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPS 270. Lifespan Human Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Processes and theories of human development from birth to old age are explored. Areas to be covered include: physical development, cognitive development, social and personality development, moral development, and language development. Emphasis is placed on development as a life-long process and its importance in understanding human behavior.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPS 280. Introduction to Family Studies: Dating, Coupling, Parenting. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory and practice of romantic relationships and parent-child relationships, including discussion and skills building. Research based information on how to maximize the quality of these interpersonal relationships will be examined.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPS 291. Community and Character Development. 3 Credit Hours.
The course covers moral and psychological dimensions pertaining to character development as it occurs in communities. Topics include contemporary theory and research regarding perspectives on virtue and morality, states of character, ethical decision making, and character development. The reciprocal relationships between character and community will be a central theme in exploring ethical issues that arise in working with individuals, institutions, and communities. The theory and research will be linked to relevant applications.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 306. Insanity and Humanity: Mental Illness, Society, Stigma and Services. 3 Credit Hours.
The genesis for this course was the generally poor, inaccurate and stigmatized understanding of mental illness in society based on portrayals in popular media including Hollywood produced films. However, over the past several years the depth and accuracy of awareness and knowledge has changed, as the depiction of mental illness and treatment services in films has improved and the availability of narrative accounts has increased. This course is designed to allow Human and Social Development majors, with a particular interest in wellness and human services, to explore varying portrayals of mental illnesses in popular media. The course will foster critical analysis of narrative and film depictions of illness, as well as connect these depictions to a broader narrative on stigma, social determinants of illness and wellness, prevention and intervention.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

EPS 311. Group Processes and Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Research findings concerning the nature of small groups and patterns of behavior associated with them are explored. Students experience an ongoing group process to which theories and concepts can be applied. Emphasis is placed on learning to be a participant observer of group behavior and processes, learning about one’s own behavior in groups, and developing skills to be a more effective member and leader in task groups.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 321. Understanding Human Service Organizations. 3 Credit Hours.
Focus on unique role of community-based human service organizations in society with an overview and history of community organizations, which provide services, support, advocacy, and organizing in today’s communities. Review of the systems, cultures, structures, and processes of community organizations with a special emphasis on promoting well-being in communities. This course has a 10 hours field research experience requirement. This course is a designated Upper Level Communication Requirement; advanced written, digital and/or oral communication proficiencies will be emphasized in this course. Credit for ENG 105 and ENG 106 (or equivalent), is required for this course.
Prerequisite: EPS 201 or Co-requisite: EPS 311.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
EPS 340. Psychology and Sociology of Sexual Identity. 3 Credit Hours.
History, psychology, and sociology of gay, lesbian, and transgendered populations.
Prerequisite: PSY 110 or SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

EPS 351. Introduction to Statistics and Research Design. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will cover basic statistics relevant to the social sciences (e.g., central tendency, variation, t-tests, correlations), with emphasis on real world applications employing commonly used research designs. Students will acquire the tools necessary to interpret elementary statistical analyses and a foundation in the basic analytic methods used in conducting quantitative research in the behavioral sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

EPS 360. Educational Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
A review of basic educational psychology principles including cognitive and language development, personal, social and moral development, learning theories, and motivation. A review of basic concepts that contribute to effective learning and other aspects of education.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

EPS 361. Community Psychology and Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Community psychology is about the prevention of psychosocial problems and the promotion of mental health and well being through the creation of equitable and just social settings, neighborhoods, communities, and societies. Course topics include: stress and social support; oppression and human diversity; primary prevention, social intervention and health promotion; self-help; mediating structures; community mental health; alternative settings; community development and social change.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPS 365. Psychological Study of Children, Families, and the Law. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce students to the psychological research and practice that has a bearing on legal policy and practice. Psychological research (social, clinical, developmental, and community) will be emphasized along with legal rulings, especially from the Supreme Court. Throughout the course, the underlying question will be, "How can psychological research and theory inform the law in matters that relate to children, families, and communities?"
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 371. Applied Social Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of the ethics, philosophies, designs, methods and techniques of research in the behavioral and social sciences. This course provides a brief orientation to quantitative, qualitative, mixed-methods, and participatory research designs and approaches used in the collection, analysis and interpretation of social research data. This course is a designated Upper Level Communication Requirement; advanced written, digital and/or oral communication proficiencies will be emphasized in this course. Credit for ENG 105 and ENG 106 (or equivalent), is required for this course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 411. The Psychology of Diversity. 3 Credit Hours.
This course critically examines how diversity and social justice issues impact everyday life. The focus is on how personal, group, and cultural identities (race, ethnicity, gender, sexual orientation, age, disability, religion, immigration status, and social class), and the intersections of these identities influence individuals' lives and experiences. This is primarily a survey course, designed to introduce major concepts, models, theories, and research that emanate from the literature on diversity and multicultural psychology. This is a critical backdrop to prepare students to be multiculturally responsive in this increasingly global society. Borrowing from history, cultural anthropology, social psychology, indigenous psychology, counseling psychology, and general psychology, the curriculum will engage students in theoretical, research-based, and experiential exercises in order to develop a comprehensive understanding that will lead to culturally responsive and ethical mindsets and practice.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
EPS 412. Migration, Well Being, and Human Development. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the social and psychological processes involved in migration and issues relevant to well-being of diverse immigrant groups including immigration policies, the psychology of immigration and acculturation, ethnic identities, issues in immigrant families, immigrant communities, educational, health, and mental health issues.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 420. Introduction to Counseling and Psychotherapy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is a survey of the theories and practical applications of counseling and psychotherapy. Students will acquire an understanding of a variety of theories of psychotherapy, the basic requirements and skills for effective, ethical counseling, and an appreciation for the role of values and human differences in counseling and psychotherapy. This course does not prepare students for practice in mental health professions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPS 430. Intergroup Dialogues. 3 Credit Hours.
The Intergroup Dialogue course will provide an opportunity for students to engage in dialogue across difference. Students will have the opportunity to learn about and discuss social identities and intersectionality in relation to various social identities, with a focus on social justice. The course will focus on understanding of perspectives and ideas that facilitate intellectual advancement as well as personal development as members of the UM community, and the larger community in which we are situated. Note: the focal social identity varies by class section: please refer to the Class Notes for information on the social identity that will be the main focus of this section.
Components: IDG.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPS 440. Listening and Helping Skills. 3 Credit Hours.
Listening and Helping Skills is an introductory course to the foundational skills used in helping relationships. Through lectures, discussions and role-plays, students will learn the rationale behind basic helping skills and their application to diverse settings and contexts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 452. Community Program Development and Evaluation. 3 Credit Hours.
This course addresses the theoretical and practical principles of designing, planning, implementing, and evaluating programs in community-bases settings. The students will learn about prevention, effective program development, program approaches, program components, program evaluation, and cultural proficiency in program development and evaluation. Students will acquire and practice skills for becoming effective workers and leaders in community-based agencies. The course will consist of readings, presentations, and applied knowledge.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 462. Community Consultation and Leadership. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will cover strength based, preventive, empowering approaches to institutional and community change, and will address related skills, stages, processes and outcomes; Conflict resolution, facilitation, strategic planning, visioning, advocacy, change management, and community mobilization will be studied and practiced in class.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 504. Mentored Research Studies. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Under the guidance of EPS faculty and graduate students, undergraduate students, will have an opportunity to get involved in various components of research study; gain valuable knowledge and research experience; and expand their undergraduate academic experience.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPS 533. Organization and Administration of Higher Education I. 3 Credit Hours.
Theoretical approaches from organizational analysis. Applications to problems, processes, and patterns of higher education institutions. Consideration given to legal status, governance patterns, and external relations. Administrator, faculty, trustee, and student roles are also explored.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
EPS 578. Human and Social Development Practicum. 3-6 Credit Hours.
The practicum serves an integrative function: it allows students to apply their academic training, to further develop their career goals, and to hone their skills while gaining experience in real-world settings. Practica are unpaid, supervised experiences. Students choose from a menu of settings that have been approved as HSD practicum sites and spend a minimum of 120 hours (3 credits) or 250 hours (6 credits) at their chose setting over the course of the semester. Must be taken concurrently with EPS 481.

Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 579. Human and Social Development Practicum Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
The Practicum Seminar brings theory and research to bear on the student's practicum experiences, and provides a forum for further professional skill development and growth. Students will complete a major project integrating their experiences. This course is a designated Upper Level Communication Requirement; advanced written, digital and/or oral communication proficiencies will be emphasized in this course. Credit for ENG 105 and ENG 106 (or equivalent), is required for this course.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 587. Special Topics in Human and Social Development. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed for students wishing to focus on a specific area of study within the umbrella of Human and Social Development. Topics will be offered based on current trends in the field as well as student and faculty interest. Students will be given supervision and support in a structured seminar setting.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 589. Individual Study. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual work on a special project under faculty guidance.

Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPS 592. Workshop in Education. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Study in special interest areas in education.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

EPS 593. Workshop in Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Study in special interest areas in education.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPS 595. Research Project I. 2 Credit Hours.
This course is restricted to students in the SEHD who have been accepted into the Research Honors Program and are working with a Faculty mentor.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPS 596. Research Project II. 2 Credit Hours.
This course is restricted to students in the SEHD who have been accepted into the Research Honors Program and are working with a Faculty mentor.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

EPS 597. Research Project - Thesis Writing. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course is restricted to students in the SEHD who have been accepted into the Research Honors Program and are working with a Faculty mentor.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
EPS 598. Research Project - Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is restricted to students in the SEHD who have been accepted into the Research Honors Program and are working with a Faculty mentor. Students are required to present at the undergraduate Research, Creativity, and Innovation Forum.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

EPS 599. Individual Study. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual work on a special project under faculty guidance.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

EPS 601. Field Studies in Education. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Individual study of a school or school system, identifying its strengths and weaknesses, and making positive recommendations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPS 605. Regression Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
The aim of this course is to provide a solid foundation in the basic concepts of multivariate statistics, and its application to practical research questions. This course extends the content of EPS 671 (ANOVA methods) and EPS 672 (regression methods) to cover methods used when there are multiple dependent variables to be modeled simultaneously. This course focuses on the traditional multivariate methods (as opposed to the contemporary models of structure equation modeling) that see wide use in the behavioral sciences. The general topics covered in the course include, but are not limited to: introductory matrix algebra, multivariate analysis of variance (MANOVA), factorial MANOVA, discriminant function analysis, and exploratory factor analysis. In all cases, this course is intended to provide a solid conceptual background of these topics, as well as a thorough description/practice of the application of these topics to real data scenarios.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 620. Workshop in Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Study in special interest areas in education.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPS 622. Community Well-being and Change: Theory and Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to promote an understanding of the factors associated with healthy communities. It provides a comprehensive overview of the relevant skills and theories including: ecological/systems theory/models; community theories (sense of community, social capital, environmental psychology); and critical social theory, social justice, and social determinants of well-being.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 623. Development and Change in Community Organizations: Theory and Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the unique role of non-profit, community-based organizations in promoting human and community development. Students will engage in an analysis of the range of functions that organizations serve and the various organizational strategies used in community settings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 624. Essentials of Research in Social and Behavioral Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of the standards methods and techniques of research in the behavioral and social sciences. Brief orientation to quantitative and qualitative procedures used in the analysis and interpretation of research data are emphasized.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 625. Program Evaluation. 3 Credit Hours.
Terminology, models, standards, practices, and common problems associated with program evaluation in Educational and Social Service settings. Prerequisite: EPS 670 and 553 or equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
EPS 626. Multicultural Communities in a Globalized Society. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the relationship between multiculturalism and globalization and how these concepts impact education and the world at large. Topics include dimensions of human diversity, identities and acculturation; race and class; gender and power; children and youth; social inclusion and social justice; health disparities; poverty and work; racism and inequality.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 627. Community Youth Development. 3 Credit Hours.
This course in community youth development (CYD) will focus on the philosophical, sociological, and educational foundations of a youth development perspective that highlights youth as powerful catalysts for change and positive forces in shaping communities. We reflect on how youth development is inextricably linked with family and community development. After reviewing and critiquing traditional adolescent development theories, students will engage with theories and practices of CYD, youth empowerment, youth civic engagement, youth organizing, social justice youth development, youth activism, and critical youth engagement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

EPS 628. Social Change Praxis. 3 Credit Hours.
In this course, we will explore the meaning of social change and the nature of power, examine past and present social movements, and learn about the strategies and methods groups have used to build community and deploy collective power in their efforts to change minds, systems, institutions, policies, communities, and nations. Together, we will learn more about critical theories of power, collaboration, systems, and social mobilization, and look at real-life cases to see how theory can be applied in practice. The concept of praxis was chosen as the organizing framework because it requires students to develop an intellectual relationship to their activism. Praxis, simply put, means action informed by theory. In addition to reflecting on our own values and assumptions as agents of change, we will develop skills for facilitating engaging discussions, recruiting and motivating community members, developing a shared social analysis, mobilizing resources, and building coalitions for social change. We will identify common strategies used in successful campaigns and analyze the choices groups have made in their pursuit of the collective power necessary to achieve their social change goals.
Prerequisite: EPS 622. And EPS 623. And EPS 624. And EPS 625. And EPS 626.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

EPS 629. Seminar in Community and Social Change. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is a combination of self-directed and guided elements aiming to build your skills as a reflective, theory and science-based practitioner. To this end, the course provides in-depth exploration and application of core readings and theories in community and social change. The purpose of this course is to apply these core concepts to your practicum and provide a space for critical reflection on your practicum experience (student placement in an organization or a foreign culture). Thus, the course includes both didactic and practicum elements throughout the semester. The didactic aspect focuses on intervention theory and method from a community psychology perspective; the student placement represents a structured opportunity to learn about intervention theory as applied to a particular setting.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPS 635. Special Topics in Educational and Psychological Studies. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Review of emerging policy, practice, empirical research and scholarly writing on important educational issues for which formal course title and syllabus have not been developed and formalized in the UM Bulletin. Allows for experimental instructional formats. This course is designed for students wishing to focus on a specific area of study within the umbrella of Educational and Psychological Studies. Topics will be offered based on current trends in the field as well as student and faculty interest. Students will be given supervision and support.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 667. Professional, Legal and Ethical Issues in Counseling. 3 Credit Hours.
Professional, legal, ethical, and licensing issues in the counseling profession.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

EPS 668. Social and Cultural Diversity and Counseling. 3 Credit Hours.
Interrelationship between psychology and sociology in understanding development of diversity in human social systems. Implications for counseling and therapy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
EPS 669. Psychopathology for Counselors. 3 Credit Hours.
In depth introduction to abnormal human behavior patterns of concern to mental health professionals. Clinical conditions will be examined within the context of currently most viable theory and research relating to etiology, assessment, diagnosis and treatment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 670. Dynamics of Marriage and Family Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the history and development of marriage and family systems theory as a method for understanding individuals' behavior and functioning. Introduction to several modes of family therapy. Throughout the course, lectures will also be integrated with other topics including race, culture, gender, sexual orientation, ability.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 671. Family Therapy. 3 Credit Hours.
Concentrated study of several approaches to family therapy including systemic and psychosocial perspectives. Theory and techniques of family therapy are taught in lecture, videotape, and simulation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 672. Therapy for Couples. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory and technique linked to working with couples, in marriage and in other relationships.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

EPS 673. Counseling in Community Settings. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of a variety of perspectives on community services relevant to mental health counselors. Topics include: the variety of community settings; community, national, and international diversity in mental health services; diversity of clients (e.g., cultures, religions, GLBT, elderly, social classes, disabilities); mental health funding; the role of politics, policy, advocacy, and research; interviewing across cultures.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 674. Lifestyle and Career Counseling. 3 Credit Hours.
An introductory course in career development and career counseling, focusing on theories of career development, counseling tools, strategies, and sociological, economic, and psychological influences on the American worker.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 675. Therapeutic Group Procedures. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines both the theory and practice of group counseling. The course covers therapist issues, patient selection criteria, group structuring as well as basic therapeutic techniques. The course prepares students to design structured counseling groups, to prepare group counseling materials, and to lead counseling groups of various types.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

EPS 676. Counseling Process and Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
The development of basic communication and clinical skills necessary for establishing the counseling relationship and conducting therapy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 677. Assessment Strategies for Counselors I. 3 Credit Hours.
This course places emphasis on diagnosis, appraisal, assessment, and testing for individual and interpersonal disorders. It addresses statistical procedures and psychometric principles necessary for responsible test use and exposes the student to a variety of test and non-test assessment techniques in marriage and family, and mental health counseling.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
EPS 678. Counseling Theories and Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of theories and concomitant practices in counseling and therapy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 679. Lifespan Human Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Theories and research relating to the biophysical, cognitive, and psychosocial domains of human lifespan development.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 680. Theory and Practice with Children and Adolescents. 3 Credit Hours.
Course prepares students to provide preventive and therapeutic interventions with children and adolescents including theory, research, and practice.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

EPS 681. Counseling and Sexuality. 3 Credit Hours.
Emphasis is placed on self-awareness and acceptance of all dimensions of human sexuality. Readings and classroom activities focus on biological aspects of sexuality, an understanding of sexual dysfunctions, and their treatment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

EPS 682. Practicum in Counseling I. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Supervised Practicum at the Institute for Individual and Family counseling and other appropriated clinical settings relating theoretical formulations to intervention strategies appropriate to specialization.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPS 684. Research and Program Evaluation in Counseling. 3 Credit Hours.
Course focuses on the interpretation and application of research data as applied to clinical practice. Skills in using behavioral research-based literature to identify, evaluate and interpret appropriate interventions are also emphasized.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 685. Substance Abuse and Addictions: Theories and Counseling. 3 Credit Hours.
Theories and research on individual, systemic causes, and outcomes of substance abuse, and concomitant practices in counseling and therapy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 686. Working with Black Clients: Treatment and Assessment Considerations. 3 Credit Hours.
This course presents three core content areas with respect to the treatment and assessment of Black populations. The first content area addresses historical aspects of the development of Black psychology. Additionally, it will review ethnocentrism, the misuse of Western psychology to marginalize African Americans and reasons for scientific abuses against people of color, such as the Tuskegee Syphilis Study. Lastly the first content area will focus on topics such as the Black family, racism, cultural mistrust, stereotype threat, Black/White relations, and Black mental health. Concomitant aspects of Black culture including; racial identity development, spirituality, sexuality, common misconceptions about Black populations, and within group differences related to gender, class, age, and sexual orientation will be peripherally addressed. The second content area presents a culturally-informed perspective on the psychological assessment and treatment of African Americans. It will focus on topics such as ethnic/racial identity models, cultural variables that may affect DSM 5 diagnoses, epidemiological mental health data across ethno-racial groups, biased measures, culturally specific interventions, and important factors to consider during the delivery of treatment. The third module will focus largely on the infusion and integration of the first two modules in therapeutic practice with Black populations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
EPS 687. Latino Youth and Families. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will focus on the Latino family with emphasis on the development of Latino youth in the U.S. Latino youth and their families will be described within an ecological context. The following social and cultural contexts and their impact on Latino youth development will be addressed: cultural values; parenting practices; religious belief systems; poverty and chronic stressors; immigration and acculturation; ethnic identity; psychosexual development; bilingualism; suicidality; resiliency; and academic barriers. Recommendations for culturally responsive counseling will be discussed throughout.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

EPS 688. Spanish for Mental Health Professionals. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address the nuances and role of language in the context of counseling, with a focus on the Spanish language. The course will include a dual lens: on the experience of the bilingual counseling client and on the experience of the counselor with varying degrees of proficiency in Spanish. We will address (1) the role of language within the counseling setting with bilingual clients, (2) how cultural values influence language, (3) how cultural values and customs influence the degree of emotion or energy expressed in language and emotion-laden states, (4) the common challenges and experiences of counselors in speaking in Spanish with their clients, and (5) recommended terms and words to use in Spanish in the counseling setting. The course will include assigned readings, lectures, class discussion, videos and role-plays to facilitate assimilation of the material.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

EPS 689. Psychological Interventions with Hispanic/Latino Populations. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores the diversity of experiences among Hispanics and their implications for therapy. Topics include: racial diversity among Hispanics, sociopolitical factors in mental health, the impact of immigration on mental health, special psychological treatments: trauma treatment, family interventions and bilingual counseling.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 693. Bereavement and Attachment Factors for Children and Families. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course will focus on attachment and development of factors as they relate to the bereavement and loss experience of children, adolescents, young adults, and families. Effective methodology in the care of these populations will be explored. Content will include the trajectory of grief in childhood development, manifestation of loss and grief, risk factors in the loss experience, attachment issues, types of loss, popular notions of loss and treatment, and best practice in bereavement work.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

EPS 698. Continuous Registration--Master's Study. 1 Credit Hour.
To establish residence for non-thesis master's students who are preparing for major examinations. Credit not granted. Regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPS 699. Advanced Individual Study I. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Individual work on a special project under faculty guidance.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPS 700. Quantitative Methods I. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to data analysis and statistical inference. Students learn to describe data (quantitatively and graphically), to select and compute statistical estimates and hypothesis tests, to use computer packages (SPSS) to accomplish these tasks, and to interpret and write about the results of the estimates and tests. Knowledge of basic algebra is needed. Higher mathematics (e.g., trigonometry, calculus) is not used.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

EPS 701. Introduction to Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
The nature of disciplined inquiry in behavioral and social sciences. Includes philosophy of science, quantitative and qualitative research, basic concepts in sampling and measurement, and systematic searches of the research literature. Students required to complete literature search on a topic of their interest and submit a report of their findings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
EPS 702. Quantitative Methods II. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to techniques of data analysis and statistical inference based on the General Linear Model (GLM). The major topics covered in this class include simple/multiple regression, one- and two-way Analysis of Variance (ANOVA) followed by multiple comparisons, Analysis of Covariance (ANCOVA), and Repeated Measures ANOVA. This course aims to provide a solid conceptual background of these topics, as well as the analytic skills for conducting educational and psychological research in practice. Knowledge of basic algebra and SPSS is required, as is an understanding of the fundamental principles of descriptive statistics and hypothesis testing (as taught, for example, in EPS 700 or equivalent). Knowledge of calculus is not required. Students will conduct statistical analyses using real datasets.
Prerequisite: EPS 700 or Equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPS 703. Applied Multivariate Statistics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide: (1) a conceptually-oriented introduction to regression methods and (2) opportunities to learn related data-analytic techniques.
Prerequisite: EPS 700 or Equivalent and EPS 702 or Equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 704. Computer Applications in Educational and Behavioral Science Research. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces the use of statistical software packages R for acquiring, managing, and preparing datasets that are required to produce reliable and valid statistical inferences. With a special focus on R, the course will cover a broad range of hands-on activities in the data analytic process including data coding, file manipulation tasks, data screening, and statistical analysis, and also provide a brief introduction to R programming.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

EPS 705. Measurement and Psychometric Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
EPS 705 (Measurement and Psychometric Theory) is a first component of a sequence of classes in order to acquaint students with cutting edge models in test theory and with the application of computer software with which to implement those theories. This sequence of classes provides an introduction to contemporary measurement principles implicated in the design and analysis of scales, tests, and psychological inventories. EPS 705 covers the essentials of classical test theory, factor models of test items, generalizability theory, and a brief introduction of item response theory. After completing the course, students should be provided foundations for further study of measurement theory and be prepared to take a course for item response theory.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 706. Categorical Data Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Categorical data is abundant in many different fields such as education, psychology, and marketing. The use of statistical methods for categorical data has increased dramatically in recent years. Categorical data can be numeric or character, but it is always a discrete number of levels. Virtually every research project categorizes some of its observations: male or female, marital status, political or religious affiliation, race of patient, and so on.
Prerequisite: EPS 553 and EPS 671.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 707. Item Response Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
The purpose of the course is to provide training in the theory and application of item response theory (IRT) as it pertains to educational and psychological measurements. Focus will be given to discussing IRT as a measurement model used to measure the properties of items and individuals. Particular attention will be given to contrasting the properties of the IRT model to the classical test theory, and the application of IRT to actual data sets.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 708. An Introduction to Structural Equation Modeling for Multivariable Data. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide (1) a conceptually-oriented introduction to Structural Equation Modeling for multivariate data and (2) opportunities to learn related data-analytic techniques.
Prerequisite: EPS 703 or Equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
EPS 709. Introduction to Multilevel Modeling. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide: (1) a conceptually-oriented introduction to multilevel modeling and (2) opportunities to learn related data-analytic techniques.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 710. Meta-Analytic Methods for Research Synthesis. 3 Credit Hours.
Meta-analysis is the general practice of combining, comparing, and interpreting statistics across a set of studies that investigate the same (or similar) phenomena using a properly motivated theoretical framework. Meta-analysis has become a popular tool in a variety of research disciplines, including the social sciences, education, medicine, and business. This course provides a thorough introduction to the theoretical foundations of meta-analysis, discusses commonly used statistical techniques, and analyzes several examples of the existing meta-analysis. Emphasis is placed on application, so that students are trained to independently perform a meta-analysis, from start to finish, in whatever substantive area interests students the most.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 711. Advanced Topics in Research, Measurement, and Evaluation. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of emerging quantitative methodological advances relevant to educational research for which formal course title and syllabus have not been developed and formalized in the UM Bulletin. Allow for experimental instructional formats. See Course Notes for specific topic.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPS 712. Field Experience in Educational Research. 2-6 Credit Hours.
A total of 125 hours of supervised practical experiences in educational research. Emphasis is placed on actual participation in a wide variety of ongoing research projects through associations with an approved educational R & D center. Normally taken in two or three credit blocks.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPS 714. Qualitative Methods I. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of the history, nature, characteristics, strategies, and ethics of qualitative research methods. Critical analysis and evaluation of various types of qualitative studies, including design, sampling, processes of data collection and analysis, and reporting results.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 715. Qualitative Methods II: Case Studies and Grounded Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Types and designs of case studies, development of protocol, field work, data analysis, and report writing. Practical procedures and techniques for conducting grounded theory studies, including data coding and analysis, and reporting of results.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 716. Qualitative Methods II: Interviews and Content Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Sociological and oral history interview methods, including methodological issues, computer-based coding, decoding, and interpreting data. Visual and text based content analysis, scoring schemas, and inter-rated reliability are also covered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 717. Survey Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
Focus on standards and practical strategies for designing different types of survey instruments and conducting survey research. Students are required to develop a proposal for survey research, develop a survey instrument, and conduct a small pilot study by collecting, analyzing, and reporting survey data.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
EPS 725. Seminar in Community Well-Being. 1-6 Credit Hours.
This course provides an overview of the field of community psychology. We will examine the conceptual and theoretical developments in community psychology since the 1965 Swampscott Conference (the ‘birthplace’ of community psychology) through reading primary sources—articles, monographs, and book chapters—by those who have shaped the field. The readings will include some empirical research studies, but our key focus is the conceptual writings. The goal of this course is to understand and critique different theoretical perspectives in the field of community psychology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

EPS 731. Theories of Community Research and Action. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an overview of theoretical perspectives and how they are applied to social and psychological issues in the field of community psychology. The course examines the conceptual and theoretical developments in community psychology since the 1965 Swampscott Conference (the ‘birthplace’ of the field) through reading primary sources—articles, monographs, and book chapters—by those who have shaped the field. Readings also include empirical articles that illustrate the application of these concepts to research. Class discussions are central to this course. In addition, course assignments include the following: (1) brief reflections on readings 3 times during the course of the semester; (2) an interview with a community psychologist and a short essay based on the interview; (3) the final paper is a systematic critical literature review on the topic of interest to students. In this paper, students critique a body of empirical work using theoretical perspectives in community psychology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 732. Community Based Participatory Action Research. 3 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this course is to introduce students to several traditions of community based participatory action research (CBP AR). CBP AR is carried out in collaboration between academic researchers and members of communities, and involves an iterative process of developing research questions, designing methods, implementing data collection, interpreting results, and often developing interventions. Students will begin by reviewing different intellectual traditions in participatory research including Community Based Participatory Research (CBPR), Participatory Action Research (PAR), Critical PAR and others. We will also stress the ways that participatory research has developed within the traditions of Community Psychology, such as Ecological Inquiry and Participatory Evaluation. While all these three traditions are related and overlapping, students will be encouraged to critique and contrast these approaches.
Prerequisite: EPS 670.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

EPS 737. Organization and Administration of Higher Education I. 3 Credit Hours.
Theoretical approaches from organizational analysis. Applications to problems, processes, and patterns of higher education institutions. Consideration given to legal status, governance patterns, and external relations. Administrator, faculty, trustee, and student roles are also explored.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 738. Effective Teaching, Learning, Assessment, and Curriculum in Higher Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Provides an overview of current theories, research, and best practices in effective teaching, learning, assessment, and curricular design.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

EPS 739. The Community College. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of American community colleges including historical evolution, purposes and functions, characteristics of students and faculty, organization and administration, curricula, current issues, and trends.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

EPS 740. Administration of Student Affairs. 3 Credit Hours.
History and philosophy of student affairs will be addressed as well as principles and organization of student affairs administration, current problems, procedures, and recent developments.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.
EPS 741. Basic Skills in Counseling and Interviewing. 3 Credit Hours.
Introductory course on essential skills used in counseling and interviewing. Through lectures, discussions, and small group exercises, students will explore their natural style of helping and learn effective listening and communication skills. This course is not intended to train students to become a professional counselor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 742. Higher Education in the United States: From Harvard to Present. 3 Credit Hours.
Broad view of issues and problems in higher education. Fundamental ideas and significant literature are analyzed from historical, philosophical, and societal perspectives.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 743. Psychological Bases of Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Review and extension of basic principles of psychology underlying educational practice. Basic concepts of educational psychology which contribute to effective education will be discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 744. Student Diversity in American Higher Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Emphasis on the diversity of today's undergraduate students. An examination of the sociological context and philosophical orientation of contemporary college students is included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 745. Organization & Administration of Higher Ed II: Governance, Leadership and Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
Provides an overview of selected topics in governance, administrative leadership and finance in higher education.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 746. College Student Development: Theory, Research and Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
Emphasis on student growth and development during college and an analysis of the factors which affect development along cognitive and affective dimensions. An in-depth examination of college student development theories is included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 747. Critical Issues in Student Affairs: The Law and Higher Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Emphasis on the most pressing issues facing the profession of student affairs today including diversity, funding, staff retention and the law and student affairs.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

EPS 748. Enrollment Management: Theory and Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
Comprehensive overview of principles and practices of a strategic process that begins with recruitment and continues through graduation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 749. Advanced Seminar in Enrollment Management. 3 Credit Hours.
In-depth exploration of topics in enrollment management, including market research, market testing, pricing strategies, strategic planning, and development of a future vision.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 751. Seminar in Higher Education Administration: Contemporary Issues. 3 Credit Hours.
A review of recent developments, research findings, changing issues, and problems in contemporary American higher education.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
EPS 752. Dissertation Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
The development and analysis of dissertation proposals will be required. Detailed coverage of the research process, proposal elements, dissertation writing and all aspects of doctoral research will be emphasized. Extensive feedback on research ideas and writing is involved.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

EPS 753. Internship in College Teaching. 3 Credit Hours.
A program in observation and supervised teaching in the community junior or liberal arts college. The student spends 15-20 hours per week. Included is a seminar held with the college supervisor which meets several times during the semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPS 754. Practicum: Administration of Higher Education. 1-6 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide students with an opportunity to develop professional competencies while they apply theory to practice. Opportunities can be pursued in enrollment management or student affairs related offices either on campus or at other higher education institutions. Students will contract for the type of experience desired and a formal research paper and presentation will culminate this activity.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPS 755. Group Dynamics and Communication Skills. 3 Credit Hours.
Emphasis on group dynamics, group procedures and communication skills.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 764. Workshop in Education: Selected Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Study in special interest areas in education.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPS 765. Workshop in Education: Selected Topics in Higher Education. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Study in special interest areas in higher education.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

EPS 770. Psychological Appraisal I. 3 Credit Hours.
Orientation to psychological appraisal with emphasis on development of skill in assessment of intellectual functioning.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
EPS 771. Psychological Appraisal II. 3 Credit Hours.
Orientation to psychological appraisal with emphasis on use of procedures which facilitate preparation for, and evaluation of, intervention efforts in the personality and social-behavioral areas.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 772. Vocational Psychology and Career Development. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is a doctoral level seminar on vocational psychology and career counseling. This course will consist of a critical review of the major approaches to understanding traditional career behavior and development and the empirical support for prevailing theoretical constructs. We will also explore how various aspects of identity may affect career development, including race, ethnicity, age, gender, sexual orientation, disability, religion, and social class. Considerable attention will be devoted as well to the application of work-related issues in psychological practice. The course seeks to integrate research, theory, practice, public policy, and social justice.
Academic Plan Equal Counseling.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 775. Doctoral Practicum I. 1-9 Credit Hours.
Supervised counseling experiences with clients at the Institute for Individual and Family Counseling. Individual and small group supervision by program faculty.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPS 776. Doctoral Practicum II. 1-9 Credit Hours.
This course is a combination of self-directed and guided elements aiming to build your skills as a reflective, theory and science-based practitioner. To this end, the course provides in-depth exploration and application of core readings and theories in community and social change. The purpose of this course is to apply these core concepts to your practicum and provide a space for critical reflection on your practicum experience (student placement in an organization or a foreign culture). Thus, the course includes both didactic and practicum elements throughout the semester. The didactic aspect focuses on intervention theory and method from a community psychology perspective; the student placement represents a structured opportunity to learn about intervention theory as applied to a particular setting.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPS 777. Advanced Practicum in Counseling Psychology. 1-9 Credit Hours.
Supervised experience appropriate to the work of the counseling psychologist.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPS 779. Vocational Psychology and Career Development. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is a doctoral level seminar on vocational psychology and career counseling. This course will consist of a critical review of the major approaches to understanding traditional career behavior and development and the empirical support for prevailing theoretical constructs. We will also explore how various aspects of identity may affect career development, including race, ethnicity, age, gender, sexual orientation, disability, religion, and social class. Considerable attention will be devoted as well to the application of work-related issues in psychological practice. The course seeks to integrate research, theory, practice, public policy, and social justice.
Requisite: Restricted to Doctoral Students in the Counseling Psychology program.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 780. Cultural Diversity and Mental Health. 3 Credit Hours.
This seminar course provides advanced training in conceptualizing the individual within cultural and sociopolitical contexts. Emphasis is placed on the 'state of the science' on multicultural empirical research as well as on the 'state of the art' in translating scientific findings to applied clinical contexts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
EPS 781. The Social Bases of Human Activity and Flourishing. 3 Credit Hours.
Human beings are the most intensely social animals, and this course explores the evolutionary, developmental, and social domains in which that social nature is expressed. Topics include attachment processes, imitation learning, identity formation, social norms, intergroup processes, aggression, and social hierarchy. The course has an evolutionary framework, and explores developmental and social domains of human behavior. These domains point to what makes it possible for humans to flourish as the social creatures we are
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPS 782. Supervision in Counseling Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
This seminar course provides an overview and discussion of theories, research, and practice of supervision and consultation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 785. Preparing Future Faculty Seminar. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The goal of this course is to introduce you to the larger role of university professor. The class is designed to give you some general sense of university structure and of the breadth of opportunities in higher education, to think through your own vision of "being a professor" particularly the part of that role that focuses on teaching, and to help you on the job search by preparing a professional portfolio that will help you get that first job and, hopefully, set you on a smooth career path. The PFF seminar will provide you with contextual and interdisciplinary knowledge of professoriate. Each seminar will be designed to aid you in your goal to become an outstanding faculty member. PFF will give you an overview of life on the academic job market and the pre-tenure years. It is your responsibility to tailor that information to fit your needs. It is expected that you take the information you learn in PFF and speak with mentors in your discipline to glean further insights into faculty life.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPS 789. Special Topics in Counseling Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
This graduate course will examine research and practice in a specialty area within counseling psychology. Content may vary from term to term. Probable topics include psychopathology and consultation. Readings will include articles, books, and/or book chapters by key scholars who have shaped and/or are shaping the field. A focus will be placed both on empirical research studies and conceptual writings. The goal of this course is for students to gain key counseling psychology competencies in a specialty area within the field.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPS 798. Advanced Individual Study. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual work on a special project under faculty guidance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPS 799. Advanced Individual Study II. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual work on a special project under faculty guidance.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPS 802. Practicum Laboratory I. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Individual, dyad, and small group supervision at approved Practicum sites.
Corequisite: EPS 682 and Prerequisites: EPS 667 and EPS 669 and EPS 676 and EPS 678.
Components: PRA.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPS 803. Internship in Counseling Psychology. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Supervised internship in Counseling Psychology in an approved facility.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
EPS 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her adviser. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPS 820. Research in Residence. 0 Credit Hours.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master's degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in EPS 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPS 825. Continuous Registration Master's Study. 1 Credit Hour.
Master thesis Research. 1-12 Credit Hours. Master students enrolled for credit as determined by advisor. This course will be graded each term.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPS 830. Pre-Candidacy Dissertation Research. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor but not for less than a total of 24. Not more than 12 hours of EPS 730 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session. Where a student has passed his/her (a) qualifying examinations, and (b) is engaged in an assistantship, he/she may still take the maximum allowable credit stated above.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPS 835. Doctor of Education Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ed.D. The student enrolls for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the doctoral project has been accepted. Total enrollment may not exceed 12 credits.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPS 840. Post-Candidacy Dissertation Research. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Post-Candidacy Dissertation Research. 1-12 Credit Hours. Doctoral students enrolled for credit as determined by advisor. This course will be graded each term.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPS 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D. and Ed.D., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate school.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Electrical & Computer Engineering (ECE)

ECE 100. Introduction to Electrical and Computer Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to Electrical and Computer Engineering (ECE) for high school students interested in science and technology. The course covers important thematic units of the discipline: electronics, digital design, computer programming and signal processing. Emphasis on hands-on experience in the use of laboratory instrumentation, circuit construction and computer simulation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.
ECE 101. Introduction to Mobile Computing. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to Mobile Computing for high school students interested in application development for mobile systems. The course provides a hands-on approach to the design, development and testing of mobile applications using the latest modern tools. Students start with the basic components used to build applications and continue to more advanced features of mobile devices such as digital cameras, location services, multimedia and more. A strong emphasis is placed on hands-on experience to demonstrate the concepts, culminating in a working mobile application.
Requisite: Summer Scholars Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ECE 110. Introduction to Innovation: Learning About Innovation by Innovating. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to diverse methods and tools that promote and nurture student creativity, entrepreneurship, team-work, and skills for creating business plans that consider ethical, global and financial issues. Students will learn to use the Maker Space facility to implement their design ideas.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 111. Introduction to Engineering I. 3 Credit Hours.
Use of engineering tools and computer techniques for problem solving, data acquisition, analysis, presentation, software design, and computer aided drafting. Development of design skills through several design and building competitions is included as well as an introduction to professional ethics, intellectual property rights, the use of MATLAB, AutoCAD, and programming in C++.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 112. Introduction to Engineering II. 2 Credit Hours.
Course is designed to provide first-year undergraduate students with an introduction to some key electrical and computer engineering concepts and topics by discussing their roles in some of the commonly used electrical and computer engineering systems. Numerical examples, circuit simulations, and computer programming are introduced through the use of MATLAB, microcontroller programming languages, and PSpice. Hands-on experience are provided through a project where the students design, assemble, program, and test a microcontroller-based mobile robot with a variety of sensing devices. Should be taken as a freshman only; otherwise to be replaced by a technical elective.
Prerequisite: ECE 111.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 118. Introduction to Programming. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to computing, problem solving, program design, C++ language fundamentals, and software engineering principles. Software design projects are included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 123. Explorations in Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to engineering for non-engineers with emphasis on real-world engineering systems and services which are changing the way we live, communicate, learn, play, and care for ourselves, our communities and our planet. Students will learn how to use modern tools to observe and design simple engineering systems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 201. Electrical Circuit Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of DC-AC circuit laws, including steady state and transient analysis. Lecture, 3 hours.
Prerequisite: MTH 162.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 202. Electronics I. 3 Credit Hours.
Semiconductor physics and devices. Diodes, bipolar-junction transistors (BJT). Introduction to field-effect transistors (FETs) and Operational Amplifiers. Emphasis on dc and ac analysis of electronic circuits. Use of CAD tools such as PSpice.
Prerequisite: ECE 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
ECE 203. Electrical Circuits Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory work employing the techniques of circuit theory to physical components, devices, and circuits. Use of electronic computing techniques to relate analytical and empirical investigations. Laboratory, 3 hours.
Prerequisite: ECE 201.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECE 204. Electrical Circuits Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory work employing the techniques of circuit theory to physical components, devices, and circuits. Use of electronic computing techniques to relate analytical and empirical investigations. Laboratory, 3 hours.
Prerequisite: ECE 201.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECE 205. Principles of Electrical Engineering--I. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of DC and AC Circuits and a survey of Electrical Machinery and Electronics. Not open to students with credits in ECE 201. Lecture, 3 hours.
Prerequisite: MTH 162.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 206. Circuits, Signals, and Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
This course teaches the basics of continuous-time signals and systems with an emphasis on circuits as motivating examples. Topics include signals and linear time-invariant systems, convolution, stability, Laplace Transform, transfer function, poles and zeros, s-domain circuit analysis, feedback control, Fourier Series and Transform, Bode plots, analog filters.
Pre-requisite: ECE 201 And MTH 311.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECE 211. Logic Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Boolean algebra and its applications in analysis and design of logic circuits. Introduction to SSI and MSI circuits as building blocks, memory elements, and analysis and synthesis of synchronous and asynchronous sequential systems are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECE 212. Processors: Hardware, Software, and Interfacing. 3 Credit Hours.
Architecture and operation of modern microprocessor based computer systems and microcontrollers. Assembly language and applications with hands on experience. Lecture, 3 hours; laboratory, 3 hours.
Prerequisite: ECE 118 and ECE 211/304.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECE 218. Data Structures. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of Programming with emphasis on C++ and the skills required of a capable programmer. Essential data structures and algorithms, and introducing algorithm analysis. Basic sorting, searching, and data management. Dynamic and static memory management. Object oriented programming.
Prerequisite: ECE 118.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 301. Electromagnetic Field Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Vector analysis, static and time-varying fields, Maxwell's equations, propagation of electromagnetic waves, and transmission line theory and applications are discussed.
Prerequisite: PHY 223 and MTH 210.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ECE 302. Electronics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: ECE 305 Or ECE 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECE 303. Electronics Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory course in conjunction with courses ECE 202 and 302.
Prerequisite: ECE 203 or 204. Or Pre/Corequisite: ECE 302 or 306.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECE 304. Logic Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Boolean algebra and its applications in analysis and design of logic circuits. Introduction to SSI and MSI circuits as building blocks, memory elements, and analysis and synthesis of synchronous and asynchronous sequential systems are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECE 305. Electronics I. 3 Credit Hours.
Semiconductor physics and devices. Diodes, bipolar-junction transistors (BJT). Introduction to field-effect transistors (FETs) and Operational Amplifiers. Emphasis on dc and ac analysis of electronic circuits. Use of CAD tools such as PSpice.
Prerequisite: ECE 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 306. Electronics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: ECE 202 or 305.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECE 307. Circuits, Signals, and Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
This course teaches the basics of continuous-time signals and systems with an emphasis on circuits as motivating examples. Topics include signals and linear time-invariant systems, convolution, stability, Laplace Transform, transfer function, poles and zeros, s-domain circuit analysis, feedback control, Fourier Series and Transform, Bode plots, analog filters.
Prerequisite: ECE 201 and MTH 311.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECE 308. Linear Control Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to system theory, transfer function and state variable modeling of linear continuous time systems, root locus, Bode plot, Nyquist criterion, analysis and controller design using root locus and frequency domain techniques, proportional-integral-derivative controllers.
Prerequisite: ECE 206/307 and ECE 303/311 and MTH 210.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 310. Introduction to Engineering Probability. 3 Credit Hours.
Axioms of probability, discrete and continuous random variables, probability density functions. Expectation, conditioning, independence, functions of random variables, characteristic functions, multiple random variables. Sums of random variables, limit theorems, probability bounds, convergence concepts. Introduction to statistical analysis, estimation, and hypothesis testing. Cross-listed with IEN 310.
Prerequisite: MTH 162 and Requisite: Junior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ECE 311. Electronics Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory course in conjunction with courses ECE 305 and 306.
Prerequisite: ECE 203 or 204. Or Pre/Corequisite: ECE 302 or 306.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECE 312. Processors: Hardware, Software, and Interfacing. 3 Credit Hours.
Architecture and operation of modern microprocessor based computer systems and microcontrollers. Assembly language and applications with hands on experience. Lecture, 3 hours; laboratory, 3 hours.
Prerequisite: ECE 118 and ECE 211/304.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 315. Digital Design Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Familiarization with properties and use of logic gates, flip-flops, digital standard components, and programmable logic devices. Design and implementation of combinational and synchronous digital systems and Computer Aided Engineering (CAE) tools for design and simulation of digital systems are also included.
Prerequisite: ECE 304 Or ECE 211.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECE 316. Structured Digital Design. 1 Credit Hour.
VHDL (VHIC (very high speed integrated circuits) hardware description language) introduction and syntax. Functional and behavioral models of VHDL for design, testing, and simulation of digital circuits and programmable logic devices. Design and implementation of combinational and sequential digital systems using VHDL is also included.
Prerequisite: ECE 315.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECE 318. Algorithms. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of the programming sequence. Object oriented programming with C++, emphasizing the skills required of a professional programmer. Essential data structures and algorithms: trees, graphs, hash tables, parsing and text processing. Advanced sorting and data management algorithms. Advanced features of C++; effective programming with C.
Prerequisite: ECE 218.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 322. Systems Programming. 3 Credit Hours.
Practical hands-on experience with UNIX systems programming and administration. Programming using C and shell scripting languages. File systems features, multiprocessing, inter-process communication, and systems programming fundamentals are discussed.
Prerequisite: ECE 218.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 336. Discrete-Time Signals and Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides the basics connecting continuous-time (CT) and discrete-time (DT) signal processing, and an introduction to discrete-time signals and systems and applications. Topics include communication, sampling, discrete-time linear time-invariant (LTI) signals and systems, difference equations, z Transform, transform domain analysis of DT systems, DT Fourier transform (DTFT), digital filters, applications to audio, and image processing.
Prerequisite: ECE 307 Or ECE 206.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ECE 368. Internet Computing I. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles and practices used in creating interactive Internet sites. Extensive object oriented programming in Java is taught. Use of eXtensible Markup Language (XML) to provide content description. Use of GUI components and graphics to create web based applications.
Prerequisite: ECE 218.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 395. Undergraduate Research in Electrical and Computer Engineering. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Research and/or design projects consisting of an individual investigation of real-world contemporary problems. Offered by special arrangement and under the supervision of a faculty member.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECE 399. Cooperative Education. 1 Credit Hour.
Practical application of classroom theory through alternating semester or summer employment with firms offering positions consistent with the student’s field of study. Course may be repeated.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECE 404. Communication Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to digital communication, including binary and M-ary baseband and bandpass modulation over additive white Gaussian noise channels. Optimal receivers, pulse shaping for bandlimited channels, synchronization, multiple access.
Prerequisite: ECE 336 and ECE 310 or IEN 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 405. Solid-State Electronics. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of semiconductor electronics, energy bands of semiconductors, Fermi level, carrier distribution, and transport mechanisms are discussed. Application of semiconductor theory to various junction and field effect devices are included.
Prerequisite: ECE 301 and PHY 223.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 412. Software Engineering and Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: ECE 318.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 413. Software Design and Verification. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: ECE 412/512.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 414. Computer Organization and Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Hardware structure, organization and design of computers. Design of computer arithmetic and control units, data, and instruction paths. Modern hardware description language (HDL) based design methodology. Register transfer level design of computers and digital systems. Algorithmic state machine (ASM) charts, instruction set architecture, control unit implementation, microprogramming, memory organization, pipelining, I/O system organization and high speed arithmetic units are discussed.
Prerequisite: ECE 312 or ECE 212.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ECE 415. Senior Project I. 1 Credit Hour.
Topics cover tasks in project planning including scheduling, documentation, communication (written and oral), financial constraints, and ethics. Students are required to present project proposals to serve as the basis for the follow-up course, ECE 416.
Requisite: Senior Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 416. Senior Project II. 2 Credit Hours.
The capstone design course for Electrical Engineering majors. An electrical system is designed, implemented, and documented.
Prerequisite: ECE 415.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 417. Embedded Microprocessor System Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of microcomputer system design, scientific methods for quantifying system performance, embedded controller applications using high level languages, and debugging strategies. Lecture, 1 hour; laboratory, 3 hours.
Prerequisite: ECE 218. And ECE 315. And ECE 414.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 418. Senior Project Planning. 1 Credit Hour.
The creative process of devising a product to meet customers needs including an overview of the design process, analysis of requirements, project planning, scheduling, evaluation, and documentation. Students are required to present project proposals to serve as the basis for the follow-up senior design project.
Requisite: Senior Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 419. Senior Project. 2 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this course is to integrate the student’s knowledge in hardware, software, and project management. A major digital system is designed, implemented, debugged, and documented.
Prerequisite: ECE 418.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 421. Computer Operating Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
The design and implementation of operating systems. Virtual memory and memory management, resource allocation, device drivers, process creation, control, communications and scheduling, file systems, data protection, security, parallel processing and time-sharing. The class includes a significant operating system implementation project.
Prerequisite: ECE 318.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 436. Digital Signal Processing. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics include finite length transforms (e.g., discrete Fourier transform, discrete sine and cosine transforms) and their fast computation, finite impulse response (FIR) and infinite impulse response (IIR) digital filter design, digital filter structures, finite wordlength effects on filter performance, and multirate signal processing fundamentals.
Prerequisite: ECE 336.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 437. Real-Time Digital Signal Processing Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Digital signal processing hardware for real-time operation, software development tools, instruction set, and DSP experiments with audio and speech application are discussed.
Prerequisite: ECE 436. Or Corequisite: ECE 436.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ECE 454. Digital System Design and Testing. 3 Credit Hours.
Functional building blocks and concepts of control and timing in digital design. Descriptive techniques for digital systems and design for testability. Prerequisite: ECE 315 and 316. Corequisite: ECE 455.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 455. Design-for-Testability Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Project laboratory demonstrating the techniques necessary to design, implement, and debug and test a large system. The process is carried through from conceptual design, implementation, integration, simulation, and synthesis on a FPGA chip. Prerequisite: ECE 454. Or Corequisite: ECE 454.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 467. Database Design and Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Database systems design, modeling, implementation, management methodologies, and techniques. Different database systems are addressed including relational, object-oriented, object-relational, and distributed database systems. Internet (WWW) technology, data warehousing, and online analytical processing applications of database management systems and hands-on experience with commercial database systems is also included. Prerequisite: ECE 322 or CSC 322.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 470. Network Client-Server Programming. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to server-client systems and programming. Advanced server-client design and implementation based on distributed component object model in Windows and UNIX. Prerequisite: ECE 218.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 481. Senior Project I. 1 Credit Hour.
The creative process of devising a product to meet customers' needs including an overview of the design process, analysis of requirements, project planning, scheduling, evaluation, and documentation. Students are required to present project proposals to serve as the basis for the follow-up senior design project. Requisite: Senior Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 482. Senior Project II. 2 Credit Hours.
The capstone design course for Electrical Engineering and Computer Engineering majors. A major electrical and/or computer engineering system is designed, implemented, and documented. Pre-requisite: ECE 481.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 499. Senior-Junior Cooperative Education. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Analysis and design experience obtained in industry or government. Approved project jointly supervised and assessed by department faculty and external partner. Note: A maximum of three credits could be used to satisfy degree requirement as Technical Elective. See Bulletin for more information.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECE 500. Engineering Analytical Techniques. 3 Credit Hours.
Complex variables, analytic functions, power series, residue theorem, conformal mappings, series solution, Bessel functions, Legendre polynomials. Singular value decomposition, vector, and matrix norms are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ECE 502. Engineering Acoustics. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to basic principles of acoustics, methods of sound measurement, physiological, psychological acoustics, the acoustics of the major classes of musical instruments and speech, fundamentals of transducers, architectural acoustics, and the effects and control of noise are covered. Prerequisite: ECE 336.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 503. Laser Communications. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of optics, optical fibers, electro-optics, light wave propagation in free space and anisotropic media, and waveguides are discussed. Communication devices including lasers, detectors, electro-optic modulators, optical fiber communication links are covered. The course includes seven hands-on experiments. Prerequisite: PHY 222 and PHY 223 and ECE 301 or equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 504. Fundamentals of Optical Imaging. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to optical imaging, optical coherence tomography imaging, fiber endoscope imaging, and spectral imaging. Learn grating diffraction, interferometer, and optical spectrometer. The course includes ten hands-on experiments. Gain system level understanding of optical coherence tomography and spectral imaging. Prerequisites: ECE 301 or BME 545.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 505. Semiconductor Photonic Devices. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of semiconductor electronics: energy bands of semiconductors; Fermi level; carrier distribution and transport mechanisms. Application of semiconductor theory to various junction and field effect devices. Prerequisite: ECE 302, 306, 405.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 506. Microfabrication. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of operation, properties and applications of semiconductor devices, junction, metal-semiconductor, metal-oxide-semiconductor, optoelectronic, bulk-effect, and charge-coupled are covered. Prerequisite: ECE 505.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 511. Computability, Complexity, and Algorithms. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced programming techniques: dynamic programming, fast data retrieval and sorting, enumerators, data structures, and data management. The limits of software engineering, computability and models of computation, complexity analysis. Prerequisite: ECE 318.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 512. Software Engineering and Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 513. Software Design and Verification. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
ECE 514. Computer Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
Computer data and instruction types, survey of existing architectures, and the interaction between hardware and software sub-systems are discussed. Advanced topics in computer architecture.
Prerequisite: ECE 414.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

ECE 519. Design of Computing Languages. 3 Credit Hours.
Major features of modern programming languages with emphasis on design and software efficiency. Interaction between language design and the design of its compiler are included.
Prerequisite: ECE 218.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 521. Computer Operating Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
The design and implementation of operating systems. Virtual memory and memory management, resource allocation, device drivers, process creation, control, communications and scheduling, file systems, data protection, security, parallel processing and time-sharing. The class includes a significant operating system implementation project.
Prerequisite: ECE 318.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 532. VLSI Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of MOS Technology in VLSI. System data, control flow, structures, design, layout, maskmaking, fabrication, packaging, and testing of VLSI chips are discussed. Highly concurrent Very Large Scale Integration computational systems are also covered.
Prerequisite: ECE 202. Or ECE 305. And ECE 211. Or ECE 304.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 533. Random Signals and Noise. 3 Credit Hours.
Probability models, Bayes’ theorem, Limit theorems of Laplace and Poisson, functions of random variables, Central limit theorem, conditional expectation and estimation, Stochastic processes, stationarity and ergodicity, cross-spectral analysis, filtering, and prediction are discussed.
Prerequisite: ECE 310. Or IEN 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 534. Communication Networks. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of digital communications, Local Area Networks (LANs), Wide Area Networks(WANs), Open systems Intercommunication (OSI), Internet reference models, internet architecture and protocols, packet switching and routing, and network performance are discussed.
Prerequisite: ECE 212. Or ECE 312. And ECE 310. Or IEN 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 537. Principles of Artificial Intelligence. 3 Credit Hours.
Search techniques, game trees, use of heuristics, logic, representation of knowledge, algorithms for automated reasoning including automated reasoning under imperfect information, some advanced approaches to AI-Problems such as planning.
Prerequisite: ECE 218.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 538. Introduction to Digital Image Processing. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: ECE 206. Or ECE 307. And MTH 210.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ECE 539. Digital Communications. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles for the analysis and design of digital communications systems. Nyquist sampling, signal space representation, digital modulation techniques and optimal receiver design, ISI channels, error control coding, convolutional codes, Viterbi decoder, and wireless applications.
Prerequisite: ECE 404.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 540. Digital Speech and Audio Processing. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to human speech production, hearing, and perception. Digital speech and audio signal analysis in time and frequency, speech and audio coding, speech synthesis and recognition, language modeling, design of systems for human-machine interaction are also covered.
Prerequisite: ECE 336.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 542. MEMS: Sensors and Electronics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce the fundamentals of Microelectromechanical Systems (MEMS). An introductory foundation of MEMS concepts will be established through lectures on sensors, actuators, readout electronics, and noise. Physical principles of electromechanical, piezoresistive, capacitive, and piezoelectric sensing will be introduced. Based on these design and analysis principles the course will focus on commercial applications such as accelerometers, biochemical sensors, RF components, microfluidics, and optical devices. Sensor electronics will be discussed with a focus on integration with Complementary Metal Oxide Semiconductor (CMOS) technology.
Prerequisite: Permission of Instructor OR ECE 532.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 543. BioNanotechnology. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction on the fundamentals of nanotechnology with a focus on Biomedical Applications. A foundation of nanotechnology concepts will be established through lectures on nanometrology with quantum physics basics, nano manufacturing tools, physical, chemical properties of nanomaterials. Application of these principles in electronics, magnetics, mechanics and optics will be discussed. Use of these nanoengineering principles and concepts to focus on biomedical technology applications such as biosensors, biomaterials, biomimetics and therapeutics
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 548. Machine Learning. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals approaches to classifier induction, probabilistic and instance-based approaches, linear and polynomial classifiers, neural networks, decision trees, boosting techniques, performance evaluation, cluster analysis, reinforcement learning, fundamentals of computational learning theory.
Prerequisite: ECE 218. Or MTH 309.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 553. Neural Networks. 3 Credit Hours.
Artificial neural network algorithms and structures, learning process, perceptron, least-mean-square algorithms, multilayer perceptron, error back-propagation, radial-basis function networks, the Hopfield network, and self-organizing systems are discussed.
Prerequisite: ECE 218. Or MTH 309.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 562. Wireless and Cellular Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
Wireless Channel Characterization: path loss, shadowing, fading, frequency- selective channels, Doppler spread, and delay spread. Diversity techniques: frequency, time and space diversity. Multiple Antenna Systems: space-time coding, beamforming and layered space-time system. Digital Modulation: adaptive modulations and Orthogonal Frequency Division Multiplexing (OFDM). Cellular Concept: frequency reuse, co-channel interference and handoff. Multiple Access Methods: Frequency Division Multiple Access (FDMA), Time Division Multiple Access (TDMA), Code Division Multiple Access (CDMA) and random access. CDMA: spreading codes, RAKE receiver, multiuser detection and power control.
Prerequisite: ECE 404.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ECE 563. Wireless Communication Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
Computer simulation of path loss, shadowing and fading in wireless channels, performance of various digital modulation methods in both Gaussian and wireless channels, diversity methods, equalization methods including zero-forcing, minimum mean-square error (MMSE) and decision-feedback equalization (DFE), co-channel interfacing in cellular systems, space-time coding. Orthogonal Frequency Division Multiplexing (OFDM) systems, spreading codes for Code Division Multiple Access (CDMA) systems, and matched-filter receiver and multiuser detector for CDMA systems.
Measurement of wireless signals in various environments.
Prerequisite: ECE 562.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 564. Wireless Networks. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction of wireless channels and network. Introduction of medium access control: Frequency Division Multiple Access (FDMA), Time Division Multiple Access (TDMA), Code Division Multiple Access (CDMA) and Carrier Sense Multiple Access. Wireless data networks. IEEE 802.11 (WiFi), IEEE 802.16 (WiMax) and Bluetooth. Wireless network layer: mobile IP and mobile ad-hoc networks. Wireless transport layer: mobile TCP. Wireless Cellular systems: network structure and call processing of GSM and CDMA systems.
Pre or Corequisite: ECE 534.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 567. Database Design and Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Database systems design, modeling, implementation, management methodologies, and techniques. Different database systems are addressed including relational, object-oriented, object-relational, and distributed database systems. Internet (WWW) technology, data warehousing, and online analytical processing applications of database management systems and hands-on experience with commercial database systems is also included.
Prerequisite: ECE 322 or CSC 322.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 570. Network Client-Server Programming. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to server-client systems and programming. Advanced server-client design and implementation based on distributed component object model in Windows and UNIX.
Prerequisite: ECE 218.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 572. Object-Oriented and Distributed Database Management Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 574. Agent Technology. 3 Credit Hours.
Agent definition and applications, agent modeling, theories, agent representation using KIF (Knowledge Interchange Format), agent behavior, ethical and emotional agents, agent communication languages (KQML (Knowledge Query and Manipulation Language)), agent development environments and tools, agent systems (cooperative agents, interface agents, information agents, learning agents, believable agents, agents for workgroups, mobile agents), and agent case studies are covered.
Prerequisite: ECE 537 or ECE 637.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 576. Internet and Intranet Security. 3 Credit Hours.
Security issues and applications for securing internet and intranet-based information exchange. Secure information models, security tools, security services, security protocols, electronic commerce, virtual private networks, firewalls, and security versus cost tradeoffs are covered.
Prerequisite: ECE 218 or CSC 322 or equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
ECE 577. Data Mining. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the general principles of inferring useful knowledge from large data sets. Data mining algorithms, including inferring rules, linear regression, decision trees, association rules, and predictive models. Evaluation of data mining algorithms, including training, testing, prediction, comparison, cost, and cross-validation. Data mining applications.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 579. Mobile Computing. 3 Credit Hours.
Mobile computing and proxy architectures, mobile web protocols, mobile user interfaces, applications, systems-ware adaptations, mobile databases, transactions, data synchronization, privacy, authentication, and security are covered.
Prerequisite: ECE 368.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 581. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 582. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 583. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ECE 584. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ECE 590. Special Topics in Information Technology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Lecture courses in selected areas of specialization within Information Technology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 594. Special Topics in Computer Engineering. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Lecture courses in selected areas of specialization within Computer Engineering.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 595. Special Topics in Computer Engineering. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Lecture courses in selected areas of specialization within Computer Engineering.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 596. Special Topics in Computer Engineering. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Lecture courses in selected areas of specialization within Computer Engineering.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ECE 597. Special Topics in Electrical Engineering. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Lecture courses in selected areas of specialization within Electrical Engineering.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 598. Special Topics in Electrical Engineering. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Lecture courses in selected areas of specialization within Electrical Engineering.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 599. Special Topics in Electrical Engineering. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Lecture courses in selected areas of specialization within Electrical Engineering.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 600. Engineering Analytical Techniques. 3 Credit Hours.
Complex variables, analytic functions, power series, residue theorem, conformal mappings, series solution, Bessel functions, Legendre polynomials. singular value decomposition, vector, and matrix norms are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 602. Engineering Acoustics. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to basic principles of acoustics, methods of sound measurement, physiological, psychological acoustics, the acoustics of the major classes of musical instruments and speech, fundamentals of transducers, architectural acoustics, and the effects and control of noise are covered. Prerequisite: ECE 336.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 603. Laser Communications. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of optics, optical fibers, electro-optics, light wave propagation in free space and anisotropic media, and waveguides are discussed. Communication devices including lasers, detectors, electro-optic modulators, optical fiber communication links are covered. The course includes seven hands-on experiments. Prerequisite: PHY 222 and PHY 223 and ECE 301 or equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 604. Fundamentals of Optical Imaging. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to optical imaging, optical coherence tomography imaging, fiber endoscope imaging, and spectral imaging. Learn grating diffraction, interferometer, and optical spectrometer. The course includes ten hands-on experiments. Gain system level understanding of optical coherence tomography and spectral imaging. Prerequisites: ECE 301 or BME 545.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 605. Semiconductor Photonic Devices. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of semiconductor electronics: energy bands of semiconductors; Fermi level; carrier distribution and transport mechanisms. Application of semiconductor theory to various junction and field effect devices. Prerequisite: ECE 302, 306, 405.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 606. Microfabrication. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of operation, properties and applications of semiconductor devices, junction, metal-semiconductor, metal-oxide-semiconductor, optoelectronic, bulk-effect, and charge-coupled are covered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
ECE 632. VLSI Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of MOS Technology in VLSI. System data, control flow, structures, design, layout, maskmaking, fabrication, packaging, and testing of VLSI chips are discussed. Highly concurrent Very Large Scale Integration computational systems are also covered. * For students who are taking it as ECE 632 there will be a separate advanced final project that will include the use of all digital circuit library that will be developed in the lab exercises and in addition include an analog component to achieve a mixed signal system integration. This will require additional research study as well as comprehension of more advanced topics in VLSI. Supplemental material and additional project instruction will be delivered in the lab.
Prerequisite: ECE 202. Or ECE 305. And ECE 211. Or ECE 304.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 633. Random Signals and Noise. 3 Credit Hours.
Probability models, Bayes' theorem, Limit theorems of Laplace and Poisson, functions of random variables, Central limit theorem, conditional expectation and estimation, Stochastic processes, stationarity and ergodicity, cross-spectral analysis, filtering, and prediction are discussed.
Prerequisite: ECE 310. Or IEN 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 634. Communication Networks. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of digital communications, Local Area Networks (LANs), Wide Area Networks(WANs), Open systems Intercommunication (OSI), Internet reference models, internet architecture and protocols, packet switching and routing, and network performance are discussed. * For students who are taking it as ECE 634 there will be a separate requirement.
Prerequisite: ECE 212. Or ECE 312. And ECE 310. Or IEN 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 635. Adaptive Filters and Signal Processing. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics include linear models and estimation, orthogonality principle, Wiener filters, stochastic gradient methods, LMS and RLS algorithms, mean square error and tracking performance and applications.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 636. Principles of Artificial Intelligence. 3 Credit Hours.
Search techniques, game trees, use of heuristics, logic, representation of knowledge, algorithms for automated reasoning including automated reasoning under imperfect information, some advanced approaches to AI-Problems such as planning.
Prerequisite: ECE 218.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 637. Introduction to Digital Image Processing. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: ECE 206. Or ECE 307. And MTH 210.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 638. Digital Communications. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles for the analysis and design of digital communications systems. Nyquist sampling, signal space representation, digital modulation techniques and optimal receiver design, ISI channels, error control coding, convolutional codes, Viterbi decoder, and wireless applications.
Prerequisite: ECE 404.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ECE 639. Digital Speech and Audio Processing. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to human speech production, hearing, and perception. Digital speech and audio signal analysis in time and frequency, speech and audio coding, speech synthesis and recognition, language modeling, design of systems for human-machine interaction are also covered.
Prerequisite: ECE 336.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
ECE 642. MEMS: Sensors and Electronics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce the fundamentals of Microelectromechanical Systems (MEMS). An introductory foundation of MEMS concepts will be established through lectures on sensors, actuators, readout electronics, and noise. Physical principles of electromechanical, piezoresistive, capacitive, and piezoelectric sensing will be introduced. Based on these design and analysis principles the course will focus on commercial applications such as accelerometers, biochemical sensors, RF components, microfluidics, and optical devices. Sensor electronics will be discussed with a focus on integration with Complementary Metal Oxide Semiconductor (CMOS) technology.
Prerequisite: Permission of Instructor OR ECE 532.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 643. BioNanotechnology. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction on the fundamentals of nanotechnology with a focus on Biomedical Applications. A foundation of nanotechnology concepts will be established through lectures on nanometrology with quantum physics basics, nano manufacturing tools, physical, chemical properties of nanomaterials. Application of these principles in electronics, magnetics, mechanics and optics will be discussed. Use of these nanoeengineering principles and concepts to focus on biomedical technology applications such as biosensors, biomaterials, biomimetics and therapeutics
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 646. Reliable Digital System Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics include descriptive technique for digital systems, synchronizer failure and metastability estimation, design for testability, and estimating digital system reliability. Computer-Aided Engineering (CAE) tools are also covered. Not open to students with credit in ECE 454. Offered only for Graduate students.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 648. Machine Learning. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of intelligent system design and strategies of learning capability simulation. Selected case studies of learning systems for engineering applications are included.
Prerequisite: ECE 218. Or MTH 309.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 653. Neural Networks. 3 Credit Hours.
Artificial neural network algorithms and structures, learning process, perceptron, least-mean-square algorithms, multilayer perceptron, error back-propagation, radial-basis function networks, the Hopfield network, and self-organizing systems are discussed.
Prerequisite: ECE 218. Or MTH 309.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 662. Wireless and Cellular Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
Wireless Channel Characterization: path loss, shadowing, fading, frequency-selective channels, Doppler spread, and delay spread. Diversity techniques: frequency, time and space diversity. Multiple Antenna Systems: space-time coding, beamforming and layered space-time system. Digital Modulation: adaptive modulations and Orthogonal Frequency Division Multiplexing (OFDM). Cellular Concept: frequency reuse, co-channel interference and handoff. Multiple Access Methods: Frequency Division Multiple Access (FDMA), Time Division Multiple Access (TDMA), Code Division Multiple Access (CDMA) and random access. CDMA: spreading codes, RAKE receiver, multiuser detection and power control.
Prerequisite: ECE 404.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 664. Wireless Networks. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction of wireless channels and network. Introduction of medium access control: Frequency Division Multiple Access (FDMA), Time Division Multiple Access (TDMA), Code Division Multiple Access (CDMA) and Carrier Sense Multiple Access. Wireless data networks: IEEE 802.11 (WiFi), IEEE 802.16 (WiMax) and Bluetooth. Wireless network layer: mobile IP and mobile ad-hoc networks. Wireless transport layer: mobile TCP. Wireless Cellular systems: network structure and call processing of GSM and CDMA systems.
Pre or Corequisite: ECE 634.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
ECE 672. Object-Oriented and Distributed Database Management Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 673. Information Assurance. 3 Credit Hours.
Assurance as the basis for believing an information system will behave as expected. Security design fundamentals that help create systems that are fit for their purpose and worthy of being trusted. The concepts of information assurance fundamentals. Vulnerabilities and Risk Management assessment. Security Life-Cycle, Mechanisms, Frameworks and Emerging Threats.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 674. Agent Technology. 3 Credit Hours.
Agent definition and applications, agent modeling, theories, agent representation using KIF (Knowledge Interchange Format), agent behavior, ethical and emotional agents, agent communication languages (KQML (Knowledge Query and Manipulation Language)), agent development environments and tools, agent systems (cooperative agents, interface agents, information age nts, learning agents, believable agents, agents for workgroups, mobile agents), and agent case studies are covered.
Prerequisite: ECE 537 Or ECE 637.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 675. Digital Forensics. 3 Credit Hours.
The techniques and skills to apply forensics techniques throughout an investigation life cycle while complying with legal requirements. Preservation, identification, extraction and documentation of computer evidence stored on a computer. Application of forensics techniques to investigate and analyze a host in a network, devices including mobile, and techniques to investigate and analyze network traffic.
Prerequisite: ECE 634.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 676. Internet and Intranet Security. 3 Credit Hours.
Security issues and applications for securing internet and Intranet-based information exchange. Secure information models, security tools, security services, security protocols, electronic commerce, virtual private networks, firewalls, and security versus cost tradeoffs are covered.
Prerequisite: ECE 218 or CSC 322 or equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 677. Data Mining. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the general principles of inferring useful knowledge from large data sets. Data mining algorithms, including inferring rules, linear regression, decision trees, association rules, and predictive models. Evaluation of data mining algorithms, including training, testing, prediction, comparison, cost, and cross-validation. Data mining applications.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 678. Network Security. 3 Credit Hours.
Information about the threats that may be present in the cyber realm and the techniques that can be taken to protect a network and communication assets from cyber threats. Threat examination and application of security measures. Implementation of network defense measures and adjustments for cloud and hybrid applications.
Prerequisite: ECE 634.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 680. Electrical and Computer Engineering Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Analysis, design, and research experience obtained at an operating and recognized industry. Approved project jointly supervised and assessed by departmental faculty and industrial partner.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ECE 681. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 682. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 683. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ECE 684. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ECE 694. Special Topics in Computer Engineering. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Lecture courses in selected areas of specialization within Computer Engineering.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 695. Special Topics in Computer Engineering. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Lecture courses in selected areas of specialization within Computer Engineering.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 696. Special Topics in Computer Engineering. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Lecture courses in selected areas of specialization within Computer Engineering.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 697. Special Topics in Electrical Engineering. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Lecture courses in selected areas of specialization within Electrical Engineering.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 698. Special Topics in Electrical Engineering. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Lecture courses in selected areas of specialization within Electrical Engineering.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 699. Special Topics in Electrical Engineering. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Lecture courses in selected areas of specialization within Electrical Engineering.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 715. M.S. Design Project I. 3 Credit Hours.
Comprehensive M.S. design project in electrical or computer engineering. Open only to students in the BS/MS dual-degree program.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ECE 716. M.S. Design Project II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ECE 715. Open only to students in the BS/MS dual-degree program.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 720. Convex Optimization. 3 Credit Hours.
This course aims to give students the tools and training to recognize convex optimization problems that arise in scientific and engineering applications, presenting the basic theory, and concentrating on modeling aspects and results that are useful in applications. Topics include convex sets, convex functions, optimization problems, optimality condition and duality, and algorithms. Applications to signal processing, machine learning and wireless communications are presented.
Prerequisite: MTH 210.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 725. Statistical Signal Processing. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of statistical signal processing, focusing on detection and estimation. Detection: hypothesis testing, Neyman-Pearson criterion, Bayes risk, generalized likelihood ratio tests. Estimation: minimum variance, maximum likelihood, maximum a-posteriori, and minimum mean squared error methods, Cramer-Rao and Bayesian bounds, expectation maximization, least squares, Kalman filter, sparse solutions, applications. Students should have completed basic courses on linear algebra and probability prior to taking this course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 730. Statistical Learning. 3 Credit Hours.
Statistical learning theory, high-dimensional data models, regression, classification, sparse kernel machines, mixture models, graphical models, Markov chain Monte Carlo simulation, model assessment and selection, model inference and combining.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 735. Fundamentals of Network Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Mathematics of networks; network measures and metrics; power laws and scale-free networks; Erdos-Renyi random networks; random networks with general degree distributions; models of network formation, including preferential attachment models.
Prerequisite: MTH 210.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 738. Computer Vision. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of computer vision. Segmentation, shape and texture analysis, 3D scene analysis, polyhedral scenes, time-varying image analysis, parallel processing algorithms, matching, and recognition are covered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 753. Pattern Recognition and Neural Networks. 3 Credit Hours.
Statistical pattern classification, feature extraction, cluster analysis, neural net models, Hopfield net, competitive learning, multi-layer perceptron, and the Boltzmann machine are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 756. Information Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Measure of uncertainty and entropy, two dimensional sources, noisy channels, mutual and transinformation, equivocation, efficiency and channel capacity, minimum redundancy coding, error-detecting, error-correcting codes, continuous channel without memory. Gaussian additive noise, sampling theorem, and vector space are covered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ECE 781. Advanced Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Research and/or design projects through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ECE 782. Advanced Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Research and/or design projects through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 783. Advanced Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Research and/or design projects through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ECE 784. Advanced Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Research and/or design projects through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ECE 785. Advanced Problems in CyberSecurity. 3 Credit Hours.
Comprehensive M.S. capstone project in CyberSecurity.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ECE 792. Professional Communications Skills for Engineering Grad Students. 0 Credit Hours.
This course covers fundamental areas in professional communication for Engineering graduate students. Topic areas include: presenting research at conferences, writing manuscripts for publication, preparing the dissertation, the PhD comprehensive exams, effective teaching and mentoring, and obtaining positions in academia. Through interactive workshops, in-class exercises, brief presentations and assignments, students will have an opportunity to practice and strengthen necessary communication skills, developing collaborations, and developing effective presentation skills.
Components: MOD.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 795. Advanced Topics in Computer Engineering. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Subject matter offerings in computer engineering based upon student demand and availability of faculty. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title "Advanced Topics".
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 796. Advanced Topics in Computer Engineering. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Subject matter offerings in computer engineering based upon student demand and availability of faculty. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title "Advanced Topics".
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 797. Advanced Topics in Electrical Engineering. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Subject matter offerings in electrical engineering based upon student demand and availability of faculty. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title "Advanced Topics".
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 798. Advanced Topics in Electrical Engineering. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Subject matter offerings in electrical engineering based upon student demand and availability of faculty. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title "Advanced Topics".
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ECE 799. Advanced Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Subject matter offerings based upon student demand and availability of faculty. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title "Advanced Topics".

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ECE 810. Master’s Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master's degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in ECE 810 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.

Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 825. Continuous Registration--Master's Study. 1 Credit Hour.
To establish residence for non-thesis master's students who are preparing for major examinations. Credit not granted. Regarded as full time residence.

Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ECE 830. Pre-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Doctoral dissertation credits taken prior to Ph.D. student's candidacy. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor. No more than 12 hours of ECE 830 may be taken in a regular semester; no more than six in a summer session.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECE 840. Post-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Doctoral dissertation credits taken after Ph.D. student has been admitted to candidacy. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor. No more than 12 credits in ECE 840 may be taken in a regular semester; no more than six credits in a summer session.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ECE 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.

Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

English (ENG)

ENG 101. Writing Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
ENG 101 will provide students with consistent and sustained support for their reading and writing needs in ENG 105. Students will schedule one-hour per week standing appointments with Writing Center tutors. These standing appointments will be used exclusively to support the work of the ENG 105 course and must be kept throughout the entire semester.
Corequisite: ENG 105. and Requisite: (ACT English >=18 and <=31) or (SAT Evidence-Based Reading and Writing =>430 and <=690) or (SAT Critical Reading =>430 and <=690) or (TOEFL iBT Writing =>18).

Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ENG 103. Basic Academic Writing. 3 Credit Hours.
Intensive approach to the basics of academic writing with emphasis on building written fluency, using conventions of standard written English, and editing for precision and correctness. Intended for students who need extra preparation before entering ENG 105. Not for credit toward graduation. Requisite: ACT English score below 18; or SAT Evidence-Based Reading and Writing or Critical Reading score below 430; or TOEFL iBT Writing score below 18.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ENG 105. English Composition I. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to written academic argument and inquiry. Not for major or minor. Cannot be taken on credit-only option. Requisite: ACT English score 18-31; or SAT Evidence-Based Reading and Writing or Critical Reading score 430-690; or TOEFL iBT Writing score 18 or above.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ENG 106. English Composition II. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced approaches to written academic argument, with emphasis on textual analysis and incorporation of secondary sources. Not for major or minor. Cannot be taken on credit-only option. Requisite: ENG 105 OR ACT English score 32 or above; or SAT Evidence-Based Reading and Writing or Critical Reading score 700 or above or Foote Fellow designation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ENG 107. English Composition II: Science and Technology. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced approaches to written academic argument, with emphasis on textual analysis and incorporating source material using readings and approaches connected to science and technology. Alternative to ENG 106. Not for major or minor. Cannot be taken on credit-only option. Prerequisite: ENG 105 or Requisite: ACT English score 32 or above; or SAT Evidence-Based Reading and Writing or Critical Reading score 700 or above.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ENG 201. World Literary Masterpieces I. 3 Credit Hours.
Comparative study of literary masterpieces from ancient times through the Renaissance. Satisfies writing requirement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ENG 202. World Literary Masterpieces II. 3 Credit Hours.
Comparative study of literary masterpieces from the Renaissance to the present. Satisfies writing requirement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ENG 205. Jewish Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Selections from the Bible, the Talmud, the Kabbalah, medieval poetry and prose, Yiddish and Sephardic literature, and contemporary American and Israeli writers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 208. Advanced Academic Writing for Transfer Students. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of research techniques and revision strategies. Completes the university composition requirement for those students who transfer into UM with credit for one composition course from another institution. Open only to transfer students who have received transfer credit for either English 105 or English 106. Not open to students who have taken either English 105 and/or 106 at UM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ENG 209. Creative Writing. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis and writing of Short stories and poems. Cannot be taken for credit only.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
ENG 210. Literary Themes and Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Literary analysis and practice in critical writing through the study of selected works; themes and topics vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 211. English Literature I. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected readings from the middle ages to the late 18th century. Satisfies writing requirement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ENG 212. English Literature II. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected readings from the late 18th century to the present. Satisfies writing requirement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ENG 213. American Literature I. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected American authors prior to the Civil War. Satisfies writing requirement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ENG 214. American Literature II. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected American authors from the Civil War to the present. Satisfies writing requirement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ENG 215. English and American Literature by Women. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of women writers from the Middle Ages to the present; explores the female literary tradition and women’s relationship to culture and society.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 219. CW Beginning Mixed Genre Workshop. 3 Credit Hours.
A multi-genre workshop that will focus on developing practical issues of craft and technique presented in ENG 209 with an emphasis on form and narrative. Classes feature writing exercises and discussions of both student work and readings from contemporary fiction, poetry and a third genre (e.g., playwriting, nonfiction or screenplay).
ENG 209 may not be taken in the same term with another creative writing course (i.e., ENG 209, ENG 290, ENG 292, ENG 390, ENG 391, ENG 392, ENG 404, ENG 406 or ENG 408.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ENG 220. Introduction to Poetry. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the forms of poetry through the analysis of representative poems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 221. Introduction to Fiction. 3 Credit Hours.
Forms of prose fiction and the analysis of representative short stories and novels.
Pre/Corequisite: ENG 106.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 230. Advanced Professional Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
Professional writing with critical attention to complex rhetorical situations. Practice in formal and informal written communication styles.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
ENG 231. Advanced Writing for Arts and Humanities. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced instruction in writing for specialist and non-specialist audiences on topics in the Arts and Humanities disciplines, with an emphasis on
essay and multimodal forms of communication.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107 or ENG 208.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 232. Advanced Writing for People and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced instruction in writing for specialist and non-specialist audiences on topics in the People and Society disciplines, with an emphasis on essay
and multimodal forms of communication.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107 or ENG 208.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 233. Advanced Writing for STEM. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced instruction in writing for specialist and non-specialist audiences on topics in the STEM disciplines, with an emphasis on essay and
multimodal forms of communication.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107 or ENG 208.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 240. Literature and Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
Patients, doctors, and disease itself offer writers avenues to explore ultimate questions. In this course we will examine medicine—and these ultimate
questions—as represented in fiction, drama, poetry, and non-fiction. We will consider the works in terms of both the implications for medicine and the
literary uses to which medicine can be put.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 241. Art of the Con: Con Artists, Tricksters, and Card Sharks in U.S. Literature and Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will read novels, examine archival materials, review graphic novels, and watch films and TV shows about con artists and tricksters in
American culture. In addition to writing essays, this course will provide students with the opportunity to learn how to annotate films in multimedia
formats. Students will also learn about actual confidence games and frauds that rely upon narrative structures.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 242. Literature and Law. 3 Credit Hours.
In this course we will study literary works, from a number of different historical periods, that focus on law and legal systems as a major theme. We will
examine the ways in which authors represent the nature of law, the actual workings of law, and the relationship between law and ideals of justice. We
will also consider other intersections between literature and law, such as legal efforts to censor literary works on political or moral grounds, and the
connection between legal and literary interpretation. Authors to be studied will include writers such as Sophocles, Plato, Shakespeare, Balzac, Melville,
Kafka, and Ginsberg.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 243. Contemporary American Migrations. 3 Credit Hours.
What does it mean to say "America is a nation of immigrants?" As a literary form, the American immigrant narrative describes the process of migration,
Americanization and (un)settlement. How do authors portray immigrant experiences? Which stories are privileged and which silenced? Centering
Miami and the state of Florida, we will read and watch narratives of American immigration, attending to how race, gender, class and sexuality as well
as the changing character and policies of place have shaped immigrant experiences. In addition, we will explore the following questions: Is ethnicity in
opposition to Americanness? How is identity transformed by migration? How and why is home remembered? Finally, what are the constitutive tropes
of American immigrant fiction, and what narrative strategies are deployed to tell these stories?
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
ENG 244. Contemporary Disaster Fiction. 3 Credit Hours.
It seems we are confronted almost daily with some new disaster. From natural disasters spurred on by climate change to global pandemics, from war and genocide to never-ending recessions, poverty, and racism – living in the twenty-first century means living with the effects of daily catastrophe. While the outlines of these disasters as they are reported in the media and represented by Hollywood are predictable, the explorations of disaster in literature are less familiar. This course will explore how contemporary literature imagines catastrophe, focusing on the social, political, and historical contexts of disaster fiction. How does contemporary literature question, rewrite, or challenge what a disaster means? How does it encourage us to think about disaster differently, and, most importantly, to change our responses to it?

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ENG 245. The Circle of Knowledge: Science and the Humanities. 3 Credit Hours.
Major works in the debate over the arts and sciences from the classical Greeks and the humanistic Renaissance to the Scientific Revolution, the impact of Darwin, the cognitive revolution in science, and postmodern indierdisciplinarity.

Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ENG 246. The Harlem Renaissance and Its Afterparties. 3 Credit Hours.
In order to fully appreciate the interdisciplinary nature of the Harlem Renaissance, we will grapple with music and visual culture as well as literary texts. In other words, this is a multimedia course! Students will be asked to consider the ways in which film, music, dance, and literature conceptualize race in America. Together, we will use these various modes of artistic production to question the distinctions between spontaneity and performance, between music and literature, and between the Black arts of the present and the Black arts of the past. Students will be responsible for two 4-6 page close readings, reading quizzes, and a final project entitled Afterparties of the Harlem Renaissance in which they will connect the work of a Harlem Renaissance artist with the work of a contemporary artist.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ENG 247. Afrofuturism. 3 Credit Hours.
The massive success of the film Black Panther and Janelle Monae's album Dirty Computer suggests that African American artists are providing broadly resonant solutions to our most urgent political concerns, constructing alternative models of liberation and self-governance through art. These works are often described as Afrofuturist, an outlook that blends science fiction tropes like space exploration, post-apocalyptic landscapes, and technological advancement with Afrocentric themes and aesthetics. In this course, we will turn a critical eye on contemporary works by Afrofuturist thinkers like Sun Ra, Nnedi Okorafor, and Octavia Butler. Through a variety of different mediums (political theory, literature, film, music, and visual culture), we will seek to answer why so many Black thinkers have turned to speculative and science fiction to imagine social and political change. This is a reading and writing intensive class. In some weeks, students are expected to read entire novels, so make sure to get a head start on reading-heavy weeks. By studying films and music released within the past several years alongside works of literature, it is my hope that students will turn the same critical lens that they use on literature to the media they consume every day.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ENG 248. Curiosity: Vice and Virtue in Science and Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Though we now recognize curiosity as a mostly positive character trait, most western Europeans from antiquity through the middle ages considered curiosity a dangerous vice. This perspective has lived on in sayings like curiosity killed the cat, in stories about both mad scientists and nosy children, and in our society's frequent anxieties about the unknown effects of new technologies, like cloning. What happened to bring about such a dramatic change in how curiosity was valued? What might make this desire to know either good or evil, hopeful or dangerous? To explore this question, this seminar will direct our own curiosity to a range of examples from both science and literature about characters who display exceptional curiosity, along with the consequences brought about by their desire to know. We will explore the lives of historical scientists alongside literature's myriad stories of men and women who knew too much, from Adam and Eve to Alice in Wonderland, from Doctor Faustus to Doctor Frankenstein and Sherlock Holmes. We will examine theological arguments that depicted curiosity as a vice; the biblical account of the Fall; stories of mad scientists; fairy tales; and depictions of detectives and spies on television and film. Together, we will think carefully about what might have seemed dangerous about knowledge in the past, and what might remain dangerous about it (and our own pursuits in the classroom) today.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ENG 250. Studies in English. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
ENG 251. Studies in English. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ENG 253. Studies in English. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ENG 254. Studies in English. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ENG 255. Studies in English. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ENG 257. Studies in English. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ENG 258. Studies in English. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ENG 259. Studies in English. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ENG 260. African-American Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected readings of the eighteenth century to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 261. Literature of the Americas. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected readings from North, Central, and South American, and Caribbean literature from their origins to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 290. Beginning Fiction Workshop. 3 Credit Hours.
Frequent exercises in workshop environment, with readings in contemporary fiction. Attention to tense and points of view; reviews of grammar and punctuation. 30-40 pages of creative writing, including development and revision of one full-length short story (12-20 pages).
Prerequisite: ENG 209 or Requisite: Creative Writing Majors.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ENG 292. Beginning Poetry Workshop. 3 Credit Hours.
Emphasis of creation and critique of new student poetry in workshop setting; continued reading in genre. Variety of styles and techniques presented, including line, image and metaphor. 12-15 new poems, plus revisions, required.
Prerequisite: ENG 209. or Requisite: Creative Writing Majors.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ENG 301. The Study of Language. 3 Credit Hours.
Language itself as an object of study; broad linguistic issues of language types, processes of language change, and language variation. Emphasis on language in "real world" applications such as law, folk culture, poetry, education, and computers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 306. Advanced Composition. 3 Credit Hours.
Composition and analysis of English prose. Topics vary. May be repeated if topics are different.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 310. Literature and Culture in Classical Greece and Rome, I. 3 Credit Hours.
Major pre-classical and classical Greek writers, including Homer, Sappho, Pindar, Aeschylus, Herodotus, and Sophocles, treated by close analysis, and attention to connecting themes; Greek art and archeology in reference to specific texts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 311. Literature and Culture in Classical Greece and Rome, II. 3 Credit Hours.
Thucydides on the Peloponnesian War; the drama of Euripides and Aristophanes; the dialogues of Plato on Socrates' trial and death; Aristotle's Poetics. Early Roman tradition; Rome and its relation to Greek culture; Livy on Roman history; Cicero, Virgil's Aeneid, Marcus Aurelius.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 312. The European Middle Ages. 3 Credit Hours.
British and continental literature and thought from the 5th through the 15th centuries.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 313. The European Renaissance. 3 Credit Hours.
Major writers of the European Renaissance, such as Petrarch, Machiavelli, Castiglione, Erasmus, More, Rabelais, Montaigne, Marguerite de Navarre. Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 314. The European Enlightenment. 3 Credit Hours.
Major writers of the European Enlightenment, such as Locke, Montesquieu, Vico, Hume, Voltaire, Rousseau, Diderot, Lessing, Smith, and Kant.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 315. The Classical Epic Tradition. 3 Credit Hours.
The rise and development of the Western epic tradition from Homer, Lucretius, and Virgil in the classical world, through Dante in the Middle Ages, Milton in the Renaissance, and Wordsworth and Eliot in modernity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 316. Early Celtic Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Study in translation of literary, hagiographic, and historiographic sources, principally from Irish, Welsh, and Latin, dating from 800 to 1800, with an introduction to source languages and to Celtic cultures beginning in the prehistoric era.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 319. Shakespeare. 3 Credit Hours.
Representative comedies, histories, tragedies and romances. Not for students who have taken ENG 430 or 431; may not be taken concurrently with ENG 430 or 431.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ENG 321. Major American Novelists. 3 Credit Hours.
Works by selected American novelists.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 323. Major British Novelists. 3 Credit Hours.
Works by selected British novelists.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 325. Major European Novelists. 3 Credit Hours.
Works by selected European novelists.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 331. Legal Writing. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the composition of legal arguments in court opinions, legal briefs, oral arguments before the Supreme Court, and social-legal documents. Emphasis on analysis of issues, structure and style of legal writing, and the function of logic in persuasion.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 332. Writing for Civic Engagement. 3 Credit Hours.
This class will deeply and critically engage with a variety of texts while focusing on the value of our first-amendment rights, giving particular attention to the freedom of expression and freedom of the press including analysis of prison-writing exchange facilitated by the prison-education nonprofit Exchange for Change.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ENG 333. Writing the Research Paper. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced techniques in conducting research and writing the research paper. Use of traditional library resources, on-line searches, the Internet, and other research methods. Strategies for effective presentation of research findings. Students not in the Bachelor of General Studies program need permission of instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 334. Legal Rhetoric. 3 Credit Hours.
Legal texts and the rhetoric of legal discourse.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 340. Forms of the Novel. 3 Credit Hours.
Techniques and esthetics of the novel form; emphasis on major tendencies in the evolution of long prose fiction rather than on chronological development.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 341. Modern British and American Poetry. 3 Credit Hours.
Representative poets and critics of poetry since 1900; attention to the basic principles of poetics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 342. Lyric Voices and Traditions. 3 Credit Hours.
Major figures and trends in the history of lyric poetry.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ENG 344. Data and Contemporary Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
Data is often considered the domain of scientists and statisticians. But the proliferation of data and databases across nearly all aspects of daily life – powering everything from the targeted advertisements you see when you go online to the fake news circulating on Facebook to the next financial recession – has made the study and understanding of the concept of data a vital everyday concern. This course provides an introduction to the meaning, uses, and politics of data today. Readings are drawn from literary and cultural studies, media studies, science and technology studies, sociology, information science, and the digital humanities. No prior technical experience is required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ENG 345. Edgar Allan Poe and the U.S. Gothic. 3 Credit Hours.
In this course, we will read most of Edgar Allan Poe’s short stories, his only novel, and many of his poems. We will also watch TV shows and films inspired by his gothic vision.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 348. Modern African Literature and Film. 3 Credit Hours.
This class will give students an introduction to the amazing range of African literature and film from the era of independence from colonialism in the late 1950s, through the postcolonial Cold War era, into the post-apartheid, post-Arab Spring present. African writers and film-makers have been unusually politically engaged, but they are also often aesthetically experimental, and their works tell stories that often challenge preconceived notions about the continent. We will look at some of the most historically important writers and film-makers, and examine a few of the big debates in African literary studies, such as the question of why and how writers use the languages of the former colonizers; but the class will also emphasize questions of gender and sexuality in African cultural production, and highlight the vibrant work of female and queer writers and film-makers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ENG 350. Studies in English. 3 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ENG 351. Studies in English. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ENG 352. Studies in English. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ENG 353. Studies in English. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ENG 354. Studies in English. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ENG 355. Studies in English. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ENG 356. Studies in English. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ENG 357. Studies in English. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
ENG 358. Studies in English. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ENG 359. Studies in English. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ENG 360. Comparative Literature of the Black World. 3 Credit Hours.
Oral and written Black literature in Africa, the United States, the Caribbean, and South America.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 361. Caribbean Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to twentieth-century literature with special emphasis on the regional preoccupation with a distinctly Caribbean aesthetic.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 363. Jewish American Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Twentieth-century Jewish writers in the United States such as Singer, Bellow, Roth, Ozick, and Malamud.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ENG 364. Sephardic Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Judeo-Spanish culture and literature from medieval times to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 365. Literature of the Holocaust. 3 Credit Hours.
Literature relating to the Nazi genocide and its aftermath.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ENG 366. Asian American Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Literature by Asian immigrants and exiles in the United States.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 368. Representations of Arabs and Jews in Israeli and Palestinian Literature and Film. 3 Credit Hours.
Literary narratives and films, by both Arabs and Jews, discussing the relationship between the portrayal of Arabs and Jews within Israeli and Palestinian society. The core question we will address concerns the writer’s emphatic response to the identity and history of the other. Other Issues to be examined include the influence of the literary imagination on empathy and the role of dissent and protest in society.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 372. Women Writing: Theory and Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
Women writers, emphasizing the role of gender in literary creation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 373. Literary Representations of Women. 3 Credit Hours.
The portrayal of women in literature from ancient times to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ENG 374. Women Writers. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of women's writings and feminist criticism from 1930 to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 375. Modern Drama. 3 Credit Hours.
The major dramatists of the modern world: Ibsen, Chekhov, Strindberg, Shaw, Pirandello, and O'Neill.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 376. Contemporary Drama. 3 Credit Hours.
The dramatists of our time: Albee, Miller, Williams, Becket, Sartre, Genet, Pinter, Osborne, Stoppard, Durenmatt, and others.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 378. Animals and Humans in Literature, Art, and Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
Investigates the representation of animals and humans from ancient to contemporary times in literature, philosophy, and art, primarily in the West.
Topics may include: the human treatment of animals (as subjects of experimentation, as companions, as food, as entertainment); evidence of animal subjectivity and morality; and continuities between humans and other animals.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 379. Modern Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Western literature of the modern era. emphasizing roots, traditions, practices.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 380. Contemporary Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Fiction, drama, and poetry from World War II to the present.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 382. Studies in Medievalism: Tolkien, Martin, and Sources of Modern Fantasy. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of select works demonstrating how the Middle Ages are reimagined in post medieval fiction and film. Sources include works by the Inklings, J. R. R. Tolkien, George R. R. Martin, J. K. Rowling, Monty Python, and others, along with selections from medieval literary and documentary sources, and critical readings in medievalism.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ENG 383. The Literature of Science Fiction. 3 Credit Hours.
A general survey of the literature of science fiction, with emphasis on writings of the twentieth century.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 384. The Bible as Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected readings from the Bible.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 385. Myth and Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of myth and ritual and their relation to literary works, from the early epic to contemporary literature.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ENG 386. King Arthur in Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
King Arthur in literature from the fifteenth to the twentieth century in England and America.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 387. Literature and Imperialism. 3 Credit Hours.
Relationships between empire and literary expression. Works by authors such as Shakespeare, Behn, Defoe, Bronte, Conrad, Kipling, Melville, Yeats, Twain, and Forster.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 388. Literature and Popular Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
Literary forms of popular expression, considered in relation to politics, ideology, gender, or race; comparison to other forms of popular culture in print, music, or the visual media.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 389. The Sixties: Literature, History, and Culture of the 1960s. 3 Credit Hours.
1960s culture in the United States through literature, film, and oral accounts of experience of the period.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 390. Intermediate Fiction Workshop. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of craft issues presented in 290, with emphasis on development of structure and contemporary use of point of view.
Prerequisite: ENG 219 or ENG 290.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ENG 391. CW Intermediate Mixed-Genre Workshop. 3 Credit Hours.
A multi-genre workshop that will focus on developing practical issues of craft and technique presented in ENG 219 with an emphasis on exploring point of view in fiction, poetry and nonfiction. 12-30 pages of original work will be submitted and revised in workshop. In addition, the student will submit a final craft essay (10-12 pages) on a topic relevant to student's writing interests and challenges.
Prerequisite: ENG 219.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ENG 392. Intermediate Poetry Workshop. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of craft issues presented in 292, integrating formal strategies with research topics.
ENG 219 Or ENG 292.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ENG 395. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 396. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 397. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ENG 398. Directed Readings/Directed Research. 3 Credit Hours.
By arrangement with instructor. Content varies.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 401. Senior Seminar in Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
An intensive study of a literary topic or figure.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ENG 402. Independent Study. 3 Credit Hours.
An intensive study of a literary topic or figure.
Components: IND.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 404. Creative Writing (Prose Fiction). 3 Credit Hours.
Work toward professional standards primarily in prose fiction. Student fiction is considered in workshop sessions with comment by members of the class and instructors.
ENG 390.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 406. Creative Writing (Poetry). 3 Credit Hours.
Work toward professional standards in poetry. Student poetry is considered in workshop sessions with comment by members of the class and by instructor.
ENG 392.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 407. Creative Writing Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced skills and processes essential to producing compelling fiction, poetry, or nonfiction in designated genre and form. A portfolio of writing in specified genre and form to result from broad readings and research.
Prerequisite: ENG 105 or 106.
Components: WKS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 408. Writing Autobiography. 3 Credit Hours.
Literary style and method using student autobiography as a resource.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 410. Old English Language and Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
The grammar, syntax, and phonology of Old English language; readings in Old English poetry and prose.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 411. Old English Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Translation and Close analysis of Beowulf or other major poetic texts of Old English literature.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 420. Chaucer. 3 Credit Hours.
Chaucer’s major works.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ENG 430. Shakespeare: The Early Plays. 3 Credit Hours.
Shakespeare's plays from the period 1583-1600. May not be taken concurrently with ENG 319.
MAY NOT BE TAKEN IN THE SAME TERM WITH ENG 319.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 431. Shakespeare: The Later Plays. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the second half of Shakespeare's canon, read in chronological sequence. The plays will be selected from those composed in the period 1600-1611. May not be taken concurrently with ENG 319.
MAY NOT BE TAKEN IN THE SAME TERM WITH ENG 319.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 432. English Renaissance Poetry and Prose. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of such figures as Wyatt, Sidney, Spenser, Nashe, Marlowe, Shakespeare, Jonson, Donne, Bacon, Milton.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 433. English Renaissance Drama. 3 Credit Hours.
English drama during the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 434. Seventeenth-Century Poetry and Prose. 3 Credit Hours.
Seventeenth-century writers and forms, including work by major and minor writers such as James I, Jonson, Donne, Bacon, Lovelace, Carew, Herrick, Andrewes, Herbert, Milton, Marvell, Clarendon, Dryden, Rochester, Behn, and Bunyan.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 435. Milton. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected readings in the poetry and prose of John Milton.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 440. Restoration and Eighteenth-Century Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
English poetry and prose, exclusive of the novel, from Dryden to Burns.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 441. 18th-Century British Novel. 3 Credit Hours.
The British novel through the late eighteenth century.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 442. Politics and Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Relations between political theories and forms of literary expression.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 450. The Early Romantic Period. 3 Credit Hours.
The rise of Romanticism in England and the first generation of writers, Blake, Wordsworth, Coleridge, and their contemporaries.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ENG 451. The Late Romantic Period. 3 Credit Hours.
The second generation of English Romantic writers: Byron, Shelley, Keats, and their contemporaries.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 452. Jane Austen and Literary Criticism. 3 Credit Hours.
Jane Austen is both an influential, critically celebrated novelist and a cult figure. In this discussion course we will read five of Austen’s six novels, employing some of the most illuminating criticism and responses to develop our understanding of Austen’s work, her place in literature, and her place in popular culture. We will also consider the assumptions and purposes of the criticism and theory we read.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 455. Victorian Poetry and Prose. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected English poetry and prose of the period, exclusive of the novel.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 456. Nineteenth-Century English Novel. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies in the development of the English novel from Scott to Conrad.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 460. Modern British Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies in Edwardian and Modern literature. Modernist theory and techniques will be illustrated by reference to the work of selected major figures since 1900.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 461. Contemporary British Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
British literature from World War II to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 465. Irish Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Twentieth-century Irish writers such as Yeats, Synge, Joyce, Stephens, O’Casey, Beckett, and Lavin. Consideration of Irish history, mythology, politics, and culture.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 466. Joyce. 3 Credit Hours.
The major works of James Joyce.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 470. Contemporary British and American Poetry. 3 Credit Hours.
The poetry of the contemporary period, 1945 to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 472. Literature and Psychoanalytic Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the ways in which Literature, Literary Criticism, and Psychoanalytic Theory interact.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ENG 473. Twentieth-Century Literary Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the major theories of the past century (e.g., psychoanalytic, formalist, materialist, feminist, new historicist).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 479. Storied Pasts: Nineteenth-Century U.S. History and Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
This interdisciplinary course explores 19th-century American intellectual and cultural history through the lens of literature. Analyzing key works of fiction, poetry, and philosophy as both literary texts and historical sources, we will seek to discover how the changing themes and forms of nineteenth-century literature shaped and/or reflected larger intellectual, political, and social currents. Students will read novels by authors such as Hawthorne, Melville, Twain, Jewett, Gilman, James, Wharton, and Crane alongside historical material.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 480. Early American Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
American writing before 1800. Topics such as colonialism, ethnicity, nationalism, and the ideology of individualism.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 482. American Literature: 1800-1865. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics such as individualism, slavery, class and gender relations. Works by Emerson, Poe, Hawthorne, Melville, Douglass, Stowe, and others.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 483. American Literature: 1865-1915. 3 Credit Hours.
The works of such writers as Twain, Howells, James, Dickinson, Robinson, Crane, Norris, London, and Dreiser.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 484. American Literature: 1915 to 1945. 3 Credit Hours.
The works of such writers as Pound, Eliot, H.D., Stein, Frost, Stevens, e.e. cummings, Ransom, Tate, Fitzgerald, Hemingway, Djuna Barnes, Faulkner, O'Neill.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 485. American Literature: 1945 to the Present. 3 Credit Hours.
An intensive inquiry into the works of such writers as Albee, Bellow, Ferlinghetti, Ginsberg, Kerouac, Mailer, Miller, O'Connor, Plath, Welty.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 486. Early African-American Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
African-American literature from the beginnings to the Harlem Renaissance of the nineteen twenties.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 487. Modern African-American Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
African-American literature from the Harlem Renaissance to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 488. Race, Ethnicity, and Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Topic varies by semester. The Construction of racial and ethnic difference in literature, focusing on the politics of group affiliation and identity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ENG 489. Queer Sexualities: Literature and Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
This class will examine a wide variety of texts in order to think about how sexuality has been represented in different historical periods, from different cultural locations, and through different literary genres and forms. We will start with the contemporary coming-out narrative of modern Western lesbian and gay identity, and then look at a series of texts that challenge us to think about desire, gender, bodies, family, and language in new ways.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 490. Studies in Women and Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester. Topics such as women in classical antiquity, women in the middle ages, women in the Renaissance, women in the Restoration and eighteenth century, women in the Romantic and Victorian period.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 491. Russian and Soviet Classics in English. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey of Russian literature in translation from the late 19th century to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 492. Postcolonial Literature and Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
The legacy of colonialism as expressed in the works of Gordimer, Rushdie, Achebe, Walcott, Cesaire, Naipaul, Mukherjee, Crow Dog, Menchu, and others. Readings will address theoretical issues such as national formation, cultural hybridity, and globalization.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 493. History of Literary Criticism. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 494. Feminist Literary Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of women's contributions to literary theory.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 495. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated parenthetically following the title in the class schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 496. Independent Study. 3 Credit Hours.
By arrangement with instructor. Content varies by semester. May be used for single semester thesis.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 497. Senior Thesis I. 3 Credit Hours.
Partial requirement for Departmental Honors in English Literature or Creative Writing. Research and preparation for writing senior thesis or creative project. To complete thesis, student must register for ENG 498 in following semester. Student will participate in a series of 3-4 pre-arranged workshops over the course of the two semesters.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 498. Senior Thesis II. 3 Credit Hours.
Partial requirement for Departmental Honors in English Literature or Creative Writing. Writing of either a documented essay on a literary subject or project in prose fiction or poetry, to be written under the direction of a member of the faculty. Student will participate in a series of 3-4 pre-arranged workshops over the course of the two semesters.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ENG 499. Senior Creative Writing Project. 3 Credit Hours.
Partial requirement for Departmental Honors in Creative Writing. Project, in prose fiction or poetry, to be written under the direction of a member of the creative writing faculty.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 504. Form in Poetry. 3 Credit Hours.
Poetic works as literary objects, with attention to poetic trends and the creative process.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 505. Form in Fiction. 3 Credit Hours.
Fictional works as literary objects with attention to individual styles, Fictional Trends and the creative process.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 595. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 601. Creative Writing: Fiction III. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Advanced M.F.A. workshop in the techniques of writing fiction.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 602. Creative Writing: Poetry II. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Advanced M.F.A. workshop in the techniques of writing poetry.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 604. Form in Poetry. 3 Credit Hours.
Poetic works as literary objects, with attention to poetic trends and the creative process.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 605. Form in Fiction. 3 Credit Hours.
Fictional works as literary objects with attention to individual styles, Fictional Trends and the creative process.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 607. Studies in Renaissance Drama. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies in Renaissance Drama.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ENG 610. Studies in Old English Language and Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 611. Introduction to Digital Humanities. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the theory and practice of the digital humanities from a literary and cultural studies perspective. It introduces major types of digital humanities work and central debates and concerns in the field. The course is taught in English and is open to graduate students from all humanities departments. No experience in the digital humanities or with digital tools or methods is required.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
ENG 612. Topics in Digital Humanities and Media Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of Media Studies. Students will approach a broad range of texts in the field, and outline both its historical development and present state, with a particular focus on emerging theories and practices within Media Studies and Digital Humanities in the academy. The course is taught in English and is open to graduate students from all humanities departments.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ENG 613. Practicum in Digital Humanities. 3 Credit Hours.
Offers students the possibility to apply their learning in the field of Digital Humanities and move forward on their personal Digital Humanities research project. Students will carry out many practical exercises with programming languages and digital tools, and work towards a final digital project. This course is taught in English and is open to graduate students from all humanities departments.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ENG 614. Stu Neocl Poet Prose. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies in Neoclassical Poetry and Prose.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ENG 615. Studies in Chaucer. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies in Chaucer.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 616. Studies in Middle English Language and Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies in Middle English Language & Literature.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 620. Studies in Shakespeare. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies in Shakespeare.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 621. Studies in Elizabethan and Jacobean Drama. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies in Elizabethan and Jacobean Drama.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 622. Studies in 16th Century Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of predominantly non-dramatic Renaissance literature, with an emphasis on the Sixteenth Century.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 623. Studies in Spenser. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies in Spenser.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 624. Studies in 17th Century Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies in 17th century literature.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 625. Studies in Milton. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies in Milton.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ENG 630. Restoration and 18th-Century Drama. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies in Restoration and 18th Century Drama.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 631. Studies in Restoration and 18th Century Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in British Literature from 1660-1800.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 633. The Eighteenth-Century British Novel. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey of the British novel from Defoe to Austen.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 640. Studies in Romanticism. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of writers and genres between the late eighteenth and the mid-nineteenth century, through an investigation of questions of canonicity, epistemological orientation, colonialism, and the revolutionary context.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 645. Studies in Victorian Poetry and Prose. 3 Credit Hours.
Victorian poetry and prose exclusive of the novel. Poems by Tennyson, Browning, Arnold, Rossetti, and others. Prose works by writers such as Carlyle, Newman, Mill, Ruskin, and Pater.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 646. Nineteenth-Century British Novel. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey of the British novel from Austen to Conrad.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 648. Studies in the Novel. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics in eighteenth-, nineteenth-, and twentieth-century fiction.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 650. Studies in Modern British Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Intensive coverage of a limited topic in twentieth-century British or Irish literature.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 651. Studies in Joyce. 3 Credit Hours.
Close readings of Dubliners, A Portrait of the Artist as a Young Man, Ulysses, and Finnegans Wake; extensive review of Joyce criticism.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 652. Studies in Irish Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Intensive coverage of a selected topic in Irish Literature.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 654. Contemporary British Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies in British prose, poetry, and drama since 1939.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ENG 655. Contemporary American Poetry and Poetics. 3 Credit Hours.
Poetry and poetics from 1945 to present, focusing on Black Mountain Poetics, the New York School, the Black Arts Movement, Language Poetry and more recent writers and movements.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 658. Studies in Transatlantic Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Literature on transatlantic themes and/or by transatlantic writers. Border crossing; ships; sailors; and other travelers; movement of people, things, and ideas in the Atlantic world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 660. Studies in American Literature: Beginnings to 1800. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies in American Literature: Beginnings to 1800.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 661. Studies in American Literature: 1800-1865. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 662. Studies in American Literature: 1865-1914. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 663. Studies in American Literature: 1914 to 1950. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 664. Studies in American Literature: 1950 to the present. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies in American Literature: 1950 to the present.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 665. Studies in African-American Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies in African-American Literature.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 666. Caribbean Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Caribbean literature and cultural theory; Caribbean aesthetic.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 667. Caribbean Popular Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics on the relations among politics, popular culture, and literature in the Caribbean region.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 668. Studies in Race and Diasporic Literatures. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of race, ethnicity, immigration, and transnationalism in literature and cultural theory.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ENG 669. Studies in Women's Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Topic varies by semester. Analysis of gender issues and literary production by women.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 670. The Classical Tradition and English Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of classical authors such as Homer, Aeschylus, Sophocles, Euripides, Virgil, Ovid, Horace, and Catullus, who have been seminal for English writers from the Middle Ages to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 672. Comparative Studies in Renaissance and Baroque Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 673. Eighteenth-Century European Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Major literary and aesthetic works of the European Enlightenment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 674. The Romantic Movement in Europe. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the forces and influences of the Romantic Movement in Europe as these intersect English Romanticism.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 675. European Novel. 3 Credit Hours.
Major authors and trends in the development of the European novel as a unified literary tradition.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 677. Studies in Modern Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies in Modern Literature.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 678. Studies in Contemporary Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies in Contemporary Literature.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 680. History of Literary Criticism. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of literary criticism and theory from the ancient Greeks to the early twentieth century.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 681. Introduction to Literary Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Twentieth-century literary theory beginning with the New Criticism and including topics such as semiotics, hermeneutics, deconstruction, feminism, and neopragmatism.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 682. Contemporary Criticism and Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics in recent criticism and theory.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ENG 683. Literature and Psychoanalysis. 3 Credit Hours.
The interrelations between literary theory, textual analysis, and psychoanalytic theory.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 684. Theory of Narrative. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of narrative theories, ancient to contemporary.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 685. Feminist Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Feminist writing and criticism from the nineteenth century to the present. Supplementary readings in anthropological, psychoanalytic, and socio-political criticism, as well as in theories of poetic tradition and the poetic process.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 686. Theories of Gender and Sexuality. 3 Credit Hours.
Queer theory and its relationship with gender studies, critical race studies, and emerging directions in the field.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 687. Studies in Literature and Culture since 1950. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies in Literature and Culture since 1950.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 688. Studies in Latino/a Literatures and Cultures. 3 Credit Hours.
Comparative and interdisciplinary approaches to art, film, music and literature. Topics may include: borderlands, postcolonial and "Americas" methodologies; ethnicity, race and mestizaje; immigration and the "Latiniazation" of the U.S.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 689. Comparative Americas Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Comparative, interdisciplinary and transnational approaches to literature and cultures of the Americas.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ENG 691. Graduate Practicum I: Teaching College Writing. 0 Credit Hours.
Methods and problems in teaching English composition and college writing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ENG 692. Graduate Practicum II: Teaching College Literature. 0 Credit Hours.
Methods and problems in teaching introductory literature courses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ENG 693. Teaching College Composition. 3 Credit Hours.
Rhetorical and literary theory related to composition instruction. Designed primarily for Teaching Assistants in the English Department, but open to all students planning to teach writing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ENG 695. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ENG 696. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Varies by semester.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ENG 697. Readings for the Qualifying Examination. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Varies by semester.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ENG 699. Academic Jobs in English. 1 Credit Hour.
In this course, advanced doctoral candidates will develop and refine the materials required to apply successfully for academic positions in English. They will practice interview techniques and participate in a mock interview. They will design and deliver a presentation on their teaching and research. The course's aim is for students to complete their written job materials (e.g. CV, job letter, writing sample, teaching portfolio, and online profile) and to master the skills required to give effective interviews and job presentations.
Components: PRA.
Grading: SUS.

ENG 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ENG 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master's degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in ENG 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ENG 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but not for less than a total of 12 hours. Up to 12 hours may be taken in a regular semester, but not more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ENG 840. Post-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. who have advanced to candidacy. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but not for less than a total of 12. Not more than 12 hours of ENG 740 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ENG 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D. and D.A., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

Epidemiology and Public Health (EPH)

EPH 600. Introduction to the Science & Practice of Public Health. 3 Credit Hours.
This introductory course will provide students with the opportunity to explore and analyse contemporary public health issues and provide a history and a context that will allow students to better understand the field of public health, its core disciplines and their role as future public health professionals. Requisite: Must be in either Program Plan, BSTS, EPID, EPID1, PREV, MDRP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
EPH 601. Medical Biostatistics I. 4 Credit Hours.
Introduction to probability and statistics including descriptive statistics, tests of hypothesis, regression analysis, contingency tables, nonparametric tests, and life tables. Students gain hands-on experience in the analysis of medical data using several computer systems and at least one of the different statistical packages such as: BMDP, SAS, PSTAT, SYSTAT, and Minitab.
Requisite: Must be in either Program Plan, BSTS, EPID, EPID1, PREV, MDRP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPH 602. Biostatistics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation and elaboration of EPH601. Topics include design of factorial experiments, analysis of variance and variance components, multiple linear regression, and life tables.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 603. Medical Biostatistics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is a hands-on introduction to biomedical research with a focus on collecting and analyzing patient data. Topics covered include: data security, visualization and analysis. Statistical topics include: probability, frequentist and Bayesian thinking, and both parametric and non-parametric statistical methods. Methods covered include: regression, contingency tables, and survival analysis techniques.
Prerequisite: MD/MPH Four Year/Regional Med Camp.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPH 604. Clinical Trials. 3 Credit Hours.
The Clinical Trials course is directed specifically at providing an overview of the broad area of clinical trials. Specifically, this course presents principles that underlie the design and conduct of clinical trials, statistical methods used in clinical trials, and ethical considerations in clinical trials and research. The course uses lectures, case studies, board discussions, written assignments, and applied exercises. The course is designed to focus on practical aspects of designing and conducting randomized clinical trials in a real-world public health settings.
Prerequisite: EPH 601.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

EPH 607. Interdisciplinary Health Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
Health communication is a critical tool for protecting and improving the health of people and their communities and is most effective when developed collaboratively using expertise from many disciplines. The focus of this course is the development of written, oral, and multimedia communication skills that will enable you to effectively communicate concepts and evidence-based scientific findings to diverse communities and professionals in health and other fields. Class time will largely be devoted to the development of these skills in the context of working effectively in interprofessional teams of approximately 5-6 students. Working collaboratively, students will develop teamwork skills and an awareness for the diversity of expertise that underpins effective interprofessional communication teams.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPH 608. Professional Development. 2 Credit Hours.
This 2-credit seminar will be dedicated to providing students with opportunities to gain experiences with professional skills such as job interviewing, public speaking, preparing budgets, grant proposal writing, and working with community organizations. The course will be interactive, where I will talk about skills that are important in the public health workforce and students will then practice the skills in pairs or groups. There will be no exams or quizzes; rather, students will be graded on public speaking, performance in a mock job interview, ability to write a mock grant application, developing a grant proposal budget, preparation of a CV/resume, and disseminating research findings to community stakeholders. Class will meet every Tuesday from 1 to 3:30 in CRB 989. Students should come ready to participate and to give constructive feedback to their peers. Each topic will be covered across 2 (and sometimes 3) class sessions, so that everyone has sufficient time to practice their skills and receive feedback.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
EPH 611. Mindfulness in Public Health and Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.

The stress of modern life can adversely impact physical and mental health functioning which may be ameliorated by the practice of mindfulness. Mindfulness is a mental state achieved by focusing one’s awareness on the present moment, while calmly acknowledging and accepting one's feelings, thoughts, and bodily sensations. This practice is derived from Buddhist traditions more than 2,500 years old. In recent decades these practices have been adopted for use in United States and elsewhere and evidence is growing that these practices can reduce psychological symptomatology (e.g., symptoms of depression and anxiety), enhance resiliency in response to stressors, enhanced pain coping ability, and enhanced attentional regulation, among other benefits. The first half of this course will be devoted to the completion of an 8-week Mindfulness-Based Stress Reduction Course (MBSR) that will involve in-class activities and daily at-home mindfulness practice assignments. Students will maintain a journal documenting their "first-person" encounter with the practice of mindfulness. The second half of the course will be organized around a lecture format with weekly brief quizzes. Anonymous questionnaire data will be collected before, during and after completion of the MBSR course. These data will be used by student teams to evaluate the impact of MBSR on multiple outcomes. Groups will prepare a written report and present their findings to the class at the end of the semester.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 612. Global Health. 3 Credit Hours.

This seminar examines current global public health issues, governance and decision-making challenges for the 21st Century across developing, transitioning, and developed countries. Topics of discussion include new actors for world health in the era of globalization; linking human development, poverty and health inequities; social, cultural and ethical considerations for health planning; role of industry, trade and public health; evidence based research for improved global health initiatives; foreign policy and health security challenges associated with emergence and re-emergence of infectious diseases and public and private partnerships in global health. Open only to EPH majors.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 613. Emerging Challenges in Global Health Systems. 2-3 Credit Hours.

Health systems around the world must respond to an evolving landscape of health risk and disease burden that is increasingly dominated by complex, chronic illness. Contrary to what is often espoused, chronic and non-communicable diseases affect both poor and rich. Yet, access to health services is highly inequitable creating immense divides and equity imperatives that have largely been ignored in global health. This course examines how global and national health systems - particularly in low and middle-incomes countries – can better face the changing burden of disease with a focus on equity and universal coverage.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 614. Global Outbreak. 3 Credit Hours.

This seminar examines current global public health issues and provides an overview of global outbreak investigations and disease surveillance. Participating in epidemiological/outbreak investigations in international settings provides unique opportunities to learn about health challenges in different ecologic, cultural and resource limited settings. This seminar will also allow students to gather insight into public health surveillance and understand the utility of the ongoing systematic collection, analysis and interpretation of data for use in planning and evaluation of public health intervention programs.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

EPH 616. Global Health and Global Justice. 3 Credit Hours.

Global health has emerged as a field distinct from older visions of international health, by focusing on macro-level problems caused by globalization whose origin and solution must transcend national boundaries. Yet global health has also challenged ethics to develop new accounts of justice in this changing world. This course will analyze global health from the lens of ethics. The course will introduce core theories of public health ethics (e.g. utilitarianism, statism and cosmopolitanism) to make sense of the rise of global justice as a distinct field of ethical inquiry. Armed with this conceptual foundation, we will then examine some of the central problems of global health, as well as proposed solutions to those problems. Such skills in argumentation will be increasingly critical for future public health leaders, yet too few public health students are exposed to ethical analysis. By applying ethical frameworks to analyze global health problems, students will gain critical skills in how to integrate distinct forms of knowledge, how to develop cogent normative arguments, and how to articulate and defend an account of fair decision-making and just policies in global health.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
EPH 617. Disease Prevention and Health Promotion. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce students to the science of prevention and health promotion. More specifically, through didactic presentations, group discussions, article readings and critiques, and a term project, this course will focus on providing students with an overview of: the top preventable causes of disease in the U.S., the etiology of disease (with a focus on the top preventable causes of disease in the U.S.) across the lifespan, the role of prevention theories in the development of preventive interventions, and the role of methodology in prevention science. The course will also provide an overview of efficacious/effective preventive interventions, including (but not limited to): family community, and school level interventions. Examples from the fields of obesity, drug use, smoking, and HIV will be used to illustrate the course learning objectives detailed below.
Requisite: Must be in either Program Plan, BSTS, EPID, EPID1, PREV, MDRP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPH 620. Health Education and Behavior. 3 Credit Hours.
Educational processes with special emphasis on the social and cultural determinants of health behavior, health education as a process of social change, and community based health education organizations. Open only to EPH majors.
Requisite: Must be in either Program Plan, BSTS, EPID, EPID1, PREV, MDRP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 621. Fundamentals of Epidemiology. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles and methods of epidemiology. Descriptive epidemiology, environmental and other risk factors, detection of outbreaks, basic demography, and etiologic studies.
Requisite: Must be in either Program Plan, BSTS, EPID, EPID1, PREV, MDRP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPH 622. Obesity and Public Health. 3 Credit Hours.
Nearly two thirds of the United States is now considered overweight or obese and the associated medical costs are placing an unsustainable burden on our health care system. However, the issue of overweight/obesity extends beyond behavioral choices and medical costs. This course will take a deeper look at the complex interactions between our environment, behaviors, and policies, and how they jointly contribute to the obesity epidemic. This course will provide an interdisciplinary perspective of the biological, psychosocial, ecological, and economic determinants that contribute to obesity and the resulting pathways to chronic disease and disability. Finally, current evidence-based public health programs currently will be discussed to stimulate critical thinking necessary to implement effective obesity prevention and control programs.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 623. Determinants of Health and Health Disparities Across the Life Course. 3 Credit Hours.
This course builds on the concepts and methods examined in EPH 614, delving further into risk and protective processes related to health outcomes across the life course, from the prenatal period to older adulthood. Class readings and discussions will examine examples of common risk pathways contributing to various diseases, including pathways hypothesized to be related to health inequities and disparities, such as: economic and educational disadvantage, stress, sedentary behavior and poor behavioral regulation, social isolation. Common protective pathways that promote health are also reviewed, such as: positive parenting and family relations, and social support.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

EPH 624. Applied Epidemiology: Theory and Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will demonstrate how to apply traditional epidemiological methods for determining disease etiology to real life problems in public health and health services research. It will introduce students to the field of applied epidemiology, the division of epidemiology that involves the detection, response, control, and prevention of public health issues in the population. It will focus on the practice of epidemiology in government agencies and community settings, providing a contrast to epidemiologic work conducted in research settings and academic institutions. Upon completion of this course, students will understand the role and methodologies of applied epidemiologists and learn skills that will prepare them for future work as public health practitioners.
Prerequisite: EPH 621.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.
EPH 625. Research Ethics in Public Health. 3 Credit Hours.
The course identifies and analyzes ethical issues in epidemiologic practice and research. Issues include data acquisition and management, confidentiality, valid consent, advocacy, public policy, subgroup stigma, research sponsorship, conflicts of interest, communication of risk, and international and intercultural difference.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 626. Health Equity. 3 Credit Hours.
The goal of this course is to cover health disparities from multiple perspectives and levels of analysis. We know that the same ethnic, social, and cultural groups are characterized by disparities in many different health outcomes—including "voluntary" behaviors such as crime, violence, sexual risk taking, and substance abuse as well as "involuntary" outcomes such as diabetes, cancer and heart disease. These disparities are rooted in the same structure of how groups relate to each other, in the physical built environment, in the quality of education provided to children, and in access to quality health care. We will cover all of these (and other) determinants in this course.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPH 631. Public Health Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of the historical background, philosophy, and purpose of public health. Relationship between government, law, and public health. Organization, management, and intergovernmental relationships of public health agencies in the United States at the federal, state, and local level. Basic principles of management, decision making, and prioritizing in public health are discussed. Overview of programs and services provided by public health organizations with emphasis on current public health issues and problems are also included. Open only to EPH majors.

Requisite: Must be in either Program Plan, BSTS, EPID, EPID1, PREV, MDRP.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPH 632. U.S. Health Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to the multiple systems that define, describe, and shape the delivery of health care in the United States. Using case studies and presentations of major issues, this course will give the learner an appreciation of the dilemma confronting policy makers, providers, and patients: how to balance cost, quality, and access.

Requisite: Must be in either Program Plan, BSTS, EPID, EPID1, PREV, MDRP.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 633. Policy & Management of the Health Effects of Climate. 3 Credit Hours.
Using a health-centered approach, the course will provide critical review of the existing policies aimed at managing the health effects of climate/weather, identify potential gaps in the policies needed to improve and protect health effects of short- and long-term trends of climate and weather and extreme weather. Students will be exposed to real-world preparation and adaption strategies to manage health effects of climate, and develop understanding of and skills in the cost-benefit analysis of evidence-based policies. As a part of the course, students will develop and evaluate (evidence-based) policies to manage a selected health outcome with respect to a selected (in)direct climate/weather related condition(s).

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 639. Ecology and Control of Vector-Borne Diseases. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will provide students with an overview of the epidemiology of major vector-borne diseases in the U.S. (e.g., Lyme Disease, West Nile Virus) and globally (e.g., malaria, dengue, filariasis, leishmaniasis, and other arboviruses), field and lab-based methodologies for vector studies to incriminate vector species and assess transmission dynamics, vector and disease surveillance, and "cutting-edge" vector control technology. A major focus will be on the ecology of vectors in their local environments and how transmission dynamics are affected by changes in land use, urbanization, and climate. Students will learn about new WHO-approved strategies for integrated Vector Management (IVM) and how they are applicable for the prevention and control of all vector-borne diseases.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
EPH 640. Urban Environment and Public Health. 3 Credit Hours.
Where we live, where we work, where we go, and how we get there may all impact our behaviors and ultimately our health and well-being. This course examines the urban environment - in particular, those aspects of urban/suburban/semi-rural environments created by humans. This includes how homes, neighborhoods, cities and regions impact public health challenges such as obesity, chronic disease, mental health, infectious disease, and injuries. This course will teach students to translate scientific findings to design healthy communities, and develop interventions to promote urban health. Students will learn how to map neighborhood characteristics such as food outlets, parks and walkability, and to develop recommendations for policymakers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPH 641. Environmental Health. 3 Credit Hours.
Interdisciplinary scope of environmental health problems. Development of a practical, dynamic model for integrating fundamental concepts from a variety of environmental disciplines. Open only to EPH majors.
Requisite: Must be in either Program Plan, BSTS, EPID, EPID1, PREV, MDRP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPH 643. Introduction to Occupational Health. 3 Credit Hours.
This course offers a general introduction to major concepts and issues in occupational health and safety from local to global, addressing fundamental topics and current controversies. The course covers core topics that prepare students to more fully understand and address occupational health issues: toxicology, exposure assessment, occupational epidemiology, risk assessment/risk management, prevention of workplace injury and disease, health promotion of adults and protection of worker populations from environmental hazards.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 644. Fundamentals of Program Evaluation. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of Program Evaluation was developed as a survey course directed specifically at providing an overview of the broad area of program evaluation. At its base, program evaluation is the investigator of a program's characteristics and merits. In context of health care, the purpose of program evaluation is to provide information in the effectiveness of programs or interventions so as to optimize the outcomes, efficiency and quality of health care. Evaluation of a program is an essential part of the successful implementation and conduct of any health care project or intervention, and should ideally be designed along with the project itself. Program evaluation activities can use a wide range of methodologies (e.g., qualitative, quantitative), analyze different aspects of a program (e.g., structure, activities, organization), and have a large number of intended outcomes (e.g., achievement or program's goals objectives, extent of program impact, program cost).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 646. Climate and Health. 3 Credit Hours.
There is an intricate relationship between climate and health. Climate changes directly affect health and well-being but also mediate the effects of socio-physical and biochemical changes in the environment on health and well-being. This course will help students unravel this intricate relationship between climate and health. A range of topics will be covered including: a) the etiology of disease with respect to climate change, b) shifting burden of disease and disability with respect to changing climate and climate-mediated changes in the environment, and c) application areas of climate-health linkages: unintentional injuries and climate change, vector-borne disease and climate change, heat-related mortality, disease of metabolic syndrome and climate change, cardiopulmonary, allergy and immunology disease due to bioaerosols and air pollution.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPH 647. Community Based Participatory Research. 3 Credit Hours.
Community-based participatory research (CBPR) is methodology, increasingly popular in public health and other disciplines, which invites community collaboration throughout the research process from conceptualization of study focus to dissemination of findings. This course will provide an opportunity for medical and graduate students to better understand the process by which community members and academic researchers work collectively to address health disparities and influence social change.
Prerequisite: EPH 621 and EPH 617 or EPH 620. And Requisite: Must be in a Plan of BSTS or EPID or PREV or MDRP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
EPH 648. Climate, Cool Cities, Healthy Communities. 3 Credit Hours.
In the current era of climate change and rapid urbanization, an understanding of the impacts of urban design, planning and policies on climate and human health in urban and suburban areas is critical. Drawing on diverse disciplinary perspectives, including public health, architecture, planning, and public policy and government and non-profit sectors, the course provides students with the ability to comprehend, synthesize, communicate, and apply evidence-based urban design principles in relation to current and future challenges of climate and health. Additionally, in accordance with the adage, “Think globally, act locally,” students will have the opportunity to interact with local experts who will share their knowledge of national and international policies and programs in the area of urban design, climate and health – while applying their learning to measure current challenges and inform policies of climate and health in the urban/suburban localities of the South Florida region.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 650. Health Economics for Evaluation and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course centers on a discussion of the criteria used to evaluate the allocation of resources and analyze the behavior of two of the principal actors—consumers and firms. The principles of microeconomics are presented in the context of health care systems and markets. Numerous real-world issues and case studies are used to demonstrate economic decision-making techniques, especially for health care organizations and consumers.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPH 651. Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
Purpose of the course is to provide students with a sound understanding of the fundamental concepts and methods for conducting public health research. After a brief introduction to the philosophy of science, the major emphasis in the early portion of the course is on research conceptualization, design and measurement, with a particular focus on the logic of minimizing rival alternative explanations of finding for experimental and quasi-experimental studies.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPH 652. Health Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Part I will examine seven models encompassing different perspectives on public health: philosophy, political theory and politics, law, economic, science and information culture and religion, and organization and management, including how they relate and their relevance in formulating, implementing, and evaluating public policy. Part II will examine the policy making process including how issues reach the government agenda, how laws are formulated, and how the process affects substance. Part III describes the core elements of policy analysis including: problem definition; background; political, economic, and social landscape; development of policy options; and recommendation. It will also include discussions of how to find and analyze documents and data as well as discuss the financing of health care.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

EPH 653. Leading Change in Population Health—Moving From Talk to Action. 3 Credit Hours.
Addressing the public health challenges of the 21st century will require public health leaders to be facile in leading change efforts (on the individual, organizational and system levels) and multi-stakeholder collaborations for measurable results. This transition course at the end of the MD/MPH second year will prepare MD/MPH students for their more advanced experiences in community and public health in the third and fourth years. The objective of this course is to provide students with an opportunity to develop essential skills in leading change in public health while linking their academic work in epidemiology and public health for real world application in public health practice. Students will receive didactic presentations on topics such as leading change, mobilizing multi-stakeholder leaders for aligned action, interest-based negotiation, leading from the middle, leveraging conflict to advance adaptive challenges, communicating /framing your message(s), systems change, as well as lectures on health disparities and the social determinants of health. These lectures will be integrated with interactive discussions and hands-on small group exercises to explore how practitioners can translate public health and community knowledge into sustainable solutions. Leading Change in Population Health—Moving From Talk to Action will provide students with 21st-century leadership skills that prepare them to tackle public health issues in our society from the most simple to very complex. Participants will be challenged to think differently on many levels (systems thinking, interplay between relationships and results, etc.) and prepare them to be agents of change for future generations.

Requisite: Academic Plan: BSTS, EPID, EPID1, PREV, MDRP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
EPH 655. Health Economics and Financing. 3 Credit Hours.
Health economics studies economic principles, methods of decision making, and the allocation of resources within health care systems and markets. This course will provide students with an understanding of the flow of funds and services throughout the U.S. health care system and how the structure and financing of health care impacts population health status. We will use numerous real-world issues and case studies to demonstrate economic decision-making techniques, especially for health care organizations and consumers (patients, providers). Students are not expected to have familiarity with economic concepts and principles prior to taking this course. In addition, students are not expected to use calculus in this course. However, students are expected to have an understanding of basic algebra, and graphical analysis will be used often throughout the class. Prerequisite: MD/MPH Four Year/Regional Med Camp.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 656. Qualitative Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this course is to introduce students to the philosophical underpinnings of qualitative research and its practical application to the field of public health. Students will 1) develop an understanding of the significance and use of qualitative research methods in public health; 2) differentiate between numerous qualitative research approaches, including phenomenology, grounded theory, and ethnography; 3) describe different methods for collecting qualitative data, including interviews and focus groups; 4) develop skills in the collection, analysis and reporting of qualitative data; and 5) develop a basic understanding of how qualitative and quantitative research may be combined in mixed methodological approaches. The course will include a combination of lectures, presentations of applied qualitative research studies by guest experts, student presentations, and assignments designed to foster students’ skills in formulating appropriate qualitative research questions, designing qualitative studies, collecting and analyzing qualitative data, and summarizing findings for publication. More specific details on the topics to be covered in this course are provided below.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 657. Toxicology: Climate and Health. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will train students in developing an understanding of and skills in assessing the mechanism of the effects of climate, weather and climate and weather mediated effects of environment on biophysiological responses. For example, changes in levels of bronchoconstriction due to change in temperature is a direct effect of weather, and increase in allergies and asthma due to increase in bioaerosols in response to increase in precipitation and temperature is an indirect effect. Students will be exposed to general principles of toxicology and toxicological experimental design, including in-vitro and in-vivo experiments, designs needed to understand and investigate the health effects of climate, weather and climate mediated environmental conditions. The course objectives are to (1) understand general principles of toxicology, (2) understand biophysiological responses to climate, weather and weather anomalies, (3) develop an understanding of and skills in in-vitro and in-vivo experimental designs to assess toxicity of climate, and (4) characterize and quantify biophysiological responses in response to the trends and anomalies of weather and climate. Prerequisite: BIL 150 or BMB 401 or CHM 111 or CHM 112 or CHM 201 or CHM 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 658. Analysis of the Health Effects of Climate. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will train students in analytical skills needed to quantify the health risks associated with climate, weather and weather anomalies (or extreme weather) adjusting for confounding factors and time-space hierarchical structures. The course will include quantification of time-space lagged exposure estimation, spatial, temporal and spatiotemporal analyses, exposure and risk uncertainty analyses.
Prerequisite: EPH 727.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPH 659. Public Health Seminar I. 1 Credit Hour.
The EPH 659-02 Public Health Seminar Series is designed to explore contemporary issues, problems, and controversies in public health through an interdisciplinary perspective. This course is designed to help you develop and sharpen the skills which are the primary building blocks of a successful career in consulting (as well as many other areas of business), namely (1) analysis, (2) presentation, and (3) teamwork. This class will help you to develop rigorous skills in each of these areas through (i) discussion of the principles underlying best practices and (ii) application and feedback in a series of exercises and cases. Prerequisite: MD/MPH Four Year/Regional Med Camp.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
EPH 660. Public Health Seminar II. 2 Credit Hours.  
The Public Health Seminar is designed to explore contemporary issues, problems, and controversies in public health through an interdisciplinary perspective. Upon the completion of the course students will be able to: 1) understand key public health problems, their distribution, and prevention strategies, 2) examine the complex tapestry of social, economic, political, and environmental factors that affect public health outcomes, 3) understand the complexities inherent in improving health locally and on a global scale, 4) examine the major determinants of, and responses to, poverty and health, 5) analyze public health disparities through a social justice perspective, 6) understand and analyze the roles and agendas of major stakeholders in local, state, national, and global public health, 7) understand the link between global and local health issues, 8) discuss selected interdisciplinary, cross-cutting issues in public health, 9) explain the interrelationships among the five core areas of public health. This course is only open to MD/MPH students.  
Requisite: MD/MPH Four Year/Regional Med Camp and EPH 659.  
Components: SEM.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 661. Public Health Nutrition. 3 Credit Hours.  
This course provides a dynamic, interactive approach to public health designed to prepare students in basic policy, epidemiology, and health education related to nutrition. Recognizing the multiple social, cultural, environmental, and physiological factors leading to nutritional disease. The course includes experts from a variety of disciplines. Public health nutrition addresses issues germane to the public’s health by elucidating their extent, determinants and consequences, and the policies and programs to address them. Open only to EPH majors.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 662. Child Policy. 3 Credit Hours.  
This course will focus on U.S. federal child policy. This course has been designed to provide a comprehensive, multi-disciplinary (e.g., public health, public policy and social work), and cross-sector perspective (e.g., government, private and philanthropic sectors) on child and family policies. Sessions will cover varying approaches and include presentations from a wide range of experts.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 663. Hospital Health Care Services and Access: An Interdisciplinary Inquiry. 3 Credit Hours.  
Hospitals play a vital role in the health of the communities they serve. Yet, their accessibility and availability to those communities is often unequal, and significant racial and ethnic disparities exist in the utilization of hospital services, quality of care provided, health outcomes and patient experiences. Attention has been increasingly focused on creating sustainable solutions to attenuating these disparities. Initial steps include the examination of community and hospital data to identify inequalities in disease distribution, as well as utilization of care. Such data provides evidence to define critical areas of concern and provides a starting point for engagement with the community. The real work begins when hospitals work with community partners to engage in authentic and collaborative partnerships to address the needs and the health of the local citizens. This process, known as Community-Based Participatory Research (CBPR), can harness resources and build capacity to address health issues relevant to the community. This course will discuss the change that hospitals can achieve when they facilitate community-academic partnerships that bring together knowledge, expertise and interest of community partners with the research and training of clinicians and academic researchers.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 671. Maternal and Child Health. 3 Credit Hours.  
Preventative and therapeutic concepts pertinent to the reduction of morbidity and mortality among mothers and their children.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 678. CAPSTONE PRACTICUM EXPERIENCE AND PROJECT PREPARATION. 1 Credit Hour.  
This course is available only for MD/MPH students. This is the first of two courses required to complete the MPH capstone project. Students will spend the summer between their first and second year of medical school identifying a community health issue of interest and developing a proposal using evidence-based methodology to address the issue. They will obtain practical field experience in a public health setting related to their capstone project area of interest. They will also identify relevant stakeholders who would benefit from the capstone project and can serve as mentors in completion of the project.  
Requisite: Plan Code MDRP_MD.  
Components: PRA.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Spring.
EPH 679. Learning Collaboratory. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is the first semester of a 4-semester program titled the "Public Health Learning Collaboratory". The mission of this Department of Public Health Sciences (DPHS) program is to transform the learning experience of master of public health students by providing opportunities to develop core skills necessary for effective public health practice, while completing their capstone or thesis in the community. Organized in small groups around 4 thematic areas, students learn about substantive areas (e.g., prevention with children and families, access to health care, urban health, health in Latin America), while building competencies to successfully develop and implement projects in collaboration with community health organizations (e.g., community engagement, needs and capacity assessments, researching evidence based practices, teamwork and problem-solving skills, project planning, development and implementation skills).

Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPH 680. Practical Field Experience. 3 Credit Hours.
Practical field experience requirement for MPH students. Students are placed in health-related settings (local, national, and international) to work on projects of mutual interest to both the field organization and the student.

Components: FLD.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPH 681. Capstone Experience Project. 3 Credit Hours.
The capstone project is intended to build upon EPH 680 field work and will provide students with an opportunity to apply public health academic theory and acquired skills to community health problems.

Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPH 682. Generalist Capstone Project. 2 Credit Hours.
The Capstone Experience Project Special is intended to build upon EPH 680 field-work (or equivalent course) and will provide students with an opportunity to apply public health academic theory and acquired skills to community health problems. As part of the project, the student will generate a 10-15 page written report using evidence-based practice (EBP) that clearly addresses a public health problem. Capstone Projects may be: • Continued collaborations with the same community partner as the field experience addressing public health needs identified at the site; or • Collaborations with a different community partner but with similar population or public health topic from the field experience; or • Collaborations with a different community partner and with different population and/or public health topic from the field experience.

Components: FLD.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPH 684. Special Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to allow the listing of special topics withing the Department of Epidemiology and Public Health and cross-list topics with other departments' offerings.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPH 691. Transdisciplinary Environmental Health Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
Environmental health is concerned with how both the natural and built environment affect human health by looking at the impact of physical, chemical and biological factors external to humans. Individuals working in environmental health fields are concerned with preventing diseases or other illnesses by assessing and controlling environmental factors that pose a threat to human health whether it involves air quality, natural disasters, radiation, water quality, UV exposure, indoor air pollutants, climate change, healthy communities and work environments, or the effects of toxic substances. The purpose of this transdisciplinary environmental health seminar course is to promote critical thinking and expose public health students to a broad range of environmental and occupational research, practice, and policy issues. The student will attend a weekly seminar that is presented by an invited speaker in the field of environmental and occupational health sciences. Meetings will include critical review of topics from the literature, student presentations, and presentations by UM faculty and outside speakers related to environmental health sciences. The content of the seminar will advance public health students’ analytic assessment, communication, leadership, and systems thinking skills. Enrolled students will prepare and co-lead discussions following the speaker presentation about current environmental and occupational health practice or policy related research, a national, state, or local program or issue. Further, the seminar will provide networking opportunities for prospective employers, colleagues, students and faculty.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
EPH 698. MSPH Thesis Proposal. 3 Credit Hours.
This is an independent study course. Students in the MSPH track may register for this course with an approval from the Capstone Manager and the Faculty Advisor. The purpose of this course is to develop the MSPH Thesis Proposal, form a thesis committee with at least two members: 1st reader (an expert in the field) and 2nd reader (the faculty advisor) and obtain proposal approval from the committee members. This MHPS Thesis Proposal is required and must be approved prior to start data collection and analysis.
Components: THE.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPH 699. MSPH Thesis. 3 Credit Hours.
This is an independent study course. Students in the MSPH track may register for this course with an approval from the Capstone Manager and faculty advisor. The purpose of this course is to collect and analyze the data per thesis proposal, to prepare and write the thesis and deliver an oral presentation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPH 700. Professional Development Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
This course covers fundamental topic areas in professional development for PhD students in the public health sciences. Topic areas include: presenting research at conferences, writing manuscripts for publication, preparing the dissertation, the PhD comprehensive exams, effective teaching and mentoring, and getting a job in academia. Through interactive workshops, in-class exercises, brief presentations and assignments, students will have an opportunity to practice and strengthen necessary skills, including effective communication (oral and written), conflict resolution, and developing collaborations.
Requisite: Academic Program Plan: BSTS, EPID, PREV.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPH 701. Innovations in Prevention Science Methodology. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is a part of series "Innovations in Prevention Science Methodology" which covers specialized topics in prevention science that have been identified as moving the field forward.
Prerequisite: PSY 633 with a B or Higher. and Requisite: Plan BSTS or EPID or EPID1 or PREV or MDRP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPH 703. Advanced Statistical Methods I. 4 Credit Hours.
Advanced statistical methods used in analyzing data from epidemiologic investigations. Topics include Mantel-Haenszel chi-square, interaction, standardization of rates, incidence density, logistics regression, and other special topics.
Prerequisite: EPH 601.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPH 705. Advanced Statistical Methods II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation and elaboration of EPH 703. Advanced statistical methods used in analyzing data from epidemiologic investigations. Topics include Kappa statistics, life tables, survival analyses, logistic regression, Poisson regression, log linear models, clusters, meta-analysis, and other special topics.
Prerequisite: EPH 703.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 711. Cancer Epidemiology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the basic epidemiology of cancer. Major sites and exposures are stressed, highlighting descriptive, etiologic and preventive aspects. A major course project and one final exam are included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
EPH 717. Integrating Behavior Health Theories and Models. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide an opportunity for synthesis and integration of knowledge regarding the phenomenon of health behavior. The focus is on critical examination of theoretical and empirical work in the area of health behavior from a public health perspective.
Prerequisite: EPH 617 or EPH 620.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

EPH 720. Cardiovascular Disease Epidemiology and Prevention. 3 Credit Hours.
Course aims to teach and train MPH students in the epidemiology and prevention of cardiovascular and cerebrovascular diseases which are the leading causes of morbidity and mortality among the adult U.S. population. Essential knowledge for those working in the area of public health is emphasized.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 722. Infectious Diseases Epidemiology and Control. 3 Credit Hours.
This course emphasizes surveillance, investigation, and control of infectious diseases that constitute important national and global health problems. Each class will use one or more specific infectious diseases to illustrate core principles of infectious diseases epidemiology. A major organizing principle of the course will be how to determine whether a disease should be controlled, eliminated, or eradicated, and how those determinations can change over time.
Prerequisite: EPH 621.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 723. Epidemiology and Public Health Aspects of Diabetes Mellitus. 3 Credit Hours.
This course presents an overview of the epidemiology and public health impact of an important chronic disease, diabetes mellitus (DM). Topics include the classification and descriptive epidemiology of DM and associated health complications, disease screening, evaluation of risk factors, methodological issues associated with DM research, DM among special populations, and the public health impact of DM in the U.S.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 724. Molecular and Genetic Epidemiology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the theoretical concepts and practical issues involved in conducting molecular and genetic epidemiology research involving human populations. Specifically, students will learn about: molecular and genetic technology; evaluating disease-associated genes, and their interaction with environmental factors; clinical research; and data mining techniques. Ultimately, students will develop a framework for study design, statistical power and sample consideration, assay evaluation and validation, and data interpretation using molecular and genetic epidemiology tools in their research.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 727. Climate, Environment, and Health: Data Integration and Management. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will introduce: a) different research designs needed to understand the linkages between climate/weather and health, and b) sources and types of data needed for different research designs. The course will train students in: a) the integration and management of weather/climate, environment and health data sets that have different spatiotemporal scales, b) assessment of errors and uncertainty in the collocation of these data sets, and c) visualization, interpretation and presentation of these data sets, including covariance structure in these data sets.
Prerequisite: EPH 601.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 728. Social Epidemiology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an overview and understanding of key concepts and theoretical frameworks relevant to the study of social determinants of population health and health disparities. The interdisciplinary course will cover methodological considerations and methods relevant to the field of social epidemiology, such as lifecourse epidemiology and multilevel determinants of health. A major emphasis will be on biological pathways by which social factors “get under the skin”, and the role of social policies in improving population health. The course will involve lectures, presentation of epidemiologic research by faculty researchers, class discussions, and class projects.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
EPH 731. Developing, Adapting and Evaluating Interventions. 3 Credit Hours.
This course builds on the substantive and methodological competencies acquired in preceding prevention science courses by preparing students to develop and adapt preventive interventions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Fall.

EPH 732. Introduction to Dissemination and Implementation Science. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to the theory and practice of Dissemination and Implementation (D&I) Sciences. Topics include the importance and language of D&I science; designs, methods and measures; differences and similarities across clinical, public health, and policy settings; selected tools for D&I research and practice; and future issues. The focus of this course will be on implementing prevention programs, strategies and policies that are ready for application, testing and scale up, rather than developing interventions from scratch.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 740. Basic Pathology and Patho-physiology. 3 Credit Hours.
The course emphasizes basic patho-physiological mechanisms and diseases of particular interest to students of public health. Students obtain an understanding of basic pathological processes, nomenclature of pathological findings, and common natural and unnatural diseases affecting various body systems. Observations of autopsies and the gross pathology of selected organs are also incorporated in the course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

EPH 751. Survival Analysis in Clinical Trials. 3 Credit Hours.
Statistical methods for analysis and interpretation of survival data arising from clinical trials. Topics include survival curves, estimation of sample size, survival curves, proportional-hazard models, time dependent variables, and prognostic indices.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 752. Advanced Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
This is a survey course in advanced quantitative methods for research and evaluation in prevention science. The course will provide students with an introduction to research methodology, matching research questions to specific methods, applying methods to real world data, and presenting the application of a method to a broader audience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Fall.

EPH 772. Design & Implementation of Epidemiologic Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
This is the second epidemiology course after completion of the Fundamentals of Epidemiology. This course will assume knowledge of basic study designs and the basic principles of internal validity (random error, systematic error, and confounding). The concepts, principles, and methods of epidemiologic study designs (beyond basic designs) and the practical issues in the design and conduct of epidemiologic studies will be discussed. The emphasis will also include the application of the epidemiologic methods in the forms of journal article critique of epidemiologic study designs, study design project and/or research proposal development. The course has two intended audiences. PhD students or early career researchers and advanced master's students who wish to add depth to their understanding of some of the fundamental issues in epidemiology. Doctoral students in epidemiology may take this course to fulfill one of the "research method courses" for the PhD in Epidemiology degree. Students who are not in the PhD in Epidemiology program and who wish to take this course require instructor's evaluations (pre-test) and permission.
Prerequisite: EPH 621 and must have already taken or be currently enrolled in EPH 601.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Fall.

EPH 774. Epidemiologic Methods and Reasonings. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will discuss epidemiological methods (e.g., study designs) and concepts (e.g., confounding, bias, interaction, random error) required to evaluate the totality of evidence in etiologic research. It will also discuss theoretical models of etiologic research and techniques for quantifying the magnitude of disease or other health indicators as well as the magnitude of study errors specific to study designs.
Prerequisite: EPH 601 and 621. And pre or corequisite: EPH 602.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Fall.
EPH 776. Methods in Epidemiology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will discuss principles of epidemiologic methods. Introduction to causal inference and advanced epidemiologic topics will be covered. This course will be theoretical and quantitative and will include, when applicable, illustrative data examples using various statistical softwares. Prerequisite: EPH 601 and 621. And pre or corequisite: EPH 602.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

EPH 782. Advanced Individual Study. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual work on a special project under faculty guidance.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPH 825. Continuous Registration--Master's Study. 1 Credit Hour.
To establish residence for MPH students who are preparing for project presentation. Credit not granted. Regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

EPH 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the PhD. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Estate Planning (EPL)

EPL 901. Elderlaw. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Plan of Estate Planning or JD/ LLM EP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

EPL 903. Ethical and Practical Aspects of Estate Planning. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Plan of Estate Planning or JD/ LLM EP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

EPL 904. Fiduciary Administration. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Plan of Estate Planning or JD/ LLM EP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

EPL 905. Asset Protection. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Plan of Estate Planning or JD/ LLM EP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

EPL 908. Marital Deduction Planning. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Plan of Estate Planning or JD/ LLM EP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
EPL 909. INTERNATIONAL ESTATE PLANNING. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Plan of Estate Planning or JD/LLM EP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

EPL 910. Federal Income Tax, Trusts, and Estates. 3 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Plan of Estate Planning or JD/LLM EP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

EPL 911. Corporate Tax. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Plan of Estate Planning or JD/LLM EP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

EPL 912. Charitable Gifts and Foundations. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Plan of Estate Planning or JD/LLM EP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

EPL 913. Tax Procedure. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Plan of Estate Planning or JD/LLM EP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

EPL 915. Chapter 14. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Plan of Estate Planning or JD/LLM EP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

EPL 920. Valuation. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Plan of Estate Planning or JD/LLM EP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

EPL 924. Planning for the Family Business. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Plan of Estate Planning or JD/LLM EP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

EPL 925. Drafting for Estate Planners. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Plan of Estate Planning or JD/LLM EP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

EPL 926. Generation-Skipping Transfer Tax. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Plan of Estate Planning or JD/LLM EP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

EPL 928. INTRODUCTION TO ESTATE PLANNING AND PROBATE. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Plan of Estate Planning or JD/LLM EP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

EPL 929. Life Insurance. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Plan of Estate Planning or JD/LLM EP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

EPL 930. DISTRIBUTIONS FROM QUALIFIED PLANS. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Plan of Estate Planning or JD/LLM EP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

EPL 931. Investment Planning. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Plan of Estate Planning or JD/LLM EP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
EPL 936. Partnership Tax. 3 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Plan of Estate Planning or JD/ LLM EP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

EPL 939. Income Tax for Estate Planning. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Plan of Estate Planning or JD/ LLM EP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

EPL 946. Federal Wealth Transfer Tax. 3 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Plan of Estate Planning or JD/ LLM EP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

Executive and Special Programs (ESP)

ESP 500. Review Module. 0 Credit Hours.
A non-credit review session to provide students with the skills necessary to prepare for the successful completion of the common body of knowledge courses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ESP 560. Fundamentals of Marketing. 3 Credit Hours.
Marketing problems experienced by top executives are examined. Fundamental problem-solving concepts are developed. Students consider problems of consumer needs, product planning, promotion, distribution, and pricing. The discovery and application of marketing management skills are developed through the use of cases and a major planning project.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

Finance Business Administration (FIN)

FIN 144. Investing in Real Estate. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the fundamentals of commercial real estate. The aim of the course is to give you broad exposure to the landscape of commercial real estate markets. After a discussion of the relation between property prices and rents, the first part of the course is focused on property-level analysis of real estate equity as an investment, especially property valuation. This portion will culminate in a valuation case, based on a proposed development project in downtown Miami. After this, we will look at the fundamentals of real estate debt (mortgages) and equity markets (REITs).
Requisite: Summer Scholars Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

FIN 300. Fundamentals of Finance for Non-Finance Majors. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an overview of modern finance for non-business majors. Top ics include: how financial markets work, understanding financial pages in newspapers and the Internet, how stock and bond prices are determined, how investment t portfolios are structured, concepts of risk and return, how companies manage their cash and investments and international finance. Not for credit for business students.
Requisite: Non Business Majors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 302. Fundamentals of Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the basic tools and concepts in finance. This is the core class in finance for our undergraduate program. Topics include the financial framework of a business entity, taxes, the time value of money, capital market theory, financial risk measures, and capital budgeting. Note: to be eligible to major in finance, a student must earn a grade of B or higher in this class ( a grade of B- does not qualify).
Prerequisite: MAS 201 or MAS 311 or MTH 224 or IEN 311 or IEN 310 or PSY 292 and ACC 211 or ACC 221 or Pre/Corequisite ACC 223.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
### FIN 303. Intermediate Financial Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an overview of financial decision-making by corporations. Building on topics covered in the introductory finance classes, this course develops the foundations of optimal financial policy and applies these principles to corporate financial decision-making including capital structure, capital budgeting, dividend policy, leasing, securities issuance and the role of investment banks, and mergers and acquisitions. Note: a student must have obtained a B or higher grade in FIN 302 to major in Finance. Earning an A in this class or any other class or classes does not eliminate that requirement.
Prerequisite: FIN 302.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

### FIN 308. Intermediate Financial Management for Entrepreneurs. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is primarily for students majoring in entrepreneurship. It provides an overview of financial decision-making by entrepreneurs. Building on topics covered in the introductory finance classes, this course develops the foundations of optimal financial policy and applies these principles to entrepreneurial financial decision-making involved with such things as capital structure, working capital budgeting, leasing, hedging and risk management, securities issuance and the role of investment banks, and mergers and acquisitions. Note: Students cannot take both FIN 308 and FIN 303, so this class is not open to students who have taken FIN 303.
Prerequisite: FIN 302 and Requisite: Entrepreneurship Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

### FIN 320. Investment and Security Markets. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to both practical and theoretical aspects of investment with an emphasis on financial markets. Topics include valuation of financial securities such as stocks, bonds and options; modern portfolio theory; the process and institutional characteristics of investing. Note that this course does not address the details of individual security valuation and selection, i.e., this course is not about stock picking or about how to get rich by investing in the markets. Instead, this course attempts to help you develop a lasting conceptual framework in which to view the investment process and to analyze future ideas and changes in investment environment. This class is essential to any student considering a finance concentration. Note: A student must have obtained a B or higher in FIN302 to major in Finance. Earning an A in this class or any other class or classes does not eliminate this requirement.
Prerequisite: FIN 302.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

### FIN 330. International Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
This course applies the principles of finance to international business decisions. Topics include the analysis of foreign exchange rates, balance of payments, characteristics and use of international financial institutions and instruments, the analysis and management of financial risk in the international environment, and financing multinational corporations. Note: a student must have a B or higher in FIN 302 to major in International Finance and Marketing (or Finance). Earning an A in this class or any other class or classes does not eliminate this requirement.
Prerequisite: FIN 302.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

### FIN 340. Real Estate Principles. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to basic principles and fundamental practices in the real estate industry. Students learn how to apply the principles of finance to the real estate industry. Topics include common institutional aspects, brokerage, contracting, financing, ownership, management, valuation, appraisal, and investment analysis.
Prerequisites: FIN 302 or FIN 300.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

### FIN 344. Real Estate Investment Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces the theoretical concepts and analytical techniques used to make a decision to purchase an ownership interest in a commercial real estate project. There is heavy reliance on Excel applications. Each student will complete a written evaluation and investment analysis of an existing or proposed commercial real estate project in Miami-Dade, Broward or Monroe County.
Prerequisite: FIN 302 and FIN 320 or FIN 303 OR Co-requisite: FIN 320 or FIN 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
FIN 347. Introduction to ARGUS. 1 Credit Hour.
ARGUS software is used extensively in the development, financing and management of commercial real estate, especially in the office, industrial and retail sectors. The introduction to ARGUS class exposes the student to the basic concepts and terminology in the commercial real estate market and to the typical inflows and outflows an owner who invests in real estate faces over the life of the investment.
Prerequisite: FIN 302.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 348. Advanced ARGUS. 1 Credit Hour.
At the end of the Advanced ARGUS class the student will be able to assess the viability of detailed rent and operating expense assumptions, make decisions about the impact of financing on investor returns and critically evaluate the investment potential of leveraged office and retail property.
Prerequisites: FIN 302 and FIN 347.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

FIN 355. Smif Fund Analyst I. 1 Credit Hour.
The course is designed to introduce the student to the investment management process, including valuation of publicly traded equities. The course is one credit and meets once a week each semester; students must commit to and enroll in the follow-up class. Admission to the course is through a competitive application process.
Prerequisite or Co-requisite FIN 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 356. Smif Fund Analyst II. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is designed to introduce the student to the investment management process, including valuation of publicly traded equities. The course is one credit and meets once a week each semester. Enrollment in the course is limited.
Prerequisite: FIN 355.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 404. Applications in Corporate Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
An application of the concepts and tools of corporate finance. Primary emphasis on analyzing real-world cases dealing with liquidity issues, capital budgeting, firm valuation, advanced corporate financing, hedging with options and futures, corporate financial strategy, and other current issues in corporate finance.
Prerequisites: FIN 302, FIN 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

FIN 405. Financial Modeling. 3 Credit Hours.
This course takes a variety of finance topics, which have been covered in the prerequisite courses, and implements them using practical spreadsheet models. Students will use the internet and financial databases to obtain input data for their models. Students will use Visual Basic for Applications (VBA) and design functions and macros to enhance their models. Students must have a solid working knowledge of Windows and Excel, as well as a good understanding of the material taught in the prerequisite finance classes. Students must have a mobile (lap-top) computer with the capability to run Windows-based software.
Prerequisites: FIN 302, FIN 303, FIN 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 408. Introduction to Mergers and Acquisitions. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to the world of mergers and acquisitions (M&A). More specifically, the course is designed to develop an understanding of (i) the economic, financial, and strategic issues involved in the acquisition of a (public or private) company; (ii) the analytical tools used to value an acquisition target; and (iii) academic research that reports results from large samples of M&A deals. Students will apply their understanding of these issues by analyzing various actual and potential acquisitions.
Prerequisites: FIN 302, FIN 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
FIN 409. Introduction to Private Equity and Venture Capital. 3 Credit Hours.
In this course, you will learn about the private equity (PE) industry, composed of both venture capital (VC) and buyouts (BO). The focus is on how PE investors evaluate, select, value, and structure deals. This course has several goals. First, the course will deepen your current understanding of corporate finance by applying key concepts and tools to a new and increasingly important industry. Second, the course seeks to introduce you to the institutions of the PE industry. This involves examining, for example, how funds are raised and how term sheets are structured. Finally, a goal is to understand the valuation process used by PE investors.
Prerequisites: FIN 302 and FIN 303 or FIN 308.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

FIN 410. Financial Institutions and Markets. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines financial institutions, such as banks (commercial, investment, mortgage, savings), credit unions, insurance companies, pension funds, and mutual funds and the money markets in which they operate, and focuses on why they exist and how to manage them. Topics include financial intermediation and transmutation, monetary theory and policy, Federal Reserve management of the money supply, velocity of money, fiscal theory and policy, interest rates, and immunization.
Prerequisites: FIN 302 and FIN 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FIN 411. Commercial Bank Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces the theory and practice of asset-liability management by large publicly traded commercial banks, including the fundamental principles of structuring loans into balance sheets. A major objective of this class is to provide students sufficient background to enter the credit department in the executive development program of major money center bank.
Prerequisites: FIN 302 and FIN 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FIN 412. Financial Planning and Wealth Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the investment and financial issues arising from financial planning and personal wealth management activities. It covers various topics required for the construction of a comprehensive financial plan including the identification of client financial status and goals, asset allocation, securities trading, managed funds, tax planning, risk management and insurance, and estate planning.
Prerequisites: FIN 302 and FIN 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 415. Trading and Markets. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to the functioning of financial markets and the fast changing field of market microstructure. On the equity trading side, the course covers major exchanges such as NYSE Euronext and Nasdaq OMX, and new players such as BATS and Direct Edge/ISE. Students also learn about dark pools, options and futures exchanges, electronic bond trading platforms, and currency trading systems. In addition, the course provides a summary of different market structures, the role of market participants, different order types, trading strategies, and trading externalities. The course draws on theories and tools from economics and behavioral finance, current institutional practices and market regulation.
Prerequisites: FIN 302 and FIN 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

FIN 418. Fundamentals of Fintech. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to Fintech, the emerging world of applications, concepts, developments, business models, and companies at the interface of Finance and Technology. The course format is a mixture of introductory topical lectures, class discussions, and interactive seminar-style student presentations. It covers the main Fintech areas like Peer-to-Peer-Lending, Crowdfunding, Mobile Payment Systems, Cryptocurrencies and ICOs, Robo Advising, Insurtech (insurance technology), and RegTech (regulatory technology). A special emphasis is given to how and by whom these emerging technologies are currently used, and how they may potentially change the landscape of finance and financial services in the future.
Prerequisites: FIN 302 and FIN 303 or FIN 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
FIN 421. Investment Portfolio Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to quantitative active management of equity portfolios. The course begins with a discussion on the sources of stock market inefficiencies. The course then covers the five key dimensions of the quantitative portfolio management process: forecasting relative stock returns using quantitative signals, measuring portfolio risk relative to a benchmark, portfolio optimization, controlling transaction costs, and measuring and evaluating portfolio returns. The course focuses on practical application and relies heavily on experiential learning and Excel spreadsheets.
Prerequisites: FIN 302 and FIN 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

FIN 422. Speculative Markets and Derivatives. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an introduction to derivative securities, and examines the nature of derivatives and applications of such instruments in investment and corporate settings. The emphasis is on derivatives of equity-based securities (such as stocks and stock indices), but coverage includes derivatives of debt-based securities (such as Treasury and Eurodollar securities). Topics include options, futures, forwards, and other derivatives, such as options on futures, foreign currency derivatives, swaps, exotic options, real options, as well as financial engineering using derivatives.
Prerequisites: FIN 302, FIN 303, FIN 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 423. Introduction to Alternative Investment. 3 Credit Hours.
The objective of this course is to provide an introduction to alternative financial instruments and how capital market participants utilize them. The course covers a large set of investment choices, with a specific focus on fixed income and alternative instruments, such as commodities, interest rates and currency. While covering each instrument, the course also examines with how macro-economic, technological, labor market, taxes and regulatory issues affect specific investment decisions.
Prerequisites: FIN 302 and FIN 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

FIN 425. Business and Security Valuation. 3 Credit Hours.
Applications of finance theory to the problem of valuing public and non-public companies. Multiplier models, discounted cash flow analysis, and the strengths and weaknesses of traditional security valuation methods are addressed in detail. Financial spreadsheet programs and data sources are an integral part of the course.
Prerequisites: FIN 302 and FIN 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 427. Fixed Income Markets and Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines financial markets that trade fixed income securities. A fixed income security is based primarily on a debt contract, such as a bond, debenture, note or Treasury bill. Topics include the valuation, computation of return, and computation of various measures of risk for fixed income securities, as well as the analysis of the term structure of interest rates and various option features commonly included in debt contracts and fixed income securities. Students must have a solid working knowledge of Excel to take this class.
Prerequisites: FIN 302 and FIN 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 431. International Financial Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This is an advanced class in international finance from the viewpoint of multi-national organizations, including corporations, investment banks, and commercial banks. Topics include managing the various sources of risk, such as economic, political, and currency; cash receivables, inventory, and payables management; financing; transfer pricing; taxation; currency netting; capital budgeting; and hedging.
Prerequisites: FIN 302, FIN 320, FIN 330.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
FIN 433. Case Studies for Financial Professionals. 1 Credit Hour.
This one-credit course explores key concepts at the interface of Corporate Finance and Accounting, using carefully selected case studies. Each case study is designed to serve as the basis for in-depth class discussion and to reinforce fundamental concepts with numerical examples. The course relies on interactive, discussion-based learning that engages students in critical analysis, while developing confidence to apply their knowledge to specific real world examples.
Prerequisites: FIN 303 and FIN 320 and ACC 311 and ACC 312 and Requisite: BSAF degree.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

FIN 445. Real Estate Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces the theoretical concepts and analytical techniques used to make a decision to finance the purchase or development of a commercial real estate project. There is heavy reliance on Excel applications and the use of the Argus database that is a standard resource in the commercial real estate market. Students are also encouraged to use their semester projects to apply for one of the numerous case competitions.
Prerequisite: FIN 344.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

FIN 446. Real Estate Market Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an introduction to the fundamental concepts of real estate market analysis. The major topics to be covered include site analysis, economic-demographic, supply and demand analyses. This course shall also include a global prospective of real estate market analysis. This shall be accomplished by means of conducting portions of a market analysis for foreign cities of your individual choosing.
Requisite: Pre/Corequisite: FIN 344.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FIN 456. Behavioral Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
The goal of this course is to expose you to selected topics from the upcoming field of behavioral finance. This will include a discussion of prospect theory and different types of behavioral biases such as representativeness, disposition effect, overconfidence, narrow framing, familiarity bias, and the house-money effect. In addition, the course will cover the implications of behavioral biases for asset pricing, corporate finance, and the overall macro-economy. Simple experiments will be conducted in class to illustrate some key behavioral concepts.
Prerequisites: FIN 302, FIN 303, FIN 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

FIN 457. SMIF Fund Portfolio Manager 1. 1 Credit Hour.
The course is designed to introduce the student to the investment management process, including the tools used to compose a diversified portfolio that covers each of the major industrial sectors. The course is one credit and meets once a week each semester. Enrollment in the course is limited.
Prerequisite: FIN 356.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 458. Smif Fund Portfolio Manager II. 1 Credit Hour.
The course is designed to introduce the student to the investment management process, including the management of an investment organization and the evaluation of portfolio performance. The course is one credit and meets once a week. Enrollment in the course is limited.
Prerequisite: FIN 457.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 496. Directed Studies in Finance. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project, or independent investigation of selected non-STEM related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
FIN 497. Directed Studies in Finance. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project or independent investigation of selected STEM-related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FIN 498. Special Topics in Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected non-STEM areas of Finance.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FIN 499. Special Topics in Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected STEM areas of Finance.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FIN 555. Finance Departmental Honors Research Project. 3 Credit Hours.
Research project to fulfill requirements for Departmental Honors in Finance.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FIN 602. Fundamentals of Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
This is an integrated business course that focuses on the fundamental principles needed for better financial decision-making. First, the course will expose students to the fundamental concepts of investment theory and financial markets. The second part of the course provides students with the tools necessary to answer a key question facing corporate managers: What are good investments? Beyond these traditional topics in finance, the course exposes students to the emerging field of behavioral finance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FIN 603. Advanced Corporate Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
Applications in corporate finance. This class builds on the core MBA courses in our executive MBA program, especially Fundamentals of Finance (Finance 602). Topics include working capital management, financial planning, basic option valuation, agency theory, capital structure management, mergers and acquisitions, liabilities management and leasing. Note: required for Finance concentration.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FIN 613. Intermediate Corporate Finance and Investments. 4 Credit Hours.
This course builds on the fundamentals of financial accounting and finance and provides an in-depth exploration of investments and corporate finance. Topics such as capital structure, the cost of capital, advanced capital budgeting, security valuation, and portfolio theory are covered. Prerequisite: BUS 640.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FIN 614. International Finance, Valuation, and Financial Statement Analysis. 4 Credit Hours.
This course uses an interdisciplinary approach combining international and corporate finance to build knowledge of international investment and valuation. This course teaches global financial decision making through student collaboration and real-world applications. Prerequisite: FIN 613.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
FIN 615. Financial Decision Making. 4 Credit Hours.
This course explores decision-making theory to better understand why investors, money managers, and corporate managers make suboptimal economic and financial decisions. Specifically, the course focuses on the psychological, social, and cultural determinants of suboptimal investor and managerial behavior. A variety of behavioral "biases" are examined as well as the impact of those biases on security prices, corporate policies, and aggregate economic outcomes. In addition, the course investigates whether the mistakes generate market inefficiencies that can potentially be exploited.
Prerequisite: FIN 614.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FIN 616. Advanced Corporate Finance. 4 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to advanced corporate finance topics, and builds directly on established concepts from prerequisite finance courses. The course integrates conceptual and applied case methodologies to develop practical solutions to real-world problems. Topics typically covered include working capital management, financial planning, optionality in decision making and hedging, agency theory, long-term debt management, leasing, and leveraged buy outs.
Prerequisite: FIN 614.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FIN 617. Derivatives and Financial Modeling. 4 Credit Hours.
This course explores modelling applications for corporate finance and investments topics. Modelling financial problems in Excel is the standard way to approach in-depth analysis and understanding of complex problems. This course will look at several different types of models and financial applications. In addition, the class will explore financial options, futures, swaps, and financial engineering. It includes descriptive information, theory and applications. The goal of the descriptive information is for students to gain familiarity with the instruments and the markets where they trade. Theory is covered to understand the instruments, their pricing and behavior under different market conditions. Finally, applications of the use of derivative securities will be investigated in equity, fixed income, foreign currency, commodity, and credit markets.
Prerequisite: FIN 614.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FIN 618. Quantitative Finance and Microstructure. 4 Credit Hours.
This course provides a cross-disciplinary coverage of statistics and market microstructure. Students will learn how to use Excel to organize and present data sets to visualize the general characteristics, and how to identify and understand the use of specific measures of location and dispersion. We will cover the most important discrete and continuous probability distributions, and apply and understand the Central Limit Theorem. Furthermore, we will calculate, use and interpret confidence intervals and hypothesis testing about the population mean and population variance. On the microstructure part, we will learn about the market structures used to trade securities, analyze the basic types of orders available to investors, and evaluate the risks and benefits of high-frequency trading and dark pools in financial settings.
Prerequisite: BUS 640.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FIN 619. Advanced Portfolio Management and Alternative Investments. 4 Credit Hours.
The objective of this course is to provide an advanced theoretical and practical understanding of various investment choices. The first half focuses on stock portfolios. It covers the five key dimensions of the quantitative portfolio management process: using signals ("factors") to forecast returns; measuring risk; portfolio optimization; controlling costs; and performance evaluation. The second half focuses on fixed income and alternative instruments, such as currencies, commodities, credit derivatives, and asset-backed securities. While covering each instrument, the course also addresses how macroeconomic, technological, labor market, taxation, and regulatory issues affect specific investment decisions.
Prerequisite: FIN 613.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FIN 620. Investment Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
This course deals with theory and application of investment analysis. Topics include general stock trading, portfolio and risk-return theory, models of stock valuation, portfolio diversification, market efficiency, options and futures, bond valuation and bond portfolio strategy, general commodity investing, and personal financial planning.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
FIN 621. Portfolio Construction and Management. 3 Credit Hours.
The evolution of portfolio theory and practice and its role in modern investment management. Individual constraint models within the general capital market theory are included as well as empirical evidence, theoretical discussion, and practical exercises.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FIN 622. Financial Options and Futures. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of the theoretical development of models for pricing contingent claims in the field of finance. Application of theoretical results to the hedging of current and future assets and liabilities and to speculative strategies for the risk-averse, profit-maximizing entity are included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FIN 630. International Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
The financing of international trade and capital placements. Restrictions on capital retrieval and problems of international liquidity related to the U.S. and non-U.S. firms is discussed as well as current developments in international banking, theory, and policy. Cases involving foreign capital commitments and transactions, especially Latin America are also included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FIN 631. International Financial Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Sources and uses of long and short term capital for international business applications and foreign currency markets. Financial decisions associated with international cash and capital budgeting, capital repatriation and taxation strategies, capital exposure and coverage, and multinational firm financial strategies are discussed. Lectures and cases are included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FIN 635. Quantitative and Analytical Fundamentals for Finance. 1-4 Credit Hours.
This four-credit course provides graduate students with an intensive review of the fundamentals of financial accounting and finance, and as well as microeconomic concepts and quantitative skills, needed as appropriate foundation to pursue the Master of Science in Finance degree or other master degrees that entail taking an elective course in finance. Topics include: Math concept review (functions, exponents, notation, weighted average, derivatives as applied to maximization/minimization); Measures of central location, variability, and association; Supply and demand curves, elasticity; Profit maximization; Markets: perfect competition, monopoly, oligopoly; Economic role of Government (monetary and fiscal policy, regulation, taxation); Basic financial statements (income statement, balance sheet, statement of cash flow, statement of changes in shareholders’ equity); Working capital, noncurrent liabilities and owners’ equity, investments and long-lived assets; Common size and ratio analysis; Principles in finance; Time value of money; Valuation (including bonds and stocks); Fixed income securities; Term structure of interest rates; Interest rate risk and duration; Capital markets, how securities trade, intermediaries; Capital market efficiency, arbitrage; Risk and return, portfolio math; Diversifiable vs. non-diversifiable risk; Asset Pricing Models (CAPM, beta, Fama-French); Capital structure; Capital budgeting; Cost of capital; Foreign exchange and global investing; Introduction to derivatives. The course will be taught over taught over a two-week period, primarily in lecture, homework, and test format.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FIN 640. Nobel Prize Winning Ideas in Financial Economics & Current Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The objective of this course is to introduce Nobel Prize Winning Ideas in Financial Economics. These ideas are key in defining “the language of Finance” and should be part of the intellectual toolkit of any financial professional. Research of more than ten Nobel Prize winners will be covered (Akerlof, Engle, Fama, Hart, Heckman, Holmstrom, Markowitz, Merton, Miller, Mirrlees, Modigliani, Scholes, Spence, Sharpe, Shiller, Thaler). The course also includes discussions of current topics in Finance. These discussions show how the Nobel Prize Winning Ideas in Financial Economics help frame the debate on current industry topics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FIN 641. Valuation and Financial Decision Making. 2 Credit Hours.
Basic financial valuation. This is one of the core classes in finance for our regular MBA program. Topics include the financial environment; the time value of money; capital market efficiency; basic security valuation; risk, return and asset pricing; cost of capital; and an introduction to capital budgeting.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
FIN 642. The Financial Environment. 2 Credit Hours.
A continuation of FIN641, with an emphasis on important issues faced by corporate financial managers responsible for financing and investment decisions. Core topics include capital structure, payout policy, advanced capital budgeting, basic derivative and real option valuation, leasing, and investment banking. Specialized topics, such as behavioral finance, international finance, mergers and acquisitions, and risk management may also be introduced as the course progresses.
Prerequisite: FIN 641.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 643. Quantitative Finance and Market Microstructure. 2 Credit Hours.
This course aims to give simple yet useful quantitative finance tools, and a broad overview of the functioning of modern financial markets, to students wishing to broaden their knowledge of finance. The first part of the course exposes students to the microstructure of financial markets. We will learn about different trading mechanisms encountered in financial markets today, how information affects prices and liquidity, what algorithms practitioners use to implement their trading strategies, and some basic models of how dealers react to information. The second part of the course introduces students to statistical models commonly encountered in quantitative finance. We’ll have a hands-on approach, and learn how to estimate the models with real financial data using Excel and the statistical software R.
Prerequisite: FIN 642 or FIN 602.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

FIN 644. Real Estate Investment and Appraisal. 2 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce students to the theoretical concepts and analytical techniques used to make a decision to purchase an ownership interest in a commercial real estate project. There is heavy reliance on Excel applications and the use of the ARGUS software that is a standard resource in the commercial real estate market.
Prerequisite: FIN 641.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

FIN 645. Real Estate Finance. 2-3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce students to the theoretical concepts and analytical techniques used to make a decision to loan money for the purchase or development of a commercial real estate project. Students will complete projects that require them to evaluate the financing and investment potential of a small commercial site of their choice and to evaluate a lease vs. buy decision using a plot of land in Miami-Dade County from the perspective of a publicly-traded corporation.
Prerequisite: FIN 641.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

FIN 646. Real Estate Market Analysis. 2 Credit Hours.
The course aims to provide students with an understanding of the functioning of markets for urban space, and their role in real estate investment decisions. The course first treats urban-economic processes involved in the determination of prices for space, in a theoretical and empirical context. This economic understanding is then put to use on several case studies of market- and site- analysis for various land uses.
Prerequisite: FIN 641.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

FIN 647. Introduction to ARGUS. 1 Credit Hour.
ARGUS software is used extensively in the development, financing and management of commercial real estate, especially in the office, industrial and retail sectors. The introduction to ARGUS class exposes the student to the basic concepts and terminology in the commercial real estate market and to the typical inflows and outflows an owner who invests in real estate faces over the life of the investment.
Requisite: Limited to Accelerated Real Estate MBA Students.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
FIN 648. Advanced ARGUS. 1 Credit Hour.
At the end of the Advanced ARGUS class the student will be able to assess the viability of detailed rent and operating expense assumptions, make decisions about the impact of financing on investor returns and critically evaluate the investment potential of leveraged office and retail property.
Prerequisite: FIN 647.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

FIN 649. Non-Profit Consulting Project. 1-4 Credit Hours.
This course is designed for students completing the Accelerated MBA in Real Estate. The course allows graduate students in real estate to synthesize and apply the concepts learned in real estate coursework to a real-life problem where the results will benefit a local organization in the non-profit sector. The supervising professor guides the students' efforts but the course topics and resources are driven by client needs and students skills.
Requisite: Limited to Accelerated Real Estate MBA Students.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

FIN 650. Financial Investment. 2 Credit Hours.
This course builds on FIN 641 and FIN 642 to provide a more advanced knowledge of the field of investments, particularly important statistical concepts for investments, portfolio construction, asset pricing, and behavioral biases affecting financial decisions. The course is quantitative and introduces students to Excel as a tool to form and rebalance portfolios.
Prerequisite: FIN 642 or FIN 602.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 651. Advanced Topics in Investments. 2 Credit Hours.
The course provides an introduction to quantitative active management of equity portfolios. The course begins with a discussion of market (in)efficiency, then covers the five key dimensions of the quantitative portfolio management process: using signals ("factors") to forecast returns; measuring risk; portfolio optimization; controlling costs; and performance evaluation.
Prerequisite: FIN 650.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 652. Fixed Income Securities. 2 Credit Hours.
This course builds on FIN641/642 (or BUS640) and FIN650 and covers trading and valuation of a wide variety of fixed income securities including corporate, municipal, and Treasury pure discount bonds, coupon bonds, floating rate notes, bond embedded options, mortgages, interest rate swaps, currency swaps, equity swaps, and interest rate options. The course focuses on analytic tools used in bond portfolio management and interest rate risk management. These tools include spot rates, forward rates, credit spreads, duration and convexity, yield curve construction, and term structure models.
Prerequisite: FIN 642 or FIN 602 or FIN 650.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

FIN 653. Alternative Investments. 2 Credit Hours.
The course provides an advanced theoretical and practical understanding of various alternative investment strategies, with a specific focus on currency markets, derivatives (e.g., interest rate and credit derivatives), venture capital and private equity investments, and real estate investments. The course also examines how macro-economic, technological, labor market, taxes and regulatory issues affect specific investment decisions. In addition, the students learn about valuation, investment and risk management strategies of sophisticated investors and recent chronology of events that affect market participants.
Prerequisites: FIN 641 and FIN 642 and FIN 650.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
FIN 654. Impact Investing. 2 Credit Hours.
The course provides an introduction to the emerging field of impact investing, where traditional investment objectives are modified to include social and environmental considerations. The first part of the course exposes students to portfolio theory, asset pricing, and the analytics tools of portfolio management. Subsequently, using these traditional tools of financial investments, students learn to identify and evaluate the impact of social factors on portfolio decisions, financial risk, asset prices, and performance evaluation. Students also learn about the psychology of impact investing that influences the tradeoffs between financial and social returns.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

FIN 655. Smif Fund Analyst I. 1 Credit Hour.
This is the entry level class for the Category 5 Student Managed Investment Fund (Cat 5 SMIF) track. The course is designed to introduce the student to the investment management process, including valuation of publicly traded equities. The course is one credit and meets once a week each semester; students must commit to and enroll in the follow-up class. Admission to the course is through a competitive application process.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 656. Smif Fund Analyst II. 1 Credit Hour.
This is the second course in the Cat 5 SMIF track. In this course students will continue to learn about security analysis and improve their skills. These students will have some responsibility for overseeing students in the Analyst I class.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 657. Smif Fund Portfolio Manager I. 1 Credit Hour.
This is the third course in the Cat 5 SMIF track. This course broadens the focus of the students to the overall portfolio. Students will learn more about strategy, asset allocation, portfolio optimization, and related topics to managing an investment portfolio.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 658. Smif Fund Manager II. 1 Credit Hour.
This is the fourth course in the Cat 5 SMIF track. Members of this course will function as the senior officers of the fund. They will oversee students in the Portfolio Manager I class. They will be responsible for all administrative functions, performance measurement, and all reporting to the Academic Advisors, Advisory Board, and the University Treasurer. They may also be responsible to presentations to groups inside and outside the University for the purpose of publicizing the Cat 5 SMIF.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 660. International Finance. 2 Credit Hours.
This course builds on FIN 641 and 642, and introduces students to the concepts that are important in today's dramatically changing global economy. The course covers the international monetary system; the interrelationship between national economies through the balance of payments; the economic relationships that determine a currency's value relative to other currencies and influence international trade and cross-border investment; the foreign exchange market structure and instruments; and the international debt and equity markets.
Prerequisite: FIN 642 or FIN 602 or BUS 630.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 661. Advanced Topics in International Finance. 2 Credit Hours.
This course builds directly on FIN 660 using a variety of techniques, including group projects and class discussion. A number of special topics are covered such as financing the multinational firm, currency swaps, international portfolio investment, international asset pricing, multinational capital budgeting and cross-border investment, and measuring and managing the many additional risk exposures faced by a multinational enterprise.
Prerequisite: FIN 660.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
FIN 662. Chinese Financial Markets. 2 Credit Hours.
Chinese financial markets has been one of the world’s largest and most vital economies. This course examines market history, structure, regulations, practices, conventions, and current issues in major financial markets in China. Like other emerging financial markets, Chinese financial markets are less researched and not well understood. Due to cultural and economic differences between Chinese financial markets and developed financial markets, Chinese markets have their own unique ways of operation and evaluation that may not be obviously intuitive to foreign investors. Additionally, China and Chinese markets are in continuous transformation at a high speed, which creates strong challenges and valuable opportunities for investors, both individual and instructional, to explore and extend their investment universe in terms of geopolitical location, currency, and asset classes. Learning Objectives: This course introduces students to China’s financial markets, explores current issues related to the future development of those markets, provides students specific and useful knowledge about investments in China and helps prepare them for careers related to these dynamic markets. It includes the following topics in Chinese financial system: 1. Money and foreign exchange markets 2. Bond markets 3. Equity markets 4. Futures and derivatives markets 5. Real estate markets 6. Mortgage, insurance, and the funds industry 7. Private equity markets 8. Private banking and wealth management 9. Qualified Foreign Institutional Investors (QFII) 10. Development of RMB as an international currency
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FIN 663. Latin American Financial Markets. 2 Credit Hours.
This course analyzes the main financial markets in Latin America across asset classes and countries. In the first part of the course we present the stylized facts of financial markets and the main securities traded by financial intermediaries and firms in Latin America, including those traded in global markets (corporate and sovereign bonds, CDS, FX and interest rate products, CDS, FX and rate swaps, and OTC and exchange-traded derivatives). We describe the main products, exchanges, institutional and regulatory practices for the largest and most liquid local markets (Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, and Mexico). We discuss the main type of trades in LatAm markets, such as long only, long and short, arbitrage, relative value trades, FX and carry trades, rates trades (payer, receiver, curve trades), hedged trades, swaps and vol trades. The second part of the course will be based on case studies, which will teach how to blend Global Economics, Corporate Finance, and Investment Management to trade in Latin American markets. The student will be able anticipate the effects of changes in key macroeconomic policies and political events on asset prices, including FX, interest rates, sovereign bonds, CDS, and equities. The third part of the course teaches how to apply this knowledge into investment decisions ahead of actual data releases and policy decisions by the Fed and the main central banks in Latin America. Grading will be based on a midterm and a final exam; and brief reports in which the students defend their trade and portfolio recommendations before the aforementioned policy events that will occur during the course. This course will make intensive use of Bloomberg inside and outside the classroom.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FIN 668. Wealth Management and Financial Planning. 1-4 Credit Hours.
This course examines the investment and financial issues arising from financial planning and personal wealth management activities. It covers various topics required for the construction of a comprehensive financial plan including the identification of client financial status and goals, asset allocation, securities trading, managed funds, tax planning, risk management and insurance, and estate planning.
Prerequisite: FIN 641 and FIN 642.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 669. Household Finance and Investment. 2 Credit Hours.
This is a course focusing on Household Finance with two main objectives. First, the course covers what we know about household investment decision making. This discussion includes the decision of U.S. households to participate in the financial markets, their asset allocation decisions and their overall portfolio construction. What households do is contrasted with what canonical financial models prescribe. The course covers what the reasons might be for any deviation of observed decisions from theoretical predictions. Second, the course introduces students to portfolio optimization algorithms that take into account real-life risks. Specifically, we discuss portfolio optimization with labor, real-estate, and climate risk. Collectively, the aim of the course is to provide students with the necessary tools that would improve financial decision making.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FIN 670. Corporate Finance. 2 Credit Hours.
The course serves as a complement and supplement to 641 and 642 and builds up to more advanced topics in corporate finance. The course will quickly review some basic concepts like net present value and build up to special topics like real options, valuation, mergers and acquisitions and corporate governance. The main objective of the class is that students understand basic corporate finance concepts as well as develop a good understanding of how complicated firm level decisions are made.
Prerequisite: FIN 642 or FIN 602 or BUS 630.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
FIN 671. Advanced Topics in Corporate Finance. 2 Credit Hours.
This course builds directly on FIN 670 and on the MBA core classes, FIN 641 and FIN 642, and relies mainly on the analysis and vigorous class discussion of a variety of real-world cases. The cases cover a broad range of topics, including short- and long-term financing, capital budgeting decisions, corporate valuation, hedging with options and futures, dividend policy and share repurchases, corporate financial strategy, IPOs, environmental considerations, and other current issues in corporate finance.
Prerequisite: FIN 670.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 672. Sustainable Finance. 2 Credit Hours.
Businesses of today are increasingly dealing with the risks and opportunities of environmental, social, and governance (ESG) issues due to the scarcity of resources, labor relations, and climate change. This course couples established and emerging corporate theory to study these sustainability challenges. It covers diverse aspects of sustainable finance, including ESG measurement, socially responsible and impact investing. After establishing the benchmarks in understanding the core corporate finance principles, the course quickly moves on to understanding responsible investing from the shareholder perspective and how that affects firm performance and how that can be then used as a tool to establish a comparative advantage in the product market. The course also explores the meaning and importance of sustainable business practices that respect and adhere to ethical social responsibility standards through several case studies and simple econometric analyses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

FIN 674. Financial Analysis of Mergers and Acquisitions. 2 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to develop an understanding of (1) the economic and financial issues involved in the acquisition of a company; (2) the analytical valuation tools used to evaluate an acquisition; and (3) potential and empirical stock market reaction to an acquisition. Students are then asked to apply their understanding of the issues to analyze cases involving various aspects of acquisition.
Prerequisite: FIN 670.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

FIN 679. Private Equity and Venture Capital. 2 Credit Hours.
This course will cover the private equity (PE) industry, composed of both venture capital (VC) and buyouts (BO). The course will provide students with an understanding of corporate finance by applying central concepts and tools to a new and increasingly important industry. The course will also introduce students to the institutions of the PE industry and the valuation process used by PE investors.
Prerequisite: FIN 670.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

FIN 680. FinTech. 2-3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to Fintech, the emerging world of applications, concepts, developments, business models, and companies at the interface of Finance and Technology. The course format is a mixture of lecture and seminar-style student presentations. It covers the main Fintech areas like Peer-to-Peer-Lending, Crowdfunding, Mobile Payment Systems, Cryptocurrencies and ICOs, Robo Advising, Insurtech (insurance technology), and RegTech (regulatory technology). A special emphasis is given to how and by whom these emerging technologies are currently used, and how they may potentially change the landscape of finance and financial services in the future.
Prerequisite: BUS 640.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 681. Financial Institutions. 2 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the management of financial institutions, such as mutual funds, banks, hedge funds, and finance office oflarge corporations. Topics include risk management, deposits and deposit insurance, liquidity, reserve requirements, capital adequacy, liability management, investment interest rate risk, and current issues connected with financial institutions.
Prerequisite: FIN 642 or FIN 602 or BUS 630.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
FIN 683. Financial Modeling. 2 Credit Hours.
This course takes a variety of finance topics and implements them using practical spreadsheet models. Students are presumed to have a working knowledge of Windows and Excel, as well as a good understanding the material taught in the core finance classes. Topics include Time Value of Money, Capital Budgeting, Pro-Forma Financial Statements, Bond Analysis, and Portfolio Construction and Optimization. This course will meet in a "computer lab" (a classroom) for hands-on instruction. The course is structured as a "flipped" classroom, so lectures and learning materials are online and practice an application are done in the classroom. It is therefore extremely important that students are prepared for class each meeting day. Prerequisite: FIN 642 or FIN 602 or BUS 630.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

FIN 684. Advanced Financial Modeling. 2 Credit Hours.
The objective of this course is to introduce the new tools from artificial intelligence (AI) and machine learning (ML) to finance. The course will explain what the AI and ML tools are and then explain whether they are useful for common financial decisions (e.g., portfolio choice, managerial decisions, bankruptcy prediction, etc.). Prerequisite: FIN 683.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FIN 685. Mathematics of Financial Derivatives. 2 Credit Hours.
This course builds on Finance 650 and 670. This course provides an in-depth mathematical treatment of derivatives and is divided into three parts: (1) options; (2) futures and forwards; and (3) other derivative instruments, which include options on futures, foreign currency derivatives, swaps, exotic options, and financial engineering. The emphasis is placed on equity instruments, although there is also some coverage of short- and long-term interest bearing instruments. Prerequisite: FIN 650. and FIN 670.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

The goal of this course is to use decision-making theory to better understand why investors, money managers, and corporate managers often make suboptimal economic and financial decisions. The first part of the course focuses on the basic techniques and models that a manager or an investor can use to make effective financial decisions. The second part of the course focuses on the psychological, social, and cultural determinants of suboptimal investor and managerial behavior. In addition, the course examines the impact of those mistakes for financial markets (e.g., price bubbles) and the overall economy. The course should be useful to individuals who work in a corporate setting or at a money management firm (mutual funds, hedge funds, pension funds, etc.). Prerequisite: FIN 602 or FIN 642 or BUS 640.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

FIN 687. Advance Mathematical Finance. 2 Credit Hours.
This course is the financial mathematics course of the Master of Science in Finance program. The purpose of this course is to equip students with the mathematical tools and techniques essential for being a successful portfolio or wealth manager. This course is also designed to provide a foundation for concurrent/subsequent coursework in investments and derivatives.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FIN 689. Applied Numerical Methods in Finance. 2 Credit Hours.
This course aims to give a rigorous overview of the numerical methods and techniques used in modern finance. The course will cover topics such as linear and nonlinear equations, interpolation, optimization, binomial and trinomial methods, finite difference methods, Monte-Carlo simulation, random number generators, option pricing and hedging. We will take a "hands-on" approach and implement all methods either using Python and/or Microsoft Excel.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
FIN 690. Risk Management & Insurance. 2 Credit Hours.
This course explores the field or risk management and insurance. Students learn about the fundamental nature and measurement of risk, the principal
techniques used to manage risk for both corporations and individuals, and the major aspects of various insurance areas such as life, and property and
casualty. The course includes foundational concepts important to the risk management industry, an exposure to risk modeling, and a broad overview
of various types of insurance and their major concepts and terminology
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FIN 695. Finance Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students are individually assigned to an operating business firm or other organization to gain insight into applied financial decision making and
quantitative analysis in their area of career interest. Periodic reports and in-person meetings are required. Permission of program faculty directors is
required prior to registration.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FIN 696. Finance Capstone Project. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this course is to provide students the opportunity to apply financial models and quantitative skills to a client's, real-life business
challenge or opportunity. In the process of helping the client solve its problem or address an opportunity, students will simultaneously deepen their
understanding of financial concepts, develop consulting skills, and practice teamwork and communication skills. The course is structured around
the principles of experiential learning, and as such, will include iterative, explicit opportunities for students to think, do, and reflect on the lessons learned.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 698. Selected Topics in Finance. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Topics in selected areas of specialization.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FIN 699. Directed Readings and Study. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individually supervised research or reading projects in selected fields. Evaluation of project and subject by the supervising professor is required at the
time of registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FIN 705. Financial Economics I. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an introductory Ph.D. level course on the fundamental theories of asset pricing. Specifically, it consists of three parts. The first part
focuses on individual choice under uncertainty. The second part develops equilibrium asset pricing theories, which include mean variance efficiency
and the Capital Asset Pricing Model (CAPM), as well as the Arbitrage Pricing Theory (APT). The third part reviews recent development in asset pricing
by introducing some stylized facts and new theories.
Requisite: Limited to Business PhD Students.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FIN 706. Theory of Corporate Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
The aim of this course is to expose students to some of the important papers that constitute the theoretical foundations of corporate finance. The
course will try to give students a working understanding of the key papers and give them a flavor of the techniques for setting up and solving models,
which they could possibly apply in their own research. The course will cover classic Corporate Finance papers and recent contributions in the areas of
financial contracting control and corporate governance. The later part of the course leans more towards empirical work and discusses the connections
and gaps between theoretical and empirical corporate literature.
Prerequisite: FIN 705.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
FIN 707. Empirical Methods in Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
The objective of this course is to give you an introduction to empirical research in finance. This class is not designed like an econometrics class where the emphasis is the statistical specification of tests and the derivation of underlying asymptotics. The focus in this class is the understanding of the technique and the actual implementation in finance. The goal is to provide you with a toolbox of techniques that you can use to answer empirical questions in corporate finance and asset pricing.
Prerequisite: FIN 705.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FIN 708. Financial Economics II. 3 Credit Hours.
This is a second course on asset pricing. The class is divided in two independent modules. The first module covers discrete time asset pricing models with frictions. These frictions include, among others, asymmetric information, slow-moving capital, delegated portfolio management, and short-sale constraints. The second module is an introduction to continuous time finance. Topics include introduction to stochastic calculus, derivative pricing and hedging, optimal portfolio choice, and equilibrium asset pricing.
Prerequisite: FIN 705.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FIN 709. Behavioral Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will cover selected topics from the field of behavioral finance. Issues related to both asset pricing and corporate finance will be discussed. The main objective of the course is to help students identify a few interesting research ideas and execute one of these ideas into a completed paper, which could be part of the student's dissertation.
Prerequisite: FIN 705.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FIN 715. Pe-Seminar Doctoral Students Workshop in Finance. 1 Credit Hour.
This course provides Finance PhD students an opportunity to i) discuss influential and well-cited research papers in financial economics, ii) incorporate contemporary finance research into their knowledge base, and iii) improve their research presentation skills.
Prerequisite: FIN 705.
Components: RSC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 825. Comprehensive Test Preparation. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Doctoral students who are preparing for their qualifying examinations may use this course designation. Enrolled students must develop, with the approval of their advisor, a "Plan of Study" for these credits.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FIN 830. Pre-Dissertation Research. 1-6 Credit Hours.
For Finance PhD students currently writing their dissertation.
Requisite: Finance PhD Student.
Components: RSC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

First-Year Seminar Fine Arts (FFA)

FFA 190. First-Year Seminars in Arts. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminars designed to introduce up to 25 freshmen to the Fine Arts. Topics will vary from year to year, as will faculty teaching the seminars.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

FFA 191. First-Year Seminars in Arts. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminars designed to introduce up to 25 freshmen to the Fine Arts. Topics will vary from year to year, as will faculty teaching the seminars.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
FFA 192. First-Year Seminars in Arts. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminars designed to introduce up to 25 freshmen to the Fine Arts. Topics will vary from year to year, as will faculty teaching the seminars.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

First-Year Seminar Literature (FLT)

FLT 190. First-Year Seminars in Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminars designed to introduce up to 25 freshmen to Literature. Topics will vary from year to year, as will faculty teaching the seminars.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

FLT 191. First-Year Seminars in Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminars designed to introduce up to 25 freshmen to Literature. Topics will vary from year to year, as will faculty teaching the seminars.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

FLT 192. First-Year Seminars in Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminars designed to introduce up to 25 freshmen to Literature. Topics will vary from year to year, as will faculty teaching the seminars.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

FLT 193. First-Year Seminars in Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminars designed to introduce up to 25 freshmen to Literature. Topics will vary from year to year, as will faculty teaching the seminars.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

FLT 194. First-Year Seminars in Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminars designed to introduce up to 25 freshmen to Literature. Topics will vary from year to year, as will faculty teaching the seminars.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

FLT 195. First-Year Seminars in Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminars designed to introduce up to 25 freshmen to Literature. Topics will vary from year to year, as will faculty teaching the seminars.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

FLT 196. First-Year Seminars in Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminars designed to introduce up to 25 freshmen to Literature. Topics will vary from year to year, as will faculty teaching the seminars.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

FLT 199. First-Year Seminars in Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminars designed to introduce up to 25 freshmen to Literature. Topics will vary from year to year, as will faculty teaching the seminars.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

First-Year Seminar Natural Science (FNS)

FNS 190. First-Year Seminars in Natural Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminars designed to introduce up to 25 freshmen to the Natural Sciences. Topics will vary from year to year, as will faculty teaching the seminars.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
FNS 191. First-Year Seminars in Natural Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminars designed to introduce up to 25 freshmen to the Natural Sciences. Topics will vary from year to year, as will faculty teaching the seminars.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

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Seminars designed to introduce up to 25 freshmen to the Natural Sciences. Topics will vary from year to year, as will faculty teaching the seminars.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

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Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

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Seminars designed to introduce up to 25 freshmen to the Natural Sciences. Topics will vary from year to year, as will faculty teaching the seminars.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

FNS 196. First-Year Seminars in Natural Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminars designed to introduce up to 25 freshmen to the Natural Sciences. Topics will vary from year to year, as will faculty teaching the seminars.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

FNS 197. First-Year Seminars in Natural Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminars designed to introduce up to 25 freshmen to the Natural Sciences. Topics will vary from year to year, as will faculty teaching the seminars.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

FNS 199. First-Year Seminars in Natural Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminars designed to introduce up to 25 freshmen to the Natural Sciences. Topics will vary from year to year, as will faculty teaching the seminars.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

First-Year Seminar Philosophy and Religion (FPR)

FPR 190. First-Year Seminars in Philosophy/Religion. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminars designed to introduce up to 25 freshmen to Philosophy and/or Religion. Topics will vary from year to year, as will faculty teaching the seminars.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

FPR 191. First-Year Seminars in Philosophy/Religion. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminars designed to introduce up to 25 freshmen to Philosophy and/or Religion. Topics will vary from year to year, as will faculty teaching the seminars.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
FPR 192. First-Year Seminars in Philosophy/Religion. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminars designed to introduce up to 25 freshmen to Philosophy and/or Religion. Topics will vary from year to year, as will faculty teaching the seminars.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

FPR 199. First-Year Seminars in Philosophy/Religion. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminars designed to introduce up to 25 freshmen to Philosophy and/or Religion. Topics will vary from year to year, as will faculty teaching the seminars.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

First-Year Seminars Social Science (FSS)

FSS 190. First-Year Seminars in Social Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminars designed to introduce up to 25 freshmen to the Social Sciences. Topics will vary from year to year, as will faculty teaching the seminars.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

FSS 191. First-Year Seminars in Social Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminars designed to introduce up to 25 freshmen to the Social Sciences. Topics will vary from year to year, as will faculty teaching the seminars.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

FSS 192. First-Year Seminars in Social Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminars designed to introduce up to 25 freshmen to the Social Sciences. Topics will vary from year to year, as will faculty teaching the seminars.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

FSS 193. First-Year Seminars in Social Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminars designed to introduce up to 25 freshmen to the Social Sciences. Topics will vary from year to year, as will faculty teaching the seminars.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

FSS 195. First-Year Seminars in Social Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminars designed to introduce up to 25 freshmen to the Social Sciences. Topics will vary from year to year, as will faculty teaching the seminars.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

FSS 197. First-Year Seminars in Social Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminars designed to introduce up to 25 freshmen to the Social Sciences. Topics will vary from year to year, as will faculty teaching the seminars.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
FSS 199. First-Year Seminars in Social Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Especially designed for Foote Fellows, the BOOKS THAT MATTER seminar offers an opportunity to study major works of non-fiction in a seminar-style setting, under the guidance of faculty members from across the University. We examine important works which, by means of their strong, connected argumentation, challenge the way we respond to, interpret, and shape reality. Emphasis in the course falls mainly on the logical structure embedded deep within the text, and less on content per se, so that a student's effort is not directed towards a reading of "great books" but rather the discovery of "significant arguments." Our rationale is to address a fundamental need in education too often lost in the midst of other demands, interests, and requirements: by learning to read, question, and enjoy important intellectual studies of the past and present, students will be able to read, question, and enjoy what will be the influential books of non-fiction published in their lifetime, whether in public affairs, science, social science, economics, history, film and media studies, philosophy, psychology, etc. The course provides standards of measurement and value by which students can gauge how and why books succeed or fail on hard logical grounds.
Requisite: Hammond or Foote Fellow.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

French (FRE)

FRE 101. Elementary French I. 3 Credit Hours.
For students with no background or previous study of French. The focus of FRE 101 is the development of communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehension of French and an introduction to the cultural practices of the Francophone world. Themes on: university life, family, leisure activities, home and community. Includes both oral and written assessment of grammatical structures and vocabulary introduced, informal and formal writing. Conducted entirely in French. Not open to students who have completed 2 or more years of high school French. Closed to heritage or native speakers of French.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FRE 102. Elementary French II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of FRE 101. The development of communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing and comprehension of French and an introduction to the cultural practices of the Francophone world. Themes on: childhood and adolescence, food and lifestyle, university life and professions. Includes both oral and written assessments of grammatical structures and vocabulary introduced, informal and formal writing. Conducted entirely in French.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FRE 105. Accelerated Elementary French. 3 Credit Hours.
For students with previous study of French desiring to review material covered in FRE 101 and 102 in preparation for continued study of French at the intermediate level. The focus of FRE 105 is the continued development of communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehension of French and an introduction to the cultural practices of the Francophone world. Themes on: family, leisure activities, home, and community, childhood and adolescence, food and lifestyle, university life and professions. Includes both oral and written assessments of grammatical structures and vocabulary introduced, informal and formal writing. Conducted entirely in French.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FRE 195. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 100-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FRE 201. Intermediate French I. 3 Credit Hours.
For students with previous study of elementary-level French. The continued development of communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehension of French and an introduction to the cultural practices of the Francophone world. Themes on: travel, technological innovations, the evolution of family values, and social and environmental issues. Includes both oral and written assessments of grammatical structures and vocabulary introduced, informal and formal writing. Conducted entirely in French.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
FRE 202. Intermediate French II. 3 Credit Hours.
For students with some previous study of French at the intermediate level, who are familiar with all the tenses and with vocabulary related to the topics covered in FRE 101-201. FRE 202 is the first semester of a two-semester sequence ending with FRE 203. The continued development of skills in reading, writing, speaking, and listening in French, with an additional emphasis on cultural competence in the French-speaking world. Themes on: relationships, cultural values, different historical perspectives, and current politics. These themes will be explored through articles, films and literary texts. The course will develop writing and reading strategies, providing them with the tools to think, read, and write critically and analytically in papers of 1-3 pages. Progress will also be assessed through quizzes and exams. Course conducted entirely in French.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FRE 203. Advanced French. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of FRE 202. This course will prepare students for advanced literature, linguistic, and culture courses. The class will use films, literary works, and other cultural texts. Students will write analytic essays of 3-5 pages to develop style, vocabulary, and syntax. Course conducted entirely in French.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FRE 280. French Culture and Conservation. 3 Credit Hours.
The major social, historical and political factors that have shaped contemporary and traditional French culture and society. This cultural approach to language-learning is set in the small towns and villages of the Sete region, rich and vibrant with a centuries-old history of intellectual advances and social tolerance. The historical and social evolution of French culture will be studied through film, literature and art with visits to relevant historical sites and museums.
Prerequisite: FRE 102 or FRE 105.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 295. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 200-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.

Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FRE 301. Introduction to French and Francophone Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Tools for the interpretation and analysis of cultural materials from the French-speaking world. Acquisition of terminology and methodology for advanced study in French and Francophone Studies. Emphasis on historical, literary, and geographical breadth of French-speaking cultures as well as on critical writing skills.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FRE 302. The Cultures of France. 3 Credit Hours.
Historical survey of French intellectual, artistic, and popular culture.
Prerequisite: FRE 301.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 303. The Cultures of Francophone Africa, Canada, and/or the Caribbean. 3 Credit Hours.
Historical survey of the intellectual, artistic, and popular culture of the French-speaking communities in Africa, Canada and the Caribbean.
Prerequisite: FRE 301.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 310. Topics in French and Francophone Studies in Translation. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics in the literature and/or cultures of the French-speaking world. Readings and discussion in English. Development of critical reading and writing skills. Fulfills humanities literature requirement. Does not fulfill foreign language requirement. May be repeated when the topic varies. May be used toward the French major in accordance with Department of Modern Languages and Literature stipulations.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
FRE 321. Literary Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of literature, film and/or the arts through a specific topic. Maybe repeated for credit if topic is different.
Prerequisite: FRE 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 322. Topics in Global French Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
Issues centered on the culture of France and/or regions where French is spoken. Topics such as film, Caribbean history, journalism, translations, migration. May be repeated for credit if topic is different.
Prerequisite: FRE 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 325. Topics in French-Language Cinema. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics in the cinema of the French-speaking world. Analysis of films in their cultural context. May be repeated for credit if topics vary.
Prerequisite: FRE 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

FRE 330. Topics in Gender and Sexuality. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics in gender and sexuality in the context of the French-speaking world, through literary and/or cultural studies. May be repeated if topics vary.
Prerequisite: FRE 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 340. Migration in Literary and Cultural Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of migration to or from France, French-speaking Canada and America, Africa and/or the Caribbean. May be repeated for credit if topics vary.
Prerequisite: FRE 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 345. Franco-Maghrebian Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of major historical, social, cultural and literary issues related to the Franco-Maghrebian interface. May be repeated for credit if topics vary.
Prerequisite: FRE 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 346. African Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics in the literary and/or cultural study of French-speaking Africa. May be repeated for credit if topics vary.
Prerequisite: FRE 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 360. The Caribbean through Literary and Cultural Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Literary and cultural readings on the Caribbean. May be repeated for credit if topics vary.
Prerequisite: FRE 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 363. Medieval and Renaissance Topics in French. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics within French literature from the 12th century to the end of the 16th century.
Prerequisite: FRE 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
FRE 364. Early Modern Topics in French. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics within French literature from the 17th and 18th centuries.
Prerequisite: FRE 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 365. 19th Century Topics in French. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics within French literature from the 19th and 20th centuries.
Prerequisite: FRE 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

FRE 366. 20th and 21st Century Topics in French. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of currents, themes, and movements that define and run the course of 20th and 21st century French literature and culture. Course materials may encompass a diverse array of sources, including art, film, literature, theatre, aesthetics, political cultures and theoretical debates. May be repeated if the topic changes substantially.
Prerequisite: FRE 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

FRE 394. French Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The internship is an opportunity to apply analytical, interpretative, and creative skills developed in coursework. Internships ordinarily take place outside the University and they involve UM–faculty supervision, as well as supervised on-site experience in a French-speaking cultural, business, or not-for-profit organization. Students need to fill out the Internship Application Form. Normally 27 internship hours are required per credit earned. A maximum of three semester hours of internship credit may be counted toward the student’s degree program. Permission of MLL faculty member is required (the host will apply documentary evidence of the hours worked).
Prerequisite: FRE 203.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FRE 395. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

FRE 396. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

FRE 397. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

FRE 398. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

FRE 399. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

FRE 432. French for Global Business. 3 Credit Hours.
The language and culture tools needed to work and conduct business in French anywhere it is spoken around the world.
Prerequisite: FRE 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
FRE 442. Advanced writing workshop in French. 3 Credit Hours.
Intensive writing of various genres based on the discussion of readings.
Prerequisite: FRE 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 446. Debating Cultures and Societies in French. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to improve student's conversational skills cultivating formal academic speaking competencies, and to develop their critical thinking skills and analytical expression in French in order to help students achieve global literacy. In addition, this course seeks to build students' oral proficiency at the advanced level while increasing their awareness of Francophone cultures through active, responsible participation in discussions, debates and oral presentations in class. The class is conducted in French.
Prerequisite: FRE 203.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FRE 495. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 400-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

FRE 501. Capstone. 3 Credit Hours.
Course with a broad-based topic designed to integrate high-level linguistic, critical and analytical skills with the body of knowledge acquired during the course of study toward the major. Topics vary. Open only to undergraduates in the last semester of their French major. Course is writing intensive.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FRE 591. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
May be repeated for credit if topic is different.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 592. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings at the undergraduate level.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 593. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings at the undergraduate level.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 594. Senior honors Thesis I. 3 Credit Hours.
Directed research for honors thesis.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FRE 595. Senior Honors Thesis II. 3 Credit Hours.
Directed writing of honors thesis.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

FRE 625. Elementary French for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
Grammatical structuring, verb tenses, and word families necessary for reading text with minimal use of a dictionary. May fulfill the Foreign Language Reading Competency Requirement (consult your graduate advisor).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
FRE 641. Elementary FRE I for Graduate Students. 0 Credit Hours.
Designed to develop graduate students’ communicative abilities speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending French and to provide an introduction to the Francophone world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FRE 642. Elementary FRE II for Graduate Students. 0 Credit Hours.
Continuation of FRE 641. Designed to develop graduate students’ communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending French, and continued engagement with the French-speaking world.
Prerequisite: FRE 641.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FRE 645. Accelerated Elementary FRE for Graduate Students. 0 Credit Hours.
For graduate students with previous study of French desiring to review material covered in FRE641 and FRE642 in preparation for study of French at the intermediate level. Designed to develop graduate students’ communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending French and continued engagement with the Francophone world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FRE 651. Intermediate FRE I for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
For graduate students with previous study of elementary-level French. Designed to develop graduate students’ communication skills in both written and spoken French at the intermediate level. Intended primarily for students who will carry out research in the French-speaking world.
Prerequisite: FRE 642.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FRE 652. Intermediate FRE II for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
For graduate students with previous study of French at the intermediate level. Designed to enhance graduate students’ communication skills in both written and spoken French at the high-intermediate level. Intended primarily for students who will carry out research in the Francophone world.
Prerequisite: FRE 651.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FRE 653. Advanced FRE I for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
For graduate students with previous study of French at the high-intermediate. Designed to enhance graduate students’ communication skills in French at the advanced-low level. Intended primarily for students who will carry out research in the Francophone world.
Prerequisite: FRE 652.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FRE 711. Topics in French Medieval Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Recent topics: exile, the epic, orientalism, imperialism, monsters.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 712. Topics in French Renaissance Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Specific genres, works, authors, and movements. Possible topics: Melancholy and Madness; Montaigne; Rabelais; Marguerite de Navarre; lyric poetry.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 713. Topics in 17th Century French Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Recent topics: Racine, Moliere, Corneille: Pascal and the Moralist tradition, the birth of the psychological novel, love and war.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
FRE 714. Topics in 18th Century French Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Recent topics: Diderot, Rousseau, Sade; exoticism as related to political theory; the epistolary novel; the Enlightenment and post-colonial theory.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 715. Topics in 19th Century French Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Recent topics: Balzac, Stendhal, Flaubert; Dandysm and Decadence; the Symbolist movement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 716. Topics in 20th-21st Century French Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Recent topics: Paris 1913; Surrealism; Artaud, Beckett, Ionesco, Genet; the Noveau Roman.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 721. Special Topics in French Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Special Topics in French Studies.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 775. Topics in Francophone Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Recent topics: travel narratives, literary historiography, discourses of race, colonialism, multilingualism and literacy, nationalism and culture.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 791. Writing Practicum. 1 Credit Hour.
The writing of a publishable research paper under faculty guidance.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 792. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings at the grad level.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

FRE 830. Pre-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. Prior to admission to candidacy, the student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Not more than 12 hours of FRE 730 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session. Students who have not passed their qualifying examinations yet, but are not taking any courses, may enroll in FRE 730.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FRE 840. Post-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. After admission to candidacy, the student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Not more than 12 hours of FRE 740 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session. Students who have passed their qualifying examinations, but are not taking courses any more, may enroll in FRE 740. Where a student has passed his/her qualifying examinations, and is engaged in an assistantship, he/she may still take the maximum allowable credit stated above.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

FRE 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish residence for the Ph.D., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
Gender and Sexuality Studies (GSS)

GSS 201. Introduction to Gender and Sexuality Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Conceptions of masculinity and femininity; gender relations; gender inequalities; the intersections of gender with other categories of identity such as class, race, sexuality, and stages in the life cycle; and the broad impact of gender on society.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GSS 202. Introduction to LGBTQ Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender and Queer Studies minor. The LGBTQ Studies program is designed to allow students to explore sexuality and sexual minorities from a variety of perspectives. The course will provide students with an introduction to a broad array of LGBTQ issues including visual and performing arts, literature, languages, history, social science, various theories, public policy and the law, families and other types of intimate relationships, crime, popular culture, and LGBTQ identities and communities. It will be a core to the LGBTQ minor. The history of LGBTQ Studies extends to the beginnings of the LGBTQ movements of the last third of the previous century. Today, the field addresses work in a broad range of scholarly disciplines including biological and cultural studies, in literature and anthropology, in the health sciences, history, and the visual arts. It ranges from archival research to the elaboration of queer theory, from the analysis of constitutional law to questions of public health, from the study of popular culture to investigations into the development and social construction of sexual identity. Students are usually only exposed to these studies at the upper division levels of the curriculum in disparate departments. An introductory course will make these upper division courses more accessible and meaningful, as well as serve as the basic core to the minor in LGBTQ studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GSS 210. Popular representations of Queer sexualities. 3 Credit Hours.
Critical analysis of queer subjects in popular culture.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GSS 220. European Sexualities. 3 Credit Hours.
The history of European sexuality from the Greeks to present day.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GSS 301. Feminist Inquiries. 3 Credit Hours.
A history of feminist thought, central issues in contemporary feminist theory, the emergence of feminist methodologies across a range of disciplines, and the ways in which feminist inquiry transforms our understanding of key issues across the curriculum. Writing Credit.
Prerequisite: GSS 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GSS 305. Queer Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender, transexual, and queer identities; alternative family structures; queer theory; and current debates over the meaning and validity of sexuality as a way of understanding human sexual desire, emotions and behavior.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

GSS 315. Gender, Race, and Class. 3 Credit Hours.
Conceptions and intersections of gender, race, and class in historical and contemporary cultures; the impact of these experiences on individuals and society as a whole.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GSS 320. Comparative Perspectives on Gender and Sexuality. 3 Credit Hours.
A comparative study of gender identities, gender relations, and sexualities in different cultures and societies. Writing Credit.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
GSS 335. LGBTQ Communities. 3 Credit Hours.
Sociology of Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual Transgendered and Queer communities and identities. The history, methods, theory and concepts of social science research on these topics over the last half century and examines contemporary issues.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GSS 344. Gender and Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
Compares the roles played by men and women in political systems worldwide; examines public policy outcomes with significant gender-based effects, including policies on sexuality & reproductive health, gender-based violence, work & the family, and access to education.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GSS 345. Religion and Gender. 3 Credit Hours.
Religious constructions of gender identity within Christianity, with some attention to Judaism and Islam. The second Genesis creation account, which focuses on the figures of Adam and Eve, will be the focal point of our studies. An emphasis will be placed on the manner in which sexism functions within historical and present-day religious thought and practice, as well as alternative understandings of male and female identity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GSS 347. Issues in Reproductive Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
Social, economic, political, legal, religious, philosophical, and psychological aspects of the global reproductive medicine industry and related genetic technologies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GSS 348. Mental Illness, Gender, and Psychiatry. 3 Credit Hours.
An investigation of often unquestioned ideas surrounding mental illness, including the definition of mental illness itself, in the context of the burgeoning field of disability studies. The course focuses on giving a voice to those who suffer from mental illness while critiquing the mainstream discourse of mental illness as articulated and managed by mental health professionals. Particular attention is placed on the role of gender in the discourse of mental illness.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GSS 350. Special Topics in Gender and Sexuality Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GSS 360. Special Topics in Gender and Sexuality Studies: Arts and Humanities. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics approaching gender and sexuality from the disciplinary perspectives of the arts and humanities. Prerequisite: GSS 201 or GSS 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GSS 361. Gender and Language. 3 Credit Hours.
The ways in which language is used in the constitution of gender, from a cross-linguistic and cross-cultural perspective.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GSS 370. Special Topics in Gender and Sexuality Studies: People and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
GSS 405. Gender and Sexuality in Cultural Context. 3 Credit Hours.
How cultural values shape our understanding and experience of gender and sexuality, how those values are produced and policed; and the impact of
codes of conduct for gender relations on individuals and society as a whole within a specific cultural milieu. Writing Credit.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GSS 410. Gender, Sex, and the Law. 3 Credit Hours.
The impact of legal institutions and laws in shaping and regulating gender relations and sexual practices; the evolving relationship between legal
codes and social values for women and men. Writing Credit.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GSS 420. Interpreting Bodies. 3 Credit Hours.
Perceptions, representations, and regulation of the physical body as a gendered and sexual site, as a source of pleasure, as a means of social
validation, and as an object of coercion. Writing Credit.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GSS 450. Special Topics in Gender and Sexuality Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GSS 469. LGBTI Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
The empirical variation in public policies towards issues of concern to lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, and intersex citizens. Examines the social
scientific literature on social movements to identify the factors which have helped or hindered LGBTI rights activists' efforts to improve the legal status
of LGBTI citizens.
Prerequisite: POL 201 or POL 202 Or GSS 202 or GSS 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GSS 471. Sex Babies and the State. 3 Credit Hours.
In one of the most profound revolutions of the past century, gender roles have irreversibly changed and equal rights for women and men has become a
stated goal in western societies, even if not the reality. This course examines policies on reproduction, work and the family in advanced industrialized
countries including Latin American Countries.
Prerequisite: POL 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GSS 499. Independent Study. 1-3 Credit Hours.
By arrangement with instructor; content varies.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GSS 501. Senior Research Project. 3 Credit Hours.
A student initiated research project with a faculty member of the student’s choice and approved by the Program director. Writing Credit.
Prerequisite: Plan of Gender and Sexuality Studies.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
GSS 505. Senior Thesis. 3 Credit Hours.
Gender and Sexuality Studies majors with a cumulative GPA of at least 3.5 in GSS courses and an overall GPA of at least 3.0 may earn departmental honors by completing an honors thesis instead of the senior research project. Candidates for departmental honors are responsible for finding a faculty member who is willing to serve as thesis adviser and then must complete a thesis proposal of approximately 400 words which must be approved by the thesis adviser and then the program director. Most students will take this course twice, for a total of six credits. Writing Credit.
Requisite: Plan of Gender and Sexuality Studies.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GSS 590. Gender and Sexuality Studies Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Internship in a community organization focusing on issues of gender or sexuality. Students arrange the Internship and propose an exhibit, project, term paper, or other materials that will be presented for academic credit at the end of the internship to the Director of the Gender and Sexuality Studies Program and a faculty sponsor for approval prior to beginning the internship. Open only to GSS majors or minors or LGBTQ Studies minors with junior or senior standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

General Business Management and Organization (GBM)

GBM 100. Fundamentals of Ethics and Leadership. 3 Credit Hours.
This is a comprehensive course specifically designed to assist students focus on building a proper foundation to prepare for college and then law school or graduate school in the future. The course creates opportunities for students to hone their ethical, business and legal skills. Students will be exposed to the functional areas of business: management, legal studies, and marketing. GBM 100 is a blend of academics, leadership, networking and teamwork that are at the core of a successful transition from high school to college to graduate school.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

GBM 101. Fundamentals of Business. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide a broad introduction to the various fields of business knowledge that are essential for successful decision making in the global marketplace. Students will be exposed to the functional areas of business: economics, accounting, finance, and management. The curriculum will require students to engage in hands-on activities that will help to familiarize them with the different business fields and decide if a career in business is right for them.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

GBM 102. Global Business. 3 Credit Hours.
Miami’s strategic location at the crossroads of the Americas provides an exciting setting to explore global business. This course introduces students to practices followed by organizations and individuals doing business in a global environment. It will start with an overview of the recent globalization phenomenon - why has it flourished as such? It will address key differences that characterized the various countries involved in the global economy. Students will review trends, as well as rewards and challenges, affecting the global trade and investment environment and of critical importance what are common strategy and structure of international business.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

Genomic Medicine (GNM)

GNM 602. Clinical Applications of Genomic Medicine II. 3 Credit Hours.
The Clinical Applications of Genomic Medicine series provides genomic medicine case studies and systems-based learning. Topics covered in the fall include cardiovascular, respiratory, renal/urinary, gastrointestinal/nutritional systems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
GNM 605. Research Ethics. 1 Credit Hour.
This course introduces foundational concepts in research ethics in preparation for conducting the genomic medicine practicum. Online Human Subjects Research and Responsible Conduct of Research training through the CITI program website will be supplemented with three hours of in-person discussion sessions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GNM 610. Clinical Applications of Genomic Medicine I. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides introductory background for understanding genomics, genomic techniques as well as provides genomic medicine case studies and systems-based learning. Initial topics include basic concepts of genomic medicine, genomic techniques involved in clinical applications, integration of genomic medicine into clinical setting, importance of translational research, benefits for patient and physician, transitioning with the medical curriculum into case studies. This course is focused on complex genetic disorders, and use of web-based tools to use in clinical work.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GNM 630. Clinical Applications of Genomic Medicine III. 4 Credit Hours.
The primary objective of this course is to prepare students to evaluate the clinical utility of a genetic test and apply that information in a clinical setting. Illustrations of these concepts are drawn from the systems-based curriculum spanning December (ophthalmology and dermatology) and spring (rheumatology, infection & immunity, hematology & oncology, diabetes & metabolism, endocrinology & reproductive medicine). The class will meet once each week (2 hours each session), for literature-based discussion sessions and case-based learning.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GNM 631. Genomic Medicine Laboratory. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will rotate in the molecular genetics and biochemical genetics diagnostic laboratories, gaining experience with genomic testing in a clinical setting and interpretation and communication of results.
Components: LAB.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GNM 660. Computational Methods for Genomic Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
The objective of this course is to gain a working knowledge of computational methods utilized in primary and secondary analysis of genomic technologies and apply these to a clinical setting. This will prepare students to perform practical data analysis in the GNM 631 course offered in Spring.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GNM 680. Genomic Ethics and Public Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to the scientific, socio-ethical and policy issues arising in the context of genomic medicine. It is designed to improve your critical thinking and give you the tools to evaluate the wide range of challenges that genomic medicine brings to individuals and societies alike. We will cover a broad spectrum of topics, from the history of eugenics, to genetic testing and screening through the life cycle (i.e. pre-implantation and pre-natal testing, newborn, population and carrier screening, direct-to-consumer genetic testing), as well as bioethical (i.e., informed consent, privacy, confidentiality, etc.), policy (i.e., professional duties, patents, discrimination, etc.), and societal issues (i.e. health disparities).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GNM 690. MSGM Capstone. 6-12 Credit Hours.
The purpose of the Capstone Segment is to provide the research and clinical application aspects of training. It can be initiated at any point after admission to the MSGM Program, and results in 6 credits earned in Spring of Year 4. All components (case reports, mentored research project, genomic medicine education) will be summarized in a portfolio of work and presented at the end of the Capstone.
Components: LAB.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Spring.
Geography (GEG)

GEG 101. Digital Earth. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores various geospatial technologies and the societal implications of our digital world with particular emphasis locational services, mapping, imagery, and other capabilities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GEG 105. World Regional Geography. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to geography’s basic concepts within the framework of a comprehensive survey of the world’s major regions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GEG 110. Introduction to Human Geography. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the sub-fields of human geography by an examination of patterns and process in the international system.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GEG 120. Physical Geography. 3 Credit Hours.
The Earth system (atmosphere; hydrosphere; biosphere; lithosphere) emphasizing the interrelationships among its constituent subsystems; human-environmental interactions and geographic dimensions of these four subsystems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GEG 198. Geographic Information System for Engineers. 1 Credit Hour.
The fundamentals of Geographic Information Systems (GIS). A GIS is a set of hardware and software tools that allow people to work with data that are tied to a particular location. In this course students will learn how to import, analyze and display answers to spatial research questions using GIS software. By the end of the semester students should have a solid understanding of the various applications of Geographic Information Systems in numerous spheres of everyday life. No prior experience with GIS software is required for this course. This course is for College of Engineering students only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GEG 199. Geographic Information Systems for Engineers. 1 Credit Hour.
The fundamentals of Geographic Information Systems (GIS). A GIS is a set of hardware and software tools that allow people to work with data that are tied to a particular location. In this course students will learn how to import, analyze and display answers to spatial research questions using GIS software. By the end of the semester students should have a solid understanding of the various applications of Geographic Information Systems in numerous spheres of everyday life. No prior experience with GIS software is required for this course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GEG 201. Topics in Geography. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Select topics in Geography. Contents varies by semester and is indicated in parenthesis following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GEG 231. Environmental Geography. 3 Credit Hours.
Designed to encourage students to think deeply, critically, and coherently about the interaction between human societies and nature from a geographical perspective. Explores the societal dependence on natural ecosystems. Assess the magnitude and impacts of the environmental changes caused by human activities in the biosphere and evaluates the hypothesis that the earth has moved into a new geologic epoch. Explores the concept of sustainable development and how countries are implementing it.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
GEG 235. Wine, Environment & Society. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores regional differences in wine production, consumption, economics, culture, politics, and globalization, while cultivating basic wine literacy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 241. Health and Medical Geography. 3 Credit Hours.
Integrates public health and medicine with human and environmental geography using three approaches: ecological (the interaction of disease and our natural/built environments), social (the behavioral effects of culture, poverty, and politics), and spatial (using geospatial technology to better understand and improve health services and outcomes).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GEG 266. Metropolitan Miami. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides interdisciplinary perspectives on the urbanization of South Florida and on Miami's urban milieu. The course uses the case of Metropolitan Miami to introduce and illustrate a range of basic concepts in urban studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GEG 281. Economic Geography. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores processes driving spatial patterns of economic activity at the global, national, regional, and local scales. Topic areas include economic globalization, spatial distribution of industrial sectors, multinational corporations, international trade, regional economic development, and illegal economic activities. Examines the development of the global marketplace in both the developed and the developing world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 305. Spatial Data Analysis I. 3 Credit Hours.
The use of basic methods or quantitative analysis for spatial data, including basic descriptive and inferential statistics and special techniques for spatial data.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GEG 306. Geographic Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
The fundamentals of social science research, such as research design, hypothesis formulation, and field data collection, with particular emphasis on quantitative and qualitative geographic analytical methods.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GEG 310. Geographic Information Systems I. 3 Credit Hours.
The fundamentals of Geographic Information Systems (GIS). GIS is a set of hardware and software tools that allow people to work with data that are tied to a particular location. In this course students will learn how to import, analyze and display answers to spatial research questions using GIS software. By the end of the semester students should have a solid understanding of the various applications of Geographic Information Systems in numerous spheres of everyday life. No prior experience with GIS software is required for this course. CIVIC designation: This section of the course is taught with the principles of civic engagement and service learning in mind. To satisfy these principles, students will be paired with a community organization in need of mapping, and will complete their final project in partnership with the community organization. For more information on civic engagement and academic service earning please visit http://civic.miami.edu/.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GEG 315. Digital Cartography. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to cartographic methods, interpretation and history. Students learn basic principles of visual representation, how to map qualitative and quantitative data, and how to prepare maps for publication and the web.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
GEG 321. Remote Sensing of the Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory and techniques of environmental remote sensing and imagery interpretation for earth resources monitoring and management.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GEG 331. Sustainable Development. 3 Credit Hours.
The concepts of sustainable development, its origins, and the global conventions associated with it. We use indicators of human well-being, governance, environmental conservation, social inclusion, and economic prosperity to evaluate how countries are making their development trajectories more sustainable. Although most of our discussion adopts a global perspective, the research conducted by students is focused on the challenges for implementing sustainable development policies in tropical and sub-tropical countries.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GEG 332. Climatology and Extreme Weather. 3 Credit Hours.
Covers introductory information about Earth's atmosphere, weather development, and extreme weather events. Introduces basic concepts of the science of weather and climate, and current scientific developments in areas such as extreme weather forecasting and global climate change.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 334. Biogeography and Conservation. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores the modern science of biogeography and its implications for the design of spatial strategies to conserve biodiversity and ecosystem services. Examines the history of biogeography and its geographical and ecological foundations. Discusses the fundamental biogeographical processes and uses them to investigate the evolution of biotas and explain the current biogeographic patterns. Explores the emerging field of conservation biogeography and its applications.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 335. Sustainable Food Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
A sustainable food system sustains environmental health and local economies, and is socially just. We will explore the intricacies of global geographies of major food systems and how these systems have come to be. We will identify where major food types are produced, why and where the major demand centers are. Further, we will seek answers to fundamental food-related questions, including: in an age of plenty, why do people still starve, and what can be done about it? How do we explain malnutrition in some parts of the world and obesity in others? Can there really be such a thing as a "sustainable global food systems?" Finally, we will examine what the future implication for food is through exploration and evaluation of a range of visions for a safe, sustainable food system.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GEG 336. Hazards and Disasters: The Nature-Society Interface. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores how human-environment interactions determine the distribution, causes and consequences of natural hazards and disasters.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GEG 341. Population, Health, and Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
Global human population dynamics and implications for environmental sustainability; topics include population growth and structure, mortality and fertility patterns, migration, urbanization, aging, and household composition.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GEG 343. Population, Sustainability, and the Media. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores opposing views of population growth and environmental sustainability through the media and cinema: contrasts "Doomsters" who believe population growth and resource consumption threaten human survival and pro-growth "Boomsters" who believe human ingenuity and technology will continue to allow humankind to prosper.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
GEG 345. Drinking Water: Past, Present, and Future. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores the physical, social, economic, and political dimensions of global water insecurity and the management of global drinking water supplies through an interdisciplinary social science lens.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GEG 346. Immigrant and Refugee Health. 3 Credit Hours.
A theoretical background essential for understanding the complex interaction of migration and health. Students will gain a basic understanding of the theories surrounding the movement of people within and across political boundaries. Emphasis will be placed on the health issues experienced by displaced populations including refugees, migrants, and internally displaced persons. We will explore some of the difficulties that receiving communities face in addressing the health needs of migrants, the roles of actors involved in working with displaced populations and how emigration of a large segment of the population, either abruptly or over time, affects sending communities as well. Much of the class will consist of guest speakers and case studies presented by different healthcare professionals working with migrant communities, with examples of the problems faced and solutions achieved in addressing issues of immigrant and refugee health drawn for both national and international experience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GEG 348. Climate Change and Public Health. 3 Credit Hours.
The mechanisms by which climate change adversely affects human health, and the policy options for mitigating our exposure.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 351. Geopolitics and Peacebuilding. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores the political and legal responses, both national and international, to violations of Human Rights associated with conflicts and totalitarian regimes around the world, with emphasis on the peace building process in diverse geographical locations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GEG 352. Crime and the City. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores why there is so much violent crime in certain cities of the Americas and why there are such marked spatial differences between, and within, these cities. Contrasts and discusses specific issues (and myths) of crime, punishment, and policing in the Americas using a variety of academic and institutional research on violent crime.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 353. United States National Security. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines a broad spectrum of such challenges to US national security, simulating the role of policy makers and strategists for the Office of the President.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GEG 354. Global Human Rights. 3 Credit Hours.
Equips students with a broad perspective to think critically about the global issues surrounding the foundations of Human Rights together with questions about its universality, reach, and enforceability.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GEG 355. Global Political Economy. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores the relationship between the global economy and politics, as governments seek both to shape it and to respond effectively to the constraints and opportunities it provides.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
GEG 356. Latin American Political Economy. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines Latin America’s economic development, analyzing different developmental strategies, resource endowment, institutional framework, and other related variables.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GEG 361. Urban Sustainability in Asia. 3 Credit Hours.
The emerging field of urban sustainability from an interdisciplinary perspective by providing major theories, methodologies, and practices in sustainable urbanism. Specific attention is paid to urban resilience, economic inequality, urban ecology, and environmental injustice in Asian cities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GEG 362. World Urban Geography. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the principles and methods that apply to the geographic study of cities and urbanization.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 366. Cities in Time and Space. 3 Credit Hours.
Interdisciplinary perspectives on the city, urbanity, and urbanization through a series of wide-ranging historical-geographical contexts. Field excursions are incorporated into the course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GEG 381. Geography and Development in Africa. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of the geography of Africa south of the Sahara, with particular emphasis on development and the role of African states in the international system.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GEG 382. Political Geography of the Middle East. 3 Credit Hours.
Geography of the Middle East with emphasis on current political topics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 383. Geography and Development in South America. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the geography of South America. Explores the interface between societies and nature in this diverse and complex world region. Covers the major challenges that the countries of the continent are facing to improve their socio-economic indicators as well as protect their unique natural ecosystems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 384. Geography of South Florida. 3 Credit Hours.
Human and physical geography of South Florida.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 385. Jewish Geography. 3 Credit Hours.
Facts of Jewish history, geography, and demography both in the world and the United States. Basic geographic concepts that help us to understand the Jewish world and provide a basis for understanding the various ways that Jewish communities have adapted to different geographic circumstances.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
GEG 386. China in the 21st Century. 3 Credit Hours.
The specifics of the newly-emerging economic and political giant of Asia-China, with an explicit emphasis on the patterns and characteristics of economic transition and reform, as well as how reform has reshaped China’s geo-economic landscape, natural environment, and the international political and economic order.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GEG 390. Topics in Geography. 3 Credit Hours.
Content and prerequisites announced when offered. Course may be repeated for credit if content varies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 398. Independent Research. 0-6 Credit Hours.
Independent research conducted one on one with a faculty member.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GEG 399. Independent Study. 0-6 Credit Hours.
Independent study.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GEG 402. Geographic Thought and Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the history of geographic thought and geographic analysis, and to some important sub-disciplines of Geography. At the end of the semester, students will have a better understanding of the history of Geography, of its place in the academy, and important theoretical and methodological debates and themes within the discipline. Our purpose in this seminar is to create a dynamic and focused intellectual environment in which learning is a collective process. To achieve that we will analyze, critique, question and debate the weekly readings. There will be little formal lecturing on my part. Instead, class time will be spent in open discussion and hands-on projects completed individually or in teams. Throughout the semester, we will also host guest speakers, who will give you insights into their scholarship and give you further exposure to the discipline of Geography. Be ready to read and write a lot, and come to class prepared to discuss!
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GEG 405. Spatial Data Analysis II. 3 Credit Hours.
Social and environmental science applications of spatial statistical analysis illustrated with data and numerical (simulation experiments) examples employing interactive software. This course’s focus is on spatial autocorrelation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 406. Survey Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
The use of survey research including the choice of a survey mechanism, sampling, questionnaire design, survey logistics, survey analysis, and reporting of results.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GEG 410. Geographic Information Systems II. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to spatial analysis, which consists of techniques for analyzing patterns of and interrelationships between spatial data. Topics include vector polygon editing and topology, integration of raster and vector data, surface analysis and 3D analysis, suitability mapping, spatial modeling, and multi-criteria evaluations.
Prerequisite: GEG 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
GEG 412. GIS for Health and Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides practical experience in using spatial technologies to address issues of health and environment. This course will provide an introductory level approach to using the ArcGIS software, so even if you have never used it, you can learn what you need. Lectures, discussions, readings and guest speakers will provide content and background. A final project will allow you to explore your own interests.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 414. Crime Mapping and Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Provides a basic understanding of the spatial analysis of issues related to criminal justice and crime mapping using state-of-the-art GIS software.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 415. Web GIS. 3 Credit Hours.
Map serving technologies and internet map design, focusing on the programming concepts needed to construct and implement high-quality web mapping applications. Lab exercises will make use of both the commonly used open source GIS and related programming tools for customizing web-based mapping applications, as well as the leading proprietary web mapping capabilities provided in ESRI's ArcGIS Server. Students build their own online interactive, customizable maps and will learn the basics of client/server architecture and processing, JavaScript programming, and XML/HTML basics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 421. GIS and Environmental Modeling. 3 Credit Hours.
Space-time modeling in a GIS environment with emphasis on raster-based models of land cover change, urban expansion, species distribution, wildfire propagation, and other environmental issues.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 432. Climate Change and Security. 3 Credit Hours.
There is an emerging global consensus that climate change will stress the economic, social, and political systems that underpin each nation state. Where institutions and governments are unable to manage the stress or absorb the shocks of a changing climate, the risks to the stability of states and societies will increase.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GEG 490. Topics in Geography. 0-3 Credit Hours.
Select topics in Geography. Contents varies by semester and is indicated in parenthesis following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 501. Capstone Research Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
Project-based fundamentals of social science research; emphasizes research conceptualization and design, application of methods, data management, scientific writing, multi-modal presentation of findings, and professional development skills.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GEG 505. Seminar in Methods of Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
The use of advanced quantitative, qualitative, and mixed methods in the solution of geographic research problems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 507. Seminar in Field Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
With a focus on geospatial applications, this methods course introduces students to field research addressing complex socio-environmental issues. The course includes exercises with GPS data collection; geo-tagged photography; ground truthing; spatial survey design; and distributed GIS. Various research areas and cognate field methods including environmental demography, community surveying, cultural mapping, and multi-sited ethnography.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
GEG 519. Immigration to the United States. 3 Credit Hours.
A description and analysis of current immigration patterns in the United States.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GEG 520. Sustainable Cities. 3 Credit Hours.
The emerging field of urban sustainability from an interdisciplinary perspective, by providing major theories and methodologies in sustainable urbanism, especially in terms of urban resilience, economic inequality, urban ecology, and environmental justice.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GEG 530. Conservation and Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Explore the synergies and trade-offs between biodiversity conservation and human development. Uses the concept of green infrastructure to demonstrate as biodiversity conservation is an essential component of human development. Discusses the global conventions that seek to protect biodiversity conservation and how they have been implemented worldwide. Evaluate the roles played by governments, NGOs, local communities, corporations, and multilateral agencies to protect biodiversity. Map current global efforts to protect global ecosystems and identify the major bottlenecks. This is a research-based course in which students learn how to collect and analyze conservation and development data as well as improve their presentation and writing skills.
Components: RSC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GEG 532. Conservation Biogeography. 3 Credit Hours.
Explore the emerging discipline of Conservation Biogeography, that is the application of biogeographical principles, theories, and analyses to problems concerning the conservation of biodiversity. Discusses major global biogeographical patterns and processes; biodiversity patterns in terrestrial, freshwater and marine ecosystems; social values and conservation; protected area policy and financing; systematic conservation planning; and protected area design and management. This is a very intense research-based course in which students learn how to collect and analyze biogeographical data as well as improve their presentation and writing skills.
Components: RSC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 561. Seminar in International Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics in the study of development. Content and prerequisites vary.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 562. Seminar in Urban Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Select topics in urban management. Contents varies by semester and is indicated in parenthesis following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 563. Seminar in Urban Geography. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics in the study of urban geography. Content and prerequisites vary.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 580. Introductory Quantitative Methods for Geographical Analysis.. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic quantitative methods for geographic analysis.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GEG 590. Advanced Topics in Geography. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Content and prerequisites vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
GEG 597. Internship in Geography. 0-6 Credit Hours.
Students are assigned to work for a local public or private agency.
Components: FLD.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GEG 598. Advanced Independent Research. 0-6 Credit Hours.
Independent research conducted one on one with a faculty member.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GEG 599. Advanced Independent Study. 0-6 Credit Hours.
Independent study.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GEG 602. Geographic Thought and Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminar for Graduate and senior undergraduate students about geographic thought and geographical traditions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GEG 603. Research Design in Geography. 3 Credit Hours.
Designing and proposing geographic research projects based upon a critical reading of the geographical literature. Students will prepare a master's thesis (master's students) or dissertation (doctoral students) project proposal.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GEG 610. Survey Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
The use of survey research including the choice of a survey mechanism, sampling, questionnaire design, survey logistics, survey analysis, and reporting of results.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GEG 612. Health Applications of Geographic Information Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Ideas from a broad range of geospatial health subjects, and hands-on exercises to help students to better process spatial data and use them for specific analyses that address issues related to health.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GEG 613. Advanced Cartography. 3 Credit Hours.
Cartographic research techniques, cognitive mapping, distortion, transformations and cartograms. Prerequisite: GEG 280 or equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 619. Immigration to the United States. 3 Credit Hours.
A description and analysis of current immigration patterns in the United States.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GEG 620. Sustainable Cities. 3 Credit Hours.
The emerging field of urban sustainability from an interdisciplinary perspective, by providing major theories and methodologies in sustainable urbanism, especially in terms of urban resilience, economic inequality, urban ecology, and environmental justice.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
GEG 622. Urbanization in the Developing World. 3 Credit Hours.
Patterns and processes in large cities in the developing world are examined.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GEG 623. Seminar in Urban Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Identification of and responses to urban problems in large cities in European and Latin American metropolitan areas. Emphasis is on demographic, cultural/ethnic, service-provision, environmental, transportation, and land-use problems. Approach is via case studies, theory applications, and planning practicalities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GEG 625. Advanced Independent Study in Geography I. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Advanced independent study for Two-Paper Option for first paper.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GEG 632. Seminar in Environmental Geography and Planetary Health. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced topics in Environmental Geography from a systems approach.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 633. Internship in Geography. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Students are assigned to work for a local public or private agency.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GEG 636. Sustainable Food Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
The intricacies of global geographies of major food systems, how these systems have come to be and where major food types produced, why and where the major demand centers are. It also examines what the future implication for food is through exploration and evaluation of a range of visions for a safe, sustainable food system.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GEG 637. Development Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced seminar on issues in contemporary development studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 643. Population, Sustainability and the Media. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores opposing views of population growth and environmental sustainability through the media and cinema: contrasts "Doomsters" who believe population growth and resource consumption threaten human survival, and pro-growth "Boomsters" who believe human ingenuity and technology will continue to allow humankind to prosper.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GEG 645. Advanced Independent Study in Geography II. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Advanced independent study for Two-Paper Option for second paper.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GEG 646. Immigrant & Refugee Health. 3 Credit Hours.
A theoretical background essential for understanding the complex interaction of migration and health. Emphasis is placed on the health issues experienced by displaced populations including refugees, migrants, and internally displaced persons.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
GEG 648. Climate Change and Public Health. 3 Credit Hours.
The mechanisms by which climate change adversely affects human health and the policy options for mitigating our exposure.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 652. Seminar on the Geography of South Florida. 3 Credit Hours.
Human and physical geography of South Florida.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 655. Field Methods and Geospatial Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
With a focus on geospatial applications, this methods course introduces students to field research addressing complex socio-environmental issues. The course includes exercises with GPS data collection; geo-tagged photography; ground truthing; spatial survey design; and distributed GIS. Various research areas and cognate field methods including environmental demography, community surveying, cultural mapping, and multi-sited ethnography.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GEG 656. Interdisciplinary Issues in Latin American and Caribbean Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Political, economic, social, and cultural issues of Latin American and Caribbean area Studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 658. Seminar in Comparative Politics I. 3 Credit Hours.
Comparative political analysis within and across nations. Debates on state formation, democracy and development, democratization, and the role of ideas, interests, and institutions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 661. Urban Geography I. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the essential elements about the growth and development of cities. Review of the challenges of urbanization and urban sustainability in the contemporary period.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 663. Urban Geography II. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of the spatial structure of urban centers, the development of and interaction between functional zones, and the movement of goods and people in urban areas.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 680. Spatial Data Analysis I. 3 Credit Hours.
The use of basic methods or quantitative analysis for spatial data, including basic descriptive and inferential statistics and special techniques for spatial data.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 681. Spatial Data Analysis II. 3 Credit Hours.
Social and environmental science applications of spatial statistical analysis illustrated with data and numerical (simulation experiments) examples employing interactive software. This course's focus is on spatial auto correlation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 685. Digital Cartography. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to cartographic methods, interpretation, and history. Basic principles of visual representation, how to map qualitative and quantitative data, and how to prepare maps for publication and the web.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
GEG 691. Geographic Information Systems I. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to fundamental concepts in Geographic Information Systems (GIS) and related geographic technologies. Students are exposed to leading GIS software tools used in the industry.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 692. Remote Sensing of the Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory and techniques of environmental remote sensing and imagery interpretation for earth resources monitoring and management.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 693. Geographic Information Systems II. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to spatial analysis, which consists of techniques for analyzing patterns of and interrelationships between spatial data. Topics include vector polygon editing and topology, integration of raster and vector data, surface analysis and 3D analysis, suitability mapping, spatial modeling and multi-criteria evaluations.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 695. Web GIS. 3 Credit Hours.
Map serving technologies and internet map design, focusing on the programming concepts needed to construct and implement high-quality web mapping applications.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 758. Seminar in Comparative Politics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Theoretical approaches and methodological debates in Comparative Politics.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

GEG 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.

**Components:** THI.

**Grading:** SUS.

**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GEG 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master's degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in GEG 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.

**Components:** THI.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GEG 825. Continuous Registration--Master's Study. 0 Credit Hours.
To establish residence for non-thesis master's students who are preparing for major examinations. Credit not granted. Regarded as full time residence.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**Geological Sciences (GSC)**

GSC 101. Origin and Evolution of Planet Earth. 3 Credit Hours.
The origin of the elements and the evolution of the universe. The formation and early evolution of the solar system. The differentiation of the earth into core, mantle, and crust. Origin of the oceans and atmosphere.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.
GSC 102. Evolution of the Biosphere. 3 Credit Hours.
The physical basis of life. The origin, early evolution, history of life on Earth. Emphasis on major crises and innovations, including the evolution of modern man.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GSC 103. Evolution of the Modern Earth's Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GSC 105. The Global Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
Anthropogenic effects on the Earth’s environment compared to analogous natural events.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GSC 106. Geological Influences on Society. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GSC 107. Natural Disasters: Hollywood vs. Reality. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will explore the causes, effects and societal responses to disasters. We will look at a variety of natural hazards and related disasters including flooding, volcanoes, landslides, earthquakes, hurricanes, tsunami and drought. Using excerpted segments of "disaster films" in conjunction with scientific treatments, we can identify the causes, frequency, consequences, risks, and public perceptions of natural hazards.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GSC 108. The Geologic Record. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of the rock record to determine the geologic history using knowledge of rocks, minerals, fossils, and stratigraphy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GSC 109. Our Geoheritage: Geology of America's National Parks. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to introduce the student to the geologic setting and geological processes that have contributed to the formation and evolution of America's national parks. The concept of a national park, an American concept, provides a sense of place, and as such contributes to our collective geoheritage. For international students, this course will introduce them to diverse environmental settings, physiography, and tectonic forces that have similarly affected all the landmasses of Earth. This course will focus on the fundamental geological processes that have collaborated to form the U.S. national parks.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GSC 110. The Earth System. 4 Credit Hours.
Interactions among the major components of the Earth System - the geosphere, the hydrosphere, the atmosphere, and the biosphere.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GSC 111. Earth System History. 4 Credit Hours.
Earth History, beginning with earliest origins and surveying major steps in the evolution of the geosphere, atmosphere, hydrosphere, and biosphere.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
GSC 222. Earth's Climate Past and Future. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide undergraduate students majoring in geological sciences, as well as enthusiastic non-majors, with the foundation to better understand climate change on geological to human timescales. The natural processes that control the earth's climate will be discussed, with special attention to the climate of the Holocene, and the potential influence climate may have played on human civilizations. Finally, the expected climate shifts and feedbacks will be discussed based on the outcome of climate models for the next century.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GSC 230. Reef Systems Through Time. 3 Credit Hours.
Interacting geological, physical, chemical, biological, and climatic processes that define a reefal setting and system. Field trips included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GSC 231. Field Studies in Earth Systems. 2 Credit Hours.
Field Study of Earth systems through geologic time. Hands-on investigation of the geologic record to reveal Earth's past environments, climates, and life.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GSC 240. Introduction to Marine Geology. 3 Credit Hours.
Learn about the origin, structure and evolution of the ocean basins and their margins, including interpretation of the paleo-archives hidden on the seafloor. The course material is necessarily broad, covering marine geography, plate tectonics, active and passive margins, coastal and ocean processes, sediment processes, continental margin and seafloor resources, and climate and ocean history and interactions. Our approach will be interdisciplinary, requiring integration of chemical, physical and biological systems, as well as geologic processes. A special emphasis will be placed on learning to read the sediment record as an archive of information on biologic and climate evolution.
Prerequisite: GSC 110 or GSC 111.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GSC 260. Earth Materials. 4 Credit Hours.
Physical and optical properties of common rock-forming minerals and their occurrence in igneous, metamorphic, sedimentary rocks, and ore deposits. Lecture, 3 hours; laboratory, 4 hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GSC 309. Microbes and the Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide students in geology, biology and environmental science a fundamental understanding of the role microbes play in shaping the Earth and its environments as well as the basic principles and approaches to studying these interactions in both modern and ancient settings. The metabolic diversity displayed by microbial communities makes them an integral component of global elemental cycles. In this regard, microorganisms have shaped our planet over the past 4 billion years and continue to do so in a very prominent way. The goal of this course is to learn about microbial diversity and metabolism, and the ability of microbes to shape and influence the environment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GSC 311. Field Studies in Geologically Active Landscapes. 2 Credit Hours.
Field studies in volcanic and other tectonically active areas, with attention to driving processes and human impacts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GSC 360. Depositional and Diagenetic Systems. 4 Credit Hours.
Sedimentary processes, sedimentology, and sedimentary diagenesis. Physical, biological and chemical sedimentation in Earth's surficial environments. Paleoenvironmental and diagenetic history reconstruction using petrologic, hand specimen, and field methods. Cyclicity in sedimentary systems. Lecture, 3 hours; field/laboratory, 3 hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
GSC 371. Readings in Geological Sciences. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Library research with faculty supervision. Bibliography to be submitted in preparation for laboratory and/or field research project. (No more than 6 credits in total from GSC371, GSC411, and GSC412 can be counted towards any of the RSMAS major or minor requirements with no more than 3 credits from each course.)
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GSC 380. Paleontology and Stratigraphy. 4 Credit Hours.
Biostratigraphy, paleoecology, taphonomy, micro- and macro-evolutionary processes, and physical and chemical methods used for stratigraphic correlation. Major groups of invertebrate phyla comprising the bulk of the fossil record. Lecture, 3 hours; laboratory, 2 hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GSC 401. Senior Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
Field and laboratory studies conducted in conjunction with an approved academic environmental or industrial research laboratory or agency.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GSC 410. Environmental Geochemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Natural distribution of the elements on earth, and how this is being changed. Radioactivity and energy, greenhouse warming and ozone depletion, water and waste and other environmental problems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GSC 411. Research in Geological Sciences. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual, independent research projects with faculty supervision. A formal written report is required.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GSC 412. Thesis in Geological Sciences. 1 Credit Hour.
Students will write a formal thesis summarizing the results of independent research carried out under faculty supervision.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GSC 420. Geophysics. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GSC 424. Origin and Geology of the Galapagos Islands. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the origin and geology of volcanic oceanic islands, using the Galapagos Islands as a natural laboratory. Though all share a common origin in plate tectonic theory, each island presents a host of environments that originate in the processes of volcanic action, erosion and hydrology. Individual islands therefore develop distinctive ecosystems within which organisms interact and evolve. The emphasis of this course will be to lay out the underlying geological processes that have led to the formation of the islands and to their present state, and to explore through daily field excursions a wide suite of volcanic features displayed on Isabela Island.
Prerequisite: GSC 110.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GSC 440. Petrology. 4 Credit Hours.
Genesis and classification of igneous and metamorphic and sedimentary rocks, field relationships of rock assemblages and results of recent laboratory investigations. Identification of common rock types in hand specimens and by thin-section and X-ray diffraction techniques. Lecture, 3 hours; laboratory, 3 hours.
Prerequisite: GSC 260.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
GSC 462. Earth's Ancient Atmospheres, Climates, and Sea Levels. 3 Credit Hours.
The Earth's atmospheres, climates, and sea level from the early Pre-Cambrian to present. Focus is placed on how the study of Earth's past is relevant to both modern and future climate change.
Prerequisite: GSC 110 and GSC 111.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GSC 480. Structural Geology. 4 Credit Hours.
Behavior of rock materials; analysis, description and classification of geologic folds, faults, joints; analysis of rock fabrics; tectonic and geologic history of continents and continental margins. Lecture, 2 hours; laboratory, 2 hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GSC 482. Field Methods. 2 Credit Hours.
Field and laboratory exercises in mapping; interpretation of aerial and satellite imagery, coring, rock description, and stratigraphic interpretation. Course meets most Saturdays.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GSC 550. Hydrogeology. 3 Credit Hours.
Explore the cycling of water in the Earth's hydrosphere with a focus on geological, physical and chemical aspects of surface and sub-surface reservoirs and processes. Topics include climate change and other challenges facing the hydrologist in ensuring adequate availability and quality of water through exploring and developing new resources and managing and protecting existing ones.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GSC 561. Communicating Geoscience. 2 Credit Hours.
Evaluate the scientific works of others, both oral and written, and work on developing the skills to clearly and concisely present your own work and ideas as a geoscientist. Discuss career opportunities and prepare to move forward toward a career in the Earth sciences.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GSC 580. Summer Field Geology. 4 Credit Hours.
An intensive four-week summer field laboratory study of modern geological processes and ancient rock sequences. Mapping, description and interpretation of rock and structural sequences, paleoenvironmental reconstruction, interpretation of tectonic history. Reports required. Touring course. Travel fee required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

GSC 581. Summer Field Environmental Geology. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

GSC 582. Field Studies. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Conducted field trips to selected geological sites in the United States and abroad. Report required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
German (GER)

GER 101. Elementary German I. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamental grammatical principles; exercises to develop a foundation for skills of listening, speaking, reading, and writing; introduction to German culture. Closed to native speakers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GER 102. Elementary German II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of GER 101. Building upon fundamental grammatical principles; exercises to develop a foundation for skills of listening, speaking, reading, and writing; introduction to German culture. Closed to native speakers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GER 195. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 100-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GER 201. Intermediate German I. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of GER 102, with special emphasis on essay writing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

GER 202. Intermediate German II. 3 Credit Hours.
Integrated grammar, writing, and conversation via content-based instruction. Diverse selection of readings: stories, plays, essays, interviews, other materials. Development of skills in a workshop format.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GER 295. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 200-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GER 301. Interpreting Literary and Cultural Texts in German. 3 Credit Hours.
Tools for the interpretation and analysis of literary and cultural materials from the German-speaking world. Acquisition of terminology and theories through the study of the main literary genres (prose, poetry, and drama) and a complementary genre of cultural analysis (e.g., film studies, cultural studies, etc.). Emphasis on critical writing skills.
Prerequisite: GER 202.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GER 302. The Cultures of the German-Speaking World. 3 Credit Hours.
Historical survey of cultures in areas of the world where German is spoken: arts, letters, science, political and social institutions. Conducted in German.
Collateral readings and reports.
Prerequisite: GER 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GER 310. German Studies in Translation. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics in German literature, philosophy, history, etc. Readings and discussion in English. Development of critical reading and writing skills. Fulfills humanities literature requirement. Does not fulfill foreign language requirement. May not be used for German minor credit.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
GER 321. Special Topics in German Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Intensive study of a special topic. May be repeated for credit when topic varies. May be used to fulfill the humanities literature requirement.
Prerequisite: GER 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GER 365. Twentieth-Century German Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
The second empire and the third Reich, the Weimar Republic, and the two Germanies. Examination of the arts, sciences, letters, and political and social institutions of twentieth-century Germanophone areas. May be used to fulfill the humanities literature requirement.
Prerequisite: GER 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GER 370. The Holocaust in History, Film, and Memorial Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
The course examines the representation of the Holocaust in historiography, film, and memorial culture. Readings will include texts by historians and writers such as Primo Levi, Raul Hilberg, Daniel Goldhagen, James Young and others; films will include, among others, Alain Resnais's NIGHT AND FOG, Claude Lanzmann's SHOAH, and Steven Spielberg's SCHINDLER'S LIST. Reading-and writing-intensive course with reading and discussions in English. In addition to daily/weekly homework assignments, an in-class midterm exam and a final, cumulative take-home exam, students will also complete an extended analytical term paper. Students will also be required to watch films outside of regularly scheduled class hours.
Prerequisite: ENG 106.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GER 394. German Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The internship is an opportunity to apply analytical, interpretative, and creative skills developed in coursework. Internships ordinarily take place outside the University and they involve UM-faculty supervision, as well as supervised on-site experience in a German-speaking cultural, business, or not-for-profit organization. Students need to fill out the Internship Application Form. Normally 27 internship hours are required per credit earned. A maximum of three semester hours of internship credit may be counted toward the student's degree program. Permission of MLL faculty member is required (the host will apply documentary evidence of the hours worked).
Prerequisite: GER 202.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GER 395. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 300-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GER 396. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

GER 397. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

GER 398. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

GER 399. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
GER 442. Advanced Stylistics and Composition. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GER 495. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 400-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GER 592. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings at the undergraduate level.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GER 594. Senior Honors Thesis I. 3 Credit Hours.
Directed research for honors thesis.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GER 595. Senior Honors Thesis II. 3 Credit Hours.
Directed writing of honors thesis.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GER 625. German for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
Grammatical structuring, verb tenses, and word families necessary for reading text with minimal use of a dictionary. May fulfill the Foreign Language Reading Competency Requirement (consult your graduate advisor.)
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GER 641. Elementary GER I for Graduate Students. 0 Credit Hours.
Designed to develop graduate students’ communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehension of German and provide an introduction to the German-speaking world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GER 642. Elementary GER II for Graduate Students. 0 Credit Hours.
Continuation of GER 641. Designed to develop graduate students’ communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending German, as well as knowledge of the German-speaking world.
Prerequisite: GER 641.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GER 651. Intermediate GER I for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
For graduate students with previous study of elementary-level German. Designed to enhance graduate students’ communication skills in the German language at the intermediate level. Intended principally for students who will carry out research in the German-speaking world.
Prerequisite: GER 642.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GER 652. Intermediate GER II for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
For students with previous study of German at the intermediate level. Designed to enhance graduate students’ communication skills in the German language at the high-intermediate level. Intended principally for students who will carry out research in the German-speaking world.
Prerequisite: GER 651.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
GER 691. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings at the graduate level.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

GER 692. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings at the graduate level.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

Graduate School (GRD)

GRD 600. Graduate Student Training: Preventing Sexual Harassment and Sexual Violence. 0 Credit Hours.
Graduate student training offered by the Graduate School in collaboration with campus committees on the Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) and Title IX to increase awareness, and education on preventing sexual harassment and sexual violence in our community. This mandatory online session identifies roles, responsibilities and resources in preventing sexual harassment, and sexual violence in the academic environment.
Components: DIL.
Grading: NON.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GRD 601. Graduate Student Training: Graduate Teaching Assistant Orientation. 0 Credit Hours.
Graduate Teaching Assistant orientation offered by the Graduate School and the Instructional Advancement Center focuses on University policies, procedures, and resources with which graduate students need to be familiar. This course is required for all first time doctoral students, and all graduate students who will have Teaching Assistant responsibilities.
Components: DIL.
Grading: NON.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GRD 602. Responsible Conduct of Research Training. 0 Credit Hours.
 Responsible Conduct of Research (RCR) is a critical component of research training, and is therefore an essential part of training for all graduate students conducting research. This course introduces students to basic principles of RCR and covers a series of topics including the mentor/mentee relationship, data acquisition and management, publications and authorship, ethics, and scientific misconduct, among others. The course consists of online content as well as in-person workshops and seminars.
Components: DIL.
Grading: NON.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GRD 607. Conceptos Fundamentales de la Salud Publica. 0 Credit Hours.
Las disciplinas académicas requieren de una base conceptual que guíe su desarrollo. En este curso se discuten los conceptos fundamentales de la salud pública. Como punto de partida, se analizan las diferencias y puntos de integración entre la biomedicina, la medicina clínica y la salud pública. Se identifica a la salud pública como un campo interdisciplinario que estudia los fenómenos de salud/enfermedad en poblaciones - sus determinantes, naturaleza y distribución- y la manera en que las sociedades se organizan para responder a ellos. También se examina el concepto de salud global. El curso incluye discusiones sobre la medición de las necesidades de salud, la transición epidemiológica y las formas en que los sistemas de salud han evolucionado, tanto a nivel nacional como a nivel global. English Version: Academic disciplines require a conceptual basis to guide their development. This course discusses the fundamental concepts of public health. As a starting point, we analyze the differences and points of integration between biomedicine, clinical medicine and public health. Public health is identified as an interdisciplinary field that studies health / disease phenomena in populations - their determinants, nature and distribution - and how societies organize to respond to them. The concept of global health is also examined. The course includes discussions on the measurement of health needs, the epidemiological transition, and the ways in which health systems have evolved, both nationally and globally.
Components: DIL.
Grading: NON.
Typically Offered: Fall.
GRD 608. Análisis Comparativo de las Políticas Publicas de Salud: Conceptos, Metodos y Casos. 0 Credit Hours.
En este curso se revisan los conceptos fundamentales de las políticas públicas de salud, las tipologías de los sistemas de salud diseñadas por distintos expertos en el campo (Roemer, Terris, Abel-Smith, Donabedian, Frenk, Londoño) y los principios del análisis comparativo de estos sistemas. Se describen, además, los principales modelos de sistemas de salud existentes (OCDE, monopolio público, segmentado), y se discute lo que los países pueden aprender los unos de los otros sobre todo en materia de regulación, organización y financiamiento de sus sistemas de salud. English Translation- This course reviews the fundamental concepts of public health policies, the typologies of health systems designed by different experts in the field (Roemer, Terris, Abel-Smith, Donabedian, Frenk, Londoño) and the principles of comparative analysis of these systems. It also describes the main models of existing health systems (OECD, public monopoly, segmented), and discusses what countries can learn from each other especially in terms of regulation, organization and financing of their systems of health.
Components: DIL.
Grading: NON.
Typically Offered: Fall.

Greek (GRE)

GRE 101. Elementary Ancient Greek I. 3 Credit Hours.
Alphabet, pronunciation, accentuation, vocabulary, grammar, reading exercises, and written exercises.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GRE 102. Elementary Ancient Greek II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of GRE 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GRE 103. Intensive Greek for the New Testament. 3 Credit Hours.
An intensive introduction to the Koine dialect of the New Testament and Septuagint. The course is intended for students with little to no background in Ancient Greek, and covers material similar to that found in the GRE 101 and GRE 102 sequence for Attic Greek. Students leave GRE 103 prepared for GRE 201 and capable of reading extended passages from the New Testament.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GRE 201. Intermediate Ancient Greek I. 3 Credit Hours.
Reading from classical and Hellenistic authors. Building on their knowledge of elementary Greek grammar, students move toward real fluency in reading ancient Greek, and the pleasure of encountering these great authors in their original language.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

GRE 202. Intermediate Ancient Greek II. 3 Credit Hours.
Reading Ancient Greek poetry. Students will read selections from Homer's Odyssey and Iliad, with emphasis on the Homeric dialect, meter, and the oral tradition of these epics. Greek 202 prepares students for 300- and 400-level Ancient Greek poetry courses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GRE 311. Plato. 3 Credit Hours.
Reading of Plato's dialogues and letters with a view to syntax, the acquisition of vocabulary, and Plato's prose style and philosophical thought.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

GRE 321. Euripides. 3 Credit Hours.
Readings in the plays of Euripides, with an emphasis on syntax, vocabulary, dramaturgy, and the social role of tragedy in ancient Athenian culture.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
GRE 401. Special Topics in Greek Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address a specific author, topic, or text (appearing as a subtitle) Analogous to REL 404-409 courses. [This will vary each time the course is offered]
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GRE 402. Special Topics in Greek Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address a specific author, topic, or text (appearing as a subtitle) Analogous to REL 404-409 courses. [this will vary each time the course is offered]
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GRE 403. Special Topics in Greek Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address a specific author, topic, or text (appearing as a subtitle) Analogous to REL 404-409 courses. [this will vary each time the course is offered]
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GRE 404. Special Projects in Ancient Greek Literature and Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address a specific project in Classics (appearing as a subtitle) Analogous to REL 407-409 [this will vary each time the course is offered]
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GRE 405. Special Projects in Ancient Greek Literature and Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address a specific project in Classics (appearing as a subtitle). Analogous to REL 407-409.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GRE 406. Special Projects in Ancient Greek Literature and Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address a specific project in Classics (appearing as a subtitle). Analogous to REL 407-409.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GRE 408. Supervised Reading in Classical Greek. 3 Credit Hours.
Variable subject matter determined by instructor and student. Analogous to REL 401-403.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GRE 409. Supervised Reading in Classical Greek. 3 Credit Hours.
Variable subject matter determined by instructor and student. Analogous to REL 401-403.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

GRE 411. Homer. 3 Credit Hours.
Readings from the Iliad and/or Odyssey.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

GRE 421. Greek Orators. 3 Credit Hours.
Readings from Lysias and Demosthenes.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
GRE 422. Aristophanes. 3 Credit Hours.  
Readings from Aristophanes' plays in the original Ancient Greek.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.  

GRE 431. Herodotus. 3 Credit Hours.  
Readings in ancient Greek from Herodotus, the "father of history."  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall.  

GRE 491. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.  
Content to be determined by faculty member and registering student(s).  
Components: THI.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.  

GRE 691. Directed Readings in Greek for Graduate Students. 0-3 Credit Hours.  
Independent study in Ancient Greek, thought, literature, and culture.  
Requisite: Graduate Standing.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.  

Haitian Creole (HAI)  

HAI 101. Elementary Haitian Creole I. 3 Credit Hours.  
Development of basic listening, speaking, reading and writing skills; focus on conversation and the grammatical fundamentals of Haitian Creole.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall.  

HAI 102. Elementary Haitian Creole II. 3 Credit Hours.  
Basic listening, speaking, reading and writing skills developed in Elementary Haitian Creole 101. Students will produce more complex grammatical structures in oral and written presentations, and focus on improvement of pronunciation.  
Prerequisite: HAI 101.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Spring.  

HAI 195. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.  
Awarded for 100-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: CNC.  
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.  

HAI 201. Intermediate Haitian Creole I. 3 Credit Hours.  
Basic listening, speaking, reading and writing skills developed in Elementary Haitian Creole 102. Continued development of communicative abilities and introduction to the cultural practices, family values, and social and environmental issues of Haiti. Include both oral and written components.  
Prerequisite: HAI 102.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall.  

HAI 202. Intermediate Haitian Creole II. 3 Credit Hours.  
Emphasis will be on speaking, listening, reading, and writing activities. In addition to the instruction of Haitian Creole, students will have a better understanding of the Haitian culture, society, and beliefs, which are an important part of this class experience. Furthermore, to help students understand the relationship between the spoken and the written forms of the language, the course will be taught entirely in Haitian Creole. While gaining an understanding of the Haitian culture and its people, students in HAI 202 will learn how to avoid cross-cultural conflicts by developing awareness for common cultural issues and beliefs associated with healthcare, education, environment, religion.  
Prerequisite: HAI 201.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Spring.
HAI 295. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 200-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

HAI 395. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 300-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

HAI 495. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 400-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

HAI 625. Haitian Creole for Graduate Research I. 0 Credit Hours.
Basic listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills; focus on conversation and the grammatical fundamentals of Haitian Creole.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HAI 626. Haitian Creole for Graduate Research II. 0 Credit Hours.
Continuation of 625 listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills; focus on conversation and the grammatical fundamentals of Haitian Creole.
Prerequisite: HAI 625.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HAI 641. Elementary HAI I for Graduate Students. 0 Credit Hours.
Designed to develop graduate students’ communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending Haitian Creole, and to provide an introduction to Haitian Studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

HAI 642. Elementary HAI II for Graduate Students. 0 Credit Hours.
Continuation of HAI 641. Designed to develop graduate students’ communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending Haitian Creole, and continued engagement with Haitian Studies.
Prerequisite: HAI 641.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

HAI 651. Intermediate HAI I for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
For graduate students with some previous study of Haitian Creole at the elementary level. Designed to enhance graduate students’ communication skills in Haitian Creole at the intermediate level. Intended primarily for students who will carry out research in Haiti.
Prerequisite: HAI 642.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

HAI 652. Intermediate HAI II for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
For graduate students with some previous study of Haitian Creole at the intermediate level. Designed to enhance graduate students’ communication skills in Haitian Creole at the high-intermediate level. Intended primarily for students who will carry out research in Haiti.
Prerequisite: HAI 651.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
Health Management and Policy (HMP)

HMP 270. Introduction to Health Sector Management and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course develops a basic understanding of the elements of the health services industry in the United States. It examines the history of the components of our health care system and moves on to current and potential future system dynamics. Sectors include physician services, hospital and hospital systems, long-term care providers, mental health services, and pharmaceutical services. Basic concepts associated with the financing of health services are examined as well as indemnity insurance, capitation, and the role of managed care, consumer driven health care and integrated delivery systems in theory and practice. The role of government is explored as well.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HMP 310. Population Health. 3 Credit Hours.
Population health is emerging as a field of study of health determinants, a concept of health, and a goal of achieving measurable improvements in the health of a defined population. These populations can encompass geographic regions, such as communities, states, or nations, but can also be groups, including groups based on need, employees, ethnicity, members of Accountable Care Organizations, and other populations with relevance to policymakers. In this course, students will gain an understanding of the determinants of population health, health outcomes of the population, and policies and interventions that link the determinants and outcomes.

Prerequisite: HMP 270 Or HSM 270 Or MGT 270.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HMP 320. Health Care Demand and Supply. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce students to the fundamental concepts of health economics, and cover the principles of microeconomic theory as they relate to health care. No previous background in economics is assumed. The basic framework of this course is to introduce students to individual behavior (demand), firm behavior (supply), and how these forces interact to determine market prices that allocate scarce health care resources. Students will learn how policies, such as the Affordable Care Act of 2010, can be viewed via the lens of health economics.

Prerequisite: HMP 270 Or HSM 270.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HMP 321. Applied Health Policy for Business. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the role of people and institutions in health promotion, risky behaviors, health care delivery, and health insurance. We will explore the theoretical and practical reasons for intervention in health-related decisions and health care markets, the related empirical evidence, and the effects of these interventions on health outcomes and social welfare. Students will understand how and why government and society in general attempts to influence health-related behaviors and health insurance markets, and the resulting effects on individuals’ choices, expenditures, health outcomes, and overall quality of life.

Prerequisite: HMP 270 Or HSM 270 Or MGT 270.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HMP 350. Production and Consumption of Health and Health Care. 3 Credit Hours.
All societies must deal with the allocation of scarce resources. In our society, primary reliance is placed on markets and prices. This course will introduce students to the application of economic principles and production and consumption of health and health care. Some of the major topics include the production of and demand for health, demand for and supply of medical care, uncertainty and insurance, models of physician and hospital behavior, externalities and market failure, the role of government in health and medical care, and economic evaluation of health care services and interventions. Health economics concepts will be linked to current policy debates at the state and federal levels. Numerous real-world applications and case studies will be presented to demonstrate decision-making techniques for health care organizations and consumers.

Prerequisite: HMP 270 Or HSM 270 Or MGT 270 And ECO 213 or ECO 211 and ECO 212.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
HMP 388. Health Care Marketing. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is devoted to the study of healthcare marketing and the healthcare system involved with the task of marketing products and services. As healthcare reform continues to evolve current market conditions transform existing organizations into new practices, this course will focus on the how managed care providers, hospitals, physicians, federal government, device and pharmaceutical companies will embrace the new patient centered market in their marketing strategies.
Non-Business students And Health Management and Policy minors And Sophomore Standing or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HMP 460. Health Care Law and Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to offer students an appreciation of the legal foundations and ethical considerations in healthcare administration in the U.S. The readings and classroom discussion assist the student in (1) understanding the legal framework of relationships and institutions in healthcare, and (2) appreciating some of the particularly delicate ethical implications of decision-making in this field. Case study will promote the ability to analyze both. Special emphasis is placed on discussion of ethical issues in healthcare administration, including access to care, allocation of scarce resources and privacy.
Non-Business students And Health Management and Policy minors And Sophomore Standing or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HMP 496. Directed Studies in Health Sector Management and Policy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project, or independent investigation of selected non-STEM related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HMP 497. Directed Studies in Health Sector Management and Policy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project or independent investigation of selected STEM-related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HMP 498. Special Topics in Health Sector Management and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected non?STEM areas of Health Management and Policy.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HMP 499. Special Topics in Health Sector Management and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected STEM areas of Health Management and Policy.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HMP 555. Health Management and Policy Departmental Honors Research. 3 Credit Hours.
Research project to fulfill requirements for Departmental Honors in Health Management and Policy.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HMP 601. Essentials of Health Care Administration. 1-4 Credit Hours.
The goal of this course is to develop an understanding of the basic elements of the health services industry in the United States. A systems approach will be used utilizing a historical perspective as a basis and moving on to current and potential future system dynamics. This course will allow the student to understand the health care system, including physician services, hospital and hospital systems, long-term care providers, mental health services, and pharmaceutical services. Health care labor markets will be examined. Various elements associated with the financing of health services will be analyzed as well including indemnity insurance, capitation, and the role of managed care, accountable care organizations, and consumer driven health care in theory and practice. The role of government and its impact on our health care system will be understood as well. Alternative health care systems looked at from a global perspective will be analyzed, and possible application to the U.S. health care system will be evaluated.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
HMP 610. Management and Economics of Healthcare. 3 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this course is to provide the student insight into organizational and economic aspects of the various sectors and agents within the health care industry. Exploration will allow us to understand how such aspects in turn affect performance measured in terms of managerial, economic and ethical criteria. The course will explore issues associated with scarce resource allocation and distributional justice. We will examine the organizational structure, behavior, interactions between structure and behavior, and the resultant performance of the various sectors of the health care industry, including models of hospital management behavior, operations of alternative services markets, and the market for physicians and physician service as well as the market for nurses. Aspects of risk will be examined and the impact of governance on economic behavior and performance in the marketplace.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

HMP 620. Population Health. 1-4 Credit Hours.
The role of public and private institution in health promotion, health care delivery, and health insurance. Explains how and why government and society attempt to influence health-related behaviors and the resulting effects on individuals’ lives.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HMP 640. Health and Medical Decision Making. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Population health is emerging as a field of study of health determinants, a concept of health, and a goal of achieving measurable improvements in the health of a defined population. In this course, students will gain an understanding of the determinants of population health, health outcomes of the population, and policies and interventions that link the determinants and outcomes while exploring the business case for health.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HMP 650. Health Care Administration Capstone/Internship. 2-4 Credit Hours.
The internship is an integral part of the Health Care Administration curriculum and will be planned in terms of the intern's abilities, needs, and interests. The internship experience is strengthened by the relationships with the SBA's Health Advisory Board, Executive MBA in Health Sector Management and Policy program alumni, and the University of Miami Hospital. Students preparing for an internship experience must be active in planning their internship by seeking advice and assistance from their faculty advisor.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

HMP 655. Public Policy and Health. 1-4 Credit Hours.
The role of public and private institution in health promotion, health care delivery, and health insurance. Explains how and why government and society attempt to influence health-related behaviors and the resulting effects on individuals’ lives.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HMP 683. Professional Skills Development. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This seminar immerses students in experiences designed to enhance their professional skills. The course incorporates presentations by health care administrators including lectures on current topics in health care administration and health services research, facilitates faculty and student interaction via discussion of relevant peer-reviewed journal articles, and includes site visits to health care facilities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

HMP 684. Analysis of Health Care Delivery and Policy. 2-3 Credit Hours.
All societies must deal with the allocation of scarce resources. In our society, primary reliance is placed on markets and prices. Since most students are unfamiliar with the methods of decision-making from a manager's perspective, we will discuss criteria to evaluate the allocation of resources and analyze the behavior of two of the principal actors – consumers and firms. A careful analysis of the choices made by individuals, organizations, and governments will demonstrate that sensible “choice architecture” can successfully nudge people toward better decisions without restricting their freedom of choice. The principles of economic and management decision-making will be presented in the context of health care systems and markets. We will use numerous real-world issues and case studies to demonstrate decision-making techniques, especially for health care organizations and consumers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
HMP 687. Health Care Organization, Economics, and Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will allow understanding and analysis of issues associated with scarce resource allocation and the evolutionary movement from patient focused to population focused to patient centered care including Accountable Care Organizations and the concept of value vs. volume. Students will understand and analyze the organizational structure, behavior, interactions between structure and behavior, and the resultant performance of the various sectors of the health care industry, including models of hospital management behavior, operations of alternative services markets, physicians as small businesses, group practices and employees, the market for physician services, the market for nurses, the issue of risk and risk sharing, and the impact of government on organization, behavior and performance in the market place. Principles of medical ethics will be learned and understood and application, analysis and creative resolution of ethical dilemmas will be undertaken. The relationships between organization, incentives, and ethical performance will be analyzed using modern issues and cases that health care managers, policy makers and providers face in the industry today. The interrelationships between managerial and system goals, economic parameters, and moral and ethical considerations will be applied and analyzed as well.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

Healthcare Sciences (HCS)

HCS 200. Electrophysiology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is a survey of the basic principles of Public Health.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

HCS 202. Introductory Statistics in Health Care. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of descriptive and inferential statistics. Principles and methods of summarizing data including tables, graphs, percentile ranks, central tendency, variability, normal distribution. Basic concepts of probability, hypothesis testing, and analysis of variance. Examples and problems from nursing, health sciences and public health.
Corequisite: MTH 101. Or Requisite: ALEKS > or = 55 or SAT Score > or = 630 or ACT > or = 28.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HCS 207. Introduction to Pharmacology. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the basic principles of therapeutic pharmacology. Special consideration of cultural beliefs and folk medicine included. Emphasis is on the understanding of the different classes of drugs and their application in various health care settings.
Prerequisites: BIL 150 and CHM 103 or 111 or 121 and HCS 212/215.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HCS 212. Human Anatomy. 3 Credit Hours.
Emphasis is on the understanding of the anatomical compartments of the human body and the ability to identify the bony skeleton, musculatures, blood vessels and internal organs of each compartment.
Prerequisite: BIL 150.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HCS 213. Human Anatomy Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory to accompany HCS 212.
Pre or Corequisite: HCS 212.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HCS 215. Principles of Systemic Physiology. 3 Credit Hours.
Emphasis is on the understanding of the Physiology and selected Pathophysiology of various organs and systems.
Prerequisite: HCS 212. And Pre or Corequisite: CHM 111 or CHM 121 or CHM 103 and CHM 113 or CHM 105.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
HCS 216. Principles of Systemic Physiology Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory to accompany HCS 215
Pre or Corequisite: HCS 215.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HCS 217. Medical Terminology. 1 Credit Hour.
This course will assist the student in understanding the principles of medical word building in order to develop the extensive medical vocabulary used in health care professions. Students receive a thorough grounding in basic medical terminology through the study of root words, prefixes and suffixes. The course emphasizes correct pronunciation, spelling and use of medical terms.
Prerequisite: BIL 150.
Components: CLN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HCS 352. Biological Principles of Public Health. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the biological basis and pathogenesis of diseases from a public health perspective and describes the impact on populations. This course also presents the basic scientific and biomedical concepts of modern public health problems and explores in depth mechanisms and models of the major categories of disease. The biologic principles presented in this course are foundations to developing and implementing public health disease prevention, control, or management programs.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HCS 355. Global Nutrition. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines nutrition related public health issues in the global setting. Nutrition related morbidity and mortality, etiologic factors, and population-focused strategies to address these issues are covered. Food relief and nutrition policies and programs at the local, national and international levels are examined. Current scientific research in international nutrition is reviewed from an epidemiological perspective.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HCS 402. Global Health Disparities Research. 3 Credit Hours.
This is a 4 week intensive educational experience that prepares students to be successful conducting supervised health disparities research as part of the MHIRT program at a foreign institution, disseminating findings, and applying to graduate school. The training program is broken into a preparation phase (3 weeks prior to leaving to their host country), and a dissemination phase (1 week after they return). Students will be working as a research assistant at a foreign site for eight weeks in between the preparation and dissemination phases of this training program. Students will learn about the influence of culture and healthcare policy on health and health disparities, research design, statistics, communicating research findings and careers in health disparities research.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HCS 461. Health Disparities Research Practicum. 1-4 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide opportunities for students across all levels of higher education to participate in health disparities research. Students will be mentored by a health disparities researcher with an active research project. Objectives will be established by the research mentor and the student according to educational level, interests and opportunities. Students will be incorporated into the research team and expected to attend project meetings. They will also be expected to participate in scholarly work that could contribute to the success of the project. Examples of scholarly work include co-authoring research papers and presentations, developing recruitment materials, assisting in compiling/developing data collection measures, or any other product deemed appropriate by the mentor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HCS 465. Public Health Statistics and Data Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to give students an opportunity to apply basic principles of statistics and data management in public health. Students will learn to use statistical techniques to answer questions relating to the morbidity and mortality of health conditions and the efficacy and effectiveness of public health interventions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
HCS 487. Global Health Practicum. 3 Credit Hours.
Collaborative clinical venture between UM/SON and an International School of Nursing. Students will exchange supervised western clinical experiences, knowledge and skills for the care of clients and families in specialty areas, including MedSurg, Surgery, ICU and/or Emergency nursing units. Students will apply and synthesize basic science knowledge and skills that foster ethical, legal and culturally specific health care.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HCS 499. Selected Topics. 0-6 Credit Hours.
A selected topics course is offered as needed in order to present emerging issues or specialized topics that are not part of the regular curriculum.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HCS 600. Public Health Information. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide an overview of important health issues as they relate to public health and epidemiology. Principles and methods of public health surveillance and epidemiology will also be presented. Through hands-on assignments students will learn how patient databases and computer information systems and technologies may be utilized to address important issues in public health.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

HCS 601. Legal, Ethical and Regulatory Issues in Health Informatics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address the legal, social, ethical and regulatory issues that impact the use health information systems and computerized technology for health care delivery. In addition to an in-depth examination of the legal and regulatory standards that govern health informatics, emphasis will be placed on ethical decision-making and the importance of mitigating liability though the application of various risk-management strategies. Case studies will be used extensively to afford students an opportunity to apply the information they have learned in the course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HCS 603. Healthcare Databases: Design, Development and Clinical Application. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses database systems, development, design, and implementation within the context of health care. Special emphasis is placed on the role of database applications for continuous quality improvement and regulatory compliance. Students will design a relational database applicable to informatics leadership responsibilities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HCS 604. System Life Cycle/Project Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the identification and development of information technology plans for projects supporting the health care organization's business objectives and all activities required in the initiating, planning, executing, controlling, and closing phases of the project's life cycle. This course is intended to provide the body of knowledge and best practices necessary for a new Consultant, Business Analyst or Project Manager to successfully perform his/her responsibilities on an IT enterprise project.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HCS 605. Health Information Exchange. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to introduce the informatics professional to the basic principles of Health Information Exchange. The focus will be on interoperability between ambulatory clinics, acute care facilities and long-term care; electronic health records; electronic prescribing systems and consumer health care informatics. Special emphasis is placed on the role of HIE in the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HCS 608. Information Security. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will emphasize the importance of information security and discuss strategies and legal requirements for restricting data access and ensuring privacy. Such strategies will include discussion of industry standards for physical security, as well as hardware and software safeguards. The challenges that new and emerging technologies will present with regards to data integrity and security will also be emphasized.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
HCS 609. Research Methods and Applications for Health Informatics. 3 Credit Hours.
In this course students will be introduced to basic research methodology and design for health sciences and medicine as well as role informatics can play in research related to medicine, public health and biomedical sciences. Students will also be exposed to bioinformatics, a discipline of informatics concerned with the acquisition, storage, and application of use of information for biomedical research. The course will include research seminars given by guest speakers who are conducting research using health informatics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

HCS 610. Elective in Health Informatics. 3 Credit Hours.
The elective course is designed to expose students to various aspects of health informatics and its many applications.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

HCS 611. Capstone in Health Informatics. 3 Credit Hours.
In the capstone course students will assimilate and apply the knowledge and skills they have acquired from their course work in the program. Students will complete a non-thesis capstone project that requires them to critically analyze and solve a problem they might realistically encounter in health informatics using their skills in data acquisition, project management, data presentation, and risk management. Students will also develop and submit an electronic portfolio that contains key examples of work they have generated during their time in the program along with a self-reflection of that work.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HCS 658. Structure and Processes in Health Care Organization and Health Care Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
An exploration of health care organizations and health care policy, and how change is affected in both. Health care policy and planning to address health care disparities at the local, state, and federal levels will be explored. Organizational diagnosis, organizational change, and ethical dimension of public policy formulations and implementation will be highlighted.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HCS 685. Introduction to Health Informatics. 3 Credit Hours.
The course develops an understanding of the role of information systems and technology within a healthcare organization. It examines the business and technical issues associated with the selection, deployment and use of health informatics, both in the clinical and back office areas. Health informatics, for the purpose of the course, is defined as the convergence of information technology, information management, and health care, at various levels, ranging from simple data gathering, to the design and implementation of new health care information systems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Hebrew (HEB)

HEB 101. Elementary Hebrew I. 3 Credit Hours.
Grammatical principles: reading for comprehension and conversation; oral and written exercises. Normally, closed to students who have completed two years of high school Hebrew. Closed to native speakers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HEB 102. Elementary Hebrew II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of HEB 101. Closed to native speakers.
Prerequisite: HEB 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HEB 195. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 100-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
HEB 201. Intermediate Hebrew I. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: HEB 102.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HEB 202. Intermediate Hebrew II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of 201 with oral presentations, compositions, and grammar review. Class conducted in Hebrew. Closed to native speakers.
Prerequisite: HEB 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HEB 295. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 200-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

HEB 395. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 300-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

HEB 495. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 400-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

HEB 641. Elementary HEB I for Graduate Students. 0 Credit Hours.
Designed to develop graduate students’ communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending Hebrew, and to provide an introduction to the Hebrew-speaking world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

HEB 642. Elementary HEB II for Graduate Students. 0 Credit Hours.
Continuation of HEB 641. Designed to develop graduate students’ communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending Hebrew, and continued study of the Hebrew-speaking world.
Prerequisite: HEB 641.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

HEB 651. Intermediate HEB I for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
For graduate students with previous study of elementary-level Hebrew. Designed to enhance graduate students’ communication skills in the Hebrew language at the intermediate level. Intended principally for students who will carry out research in Judaic Studies or related to the Hebrew-speaking world.
Prerequisite: HAI 642.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

HEB 652. Intermediate HEB II for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
For students with previous study of Hebrew at the intermediate level. Designed to enhance graduate students’ communication skills in the Hebrew language at the high-intermediate level. Intended principally for students who will carry out research in Judaic Studies or related to the Hebrew-speaking world.
Prerequisite: HEB 651.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
History (HIS)

HIS 101. History of the United States, I (to 1877). 3 Credit Hours.
Political, social, and economic development of the United States through Reconstruction.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 102. History of the United States, II (since 1877). 3 Credit Hours.
Political, social, and economic development of the United States since Reconstruction.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 121. Emperors, Shoguns, and Concubines: East Asia, Origins-1800. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines the history of East Asia to 1800.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 122. The Dragon and the Rising Sun: East Asia, 1800-Present. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines the history of East Asia since 1800.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 131. Europe from Antiquity to 1600: An Expanding World. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of European history from antiquity to the early modern period, focusing on key political, social, economic, and cultural developments, as well as European interactions with the wider world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HIS 132. The Birth of Modernity: Europe 1648 to the Present. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of the development of the West from the formation of modern European nation states in the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries to the present, emphasizing the rivalry of European powers, the impact of European expansion, the effect of industrialism and revolution upon Western society, and the role of the New World.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 161. History of Latin America, I (to 1824). 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of Spanish and Portuguese America from the pre-Columbian era through the end of the colonial period.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HIS 162. History of Modern Latin America (1800-present). 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of the national period in Latin American history, emphasizing the political and social issues in the transition from colonialism to nationhood.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HIS 192. Studies in History. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

HIS 193. Studies in History. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

HIS 194. Studies in History. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
HIS 201. History of Africa I (to 1800). 3 Credit Hours.
History of Africa before the Colonial period, emphasizing sources for the study of African history, African political and social institutions, the slave trade, and "legitimate" trade and markets.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 202. History of Africa, II (since 1800). 3 Credit Hours.
The emergence of modern Africa from about 1800 to the present, emphasizing the European conquest of Africa, African responses to colonialism, independence and the post-independence period.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HIS 203. The African Diaspora in South Florida. 3 Credit Hours.
The African Diaspora in South Florida through a close analyses of three junctures in the history of the Black experience: The slave trade, abolition and emancipation; the migration of various African-descended peoples from the Caribbean and Latin America to South Florida; and the more recent arrival of people from the Africa.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HIS 209. African-American History to 1877. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HIS 210. African-American History, 1877-PRESENT. 3 Credit Hours.
History of people of African descent in the United States from 1877 to present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HIS 211. Epics, Gods, Kings: Pre-Mofern India 2500 B.C.E. to 1600 A.D.. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will explore the history, culture and political economy of India tracing it thematically from 2500 B.C.E. to 1600 A.D.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HIS 212. The Mughals and the British (1526-1947). 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of historical India, covering the modern states of India, Pakistan, and Bangladesh, that highlights social and religious identities, modernization, nationalism, the "women question," partition, and independence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 220. History of European Sexuality. 3 Credit Hours.
The history of European sexuality from the Greeks to the present day.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 223. Medicine and Society: From the Ancient World to the 21st Century. 3 Credit Hours.
Medicine and society presents a historical survey of the development of western medicine and public health from the earliest times to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
HIS 227. Nationalism: Love thy Brother, Hate thy Neighbor?. 3 Credit Hours.
This lower-division lecture course will offer an introductory thematic overview to the ideas and politics of nationalism throughout the globe.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 228. Holy War and Toleration in Western Religious Traditions. 3 Credit Hours.
An exploration of concepts of Holy War and Just War and of traditions of tolerance and intolerance in Judaism, Christianity, and Islam, from ancient times to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HIS 229. Consumer Society: A Global History. 3 Credit Hours.
In the United States we are surrounded today with a seemingly limitless variety of consumer goods, and we are offered constant reminders of the increasingly globalized nature of modern life. Too often, however, such commentary reflects a shocking lack of perspective about the origins and evolution of these trends. This course encourages a deeper understanding by exploring the history of how consumer societies emerged across the world. Spanning an arc from the eighteenth century to the present, the course looks at the social and cultural impact of global consumables (ranging from food to automobiles) in the Americas, Europe, Asia, and other regions. The readings and lectures consider the social, ethical, and environmental problems associated with the rise of global consumption.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HIS 246. Origins and History of the Russian Revolution. 3 Credit Hours.
The background and events of the Russian Revolution.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 253. History of Mexico: Guns and Tortillas, or, How Mexico Became Mexican. 3 Credit Hours.
Culture and ideology of the Mexican Revolution.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 254. History of the Cold War in the Americas. 3 Credit Hours.
Focusing on the late 1940s to late 1980s, this course examines the origins, evolution, and enduring consequences of the Cold War in the Americas. It explores key issues such as the emergence of new nationalist currents, the impact of U.S. intervention, competing visions of revolution and counter-revolution, and shifting definitions of democracy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HIS 255. Atlantic Crossings: Slavery in Latin America. 3 Credit Hours.
The history of African slavery in Latin America from the fifteenth century to the final abolition of slavery in Brazil in 1888.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HIS 261. Women’s America I (Nineteenth Century). 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the major currents in American women’s history during the Nineteenth Century.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HIS 262. Women’s America II (Twentieth Century). 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the major currents in American women’s history during the Twentieth Century.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HIS 266. The Founders: Fact and Fiction. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores the history of the American founders.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
HIS 267. Making History. 3 Credit Hours.
Focus is on a series of topics that allow students to deepen their understanding of the worlds we have often lost or about which we know little by approaching them in innovative historical ways. Topics will include Material Culture in Early America, Oral History and the Making of the Modern World, Caribbean Rituals, Law and Society in the Americas, as well as Early Modern Religious Cultures, among others. Recommended for potential History majors and minors, as students will benefit from limited class sizes, receive one-on-one attention from professors, and much emphasis is placed on learning researching and writing skills.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 269. Homosexuality: A Global History from Socrates to Harvey Milk and Beyond. 3 Credit Hours.
A global overview of male same-sex desire, love, sex, and culture. From ancient Greeks to Latin America to the modern gay rights movements, this class examines both behavior and ideology as they concern male homo- and bisexuality. Topics include: Socrates, ideal male love, ancient Romans, medieval and Renaissance Europe, Latin America, machismo, male love without sex, queer esthetics, gay rights movements, urban queer culture, film, literature, HN / AIDS, same-sex marriage, and the 21st century moment. Authors and filmmakers examined may include Plato, St. Augustine, Michel Foucault, David Halperin, Jamie O'Neill, Oscar Wilde, Jean Genet, Luis Zapata, Andre Gide, Jack Kerouac, Andrew Holleran, Gore Vidal, Tennessee Williams, Rainer Fassbinder, Kenneth Anger, James Baldwin.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HIS 271. American Political History Since 1960: Policy, Public History, and Modern Media. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores selective elements of modern American politics, policy studies, media, and public history, predominantly since 1960.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 272. Hawai'i and the Pacific World: Or, How Surfing Colonized California and the World. 3 Credit Hours.
On the surface this is a class about surfing. But to understand surfing is to study the history of Hawai'i. This course examines the history of Hawai'i and of the sport which Hawai'ians developed and created, surfing. This course traces the early history of ancient Hawai'i, when navigating migrants traveled between Polynesia and Hawai'i until they ceased contact. Traditional Hawai'i was governed by complex social and ritual systems, bound by the concept of kapu, or taboo. The class analyzes the process by which Hawai'i went from being a united kingdom to missionary outpost and target of pineapple plantations; to a U.S. territory which specifically disenfranchised native Hawai'ians; to the near suppression of surfing. The resulting Hawaiian Renaissance reshaped images of Hawai'i and surfing and surfing found willing converts in California. Other topics include the history of surfing styles and competition; comparative surf breaks and shore cultures; California dreamin', the feeling you get when you hear the Eagles; beach bums; professional surf competitions and O'ahu North Shore culture; spam and plate lunch; the broader Pacific world; castaways; fur traders; tuna and canning industry; fishermen.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 282. The History of Zionism. 3 Credit Hours.
The religious, cultural, historical, political and social underpinnings of the development of Zionism that fed to the creation of the State of Israel. Through readings, analysis of speeches and essays, exploration of films and the internet, the class will move through time from the origins of the Zionist idea to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 284. The Second World War. 3 Credit Hours.
The Second World War: Analysis of its origins, the military and political course of events, and its consequences, such as the cold war.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 285. The origins and history of the Third Reich. 3 Credit Hours.
This lecture course offers a comprehensive survey of the history of Nazi Germany from early pre-fascist movements before World War I to the final ignominious collapse of the Nazi regime in 1945.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
HIS 290. The Beach: The Beach as Place, Space, and Event in World Historical Context. 3 Credit Hours.
History of the beach as a particular geographic place and space in human history in comparative world context. Themes and issues include tourism, socio-economic factors in beach access, beach-related industries, immigration, cultural contact, exploration, "beach life," surfing, ethnicity, segregation, and politics of real estate.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HIS 291. The Sea in History. 3 Credit Hours.
Human relations with the sea from prehistoric times to the present and across the globe. It will look at the spread of peoples, ideas, religions, and goods across the seas, and the role of networks, empires, and navies in this history.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HIS 292. Transfer Credits. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses for which there is no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

HIS 293. Transfer Credits. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses for which there is no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

HIS 294. Transfer Credits. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses for which there is no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

HIS 296. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated parenthetically following course title in class schedules.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

HIS 297. History Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
Provides history students with the opportunity to obtain credit for an internship with the approval and under the close supervision of a faculty member.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 301. Miami Engagement: History, Media, and Social Change. 3 Credit Hours.
This seminar-style course will examine the history, theory, and practice of civic engagement, community history, and social change in the United States. We will look at four overlapping areas of interest: the meanings of civic engagement in American history; the roles of history and memory in shaping place and community; the role of the media in structuring stories about history and community; and grass-roots activism and its role in reinvigorating and reshaping public spheres in America. We will pay particular attention to the factors that have promoted inclusion and engagement, as well as those that have led to disenfranchisement and alienation. We will look at efforts by local, national, and even global activists to connect to communities large and small. And we will ask how the issues of memory, place, community, civil society, and global citizenship form a matrix around which to understand and shape broad-based collaboration among students, faculty, community residents, and civic organizations.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HIS 302. History on Trial: Law and American Society. 3 Credit Hours.
The relationship between social history, the law, and politics in American society. More than legal history, this is a problem-based, interdisciplinary course that bridges history, political science, legal studies, and sociology to understand the historical context that informs major lawsuits that shaped American Jurisprudence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
HIS 304. Slavery and Cinema: Commodifying History in Hollywood. 3 Credit Hours.
Spanning a century of films, slavery is a topic that attracts filmmakers and audiences alike, creating some of the most acclaimed blockbusters and the most disparaged films in the industry. Within this broad sweep, the course will engage two animating questions: 1) in what ways, and why, have depictions of slavery changed over a century and 2) what is at stake when mass culture commodities history?
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HIS 306. The Modern Near East. 3 Credit Hours.
The Near East since 1453, emphasizing the Ottoman Empire, Arab nationalism and Zionism, the Mandate System, and the Arab-Israeli conflict.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 308. West Africa since 1000 A.D.. 3 Credit Hours.
The Sudanic empires, the spread of Islam, the slave and legitimate trades, the establishment of European colonies, and the struggle for independence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 309. History of Southern Africa. 3 Credit Hours.
The establishment of the Dutch settlements and the apartheid system, African responses to European domination, and the collapse of apartheid and the emergence of a multi-racial South Africa.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 310. Africa in Cuba/Cuba in Africa: Slave Trade to Cuban Internationalist Missions in Africa.. 3 Credit Hours.
The relationship between Cuba and Africa from the period of the slave trade to the late 1990s.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 311. Gandhi and the making of Modern India. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will study Gandhi's practice of civil disobedience and non-violent movement against the British Empire, as well as his theories and praxis regarding moral discipline, critique of modernity and alternative vision of civil society and policy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HIS 312. Femininity, Masculinity, and Sexual Politics in Indian History. 3 Credit Hours.
A thematic study of gender and sex in ancient, medieval, and modern India, focusing on social constructions of identity, sexual politics, social and religious gender roles, and contested histories of womanhood.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 313. Bollywood and Beyond: Religion, Gender and Politics in South Asian Film. 3 Credit Hours.
Themes in Indian society through the lens of Indian cinema - both Bollywood and the regional film industry. The important themes covered are: the complex narratives of caste, myth, politics, gender, sexuality, and the challenges of modernity in India.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 315. Imperial China. 3 Credit Hours.
History of China from the origins of Chinese civilization to 1798.
Prerequisite: One HIS Course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 316. Modern China. 3 Credit Hours.
Rise of a Superpower.
Prerequisite: One HIS Course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
HIS 317. History of the Caribbean, I. 3 Credit Hours.
Caribbean history major topics, debates, and themes from the fifteenth to early nineteenth centuries; the centrality of the Caribbean to larger world
histories of conquest, colonialism, slavery and emancipation, capitalism, migration, religious transformation, republicanism, and nation-state
formation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 318. Modern Caribbean History. 3 Credit Hours.
Major topics, debates, and themes in Caribbean history from the late eighteenth century to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 325. The Early Middle Ages: Europe, 450-1095. 3 Credit Hours.
Western historical development from the collapse of the classical ancient world to Europe's emergence as a distinct and viable civilization.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 326. The High and Late Middle Ages: Europe 1095-1500. 3 Credit Hours.
The mature medieval civilization and its transformation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 327. The Renaissance in Italy. 3 Credit Hours.
Cultural, social, economic, religious and political life in Renaissance Italy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 328. Reformation Europe. 3 Credit Hours.
The history of the 16th-century religious revolution known as the Reformation. Course focuses on its causes, development, and especially its political,
social, and cultural consequences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 330. The Scientific Revolution. 3 Credit Hours.
Transition between medieval science and Newtonian physics, focusing on sixteenth- and seventeenth-century developments in medicine, cosmology,
physics, and scientific method.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 331. England to the Accession of the Tudor Dynasty (to 1485). 3 Credit Hours.
The Creation of England and its development during the medieval period.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 332. England, 1485-1688. 3 Credit Hours.
England under the Tudors and Stuarts. Topics include: the monarchs and the monarchy; relations between England, Ireland, and Scotland; Henry VIII
and the English Reformation; puritanism and society; popular culture; the city of London; the English Civil War; the "Glorious Revolution" of 1688.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 333. England and the Empire in the Age of Queen Victoria (1815-1901). 3 Credit Hours.
Victorian Britain, emphasizing the manners, politics, and empire building, and the exploitation and humanitarianism of the century of Pax Britannica.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
HIS 334. Britain and the Commonwealth in the Twentieth Century. 3 Credit Hours.
The challenges and changes in Britain and its overseas dominions in the century of total war.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 335. The French Revolution and Napoleon (1789-1815). 3 Credit Hours.
An analysis of French history from the Revolution to the collapse of the Napoleonic Empire, stressing the passing of feudalism in France.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 336. Modern French History. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the political, social, cultural, economic, and military history of France since 1870. Major themes include power and decline, the weight of historical memories, issues of French identity, and the central role of the French state.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 337. Modern European Jewish History. 3 Credit Hours.
Jewish history in Europe since 1789, emphasizing the effects of the Enlightenment, nationalism and Nazism, Jewish life in Western Europe and in the communist bloc, and the impact of Israel.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 338. The Holocaust in Historical Perspective. 3 Credit Hours.
The evolution and implementation of the theory of racialism in imperial Germany and the Third Reich.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 339. From Luther to Napoleon: Germany, 1500-1800. 3 Credit Hours.
German history from the Reformation through the reorganization of the German states after the Napoleonic Wars (1815) with emphasis on the federal character of early modern Germany, religion, and topics of social and economic change.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 340. History of Modern Germany since 1815. 3 Credit Hours.
German history since 1815 concentrating on the political and social history of the German Empire, Germany's role in World War I, the Weimar Republic and the rise of Hitler, Nazi Germany, and developments since 1945.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 341. History of the Third Reich. 3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive survey of the history of Nazi Germany from the pre-fascist movements before World War I to the final collapse of the Nazi regime in 1945.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 343. Ages of Gold and Silver: An Economic and Social History of Europe, 1450-1750. 3 Credit Hours.
Economic and social history of Europe in the early modern period. Writing intensive course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 346. Imperial Russia. 3 Credit Hours.
Domestic political, social, economic and cultural developments, and foreign affairs in Russia from the beginning of the 19th century to the Russian Revolution of 1917.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
HIS 347. Soviet Union and Post-Soviet Russia. 3 Credit Hours.
The Soviet Union from the Russian Revolution (1917) to the disintegration of the USSR (1991), and the post-Soviet period to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 348. Europe in the Age of Hitler and Stalin. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers European history between 1914 and 1945. Principal topics include the experience of two world wars, the rise of fascism and communism, the challenge of democracy, and the failure to secure a lasting peace.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 349. The Rise and Fall of the European Great Power between Napoleon and the Cold War. 3 Credit Hours.
European Diplomatic History from the Revolutions of 1848 to the Cold War period.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HIS 350. Europe and the World in Modern Times. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines European relations with the wider world over the past several centuries. It combines the perspectives of the history of European exploration and expansion, imperialism and decolonization, global transport and trade, world wars, and globalization.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 351. Science and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
The relationships between science and society, historically and in contemporary life.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 352. The Inquisition. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 353. History of Cuba. 3 Credit Hours.
The development of the Cuban nation, emphasizing the nineteenth and twentieth centuries and the Castro revolution. This course will concentrate on studying "Cuba After Castro". We will analyze various scenarios for "change" and what implications these will have for the next administration in Washington DC as well as in other parts of the world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 354. Latin America's Urban Explosion: 1900-2010. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines major facets of Latin America's urban transformation, 1900-2010. Studies urbanization from the perspectives of multiple disciplines including architecture, photography, art history, music, cultural studies and political science. Major themes include: architectural modernization and cultural change; industrialization and the emergence of professional sports; rural-urban migration and the proliferation of shanty towns; the emergence of mass politics; the expansion of the informal sectors; and the growth of social violence, drugs and crime.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HIS 355. Modern Brazil. 3 Credit Hours.
The history and culture of modern Brazil.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
HIS 356. History of Argentina's Civilization, Barbarism, and Power. 3 Credit Hours.
How did a country that was supposedly so prosperous and advanced become a land of perennial crisis? Countless observers have posed variations on this question in seeking to make sense of the "Argentine riddle". This class will provide students with an introduction to the fascinating history of Argentina. We will reject pat explanations of the "riddle" to examine instead the array of cultural, political, and economic forces that have shaped Argentine society.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 357. Social History of Latin America. 3 Credit Hours.
Demographic changes, race and ethnic relations, immigration, and urbanization.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 359. Caribbean Intellectual History. 3 Credit Hours.
Nineteenth and twentieth-century Caribbean political and social thought. Connects the history of ideas to the history of social movements in the region. Links international, intellectual, political and artistic currents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HIS 360. Modern Latin America Through Film. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of films with regard to their historical value and their impact on forming historical perceptions about modern Latin America.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 361. American Colonial History (1607-1763). 3 Credit Hours.
History of the British mainland colonies from the establishment of Jamestown to the end of the French and Indian War.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 362. The American Revolution (1763-1783). 3 Credit Hours.
The political, social, and constitutional issues that culminated in the Declaration of Independence, and the achievement of American nationhood.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 363. The Early Republic (1783-1850). 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the constitutional, political, territorial, economic, and social development of the United States from the end of the American Revolution to the Compromise of 1850.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 364. Civil War and Reconstruction (1850-1877). 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the origins of the American Civil War, emphasizing the economic, political and social, as well as military aspects of the conflict, and the course and consequence of the Reconstruction period.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 365. Emergence of Modern America (1877-1917). 3 Credit Hours.
United States from the end of Reconstruction to the First World War.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 366. America in Crisis (1917-1945). 3 Credit Hours.
The United States from World War I through World War II.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
HIS 367. Contemporary America. 3 Credit Hours.
The United States since World War II.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 368. Nature and the Environment in American History. 3 Credit Hours.
Shifting attitudes toward nature and the environment in American history; the rise of environmentalism and changes in public policy related to environmental conservation and preservation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 369. Introduction to Urban America. 3 Credit Hours.
The changing role of the city in American history. The built environment. The interaction of the built environment and the lives of residents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 370. Storied Pasts: 19th Century U.S. History and Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
19th-century American intellectual and cultural history through the lens of literature. Analyzing key works of fiction, poetry and philosophy as both literary texts and historical sources, we will seek to discover how the changing themes and forms of nineteenth-century literature shaped and/or reflected larger intellectual, political and social currents. Students will read novels by authors such as Hawthorne, Melville, Twain, Jewett, Gilman, James, Wharton, and Crane, alongside historical material.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

HIS 371. Immigration, Race and Ethnicity in American History. 3 Credit Hours.
Migration and immigration in 19th- and 20th-century in the United States. How Americans have understood themselves as part of a multicultural society, and how ethnic and racial identities have been defined throughout American history.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 372. The Sixties. 3 Credit Hours.
The culture and history of the 1960s in the United States through writings, film, music, and the experience of faculty members who participated in important events during this era of major conflict and change.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 373. The Civil Rights Movement. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the modern Civil Rights Movement, one of the most profound occurrences in the history of the United States of America, and examines how it reshaped the nation, from politics and the economy to social relations and cultural values.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 374. History of Feminism. 3 Credit Hours.
History of feminism with a focus on the United States.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 376. American Legal and Constitutional History. 3 Credit Hours.
The development of legal thought and practice in the context of American politics, economy and ideology during the twentieth century. Special consideration will be given to social movements and their treatment under the rule of law.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 377. Sport in American History. 3 Credit Hours.
The role of sport in American culture. Sports relation to urban growth, professionalism, ethnic identity and assimilation, nationalism, and consumption.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
HIS 379. History of the Old South (1607-1861). 3 Credit Hours.
The American South from Jamestown to secession, emphasizing the development of plantation society, the rise of internal and external conflict, and the shaping of the idea of the "Old" South.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 380. The New South (since 1877). 3 Credit Hours.
History of the U.S. South from "Redemption" to the present, emphasizing Populism, Progressivism, the idea of a "New" South, and the civil rights movement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 381. History of Florida. 3 Credit Hours.
Florida from its discovery, exploration, and colonization to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 382. Ideas and Culture in Early American History. 0-3 Credit Hours.
Intellectual and cultural history in America from the colonial period to the Civil War, focusing on developments in religion, philosophy, political and social theory, and the arts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HIS 383. Ideas and Culture in Modern United States History. 3 Credit Hours.
American Social Movements.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 385. White Man's Burden: Building the US Empire Before 1914. 3 Credit Hours.
American statesmen long asserted they bore a "white man's burden" to "uplift and civilize" the globe. This course explores the ideology of U.S. Empire to understand how the nation went from thirteen colonies to a continental and global power.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HIS 386. The Vietnam War. 3 Credit Hours.
U.S. involvement in Vietnam from 1945 to 1973, emphasizing the diplomatic and military components.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 387. Nineteenth-Century Europe: Barricades, Borders, and Bourgeoisie. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey of 19th-century Europe from the French Revolution to World War I, focusing on political and cultural history.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HIS 388. Europe after Hitler. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey of European History from the end of World War II, focusing on political and cultural developments.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 389. The History of Everyday Life. 3 Credit Hours.
The History of everyday life in early modern Europe (ca. 1500-1700). We will study how Europeans experienced and made sense of their environment, their communities, relationships, time, the self, the stages of life, food, drugs, work, and recreation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
HIS 392. Transfer Credits. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

HIS 393. Transfer Credits. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

HIS 394. Transfer Credits. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

HIS 395. World War I. 3 Credit Hours.
The military and political history of the First World War (1914-1918), beginning with a survey of military and naval developments in the early 20th Century and the diplomatic background of the war.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 396. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated parenthetically following course title in class schedules.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

HIS 397. History Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
Provides history students with the opportunity to obtain credit for an internship with the approval and under the close supervision of a faculty member.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 401. Directed Readings in African History. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 411. Directed Readings in Asian History. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 412. Mahatma Gandhi and Martin Luther King Jr: A Call to Civic Engagement. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected works of M.K. Gandhi and Martin Luther King Jr. and their legacies and impact on the field of community service and civic engagement. The class will be organized into three modules - 1) academic learning inside the classroom, 2) work on similar themes in the community, 3) reflections of civic engagement before, during, and after conclusion of modules. Through a detailed study of Gandhi and King’s writings, speeches, archival and visual materials we will explore their theories and praxis of engaged citizenry, political, social and economic justice. Students will be paired with City Year Miami based in Miami-Dade County that works in areas of education access and closing the gap in marginalized communities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HIS 421. Directed Readings in European History. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
HIS 447. Global History of Communism. 3 Credit Hours.
The evolution of both Marxian theory and communist societies. How are Marxism-Leninism, Stalinism, Maoism, and other schools of thought different from one another and from the writings of Karl Marx and Friedrich Engels? What is the history of the global communist movement in the 20th century, and during the Cold War in particular? We will discuss the Soviet Union, as well as other case studies from around the world to explore the diversity of the socialist world and its cultural, intellectual, economic, and political networks. Students will develop skills in analytical thought, vocal and written expression, and GIS tools that they will use in a StoryMap final assignment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 451. Directed Readings in Latin-American History. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 461. Directed Readings in United States History. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 491. Directed Readings in Comparative History. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 501. Studies in African History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in African history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 511. Studies in Asian History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in Asian history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 515. Studies in Chinese History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in Chinese history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 531. Studies in European History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in European history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 534. Studies in Ancient History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in Ancient history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
HIS 535. The History of Rivers. 3 Credit Hours.
This undergraduate seminar examines how human history has entwined with rivers and river valleys and how, consequently the history of rivers has been written as human history along rivers. The format will combine seminar discussions with a term paper on a single river’s history.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HIS 536. Studies in Medieval History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in Medieval history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 538. Studies in Early Modern European History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in European history before the French Revolution. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

HIS 544. Studies in Modern European History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in European history after the French Revolution. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 551. Studies in United States History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in United States history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

HIS 553. Studies in Colonial Latin American History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in the colonial period of Latin-American history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 554. Studies in Modern Latin American History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in Latin-American history before and after Independence. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 561. Studies in American Intellectual and Cultural History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in American intellectual and cultural history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
HIS 565. Studies in American Political and Diplomatic History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in American political and diplomatic history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 569. Studies in African-American History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in African-American history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 570. Studies in Public History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in public history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 591. Studies in Comparative History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in Comparative History. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 592. Transfer Credits. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 593. Transfer Credits. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 594. Transfer Credits. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

HIS 595. Studies in Visual History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in the use of photographs and other visual evidence for historical purposes. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 597. Semester 1 of 2-semester senior honors thesis program. 3 Credit Hours.
A demanding and intellectually exciting two-semester honors track. It affords an opportunity for students to pursue their particular research interest and to engage with a lively cohort of other honors students in an organized seminar format.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HIS 598. Second semester in a 2-semester senior honors thesis program. 3 Credit Hours.
The second semester of a demanding and intellectually exciting two-semester honors track. In this the second semester students will focus on interpreting their original research, presenting initial findings in the seminar format, writing a rough draft of the thesis essay, and revising that draft in order to complete and present their final honors thesis essay at the end of the semester.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
HIS 599. Independent Research. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 602. Studies in African History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in African history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 611. Studies in Asian History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in Asian history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 632. Studies in Early Modern European History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in European history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 633. Seminar in European History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in European History.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 634. Seminar in Ancient History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in Ancient History.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 635. The History of Rivers. 3 Credit Hours.
This graduate seminar examines how human history has entwined with rivers and river valleys and how, consequently the history of rivers has been written as human history along rivers. The format will combine seminar discussions with a term paper in the format of an historiographical essay on rivers and history.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HIS 636. Studies in Medieval History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in Medieval history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 638. Studies in Early Modern European History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in European history before the French Revolution. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

HIS 641. Field Preparation: Colonial Latin America. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to central historical issues and historiographical debates in the field of Colonial Latin America.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
HIS 646. Studies in Modern European History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in European history after the French Revolution. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 652. Studies in Latin American History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in Latin-American history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 654. Studies in Modern Latin American History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in Latin-American history before and after Independence. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 655. Studies in Colonial Latin American History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in the colonial period of Latin-American history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 662. Studies in United States History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in United States history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 664. Studies in American Intellectual and Cultural History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in American intellectual and cultural history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

HIS 665. Studies in American Political and Diplomatic History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in American political and diplomatic history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 669. Studies in African-American History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in African-American history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 670. Studies in Public History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in public history. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
HIS 697. Studies in Visual History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in the use of photographs and other visual evidence for historical purposes. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 701. Research Seminar Part 1. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in Comparative History.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 702. Research Seminar Part 2. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in Comparative History.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 703. Directed Readings in African History. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 704. Directed Readings in Asian History. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 705. Directed Readings in European History. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 706. Directed Readings in Latin-American History. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 707. Directed Readings in American History. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 708. Directed Readings in Comparative History. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 709. Field Preparation: Colonial and Revolutionary America. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to central historical issues and historiographical debates in the field of Colonial and Revolutionary America.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 711. Nineteenth-Century United States Field Preparation. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of some of the major themes recent developments and debates in nineteenth-century United States historiography from the Early Republic through Reconstruction. The seminar does not alone constitute sufficient preparation for the comprehensive exam in Modern American history, but it does seek to introduce students to some of the important trends in recent scholarly work.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
HIS 712. Field Preparation: Modern America. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to central historical issues and historiographical debates in the field of Modern America.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 713. Field Preparation: Medieval Europe. 3 Credit Hours.
The central historical issues and historiographical debates in the field of Medieval European History.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HIS 714. Field Preparation: Early Modern Europe. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to central historical issues and historiographical debates in the field of Early Modern Europe.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 715. Modern Europe Field Preparation. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to prepare students for the Modern European Field Comprehensive Exam by introducing them to leading works and diverse approaches in the study, writing, and interpretation of modern European history. The choice of readings will be selective, but in range and significance they will provide students with a foundation for further command of the field.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 716. Caribbean Field Prep. 3 Credit Hours.
Graduate student preparation for a comprehensive exam area in Caribbean history, centering on the late eighteenth through early twentieth centuries. Students will have the chance to read, discuss, and place in conversation influential works on topics including: Caribbean slavery and anti-slavery; the Haitian Revolution and its reverberations; "second slavery" in Cuba; emancipation in the British Caribbean and across the region; struggles on the parts of formerly enslaved people and their descendants over land, labor, and citizenship; the arrival and experience of Indian, Chinese, and West African indentured workers in pre-and post-emancipation Caribbean societies; the Cuban wars of independence; and the U.S. annexation of Puerto Rico and occupations of Cuba, Haiti, and the Dominican Republic. The course will focus on major themes, debates, and questions in the historiographical literature and is designed to encourage comparative analysis.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 718. Field Preparation: Modern Latin America. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to central historical issues and historiographical debates in the field of Modern Latin America.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 721. Historiography. 3 Credit Hours.
The philosophy, theory, and practice of history.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 722. Dissertation Prospectus Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will develop a strong dissertation prospectus. This class will operate as a writing workshop, for which each student will write and revise several draft of a prospectus that will be critiqued by the student's advisor, the professor teaching the course, and fellow students. At the end of the semester, students will give oral presentation about their proposed projects to the department.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HIS 723. Directed Readings. 3 Credit Hours.
This will be a directed readings course in the historiography of the general subject area relevant to a major research paper. Graduate students will take this course as a continuation of a general historiography class to focus on the topic most relevant to their archival works.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.
HIS 724. Directed Research. 3 Credit Hours.
This will be a directed research course in which students will conduct primary source research that will provide the evidentiary foundation for a major paper. Focusing on a research question that they identified in the course of HIS 723 (Directed Readings), they will produce and execute a research plan under the guidance of a supervising professor. Students will produce weekly research reports and a final essay that develops a historical argument based on the research conducted over the course of the term.

Components: RSC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

HIS 760. Seminar in Latin-American History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in Latin-American History.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 761. Seminar in United States History. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in United States History.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 762. History as a Profession. 3 Credit Hours.
Practical experience for graduate students in designing courses; preparing lectures, conference papers and scholarly publications; and in applying for jobs and research grants
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 763. Science, Magic, and Medicine in the Early Modern World. 3 Credit Hours.
To prepare graduate students for their comprehensive examinations in early modern history by introducing them to leading works, diverse approaches, and new methodologies in the history of science, magic, and medicine. The choice of readings will be selective and may change over the course of time, but in any case the course materials will provide students with a good foundation for further exploration of the field.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

HIS 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master's degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in HIS 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 825. Continuous Registration--Master's Study. 1 Credit Hour.
To establish residence for non-thesis master's students who are preparing for major examinations. Credit not granted. Regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but for not less than a total of 12 hours. Up to 12 hours may be taken in a regular semester, but not more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
HIS 840. Post-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. who have advanced to candidacy. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but not for less than a total of 12. Not more than 12 hours of HIS 740 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HIS 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D. and D.A., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

Honors and Academic Enhancement (HON)

HON 323. Topics in Humanities. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HON 330. Books That Matter. 3 Credit Hours.
Especially designed for Foote Fellows, the BOOKS THAT MATTER seminar offers an opportunity to study major works of non-fiction in a seminar-style setting, under the guidance of faculty members from across the University. We examine important works which, by means of their strong, connected argumentation, challenge the way we respond to, interpret, and shape reality. Emphasis in the course falls mainly on the logical structure embedded deep within the text, and less on content per se, so that a student’s effort is not directed towards a reading of “great books” but rather the discovery of “significant arguments.” Our rationale is to address a fundamental need in education too often lost in the midst of other demands, interests, and requirements: by learning to read, question, and enjoy important intellectual studies of the past and present, students will be able to read, question, and enjoy what will be the influential books of non-fiction published in their lifetime, whether in public affairs, science, social science, economics, history, film and media studies, philosophy, psychology, etc. The course provides standards of measurement and value by which students can gauge how and why books succeed or fail on hard logical grounds.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HON 351. Topics in the Natural Sciences. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

Human Genetics and Genomics (HGG)

HGG 601. Seminar/Journal Club. 1 Credit Hour.
All active HGG students participate in the Seminar/Journal Club each semester. Sessions rotate between seminar, journal club, and research-in-progress. Twice per month, students attend the HGG seminar speaker series. Once per month, students present their own work in short research-in-progress talks. Once per month, students participate in a journal club, featuring student-led discussions of published papers.
Components: SEM.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HGG 621. Design and Analysis of Human Genomic Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers study designs and analytic approaches commonly used in human genetic and genomic studies. Major topic areas include 1) study designs for genetic epidemiology; 2) experimental designs for assessing variation in DNA sequence, RNA expression, and epigenetic marks; 3) analytic approaches for genetic association, gene expression, and epigenetic data; 4) evaluation of epistasis, gene-environment interaction, and application of systems biology approaches to high-dimensional genomic data. Class sessions will feature a mixture of lecture, discussion of primary literature, and hands-on computational workshops. Prerequisite: HGG 661-Introduction to R Programming.
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Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
HGG 630. Variation and Disease. 2 Credit Hours.
This course provides an overview of the science of genetics, including historical and modern approaches, with emphasis on the underlying mechanisms of human genomic variation and their relation to human disease. After taking this course, the student will be able to list the different types of human genomic variation, explain the mechanism by which each occurs, and discuss the consequences of the variations. Where appropriate, specific examples of human disorders will be related to the variations. Topics include: chromosomal, biochemical, and DNA sequence variation, mitochondrial genome variation and epigenetic effects. The course structure consists of a combination of lectures and discussion of primary literature. Course includes two 1.5 hour lectures and a 1.5 hour computer lab.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HGG 631. Genes in Populations. 3 Credit Hours.
This class is a survey of topics in population and statistical genetics. Basic concepts and methods will be covered including: Hardy-Weinberg equilibrium, sources of variation, population substructure (drift, fixation, differentiation, inbreeding and F statistics), relatedness and heritability, quantitative and qualitative trait loci, selection (natural and artificial), and molecular evolution. The course is lecture-based but will include readings from the text and primary literature.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

HGG 640. Family Studies and Genetic Analysis. 2 Credit Hours.
The focus of this course is the use of families in the study of genetic disorders and traits. Both qualitative and quantitative phenotypes will be studied. Major topics covered include: heritability, heterogeneity, segregation analysis and linkage analysis. By the end of the course, the student will be able to design and carry-out a family based mapping study. The course consists of two 1.5 hour didactic lectures and a 1.5 hour computer lab during which students will obtain practical experience in running the relevant computer programs using data from various studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HGG 650. Advanced Topics in Molecular Genetics. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics will include human microRNAs, the neurobiology of aging, structural variation, modern genome technology, among others. The course structure will consist primarily of discussions and analysis of primary literature.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HGG 660. Bioinformatics Theory and Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
In this course, we will focus on application of high throughput genomic technologies in a variety of biological contexts. The expectation would be to achieve the following course learning objectives: 1) Gain familiarity with the technologies and techniques available for high throughput genomic studies; 2) Understand the data outputs and how to store/manipulate/analyze/interpret results; 3) Work with high performance computing in the area of genomic analysis; 4) Become aware and be able to use tools for genomic data storage, annotation, and curation; 5) Critically plan and perform quality control of analysis pipelines and results; 6) Share results of genomic data through communication and visualization techniques. Prerequisites: HGG 661-Introduction to R Programming. Familiarity with basic genetics, genome structure, and the methods and approaches of molecular biology are necessary. Please ask for primers on these topics if you do not have a Biology background. In addition, basic knowledge in the Unix environment and basic operations is required. Materials will be distributed in the first week of class to address.
Prerequisite: HGG 661-Introduction to R Programming.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

HGG 661. Introduction to R Programming for the Biomedical Sciences. 2 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to the R statistical programming language, with an emphasis on analysis of biomedical data. Topics will include R syntax, logic, and data types as well as statistical analyses, plotting and figures, environment management and administration, and other topics. Applications and examples will focus on biomedical data, including genetics and genomics. Familiarity with computer programming logic (i.e., boolean operations, if/then/else logic, for/while loops) is recommended, but previous experience with R is not required. Prerequisite: PIB 705 or equivalent statistical analysis course is required.
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Components: PRA.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Summer.
HGG 680. Genome Ethics and Public Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will explore current and future applications of human genetics as they pertain to the health and identity of individuals and society. Topics will include the ethical dilemmas facing clinicians, researchers, and the public pertaining to the use of genetic information in healthcare; the role of the media and other extemporaneous factors in influencing the use of human genetic information, and responsible conduct of research specifically with regard to issues unique to genetics. The emphasis will be on real examples and experiences, with a primary goal of helping students explore how their role as a researcher and/or citizen will influence and be influenced by genetic information. The course is largely discussion based and includes extensive readings from the literature and online videos.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

HGG 681. Human Genetics Clinical Rotation. 1 Credit Hour.
HGG students participate in medical genetics clinic post clinical rounds, metabolic-sign out and journal clubs. During clinic, students observe clinical evaluations and counseling, and participate in weekly didactic sessions with faculty and residents. This can be completed any time after passing the Qualifying Examination in Fall of Year 3, and Admission to Candidacy is achieved, and will be graded as a one-credit pass-fail course.
Components: CLN.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

HGG 689. Human Genetics and Genomics Teaching Practicum. 1 Credit Hour.
HGG students serve one semester as a teaching assistant for a core course. This experience will include giving at least one lecture, leading small group discussions, and holding regular office hours to discuss student questions. This can be completed any time after passing the Qualifying Examination in Fall of Year 3, and Admission to Candidacy is achieved, and will be graded as a one-credit pass-fail course.
Components: PRA.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

HGG 830. Doctoral Dissertation - Pre-Candidacy. 1-12 Credit Hours.
1-12 credit course for Doctoral candidates working on pre-candidacy dissertation.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

HGG 840. Doctoral Dissertation - Post Candidacy. 1-12 Credit Hours.
1-12 credit course for Doctoral Candidates working on dissertation post candidacy.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

HGG 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for Ph.D. after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Industrial Engineering (IEN)

IEN 111. Introduction to Engineering I. 3 Credit Hours.
Use of engineering tools and computer techniques for problem solving, data acquisition, analysis, presentation, software design, and computer aided drafting. Development of design skills through several design and building competitions. Introduction to professional ethics, intellectual property, ethics, intellectual property rights, and an introduction to use of MATLAB, AutoCAD, and programming in C++.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

IEN 112. Introduction to Engineering II. 2 Credit Hours.
Continuation of IEN 111. An overview of Industrial Engineering concepts and issues important to the design and operation of industrial and service systems. Students will learn the use of software tools developed to enhance the Industrial Engineer’s ability such as database management, high level programming languages, electronic spreadsheets, and computer graphics.
Prerequisite: IEN 111.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
IEN 201. Methods Analysis and Work Measurement. 3 Credit Hours.
Design of improved methods for doing work based on effective human effort. Time standardization of productive operations by work measurement, predetermined time systems, and activity sampling are discussed. Tools and charts for methods analysis are discussed and use of Microsoft Visio is emphasized and reviewed.
Prerequisite: IEN 112.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

IEN 306. Manufacturing Processes. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic and applied sciences in processing of materials. Effects of processing on the manufactured parts, selection of processing methods, and their relation with material properties. Contemporary and non-traditional processes used in manufacturing are also covered.
Prerequisite: CHM 121 or CHM 151 and PHY 221.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

IEN 310. Introduction to Engineering Probability. 3 Credit Hours.
Axioms of probability, discrete and continuous random variables, probability density functions, cumulative distribution function, expectation, conditioning, independence, functions of random variables, multiple random variables, sums of random variables, introduction to statistical analysis, estimation, and hypothesis testing. Cross-listed with EEN 310.
Prerequisite: MTH 162 and Requisite: Junior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

IEN 311. Applied Probability and Statistics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers fundamental probability concepts, random variables, mathematical expectation, discrete and continuous probability distributions, sampling distributions, point and interval estimation, hypothesis testing, and simple linear regression and correlation. The use of Minitab, a statistical software application, is emphasized. Examples are drawn from various disciplines.
Prerequisite: MTH 162.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

IEN 312. Applied Statistical Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
Linear regression, multiple regression, analysis of variance, and design of experiments are discussed. Cross-listed with MAS 312.
Prerequisite: IEN 310 or ECE 310 or IEN 311 or MAS 311 or equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 351. Industrial Safety Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic principles of accident prevention and safety engineering approach to the design of mechanical equipment, facilities, and manufacturing processes. Analysis and design of fire prevention procedures and accident control procedures in industry are included.
Requisite: Junior Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 360. Productivity Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Definitions and scope of productivity engineering and management. The productivity cycle. Productivity measurement, evaluation, improvement—discussion and examples. Productivity planning and improvement through the application of industrial and systems engineering techniques. Discussion of individual techniques with examples. Application potential of the course in real life situations.
Prerequisite: MTH 162.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 361. Industrial Cost Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of financial statements and cost factors in manufacturing and service systems. Cost accounting methods, job order costing and process costing approaches. Deterministic and probabilistic estimates of cost.
Prerequisite: MTH 162. And IEN 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
IEN 363. Project Management for Engineers. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will help students develop a basic understanding of the key concepts, theories, tools, and methodologies of project management. Students will be introduced to the different phases of managing projects from conception to termination with particular emphasis on planning, scheduling, resource allocation, monitoring and control. The course will utilize a case-study-based approach in analyzing the techniques and methods of project management.
Requisite: Junior Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 372. Emerging Technologies and the Creation of Technological Innovations. 3 Credit Hours.
A variety of emerging technologies will be discussed (nanotechnology, energy technologies, information technologies, biotechnologies, etc). The process of utilization in innovations will be covered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

IEN 380. Engineering Economy. 3 Credit Hours.
Engineering Economy Fundamentals. Interest and money-time relationship, methods of making economic decisions, risk and uncertainty, sensitivity analysis, selections among multiple alternatives, depreciation, benefit-cost analysis, replacement studies, minimum cost analysis, and related topics.
Prerequisite: MTH 162.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 399. Internship. 1 Credit Hour.
Practical application of classroom theory through employment with firms offering positions consistent with the student's field of study. Course may be repeated.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

IEN 406. Computer-Aided Manufacturing. 3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive view of manufacturing with a focus on design, automation, and the use of computers in manufacturing. The topics include computer-aided design, communications, programmable logic controllers, CNC machining, industrial robots, process planning, and computer-integrated manufacturing. Laboratory projects are an integral part of the course.
Prerequisite: CHM 121 or CHM 151 and PHY 221.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

IEN 407. Product Design for Manufacturing. 3 Credit Hours.
The different phases of engineering design process. Guided Iteration Methodology for product design. Topics include design for manufacturing (DFM), best practices of product realization, solid modeling using SolidWorks, quality in design, issues in patents, liability and ethics. Engineering design specifications, evaluation methods for design alternatives.
Prerequisite: IEN 406.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 441. Deterministic Models in Operations Research. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to deterministic mathematical models with applications to operational problems. Topics include the methodology of operations research, mathematical programming, game theory, network flow-theory, and dynamic programming. Cross-listed with MAS 441.
Prerequisite: MTH 210.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 442. Stochastic Models in Operations Research. 3 Credit Hours.
Probabilistic models in operations research. Topics include probabilistic inventory models, queuing theory, Markov chains, and probabilistic dynamic programming. Cross-listed with MAS 442.
Prerequisites: IEN 310 or ECE 310 or IEN 311 or MAS 311 and IEN 441 or MAS 441.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
IEN 465. Production and Inventory Control. 3 Credit Hours.
Production and inventory management techniques such as forecasting methods, inventory control subject to both known and uncertain demand, aggregate planning, introduction to scheduling, materials requirement planning (MRP), just-in-time (JIT) manufacturing, and introduction to scheduling are covered.
Prerequisite: IEN 310 or ECE 310 or IEN 311 or MAS 311 or equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 494. Senior Project. 3 Credit Hours.
Integration of Industrial Engineering principles and techniques in the design and improvement of production and service systems. Course includes preparation of project proposal, data collection, analysis, reporting, and formal presentations.
Prerequisite: IEN 547. And Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

IEN 501. Manufacturing Analysis and Design I. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of Production Systems stressing diagnosis of problems associated with work measurement, manufacturing methodologies, and their interaction with cost factors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

IEN 502. Manufacturing Analysis and Design II. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of production systems stressing diagnosis of problems of quality and production control, utilizing quantitative techniques and analytical methods.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

IEN 505. Robotics. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of robotics including kinematics and dynamics, trajectory planning, sensors and actuators, robotic vision, and case studies. Building your own robot is an integral part of hands-on laboratory exercises. Matlab control toolbox and image analysis toolbox will be extensively used for design and analysis.
Prerequisite: IEN 406.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 507. Design of Manufacturing Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
State-of-the-art techniques and tools relevant to the design, analysis, and control of modern manufacturing systems. Topics include modeling of manufacturing systems, tools for manufacturing system analysis, manufacturing system planning and scheduling, and lean manufacturing systems.
Prerequisite: IEN 465.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 509. Automated Assembly. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of automated assembly including parts transfer systems and feeders, parts orientation and grasping techniques, product design for automated assembly (DFA), assembly robots, and performance and economics of assembly systems.
Prerequisite: IEN 406.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 512. Statistical Quality Control and Quality Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course addresses the concepts, theories, tools and methodologies employed in the management and improvement of quality. The course examines many of the advance topics in statistical quality control including control charts and process capability studies, acceptance sampling, as well as Quality Function Deployment (QFD) and introduction to reliability. Also covered in the course are Lean Six Sigma methodology, tools and concepts.
Prerequisite: IEN 311 or MAS 311 or IEN 312 or MAS 312.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
IEN 513. Quality Management in Service Organizations. 3 Credit Hours.
Course examines the issues of quality and productivity management in the service sector. Topics covered include the development and use of questionnaires, service industry applications of quality such as in banking, insurance, healthcare, transportation, government, public utilities, and retail trade.
Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 516. Introduction to Applied Data Analytics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on some of the most commonly-used data analytics models and covers the basics of data analytics using the open source software R (which is one of the fastest growing open source software platforms). Specific course topics include Data Preprocessing and Cleaning, Fundamentals of R (for basic data analytics tasks), Regression Analysis, Discriminant Analysis & Classification, Segmentation/Clustering, Model Tuning/Selection, Performance Measurement in Data Analytics, and Decision Making with Data. This course provides hands-on skills to engineering graduate students with performing statistical data analysis and decision-making utilizing common types of data sets.
Prerequisite: IEN 442 And IEN 312.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 524. Decision Support Systems in Industrial Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory and application of decision support systems in industrial engineering. Topics include the study of model-based, data-based, knowledge-based, and communication-based decision support systems. Emphasis is placed on the selection process of the appropriate systems for various decision problems in industrial environments.
Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 547. Computer Simulation Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Computer simulation and the development of simulation models. Application of discrete and continuous system simulation languages to systems studies is also included.
Prerequisites: IEN 442 or MAS 442.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 548. Games and Decision Making. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers fundamentals of decision theory and game theory. The course is research oriented and a significant part of the grading will be based on students' research. Topics include optimization with multiple variables, constrained optimization, Lagrange relaxation, utility theory, decision making under uncertainty, simultaneous move (Nash) games, sequential decision making, sequential (Stackelberg) games, games with imperfect information, contracting and coordination, and bargaining. This course is composed of lectures, in-class discussions and problem solving, homework assignments, and research paper assignments.
Prerequisite: IEN 310. And IEN 441.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 554. Applied Computational Biomechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will become familiarized with current tools in the field of computational biomechanics for applications in ergonomics, sports performance, simulations of occupational activities and human movement in general. Through the presentation of case studies and the completion of assignments, students will gain hands-on experience on full-body simulation environments (e.g., OpenSim), biomechanically oriented finite elements packages (e.g., FEBio), and software for reconstruction of human anatomy from medical images (Seg3D).
Prerequisite: IEN 557. Or BME 375.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
IEN 557. Ergonomics and Human Factors Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of human capacities and limitations with emphasis on human performance in system design. Topics include design of displays and controls, workload, job design, human information processing, anthropometry, workplace design, biomechanics, task analysis, and research techniques in human factors engineering. Lecture, 3 hours.
Prerequisite: IEN 312 or MAS 312.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

IEN 558. Materials Handling and Facilities Planning. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis and design of production and service facilities, emphasis on material handling requirements. Capacity requirements, facility location, layout, storage systems and warehousing are discussed.
Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 570. Engineering Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Integrating engineering discipline into the social and economic considerations of managing systems. Tools and techniques used by engineering managers including engineering project life cycle, role playing, communication, decision-making in engineering management, and managing change in engineering organizations are discussed.
Prerequisite: IEN 311 or MAS 311 or IEN 312 or MAS 312.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 571. Engineering Entrepreneurship. 3 Credit Hours.
The conversion of technological know-how and engineering theories into business enterprises. The role of technology in creating wealth, connecting technology with market, the role and characteristics of entrepreneurs, starting a business and the business plan, innovation, industrial and service organizations, and the new business environment.
Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 572. Management of Technological Innovation. 3 Credit Hours.
Engineering, Science and Management Principles contributing to the development of a successful framework for Managing technology with an organization, nationally or internationally. The process of technological innovations, technological planning and forecasting, and socio-economic changes. Prerequisite: Senior or graduate standing.
Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

IEN 590. Special Topics in Industrial Engineering. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Sub-titles describing the topics are shown in parentheses in the class schedule, following the title "Special Topics".
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

IEN 594. Master's Capstone Design Project. 0-3 Credit Hours.
A capstone design project for students in the five-year BSIE/MSIE program. Integration of Industrial Engineering principles and techniques in the design and improvement of production and service systems is emphasized. Offered for students in this program only.
Prerequisite: IEN 547. Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 595. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
IEN 596. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

IEN 599. Cooperative Education. 1 Credit Hour.
Practical application of classroom theory through alternating semester or summer employment with industries offering positions consistent with the student's field of study. Course may be repeated. Periodic reports and conferences are required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

IEN 601. Manufacturing Analysis and Design I. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of production systems stressing diagnosis of problems associated with work measurement, manufacturing methodologies, and their interaction with cost factors.
Prerequisite: IEN 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

IEN 602. Manufacturing Analysis and Design II. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of production systems stressing diagnosis of problems of quality and production control, utilizing quantitative techniques and analytical methods.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

IEN 605. Robotics. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of robotics including kinematics and dynamics, trajectory planning, sensors and actuators, robotic vision, and case studies. Building your own robot is an integral part of hands-on laboratory exercises. Matlab control toolbox and image analysis toolbox will be extensively used for design and analysis.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

IEN 607. Design of Manufacturing Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
State-of-the-art techniques and tools relevant to the design, analysis, and control of modern manufacturing systems. Topics include modeling of manufacturing systems, tools for manufacturing system analysis, manufacturing system planning and scheduling, and lean manufacturing systems.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 612. Statistical Quality Control and Quality Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course addresses the concepts, theories, tools and methodologies employed in the management and improvement of quality. The course examines many of the advance topics in statistical quality control including control charts and process capability studies, acceptance sampling, as well as Quality Function Deployment (QFD) and introduction to reliability. Also covered in the course are Lean Six Sigma methodology, tools and concepts.
Prerequisite: IEN 311 or MAS 311 or equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 613. Quality Management in Service Organizations. 3 Credit Hours.
Course examines the issues of quality and productivity management in the service sector. Topics covered include the development and use of questionnaires, service industry applications of quality such as in banking, insurance, healthcare, transportation, government, public utilities, and retail trade.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
IEN 616. Introduction to Applied Data Analytics. 3 Credit Hours.
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Prerequisite: IEN 442 And IEN 312.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 624. Decision Support Systems in Industrial Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory and application of decision support systems in industrial engineering. Topics include the study of model-based, data-based, knowledge-based, and communication-based decision support systems. Emphasis is placed on the selection process of the appropriate systems for various decision problems in industrial environments.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 647. Computer Simulation Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Computer simulation and the development of simulation models. Application of discrete and continuous system simulation languages to systems studies is also included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 648. Games and Decision Making. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers fundamentals of decision theory and game theory. The course is research oriented and a significant part of the grading will be based on students' research. Topics include optimization with multiple variables, constrained optimization, Lagrange relaxation, utility theory, decision making under uncertainty, simultaneous move (Nash) games, sequential decision making, sequential (Stackelberg) games, games with imperfect information, contracting and coordination, and bargaining. This course is composed of lectures, in-class discussions and problem solving, homework assignments, and research paper assignments.
Prerequisite: IEN 310. And IEN 441.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 651. Accident Prevention Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the basic principles of accident prevention and how to apply the safety engineering approach to the design of industrial accident prevention systems
Prerequisites: IEN 311 and IEN 351.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 654. Applied Computational Biomechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will become familiarized with current tools in the field of computational biomechanics for applications in ergonomics, sports performance, simulations of occupational activities and human movement in general. Through the presentation of case studies and the completion of assignments, students will gain hands-on experience on full-body simulation environments (e.g., OpenSim), biomechanically oriented finite elements packages (e.g., FEBio), and software for reconstruction of human anatomy from medical images (Seg3D).
Prerequisite: IEN 557. Or BME 375.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 657. Ergonomics and Human Factors Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of human capacities and limitations with emphasis on human performance in system design. Topics include design of displays and controls, workload, job design, human information processing, anthropometry, workplace design, biomechanics, task analysis, and research techniques in human factors engineering. Lecture, 3 hours.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.
IEN 658. Industrial Hygiene I. 3 Credit Hours.
Recognition of occupational chemical health hazards. Evaluation methods and analytical procedures used to determine level of exposure to chemical and toxic hazards. Control measures and compliance with OHSA requirements with special emphasis on industrial ventilation, and other methods of control are included.
Prerequisite: IEN 557.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 668. Materials Handling and Facilities Planning. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis and design of production and service facilities, emphasis on material handling requirements. Capacity requirements, facility location, layout, storage systems and warehousing are discussed
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

IEN 670. Engineering Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Integrating engineering discipline into the social and economic considerations of managing systems. Tools and techniques used by engineering managers including engineering project life cycle, role playing, communication, decision-making in engineering management, and managing change in engineering organizations are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 671. Engineering Entrepreneurship. 3 Credit Hours.
The conversion of technological know-how and engineering theories into business enterprises. The role of technology in creating wealth, connecting technology with market, the role and characteristics of entrepreneurs, starting a business and the business plan, innovation, industrial and service organizations, and the new business environment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 672. Management of Technological Innovation. 3 Credit Hours.
Engineering, Science and Management Principles contributing to the development of a successful framework for Managing technology with an organization, nationally or internationally. The process of technological innovations, technological planning and forecasting, and socio-economic changes. Prerequisite: Senior or graduate standing.
Prerequisite: IEN 572.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

IEN 690. Special Topics in Industrial Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Sub-titles describing the topics are shown in parentheses in the class schedule, following the title "Special Topics".
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

IEN 694. Master's Capstone Design Project. 3 Credit Hours.
A capstone design project for students in the five-year BSIE/MSIE program. Integration of Industrial Engineering principles and techniques in the design and improvement of production and service systems is emphasized. Offered for students in this program only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 695. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

IEN 696. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
IEN 699. Cooperative Education. 1 Credit Hour.
Practical application of classroom theory through alternating semester or summer employment with industries offering positions consistent with the student's field of study. Course may be repeated. Periodic reports and conferences are required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

IEN 712. Design of Experiments. 3 Credit Hours.
Design and analysis of experiments, randomized blocks, Latin Squares, factorials, multiple correlation and regression, and application to response surfaces are discussed. 3 hours.
Prerequisite: IEN 311 or MAS 311 or equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 713. Applied Regression Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory and applications of regression based models. Focus will be on empirical model building, estimation, inference and prediction with emphasis on interpretation of results and understanding model assumptions. Key Topics will be linear regression, panel data and time series analysis.
Prerequisite: IEN 311.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

IEN 715. Quality Through Planned Experimentation. 3 Credit Hours.
Sequential experimentation and guidance on how to build the sequence and use graphical methods to ascertain how much the planned changes contribute to the variation in the data. Experimentation is presented as a system in the context of a model to improve quality and integrate statistical process control (SPC) with methods of design. Examples presented contain problems often encountered in actual experimentation in a manufacturing or a service facility. Not open to students with credit in IEN 712.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

IEN 716. Advanced Quality Control. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced topics in variables and attributes acceptance sampling and control charting. Statistical and economical design of control chart and sampling plan, sampling design and analysis with inspection and measurement errors, product liability prevention, value engineering, quality costs, Metrology, military standards, quality manuals, customer and vendor relations, and total quality control concepts are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

IEN 742. Linear Programming and Extensions. 3 Credit Hours.
Formulation, solution, postoptimality analysis of linear programming problems; revised simplex, parametric programming, decomposition of large-scale systems. Use of computer packages. Introduction to integer programming, network flows, and nonlinear programming applications.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 757. Ergonomics and Occupational Biomechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
effects of human factors in the improvement of performance of systems. Human capacities, capabilities, and limitations as derived from anatomical, physiological, and psychological principles are applied to the design of tools and equipment. Incorporation of all factors into systems design to achieve better system performance is emphasized.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 758. Ergonomics and Special Populations. 3 Credit Hours.
Ergonomic issues relevant to design for older adults and special populations such as the handicapped. Primary emphasis is placed on work environments, transportation and communication systems, and home environments. Topics include cognitive and physiological characteristics of special populations, workplace design, job and equipment design, rehabilitation engineering, clinical ergonomics, and legislation such as the ADA. Lecture, 3 hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
IEN 760. Productivity Measurement and Evaluation. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic concepts. Productivity measurement approaches at international, national, industry, and company levels. Latest measurement models for manufacturing companies. Relationships between total and partial productivities, profit and total productivity. Productivity evaluation: theory and methodology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 761. Engineering Cost Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Issues of cost management, including activity based costing of engineering projects. A detailed study of how to separate, identify, understand and manage the major activities performed, and how these activities relate to customer needs. Overall view of costs associated with products, processes, and customers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 763. Project Management Techniques. 3 Credit Hours.
Techniques and Tools in Project Management. Use of network flow techniques including PERT/CPM, planning, systems concepts, time management, conflicts, cost and resource control, tradeoff analysis.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IEN 764. Supply Chain Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Supply Chain Management focuses on the flow of products, information, and money throughout the supply chain. An overview of issues, opportunities, tools, and approaches is provided. Emphasis is placed on business processes, system dynamics, control, design and re-engineering, and on the relationship between the supply chain and the company’s strategic position relative to its clients and its competition. The dimensions of intercorporate relationships with partners, including decision-making, incentives, and risk are also covered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

IEN 765. Advanced Production Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 772. Strategic Management of Technological Innovation.. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced topics in the management of technology emphasizing the relationship between technology and competitiveness in the global marketplace. Technology development in the U.S., Japan, and Europe, industrial R & D, strategic technological planning, and conditions for successful implementations. Case studies are used with individual and group assignments. Prerequisite: IEN 572 - Management of Technology or permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

IEN 791. Industrial Engineering Seminar. 0 Credit Hours.
Oral presentation and discussion of current topics in Industrial Engineering.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEN 792. Professional Communications Skills for Engineering Grad Students. 0 Credit Hours.
This course covers fundamental areas in professional communication for Engineering graduate students. Topic areas include: presenting research at conferences, writing manuscripts for publication, preparing the dissertation, the PhD comprehensive exams, effective teaching and mentoring, and obtaining positions in academia. Through interactive workshops, in-class exercises, brief presentations and assignments, students will have an opportunity to practice and strengthen necessary communication skills, developing collaborations, and developing effective presentation skills.
Components: MOD.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
IEN 794. Master's Project. 3 Credit Hours.
A capstone project for M.S. students in the non-thesis option.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

IEN 795. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Research and/or design projects through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

IEN 796. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Research and/or design projects through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

IEN 799. Advanced Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Subject matter offerings based upon student demand and availability of faculty. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title "Advanced Topics".
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

IEN 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

IEN 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master's degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in IEN 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

IEN 825. Continuous Registration--Master's Study. 1 Credit Hour.
To establish residence for non-thesis master's students who are preparing for major examinations. Credit not granted. Regarded as full time residence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

IEN 830. Pre-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Doctoral dissertation credits taken prior to Ph.D. student's candidacy. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Not more than 12 hours of IEN 730 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

IEN 840. Post-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Doctoral dissertation credits taken after Ph.D. student has been admitted to candidacy. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Not more than 12 credits in IEN 740 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six credits in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

IEN 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D. and D.A., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
Intensive English Program (IEP)

IEP 1. Level Undetermined. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

IEP 11. RW Level Undetermined. 0 Credit Hours.
Reading and Writing class for students whose English level has not been determined.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

IEP 111. Level I - Written Communication. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

IEP 112. Level I - Oral Communication. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

IEP 113. Level I Workshop. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

IEP 114. Level I - Reading. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

IEP 12. OC Level Undetermined. 0 Credit Hours.
Oral Communication class for students whose English level has not been determined.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

IEP 121. Level II - Written Communication. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

IEP 122. Level II - Oral Communication. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

IEP 123. Level I and II Workshop. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

IEP 124. Level II Reading. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

IEP 131. Level III Written Communication. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

IEP 132. Level III - Oral Communication. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

IEP 133. Level III Workshop. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

IEP 134. Level III Reading. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

IEP 141. Level IV - Reading / Writing. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
IEP 142. Level IV - Oral Communication. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

IEP 151. Level V - Reading / Writing. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

IEP 152. Level V - Oral Communication. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

IEP 153. Level IV/V - Selected Topics. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.

IEP 154. Level IV/V Selected Topics. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

IEP 155. ST-UM Transition. 0 Credit Hours.
This course will provide orientation, skills, assistance and support for IEP/UM students as they transition to a full load of credit courses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

IEP 171. LLM and IEP - Reading and Writing. 0 Credit Hours.
This course focus on reading, writing, and vocabulary skills to assist LLM students to enhance their general, academic, and legal English.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IEP 172. LLM and IEP - Oral Communication. 0 Credit Hours.
This course focus on oral communication skills to assist LLM students to enhance their general, academic, and legal English.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

Interactive Media (CIM)

CIM 101. Internet, Media, and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
Internet, Media, and Society is a foundational course intended to give perspectives on the continuing progression of technology through the lens of media and popular culture. Students will learn about the historical roots of the internet and early tech pioneers, including the various technologies, trends, and subcultures that bubbles up along the way, creating our current media and technological landscapes. From this perspective, students will gain an appreciation and greater understanding of how things came to be, especially the Internet’s role in shaping society and their everyday lives.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CIM 102. Interaction Design I. 3 Credit Hours.
In this class, students will familiarize themselves with the disciplines of user experience (UX) and interaction design (IXD), including design principles, postures, and patterns and visual design concepts specific to designing interactive digital products. Students will learn how to use a digital prototyping tool in order to first design low fidelity, structural wireframes and then turn them into high fidelity interactive prototypes.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CIM 103. Web Lab. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is a practical introduction to web design. Students will learn how to produce websites using the latest web practices and techniques. Throughout each unit of the course, students will learn the skills to plan, layout, and build websites using HTML, CSS, and Javascript. Students will also learn how to optimize and market their websites.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
CIM 104. Introduction to Game Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an introduction to the study of games as cultural, historical, and socially relevant artifacts. Students will gain an understanding of how games are used to accomplish specific communications goals and will also learn how society can often shape and be shaped by games. The course provides students with the foundation needed to be effective at critiquing, designing, and evaluating games.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CIM 202. Interaction Design II. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will give a deeper knowledge of interaction design and its practical application (building on Interaction Design I). Students will learn to formulate design problems and limit the scope of the design, carry out field studies and contextual analyses, lead design workshops, to carry out evaluation work, and understand technical limitations and produce deliverables adapted to those limitations.
Prerequisite: CIM 102.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CIM 203. Intro to Creative Coding. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce students to the building blocks of creative coding within the visual and media environment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CIM 204. Introduction to Game Design. 3 Credit Hours.
This is an introductory course about game design, theory, and development, and how games align themselves as a lens of study for all interactive media.
Prerequisite: CIM 104.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CIM 383. Physical Computing. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores how to build a bridge between the physical and digital world. Students will learn to develop software and hardware to sense and respond to physical interaction. Through various projects, students will learn how to program sensors and other electronic components to convert the human senses into creative inputs and outputs, such as lights, sounds, and movement. Students will learn the ideation and design process through challenges presented in their assignments and personal projects. In this course students will also learn how to design for and use various digital fabrication tools, such as 3D printing, laser and paper cutting, and CNC milling. Students will have access to work hands on with these fabrication tools to enhance and build their prototypes.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CIM 389. Special Topics in Interactive Media. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to keep up with the fast-changing world of interactive media allowing for contemporary classes to be periodically added to the curriculum. Special topics classes will be added to the Interactive Media curriculum as electives.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CIM 412. Human Computer Interaction. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will teach students about the importance human computer interaction (HCI) in the design, implementation, and evaluation of interactive computing systems for human use. The course will provide both practical application and theoretical knowledge of HCI, with practical concerns balanced by discussion of relevant theory from the literature of computer science, human factors, and interaction design.
Prerequisite: CIM 102 and CIM 202 and CIM 443. And Requisite: Junior or Above.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
CIM 413. Mobile Application Development. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide students the ability to conceptualize, design, and develop a mobile application of their choosing. It covers various approaches to the development of mobile software applications using current development environments, frameworks, and programming paradigms. This course focuses on hands-on learning through which students practice with programming assignments and demonstrate the apps through virtual simulators and physical mobile devices.
Prerequisite: CIM 203 Or ECE 118 Or CSC 120.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CIM 418. Internet and Media Activism. 3 Credit Hours.
In this course, students will examine the role of media in shaping social reform to document social issues such as poverty, human rights, social inequities, the environment, and powerless groups. We will review the philosophy and history of media as activism ranging from photography, documentary, cinema, the Internet, social media and newer forms of media. Emphasis is placed on developing a critical understanding of current media advocacy practices with a conscious goal; awareness, change minds, to affect policy, and action. At the end of the semester, students will have a fully developed project concept.
Prerequisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CIM 422. Human Centered Design. 3 Credit Hours.
This course takes a comprehensive look at human limitations and abilities and how they are key to interaction design and a great user experience. Students will learn about human behavior and how to apply UX guidelines to the design of digital interfaces. Students will also learn how to produce design deliverables for real world practice.
Prerequisite: CIM 102 and CIM 202 and CIM 443. And Requisite: Junior or Above.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CIM 423. Building Virtual Worlds. 3 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this course is to explore the construction of virtual environments. Students will learn the principles of constructing interactive 3D environments using a game engine. Students will be responsible for creating a world that can be interacted with on various platforms, including virtual and mixed reality.
Prerequisite: CIM 203 Or ECE 118 Or CSC 120.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CIM 433. Augmented Reality. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide students the ability to design and develop augmented reality apps. It covers various approaches to designing and programming augmented reality apps using the latest technologies and devices. Students will be given hands-on programming assignments and learn about the key advantages in each of the approaches via in-class discussions.
Prerequisite: CIM 203 Or ECE 118 Or CSC 120.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CIM 443. Front End Fundamentals. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the job-ready skills and production workflow techniques in highest demand for front end web developers. Students will learn, practice and demonstrate the skills and principles needed to make effective use of these technologies.
Prerequisite: CIM 103 Or JMM 341.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CIM 444. Designing Games for Impact. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will explore the use of games as a communication tool for social good and will create their own game-based interventions.
Prerequisite: CIM 204.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
CIM 453. Dynamic Data. 3 Credit Hours.
This course teaches data analysis through the development of interactive web applications. The course focuses on communicating through computer programming. Students will learn to build and use databases as a primary source and explore data as content. For this course students will be required to build custom software solutions through web programming languages that utilize third party APIs to interpret, analyze and manipulate data.
Prerequisite: CIM 103 or CIM 203 Or JMM 341.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CIM 458. 360° Immersive Filmmaking and Storytelling. 3 Credit Hours.
A hands-on course dedicated to design and produce VR/360° immersive video. Through a wide selection of materials, including videos, 360° films, articles, and presentations, students will develop a strong foundation on storytelling techniques, technologies (cameras, microphones, VR headsets, software), and best practices used across immersive media.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CIM 464. Video Game Spectatorship and Esports. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the historical and contemporary practices of game spectatorship, journalism, and Esports. It teaches the industry and best practices used in sharing video games through traditional media, streaming services, and Esports.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CIM 469. Internship in Interactive Media. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The internship is designed to provide valuable career-related work experience in a real-world setting, e.g., institutions, organizations and/or businesses. Students will identify an opportunity, supervisor, and write a proposal as to the relevancy to their goals. The Internship may be paid or unpaid.
Requisite: Sophomore Status, Cumulative GPA 2.5.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CIM 474. 2D Character Design. 3 Credit Hours.
This is a comprehensive course devoted to the development of skills in creating characters for 2D animation and games. Students will develop an understanding of how shape language relates to the characters personality through the creation of weekly exercises. The course will be delivered in the form of studio projects, individual and class critiques, lectures, discussions, workshops and readings.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CIM 489. Special Topics in Interactive Media. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to keep up with the fast-changing world of interactive media allowing for contemporary classes to be periodically added to the curriculum. Special topics classes will be added to the Interactive Media curriculum as electives.
Requisite: Junior Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CIM 499. Projects and Directed Research. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual study. No more than three credits may be counted toward a Communication major or minor.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CIM 501. Prototyping Techniques. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers accepted prototyping techniques introducing students to a wide variety of approaches for different kinds of user experience design problems and platforms. Students will learn to develop preliminary iterations of a solution to a design problem in order to communicate the essence of their idea without committing to a costly implementation.
Prerequisite: CIM 103.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
CIM 502. Designing Innovation. 3 Credit Hours.
In this course you will be introduced to and will apply human centered design techniques and systems thinking to achieve goal-directed design of interactive systems. Students will work in small teams to iteratively generate and refine design concepts and to thoroughly document their design process.
Prerequisite: CIM 102 and CIM 202 And Requisite: Junior or Higher.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CIM 504. Designing Playful Experiences. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will analyze and design games to gain vocabulary and tools to design playful interactive systems. Students will be exposed to a range of popular game prototyping technologies and will create several mini-projects as well as one final game project created using the platform of their choice.
Prerequisite: CIM 104 and CIM 204.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CIM 505. Technology Trends. 3 Credit Hours.
Trends is a foundation course intended to promote a dialogue about the current state of business, art, health, culture, and innovation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CIM 511. Interactive Media Studio. 3 Credit Hours.
The Interactive Media Studio is designed to allow a student to enhance his or her accumulated knowledge and skills in interactive Media. This course prepares students to gain employment in the field by creating and producing a professional design portfolio and resume. Students will also gain knowledge about how to set up, prepare for, and conduct themselves during professional interviews.
Prerequisite: CIM 101 and CIM 103 and CIM 202 and CIM 203 and CIM 383 And Requisite: Senior Standing And Interactive Media Majors.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CIM 515. Interactive Media Business Essentials. 3 Credit Hours.
This course takes a comprehensive look at managing interactive media projects from inception to implementation and maintenance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CIM 563. Design with Al. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide students with the ability to understand the purpose, strengths and limitations of artificial intelligence (AI) technologies in order to design smart applications for everyday use. It covers topics including state-of-the-art AI technologies and the design principles for developing applications with such technologies. Issues such as ethics, bias, accountability, and privacy in these applications will also be discussed.
Prerequisite: CIM 203.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CIM 579. Practicum in Interactive Media. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students will engage in the applied practice of Interactive Media to enhance classroom learning and provide opportunities to gain practical experience.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CIM 582. UX Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides a comprehensive overview of User Experience research methods and how they are incorporated into the product development lifecycle. Students will learn about user-centered design and will conduct a wide range of research methods including ethnography, questionnaires, online studies, and usability testing. There will be considerable focus on practicing research skills and reporting findings from these activities.
Prerequisite: CIM 102 and CIM 202 and CIM 443. And Requisite: Junior or Above.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
CIM 594. Game Development Studio. 3 Credit Hours.
Game Dev Studio is a project-based course devoted to developing a game. In groups, students will start with a concept and create prototypes that will be refined through multiple iterations and playtests. Your final game will either be a well-polished 2D or 3D digital game.
Prerequisite: CIM 202 and CIM 204 or CIM 423 or CIM 504 or CIM 444.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CIM 601. Prototyping Techniques. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers accepted prototyping techniques introducing students to a wide variety of approaches for different kinds of user experience design problems and platforms. Students will learn to develop preliminary iteration of a solution to a design problem in order to communicate the essence of their idea without committing to a costly implementation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CIM 602. Designing Innovation. 3 Credit Hours.
In this course you will be introduced to and will apply human centered design techniques and systems thinking to achieve goal-directed design of interactive systems. Students will work in small teams to iteratively generate and refine design concepts and to thoroughly document their design process.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CIM 603. Intro to Creative Coding. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce students to the building blocks of creative coding within the visual and media environment. Students will learn to create dynamic images, type and interfaces, that can translate into web, mobile and print forms. Students will learn programming fundamentals that translate in virtually all programming platforms.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CIM 604. Advanced Systems: Designing Playful Experiences. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will analyze and design games to gain vocabulary and tools to design playful interactive systems. Students will be exposed to a range of popular game prototyping technologies and will create several mini-projects as well as one final game project created using the platform of their choice.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CIM 605. Technology Trends. 3 Credit Hours.
This is a foundation course intended to promote a dialogue about the current state of business, art, health, culture, and innovation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

CIM 612. Human Computer Interaction. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will teach students about the importance human computer interaction (HCI) in the design, implementation, and evaluation of interactive computing systems for human use. The course will provide both practical application and theoretical knowledge of HCI, with practical concerns balanced by discussion of relevant theory from the literature of computer science, human factors, and interaction design.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CIM 613. Mobile Application Development. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide students the ability to conceptualize, design, and develop a mobile application of their choosing. It covers various approaches to the development of mobile software applications using current development environments, frameworks, and programming paradigms. This course focuses on hands-on learning through which students practice with programming assignments and demonstrate the apps through virtual simulators and physical mobile devices.
Prerequisite: CIM 603.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
CIM 615. Interactive Media Business Essentials. 3 Credit Hours.
This course takes a comprehensive look at managing interactive media projects from inception to implementation and maintenance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CIM 618. Internet and Media Activism. 3 Credit Hours.
In this course, students will examine the role of media in shaping social reform to document social issues such as poverty, human rights, social inequities, the environment, and powerless groups. We will review the philosophy and history of media as activism ranging from photography, documentary, cinema, the Internet, social media and newer forms of media. Emphasis is placed on developing a critical understanding of current media advocacy practices with a conscious goal; awareness, change minds, to affect policy, and action. At the end of the semester, students will have a fully developed project concept.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CIM 622. Human Centered Design. 3 Credit Hours.
This course takes a comprehensive look at human limitations and abilities and how they are key to interaction design and a great user experience. Students will learn about human behavior and how to apply UX gridlines to the design of digital interfaces. Students will also learn how to produce design deliverables for real world practice.
Prerequisite: CIM 601.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CIM 623. Building Virtual Worlds. 3 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this course is to explore the construction of virtual environments. Students will learn the principles of constructing interactive 3D environments using a game engine. Students will be responsible for creating a world that can be interacted with on various platforms, including virtual and mixed reality.
Prerequisite: CIM 603 Or CSC 120 Or ECE 118.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CIM 631. Collaborative Innovation Laboratory. 3 Credit Hours.
In this collaboration studio course, students will form small teams and undertake real-world projects with a partnering organization. Students will be provided a design brief outlining project objectives identified by the partnering organization. Over the course of the semester, students will research, brainstorm, design, and test innovative interactive solutions for this core objective, including proposing ideas and presenting prototypes to the partnering organization. Projects that satisfy the partner's needs may result in on-going work for full implementation and exposure for students' work.
Prerequisite: CIM 601 and CIM 203 and CIM 602 and CIM 603.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CIM 633. Augmented Reality. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide students the ability to design and develop augmented reality apps. It covers various approaches to designing and programming augmented reality apps using the latest technologies and devices. Students will be given hands-on programming assignments and learn about the key advantages in each of the approaches via in-class discussions.
Prerequisite: CIM 603 Or CSC 120 Or ECE 118.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CIM 643. Front End Fundamentals. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the job-ready skills and production workflow techniques in highest demand for front end web developers. Students will learn, practice and demonstrate the skills and principles needed to make effective use of these technologies.
Prerequisite: CIM 601.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
CIM 644. Designing Games for Impact. 3 Credit Hours.
In this course students will explore the use of games as a communication tool for social good and will study, play, and also begin designing game-based interventions with the goal of promoting positive social change in areas such as environment, health, or social justice. Students will play existing social impact and other relevant games and will analyze them in order to conceptualize and design their own game concepts, either individually or in small teams. Students should come ready to actively participate in this seminar-size class.

Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CIM 653. Dynamic Data. 3 Credit Hours.
This course teaches data analysis through the development of interactive web applications. The course focuses on communicating through computer programming. Students will learn to build and use databases as a primary source and explore data as content. For this course students will be required to build custom software solutions through web programming languages that utilize third party APIs to interpret, analyze and manipulate data.
Prerequisite: CIM 601.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

CIM 658. 360° Immersive Filmmaking and Storytelling. 3 Credit Hours.
A hands-on course dedicated to design and produce VR/360° immersive video. Through a wide selection of materials, including videos, 360° films, articles, and presentations, students will develop a strong foundation on storytelling techniques, technologies (cameras, microphones, VR headsets, software), and best practices used across immersive media.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CIM 663. Design with AI. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide students with the ability to understand the purpose, strengths and limitations of artificial intelligence (AI) technologies in order to design smart applications for everyday use. It covers topics including state-of-the-art AI technologies and the design principles for developing applications with such technologies. Issues such as ethics, bias, accountability, and privacy in these applications will also be discussed.
Prerequisite: CIM 603.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

CIM 664. Video Game Spectatorship and Esports. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the historical and contemporary practices of game spectatorship, journalism, and Esports. It teaches the industry and best practices used in sharing video games through traditional media, streaming services, and Esports.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

CIM 669. Internship in Interactive Media. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The internship is designed to provide valuable career-related work experience in a real-world setting, e.g., institutions, organizations and/or businesses. Students will identify an opportunity, supervisor, and write a proposal as to the relevancy to their goals. The Internship may be paid or unpaid.
Requisite: Sophomore Status, Cumulative GPA 2.5.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

CIM 674. 2D Character Design. 3 Credit Hours.
This is a comprehensive course devoted to the development of skills in creating characters for 2D animation and games. Students will develop an understanding of how shape language relates to the characters personality through the creation of weekly exercises. The course will be delivered in the form of studio projects, individual and class critiques, lectures, discussions, workshops and readings.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
**CIM 679. Practicum in Interactive Media. 1-3 Credit Hours.**
Students will engage in the applied practice of Interactive Media to enhance classroom learning and provide opportunities to gain practical experience. The practicum course offers supervised activity in which interactive graduate students advance their skills and acquire professional experience by working on research and creative projects for various organizations.

Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**CIM 682. UX Research. 3 Credit Hours.**
The course provides a comprehensive overview of User Experience research methods and how they are incorporated into the product development lifecycle. Students will learn about user-centered design and will conduct a wide range of research methods including ethnography, questionnaires, online studies, and usability testing. There will be considerable focus on practicing research skills and reporting findings from these activities.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

**CIM 683. Physical Computing. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course explores how to build a bridge between the physical and digital world. Students will learn to develop software and hardware to sense and respond to physical interaction. Through various projects, students will learn how to program sensors and other electronic components to convert the human senses into creative inputs and outputs, such as lights, sounds, and movement. Students will learn the ideation and design process through challenges presented in their assignments and personal projects. In this course students will also learn how to design for and use various digital fabrication tools, such as 3D printing, laser and paper cutting, and CNC milling. Students will have access to work hands on with these fabrication tools to enhance and build their prototypes.
Prerequisite: CIM 603.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

**CIM 689. Special Topics in Interactive Media. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course is designed to keep up with the fast-changing world of interactive media allowing for contemporary classes to be periodically added to the curriculum. Special topics classes will be added to the Interactive Media curriculum as electives.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

**CIM 694. Game Development Studio. 3 Credit Hours.**
Game Dev Studio is a project-based course devoted to developing a game. In groups, students will start with a concept and create prototypes that will be refined through multiple iterations and playtests. Your final game will either be a well-polished 2D or 3D digital game.

Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

**CIM 699. Advanced Projects and Directed Research. 1-6 Credit Hours.**
Individual study, involving a project, paper or a program of research designed in consultation with a supervising faculty member. No more than six credits may be counted toward the degree.

Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

**CIM 701. Capstone. 3 Credit Hours.**
The capstone seminar is designed to demonstrate a student’s accumulated training in Interactive Media in a single original project of their choice, subject to the instructor’s approval and under the additional supervision of a faculty mentor.
Prerequisite: CIM 602 and CIM 603 and CIM 601 and CIM 615 and CIM 631.

Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

**Interdisciplinary Studies (IDS)**

**IDS 699. Directed Study. 1-6 Credit Hours.**
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
IDS 825. Master Study. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

IDS 830. Pre-Candidacy Dissertation Research. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor but not for less than a total of 24. Not more than 12 hours of IDS 730 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session. Where a student has passed his/her (a) qualifying examinations, and (b) is engaged in an assistantship, he/she may still take the maximum allowable credit stated above.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

IDS 840. Post-Candidacy Dissertation. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

IDS 850. Research and Residence. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.

International Administration (IGS)

IGS 545. Global Warming Policy in European Union. 3 Credit Hours.
This course studies the EU, and especially the French, efforts to ecologically modernize their advanced economies particularly in regards to global warming emissions and energy usage. Class is centered in Paris with excursions to Stasbourg and Freiborg.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

IGS 599. Special Topics. 0-3 Credit Hours.
Special topics related to international administration. Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

IGS 611. International Organizations. 3 Credit Hours.
Covers the entire spectrum of international organizations and the theoretical and practical issues relating to international organizations including peace and security, human rights, and economic development.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IGS 612. International Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
Presents a broad overview of concepts, theories, processes, and practical global challenges confronting professional public/nonprofit managers; discusses contemporary issues facing multi-national corporations, non-governmental organizations, and public agencies; and analyzes the similarities and differences between public, non-profit and private management.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IGS 613. Global Cultures: Religion, Communication, and Security. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of world religions and cultures as a backdrop of effective communication for international professionals. Religious and political conflicts have increasingly become a staple of our complex, globalized world. As a result, it is important for professionals working with international and non-governmental organizations to understand the religions and the cultures of the world to better facilitate their work in different societies in Africa, Asia, Europe, the Caribbean and the Americas. Since religion is an integral part of many cultures, understanding the religious implications of certain activities is important in navigating certain societies and facilitating the work of professionals, especially in regions where religion and political violence dominate foreign relations and foreign policy.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
IGS 614. World Affairs and Diplomacy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces the conceptual basics of international relations and trains students in analytical and critical thinking skills through familiarity with the broad palette of issues and actors that make up today’s world politics. Topics include the origins of the state and its changing role in today’s world and an examination of the actors in international relations and the issues before them.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

IGS 615. International Political Economy. 3 Credit Hours.
Reviews the essentials of International Economics. It then provides students with an operational understanding of the theory of comparative advantage and its application to policy issues.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

IGS 616. International Leadership, Strategy, and Decision Making. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores organizations from the strategic perspective of the leader, identifying common elements of thinking, structure, measures, outcomes, issues, and challenges faced by those who seek leadership roles in international administration.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IGS 617. Capstone in International Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
The capstone experience gives students the opportunity to apply academic theory and acquired skills in international administration under real world conditions. Students may complete an approved internship in an appropriate organization or compose a research paper under the supervision of a MAIA faculty member or affiliated faculty member. The capstone project must reflect the student’s area of concentration, as applicable. The capstone experience is meant to be completed in a single semester.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

IGS 644. Energy Security and Environmental Sustainability. 3 Credit Hours.
The concepts of environmental sustainability and energy security will be explored. The importance of energy and the mitigation of climate change in formulation of country strategies, advancement of national interests and shaping of the international system will be stressed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

IGS 645. Human Security: Prevention & Mitigation. 3 Credit Hours.
Theoretical approaches and the major global threats to human security along with some of the most promising policy solutions will be explored. Some of these human security threats are well known, like genocide, and others, like cybersecurity, are newly emerging. Focus will be placed on key human security topics such as war, terrorism, human trafficking, climate change, famine, violence against women, and infectious and non-infectious diseases.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

IGS 646. Civil Security Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the management of civil crisis issuing from violent human actions. In the first section of the course, a framework will be developed that addresses the security of “civil space,” emphasizing actions threatening public order and individual safety. Emphasis will be placed on the burdens of “critical incident management” and the elements central to its success. These elements—planning and contingency, leadership and management, intelligence and analysis as well as operations and communication—will be engaged further in the second section. The final section of the course will examine specific threats to civil order and the management of systems designed to mitigate their effects.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

IGS 647. Disasters and Humanitarian Assistance. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the management of disasters from natural causes. It is focused primarily on the theory and practice of response. At the center of this investigation is a difficult question: how to help? The answers are not obvious. Through the vocabularies of practitioners and the frameworks offered by academic literature, we will explore the ways in which responders respond, the lessons learned and the best practices that have emerged in the field of disaster response and humanitarian intervention.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.
IGS 648. International Business Finance for MAIA. 3 Credit Hours.
International Finance provides a working knowledge of international financial issues, theories, concepts and practice. The first part of the course examines the mechanics of the foreign exchange market, reviewing spot, forwards, futures and options. The second part of the course constructs the four building blocks of international finance: interest rate parity (covered and uncovered interest rate arbitrage), purchasing power parity, the international Fisher (expectations) effect, and asset market equilibrium (money market and exchange market equilibrium). The role of the money supply in exchange rate and price level determination according to interest rate parity is stressed. The case for common currencies is reviewed. In the third part of the course, currency risk management is explored in detail. We then analyze Ponzi schemes and other fraudulent financial practices. We conclude with a review of financial leverage, moral hazard and the financial crisis of 2008-2009.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

IGS 699. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics related to international administration. Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

IGS 820. Research in Residence. 1-9 Credit Hours.
For students conducting additional research, practice, field experience or special projects as part of their graduate experience.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

International Studies (INS)

INS 101. Global Perspectives. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduces students to the study of international relations focusing on the continuing threat of national and ethnic conflict; terrorism; environmental and health concerns; globalization; economic interdependence, and poverty. Students are provided an overview of the evolution of international affairs in the modern era and are introduced to the various scholarly approaches for an understanding of international affairs.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 102. Global Economics. 3 Credit Hours.
The international economy. This course develops the analytical tools underlying "the economic way of thinking" and applies them to two main topics: the environment and international trade.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 103. World in Crisis. 3 Credit Hours.
A global overview of critical issues of the world in the 21st century is the primary objective of this course. In an interdisciplinary framework experts from the University’s faculty will lecture and participate in panels discussing issues such as globalization, military conflict, proliferation of weapons of mass destruction, transnational terrorism, ethnic conflict, global climate change, global financial issues, global wealth disparities and global poverty, immigration and refugee crises, epidemic diseases. Students will learn about conflict in the Middle East, China, its rising economic and military strength, renewed Russian worldwide assertiveness, failed states, and generally, problems of global governance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

INS 104. Global Perspectives Discussion Section. 0 Credit Hours.
Discussion topic varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 105. Global Perspectives Discussion Section 2. 0 Credit Hours.
Discussion topic varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
INS 201. Globalization and Change in World Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
The academic and public policy debates regarding the multiple impacts of the globalization of the world economy on the politics of nation-states and on the dynamics of the international system itself.
Prerequisite: INS 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 202. INS Methodology. 3 Credit Hours.
The approaches, methods and techniques used for designing and conducting international studies research.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

INS 210. INS Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 310. Advanced Topics in INS. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Prerequisite: INS 101 or POL 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 311. Advanced Topics in INS II. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Prerequisite: POL 202 or POL 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 319. Empire: Global Legacies. 3 Credit Hours.
A review of the key features of the Roman, Chinese, Russian, Ottoman, Spanish, and British empires and their global legacies. Different perspectives and conceptualizations on empires. Major characteristics of the empires studied and their enduring resonances in specific regions and globally.
Prerequisite: INS 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 320. Global Economics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Macroeconomics and its application to the study of the international economy. Measurement of income and level of development; determinants of economic growth; inflation and unemployment; open economy macroeconomics.
Prerequisite: INS 102 or ECO 211 or ECO 212.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 321. International Development. 3 Credit Hours.
A synthesis of major theories of international development, institutional architecture, and practice of international development. Focuses on key international development policies such as trade, macroeconomic finance, and equity. Considers narrow conceptions of modernity, growth, progress, wellbeing, and culture toward broader conceptions of freedom and/or sustainable development in both the Global North and Global South.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 322. Economics of Development and the Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
Structural changes that accompany economic growth that impact the environment and sustainable development.
Prerequisite: INS 102 or ECO 211 or ECO 212.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
INS 324. The History of Zionism. 3 Credit Hours.
The religious, cultural, historical, political and social underpinnings of the development of Zionism that fed to the creation of the State of Israel. Through readings, analysis of speeches and essays, exploration of films and the internet, the class will move through time from the origins of the Zionist idea to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 325. Israel: The Making of a State. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the creation of the State of Israel in its historical context, emphasizing the period of 1935-55: the struggle for Israel's establishment, the making of the state and the early challenges Israel faced. The class will use documents, texts, testimony, poetry, music and film.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 330. Introduction of Comparative Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduces students to the comparative method and to the theories and concepts required to analyze political transformation of states, societies, economies and culture in a globalization world.
Prerequisite: INS 101 or POL 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 335. Democratization. 3 Credit Hours.
A comparative overview of the problems of introducing democratic and market economic institutions into areas where they have not flourished and how to maintain them in established democracies.
Prerequisite: INS 101 or POL 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 341. Nationalism, Ethnicity and Conflict. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines theories of ethnic and national conflict focusing on contemporary issues throughout the world.
Prerequisite: INS 101 or POL 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 344. Gender and Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
Compares the roles played by men and women in political systems worldwide; examines public policy outcomes with significant gender-based effects, including policies on sexuality and reproductive health, gender-based violence, work and the family, and access to education.
Prerequisite: INS 101 or POL 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 352. Panoramic View of the Middle East. 3 Credit Hours.
The Middle East and a basic understanding of the factors, forces and processes shaping developments in the modern and contemporary history of this important world region.
Prerequisite: INS 101 or POL 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 357. Global Food: A Hands-On Approach. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of principles of permaculture via designing and creating a small "global farm" on campus to grow perennial food crops which are unique to the South Florida environment. We learn by doing, cultivating plants that hold the solution to world hunger problems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
INS 358. Food Policy: Hands-On Approach. 3 Credit Hours.
In this course, students will begin to immediately plant in the early spring, while harvesting the earlier fall semester's produce. The course will introduce students to planting and maintaining edible perennials in the South Florida environment. Students will study the role of urban farming as a potential contribution to the local food supply, changing urban landscapes into garden cities, and enhancing the role of tropical agricultural in reversing global warming.
Components: WKS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

INS 359. Culture, Civilizations and Religion in International Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
International Relations (IR) theories have traditionally neglected ideational factors such as identity, religion, and culture: unlike states, they were "non-territorial".
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 367. Foreign Policy Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in Foreign Policy. Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Prerequisite: INS 101 or POL 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 380. Democracy and Globalization in Latin America. 3 Credit Hours.
The global dimensions of Latin American politics, emphasizing democratization and its discontents; human rights; the emergence of transnational civil society; and the impacts of market reforms on development, equity and social inclusion.
Prerequisite: INS 101 or POL 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 385. Latin American Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the course number and title.
Prerequisite: INS 101 or POL 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 391. The European Union. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will combine 6 objectives: 1) to investigate the historical development of Europe as a civilization and as an idea through review of some main historical and political factors and ideologies from 1815-present; 2) to survey the main organizations and experiments in European integration before/after World War II; 3) to analyze the historical development of the European communities; 4) to examine major institutions of the European Union; 5) to analyze the main European Union policies and current issues; 6) to reflect upon the future of the nation-state and the idea of a united Europe, the role of transformed ideologies, and the rebirth of nationalism while pondering about future scenarios for European integration.
Prerequisite: INS 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 394. European Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the course number and title.
Prerequisite: POL 202 or POL 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 410. INS Advanced Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminar topic varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Prerequisite: INS 102 or INS 201 or POL 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
INS 411. Advanced Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminar topic varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Prerequisite: INS 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 415. Independent Study. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Individualized research done under the guidance of selected faculty member. Depending upon the requirements established by the instructor, the student will be responsible for a research paper corresponding to the number of credits taken.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 418. Honors Thesis. 3 Credit Hours.
Honors thesis research. This course is required for students seeking magna or summa cum laude and those seeking departmental honors. A thesis committee comprised of three members, two from International Studies and one from the university faculty must be established. The thesis advisor must also be from International Studies.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 419. Honors Thesis II. 3 Credit Hours.
Honors thesis writing.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 420. Global Trade. 3 Credit Hours.
Economic principles in global issues such as comparative advantage; specialization and trade; macroeconomics in the open economy; commercial policy; globalization; inequalities, within and among nations; and governance.
Prerequisite: INS 102.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

INS 421. Poverty and the Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
The processes by which a growing economy creates wealth in the form of goods and services while simultaneously increasing poverty and pollution.
Prerequisite: INS 102.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

INS 430. Comparative Studies Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminar topic varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Prerequisite: INS 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 450. History of Economic Thought. 3 Credit Hours.
A review of the contributions made by some of the most influential authors and schools of thought to the fields of political economy and economics. Examination of the links of ideas, theories, and policy approaches on economic phenomena with moral philosophy and other realms of knowledge. Emphasis is placed on the contributions made by the classics of political economy and their continuities and discontinuities with respect to pre-classical and post-classical ones.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 460. United Nations Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
The organization and functions of the UN, including its structure, network of agencies, and issues in which it is involved. Emphasis is given to reforms, the Millennium Development Goals, and problematic relationships among the UN member states.
Prerequisite: INS 201.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
INS 495. Capstone in International Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Students integrate and apply thematic knowledge (topics vary by semester e.g., international security, international development, international studies & film, international economy & environment, a major regional challenge (EU, Latin America and/or Africa), and/or IR theory). Course provides opportunities to build upon what students have learned in major while demonstrating intellectual creativity in solving problems and communicating effectively; demonstrate knowledge in the field and avail of a shared experience in preparing to utilize the INS major.
Prerequisite: INS 102 and INS 201 and INS 202 And Requisite: Junior Standing.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 501. Capstone in International Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Students integrate and apply thematic knowledge (topics vary by semester e.g., international security, international development, international studies & film, international economy & environment, a major regional challenge (EU, Latin America and/or Africa), and/or IR theory). Course provides opportunities to build upon what students have learned in major while demonstrating intellectual creativity in solving problems and communicating effectively; demonstrate knowledge in the field and avail of a shared experience in preparing to utilize the INS major.
Prerequisite: INS 101 or INS 102 or INS 201 or INS 202 and at least Junior Standing.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 503. International Relations Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in International Relations Theory. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 504. Int Rel Topics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in International Relations Theory. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 509. International Migration and the Health Care System. 3 Credit Hours.
An exposure to one of the most critical aspects of development globally: the migration-development nexus. The centrality of this issue has in current debates on development. Research and policy-making approaches to different aspects of this nexus. Several countries and regions are covered throughout the semester. Development of research skills through systematic participation in specific projects.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 510. Issues in Ins. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of current issues of international importance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 515. Independent Study. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Advanced level research done under the guidance of a selected faculty member. This course can be used as one of the two 500-level requirements for International Studies majors.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 518. Global Migration and Development. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the nexus between migration and the health care system. Immigrants as professionals in the medical field; immigrants as people in need to health care services. Many countries have relied on immigration to cover critical shortages of professionals while others suffer from the exodus of professionals. The impact of immigration on these systems through an increase in the demand for medical services and other mechanisms. An examination of research and policy approaches to these issues.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
INS 519. Internship: Knowledge Partnership Civic Engagement. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The Knowledge Partnership Internship and Civic Engagement course offers students the opportunity to apply their academic/theoretical training to a practical internship experience. In addition to the internship component, there is a civic engagement component, and a total of three arranged class sessions held over the course of a semester.
Components: FLD.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 520. Microeconomics for INS. 3 Credit Hours.
Microeconomics for students of international studies. Topics will include rationality, market failure and comparative advantage.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 521. International Economic System Topics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in International Economics. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 522. Latin American Political Economy. 3 Credit Hours.
Latin American political economy including analysis of market reform and integration of the region into the world economy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 524. Int'l Econ Topics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 530. Comparative Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced overview of the comparative method. Required for students specializing in Comparative Studies at the graduate level.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 532. Globalization and Human Rights. 3 Credit Hours.
The integration of markets has many concerned for the political and economic rights of the common citizen. This course examines The effect of globalization on the human rights standards throughout the world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 533. Transnational Social Movements. 3 Credit Hours.
Focuses on global civic activism and contentious politics, with particular attention to transnational non-state actors - NGOs, social movements, environmental protection, and the emergence of a global civil society.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 534. Military, State and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
The role of the military in state formation; questions of military rule, civilian control, and social structures in contemporary world politics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 536. Comparative Political Regimes. 3 Credit Hours.
Literature concerned with the transition from authoritarianism to democracy in various parts of the world.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
INS 537. Comparative Political Economy. 3 Credit Hours.
Compares how domestic politics and macroeconomic policies interact with globalization. Case studies include welfare states in the U.S. and Europe, East Asian development, post communist transitions and market restructuring in Latin America and Africa.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

INS 540. National Security. 3 Credit Hours.
The central issues concerning European security since World War II, with emphasis on the period since the end of the cold war.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 542. Drug-Trafficking in the Americas. 3 Credit Hours.
The political economy of the U.S.-Latin American drug trade in the 20th Century along with the dynamics of the U.S.-led war on drugs through the first years of the Twenty First Century.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

INS 543. National Security and Foreign Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores alternative conceptualizations of "security" and the new challenges to U.S. national security that have emerged in the Post-Cold War era.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

INS 551. Regional Topics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in International Business. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 560. U.S. Foreign Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
The leading approaches to the analysis of American foreign policy. Particular emphasis will be placed on the post-Cold War period and the new challenges to U.S. foreign policy of the 21st century.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

INS 561. Negotiation and Bargaining. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines the nature of diplomatic negotiation through readings and discussion of international negotiation and through the case method, selecting several cases of high-level policy issues in which the United States has been a principal actor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

INS 562. International Peace and Conflict Resolution. 3 Credit Hours.
The major sources of conflict, and what resources are available for making and keeping the peace? This class introduces students to the most fundamental concerns of the field of International Relations (IR), and especially of its sub-field IPCR.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 563. International Organizations. 3 Credit Hours.
The role, function, and impact on states of international governmental and non-governmental organizations in critical areas like peace and security, human rights, economic development, and environmental degradation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 564. International Law. 3 Credit Hours.
How international law affects the conduct of states. Issues include jurisdiction, diplomatic immunity, the use of armed force, peaceful dispute settlement among states, human rights, and the International Criminal Court.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
INS 565. The World Before European Domination. 3 Credit Hours.
The historical roots of the contemporary international system. Its objective is to question the standard Eurocentric perspective on the rise of the West to a dominant position in the global system.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

INS 566. U.S.-Latin American Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
Political, economic and strategic aspects of U.S.-Latin American relations; the historical experience and contemporary issues, including the influence of extra-regional parties such as Europe and China.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

INS 569. Global Issues and Film Making: A Trans-disciplinary Approach. 3 Credit Hours.
Global issues and filmmaking studied via a transdisciplinary approach. Topical focus varies among health, foreign aid, human security, international development, and global urbanization.
Components: RSC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 570. Globalization and Health. 3 Credit Hours.
Globalization and its benefits and threats to public health; the relationship between global economic, political, social, cultural, environmental and technological changes and their impact on human health.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

INS 571. Global Health and International Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Health and development links; macroeconomic polices and their impact on social equity, poverty and structural inequities; and other key issues that influence human development.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 572. Global Health Policy and Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
National, regional and global health policies with special consideration to ethical and human rights issues; policies and the moral considerations that shape public health policy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 573. Disasters, Terrorism and Global Public Health. 3 Credit Hours.
The historical processes and present trends of disasters, terrorism, humanitarian emergencies and their impact on human health, safety and security.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

INS 580. Latin American Comparative Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
The major intellectual debates shaping the field of comparative politics including: (1) development, (2) military politics, (3) democratization and (4) the emergence of new social movements.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

INS 581. Politics and Ideology in Latin America. 3 Credit Hours.
The roles played by both "class" and the "new social movements" in the emergence of new modes of political representation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 584. Latin American Thought. 3 Credit Hours.
The evolution of Latin American thought through political and intellectual history; the classical writings of the main "pensadores", and a comparative analysis of contemporary ideological trends.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
INS 586. Brazil in Transition. 3 Credit Hours.
The social, economic, cultural transformations shaping Brazilian politics. In addition to visiting Rio de Janeiro and Salvador, there will be seminars with Brazilian academics and social and political activists.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 590. European-Latin American Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
This course deals primarily with five main themes: shared history between Europe and Latin America; mutual transfer of ideas (ideologies and political thought), perceptions (images and stereotypes), people (voluntary and slavery), and goods (trade and investment); foreign policies of main European states and the European Community toward Latin America; an analysis of some specific country cases (Spain, especially) and issues (regional integration, among them); and how the above have affected inter-American relations and the hegemonic role of the United States.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 591. The European Union. 3 Credit Hours.
The European Union's history, institutions, policies and contemporary issues.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 592. European Union and the World. 3 Credit Hours.
The European Union's development, its main institutions and policies followed by an analysis of the main features of the European Union's external relations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

INS 593. European Security. 3 Credit Hours.
Regional security in Europe, focusing on NATO expansion, EU expansion, Russian foreign policy, and related issues.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

INS 594. European Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the course number and title.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 595. European Social Movements. 3 Credit Hours.
The major social movements active today throughout Europe including those concerned with the environment, agriculture, poverty, racism, defending social democracy, the rights of workers, minorities, and women.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 596. Post-Soviet Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the course number and title.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

INS 599. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 601. IR Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduces students to key historic events, themes, concepts, and theories that have animated the practice and scholarship of international relations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
INS 603. Dissertation Proposal. 3 Credit Hours.
INS 603 Research Design: A writing course designed to assist Master's students in the preparation of their graduation requirements: publishable papers or MA thesis.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 604. Int Rel Topics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in International Relations Theory. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 605. Int Rel Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in International Relations Theory. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 606. Issues in International Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of current issues of international importance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 607. International Economic System Topics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in International Economics. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 608. Intl Econ Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 609. Globalization and Human Rights. 3 Credit Hours.
The integration of markets has many concerned for the political and economic rights of the common citizen. This course examines The effect of globalization on the human rights standards throughout the world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 610. Graduate Seminar in INS. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminar topic varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 611. International Relations Methodology II. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduces graduate students to issues of research design and research methods in International Relations. The course will focus on three main methodological approaches in political science: qualitative case study, quantitative research and formal modeling. Apart from examining the principles guiding the choice of methods (and the trade offs involved in that choice), the course will examine how these methods have been applied to the study of three major sub-fields of international relations: international political economy, security studies, and international environmental regimes. It also aims to provide the students with basic knowledge on how to apply these methods to their own research.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
INS 612. Graduate Seminar in Qualitative Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
The main goal of this seminar is to enable students to become proficient in qualitative research methods. The seminar covers specific research methods and techniques, their relevance and limitations, their relationships with philosophical perspectives, epistemological and methodological debates, and ethical and practical considerations involved in qualitative research. Ethnographic methods, the use of social network analysis in qualitative research, the logics of inquiry in case study methods, grounded theory, and types of discourse and contents analysis, are amongst the topics covered. This is a hands-on graduate seminar in which the students are encouraged to think creatively on which method(s) could make their research of complex political, social, and cultural phenomena more rigorous and sophisticated by applying methods and techniques learned in class.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 613. Transnational Social Movements. 3 Credit Hours.
Focuses on global civic activism and contentious politics, with particular attention to transnational non-state actors - NGOs, social movements, environmental protection, and the emergence of a global civil society.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 614. Comparative Political Regimes. 3 Credit Hours.
Literature concerned with the transition from authoritarianism to democracy in various parts of the world.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 616. National Security. 3 Credit Hours.
The central issues concerning European security since World War II, with emphasis on the period since the end of the cold war.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 617. National Security and Foreign Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores alternative conceptualizations of "security" and the new challenges to U.S. national security that have emerged in the Post-Cold War era.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

INS 618. Regional Topics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in International Business. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 619. Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
A research paper is required for this course. The student works with a selected faculty member who determines the length and scope of the project. The Student is responsible for finding the internship position.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 620. International Migration and the Health Care System. 3 Credit Hours.
Critical aspects of development globally: the migration-development nexus. The centrality this issue has in current debates on development. Research and policy-making approaches to different aspects of this nexus. Several countries and regions are covered throughout the semester. Development of research skills through systematic participation in specific projects.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 621. International Development Theory I. 3 Credit Hours.
A synthesis of major theories of international development, institutional architecture, and practice of international development. Focus on key international development policies such as trade, macroeconomic finance, and equity. Considers narrow conceptions of modernity, growth, progress, wellbeing, and culture toward broader conceptions of freedom and/or sustainable development.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
INS 622. Advanced Seminar in International Economics. 3 Credit Hours.
This is a seminar in International Economics at the graduate level. The first part consists of a rigorous but nontechnical presentation of international trade theory, followed by a discussion of the main arguments for protection and their validity. The third part of the course analyzes the process of globalization; its meaning, measurement and effects. A final brief section is devoted to the determination of exchange rates and the international monetary system.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 627. Negotiation and Bargaining. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines the nature of diplomatic negotiation through readings and discussion of international negotiation and through the case method, selecting several cases of high-level policy issues in which the United States has been a principal actor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

INS 628. International Peace and Conflict Resolution. 3 Credit Hours.
The major sources of conflict, and what resources are available for making and keeping the peace? This class introduces students to the most fundamental concerns of the field of International Relations (IR), and especially of its sub-field IPCR.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 629. International Cooperation. 3 Credit Hours.
INS 629 International Cooperation: The role, function, and impact on states of international governmental and non-governmental organizations in critical areas like cooperation, peace and security, human rights, and economic development.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 630. Advanced Seminar in Comparative Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminar topic varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

INS 631. Comparative Political Economy. 3 Credit Hours.
Compares how domestic politics and macroeconomic policies interact with globalization. Case studies include welfare states in the U.S. and Europe, East Asian development, post communist transitions and market restructuring in Latin America and Africa.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

INS 632. U.S.-Latin American Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
Political, economic and strategic aspects of U.S.-Latin American relations; the historical experience and contemporary issues, including the influence of extra-regional parties such as Europe and China.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

INS 633. Globalization and Health. 3 Credit Hours.
Globalization and its benefits and threats to public health; the relationship between global economic, political, social, cultural, environmental and technological changes and their impact on human health.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

INS 641. Advanced ISC Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminar topic varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
INS 642. Drug-Trafficking in the Americas. 3 Credit Hours.
The political economy of the U.S.-Latin American drug trade in the 20th Century along with the dynamics of the U.S.-led war on drugs through the first years of the Twenty First Century.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

INS 644. Global Health and International Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Health and development links; macroeconomic policies and their impact on social equity; poverty and structural inequities; and other key issues that influence human development.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 645. Disasters, Terrorism and Global Public Health. 3 Credit Hours.
The historical processes and present trends of disasters, terrorism, humanitarian emergencies and their impact on human health, safety and security.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

INS 646. Politics and Ideology in Latin America. 3 Credit Hours.
The roles played by both "class" and the "new social movements" in the emergence of new modes of political representation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 647. Latin American Thought. 3 Credit Hours.
The evolution of Latin American thought through political and intellectual history; the classical writings of the main "pensadores", and a comparative analysis of contemporary ideological trends.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

INS 648. Brazil in Transition. 3 Credit Hours.
The social, economic, cultural transformations shaping Brazilian politics. In addition to visiting Rio de Janeiro and Salvador, there will be seminars with Brazilian academics and social and political activists.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 649. European-Latin American Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
This course deals primarily with five main themes: shared history between Europe and Latin America; mutual transfer of ideas (ideologies and political thought), perceptions (images and stereotypes), people (voluntary and slavery), and goods (trade and investment); foreign policies of main European states and the European Community toward Latin America; an analysis of some specific country cases (Spain, especially) and issues (regional integration, among them); and how the above have affected inter-American relations and the hegemonic role of the United States.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 650. Advanced Regional Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminar topic varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 653. The European Union. 3 Credit Hours.
The European Union's history, institutions, policies and contemporary issues.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 654. European Union and the World. 3 Credit Hours.
The European Union's development, its main institutions and policies followed by an analysis of the main features of the European Union's external relations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
INS 655. Post-Soviet Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the course number and title.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

INS 656. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 657. U.S. Foreign Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
The leading approaches to the analysis of American foreign policy. Particular emphasis will be placed on the post-Cold War period and the new challenges to U.S. foreign policy of the 21st century.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

INS 658. Culture, Civilization and Religion in International Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
International Relations (IR) theories have traditionally neglected ideational factors such as identity, religion, and culture: unlike states, they were "non-territorial"
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 659. IR in a Constructed World. 3 Credit Hours.
The collapse of the Soviet Union, the end of the Cold war and the end of world bipolarity left wanting the main International Relations (IR) perspectives. The course will examine these epochal changes to show that unlike traditional assumptions IR are not inevitable consequences of human nature or other essential, material characteristics such as structure as the primary independent variable. Responding to these changes constructivism, the newest IR approach regards states as actors and agents, existing within a world of their "own making." IR are social rather than material, not given by nature and material factors and hence, capable of being transformed by human practice. There are many forms of constructivism, some compatible with positivism and rationalism of the mainstream IR approaches, others more radical in their critique of IR discipline. Forms of constructivism differ in how they see the relationship between actors and structures, the mechanism of how the world is "constructed" (e.g., ideas, norms, language). Constructivism opens new research avenues.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 664. International Law. 3 Credit Hours.
How international law affects the conduct of states. Issues include jurisdiction, diplomatic immunity, the use of armed force, peaceful dispute settlement among states, human rights, and the International Criminal Court.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

INS 665. The World Before European Domination. 3 Credit Hours.
The historical roots of the contemporary international system. Its objective is to question the standard Eurocentric perspective on the rise of the West to a dominant position in the global system.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

INS 669. Global Issues and Filmmaking: A Transdisciplinary Approach. 3 Credit Hours.
Global issues and filmmaking studied via a transdisciplinary approach. Topical focus varies among health, foreign aid, human security, international development, and global urbanization.
Components: RSC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

INS 672. Global Health Policy and Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
National, regional and global health policies with special consideration to ethical and human rights issues; policies and the moral considerations that shape public health policy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
INS 675. MA Capstone Research Paper (CRP). 3 Credit Hours.
A capstone is to synthesize and apply the knowledge that students have acquired through the International Studies MA curriculum—the disciplinary perspectives, theories, and methods learned to those particular student's interests developed throughout the concentration. Students will be directed in the sequence and stages of research, data presentation and visualization, writing, oral and presentation skills. The major goal is to produce a capstone research paper (CRP) of 25-30 pages (i.e., 6,000-8,000 words) plus tables, figures, maps and other appendices that aims to be a peer reviewed article for an International Studies publication.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

INS 693. European Security. 3 Credit Hours.
Regional security in Europe, focusing on NATO expansion, EU expansion, Russian foreign policy, and related issues.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

INS 694. European Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the course number and title.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

INS 699. Readings in International Studies. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Substantive topics vary by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.

Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master's degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in INS 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.

Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 825. Continuous Registration--Master's Study. 1 Credit Hour.
To establish residence for non-thesis master's students who are preparing for major examinations. Credit not granted. Regarded as full time residence.

Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
A total of 12 hours of INS 730 is required of all candidates for the Ph.D. Not more than 12 dissertation credits may be taken during the Fall or Spring semesters, nor more than six in a summer session.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

INS 840. Post-candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. who have advanced to candidacy. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but not for less than a total of 12. Not more than 12 hours of INS 740 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
INS 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D. and D.A., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Italian (ITA)

ITA 101. Elementary Italian I. 3 Credit Hours.
For students with no background or previous study of Italian. The focus of ITA 101 is the development of communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehension of Italian and an introduction to the cultural practices of the Italian-speaking world. Themes on: university life, family, leisure activities, and professions. Includes both oral and written assignments of grammatical structures and vocabulary introduced, informal and formal writing. Conducted entirely in Italian. Not open to students who have completed 2 or more years of high school Italian. Closed to heritage and native speakers of Italian.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ITA 102. Elementary Italian II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of ITA 101. The development of communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehension of Italian and an introduction to the cultural practices of the Italian-speaking world. Themes on: childhood and adolescence, university life, home and community, food and lifestyle, and environmental issues. Includes both oral and written assessments of grammatical structure and vocabulary introduced, informal and formal writing. Conducted entirely in Italian.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ITA 106. Elementary Italian for Romance Language Speakers. 3 Credit Hours.
ITA 106 is the first of two courses specifically designed for students who are either heritage learners or native speakers of a Romance language (Spanish, Portuguese, French, and so on). It will draw on students’ already existing knowledge of their own language so as to improve and accelerate the Italian learning experience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

ITA 195. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 100-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ITA 201. Intermediate Italian I. 3 Credit Hours.
Integrated grammar review. Diverse selection of readings: stories, plays, essays, interviews. Practice in speaking and in writing. Class conducted in Italian.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ITA 202. Intermediate Italian II. 3 Credit Hours.
Different genres of texts (portraits, descriptions, short stories, film reviews, magazines) are used to explore different ways of writing and to prepare students for 300-level work. Structured in a workshop format, the course also develops conversational skills. Class conducted in Italian. Writing credits. Closed to native speakers.
Prerequisite: ITA 201 or ITA 206.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
ITA 206. Intermediate Italian for Romance Language Speakers. 3 Credit Hours.
ITA 206 is the second of two courses created especially for students who speak another Romance language such as Spanish, French, Portuguese, and so on. As with the first level, students will be further exposed to the linguistic parallels between Italian and their own language, with the goal of being able to comprehend and communicate in Italian at increasingly complex levels.
Prerequisite: ITA 106.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

ITA 280. 21st Century Italian Cinema, Society and Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
This course studies key cultural, political and societal issues of 21st century Italy through contemporary film. The course is taught in Italy and offers an in-depth experience of Italian culture happening in the "now," both on and off screen, through class discussions, guest professors, directors, actors, and site-visits. The course is taught primarily in English, with some Italian terminology. Offered only in the summer study abroad program in Italy.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

ITA 295. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 200-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ITA 301. Interpreting Literary and Cultural Texts in Italian. 3 Credit Hours.
Tools for the interpretation and analysis of Italian literary and cultural materials. Acquisition of terminology and theories through the study of the main literary genres (prose, poetry, and drama) and a complementary genre of cultural analysis (e.g., film studies, cultural studies, etc.). Emphasis on critical writing skills. Taught in Italian. Closed to native speakers formally educated in Italian.
Prerequisite: ITA 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ITA 310. Topics in Italian Studies in Translation. 3 Credit Hours.
Intensive study, in English translation, of a topic, theme, author, period, or literary movement. May be repeated when the topic varies. May be used toward the Italian minor in accordance with Department of Modern Languages and Literatures stipulations.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ITA 311. To Hell and Back with Dante: Women, Men, Politics, and Poetry. 3 Credit Hours.
A review of the highlights of Dante’s Divine Comedy.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ITA 312. Italian Civilization. 3 Credit Hours.
The intellectual life of Italy, political and social institution arts, letters, and sciences. Collateral readings and reports.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ITA 314. Topics in Early Modern Italian Literature in Translation. 3 Credit Hours.
AN introduction to one or more aspects of Italian literature of the early/modern Renaissance period in translation: e.g., the courtier, epic poems, the rebirth of classical theater.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ITA 315. Topics in Gender and Sexuality in Translation. 3 Credit Hours.
This course presents issues dealing with gender and sexuality in Italy in a variety of chronological settings, using the appropriate sources for the topic (e.g., films, newsprint and TV ads, novels). This course does not fulfill the foreign language requirement.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ITA 316. Topics in 18th- and 19th-Century Italian Literature in Translation. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to one or more aspects of Italian literature of the 18th and 19th centuries in translation: e.g., the role of opera in Italian culture; the literature of the Italian Risorgimento; the historical novel. This course does not fulfill the foreign language requirement.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ITA 317. Topics in 20th Century Italian Literature in Translation. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to one or more aspects of Italian literature of the 20th century in translation: e.g., the experience of war, the child narrator in Calvino and Ammaniti, the experimental novels of the 1960s and 70s. This course does not fulfill the foreign language requirement.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ITA 319. Travels Italy. 3 Credit Hours.
Develops an understanding of Italy’s contemporary image in the world by, first, presenting some of the earlier representations of Italy and Italians from Dante, through the Renaissance and Baroque periods, to the present; and second, by looking at the various cultures coming into contact with the Italian one. It attempts to come to grips with notions of representation, ethnicity, ethnocentrism, and stereotypes. Taught in English and does not fulfill CAS language requirement.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ITA 321. Special Topics in Italian Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Literature, film and/or the arts through a specific topic. May be repeated when the topic varies. Taught in Italian.
Prerequisite: ITA 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ITA 330. Topics in Gender and Sexuality in Italian Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
Issues dealing with gender and sexuality in Italy in a variety of chronological settings, using the appropriate sources for the topic (e.g., films, newsprint and TV ads, novels). May be repeated when the topic varies. Taught in Italian.
Prerequisite: ITA 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ITA 363. Medieval and Renaissance Topics in Italian. 3 Credit Hours.
Italian culture and literature from its earliest document through the Renaissance. Taught in Italian.
Prerequisite: ITA 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ITA 364. 17th-19th Century Topics in Italian. 3 Credit Hours.
Italian culture and literature from the Baroque to the nineteenth century. Taught in Italian.
Prerequisite: ITA 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
ITA 365. 20th-21st Century Topics in Italian. 3 Credit Hours.
Italian culture and literature of the twentieth and twenty-first century. Taught in Italian.
Prerequisite: ITA 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ITA 394. Italian Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The internship is an opportunity to apply analytical, interpretative, and creative skills developed in coursework. Internships ordinarily take place outside the University and they involve UM-faculty supervision, as well as supervised on-site experience in a Italian-speaking cultural, business, or not-for-profit organization. Students need to fill out the Internship Application Form. Normally 27 internship hours are required per credit earned. A maximum of three semester hours of internship credit may be counted toward the student’s degree program. Permission of MLL faculty member is required (the host will apply documentary evidence of the hours worked).
Prerequisite: ITA 202.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ITA 395. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 300-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ITA 396. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ITA 397. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ITA 398. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ITA 399. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

ITA 432. Italian for Business and for Business Travelers. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will allow non-native speakers of Italian communicate with native Italian speakers in a business environment by providing students with the basic vocabulary and professional expressions that are most often used in the business arena. Target business areas will be addressed through specific exercises, individual presentations, pair and group work, class discussion, preparing a Portfolio and a Final written Project, while working with authentic materials.
Prerequisite: ITA 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

ITA 444. Introduction to Translation. 3 Credit Hours.
The main objective of this course is to develop the knowledge and skills of the Italian language learner in the field of translation, with Italian and English both as source and target languages. The course addresses the linguistic foundations of translation as process and product from theoretical and applied perspectives.
Prerequisite: ITA 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
ITA 446. Cultural Debates: Public Speaking on Societal Issues. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will improve a student's conversational skills cultivating formal academic speaking competencies and will develop critical thinking skills and analytical expression in Italian through active, responsible participation in discussions, debates, and oral presentations.
Prerequisite: ITA 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ITA 495. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 400-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ITA 592. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings at the undergraduate level.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ITA 593. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings at the undergraduate level.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ITA 625. Italian for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
Grammatical structuring, verb tenses, and word families necessary for reading text with minimal use of a dictionary. May fulfill the Foreign Language Reading Competency Requirement (consult your graduate advisor).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ITA 641. Elementary ITA I for Graduate Students. 1 Credit Hour.
Designed to develop graduate students' communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending Italian, and to provide an introduction to the Italian-speaking world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ITA 642. Elementary ITA II for Graduate Research. 1 Credit Hour.
Continuation of ITA 641. Designed to develop graduate students' communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending Italian, and the continued study of the Italian-speaking world.
Prerequisite: ITA 641.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ITA 651. Intermediate ITA I for Graduate Research. 1 Credit Hour.
For graduate students with previous study of elementary-level Italian. Designed to enhance graduate students' communication skills in the Italian language at the intermediate level. Intended principally for students who will carry out research in areas related to the Italian-speaking world.
Prerequisite: ITA 642.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

ITA 652. Intermediate ITA II for Graduate Research. 1 Credit Hour.
For students with previous study of intermediate-level Italian. Designed to enhance graduate student's communication skills in the Italian language at the high-intermediate level. Intended principally for students who will carry out research in areas related to the Italian-speaking world.
Prerequisite: ITA 651.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
ITA 691. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings at the graduate level.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

ITA 692. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings at the graduate level.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

Japanese (JPN)

JPN 101. Elementary Japanese I. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic introduction to conversation, grammar, reading, elementary composition for students with no background in Japanese. The course is designed to develop basic skills in speaking, listening, reading and writing of the modern Japanese language. Hiragana, Katakana (Japanese syllabary), and 48 Kanji (Chinese characters formulated as a Japanese writing system) will be introduced in the course. Closed to native speakers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JPN 102. Elementary Japanese II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of JPN 101. Further development, language skills in speaking, listening, reading and writing of the modern Japanese language. Japanese culture and customs will be taught by way of media and/or other resources. Closed to native speakers.
Prerequisite: JPN 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JPN 195. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 100-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

JPN 201. Intermediate Japanese I. 3 Credit Hours.
Further expansion of language skills (grammar, composition and reading) while introducing students to aspects of Japanese customs, history and culture. Closed to native speakers.
Prerequisite: JPN 102.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JPN 202. Intermediate Japanese II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of JPN 201. Further development of reading, writing, listening and speaking skills in Japanese, including honorific and respectful expressions. Closed to native speakers.
Prerequisite: JPN 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JPN 203. Advanced Japanese I. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of JPN 202. Develops students’ ability to use Japanese in a more advanced way. The course emphasizes accurate comprehension, expansion of vocabulary, and development of the ability to use increasing complex grammatical and sentence structures. In addition to improving their language abilities, students will also be exposed to different areas of Japanese culture.
Prerequisite: JPN 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
JPN 204. Advanced Japanese II. 3 Credit Hours.
Develops students' ability to use Japanese in a more advanced way by continuing Japanese 203's emphasis on accurate comprehension, expansion of vocabulary, and development of the ability to use increasingly complex grammatical and sentence structures. Students will also be exposed to and analyze different areas of Japanese culture.
Prerequisite: JPN 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

JPN 210. Introduction to Japanese Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
The major aesthetic, social and political factors that have shaped contemporary and traditional Japanese culture and society. The historical evolution of Japanese culture will be approached through film, literature and art. Students will revisit related historical sites to enhance awareness and understanding of the topics. The course will be taught primarily in English, with some Japanese terminology. Offered only in the summer abroad program in Japan. No language requirement.
Prerequisite: JPN 102.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

JPN 295. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 200-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

JPN 394. Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
The internship is an opportunity to apply analytical, interpretative, and creative skills developed in coursework. Internships ordinarily take place outside the University and they involve UM-faculty supervision, as well as supervised on-site experience in a Japanese-speaking cultural, business, or not-for-profit organization. Students need to fill out the Internship Application Form. Normally 27 internship hours are required per credit earned. A maximum of three semester hours of internship credit may be counted toward the student's degree program. Permission of MLL faculty member is required (the host will apply documentary evidence of the hours worked).
Prerequisite: JPN 204.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

JPN 395. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 300-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

JPN 432. Business Japanese. 3 Credit Hours.
Designed for students who have completed JPN 202 or two years of Japanese at the college level and are interested in acquiring practical knowledge and communication skills required to deal with real-life business situations. The focus of the course is oral/aural communication skills. In addition, students will read authentic essays and newspaper articles and will also compose a variety of documents that play an important role in running a business.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

JPN 447. Advance Conversation Through Japanese Theatrical Texts. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will develop conversational skills and acquire a better understanding of sociocultural dynamics by practicing Japanese performing arts, such as Rakugo (comic story telling), Manzai (standup comedy), voice-acting for animation of folk stories, and scenes from contemporary Japanese theater. Students will also develop independent study skills and communication skills in different social settings.
Prerequisite: JPN 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JPN 495. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 400-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
JPN 641. Elementary JPN I for Graduate Students. 0 Credit Hours.
Designed to develop graduate students' communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing and comprehending Japanese at the elementary level and to provide an introduction to Japanese Studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

JPN 642. Elementary JPN II for Graduate Students. 0 Credit Hours.
Continuation of JPN 641. Designed to develop graduate students' communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending Japanese, and continued engagement with the Japanese-speaking world.
Prerequisite: JPN 641.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

JPN 651. Intermediate JPN I for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
For graduate students with previous study of elementary-level Japanese. Designed to develop graduate students' communication skills in both written and spoken Japanese at the intermediate level. Intended primarily for students who will carry out research in the Japanese-speaking world.
Prerequisite: JPN 642.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

JPN 652. Intermediate JPN II for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
For graduate students with previous study of Japanese at the intermediate level. Designed to enhance graduate students' communication skills in both written and spoken Japanese at the high-intermediate level. Intended primarily for students who will carry out research in the Japanese-speaking world.
Prerequisite: JPN 651.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

JPN 653. Advanced JPN I for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
For graduate students with previous study of Japanese at the high-intermediate level. Designed to enhance graduate students' communication skills in both written and spoken Japanese at the advanced-low level. Intended primarily for students who will carry out research in the Japanese-speaking world.
Prerequisite: JPN 652.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

JPN 654. Advanced JPN II for Graduate Research. 1 Credit Hour.
For graduate students with previous study of advanced-low level Japanese. Designed to enhance graduate students' communication skills in the Japanese language at the advanced-intermediate level. Intended principally for students who will carry out research in areas related to Japanese Studies.
Prerequisite: JPN 653.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Journalism and Media Management (JMM)

JMM 102. Understanding Media and Content in the Digital Age. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines how traditional and new media industries are economically structured and how various media content influences audiences and culture. Historical, technological, and regulatory issues related to the different media platforms will also be discussed from a comparative perspective.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 106. Visual Design. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an introduction to the principles of design, typography, color theory, usability and interactivity as they apply to the layout and design of content for print and digital media.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
JMM 108. Writing for the Digital Age. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides students with an understanding of writing styles appropriate for communicating in the digital age, with particular emphasis on grammar, spelling, syntax and clarity. It provides a solid foundation for further practice and specialization in various types of multimedia communication.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 206. Special Topics in Journalism and Media Management I. 3 Credit Hours.
This course subject matter varies according to announced special topics. See class schedule for details.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 208. Fundamentals of Newsgathering. 3 Credit Hours.
Skill development in gathering facts and other material for, and in preparation of, news stories in a variety of genres across platforms. Focus on gathering information from multiple sources, analyzing and organizing information for dissemination, and presenting the most pertinent facts clearly and cohesively to multiple media outlets.
Prerequisites: JMM 111 or JMM 108.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 210. Writing About the Arts. 3 Credit Hours.
The aim of JMM 210 is to help you develop skills in writing and reporting about entertainment and the arts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 221. Introduction to Documentary Photography. 3 Credit Hours.
Course is designed to develop skills in visual storytelling. Students will learn to produce images and recognize what makes good photographs in terms of content, composition, and technical quality.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 233. Television Performance. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to communication concepts and skills involved in on-camera duties such as anchoring, interviewing and live reporting.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 235. Radio Production and Performance. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to equipment and procedures of radio. Production of radio programs and formats, editing, announcing, sequencing program elements, and designing program formulas are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

JMM 245. Introduction to Electronic Media Production. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the theory, process, and procedure of electronic media production. Lecture and laboratory are included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 285. Applied Statistics for Journalism and Media Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides students an introduction to descriptive and bivariate inferential statistics to better understand and use media research and analysis. Computer applications are included.
Prerequisite: MTH 101 or ALEKS Score >= 60 or Math SAT >= 630 or Math ACT>= 28.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
JMM 300. Journalism Practicum. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Prescribed study and supervised work with faculty and staff of the student newspaper or related news media. Students receive first-hand knowledge and experience in a working news environment.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 301. Media Research and Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey of qualitative and quantitative research methods used to collect and analyze data on media audiences. Course also covers metrics used by media industries. Practice in conducting small-scale audience measurement is included.
Pre-requisite: JMM 102.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 302. Electronic Media Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Course provides analysis of laws and other forces that influence broadcasting, cable, and online media operations. Examines the application of the First Amendment to media operations with a focus on press law.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 303. Communication Law and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of First Amendment law and theories concerning libel, privacy, copyright, advertising, corporate communications, reporter privilege, free-press/fair trial, pornography, access to government information, broadcasting and new communication technologies. Discussion of international perspectives on media regulation.
Prerequisite: JMM 102.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

JMM 304. Web and Media Analytics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the computations, interpretations, and applications of metrics used to measure media audiences across electronic, print, and online platforms.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 305. Legal Issues in Media Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of the legal environment affecting contemporary media businesses including broadcasting, advertising, public relations, web-based media, and print publications. Focus on U.S. law, with introduction of international and comparative perspectives.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

JMM 306. Special Topics in Journalism and Media Management II. 3 Credit Hours.
This course subject matter varies according to announced special topics. See class schedule for details.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 307. Mobile Journalism. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to the fundamental procedures in the production and development of mobile storytelling.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 309. Data Journalism. 3 Credit Hours.
This course teaches how to extract meaning from data for more powerful reporting.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
JMM 313. Media Sales. 3 Credit Hours.
Operation of sales departments within media outlets. Course includes the preparation and delivery of sales presentations as well as the use of audience reports.
Prerequisite: JMM 102.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 314. Media Programming. 3 Credit Hours.
Course covers categories and sources for selecting program materials used in radio, television, cable television, and other program services. Strategies employed in devising program schedules and understanding audience behaviors are also covered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 317. Broadcast Journalism. 3 Credit Hours.
Preparation of materials for presentation through the broadcast/cable media with emphasis on news writing for oral presentation by studio anchors and field reporters. Course examines issues facing the profession of broadcast journalism, radio, and TV reporting techniques and news program formats.
Prerequisite: JMM 108 and JMM 208 and JMM 245.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 319. History of Journalism. 3 Credit Hours.
The development and impact of American journalism.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 331. Introduction to Infographics and Data Visualization. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an introduction to the visual display of information with a special focus on the encoding of data by means of graphs, charts, maps, and diagrams.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 333. Social Media and Journalism. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of best practices for use of social media for gathering, disseminating, and promoting information.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

JMM 341. Web Design. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the basic aspects of interaction design and web development, focusing on production processes. It provides an overview of web design concepts including usability, accessibility, information architecture, basic animation, and graphic design; all discussed in the context of the web environment. This course further offers an introduction to fundamental and emerging web trends.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 345. Intermediate Electronic Media Production. 3 Credit Hours.
Planning and execution of complex field, studio, and multimedia production in a variety of lengths and formats. High level skills in television control room situations and non-linear editing will be used to produce audio, video, and online content.
Prerequisite: JMM 245.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 361. Advanced Documentary Photography. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced Documentary Photography is a class designed to improve the visual storytelling news gathering, and photographic technical skills introduced in the introductory course.
Prerequisite: JMM 221.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
JMM 381. Newspaper Editing and Layout. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to electronic editing and development of skills in copy editing, headline writing, picture editing, and newspaper layout.
Prerequisite: JMM 208.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 382. Publication Planning and Editing. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to editing and design, with emphasis on the development of skills in editing copy and photos, writing headlines, news judgment, and designing print publications and websites.
Prerequisites: JMM 216 or JMM 208, JMM 106.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 401. Editorial Interpretation of Contemporary Events. 3 Credit Hours.
Critical examination of fundamental issues in public life. Preparation of editorials and interpretive articles for mass media are included.
Prerequisites: JMM 216 or JMM 208.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 402. Strategic Media Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on strategy analysis, formulation, implementation, and evaluation in managing media enterprises. Media cases are used to apply and discuss strategies.
Pre-requisite: JMM 102.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 403. Media Industry Trends. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the organizational and economic issues that influence today's mass media environment.
Requisite: Junior Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 404. Latinos and the Media. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the history, politics, production and reception of Latino-oriented media. It considers Latino media production processes, as well as Latina/o audiences' immigration, incorporation and media reception patterns. The course takes advantage of Miami as a vibrant immigration media production site through field trips and independent research projects.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

JMM 406. Special Topics in Journalism and Media Management III. 3 Credit Hours.
This course subject matter varies according to announced special topics. See class schedule for details.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 407. Media Entrepreneurship. 3 Credit Hours.
Students generate comprehensive business plans for a proposed media enterprise. Organizational, financial, and marketing aspects of starting a media business are discussed.
Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
JMM 408. International Electronic Media Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminar on world broadcasting systems and trans-national communication services. Discussion of contemporary issues involving electronic media systems worldwide.
Requisite: Junior Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 409. Advanced Feature Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced newspaper, magazine, and electronic design. Students will develop the skills necessary to produce strong visual packages combining type, photography, artwork, and white space. The course will cover advanced design and traditional reproduction techniques for art and copywriting as well as on-line presentations.
Prerequisite: JMM 106. Or STC 202. Or STC 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 414. Evolution and Impact of Television Content: The American Sitcom. 3 Credit Hours.
The seminar will examine how social, economic and political factors impacted the development and evolution of the content of sitcoms, as well as the impact such content had on American society.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 417. Advanced Broadcast Journalism. 3 Credit Hours.
This capstone course concentrates on gathering and preparing news stories for presentation in news programs. Includes field reporting, editing, preparation of visual and aural TV elements, writing, producing and performing for on-air presentation. Lecture and laboratory are included.
Prerequisites: JMM 245, JMM 317.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 419. Interactive Storytelling. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores how storytelling is reinventing itself utilizing the new digital communication tools available. It will cover linear and non-linear storytelling techniques and production processes.
Prerequisites: JMM 106 and JMM 245 and JMM 341. Requisite: Junior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 422. Programming for Interactivity. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is a multimedia class that will teach the fundamental programming skills required to create compelling online multimedia stories. Programming taught in this class caters specifically for non-programmers who want to learn how to present their work online in an interactive manner.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 427. Television Newscast. 3 Credit Hours.
Studio anchoring, newscast producing, and field reporting for news and public affairs programming.
Prerequisite: JMM 417.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 429. Advanced Infographics and Data Visualization. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is a seminar designed to introduce interactive data visualization concepts in a web environment. Students will be introduced to code libraries which assist in this task, best practices for interactivity and data visualization. The course will also briefly cover working with data (i.e., how to find sources, cleaning and preparing data for visualizations, etc.).
Prerequisite: JMM 331 and JMM 422.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
JMM 434. Media Distribution for Film and Television. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the various aspects of the distribution process for films and television programs through conventional and emerging channels.
Requisite: Junior Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 435. Media Technology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the deployment, use, and impact of communication technologies in various media contexts from an economic, regulatory, and social perspective.
Requisite: Junior Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 437. The Business of Modern Journalism. 3 Credit Hours.
Provides an examination of the evolving business models for legacy news organizations as well as discussion of entrepreneurial opportunities for news content in new media and digital platforms.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 438. Travel Journalism. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to teach travel journalism, which includes travel storytelling through writing, photography and videography.
Prerequisite: JMM 245.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 439. Infographics and Data Visualization Studio. 3 Credit Hours.
A studio course in which the student will design a large visualization project that meets the standards of quality for professional publication. The student will be required to learn new technologies and to apply tools learned in a previous class.
Prerequisite: JMM 331 and JMM 429 or JMM 550 or JMM 309.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 442. Online Journalism. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the issues, skills and practices related to the online presentation of news and information in a convergent media environment.
Prerequisite: JMM 108.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 443. Covering the Arts. 3 Credit Hours.
The aim of this course is to help you develop skills in writing and reporting about entertainment and the arts, from covering business and government news related to the arts, to telling the stories of people leaving a mark in the art world, to reviewing and critiquing works. You will report stories, write reviews and maintain a blog in the discipline of your choice.
Prerequisites: JMM 216 or JMM 208.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 444. Public Affairs Reporting. 3 Credit Hours.
Emphasis on reporting, writing and analysis about institutions, issues and actions of local government, and their effects on society.
Prerequisites: JMM 216 or JMM 208.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
JMM 445. Advanced Electronic Media Production. 3 Credit Hours.
The integration of the producer’s role and the structure of program design as they relate to day-to-day production operations. Lecture and laboratory are included.
Prerequisite: JMM 345.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 446. Travel Writing. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the major types and styles of travel news and features stories for newspapers, magazines, newsletters, and websites.
Prerequisites: JMM 216 or JMM 208.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 447. In-depth Journalism and Media Convergence. 3 Credit Hours.
A capstone experience that requires students to use effectively their full range of journalistic knowledge, newsgathering, and writing skills to prepare news and information for different media platforms.
Prerequisites: JMM 216 or JMM 208.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 448. Sports and the Media. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the relationship between sports and the media, including stakeholders and the financial component of sports and media, sports production and content, and sports media audience. The course provides an understanding of the social and economic relationships between sports and media and the effects those relationships have on sports consumers.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 459. Web and Media Analytics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the computations, interpretations, and applications of metrics used to measure media audiences across electronic, print, and online platforms.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

JMM 461. Seminar in News Ethics and Problems. 3 Credit Hours.
Ethical, practical, and professional problems of news communicators in society.
Requisite: Junior Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

JMM 463. Applied Data Analytics for Journalism and Media Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to the procedures used for extracting, processing, and analyzing datasets on web and social media sites.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 495. Internship in Journalism and Media Management. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Prescribed study and supervised work with professionals in Journalism and Media Management.
Requisite: Sophomore Status, cumulative GPA of 2.5, and Permission of Instructor.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

JMM 499. Projects and Directed Research. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual study. No more than three credits may be counted toward a Communication major or minor.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
JMM 510. Latin American Media Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
This course deals with issues in international news gathering and distribution, giving special attention to Latin America and the Caribbean. The class takes a comparative approach, looking at media systems in the United States and other nations.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 511. Global Media. 3 Credit Hours.
An analysis of issues and practices surrounding globalization, regionalization, and global/local as they relate to media industries, journalism, and communication.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 513. Computer-Assisted Reporting. 3 Credit Hours.
Use of computer applications for newsgathering with emphasis on the World Wide Web, commercial online services, and database tools.
Prerequisites: JMM 216 or JMM 208.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 515. Reporting and the Internet. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of uses of online computer services for newsgathering and distribution with emphasis on the Internet.
Prerequisites: JMM 216 or JMM 208.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 517. Television News Reporting. 3 Credit Hours.
Gathering and preparation of news stories for presentation in news programs. Includes field reporting, editing, preparation of visual and aural elements, writing, producing and performing for on-air presentation.
JMM 345 and JMM 317.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 521. Seminar in Visual Storytelling. 3 Credit Hours.
an advanced seminar class designed to enhance the knowledge and practice of the visual storytelling narrative. This seminar stresses the importance of converging media, still images, video, and sound. Particular emphasis will be placed upon the creation of a multimedia portfolio.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 523. Sports Reporting. 3 Credit Hours.
A hands-on sports journalism course that will develop students' skills in sports reporting and sports writing. Discussions range across the entire field of sports reporting, including broadcasting, but the greatest emphasis is concentrated on sports reporting and writing for print, online, social media and media relations. Students will go off-campus to cover professional and college sporting events live on deadline, hear from guest speakers across the industry, and cover on-campus UM sports beats.
Prerequisites: JMM 216 or JMM 208.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 527. Television News Producing. 3 Credit Hours.
Studio anchoring, newscast producing and field reporting for news and public affairs programming. Live field reporting and field and studio interviewing techniques are covered.
Prerequisites: JMM 417 or JMM 517.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
JMM 533. Social Media. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of best practices for use of social media for gathering, disseminating, and promoting information.
Prerequisite: JMM 208.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

JMM 541. Advanced Audio Video Narratives. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines uses of audio and video to communicate journalism. Students learn to investigate, gather content, and produce documentary stories primarily for online distribution.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

JMM 544. Feature Writing. 3 Credit Hours.
Analyzing and writing feature articles for magazines, newspapers, and other news media.
Prerequisite: JMM 108.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 547. Magazine Planning. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is a magazine planning class where students will create a 32-page print/digital cross-platform niche publication from scratch. It will be based on a business model creating a design and content for a specific audience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 550. 3D Design and Graphics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the use of 3D Design software for communication and how to integrate with other print and digital technologies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

JMM 551. Advanced Programming. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the role of the programmer as journalist. Students will perform the basic tasks of journalism from a programmatic perspective including: gathering, distilling and presenting information. Students will learn how to gather information from public databases and government websites. They will learn how to automate processes for filtering information and learn how to present this information in a visual and interactive news report. Students will also learn how to combine multiple sources of information, to personalize information for the end reader, and account for the relevant permutations of the data. Students will learn to build and query databases as well as mine and visually present the information using programming languages such as PHP and Python. Rapid development frameworks such as Django, Zend and Symfony will also be covered in the class.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Summer.

JMM 560. Team Multimedia Project. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students will work in a team to produce a documentary multimedia project in conjunction with one or more partner universities. Students will study the genre of documentary multimedia storytelling, research their assigned topic(s), content-gather, edit, wireframe, design and program the project and produce it on multiple platforms depending on the topic and intended audience. Students will use audio, photographic, video, infographic and text reporting tools in producing the project. They will also study methodologies for evaluating multimedia and beta test the site using established research methodologies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

JMM 592. Special Topics in Journalism and Media Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course subject matter varies according to announced special topic. See class schedule for details.
Requisite: Junior Or Senior Or Graduate Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
JMM 599. Advanced Projects and Directed Research. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Individual study. Course may be repeated to a maximum of six credits.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

JMM 601. Editorial Interpretation of Contemporary Events. 3 Credit Hours.
Critical examination of fundamental issues in public life. Preparation of editorials and interpretive articles for mass media are included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 605. News Technologies. 3 Credit Hours.
This course emphasizes how television, digital, and multimedia technologies contribute to the storytelling process. Understanding of production theories and news processes will be gained through hands on work with television and multimedia projects.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 606. Multimedia Design. 3 Credit Hours.
This is a project-based course in multimedia design, with emphasis on visual concepts and graphics development. Students will be learning about the various software packages to design and integrate interaction into their projects. Topics covered include preparing existing content for multimedia journalism, animation, layout for interactive media, typography, photography and usability.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 607. Broadcast Journalism. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced instruction in techniques of news writing and field reporting, including conducting research for stories, preparing complete field packages for newscasts, filing live remotes, and conducting interviews.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

JMM 608. Long-Form Public Affairs Programming. 3 Credit Hours.
Development and production of longer form news, information magazine, and documentary style programming.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

JMM 609. Internship in Journalism and Media Management. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Prescribed study and supervised work with professional in print, broadcast, online, and other media organizations.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

JMM 610. Comparative Media Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
This course deals with issues in international news gathering and distribution, giving special attention to Latin America and the Caribbean. The class takes a comparative approach, looking at media systems in the United States and other nations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 611. Newswriting and Reporting Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
Development of newswriting and reporting skills for news media.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 612. History of Journalism Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
The development and impact of journalism in America traced through industry leaders and events.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
JMM 613. Computer-Assisted Reporting. 3 Credit Hours.
Use of computer applications for newsgathering with emphasis on the World Wide Web, commercial online services, and database tools.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 614. Law and Ethics in Journalism and Media Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on two critically important areas of the law for both aspiring news media professionals and those seeking management opportunities. Principles of free speech, deeply rooted in the First Amendment to the U.S. Constitution, delve into such topics as defamation, privacy, access to information, obscenity, and intellectual property. The course also introduces students to the fundamentals of business law as it pertains to the media industry with an emphasis on employment, workplace management, and business contracts. Ethical issues are addressed throughout the course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 615. Writing and Reporting Across Platforms. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to professional operating practices in multimedia journalism with emphasis on news writing and news production skills.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 616. Evolution and Impact of Television Content: The American Sitcom. 3 Credit Hours.
The seminar will examine how social, economic and political factors impacted the development and evolution of the content of sitcoms, as well as the impact such content had on American society.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 617. Television News Reporting. 3 Credit Hours.
Gathering and preparation of news stories for presentation in news programs. Includes field reporting, editing, preparation of visual and aural elements, writing, producing and performing for on-air presentation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 618. International Journalism. 3 Credit Hours.
News gathering, transmission, and distribution outside the United States, with emphasis on Latin America.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 619. Interactive Storytelling. 3 Credit Hours.
Digitization allows us to merge several forms of media that were not connected in the past. This course is intended as an exploration of how storytelling is re-inventing itself utilizing the new digital communication tools available to us today. This course will cover linear and non-linear storytelling techniques and production processes.
Prerequisites: JMM 628 and JMM 622 and JMM 630 and CIM 690.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

JMM 620. Reporting and the Internet. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of uses of online computer services for newsgathering and distribution with emphasis on the Internet.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 621. Global Media. 3 Credit Hours.
An analysis of issues and practices surrounding globalization, regionalization, and global/local as they relate to media industries, journalism, and communication.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
JMM 622. Introduction to Infographics and Data Visualization. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an introduction to the visual display of information with a special focus on the encoding of data by means of graphs, charts, maps, and diagrams.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 623. Sports Reporting. 3 Credit Hours.
A hands-on sports journalism course that will develop students’ skills in sports reporting and sports writing. Discussions range across the entire field of sports reporting, including broadcasting, but the greatest emphasis is concentrated on sports reporting and writing for print, online, social media and media relations. Students will go off-campus to cover professional and college sporting events live on deadline, hear from guest speakers across the industry, and cover on-campus UM sports beats.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 624. Seminar in Editing and Design for Print and Websites. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory and practice in news media copy editing, layout, and design.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 625. Advanced Newsgathering and Writing Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
Refining news writing and reporting skills for the media.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

JMM 626. Specialized Writing and Reporting Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
Techniques in writing and reporting about specialized and complex subjects for news media.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 627. Television News Producing. 3 Credit Hours.
Studio anchoring, newscast producing and field reporting for news and public affairs programming. Live field reporting and field and studio interviewing techniques are covered.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.

JMM 628. Seminar in Visual Storytelling. 3 Credit Hours.
An advanced seminar class designed to enhance the knowledge and practice of the visual storytelling narrative. This seminar stresses the importance of converging media, still images, video, and sound. Particular emphasis will be placed upon the creation of a multimedia portfolio.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 629. Advanced Infographics and Data Visualization. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is a seminar designed to introduce interactive data visualization concepts in a web environment. Students will be introduced to code libraries which assist in this task, best practices for interactivity and data visualization. The course will also briefly cover working with data (i.e., how to find sources, cleaning and preparing data for visualizations, etc.).
Prerequisite: JMM 622 and JMM 630.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.

JMM 630. Programming for Interactivity. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is a multimedia class that will teach the fundamental programming skills required to create compelling online multimedia stories.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 631. Data Journalism. 3 Credit Hours.
This course teaches how to extract meaning from data for more powerful reporting.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
JMM 632. Current Issues in Media Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course addresses how recent developments in media technology, regulation, content, and measurement have influenced the structure and economics of the media industry. Given the rapid evolution of the media business across platforms, topics are likely to vary from year to year. Media cases are used to discuss appropriate strategies and decision-making and help students think as media managers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 633. Social Media. 3 Credit Hours.
This course looks at social media from an organizational perspective: best practices for news and media organizations; building digital communities; monitoring/listening to user-generated content; and branding and marketing through social media.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

JMM 634. Media Distribution for Film and Television. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the various aspects of the distribution process for films and television programs through conventional and emerging channels.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 635. The Broadcasting, Cable, and Electronic Media Industry. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of broadcasting, cable, and related electronic media from a business perspective.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

JMM 636. Content Strategy in the Media Industry. 3 Credit Hours.
What distinguishes the media industry from other sectors is the primacy of content. This course examines the practices involved in developing, distributing, scheduling, and monetizing media content, especially in the video space. Programming strategies are discussed across traditional and emergent media platforms.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

JMM 637. The Business of Modern Journalism. 3 Credit Hours.
The course examines the evolving business models for legacy news organizations as well as discusses entrepreneurial opportunities for news content in new media and digital platforms.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 638. Infographics and Data Visualization Studio. 3 Credit Hours.
A studio course in which the student will design a large visualization project that meets the standards of quality for professional publication. The student will be required to learn new technologies and to apply tools learned in previous classes.
Prerequisites: JMM 622 and JMM 629 or JMM 650 or JMM 631.
Components: STU.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 639. Travel Journalism. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to teach travel journalism, which includes travel storytelling through writing, photography and videography.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

JMM 640. Web Design. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the basic aspects of interaction design and web development, focusing on production processes. It provides an overview of web design concepts including usability, accessibility, information architecture, basic animation, and graphic design; all discussed in the context of the web environment. This course further offers an introduction to fundamental and emerging web trends.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
JMM 641. Advanced Audio Video Narratives. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines uses of audio and video to communicate journalism. Students learn to investigate, gather content, and produce documentary stories primarily for online distribution.
Prerequisite: JMM 628.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

JMM 642. Audience Research and Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the primary research methods and metrics used to measure media audiences. Discussion of data collection procedures includes survey research, experimental design, content analysis, focus groups, and the growing use of big data analysis. Media metrics center on broadcast ratings and online exposure measurement. Applications or small-scale projects are conducted for practice.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 643. Media Industry Trends. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the organizational and economic issues that influence today's mass media environment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 644. Feature Writing. 3 Credit Hours.
Analyzing and writing feature articles for magazines, newspapers, and other news media.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 646. Travel Writing. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the major types and styles of travel news and features stories for newspapers, magazines, newsletters, and websites.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 647. Magazine Planning. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is a magazine planning class where students will create a 32-page print/digital cross-platform niche publication from scratch. It will be based on a business model creating a design and content for a specific audience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 648. Sports and the Media. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the relationship between sports and the media, including stakeholders and the financial component of sports and media, sports production and content, and sports media audiences. The course provides an understanding of the social and economic relationships between sports and media and the effects those relationships have on sports consumers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 649. Team Multimedia Project. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students will work in a team to produce a documentary multimedia project in conjunction with one or more partner universities. Students will study the genre of documentary multimedia storytelling, research their assigned topic(s), content gather, edit, wireframe, design and program the project and produce it on multiple platforms depending on the topic and intended audience. Students will use audio, photographic, video, infographic and text reporting tools in producing the project. They will also study methodologies for evaluating multimedia and beta test the site using established research methodologies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

JMM 650. 3D Design and Graphics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the use of 3D Design software for communication and how to integrate with other print and digital technologies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
JMM 651. Advanced Programming. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the role of the programmer as journalist. Students will perform the basic tasks of journalism from a programmatic perspective including: gathering, distilling and presenting information. Students will learn how to gather information from public databases and government websites. They will learn how to automate processes for filtering information and learn how to present this information in a visual and interactive news report. Students will also learn how to combine multiple sources of information, to personalize information for the end reader, and account for the relevant permutations of the data. Students will learn to build and query databases as well as mine and visually present the information using programming languages such as PHP and Python. Rapid development frameworks such as Django, Zend and Symfony will also be covered in the class.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

JMM 653. Practicum in Producing News. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The mechanics of planning and executing professional style newscasts and/or long-form television news program.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 654. Writing for Publication. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on writing principles and practices of the news media. It is designed to give the student exposure and practical experience in writing for the print media.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

JMM 655. Media Technology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the deployment, use, and impact of communication technologies in various media contexts from an economic, regulatory, and social perspective.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 657. Media Entrepreneurship. 3 Credit Hours.
Students generate comprehensive business plans for a proposed media enterprise. Organizational, financial, and marketing aspects of starting a media business are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 659. Web and Media Analytics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the computations, interpretations, and applications of metrics used to measure media audiences across electronic, print, and online platforms.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

JMM 663. Applied Data Analytics for Journalism and Media Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to the procedures used for extracting, processing, and analyzing datasets on web and social media sites.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JMM 692. Special Topics in Journalism and Media Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course subject matter varies according to announced special topic. See class schedule for details.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JMM 695. Special Topics in Journalism. 3 Credit Hours.
This course subject matter varies according to announced special topic. See class schedule for details.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
JMM 696. Special Topics in Visual Journalism. 1-6 Credit Hours.
This course subject matter varies according to announced special topic. See class schedule for details.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JMM 699. Advanced Projects and Directed Research. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Individual study. Course may be repeated to a maximum of six credits.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

JMM 815. Multimedia Project. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Students, in consultation with program faculty, will complete a final project that reflects in-depth knowledge and analysis of a subject and professional competence in multimedia storytelling. Course may be repeated to a maximum of six credits.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Judaic Studies (JUS)

JUS 205. Holocaust Survivor Service Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
Interns will gain meaningful experiences that will offer them an opportunity to become involved in service-oriented activities. This will give them a deep insight and unique understanding of the historical significance of the Holocaust while providing valuable services to the survivors of Nazi atrocities.
Components: DIS.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JUS 231. Jewish Civilization: Society, Culture and Religion. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to Jewish civilization from Abraham to present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JUS 234. Jerusalem in the Time of Jesus. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of the archaeological evidence related to Herodian Jerusalem during the time of Jesus. Emphasis on the architectural remains, material culture and inscriptions of the period that illuminate Jewish society and religious liturgy in Jerusalem. The places associated with the Gospels and the last days of Jesus will be a focus.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JUS 250. The Holocaust Through Film, Memoir and Testimony. 3 Credit Hours.
The purpose of the course is to introduce students to the history of the Holocaust through classroom dialogue, film, and literature analysis. Involving students in major ethical and moral issues raised in the study of the Holocaust by encouraging students to think critically, explore choices, and make decisions based on a code of conduct that reflects a commitment to humanity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JUS 301. Studies in Judaica. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics offering at the 300-level for students pursuing a major/minor in Judaic Studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JUS 314. The Rise of Judaism. 3 Credit Hours.
The history and literature of early Judaism, covering the period from the fall of Jerusalem in 587/586 BCE to the beginnings of rabbinic Judaism and the formation of the Mishnah (ca.200 CE).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
JUS 324. The History of Zionism. 3 Credit Hours.
The religious, cultural, historical, political and social underpinnings of the development of Zionism that fed to the creation of the State of Israel. Through readings, analysis of speeches and essays, exploration of films and the internet, the class will move through time from the origins of the Zionist idea to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JUS 325. Israel: The Making of a State. 3 Credit Hours.
The creation of the state of Israel in its historical context, emphasizing the period of 1945-55: The struggle for Israel's establishment, the making of the state and the early challenges Israel faced. The class will use documents, text, testimony, poetry, music and film.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JUS 338. History of the Holocaust. 3 Credit Hours.
Focus on the roots, events and results of the Nazis nearly successful annihilation of Jewish men, women, and children living under the Swastika. We will study Hitler's political aims, his Aryan superiority mythology, his domestic and foreign policies, and his conquests. We will also investigate how Germans, admired for their culture, became instruments of mass murder. Also included in this survey are the heroism of Jewish resisters and gentile rescuers who stood in direct opposition to the silence of the Christian churches and inactivity of the nearly all nations in the face of the Jewish disaster.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JUS 340. History of Modern Germany Since 1815. 3 Credit Hours.
German history from the Congress of Vienna in 1815 to the end of the Second World War. The course concentrates on the social, political, and cultural history of Germany between Bismarck and Hitler. The main topics of discussion include: The German states before and during the revolutions of 1848, German unification and Prussian policy during the 1850s and 1860s, Bismarck's foreign policy and the political history of the Empire from 1871 to 1914, the origins and the course of the First World War, the Versailles Treaty and the history of the Weimar Republic, Hitler's rise to power and the politics of Nazi Germany between 1933 and 1939, Germany during the Second World War and the Holocaust. To bring the past to life, lectures will occasionally be supplemented by documentary films.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

JUS 352. Panoramic View of the Middle East. 3 Credit Hours.
The course is designed to provide a comprehensive introduction to the Middle East and a basic understanding of factors, forces, and processes shaping developments in the modern and contemporary history of this important world region.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

JUS 360. Hollywood and Popular Culture: The American Jewish Experience. 3 Credit Hours.
The image of the Jew and the Jewish experience in American Cinema.
Prerequisite: JUS 231 or HIS 102.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

JUS 365. Literature of the Holocaust. 3 Credit Hours.
The destruction of European Jewry has generated a substantial body of literature, including survivor accounts, novels, poetry, and theological and philosophical inquiries. Firstly this course will review the history of the Holocaust; then a range of works will be read and discussed in terms of questions associated with the memorialization of victims. Non-literary responses to the Holocaust will also be examined: excerpts will be shown from the films The Last of the Unjust, Shoah, and The Quarrel, and we will listen to Steve Reich's musical composition Different Trails.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

JUS 375. Religion and Democracy in Israel. 3 Credit Hours.
Israel's evolution as a nation and a society by focusing on how religion impacts ethnicity, culture, and democracy.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
JUS 380. Archaeology of Palestine. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey of the major archaeological excavations and surveys of Palestine, how this is used to interpret biblical narrative and give context to the emergence of Judaism and Christianity.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

JUS 401. Studies in Judaica. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Designed to enable students interested in some phase of Judaic Studies to study extensively in that field of interest.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

JUS 410. Special Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

JUS 411. Special Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

JUS 421. Internship in Judaic Studies. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Prescribed study and supervised work with practitioners in Judaic services.
**Components:** DIS.
**Grading:** CNC.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

JUS 498. Senior Thesis. 3 Credit Hours.
Partial requirement for Departmental Honors in Judaic Studies. Thesis to be a documented essay in any area of Judaic Studies written under the direction of a member of the faculty.
**Components:** THI.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

JUS 499. Senior Thesis. 3 Credit Hours.
Partial requirement for Departmental Honors in Judaic Studies. Thesis to be a documented essay in any area of Judaic Studies written under the direction of a member of the faculty.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

Kinesiology (KIN)

KIN 100. Leadership, Management, and Ethics in Sports. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will gain an understanding of skills and philosophies of leadership, management, and ethic necessary for a position in the sport industry.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Summer.

KIN 105. Introduction to Athletic Training and Sports Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
In this practical, hands-on course, the students will learn to identify basic sport injuries that afflict the major joints of the body, and review basic methods to treat these injuries. The student will also learn how nutrition, improper biomechanics, and poor training can all impact sport performance. Plus, participants will be given the opportunity to learn and practice techniques or procedures (such as athletic taping or bracing) that may be useful in minimizing the incidence of injury.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Summer.
KIN 110. Translational Health in Nutrition and Kinesiology. 3 Credit Hours.
This class will consist of an introduction to the field of Sports Medicine and Exercise Science. Basic information relevant to appropriate exercise prescription, proper nutritional habits, implications on health, longevity and performance will be addressed. Hands-on practical experiences will supplement theoretical concepts learned in the classroom setting.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

KIN 137. Introduction to the Theory, Application, and Practice of Yoga. 2 Credit Hours.
A critical examination of theories underlying yoga practice, benefits of different styles, using specific techniques to target practitioners’ needs.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

KIN 140. Introduction to Athletic Training. 2 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the profession of athletic training. Introduction to Athletic Training with emphasis on study of the sports medicine team, legal concerns, nutrition, and pre-participation physicals. Course will discuss the basic principles of injury prevention including the role of conditioning, equipment, and protective padding. Emphasis will be familiarization with various community and university agencies, as well as the University of Miami athletic training staff, and policies and procedures used in the athletic facilities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 141. Introduction to Athletic Training Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
Introduction to clinical athletic training for pre-athletic training major. Hands-on knowledge for the entry level athletic training student. Observation hours in the athletic training room will give the student the opportunity to use the knowledge, skills, and techniques learned in this course. The student must complete 35 clinical observation hours. There is a $65 lab fee for this class.
Corequisite: KIN 140. Requisite: ATHT, PAT Majors only and a Sophomore Status.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 145. Responding to Emergencies. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will become familiar with accident, injury, and illness situations, techniques for immediate first aid, and legal parameters involved when administering emergency care. There is a $45 lab fee for this class.
Requisite: ATHT Majors only and Sophomore Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 150. General Nutrition for Health and Performance. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals and theories of nutrition with a specific focus on nutrition for both sports and fitness.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 155. Biological Bases for Physical Activity and Health. 3 Credit Hours.
This course serves as an introduction to the field of exercise physiology. Students will learn the biological need for physical activity, discuss specific mechanisms on how physical activity reduces disease risk and understand the relationship between physical activity and chronic diseases such as coronary heart disease, obesity, diabetes, cancer, aging and mental health.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 184. Athletic and Sport Injuries. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will become familiar with athletic injuries in sports that occur over the principal joints in the body and the inclusion of anatomical structures that are frequently damaged. Basic operational treatments and rehabilitation programs after surgery will be discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
KIN 200. Survey of Sports Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will examine the employment opportunities and skills needed in professional, collegiate, and amateur sports as well as the health and fitness industry.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

KIN 201. Introduction to Sport Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic overview of the fields of sport management. Majors must receive a grade of C or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 202. Applied Nutrition for Health and Performance. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of nutrition, diet analysis, biochemical processes in energy metabolism, nutrition and health problems, and nutrition as it relates to physical performance. The class will have 3 sections: 1) nutritional links to chronic disease; 2) nutrition before, during and after exercise bout; and 3) nutritional supplements for health and performance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 203. Introduction to Gaming and Casino Management. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will focus on the management of gaming and casino operations. Gambling has emerged as a major segment of the sport industry, comprising 10% of sport expenditures and injecting over $20B annually into the economy. Students will be exposed to the managerial requirements and organizational structures of various gaming operations. They will also learn about the history of the gaming industry and its impact on the South Florida and the Caribbean economy. The course will provide an introductory level of knowledge regarding the managerial nuances which make working within the industry unique to the traditional sport business environments.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 204. Administration of Collegiate Athletics. 3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive overview of all aspects of the administration of college athletics programs, with emphasis of various components contained within. Course will include lecture, group activities and expert guest speakers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 205. Sports Sales. 3 Credit Hours.
The focus of this class is to examine the sales process and best practices in ticket sales and other forms of revenue generation. This course will provide hands-on experience featuring ticket sales 101, guest speakers, individual and group role-playing to simulate sales calls and will culminate with students entering The Sports Sales Tank.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 206. Sport Facilities and Event Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an overview of the policy and procedures necessary to organize and develop sport events and facilities. In depth review of all programs, functions and procedures necessary for the operation of events and facilities are examined.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 210. Foundations in Athletic Training. 2 Credit Hours.
Students will be introduced to the study of etiology and mechanisms of injury, pathology, and recognition of clinical signs and symptoms of athletic injury. The student must complete 50 clinical observation hours, which are required for the retention process of the Athletic Training Program. Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
KIN 211. Introduction to Campus Recreation. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an introductory course and provides a broad overview of campus recreation. It will include information on how to plan, and execute programs such as intramurals, club sports and fitness and wellness. Risk management will be stressed in every aspect in the field along with other important topics such as sponsorships, budgeting, and evaluating programs and employees. Students will gain an understanding of what campus recreation is and its importance to a healthy lifestyle on campus.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 212. Elements of Sports Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the field of sport and exercise psychology by examination of psychological theories and research related to sport and exercise behavior.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 221. Exercise Physiology: Biochemistry and Skeletal Muscle. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will offer an overview of the biochemistry pertaining to neuroendocrine responses, nutrition, and neuromuscular function; as well as the physiological and biochemical plasticity within skeletal muscle associated with various interventions, diseases, injuries, and aging. Majors must receive a grade of B- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 222. Exercise Physiology Laboratory Practicum: Neuromuscular. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the nature of data collection in exercise physiology. Students will receive information on collection theory and its application to the measurement of a number of physiological systems during exercise. The course is designed to establish a clear linkage between the chronic and acute changes that occur during exercise and the laboratory methods that are used to assess those changes. Co-requisite: KIN 221.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 230. Medical Terminology and Documentation. 1 Credit Hour.
Terminology, note writing, and documentation techniques in sports medicine. A treatment cycle model will be introduced.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 232. Basic Human Physiology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course presents a general overview of the major systems of the human organism with an examination of how they function in the human body. Majors must receive C or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 233. Basic Anatomy Lab. 2 Credit Hours.
This course presents a general overview of the anatomy of the major body systems, such as the skeletal, muscular, cardiovascular, nervous, digestive, respiratory and reproductive systems as well as the integumentary system and special senses.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 234. Functional Human Anatomy. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of human anatomy specifically for the sports medicine practitioner.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 235. Personal and Community Health. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of current strategies and practices for healthy living, including health maintenance and disease prevention.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
KIN 245. Kinesiology. 3 Credit Hours.
Structure and function of Neurology, Osteology, Arthrology and Myology, with emphasis on the mechanics of the movement of the human body.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 250. Orthopedic Assessment: Lower Extremity. 3 Credit Hours.
Common types of orthopedic/sports dysfunctions to the lower extremity will be discussed. Injuries will be discussed from the following viewpoints: etiology and mechanism of injury, pathology, recognition and evaluation techniques, protocols, and prevention.
Corequisite: KIN 251. Prerequisite: Athletic Training.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 251. Orthopedic Assessment: Lower Extremity Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
Techniques used to evaluate orthopedic and sports injuries occurring to the lower extremity. The student must complete 100 clinical education hours. Clinical education hours will emphasize lower extremity orthopedic assessment, goniometry, manual muscle testing techniques, and gait evaluations.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 256. Globalization of Sport. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address the intertwined relationship between globalization, sport, and development from a critical global perspective. This course highlights the extent to which contemporary sport cultures are the result of an interplay between local and global forces. We will explore the international character of professional and amateur sports including international competitions, league expansions beyond national boundaries, and the movement of athletes. Course topics include international sport organization, international competition, sport governance, international dispute resolution, international sports law, and new media.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 257. Research Experience in Exercise Physiology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides students the opportunity to be immersed in the research process within the discipline of exercise physiology. This includes the entire research process starting with conceptualization of the study and proceeding through research design, implementation (assessment and equipment use), data handling, statistical analysis, and culminating in preparation of manuscripts or presentations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 260. Orthopedic Assessment: Upper Extremity. 3 Credit Hours.
Common types of orthopedic/sports dysfunctions to the upper extremity will be discussed. Injuries will be discussed from the following viewpoints: etiology and mechanism of injury, pathology, recognition and evaluation techniques, protocols, and prevention.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 261. Orthopedic Assessment: Upper Extremity Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
Techniques used to evaluate orthopedic and sports injuries occurring to the upper extremity. The student must complete 100 clinical education hours. Clinical education hours will emphasize upper extremity orthopedic assessment, goniometry, and manual muscle testing techniques.
Corequisite: KIN 260.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 264. General Medical Conditions Evaluation. 2 Credit Hours.
This class is the study of the clinical signs and symptoms of General Medical conditions that will present to the Certified Athletic Trainer. Emphasis will be placed on the techniques and instrumentation used for performing appropriate evaluation procedures.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
KIN 297. Practicum in Sport Administration. 1-3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive program of observation and supervised experience for one semester under the direction of a professional in the sports field. Supervised by Sport Administration program Internship Director. Course only open to Sport Administration Majors & Minors.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 301. Athletic Injuries and Sport First Aid. 3 Credit Hours.
Course will help coaches, camp counselors, teachers, personal trainers, and athletes of all levels to fulfill the role of being a competent first responder to athletic injuries and illnesses. Upon completion of this course, students will have knowledge of basic sport first aid skills, anatomy and sport injury terminology, and knowledge of specific athletic injuries and illnesses. These will include head injuries, sudden illnesses, weather-related problems, upper and lower body musculoskeletal injuries, respiratory emergencies and illnesses, and internal injuries. Students will also learn basic hands-on skills such as splinting, taping, and bracing as it relates to preventing and treating athletic injuries.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 302. Sport Marketing. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed as a marketing course that deals exclusively with Sport Marketing. Students are expected to develop comprehensive marketing and sponsorship plans. This course will require moderate to heavy computer knowledge. This course is designed to maximize the practical applications of marketing theory to the sport business environment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 305. Careers in Sports. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide a basic overview of careers in the sports industry. Students will develop an understanding of the foundations of sport administration and various topics related to the professional growth within this field. The course will also provide basic fundamentals and skills to prepare students for potential employment within the sports world.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 306. Essential Leadership in Sports and the Professions. 3 Credit Hours.
A variety of leadership and management skills will be examined, including communication, problem solving, conflict management, group dynamics, and leadership theory. Practical application to sport and allied professions will be included. Self-assessment opportunities and exercises will be utilized.
Prerequisite: KIN 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 307. Motivational Strategies in Sport and the Professions. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will examine the concepts of motivation as it pertains to sport and leadership responsibilities in work environments. Principles of extrinsic and intrinsic motivation, peak performance, goal setting, motivation strategies, and theories will be integrated.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 308. Ethical Decision Making in Sport and the Professions. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will examine ethical dilemmas in decision-making and other contemporary issues in sports management and campus and community environment. Real and hypothetical situations will be utilized. This course is a designated Upper Level Communication Requirement. Advanced written, digital and/or oral communication proficiencies will be emphasized in this course. Credit for ENG 105 and ENG 106 (or equivalent) is required for this course.
Prerequisite: KIN 201 AND KIN 306.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 310. Adolescent Growth and Maturation. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an in-depth study of pediatric exercise physiology with special emphasis on growth, maturation, physical activity, and performance. Topics include a comprehensive summary of biological growth and maturation, processes that impact physical performance. Additionally, students will learn the basis of training pediatric populations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
KIN 321. Introduction to Systemic Exercise Physiology. 3 Credit Hours.
The structure, function, and training of the cardiorespiratory system. Special emphasis on structural changes in the systems with exercise and their influence on cardiovascular performance, body composition, exercise efficiency and health.
Requisite: EXPH or EXPS Major or Minor and Prerequisite: KIN 221 with a grade of C or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 322. Exercise Physiology Laboratory Practicum: Cardiorespiratory. 3 Credit Hours.
This course concentrates on collection of cardiorespiratory data. In addition, the application of these data to exercise prescription for specific athletic and non-athletic populations will be covered. Corequisite: ESS 321.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 330. Medical Terminology. 3 Credit Hours.
Terminology, note writing, and documentation techniques in sports medicine/athletic training.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

KIN 340. Strength and Conditioning. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to Sport Specific Strength Training. Students will learn the practice of Olympic Weight Lifting and related exercise techniques.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 344. Gross Anatomy for Kinesiology and Sport Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Human dissection of the major muscles, arteries and nerves of the body.
Requisite: EXPH or EXPS Major or Minor and Prerequisite: KIN 233 with a grade of C or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 345. Kinesiology. 3 Credit Hours.
Structure and function of the skeletal, joint, and muscular systems, with emphasis on the mechanics of the movement of the human body and its relationship to sport and physical performance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 365. Exercise Programming. 3 Credit Hours.
This class is the study of the theory and principles behind the development of exercise programs. Students will learn how to accurately evaluate and develop individual exercise prescription based upon sound scientific research. Exercise prescriptions will be developed in accordance with the guidelines set forth by the National Strength and Conditioning Association and the American College of Sports Medicine. This course is a designated Upper Level Communication Requirement; Advanced written, digital and/or oral communication proficiencies will be emphasized in this course. Credit for ENG105 and ENG106 (or equivalent) is required for this course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 366. Exercise Physiology Laboratory: Assessment. 3 Credit Hours.
This lab course is designed to complement the ESS 365 lecture course (Principles of Exercise Prescription): Cardiovascular. Students will apply practical field assessments for body composition, aerobic capacity, muscular fitness, and joint range of motion, and will employ exercise strategies to improve each of the assessed fitness components. Students will also prescribe exercises to improve performance-based fitness, such as coordination, balance, agility, speed and power while learning proper exercise training techniques. Must be a declared Exercise Physiology (EXPH) major and receive a grade of "C" or better to satisfy requirements.
Requisite: EXPH or EXPS Major or Minor and Prerequisite: KIN 233 with a grade of C or higher.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
KIN 369. Introduction to Exercise Prescription. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will learn various assessment of health and wellness, and discover how to most effectively prescribe exercise strategies to treat the
assess needs of an individual. This course provides the competencies required for cognate students to attain a personal training credential through
accredited personal training certification agencies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 370. Sociocultural Aspects of Athletic Training and Sports Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
Sports Medicine can produce the "perfect storm" of unique medical situations that lead to ethical dilemmas. This class will explore topics of
professional and moral behavior, cultural competence, foundational behaviors of professional practice, and ethical decision-making in the fields of
Athletic Training and Sports Medicine. Students will be required to read numerous case studies and novels that depict these issues.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 399. Neuromuscular Basis for Training. 3 Credit Hours.
A critical examination of neuromuscular training techniques, their strengths, weaknesses and scientific bases.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 401. Legal Aspects of Sport. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will focus on legal issues applicable to sport administration, including tort law, risk management, negligence, and constitutional law.
Relevant legal cases and concepts will be incorporated.
Prerequisite: KIN 201 + Sophomore or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 402. Sport Sponsorship and Promotion. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide a detailed examination of the relationship between sport and corporate sponsorship. Topics covered will include the
theoretical premise of sponsorship, alignment marketing, strategic communication through sponsorship, determining the value of sponsorship, and
evaluation of sponsorship activities. Perspectives from the property offering a sponsorship and from the organization functioning as the sponsor will
be considered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

KIN 403. Sport Information Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course centers upon the development of those skills that are necessary for Sport Information Directors. Specifically, these traditionally include
marketing, media, promotion, and public relations. This course hopes to provide detailed knowledge to allow the student to participate in these
activities in a professional manner.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 405. Finance and Budget in Sport Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
This course seeks to develop those financial skills necessary to understand a wide variety of financial concepts that impact sport managers. Such
topics would include but not be limited to: Sport franchise value/valuations; economic impact of sport; risk-return models; financial statement
analysis, and budgeting.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 410. Problems and Issues in Sport Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed as a seminar course. Topical issues in high school, collegiate and professional sport are presented and discussed in detail. A
number of student-centered activities are introduced to aid in the development of the student.
Requisite: SPAD major and Prerequisites: KIN 201 and KIN 306 and KIN 308.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
KIN 411. International Club/Sport Management- Brazil. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to examine the various sport-based organizations that comprise the sport industry in Brazil. Examined areas will include products/services offered, marketing opportunities and challenges, public relations, economic impact on the local community, physical facilities, internship/employment opportunities, strengths, weaknesses, opportunities, threats, and the unique aspects and challenges of sport in Brazil. The class will also compare and contrast sport in the United States and sport in Brazil.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 412. Psychophysiology. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of the physiological effects of acute vs. chronic training on homeostatic function, musculoskeletal systems, energy system function, cardiovascular system, and the pulmonary system. Students will be able to understand and interpret terminology and research literature published in the field.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 415. Evidence Based Sports Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce the student to clinical epidemiology and the evaluation of the efficacy of prevention, diagnostic, and treatment strategies in athletic training and sport medicine.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 416. Research Methods in Exercise Physiology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce the student to clinical epidemiology and the evaluation of the efficacy of prevention, diagnostic, and treatment strategies in exercise physiology and related professions.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 417. Research Methods for the Sport Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
This course seeks to provide a full introduction to research methods in sport studies.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 421. Advanced Systemic Exercise Physiology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the short and long term physical responses to exercise and provides a general overview of the field of exercise physiology with reference to the latest trends in modern physiological research.
Requisite: EXPH or EXPS Majors or Minors. And Prerequisite: KIN 232 and KIN 321 with a grade C or Higher.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 435. Clinical Biomechanics for Sport Medicine Professionals. 3 Credit Hours.
A lecture course stressing the biomechanics of joints and pathomechanics of orthopedic injuries.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

KIN 443. Clinical Athletic Training Lab I. 2 Credit Hours.
The application of athletic training practices in selected clinical education settings. The student must complete 150 hours of documented clinical education hours, which apply toward the graduation requirement of 1000 hours. Clinical education hours will emphasize emergency procedures, first aid, and protective equipment. Prerequisite: Successful completion of the retention process and formal admittance into the clinical portion of the Athletic Training Program. Students are required to return to campus for pre-season orientation prior to the start of the school year.
Requisite: ATHS Majors Only.

Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
KIN 444. Clinical Athletic Training Lab II. 2 Credit Hours.
The application of athletic training practices in selected clinical and educational settings. The student must complete 150 hours of documented
clinical education hours, which apply toward the graduation requirement of 1000 hours. Clinical education hours will emphasize general medical
conditions, nutritional issues, psychosocial intervention, and injury prevention and risk management. Depending on the student's clinical education
rotation, students may be required to start their clinical education hours prior to the start of the semester.
Prerequisite: KIN 443.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 455. Clinical Athletic Training Lab III. 2 Credit Hours.
The application of athletic training practices in selected clinical and educational settings. The student must complete 150 hours of documented
clinical education hours, which apply toward graduation requirement of 1000 hours. Clinical education hours will emphasize acute care of injuries
and illnesses, lower extremity orthopedic assessment, and risk management and injury prevention. Students are required to return to campus for pre-
season orientation prior to the start of the school year.
Prerequisite: KIN 444.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 456. Clinical Athletic Training Lab IV. 2 Credit Hours.
The application of athletic training practices in selected clinical and educational settings. The student must complete 150 hours of documented
clinical education hour. Clinical education hours will emphasize upper extremity orthopedic assessment, conditioning and rehabilitation, and
therapeutic modalities. Depending on the student's clinical education rotation, students may be required to start their clinical education hours prior to
the start of the semester.
Prerequisite: KIN 455.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 457. Practicum in Kinesiology and Sport Sciences. 1-3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive program of observation and supervised experience under the dire ction of a professional in the field for one semester. Supervised
by University faculty. This course is a designated Upper Level Communication Requirement; Advanced written, digital and/or oral communication
proficiencies will be emphasized in this course. Credit for ENG105 and ENG106 (or equivalent) is required for this course.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 458. Practicum in Kinesiology and Sport Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive program of supervised experience conducted under the direction of a professional in the field. Must culminate in research or hands-
on experie nce conducted in the exercise science field.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 461. Therapeutic Modalities. 2 Credit Hours.
Students will acquire the theoretical knowledge necessary for the clinical application of therapeutic modalities. Principles of electrophysics and
biophysics, specific physiological effects and therapeutic indications and contraindications associated with cyotherapy, paraffin, ultrasound,
electrotherapeutic and hydrotherapeutic modalities, intermittent compression, massage, and other contemporary modalities will be discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 462. Therapeutic Modalities Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
This laboratory will help students apply the techniques and clinical skills related to the application of therapeutic modalities. Clinical education
hours will give the student the opportunity to use the knowledge, skills, and technique s learned in this course. Students must complete 50 hours of
documented clinical education hours.
Corequisite: KIN 461.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
KIN 463. Therapeutic Rehabilitation. 2 Credit Hours.
Students will acquire the theoretical knowledge for the clinical application of a rehabilitation program, physical examination, principles of therapeutic exercise, open and closed chain exercise, muscle reeducation, and special therapeutic techniques such as aquatic therapy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 464. Therapeutic Rehabilitation Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
This laboratory will place emphasis on the techniques and clinical skills relating to the rehabilitation of athletic injuries. Clinical education hours in a therapeutic rehabilitation facility will give the students the opportunity to use the knowledge, skills, and techniques learned in this course. The student must complete 100 hours of documented clinical education hours, which apply toward the clinical education requirement for graduation.
Corequisite: KIN 463.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 465. Pharmacology. 1 Credit Hour.
Introduction to the basic principles of pharmaceutical intervention and the implications for rehabilitation as related to the Certified Athletic Trainer.
Requisite: ATHS Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 470. Administrative Aspects of Athletic Training. 2 Credit Hours.
Basic concepts of legal liability, budget, financial management, inventory control, facilities design and maintenance will be addressed. Additionally, the student will discuss the day to day supervision, scheduling and general administration of the athletic training facility.
Requisite: ATHS Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 473. Sports Goverance. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides the students with an examination of the governing organizations of sport at the youth, secondary, intercollegiate, professional, international, sport specific and olympic levels. In addition, policy development in sport management will be explored.
Prerequisite: KIN 401.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 476. Seminar in Athletic training. 2 Credit Hours.
Topics in Athletic Training with discussions covering the NATA competencies and objectives in written and oral practical formats. Students will be required to register and take the BOC exam as a class requirement. Approx. cost $350.00
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 477. Advanced Nutrition for Health and Fitness. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an in-depth study of nutritional concerns of today's athlete. From dehydration to classic carbohydrate loading and from the Female Athlete Triad to ergogenic aids in sports, this course provides state of the art information on the latest nutritional issues for the exercising individual and for the athlete.
Requisite: EXPH or EXPS Major or Minor and Prerequisite: KIN 202 with a grade of C or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 488. Gross Anatomy. 3 Credit Hours.
The essentials of Myology, Osteology, and Arthrology. Major nerves and arteries are also dissected. Many of the dissection areas are major injury sites in sports such as the knee, shoulder, elbow, neck and spinal areas. There is a laboratory fee of $100 required for this course.
Requisite: ATHS Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
KIN 490. Special Topics in Kinesiology and Sports Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed for students wishing to focus on a specific area of study within the umbrella of the field of Kinesiology. Students will be given supervision and support in a direction relevant to their needs and interests in a structured setting.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 491. Undergraduate Teaching Assistant Training in KIN. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course involves training and teaching assistant experience under the supervision of faculty. Students will have the opportunity to assist faculty and/or doctoral students in the teaching of clinical laboratory and/or undergraduate theory courses offered in the KIN department.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 492. Undergraduate Teaching Assistant Training in KIN II. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course involves training and teaching assistant experience under the supervision of faculty. Students will have the opportunity to assist faculty and/or doctoral students in the teaching of clinical laboratory and/or undergraduate theory courses offered in the KIN department.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 493. Undergraduate Research Assistant Training in KIN. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course entails research training for a specific topic in the areas of Kinesiology under the supervision of faculty. It will enable the student to understand the fundamentals of following up on a research question, setting up research design and following up with data collection for the purposes of acquiring clinical training and/or assisting in manuscript preparation.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 494. Undergraduate Research Assistant Training in KIN II. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course entails research training for a specific topic in the areas of Kinesiology under the supervision of faculty. It will enable the student to understand the fundamentals of following up on a research question, setting up research design and following up with data collection for the purposes of acquiring clinical training and/or assisting in manuscript preparation.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 495. Individual Study. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The Application for Admission to Advanced Individual Study Form will be required.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 496. Individual Study. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The Application for Admission to Advanced Individual Study Form will be required.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 497. Internship in Sport Administration. 1-9 Credit Hours.
KIN 497: Internship in Sport Administration Filed Experience that requires the student to participate in the work environment (Formally ESS 497).
Requisites: SPAD Majors and Senior Status.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 498. Seminar in Sport Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
Professional seminar to accompany internship in sport administration. Students will be required to interact with other internship students and supervisors on a regular basis and additionally, students will be required to submit comprehensive reports regarding their internship experiences. This course is a designated Upper Level Communication Requirement; Advanced written, digital and/or oral communication proficiencies will be emphasized in this course. Credit for ENG105 and ENG106 (or equivalent) is required for this course.
Requisites: SPAD Majors and Senior Status.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
KIN 502. Sport Sponsorship and Promotion. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide a detailed examination of the relationship between sport and corporate sponsorship. Topics covered will include the theoretical premise of sponsorship, alignment marketing, strategic communication through sponsorship, sponsorship sales and service, determining the value of sponsorship, and evaluation of the Olympics will be examined in-depth. Objectives, risks, and benefits from the property or platform offering a sponsorship and from the sponsoring organization will be considered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

KIN 503. Advanced Sport Information Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the complex fields of sport communication. Students will investigate the unique, symbiotic relationship that exist between sport and the media; examine various theoretical framework (e.g., agenda set, hegemonic, uses and gratification, elaboration likelihood model) that are pertinent to developing an understanding of the sport/media complex.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

KIN 515. Nutrition Diet and Exercise. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will learn the latest concepts in weight management, physical fitness, and healthy eating. They will be able to understand the complex interplay of carbohydrates, protein, fat, water, fiber, vitamins, and minerals in the nourishment of their body and overall well-being. They will also examine serious health issues such as the use/misuse of anabolic steroids, weight control, and eating disorders.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

KIN 520. Cellular Exercise Physiology. 3 Credit Hours.
The course examines Bioenergetics and Muscular Physiology in training and detraining. Topics include the energy systems and their functional application during exercise, muscle structure and function, cellular and sub-cellular modifications of organelles and contractile mechanisms as result of training and physiological bases of training techniques.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 521. Advanced Systemic Exercise Physiology. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of the physiological effects of acute vs. chronic training on homeostatic function, musculoskeletal systems, energy system function, cardiovascular and the pulmonary systems. Students will be able to understand and interpret terminology and research literature published in the field.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 522. Basic Statistics in Kinesiology and Sport Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to basic statistical techniques commonly used in the Exercise and Sport Sciences. Designed as a prerequisite for KIN 646 (Formally ESS 646).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

KIN 523. Athletic Training Techniques - Assessment. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce the basic concepts related to injury evaluation. With this information, and with the development of basic skills, the student should be able to form an impression of the nature of most musculoskeletal injuries.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 524. Athletic Training Techniques - Rehabilitation. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce theoretical concepts that must be understood in order to be able to rehabilitate a musculoskeletal injury. Regarding actual rehabilitation techniques, the emphasis will be on therapeutic exercise with only a brief introduction to therapeutic modalities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
KIN 525. Advanced Kinesiology. 3 Credit Hours.
In-depth study of the human skeletal and muscular systems with a focus on the mechanics of movement as related to physical activity, sports, and athletics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 527. Community and Global Nutrition. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide an overview of nutritional issues & related aspects of infectious and chronic disease impacting the health and performance of athletes, individuals & groups domestically & globally. Economic and environmental issues which impact nutritional status and deficiency in the Western societies & third world countries will be addressed. An international and cultural perspective on food, eating behaviors and customs will be explored.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 530. Laboratory Techniques in Functional Evaluation of Skeletal Muscle. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the theories of data collection and collection techniques used to evaluate musculo-skeletal and neuromuscular function. The application of both computerized and non-computerized collection systems for performance evaluation is covered. The course is also designed to establish a clear linkage between the acute and chronic musculo-skeletal and neuromuscular changes that occur during exercise and the laboratory methods used to assess those changes. Collection theory, musculoskeletal and neuromuscular function, methods of strength evaluation, anaerobic power testing, electromyography, and a number of other functional parameters will be discussed.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 531. Laboratory Experiences in Systemic Exercise Physiology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides a laboratory assessment of physiological principles and theories learned in the classroom setting. Focus will be on systemic application to exercise as an acute or chronic stressor. Corequisite: ESS 521.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 532. Sports Injuries: Prevention and Treatment. 3 Credit Hours.
Prevention, diagnosis, treatment and rehabilitation of sports injuries. Anatomical and Kinesiological application to sports injuries.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 534. Integrative and Functional Nutrition. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will discuss integrative and functional medicine and how it emerged. This course will analyze the healthcare models that include personalized care and the whole-person perspective. In this course we will discuss various factors that influence disease including diet and nutrition, stress, activity level, pharmaceuticals and environmental pollutants. Alternative approaches to treatment will also be discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 535. Clinical Biomechanics for Sport Medicine Professionals. 3 Credit Hours.
A lecture course stressing biomechanics of joints and pathomechanics of orthopedic injuries.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

KIN 536. Strength and Conditioning I. 3 Credit Hours.
This course serves as the practical/technical foundation for major compound movements and Olympic lifts. It also provides comprehension of movement specific dynamic warm-ups, advanced stretching techniques, methods for identifying movement compensations and underlying issues as well as evaluating Olympic techniques. Due to the practical nature of the course, all the sections of this course are held in the Hecht Athletic Center (HAC).
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
KIN 537. Strength and Conditioning II. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is the continuation of Strength and Conditioning I (KIN 536). It provides more advanced Olympic weightlifting techniques and ballistic training, alongside a continued focus on corrective exercises to ensure a reduced risk of injury. The course also provides an introduction to exercise programming including specialized training techniques for athletic development. Due to the practical nature of the course, all sections of this course are held in the Hecht Athletic Center (HAC).

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 538. Nutrition during the Lifecycle. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to examine the changes in nutrition requirements during the life cycle, particularly as related to growth, development and aging. Psychosocial, cultural, and economic issues related to food intake at various life stages will be reviewed.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 539. Dietary Supplements and Human Performance. 3 Credit Hours.
Evidence-based examination of supplements, food phytochemicals, and their relation to disease & performance.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 540. Exercise Psychobiology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed primarily for graduate level Exercise and Sport science students who are interested in the biochemical basis of personality as affected by exercise and sport. The course involves interdisciplinary integration and comprehensive reviews of ancient and current literature dealing with exercise, stress, emotional, personality, immune system function and neuroendocrine function.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 541. Neurophysiology in Exercise Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of the functions of the central, peripheral, and autonomic nervous systems in regulating exercise homeostasis and the structural and functional modifications to the systems through training. NOTE: This course is a writing intensive course. This means that all examinations and papers include a critical evaluation of the student’s ability to convey information using the written word.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 542. Strength and Conditioning. 3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive overview of strength and conditioning.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 543. Professional Training and Counseling for Integrative Health. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will learn the integrative health care model, theories, behavior change models, approaches & techniques used in nutritional counseling to help athletes, individuals and groups implement and sustain behaviors, lifestyles, and attitudes to achieve optimal health. Lecture & personal application will allow for the development of skills in each of these areas.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 545. Special Sport Populations. 3 Credit Hours.
This course presents an in-depth examination of chronic conditions and medical problems commonly observed in athletes. Students will learn about the etiology of the medical condition, how exercise affects the condition, and the most recent therapeutic treatments prescribed for the condition.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
KIN 546. Elite Conditioning I. 3 Credit Hours.
Elite Conditioning I provides an introduction to evaluation techniques catered specifically to the athletic population including tests for strength, power, speed, agility, balance and stability. The courses also provides instruction on how to apply these evaluations to their respective sports/positions. These evaluation techniques provide data that students will use in the process of corrective exercise prescription. Students are taught how to implement corrective strategies to improve athletic performance. Due to the practical nature of the course, all sections of this course are held in the Hecht Athletic Center (HAC).
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 547. Elite Conditioning II. 3 Credit Hours.
Elite Conditioning II is the continuation of Elite Conditioning I (KIN 546). This course provides students with an understanding of the design and implementation of periodized conditioning programs for athletes based on the testing, evaluation, and applications to specific sports learned in Elite Conditioning I. The course focuses on speed agility and quickness for sports. It also includes practical implementation of ballistic, plyometric, speed, and conditioning drills emphasizing evidence based methods and training techniques. Due to the practical nature of the course, all sections of this course are held in Hecht Athletic Center (HAC).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 549. Nutrition Assessment and Lab. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of the principles of normal and therapeutic nutrition, nutrition assessment, evaluation and intervention as related to sports performance and the management and treatment of disease states. Laboratories will allow for the development of skills in each of these areas.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 550. Nutrition Biochemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
To learn the fundamental biochemical structure and pathways governing nutrient intake and utilization. Students will learn how major forms of nutrients (macronutrients, vitamins, minerals and trace elements) are processed and utilized by different organs with a particular emphasis on muscle metabolism. Students will also learn how to relate their newly acquired knowledge to health and disease outcomes with focus on lifestyles disease related to metabolism such as diabetes and obesity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 555. Medical Nutrition Therapy. 3 Credit Hours.
The role of nutrition in the prevention and treatment of various disease states including diabetes, cardiovascular disorders, endocrine and gastrointestinal disorders, eternal feeding, renal disease, cancer and AIDS/HIV, and weight management. This course instructs on the use of the Nutrition Care Process for assessment and documentation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 557. Diagnostic Imaging Techniques in Sports Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed as an elective for undergraduate KIN students or graduate students. The basic physics of radiological imaging will be covered including radiology, fluoroscopy, CT scan, ultrasound, MRI, and nuclear medicine including image archiving. Normal anatomy will be compared to the corresponding radiographic anatomy. Common sports injuries will be evaluated by multiple radiographic modalities and will be correlated with the clinical condition. Discussion will include bony pathology as well as soft tissues such as ligaments, tendons, and menisci.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 561. Facility Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Facility management provides students with an understanding of fitness entrepreneurship, giving students a comprehensive understanding of the, laws, regulations, polociese, and work involved in setting up a fitness facility such as a gym, wellness center, or athletic training center. Students are responsible for developing a viable sports or fitness complex including all aspects of administrative and facility management.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 562. Fiscal Management in Sport Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
Fiscal management as related to athletic sports administration, recreation and leisure sports administration, and physical education.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
KIN 563. Facilities and Event Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to introduce students to principles and practices of planning, funding and managing facilities associated with sports participation including professional sport venues, college sports, parks, recreational sport and health/fitness clubs. Students will gain an understanding of promoting, marketing, and maintaining sport facilities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 564. Principles of Sport Marketing. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will focus on the vast world of sports marketing. The basic principles of marketing and marketing management will be introduced and integrated with application of these principles to sport and sports-related organizations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 565. Legal Aspects of Sports and Exercise Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Legal liability, personal injury, negligence and other related legal aspects of sports and exercise science.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 566. Organization and Administration of Sports Programs. 3 Credit Hours.
Administrative and organizational procedures and problems specific to athletic administration, recreation and leisure sports administration, and physical education.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 567. Elements of Sports Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the study of sport and exercise psychology including theory, current research and practical application.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 568. Developmental Sports Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of the concept of sport psychology which includes but is not limited to performance, enhancement, student performance and academic application.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

KIN 569. The Foundations of Exercise Prescription. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will learn various assessments of Health and Wellness, and discover how to most effectively prescribe exercise strategies to treat the diagnosed needs of an individual.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 570. Advanced Programming. 3 Credit Hours.
Advance programming allows students to dissect sports by movement, metabolism and limitation. The course investigates current trends and evidenced based applications of specific training techniques for optimal sport performance. Students will perform complete sports analysis and develop periodized programs for major sports.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 571. Sport Industry in South Florida. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will examine the various sport based organizations/events that are part of the sport industry in South Florida. Study of these organizations/events will include (a) products/services produced, (b) organizational structure, (c) economic impact on the local community, (d) key management personnel, (e) physical facilities, and (f) internship/employment opportunities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
KIN 572. Creative Approaches to Problem Solving and Conflict Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This hands-on course will examine the concepts of problem solving and conflict management from both personal and organizational perspectives. Students will have the opportunity to study in-depth both of these concepts (and the relationship between them) through a combination of lecture, theory, individual and group activities, readings, practical exercises, and self-assessment tools.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 574. Ethical Decision Making in Sports and the Professions. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will examine ethical decision-making in a variety of environments with an emphasis on sport professions. Real and hypothetical situations will be utilized, and the course will combine theory with practical application. The case method in sport ethics will be incorporated.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 575. Essential Leadership in Sport and the Professions. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will examine the concept of leadership as it pertains to sports and other professions. Various leadership and management skills will be included with a focus on practical applications in a work environment. Theory and self-assessment strategies will be incorporated.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 576. Practical Approach to Motivation and Ethical Decision Making. 1-3 Credit Hours.
A critical study of practical problems of professionals in Exercise and Sport Sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 577. Advanced Nutrition for Health and Fitness. 3 Credit Hours.
This course presents an in-depth study of the nutritional concerns of today's Recreational and competitive athlete. Topics include dehydration, classic carbohydrate loading, protein needs, ergogenic aids, and more. State-of-the-art research in the field is provided. This is also a writing intensive course. Thus, writing skills will represent an integral part of one's grade.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 578. Pharmacology for Allied Health Professionals. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of drug families and drugs in common use across spectra of age, illness, disease, and disability. Students will understand body systems treated with current pharmaceuticals over-the-counter (OTC) medications, and neutraceuticals. Actions, key adverse effects, and influences on individuals undergoing physical activity will be emphasized.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 579. Principles of Exercise Assessment: Cardiovascular. 3 Credit Hours.
This course presents a comprehensive overview of the physical, physiological and metabolic responses of the human body to exercise testing and training both in health and disease. The successful student will gain an understanding of the process involved in prescribing safe and effective therapeutic exercise in healthy individuals as well as patients with heart and lung disease, diabetes and obesity. An overview of environmental and legal considerations in the prescriptive process will also be discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 580. Principles of Exercise Prescription: Neuromuscular. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the scientific bases of modern training techniques designed to optimize performance, their functional application and potential impact on performance in sport and everyday activity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
KIN 581. Issues Specific to Women's Health. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses upon the physiological effects of exercise on the female athlete as it relates to her performance and health. Physiological differences between males and females will be examined as it impacts the woman's performance capabilities and potential. Gender specific problems regarding the exercising female will be explored.
Prerequisite: KIN 221 and KIN 321 or KIN 421.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 582. Psychosocial Issues in Women's Health. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers a broad perspective of women and their self-esteem, their femininity, and their role in the family household. Attention will be paid to the historical, cultural, and anthropological development of women and their role in society. The influence of gender will explore several areas which include a) pregnancy, b) menopause, c) menstrual cycle, d) stress and career vs. family, e) depression, and f) body image.
Prerequisite: KIN 212.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 583. Sports Medicine for the Female Athlete. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the physiological effects of exercise on the female athlete as it relates to her performance and health. Physiological differences between male and female will be examined as it impacts the women's performance capabilities and potential. Gender specific problems regarding the exercising female will be explored.
Prerequisite: KIN 321 or KIN 421.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 584. Energetics of Obesity and Weight Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to evaluate dieting, rebound effect, set point theory, brown fat, and adaptive thermogenesis, as they relate to the etiology of obesity. The course will cover a step-by-step approach in the recognition and management of the overweight patient. This includes determination of basal metabolic rate, thyroid function, determination of percent body fat, quantification of adipocyte number and mass, and research on exercise as a therapeutic intervention. Students will learn to design exercise programs for hypothetical obese patients and the impact of both diet and exercise on long-term weight management.
Prerequisite: KIN 221 or KIN 421.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 585. Neurological Mechanisms of Metabolism and Weight Regulation. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to evaluate dieting, rebound effect, set point theory, brown fat, and adaptive thermogenesis as they relate to the etiology of obesity. The course will cover a step-by-step approach in the recognition and management of the overweight patient. The course will also examine adipocyte morphology and the health implications of being overweight and obese. Students will examine the impact of both diet and exercise on long-term weight management.
Requisite: Must have 3.0 in the Exercise Physiology Major and a B- or better in KIN 221 and KIN 232.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 586. Exercise Prescription/Assessment Laboratory. 3 Credit Hours.
This course presents an overview of the laboratory techniques used to assess cardiovascular endurance and general fitness, pulmonary function and anaerobieses observed during competition.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 587. Laboratory Experience in Sports Nutrition. 3 Credit Hours.
This laboratory class provides case study analyses and computerized nutrient analysis systems designed to evaluate nutrition and hydration needs of the recreational and competitive athlete. From urinalysis and blood work, to body composition and computerized nutrient data base systems, this laboratory provides a clinical approach to evaluating the nutrition status of the exercising individual. Corequisite: ESS 577.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
KIN 588. Advanced Gross Anatomy in Kinesiology and Sport Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Human dissection of the major muscles, arteries and nerves of the body. Course is held at the University of Miami, Medical Campus, cadaver laboratory. Special consideration is given to injury sites in sports such as the knee, shoulder, elbow, neck and spinal areas. Students are required to pay a $100 laboratory fee for the class. This course is to be taken by undergraduate Athletic Training majors and for the 5-year Sports Medicine with a Concentration in Athletic Training program students only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 589. Directed Readings in Kinesiology and Sport Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings focusing on research and contemporary trends in the field.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 590. Special Topics in Kinesiology and Sport Sciences. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed for students wishing to focus on a specific area of study within the umbrella of the Kinesiology and Sport Sciences curriculum. Students will be given supervision and support in a direction relevant to their needs and interests in a structured setting.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 595. Research Honors Project. 2 Credit Hours.
This course has been designed for SEHD students who have been accepted into the Research Honors Program and are working with a faculty mentor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 596. Research Honors Project. 2 Credit Hours.
This course has been designed for SEHD students who have been accepted into the Research Honors Program and are working with a faculty mentor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 597. Research Honors Project - Thesis Writing. 2 Credit Hours.
This course has been designed for SEHD students who have been accepted into the Research Honors Program and are working with a faculty mentor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 598. Research Honors Project - Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
Seminar section of School of Education & Human Development Research Honors Program. This seminar culminates with the presentation of your research at the Undergraduate Research, Creativity, and Innovation Forum (RCIF).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 599. Advanced Programming for Endurance Athletes. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides students with training techniques to improve aerobic capacity, endurance, and lactate threshold for optimal performance. Students will review evidenced based principles of sports nutrition, strategies to ensure proper hydration, thermoregulation, and fuel (substrate) availability during prolonged exercise as well as develop programs for competitive sports including triathlon, marathon, and cycling.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 601. Organization and Administration of Sport Programs. 3 Credit Hours.
Administrative and organizational procedures and problems specific to athletic administration, recreation and leisure sports administration, and physical education.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 602. Fiscal Management in Sport Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
Fiscal management as related to athletic sports administration, recreation and leisure sports administration, and physical education.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
KIN 603. Principles of Sport Marketing. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will focus on the vast world of sports marketing. The basic principles of marketing and marketing management will be introduced and integrated with application of these principles to sport and sports-related organizations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 604. Essential Leadership Skills in Sport. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will examine the concept of leadership as it pertains to sports and other professions. Various leadership and management skills will be included with a focus on practical applications in a work environment. Theory and self-assessment strategies will be incorporated.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 605. Sport Sponsorship and Promotion. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide a detailed examination of the relationship between sport and corporate sponsorship. Topics covered will include the theoretical premise of sponsorship, alignment marketing, strategic communication through sponsorship, sponsorship sales and service, determining the value of sponsorship, and evaluation of sponsor activities. Individual athlete endorsement and mega-event sponsorship such as the Olympics will be examined in-depth. Objectives, risks, and benefits from the property or platform offering a sponsorship and from the sponsoring organization will be considered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

KIN 606. Ethical Decision Making in Sports. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will examine ethical decision-making in a variety of environments with an emphasis on sport professions. Real and hypothetical situations will be utilized, and the course will combine theory with practical application. The case method in sport ethics will be incorporated.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 607. Legal Aspects of Sports. 3 Credit Hours.
Legal liability, personal injury, negligence and other related legal aspects of sports and exercise science.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 608. Advanced Globalization in Sport. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address the intertwined relationship between globalization, sport, and development from a critical global perspective. This course highlights the extent to which contemporary sport cultures are the result of an interplay between local and global forces. We will explore the international character of professional and amateur sports including international competitions, league expansions beyond national boundaries, and the movement of athletes. Course topics include international sport organization, international competition, sport governance, international dispute resolution, international sports law, and new media.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 609. Advanced Sport Information Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the complex fields of sport communication. Students will investigate the unique, symbiotic relationship that exist between sport and the media; examine various theoretical framework (e.g., agenda set, hegemonic, uses and gratification, elaboration likelihood model) that are pertinent to developing an understanding of the sport/media complex.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

KIN 610. Event Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to introduce students to principles and practices of planning, funding and managing facilities associated with sports participation including professional sport venues, college sports, parks, recreational sport and health/fitness clubs. Students will gain an understanding of promoting, marketing, and maintaining sport facilities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
KIN 611. Field Experience in Sport Administration I. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Practical experience not ordinarily available through coursework sequences. Placement in a variety of settings, clinics, public and private voluntary agencies and schools. Supervised by a faculty member of the department.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 612. Field Experience in Sport Administration II. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Practical experience not ordinarily available through coursework sequences. Placement in a variety of settings, clinics, public and private voluntary agencies and schools. Supervised by a faculty member of the department.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

KIN 613. Field Experience in Sport Administration III. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Practical experience not ordinarily available through coursework sequences. Placement in a variety of settings, clinics, public and private voluntary agencies and schools. Supervised by a faculty member of the department.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

KIN 615. Practical Approach to Motivation and Ethical Decision Making. 1-3 Credit Hours.
A critical study of practical problems of professionals in Exercise and Sport Sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 616. Advanced Sport Governance. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides the student with an examination of the governing organizations of sport at the youth, secondary, intercollegiate, professional, international, sport specific and Olympic levels. In addition, policy development in sport management will be explored.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

KIN 617. Creative Approaches to Problem Solving and Conflict Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This hands-on course will examine the concepts of problem solving and conflict management from both personal and organizational perspectives. Students will have the opportunity to study in-depth both of these concepts (and the relationship between them) through a combination of lecture, theory, individual and group activities, readings, practical exercises, and self-assessment tools.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 619. Advanced International Club/Sport Management- Brazil. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to examine the various sport-based organizations that comprise the sport industry in Brazil. Examined areas will include products/services offered, marketing opportunities and challenges, public relations, economic impact on the local community, physical facilities, internship/employment opportunities, strengths, weaknesses, opportunities, threats, and the unique aspects and challenges of sport in Brazil. The class will also compare and contrast sport in the United States and sport in Brazil.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 620. Contemporary Issues in Sport. 3 Credit Hours.
Problem identification, investigation, analysis, and problem solving approaches in Kinesiology and Sport Sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 621. Advanced Systemic Exercise Physiology. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of the physiological effects of acute vs. chronic training on homeostatic function, musculoskeletal systems, energy system function, cardiovascular and the pulmonary systems. Students will be able to understand and interpret terminology and research literature published in the field.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
KIN 623. Food Science and Management Principles. 3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive course designed to provide knowledge of food chemistry, safety, service and management.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 624. Athletic Training Techniques - Manual Therapy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce theoretical concepts and hands-on techniques to mobilize joints and soft tissue in order to modulate pain, facilitate healing, and restore mobility and function.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 625. Applied Biomechanics in Athletic Training. 3 Credit Hours.
In-depth study of the human skeletal and muscular systems with a focus on the mechanics of movement as related to physical activity, sports, and athletics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 626. Nutrition Diet and Exercise. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will learn the latest concepts in weight management, physical fitness, and healthy eating. They will be able to understand the complex interplay of carbohydrates, protein, fat, water, fiber, vitamins, and minerals in the nourishment of their body and overall well-being. They will also examine serious health issues such as the use/misuse of anabolic steroids, weight control, and eating disorders.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

KIN 627. Community and Global Nutrition. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide an overview of nutritional issues & related aspects of infectious and chronic disease impacting the health and performance of athletes, individuals & groups domestically & globally. Economic and environmental issues which impact nutritional status and deficiency in the Western societies & third world countries will be addressed. An international and cultural perspective on food, eating behaviors and customs will be explored.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 628. Basic Statistics in Kinesiology and Sport Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to basic statistical techniques commonly used in the Exercise and Sport Sciences. Designed as a prerequisite for KIN 646 (Formally ESS 646).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

KIN 630. Cellular Exercise Physiology. 3 Credit Hours.
The course examines Bioenergetics and Muscular Physiology in training and detraining. Topics include the energy systems and their functional application during exercise, muscle structure and function, cellular and sub-cellular modifications of organelles and contractile mechanisms as result of training and physiological bases of training techniques.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 631. Laboratory Techniques in Functional Evaluation of Skeletal Muscle. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the theories of data collection and collection techniques used to evaluate musculo-skeletal and neuromuscular function. The application of both computerized and non-computerized collection systems for performance evaluation is covered. The course is also designed to establish a clear linkage between the acute and chronic musculo-skeletal and neuromuscular changes that occur during exercise and the laboratory methods used to assess those changes. Collection theory, musculoskeletal and neuromuscular function, methods of strength evaluation, anaerobic power testing, electromyography, and a number of other functional parameters will be discussed.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
KIN 632. Sports Injuries: Prevention and Treatment. 3 Credit Hours.
Prevention, diagnosis, treatment and rehabilitation of sports injuries. Anatomical and Kinesiological application to sports injuries.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 634. Integrative and Functional Nutrition. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will discuss integrative and functional medicine and how it emerged. This course will analyze the healthcare models that include personalized care and the whole-person perspective. In this course we will discuss various factors that influence disease including diet and nutrition, stress, activity level, pharmaceuticals and environmental pollutants. Alternative approaches to treatment will also be discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 635. Clinical Biomechanics for Sport Medicine Professionals. 3 Credit Hours.
A lecture course stressing biomechanics of joints and pathomechanics of orthopedic injuries.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

KIN 636. Strength and Conditioning I. 3 Credit Hours.
This course serves as the practical/technical foundation for major compound movements and Olympic lifts. It also provides comprehension of movement specific dynamic warm-ups, advanced stretching techniques, methods for identifying movement compensations and underlying issues as well as evaluating Olympic techniques. Due to the practical nature of the course, all the sections of this course are held in the Hecht Athletic Center (HAC).
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 637. Strength and Conditioning II. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is the continuation of Strength and Conditioning I (KIN 536). It provides more advanced Olympic weightlifting techniques and ballistic training, alongside a continued focus on corrective exercises to ensure a reduced risk of injury. The course also provides an introduction to exercise programming including specialized training techniques for athletic development. Due to the practical nature of the course, all sections of this course are held in the Hecht Athletic Center (HAC).
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 638. Nutrition during the Lifecycle. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to examine the changes in nutrition requirements during the life cycle, particularly as related to growth, development and aging. Psychosocial, cultural, and economic issues related to food intake at various life stages will be reviewed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 639. Dietary Supplements and Human Performance. 3 Credit Hours.
Evidence-based examination of supplements, food phytochemicals, and their relation to disease & performance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 640. Exercise Psychobiology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed primarily for graduate level Exercise and Sport science students who are interested in the biochemical basis of personality as affected by exercise and sport. The course involves interdisciplinary integration and comprehensive reviews of ancient and current literature dealing with exercise, stress, emotional, personality, immune system function and neuroendocrine function.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 641. Neurophysiology in Exercise Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of the functions of the central, peripheral, and autonomic nervous systems in regulating exercise homeostasis and the structural and functional modifications to the systems through training. NOTE: This course is a writing intensive course. This means that all examinations and papers include a critical evaluation of the student’s ability to convey information using the written word.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
KIN 642. Strength and Conditioning. 3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive overview of strength and conditioning.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 643. Professional Training and Counseling for Integrative Health. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will learn the integrative health care model, theories, behavior change models, approaches & techniques used in nutritional counseling to help athletes, individuals and groups implement and sustain behaviors, lifestyles, and attitudes to achieve optimal health. Lecture & personal application will allow for the development of skills in each of these areas.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 645. Therapeutic Lifestyle to Combat Chronic Disease. 3 Credit Hours.
This course presents an in-depth examination of chronic conditions and medical problems commonly observed in athletes. Students will learn about the etiology of the medical condition, how exercise affects the condition, how nutrition affects the condition, and the most recent therapeutic treatments prescribed for the condition.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 646. Elite Conditioning I. 3 Credit Hours.
Elite Conditioning I provides an introduction to evaluation techniques catered specifically to the athletic population including tests for strength, power, speed, agility, balance and stability. The courses also provides instruction on how to apply these evaluations to their respective sports/positions. These evaluation techniques provide data that students will use in the process of corrective exercise prescription. Students are taught how to implement corrective strategies to improve athletic performance. Due to the practical nature of the course, all sections of this course are held in the Hecht Athletic Center(HAC).
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 647. Elite Conditioning II. 3 Credit Hours.
Elite Conditioning II is the continuation of Elite Conditioning I (KIN 546). This course provides students with an understanding of the design and implementation of periodized conditioning programs for athletes based on the testing, evaluation, and applications to specific sports learned in Elite Conditioning I. The course focuses on speed agility and quickness for sports. It also includes practical implementation of ballistic, plyometric, speed, and conditioning drills emphasizing evidence based methods and training techniques. Due to the practical nature of the course, all sections of this course are held in Hecht Athletic Center(HAC).
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 649. Nutrition Assessment and Lab. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of the principles of normal and therapeutic nutrition, nutrition assessment, evaluation and intervention as related to sports performance and the management and treatment of disease states. Laboratories will allow for the development of skills in each of these areas.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 650. Nutritional Biochemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
To learn the fundamental biochemical structure and pathways governing nutrient intake and utilization. Students will learn how major forms of nutrients (macro-nutrients, vitamins, minerals and trace elements) are processed and utilized by different organs with a particular emphasis on muscle metabolism. Students will also learn how to relate their newly acquired knowledge to health and disease outcomes with focus on lifestyle disease related to metabolism such as diabetes and obesity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 655. Medical Nutrition Therapy. 3 Credit Hours.
The role of nutrition in the prevention and treatment of various disease states including diabetes, cardiovascular disorders, endocrine and gastrointestinal disorders, enteral feeding, renal disease, cancer and AIDS/HIV, and weight management. This course instructs on the use of the Nutrition Care Process for assessment and documentation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
KIN 657. Diagnostic Imaging Techniques in Sports Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed as an elective for undergraduate KIN students or graduate students. The basic physics of radiological imaging will be covered including radiology, fluoroscopy, CT scan, ultrasound, MRI, and nuclear medicine including image archiving. Normal anatomy will be compared to the corresponding radiographic anatomy. Common sports injuries will be evaluated by multiple radiographic modalities and will be correlated with the clinical condition. Discussion will include bony pathology as well as soft tissues such as ligaments, tendons, and menisci.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 661. Facility Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Facility management provides students with an understanding of fitness entrepreneurship, giving students a comprehensive understanding of the, laws, regulations, polociese, and work involved in setting up a fitness facility such as a gym, wellness center, or athletic training center. Students are responsible for developing a viable sports or fitness complex including all aspects of administrative and facility management.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 662. Fitness Facility Management II. 3 Credit Hours.
Fiscal management as related to athletic sports administration, recreation and leisure sports administration, and physical education.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 663. Foundations of Athletic Training. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will cover foundational knowledge in Athletic Training with an emphasis on health promotion and injury and disease prevention. Public Health and Epidemiology, Nutrition Health and Wellness, and basic principles of Exercise Physiology will be covered. Students will be required to complete an IPE service learning project with another health professional to promote health, wellness, or physical activity research, practice, and/or policy on campus or at the community, state, or federal level. Prerequisite: American Heart Association BLS CPR/AED certification for the Health Care Providers (or approved equivalent).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 664. Orthopedic Assessment 1: Pathophysiology of Injuries. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides the student with an analysis of the etiology, pathology, and clinical science of muscular and skeletal diseases, disorders, and conditions. An introduction to clinical/laboratory assessment techniques, basic injury management, and knowledge of common imaging and surgical procedures are presented.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 665. Orthopedic Assessment 2: Examination of the Musculoskeletal System. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will prepare students to examine a patient with a musculoskeletal condition by obtaining a pertinent history from the patient, performing relevant systems review, and by selecting appropriate diagnostic tests and measures. The student will be able to synthesize examination data to complete the orthopedic evaluation and engage in the diagnostic process.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 667. Elements of Sports Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the study of sport and exercise psychology including theory, current research and practical application.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 668. Developmental Sports Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of the concept of sport psychology which includes but is not limited to performance, enhancement, student performance and academic application.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
KIN 669. The Foundations of Exercise Programming. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will learn various assessments of Health and Wellness, and discover how to most effectively prescribe exercise strategies to treat the diagnosed needs of an individual.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 670. Advanced Programming. 3 Credit Hours.
Advance programming allows students to dissect sports by movement, metabolism and limitation. The course investigates current trends and evidenced based applications of specific training techniques for optimal sport performance. Students will perform complete sports analysis and develop periodized programs for major sports.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 671. Sport Industry in South Florida. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will examine the various sport based organizations/events that are part of the sport industry in South Florida. Study of these organizations/events will include (a) products/services produced, (b) organizational structure, (c) economic impact on the local community, (d) key management personnel, (e) physical facilities, and (f) internship/employment opportunities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 673. Advanced Sport Governance. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides the student with an examination of the governing organizations of sport at the youth, secondary, intercollegiate, professional, international, sport specific and Olympic levels. In addition, policy development in sport management will be explored.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

KIN 677. Advanced Nutrition for Health and Fitness. 3 Credit Hours.
This course presents an in-depth study of the nutritional concerns of today's Recreational and competitive athlete. Topics include dehydration, classic carbohydrate loading, protein needs, ergogenic aids, and more. State-of-the-art research in the field is provided. This is also a writing intensive course. Thus, writing skills will represent an integral part of one's grade.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 678. Pharmacology for Allied Health Professionals. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of drug families and drugs in common use across spectra of age, illness, disease, and disability. Students will understand body systems treated with current pharmaceuticals over-the-counter (OTC) medications, and neutraceuticals. Actions, key adverse effects, and influences on individuals undergoing physical activity will be emphasized.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 679. Principles of Exercise Prescription/Assessment: Cardiovascular. 3 Credit Hours.
This course presents a comprehensive overview of the physical, physiological and metabolic responses of the human body to exercise testing and training both in health and disease. The successful student will gain an understanding of the process involved in prescribing safe and effective therapeutic exercise in healthy individuals as well as patients with heart and lung disease, diabetes and obesity. An overview of environmental and legal considerations in the prescriptive process will also be discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 680. Principles of exercise Prescription: Neuromuscular. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the scientific bases of modern training techniques designed to optimize performance, their functional application and potential impact on performance in sport and everyday activity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
KIN 681. Development and Maturation of Athletes. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an in-depth study of pediatric exercise physiology with special emphasis on growth, maturation, physical activity, and performance. Topics include a comprehensive summary of biological growth and maturation, processes as it impacts physical performance. Additionally, students will learn the bases of pediatric exercise physiology in order to understand the concepts of motor development, strength, aerobic and anaerobic performance in the pediatric population.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 682. Clinical Pathology and Immediate Primary Care. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will focus on the pathology of non-orthopedic conditions including medical emergencies. Students will be able to recognize common injuries and illnesses, provide immediate treatment interventions, and make medical referrals and transport decisions when necessary. Pre-requisite: KIN663 and Current AHA BLS CPR/AED certification for the Health Care Providers (or approved equivalent as determined by ECC requirements from the BOC).
Prerequisite: KIN 663.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 684. Obesity, Metabolic Disease, and Inflammation. 3 Credit Hours.
The focus of this course is on the integrative neurophysiological functions that regulate and influence obesity, metabolic disease, and inflammation. Students will be able to understand the role that chronic inflammation plays in the pathology of disease. A combination of lecture, critical reading, and group discussion will be utilized to explore the underlying basis for metabolic abnormalities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 685. Advanced Topics in Kinesiology and Sport Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide a synthesis of essential concepts in specialty subjects relevant to one's field of interest.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

KIN 686. Exercise Prescription/Assessment Laboratory. 3 Credit Hours.
This course presents an overview of the laboratory techniques used to assess cardiovascular endurance and general fitness, pulmonary function and anaerobieses observed during competition.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 687. Laboratory Experience in Sports Nutrition. 3 Credit Hours.
This laboratory class provides case study analyses and computerized nutrient analysis systems designed to evaluate nutrition and hydration needs of the recreational and competitive athlete. From urinalysis and blood work, to body composition and computerized nutrient data base systems, this laboratory provides a clinical approach to evaluating the nutrition status of the exercising individual. Corequisite: ESS 577.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 688. Advanced Gross Anatomy in Kinesiology and Sport Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Human dissection of the major muscles, arteries, and nerves of the body. This course is held at the Medical Campus, cadaver laboratory. Special consideration is given to injury sites in sports such as the knee, shoulder, elbow, neck and spinal areas. Students are required to pay a $100 laboratory fee for the class. This course is to be taken by Athletic Training majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 689. Directed Readings in Kinesiology and Sport Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings focusing on research and contemporary trends in the field.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
KIN 690. Special Topics in Kinesiology and Sport Sciences. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed for students wishing to focus on a specific area of study within the umbrella of the Kinesiology and Sport Sciences curriculum. Students will be given supervision and support in a direction relevant to their needs and interests in a structured setting.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 698. Professional Training and Counseling for Integrative Health. 3 Credit Hours.
Current research in nutrition and nutritional care, nutrition profession, ethics and roles in food service, clinical and community. Seminars designed to cover state-of-the-art overview of current and emerging topics will be presented by invited outside guest speakers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 699. Advanced Programming for Endurance Athletes. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides students with training techniques to improve aerobic capacity, endurance, and lactate threshold for optimal performance. Students will review evidenced based principles of sports nutrition, strategies to ensure proper hydration, thermoregulation, and fuel (substrate) availability during prolonged exercise as well as develop programs for competitive sports including triathlon, marathon, and cycling.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

KIN 702. Athletics in the United States. 3 Credit Hours.
An Assessment of athletics in the United States. Focus on historical perspectives, contemporary issues, interface with international athletics, and future trends.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 704. Recreation in the United States. 3 Credit Hours.
An assessment of recreation and leisure in the United States. Focus on past, present, and future trends, problems, and issues.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

KIN 710. Advanced Adolescent Growth and Maturation. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an in-depth study of pediatric exercise physiology with special emphasis on growth, maturation, physical activity, and performance. Topics include a comprehensive summary of biological growth and maturation, processes that impact physical performance. Additionally, students will learn the basis of training pediatric populations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 712. Applied Sport Psychophysiology. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of the physiological effects of acute vs. chronic training on homeostatic function, musculoskeletal systems, energy system function, cardiovascular system, and the pulmonary system. Students will be able to understand and interpret terminology and research literature published in the field.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 714. Therapeutic Interventions. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will acquire the theoretical knowledge necessary for the clinical application of therapeutic exercise, modalities, and evidenced based rehabilitation programs. Principles of therapeutic exercise, open and closed chain exercise, muscle re-education, and special therapeutic techniques such as aquatic therapy. In addition, students will apply specific physiological effects, therapeutic indications, and contraindications associated with thermal, mechanical, electromagnetic, and acoustic modalities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
KIN 715. Evidence-Based Sports Medicine and Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
The student will learn the systematic approach to creating and answering clinical questions through review and application of existing research. Students will learn how to develop a relevant clinical question using a pre-defined question format, use standard criteria or developed scales to critically appraise the structure, rigor, and overall quality of research studies, and determine the effectiveness and efficacy of an athletic training intervention. Students will also learn the theoretical foundation of clinical outcomes assessment and the standard methods of outcomes assessment in athletic training clinical practice.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 716. Advanced Rehabilitation Techniques in Athletic Training. 3 Credit Hours.
This is an advanced athletic training course designed to enhance the athletic trainer’s ability to plan and implement a comprehensive sports injury rehabilitation program based on the sequential events of musculoskeletal tissue healing. Discussion focuses on the development of a conceptual model for sports injury rehabilitation which incorporates rehabilitation phases, intervention goals, and progression criteria. Application of the problem-oriented approach to the management of athletic injuries is a predominant theme throughout this course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 717. Applied Clinical Techniques in Athletic Training. 3 Credit Hours.
This clinical laboratory course focuses on athletic training skills utilized in the diagnosis and treatment of primary care of patients. Students will become proficient in utilizing diagnostic tools and tests. In addition, students will become proficient in wound care, suturing, initiating and maintaining appropriate intravenous (IV) therapies and the collecting, handling, and processing of blood specimens for analysis.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 718. Administration and Professional Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Concepts of legal liability, insurance, budget/financial management, human resources, inventory control, facilities design and maintenance will be addressed. This course will enable the student to understand reimbursement guidelines; understand medical delivery systems, health care policy, and legislation in the United States. In addition, students will learn the basics related to accounting, billing, coding, accounts payable, and risk management.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 720. Practicum in Athletic Training. 3 Credit Hours.
Clinical education and field experience in a healthcare setting. Students are assigned to a licensed health care professional who will serve as the student’s preceptor. Students will learn alongside their preceptors as they are exposed to the role, and function of a health care provider while practicing clinical skills with a variety of patient populations. In addition, students will meet for scheduled in-services and clinical labs with a focus on emergency preparedness and readiness through Simulation and Interprofessional Education. Prerequisite: KIN 663 Foundations of Athletic Training
Prerequisite: KIN 663.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 721. Independent Study 1: Clinical Internship Experience. 3 Credit Hours.
This elective internship course will allow students to seek a professional Athletic Training internship in a particular area of clinical interest under the supervision of a licensed/certified health care clinician.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 722. Practicum in Athletic Training 2. 3 Credit Hours.
Clinical education and field experience in a healthcare setting. Students are assigned to a licensed athletic trainer who will serve as the student’s preceptor. Students will learn alongside their preceptors as they are exposed to the role and function of an athletic trainer while practicing clinical skills with a variety of patient populations. In addition, students will meet for scheduled in-services and clinical labs with a focus on utilizing Interprofessional Education (IPE) and simulation to enhance physical evaluation and assessment skills. Prerequisite: KIN 720 Practicum in Athletic Training 1
Prerequisite: KIN 720.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
KIN 723. Independent Study 2: Research Experience. 3 Credit Hours.
This elective research experience course will allow students to pursue research in an area of particular interest under the supervision of a faculty member.

Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 724. Practicum in Athletic Training III. 3 Credit Hours.
Clinical education and field experience in a healthcare setting. Students are assigned to a licensed health care professional who will serve as the student's preceptor. Students will learn alongside their preceptors as they are exposed to the role, and function of a health care provider while practicing clinical skills with a variety of patient populations. In addition, students will meet for scheduled in-services and clinical labs with a focus on integrating athletic training knowledge and skills through Simulation and Interprofessional Education (IPE). Prerequisite: KIN 722 Practicum in Athletic Training 2

Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 725. Independent Study III. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is an advanced study of a particular theme or topic in the athletic training field such as students’ research topic, current issues of relevance to certified athletic trainers and other professionals in the sports health care professions. Students will prepare for class discussion by reviewing assigned readings from professional journals and other pertinent sources. Class sessions will consist of lectures, laboratories, and discussion sessions.

Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 726. Practicum in Athletic Training IV. 3 Credit Hours.
Field experience at the athletic training setting through working with collegiate athletes to expose students to the role and function of athletic training as a certified athletic trainer and clinical instructor as well.

Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 727. Pract in Nutrition. 3 Credit Hours.
Planned supervised practice experience component in dietetic and nutrition practice of up to 900 hours shall provide the applicant with a broad spectrum of experiences in dietetics and Nutrition in clinical, community and food service to meet licensure requirements.

Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 735. Methods in Biomechanical Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of methods of research, instrumentation, and quantitative application of kinematic and kinetic concepts in the biomechanical analysis of human movement.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 740. Neuropsychology in Exercise Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of the functions of the central, peripheral, and autonomic nervous systems in regulating exercise homeostasis and the structural and functional modifications to the systems through training. NOTE: This course is a writing intensive course. This means that all examinations and papers include a critical evaluation of the student’s ability to convey information using the written word.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 741. Aging: Physiological Changes and Their Implications of Training. 3 Credit Hours.
The physiological changes that occur due to aging and their impact on fall prevention, independence, and the application of prophylactic exercise prescriptions.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
KIN 742. Fundamentals of Cardiology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course represents an in-depth review and evaluation of the field of cardiology. Students must understand the etiology of coronary artery diseases, assessment techniques in the evaluation of cardiac pathologies, the latest risk factors, and most recent trends in treatment and rehabilitation. Phase I through Phase IV review of Cardiac Rehabilitation will be fully examined.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 743. Laboratory Experiences in Cardiac Rehabilitation. 3 Credit Hours.
This class provides hands-on clinical experiences in preparation of patient for testing, assessment of pre-existing medical conditions and risk factors as well as appropriate procedures for stress testing. Student will, in addition, have the opportunity to view Thallium stress tests, echocardiography and cardiac surgical procedures such as angioplasty and bypass surgery.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 744. Interpretation of the Electrocardiogram. 3 Credit Hours.
This class will provide information of the electrophysiology of the heart, medicines used to improve heart function, and critical examination of waveform analyses in interpreting the electrocardiogram. Prerequisite: KIN 642 (Formally ESS 642) or permission of the instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 746. Research Methods in Kinesiology and Sport Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
This Course reviews the approach and research methods used to evaluate quantitative research questions in the field of Kinesiology and Sport Sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 747. Analytic Methods in Kinesiology and Sport Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Methods of analyzing research data in Kinesiology and Sport Sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

KIN 755. Exercise Biochemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
This course presents an in-depth examination of the biochemical basis of exercise. Topics include carbohydrate and lipid metabolism at rest and during exercise, integration of metabolism, the use of stable isotopes in the characterization of substrate kinetics, and metabolic bases of fatigue. Both the instructor and the students will incorporate current peer-reviewed research in the field.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

KIN 763. Seminar and Special Topics in Athletic Training. 3 Credit Hours.
Scenarios and subject matter that will help facilitate the student’s transition to practice will be emphasized. There will be a focus on current issues and emerging topics and technologies in the healthcare profession. Students will prepare for class discussion by reviewing assigned readings from professional journals and other pertinent sources. Class sessions will consist of lectures, laboratories, and discussion sessions. Also, career development and responsibility topics such as leaderships, entrepreneurship, ethics, patient values, diversity and cultural competency.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 764. Athletic Training Clinical Field Experience. 6 Credit Hours.
This course is an immersive clinical education experience, where Athletic Training students under the supervision of a preceptor will demonstrate the ability to integrate knowledge and skills with clinical problem-solving while assuming professional like roles in various clinical patient care settings. Students will be required to post weekly reflections in an electronic journal and to attend scheduled webinars.
Prerequisite: KIN 722.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
**KIN 765. Teaching Assistant Training in Kinesiology. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course involves training and teaching assistant experience under the supervision of faculty. Students will have the opportunity to assist faculty in the teaching of workshops, clinical laboratory and/or undergraduate theory courses offered in the Kinesiology department.

**Components:** PRA.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**KIN 766. Research in Athletic Training. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course is an advanced study of a particular theme or topic in the athletic training field including a research topic, current professional issues of relevance to certified athletic trainers and other sports medicine/allied healthcare professionals.

**Prerequisite:** KIN 715 and KIN 763.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**KIN 781. Issues Specific to Women's Health. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course focuses upon clinical health issues relevant to women. Students will acquire a body of knowledge concerning the specific biological and physiological changes women experience from birth to maturity, and from the pre- to post menopausal state. Women will learn significant issues related to women's health and be able to make more educated decisions regarding their health and treatment options.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Spring.

**KIN 782. Psychosocial Issues in Women's Health. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course covers a broad perspective of women and their self-esteem, their femininity, and their role in family household. Attention will be paid to the historical, cultural, and anthropological development of women and their role in society. The influence of gender will explore several areas which include a) pregnancy, b) menopause, c) menstrual cycle, d) stress and career vs. family, e) depression, and f) body image.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Spring.

**KIN 783. Sports Medicine for the Female Athlete. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course focuses upon the physiological effects of exercise on the female athlete as it relates to her performance and health. Physiological differences between male and female will be examined as it impacts the women's performance a pabilities and potential. Gender specific problems regarding the exercising female will be explored.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall.

**KIN 784. Energetics of Obesity and Weight Management. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course is designed to evaluate dieting, rebound effect, set point theory, brown fat, and adaptive thermogenesis, as they relate to the etiology of obesity. The course will cover a step-by-step approach in the recognition, and management of the overweight patient. The course will also examine adipocyte morphology and the health implications of being overweight and obese. Students will examine the impact of both diet and exercise on long-term weight management.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall.

**KIN 785. Neurological Mechanisms of Weight Regulation. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course is designed to evaluate dieting, rebound effect, set point theory, brown fat, and adaptive thermogenesis, as they relate to the etiology of obesity. The course will cover a step-by-step approach in the recognition and management of the overweight patient. The course will also examine adipocyte morphology and the health implications of being overweight and obese. Students will examine the impact of both diet and exercise on long-term weight management.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Spring.

**KIN 790. Strength and Conditioning Independent Study/Project. 3 Credit Hours.**
Practical experience not ordinarily available through coursework sequences. Placement in a variety of settings, clinics, public and private voluntary agencies and schools. Supervised by a faculty member of the department.

**Components:** THI.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.
KIN 791. Practicum in Kinesiology and Sport Sciences/Master’s students. 1 Credit Hour.
The course presents graduate students with the theoretical and practical tools necessary for expanding their critical thinking and argumentative skills in order to present their scientific research results in an evaluative, logical and analytical manner. The course consists of weekly presentations of related literature, results, and findings on various Master’s projects.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 792. Optional Internship-Strength and Conditioning. 1 Credit Hour.
This 1 credit internship allows students to pursue professional internships in the field of strength and conditioning/fitness entrepreneurship. Students will be provided with contact information and a number of opportunities by Dr. Biagioli respective to their interests.
Components: SEM.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 793. Research Colloquium.. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course presents graduate students with the theoretical and practical tools necessary for presenting their scientific research in an organized, logical, and analytical manner.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

KIN 794. Advanced Individual Study. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The Application for Admission to Individual Study Form will be required.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 795. Graduate/Clinical Field Experience in Kinesiology and Sport Sciences. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Practical experience not ordinarily available through coursework sequences. Placement in a variety of settings, clinics, public and private voluntary agencies and schools. Supervised by a faculty member of the department.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 799. Special Project. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course represents the capstone course in a students field and should represent a culmination of all information learned in class.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 800. Supervised Practicum. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students will be engaged in supervised experiential learning designed especially for their entry into their field. The student will be supervised by an approved preceptor (industry professional, clinician, or researcher) for the practical application of previously studied theory. Practicum hours will vary based on the nature of the experience.
Components: PRA.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 810. Master’s Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master’s degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in ESS 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
KIN 825. Continuous Registration--Master's Study. 1 Credit Hour.
To establish residence for non-thesis master's students who are preparing for major examinations. Credit not granted. Regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 830. Pre-Candidacy to Dissertation Research. 1-10 Credit Hours.
Admission to doctoral program. Requires approval of advisor and department chair.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 835. Practicum. 1-2 Credit Hours.
The course presents graduate students with the theoretical and practical tools necessary for expanding their critical thinking and argumentative skills in order to present their scientific research results in an evaluative, logical and analytical manner. The course consists of weekly presentations of related literature, results, and findings on various Doctoral projects.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 840. Post-Candidacy Dissertation Research. 1-12 Credit Hours.
For doctoral students working on their dissertations.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

KIN 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the PH.D. Student, after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctor al research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate school.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Latin (LAT)

LAT 101. Elementary Latin I. 3 Credit Hours.
Elementary vocabulary, grammar and reading.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAT 102. Elementary Latin II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of LAT 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAT 103. Intensive Elementary Latin. 3 Credit Hours.
The equivalent of LAT 101, LAT 102, and half of LAT 201 in one semester; students are prepared to enter LAT 201 or 300-/400-level courses depending on their performance in the class. Combined with LAT 625. In addition to the three class hours per week, there is one additional hour (TBA) for drills and tests.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

LAT 201. Intermediate Latin I. 3 Credit Hours.
Translation and grammatical analysis of selected texts from Latin authors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
LAT 202. Intermediate Latin II. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to reading Latin poetry. Students will read selections from the Aeneid, with emphasis on Virgil's language and meter, as well as the ancient epic tradition. Latin 202 prepares students for 300- and 400-level Latin poetry courses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAT 203. Ovid's Metamorphoses. 3 Credit Hours.
Readings in Latin from Ovid's Metamorphoses, including Apollo and Daphne, Echo and Narcissus, Midas and more.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAT 301. Catullus. 3 Credit Hours.
An advanced Latin course on the works of the Roman poet Catullus. Students will read almost all of the poems in the Catullan corpus, and be introduced to the related secondary literature, covering topics such as ancient sexuality, invective and obscenity, the figure of the mistress in Latin love poetry, the arrangement of poems within a poetic book, meter, and the textual tradition.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAT 302. Petronius. 3 Credit Hours.
An advance Latin prose reading course on Petronius' Satyricon, a mysterious and fragmented novel dating from the time of the decadent emperor Nero. Trimalchio's Dinner-Party, the central section of the work, forms the focus of the course. It is an account if a dinner hosted by a wealthy ex-slave, and can be read as a critique of the excesses of the Neronian age.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAT 311. Cicero: Orations. 3 Credit Hours.
Readings from the speeches of Cicero, with an emphasis on syntax, vocabulary, rhetorical theory and practice, and the historical situation of the speeches.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAT 321. Virgil. 3 Credit Hours.
An advanced reading course in the poems of Virgil.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAT 322. Martial Epigrams. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines selected works of the first-century CE poet Martial, the acknowledged master of the verse epigram, considering his writing both as poetry (within the Greek and Roman traditions) and as social and political commentary.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAT 323. Seneca. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines in Latin select writings of the Roman philosopher and statesman Lucius Annaeus Seneca.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAT 401. Special Topics in Latin Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
The course is designed for the study of individual authors or topics in Roman thought, literature, and culture at an advanced level, not normally covered elsewhere in the course directory.
Prerequisite: LAT 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
LAT 402. Special Topics in Latin Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address a specific author, topic, or text (appearing as a subtitle). Analogous to REL 404-409 courses. [this will vary each time the course is offered]
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

LAT 403. Special Topics in Latin Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address a specific author, topic, or text (appearing as a subtitle) Analogous to REL 404-409 courses. [this will vary each time the course is offered]
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

LAT 404. Special Projects in the Literature and Culture of Ancient Rome. 3 Credit Hours.
Variable subject matter determined by instructor and student. Analogous to REL 407-409.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

LAT 406. Special Projects in the Literature and Culture of Ancient Rome. 3 Credit Hours.
Variable subject matter determined by instructor and student. Analogous to REL 407-409.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

LAT 407. Supervised Reading in Classical Latin. 3 Credit Hours.
Variable subject matter determined by instructor and student. Analogous to REL 401-403.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

LAT 408. Supervised Reading in Classical Latin. 3 Credit Hours.
Variable subject matter determined by instructor and student. Analogous to REL 401-403.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

LAT 409. Supervised Reading in Classical Latin. 3 Credit Hours.
Variable subject matter determined by instructor and student. Analogous to REL 401-403.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

LAT 411. Horace. 3 Credit Hours.
Readings in the odes, epodes, satires and epistles of Horace.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAT 421. Roman Epic. 3 Credit Hours.
Studies from Roman epic poetry of Lucretius and Virgil to Lucan and Statius.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAT 422. Lucretius. 3 Credit Hours.
Detailed treatment of the Latin philosophical poet Lucretius and his lone surviving poem, De rerum natura.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAT 431. Livy. 3 Credit Hours.
Readings from the Roman historian Livy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
LAT 432. Suetonius. 3 Credit Hours.
Readings in Latin from Suetonius’ “Lives of the Twelve Caesars,” a set of gossipy, sometimes racy, always dramatic biographies of Julius Caesar and the first eleven emperors of ancient Rome.
Prerequisite: LAT 201.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

LAT 491. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content to be determined by faculty member and registering student(s).
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

LAT 625. Elementary Latin for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
Grammatical structures, verb tenses, and word families necessary for reading texts with minimal use of a dictionary. May fulfill the Foreign Language Reading Competency Requirement (consult your graduate advisor).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

Latin American Studies (LAS)

LAS 101. Introduction to Latin American and Caribbean Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Course will focus on culture, economy, geography, history, politics, and society of Latin America and the Caribbean, as well as on the ways in which scholars have studied the region. LAS101 replaces LAS201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAS 110. Students in Latin America and the Caribbean. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAS 111. Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAS 112. Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAS 113. Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAS 114. Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAS 115. Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
LAS 211. Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAS 212. Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAS 213. Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAS 214. Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAS 215. Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAS 301. Interdisciplinary Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary, Interdisciplinary focus may be thematic (e.g.: revolutions, new social movements, women's rights, Latin Americanism, testimonio, culture industries, etc.) or regional/national (e.g.: Andean Studies, Southern Cone Studies, Caribbean Studies, Mexican Studies, etc.)
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAS 302. Interdisciplinary Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Studies-Travel Course. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary, Interdisciplinary focus is thematic and regional (i.e. tourism in Yucatan; civil society in Chile, civil society in Haiti, cultural policy in the Caribbean, environmental policy in Panama.). Course involves travel during Spring Break and it has a program fee.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

LAS 311. Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAS 312. Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAS 313. Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAS 314. Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAS 315. Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAS 320. Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary. Interdisciplinary focus on policies and impact on globalization on the environment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
LAS 321. Latin American Environmental Issues. 3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive course on Latin American and Caribbean environmental issues in their political, economic, and social dimensions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

LAS 330. Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Religions. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary. Interdisciplinary focus may be thematic or regional (e.g., Liberation Theology, Latin American and Latino Religions, Caribbean Religions.)
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

LAS 340. Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Economics. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary. Focus may be thematic or regional, but will address issues in Latin American and Caribbean Economics and Economic Development.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

LAS 350. Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Art and Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary. Focus may be thematic or regional, but will address issues in Latin American and Caribbean Art and Culture.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

LAS 360. Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics Vary. Interdisciplinary focus may be thematic or regional (e.g., democracy, new social movements, globalization, politics and society.)
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

LAS 362. Drug Trafficking in Latin America and the Caribbean. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to the study of drug trafficking in Latin America and the Caribbean and its relationship with organized crime, understanding both as important aspects in the dynamics of globalization, international relations, and domestic politics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

LAS 370. Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Media and Communications. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary. Focus may be thematic or regional, but will address issues in Latin American and Caribbean Media and Communication.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

LAS 410. Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAS 411. Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAS 412. Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAS 413. Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAS 414. Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
LAS 415. Studies in Latin America and the Caribbean. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Latin American and Caribbean Studies Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAS 491. Debates on Current Issues in Latin American and Caribbean Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Content may vary from semester to semester. This is an upper level course to allow debate and discussion on current issues and events affecting Latin America, the Caribbean and Latino communities in the United States.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

LAS 494. Independent Study in Latin American and Caribbean Studies. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Independent study leading to a thesis, original piece of research, or creative project on a Latin American or Caribbean subject.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAS 495. Senior Honors Thesis I. 3 Credit Hours.
This course pairs students with a faculty mentor to set and guide a research agenda in preparation for writing the senior honors thesis. Students will study advanced topics in Latin American and Caribbean Studies, according to faculty interests.
Prerequisite: LAS 101.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

LAS 496. Senior Honors Thesis II. 3 Credit Hours.
This course pairs students with a faculty mentor to guide the writing process for the senior honors thesis. Students will study advanced topics in Latin American and Caribbean Studies, according to faculty interests.
Prerequisite: LAS 101.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

LAS 501. Interdisciplinary in Latin American and Caribbean. 3 Credit Hours.
Interdisciplinary methods and politics of Latin American and Caribbean area studies.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

LAS 502. Research Design in Latin American Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Interdisciplinary research methods and skills in Latin American and Caribbean studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

LAS 503. Program Seminar in Latin American Studies and Caribbean Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Content of course will vary by semester.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAS 504. Interdisciplinary Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Studies - Travel Course.. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary. Interdisciplinary focus is thematic and regional (e.g.: tourism in Yucatan; civil society in Chile, Haiti-Dominican Republic relations, cultural policy in the Caribbean, environmental policy in Panama.) Course involves travel during Spring Break and it has a program fee.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

LAS 505. Internship in Latin American and Caribbean Studies. 1-3 Credit Hours.
On-site experience in business, governmental organization, or non-profit organization dealing with Latin America and/or the Caribbean.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
LAS 506. Civic Engagement in Latin America. 1-3 Credit Hours.
On site experience in a civic engagement project in Latin America or the Caribbean.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

LAS 520. Interdisciplinary Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Environments. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary. Interdisciplinary focus on policies and impact of globalization on the environment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAS 521. Latin American Environmental Issues. 3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive course on Latin American and Caribbean environmental issues in their full political, economic, and social dimensions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

LAS 530. Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Religions. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary. Interdisciplinary focus may be thematic or regional (e.g., Liberation Theology, Latin American and Latino Religions, Caribbean Religions), but will address Latin American and Caribbean religion.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAS 540. Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Media and Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary. Interdisciplinary focus may be thematic or regional (e.g., global media, Spanish- or Portuguese-language television or radio, social media) but will address Latin American and Caribbean media and communication.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAS 550. Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Art and Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary. Interdisciplinary focus may be thematic or regional, but will address Latin American and Caribbean Art & Culture.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAS 560. Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary. Interdisciplinary focus may be thematic or regional (e.g., democracy, new social movements, globalization, politics and society), but will address Latin American and Caribbean politics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAS 580. Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean History. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary. Interdisciplinary focus may be thematic or regional, but will address the history of political, social and economic development in Latin America and the Caribbean.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAS 591. Debates on Current Issues in Latin American and Caribbean Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Content may vary from semester to semester. This is a graduate course to allow debate and discussion on current issues and events affecting Latin America, the Caribbean, and Latino communities in the United States.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

LAS 601. Interdisciplinary in Latin American and Caribbean. 3 Credit Hours.
Interdisciplinary methods and politics of Latin American and Caribbean area studies.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
LAS 602. Research Design in Latin American Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Interdisciplinary research methods and skills in Latin American and Caribbean studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

LAS 603. Program Seminar in Latin American Studies and Caribbean Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Content of course will vary by semester.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAS 604. Interdisciplinary Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Studies - Travel Course. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary. Interdisciplinary focus is thematic and regional (e.g.: tourism in Yucatan; civil society in Chile, Haiti-Dominican Republic relations, cultural policy in the Caribbean, environmental policy in Panama.) Course involves travel during Spring Break and it has a program fee.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

LAS 605. Internship in Latin American and Caribbean Studies. 1-3 Credit Hours.
On-site experience in business, governmental organization, or non-profit organization dealing with Latin America and/or the Caribbean.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

LAS 606. Civic Engagement in Latin America. 1-3 Credit Hours.
On site experience in a civic engagement project in Latin America or the Caribbean.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

LAS 620. Interdisciplinary Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Environments. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary. Interdisciplinary focus on policies and impact of globalization on the environment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAS 630. Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Religions. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary. Interdisciplinary focus may be thematic or religion (e.g., Liberation Theology, Latin American and Latino Religions, Caribbean Religions), but will address Latin American and Caribbean religion.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAS 640. Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Media and Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary. Interdisciplinary focus may be thematic or religion (e.g. Global media, Spanish- or Portuguese-language television or radio, social media), but will address Latin American and Caribbean Media and Communication.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAS 650. Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Art and Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary. Interdisciplinary focus may be thematic or religion, but will address Latin American and Caribbean art and culture.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAS 660. Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary. Interdisciplinary focus may be thematic or religion (e.g., democracy, new social movements, globalization, politics and society), but will address Latin American and Caribbean politics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
LAS 680. Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean History. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics vary. Interdisciplinary focus may be thematic or religion, but will address the history of political, social and economic development in Latin America and the Caribbean.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAS 681. Graduate Seminar on Public Health: Latin America and the Caribbean. 3 Credit Hours.
A variety of contemporary global public health issues and policy challenges confronting Latin America and the Caribbean, considering large and small states. We will explore the broader relationship of global public health topics to the political, economic, social, cultural, ethical, ecological, environmental, and technological factors.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

LAS 684. Global Public Health: Harnessing Theoretical Prep with Health Diplomacy and Practical Exper. 3 Credit Hours.
For students with a genuine interest in global public health and a regional focus in Latin America or the Caribbean. Students will have the opportunity to examine global health issues, programs, projects, policies and ethical dilemmas considering different methods used to study the challenges and successes in global public health work. This course will expose students to the integration of western and health care, as well as the economic, political, social, cultural, environmental, ecological and technological components of their lives that directly or indirectly influence public health outcomes at the community level. Furthermore, students will have a unique opportunity to interact with families and community organizations and programs in the remote villages as well as families residing in urban communities. This will provide greater insights into the epidemiologic, nutrition, lifestyle and socio-economic transitions which bring both positive and negative impacts on health and wellbeing. Students will also learn about importance of health diplomacy and health security within a globalized world through interactions with local policy makers and community members while in the country.
Components: FLD.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

LAS 691. Debates on Current Issues in Latin American and Caribbean Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Content may vary from semester to semester. This is a graduate course to allow debate and discussion on current issues and events affecting Latin America, the Caribbean, and Latino communities in the United States.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

LAS 694. Directed Readings in Latin America and Caribbean. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Independent Study leading to an original piece of research, or creative project on a Latin American or Caribbean interdisciplinary topic.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAS 697. Readings for the Comprehensive Exam. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Readings for M.A. students who are preparing for comprehensive examinations.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAS 810. Pre-candidacy thesis credits. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, not to exceed three, before student has been admitted to candidacy. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAS 815. Post-candidacy thesis credits. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, not to exceed six, after student has been admitted to candidacy. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
LAS 820. Research in residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master's degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in LAS 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Law (LAW)

LAW 1. Law Visit Away. 1-16 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 100. Business Association. 4 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 101. Commercial Law: Secured Transactions. 4 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 102. Commercial Law: Payment Systems and Negotiable Instruments. 4 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 103. Corporate Tax. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: Federal Income Tax I.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 104. Securities Regulation. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 105. Federal Income Tax I. 4 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 106. Trusts and Estates. 4 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 107. Agency and Partnership. 2-3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 108. Antitrust. 2-3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 109. Banking Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 11. Civil Procedure I. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 110. Bankruptcy. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 111. Communication Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 112. Copyright Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 113. Corporate Finance. 2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: Business Associations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 114. Urban Land Use Law. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 115. Commercial Law: Theory and Practice. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 116. The Corporate Lawyer. 3 Credit Hours.
Requisite: must be a First Year JD Law Student (1L).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 117. STARTUP LAW AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 118. Race in the Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 119. INSURANCE LAW. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 12. Contracts. 4 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 121. Securities Regulation II. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 122. Florida Family Law. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 123. Introduction to Financial Accounting for Lawyers. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 124. Corporate Finance: Asset Partitioning and the Rise of the Firm. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 125. Bankruptcy Bootcamp. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 126. Constitutional Law III. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 127. Partnership Tax. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: Federal Income Tax I.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 128. LAWWITHOUTWALLS: LWOW Xed. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 13. Elements. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 130. Torts Stories. 3 Credit Hours.
Requisite: must be a First Year JD Law Student (1L).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 132. Trademark Law. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 134. Real Property and Government. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 135. Economics for Lawyers. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 136. Family Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 137. Bankruptcy Tax. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 138. International Intellectual Property. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 139. Patent Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 14. Property. 4 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 140. Taxation of Business Entities. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: Federal Income Tax I.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 143. Power and Influence. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 144. International Debt Workouts. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 145. Closely Held Businesses. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 147. Intellectual Prop. 4 Credit Hours.
Prerequisites: Patent Law, Copyright, or Trademark.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 148. The Morality of Intellectual Property. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 149. Global Issues and Con Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 15. Torts. 4 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 150. Florida Legal Research Techniques. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 151. Legal Research Techniques. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 153. Products Liability. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: Torts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 154. Corporate Compliance and Risk Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 155. Principles of Legal Analysis. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.

LAW 156. Internet Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 157. Intellectual Property for Business Lawyers. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 159. FAKE NEWS: MEDIA LAW IN THE AGE OF TRUMP. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 16. Criminal Procedure. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 160. Current Topics in Delaware Mergers and Acquisitions. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 161. Mortgage Crisis. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 162. Negotiating and Drafting for the Business Entertainment I. 2 Credit Hours.
Enrolled in the LL.M. or J.D./LL.M. in Entertainment, Arts and Sport Law, OR enrolled in the J.D./M.M., OR a 3L with the permission of the Prof; AND Bus. Associations or equivalent (may taken concurrently). Federal Income Tax or equivalent is suggested.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 163. Negotiating and Drafting for the Business of Entertainment II. 1 Credit Hour.
Prerequisite: Negotiating and Drafting for the Business of Entertainment I.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 164. REGULATION OF BROKER-DEALERS AND INVESTMENT ADVISERS. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 165. Commercial Law: Ucc. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 166. Drafting Credit Documentation. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 167. Banking Law II. 3 Credit Hours.
Pre-Requisite for Banking law II.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 168. Comparative Sales. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 169. Regulatory State. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 17. U.S. Constitutional Law I. 4 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 170. Nature and Foundation of Entrepreneurship. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 171. Law and Economics of Corporate Crimes. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 172. Didd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act 2010. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 173. LAWWITHOUTWALLS: LWOW SPRINT. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 174. Mergers and Acquisitions. 3 Credit Hours.
Pre-reg: BA or Closely Held Business (may be taken concurrently); Recommended: Security Regulation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 175. International Contracts. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 176. Images of Evil in Criminal Law. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 177. The Role of the In-House Counsel at a Nonprofit. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

LAW 178. Mortgage Law. 2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: Property.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 179. International Human Rights Lawyering and Advocacy. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

LAW 180. GENDER VIOLENCE, SOCIAL JUSTICE, & LAW. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 181. Latin American Family Law. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 182. Medical Responsibility. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 183. Entertainment Law: Theater and Venue Contracts. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 184. Bankruptcy Debtors and Creditors Right. 4 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 185. Federal Securities Fraud Investigations: Ponzi Schemes, Stock Manipulations, and Insider Trading. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 186. Advanced Copyright in the Digital Age. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 187. Class Action Litigation. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 188. The Law and Development in Latin America. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 189. European Union Law and Institutions: Responding to the Financial Crisis. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

LAW 19. Legal Communication and Research I. 2 Credit Hours.
Pre-Requisite: LComm I.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 190. Core Credit Independent Study. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 191. World Poverty and Human Rights. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAW 192. Discovery. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

LAW 193. Representing the Professional Athlete. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

LAW 194. The Legal Environment of the Cruise Industry. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 195. NEGOTIATING AND DRAFTING SPORTS VENUE AGREEMENTS. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 196. Representing the Pre-Professional Athlete. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 197. Mindfulness and Leadership. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

LAW 198. Cuba: Law, Policy, and Transition. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 2. LL.M. Oral Communication. 4 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Plan of LLM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 200. Administrative Law. 4 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 201. False Confessions and Custodial Interrogations. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 202. Employment Discrimin. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 203. The Religion Clauses. 1 Credit Hour.
Prerequisite: Con Law II.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 205. Labor Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 206. Applied Topics in Advanced Music Copyright Law. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 207. Water Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 208. Evidence. 4 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 209. Federal Courts. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: US Con Law I.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 210. Remedies. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 211. Civil Procedure II. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: Civil Procedure.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 212. Mental Health Law. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 213. Environmental Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 214. State and Local Government. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 215. Analysis of Evidence. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 216. Constitutional Law III: The Current Moment. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: US Con Law I.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 217. Constitutional Law II. 4 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: US Con Law I.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 219. Finance and Regulation of Health Care Industry. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 221. Mass Incarceration. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 222. LEGISLATION (First Year Elective). 3 Credit Hours.
Requisite: must be a First Year JD Law Student (1L).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 223. Alternative Dispute Resolution. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 224. Modern Alcohol Beverage Law. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 225. Health Law and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 226. Florida Tort Law: The Real Deal. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 227. Environmental Justice. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 228. Human Rights Advocacy in Latin America. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 229. Housing Discrimination. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 230. Complex Litigation. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 231. Disability Law. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 233. Florida Constitutional Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: US Con Law I.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 236. BUSINESS, ENTERTAINMENT, AND SPORTS IMMIGRATION LAW. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 237. LAW AND POLITICAL ECONOMY. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 239. Law and Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 240. WTO Litigation and Climate Change. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 242. Religion and Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 243. Islamic Law and Human Rights Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 244. Food Law. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 246. Employment Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 247. Labor and Employment Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 248. Space Law. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 249. Alcohol Beverage Law. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 250. Election Law: Hot Topics. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 251. Search and Seizure. 3 Credit Hours.
Search and Seizure explores the evolution of the U.S. Supreme Court’s Fourth Amendment jurisprudence. The course, open to undergraduate and law students, develops the skills necessary to understand, evaluate, and develop legal arguments. Through the study of the government’s use of surveillance tactics over the decades, students will learn to evaluate legal arguments for and against limiting government searches and seizures of people and their property. Materials will include landmark Supreme Court decisions as well as journalistic and videos and articles that place those decisions in historical context. Grades will be based on a series of approximately three 300-to-500-word essays and a final examination.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 252. Environmental Law and Policy. 4 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 253. NATURAL RESOURCES. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 254. Sports Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 255. Hospitals, Health Care Services, and Access: An Interdisciplinary Inquiry. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 256. First Amendment. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 257. CONSTRUCTION LAW. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 258. Dispute Resolution in Latin America (Spanish). 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 259. Consumer Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 260. Environmental Litigation and Policy. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 261. Maritime Personal Injury. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 262. Union Organizing and Collective Bargaining in the Entertainment Industry. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 263. FUTURE LEGAL PROFESSION. 3 Credit Hours.
Requisite: must be a First Year JD Law Student (1L).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 264. Election Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 265. SPECIAL TOPICS IN INTERNATIONAL SPORTS LAW. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 267. TOXIC TORTS. 2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: Torts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 268. Social Justice Lawyering. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 269. Hot Topics in Insurance Law. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 270. EMOTIONAL INTELLIGENCE - LIFE SKILLS FOR LAWYERS. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 271. Florida Criminal Procedure. 2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: Criminal Procedure.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 272. Florida Civil Procedure. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: Civil Procedure.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 273. Medical Ethics. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 274. Sentencing Law and Policy. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 275. International Economic and Social Rights. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 276. Health Care and the Constitution. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 277. Aviation Law. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 278. Law of Obligations. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 279. Wrongful Convictions: Causes and Remedies. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 280. Aging and Special Needs Law. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 281. Entertainment Law: Motion Pictures and Television. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 282. Human Trafficking. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 283. The Olympic Games and the Law. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 284. Galileo Project: Law, Science, Truth, and Power. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 285. Regulation of Identification. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 286. Planning Skills (Tax Skills and Policy). 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: Federal Income Tax I.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 287. Cyber Crimes. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 288. Genome Ethics and Public Policy. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 289. Business of Law. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAW 29. Legal Communication and Research II. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 290. Comp Legal Geog: Colonial and Postcolonial Land Regimes in the British Empire and Successor States. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 291. Competitive Strategy and the Legal Services Industry. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 292. Social Enterprise Clinic. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAW 293. Food and Drug Law (FDA). 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

LAW 294. Implementing Affordable Care Act. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 295. NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS AND SOCIAL ENTERPRISES. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 296. The EU and NAFTA as the Regional Arrangements. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 297. LAW PRACTICE: SYSTEMIC ADVOCACY. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

LAW 299. Preparing the Corporate Client for Litigation. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 3. LL.M. Reading and Writing. 4 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Plan of LLM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 300. Admiralty. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 301. National Security Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 302. Negotiation. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 303. Coastal Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 304. Comparative Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 305. Corporate Skills for New Lawyers. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 306. Conflict of Laws. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 307. CLIMATE CHANGE AND HUMAN RIGHTS. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 308. Legal Informatics. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 309. International Business Transactions. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 310. Presentation of Evidence in International Arbitration. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 311. INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS LAW. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 312. International Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 313. International Sales. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 314. International Tax. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: Federal Income Tax I.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 315. Jurisprudence. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 316. Latin American Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 317. Ethics and Professionalism in an Ever-Changing World. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 318. Law of the Sea. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 319. Video Game Law. 1 Credit Hour.
Open to students enrolled in the LL.M. or J.D./LL.M. in Entertainment, Arts and Sports Law ("EASL") who also have the prior permission of EASL's Director of the Entertainment Track (Harold Flegelman). Please do NOT contact the Professor for permission.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 320. Substantive Criminal Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 321. Rule 56: Mastering Summary Judgment Motions. 2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: LComm I & II; Civil Pro I.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 322. European Sport Law. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 323. THE ADVERSARY SYSTEM. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 324. Advertising Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 325. European Comm Law. 2-3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 326. Constitutional Law III: The Constitutional Law of Business. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: US Con Law I.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 327. Federal Courts IPA. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 328. The Freedom of Information Act. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 329. TRADE SECRETS. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 330. CLIMATE FINANCE. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 331. VIMEO, TWITTER, AND YOUTUBE: ONLINE LIABILITY AND NET NEUTRALITY. 1 Credit Hour.
Pre-Requisite: One of the following Intellectual Property courses: Intellectual Property, IP for Business Lawyers, Copyright, or Trademark. Requisite: Plan of EASL LLM or JD/ EASL LLM or JD students with permission of Director Flegelman.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 332. Criminal Procedure Adjudication. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: Criminal Procedure.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 333. Int'l Economic Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 334. International Environmental Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 335. Immigration Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 336. International Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 337. Comparative Constitutional Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 338. Basic Concepts in International Arbitration. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 339. Doing Business in Latin America. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 340. International Criminal Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 341. International Copyright. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 342. The Free Speech Clause. 1 Credit Hour.
Prerequisite: First Amendment or U.S. Constitutional Law II.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 343. Navigating Antitrust Risk. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 344. Property II. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 345. ANTITRUST II. 2-3 Credit Hours.
LW: PRE-REQ- ANTITRUST.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 346. Comparative Immigration Law. 2-3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 347. Immigration Law and Policy. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 348. Museum Law. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 349. Digital Currency and Blockchain Regulation. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 350. Marine Ecology and Law Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 351. International Business Law Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 352. Boilerplate: The Good, the Bad, and the Ugly. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 353. INTRODUCTION TO JE WISH LAW AND THE TALMUD. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 354. IMPEACHMENT POLITICS IN CONSTITUTIONAL PERSPECTIVE. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 356. Transactional Lawyering: Negotiating and Drafting Contracts. 2 Credit Hours.
LW: Contracts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 357. European Union Competition (Antitrust). 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 358. International Family Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 359. Therapeutic Jurisprudence. 2-3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 360. Philosophy of Law. 3-4 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 361. Water Resources Law and Policy: China and Vietnam. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 363. Dispute Resolution in Latin America. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 364. Gaming Law. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 365. Elder Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 367. International Arbitration in Latin America. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 368. European Company Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 369. Race, Ethnicity, and Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 370. Federal Indian Law. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 371. International Civil Dispute Resolution. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 374. Global Lawyering. 2-3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 375. Military Justice. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 376. Corporate Criminal Liability: European Perspectives. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 377. U.S. and Latin America: Lawyering across Borders. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 378. Economy and Society: Institutions and National Development. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 380. Human Rights and Risk Management for Business Lawyers. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 381. The Law, Literature, and Capital Punishment. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 382. Large Scale Litigation - Practical Skills. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 383. Immigration, Ethnicity, and Public Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 384. Race, Ethnicities, and Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 385. European Union: History, Institutions, and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 386. Multi-Level Protection of Rights in Europe. 2-3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 387. SYSTEMIC ADVOCACY SEMINAR. 2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: Social Impact Advocacy or Social Justice.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 388. Investment Arbitration. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 389. Human Rights in Times of War (Spanish). 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 39. Transactional Drafting and Negotiation (Cml-Llmo). 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 390. Spanish for Lawyers I. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 391. Water Resources Law and Policy: China and Vietnam. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 392. Art Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 393. Doing Business and Dispute Resolution - China. 4 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 394. Civil Rights, Economic Justice, and Independent Media. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 395. Cultural Property and Heritage Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 396. Migration and Immigration Policy Law and Reform. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 397. Tort Law: A Comparative Approach. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 398. INTERNATIONAL BANKRUPTCY (VIRTUAL). 3 Credit Hours.
Pre-requisite: Bankruptcy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 399. Immigration, Strategy, and Removal Defense. 2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: Immigration Law.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 4. Introduction to Legal Communication and Writing. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Plan of LLM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 400. PR - U.S. and Multinational Prac Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 401. Ethics, Law, and Justice. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 402. Legal Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 403. Legal Profession. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 405. Ethics and Public Service. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 406. Professional Responsibility. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 407. LEGAL MALPRACTICE LAW SEMINAR. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 408. Mindful Ethics: Professional Responsibility for Lawyers in the Digital Age. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 5. Introduction to Legal Research. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Plan of LLM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 50. Legal Career Paths. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 500. God, Science, and Politics. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 501. THE LAW OF INTERNATIONAL TREATIES. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 502. HEALTH LAW: FRAUD AND ABUSE. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 503. Introduction to Academic Writing. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 504. Consumer Protection. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 505. Drafting and Negotiating International Oil and Gas Agreements. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 506. The Tenth Justice. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 507. Trial Strategies. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 508. Advanced Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 509. Advanced Legal Writing: Non-Litigation Drafting. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 510. International Trade Law. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 511. Enterprise Technologies for Lawyers. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 512. Civil Rights Litigation. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 513. Mindfulness in Law. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 514. Policing the Police. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 515. PRACTICAL SKILLS FOR LAWYERS. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 516. Topics in Advanced Copyright. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 517. REGULATORY COMPLIANCE, CORPORATE GOVERNANCE, AND SUSTAINABILITY. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 518. Advanced Topics in Bankruptcy. 2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: Bankruptcy previously or concurrent.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 519. Drafting Complex Arbitration Clauses. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 520. Statistics for Lawyers. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 521. Robot Law. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 522. THE DEATH PENALTY AS A LEGAL AND SOCIETAL PHENOMENON. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 523. Legal Issues in Guantánamo. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 524. World on the Move: An Examination of Law and Policy Involved in Current Mass Migration. 1 Credit Hour.
Pre-requisite or Co-requisite: Immigration Law or Immigration Clinic or By Instructor permission.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 525. Health, Ethics, Law, and Policy. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 526. The Uncitral Model Law On International Commercial Arbitration. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 527. Law Firm Management. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 528. Space Law: Regulating and Incentivizing Private Commercial Activities in Outer Space. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 529. Transnational Litigation and International Arbitration with a European Nexus. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 530. Real Estate Transactions. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 531. Mobile Computing for Lawyers. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 532. Legal Advocacy, Media, and the Pursuit of Social Justice. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 533. TRANSACTIONAL DRAFTING AND PRACTICE. 2 Credit Hours.
Pre-requisite: Contracts & B.A. (Pre-req or Co-req).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 534. Topics in Florida Practice. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Must be graduating 3L or LL.M in their final semester of law school.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 535. Political Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 536. Complex International Negotiations. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 537. Advanced Topics in Family Law. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 538. Diversity and the English Legal System. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 540. Marriage Equality: Practical Implications for a Post-DOMA Landscape. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 541. Deal Skills: Cross Border Finance Transactions. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 542. Children and the Law. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 543. Religious Freedom and Same-Sex Marriage. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 544. Innovation, Tech, and Legal Profession. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 545. Database Management Systems for Lawyers. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 546. Introduction to Business Practices and Drafting of Transaction Documents. 2 Credit Hours.
Pre-requisite: Must be a 3L or L.L.M. and have taken Business Associations (or equivalent) or be enrolled in the JD/MBA.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 547. Big Data for Lawyers. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 548. Introduction to Death Penalty Litigation. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 549. Motion Picture Financing. 1 Credit Hour.
Open to students enrolled in the LL.M. or J.D./LL.M. in Entertainment, Arts and Sports Law ("EASL") who also have the prior permission of EASL's Director of the Entertainment Track (Harold Flegelman). Please do NOT contact the Professor for permission.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 550. Urbanization, Capitalism, and Development Class. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 551. Topics on Multistate Bar Exam. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Must be graduating 3L or LL.M in their final semester of law school.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 552. ENTERTAINMENT & MEDIA LAW IN THE DIGITAL AGE. 1 Credit Hour.
Open to students enrolled in the LL.M. or J.D./LL.M. in Entertainment, Arts and Sports Law ("EASL") who also have the prior permission of EASL's Director of the Entertainment Track (Harold Flegelman). Please do NOT contact the Professor for permission.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 553. Philosophies of Sentencing. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 554. International Humanitarian Law. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 555. Climate Change Law and Policy. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 556. Law and Power in the European Union. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 557. Introduction to Programming for Lawyers. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 558. Inter-Am System of Human Rights. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 559. Law and Popular Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 560. TRANSACTIONAL LAWYERING: DEAL SKILLS. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: Business Associations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 561. Education Reform, Policy, and the Social Organization of Schooling. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 562. International Maritime. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 563. TRUSTS & ESTATES ESSENTIALS. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Cannot take Trusts & Estates Essentials (LAW563) if previously taken Trusts & Estates (LAW106).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 564. Introduction to Caribbean Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 565. Adv Programming for Lawyers. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 566. Memos, Pleadings, and Motions. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 567. Legal Advocacy and Same-Sex Marriage. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 568. Patent Litigation. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 569. Race, Class, and Power. University Course on the #BlackLivesMatter Movement. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 570. Spanish for Lawyers II. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: Spanish For Lawyers (Beginner).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 571. International State Responsibility. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 572. Property Rights and the Taking Issue. 1 Credit Hour.
Prerequisite: US Con Law I.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 573. Data Security and Incident Response. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 574. The Law and Lawyers in Modern Literature. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 575. Comparative Criminal Justice. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 576. The Language of Habeas. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 577. Latin American Law and Institutions. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 578. Forensics of Advocacy in International Arbitration I. 2 Credit Hours.
LW: Prerequisite: Plan of International Arbitration LL.M or JD/ International Arbitration.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 579. Forensics of Advocacy in International Arbitration II. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 580. HEALTH LAW: PRACTICE AND WORKSHOP. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 581. Florida Equity. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 582. Cyber Security Policy and Regulations. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 583. THE EVOLUTION OF PRODUCT LIABILITY IN THE UNITED STATES. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 584. BLOCKCHAIN TECHNOLOGY AND BUSINESS STRATEGIES. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 585. Social Media and the Law. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 586. Federal Policymaking: Legislation, Regulation, and Litigation. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 587. Judgment and Decision Making. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 588. FLORIDA POST-CONVICTION PROCEDURE. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 589. INTERNATIONAL ANTI-CORRUPTION LAW AND PRACTICE. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 590. CONTEMPORARY LAW FIRM FORMATION, INNOVATION, AND MANAGEMENT. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 591. Ancient Greek and Roman Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 592. PUBLIC INTEREST LITIGATION IN THE PRIVATE PRACTICE. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 593. Justice and the Pro Bono Ethic. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 594. Advanced Trademark. 2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: Trademark.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 596. Florida Family Law: Parenting Issues. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 598. Florida Family Law: Financial Issues. 2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: Family Law taken prior or concurrent with this course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 599. Law, Policy, and Technology. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 600. Privacy Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 601. Environmental Planning and the Environmental Impact Statement. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 602. Cultural Property and Heritage. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: EXP.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 603. International Commercial Arbitration. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 604. HABEAS CORPUS SEMINAR. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 605. Topics in Citizenship and Immigration Law Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 606. SELECT TOPICS IN ART AND MUSEUM LAW SEMINAR. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 607. Race and Class in American Public Education: Access, Equity, and Reform. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 608. Islamic Finance Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 609. Emotion and the Law. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 610. Litigation Structure: Transition to Practice Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Pre-requisites: Evidence; Co-requisite: Litigation Skills.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 611. TOPICS IN TECHNOLOGY LAW SEMINAR. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 612. COMMUNITY EQUITY INNOVATION & RESOURCE LAB. 2 Credit Hours.
Pre-req or Co-req: Public Interest Law Seminar.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 613. SEXUALITY, GENDER IDENTITY AND THE LAW. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 614. CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 615. LEGAL REALISM SEMINAR. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 616. LAW, TECHNOLOGY AND PRACTICE. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 617. Caribbean Law II Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 618. The Politico-Legal Theory of Empire Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 619. Comparative Corporate Governance Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 620. CONTRACTS & EXCUSES: A GLOBAL PERSPECTIVE. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 621. Sources of and Responses to the New Equality. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 622. American Legal History Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 623. Women and the Law Stories Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 624. Death Penalty Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 625. Philosophy of Law Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 626. Advanced Torts. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 627. THE ADMINISTRATIVE STATE: THE CURRENT MOMENT. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 628. Contemporary Issues in Class Action Litigation Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 629. Conservation, Tourism, and Development Seminar (Coastal Management). 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 630. Fourth Amendment Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 631. Workers Compensations Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 632. Scientific Evidence: In Theory and in Court. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 633. International Sustainable Development Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Pre-requisite: At least one of the following: international law, international environmental law, international economic law, environmental law.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 634. Complex Litigation Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 635. Feminism and the First Amendment. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 636. LAW FIRM ETHICS, LEADERSHIP, AND MANAGEMENT SEMINAR. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 637. Constitutionalism, Democracy, and Human Rights. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 638. Advanced New York Convention Workshop. 2 Credit Hours.
LW: Requisite: Plan of International Arbitration LL.M or JD/ International Arbitration.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 639. The Criminalization of Homelessness: Causes, Policy Responses, and Practical Lawyering. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 640. General Jurisprudence Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 641. Criminal Justice Colloquium. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 642. Political Influences on the Judiciary Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 643. MULTIDISTRICT LITIGATION: LAW, PRACTICE, AND STRATEGY. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 644. Wine Law Sem. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 645. Current Topics in Criminal Litigation Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Pre-Requisite for Current Topics in Criminal Litigation Seminar.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 646. Voting Rights Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 647. Employment Discrimination Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 648. Intellectual Property Theory Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 649. CONTRACTS & EXCUSES: A GLOBAL PERSPECTIVE. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 651. Public Int Law and Ethics. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 652. Advanced Bankruptcy: Cross-Border, Municipal, and ABC Proceeding. 2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: Bankruptcy previously or concurrent.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 653. Litigation: Past, Present, and Future. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 654. Constitution, Rights, and Territory in American History Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 655. FEDERAL CRIMINAL MOTION PRACTICE SEMINAR. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 656. Public Sector Employment Law Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 657. Advanced Immigration. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 658. Mindfulness and Motivating Business Compliance with the Law. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 659. Minority Rights in International Law Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 660. First Amendment Fundamentalism. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 661. SECOND AMENDMENT FUNDAMENTALISM SEMINAR. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 662. Comparative Criminal Law Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 663. Law of the Sea Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 664. The Duty to Protect Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 665. Family Reproduction and Science. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 666. Internet Law. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 667. Advanced Constitutional Law Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 668. Reorganization in Bankruptcy. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 669. Pretrial Litigation Practice. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 670. Marine Ecology and the Law Seminar. 2-3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 671. International Organizations Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 672. American Public Education Law Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 673. Business Planning Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: Business Associations and Federal Income Tax I.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 674. Food Law Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 675. Marine Insurance. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 676. Transitional Justice and Human Rights Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 677. Ethics 2030: The Next Agenda for the Model Rules of Professional Responsibility. 2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: Professional Responsibility.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 678. Pre-Emption Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 679. INTRODUCTION TO CORPORATE FINANCE FOR LAWYERS. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 680. Globalization and Law Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 681. FEDERAL ARBITRATION ACT. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 682. Torture and the Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 683. Trade in Antiquities: U.S. and International Law and Policy Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 684. Everglades Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 685. Advanced Arbitration Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 686. International Business Crimes. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 687. Global Lawyering. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 688. Issues in Appellate Law Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 689. Procedure: Legislative and Judicial Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 690. Florida Mortgage Law Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 691. Topics in Jewish Law Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 692. Contemporary Civil Rights Problems Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 693. Selected Readings in Gender Violence. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 694. Arms Control Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 695. Introduction to Federal and Florida Arbitration Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 696. The Islamic Legal System Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 697. NON-COMPETE LAW. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 698. Critical Race Feminism Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 699. Judge in Jewish and U.S. Legal Systems in Comparative Perspectives Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 700. Advanced Appellate Advocacy I. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 701. Intercollegiate Athletics: Law, Policy, and Regulatory Landscape. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 702. Advanced Appellate Advocacy II. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: WKS.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 703. Criminal Justice Policy Reform. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 704. Writing Weapons in the Litigators Arsenal Workshop. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 705. THE LAW AND PRACTICE OF SOVEREIGN DEBT MANAGEMENT. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 706. Evidentiary Theory Workshop. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Must be graduating 3L or LL.M in their final semester of law school.
Components: WKS.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 707. Special Topics in Federal Courts. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 708. Bankruptcy Clinic I. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: CLN.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 709. Bankruptcy Clinic II. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 710. Fundamentals of Human Rights Law. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 711. Death Penalty Practicum. 4 Credit Hours.
Components: CLN.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 712. CRIMINAL EVIDENCE WS. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 713. Climate and Energy Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 714. FASHION LAW. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 715. Judicial Writing. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 716. SELECTED PROBLEMS IN CRIMINAL LAW AND PROCEDURE. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 717. Craft Alcohol Beverage and Cannabis: Reg and Transactional Considerations for Industry and Investors. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 718. COVID-19: LAWYERING IN A PANDEMIC. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 719. NEGOTIATION SKILLS FOR CLIENT COUNSELING. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 720. TOPICS IN ENVIRONMENTAL LAW: BIODIVERSITY LAW. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 721. Electronic Discovery. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 722. Business Litigation. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 723. International Investment Agreements. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 724. A.I. & ROBOT LAW. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 725. Negotiation Skills. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 726. COLLABORATIVE FAMILY LAW DIVORCE. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 727. Aviation Law W/S. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 728. CROSS CULTURAL COLLABORATION. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Plan of LLM.
Components: WKS.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 729. Real Estate Transactions Workshop. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 730. Advanced Workshop On WTO Dispute Settlement. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 731. Wrongful Convictions: Causes and Remedies. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 732. Law and Economics of Intellectual Property and Innovation. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 733. Comparative Admiralty and Maritime Law. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 734. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RESEARCH. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 735. LAWYERING AND ETHICS FOR THE BUSINESS ATTORNEY. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 736. PROGRAMMING FOR LAWYERS IN PYTHON. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 737. Children and Youth Law Clinic I. 6 Credit Hours.
Components: CLN.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 738. Children and Youth Law Clinic II. 6 Credit Hours.
Components: CLN.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 739. UN NEGOTIATIONS. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 740. Mediation Advocacy. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 741. Introduction to the Deal. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: Business Associations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 742. Mediation. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 743. Law and the Media. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 744. RESEARCHING THE ADMINISTRATIVE STATE. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 745. FOREIGN AND INTERNATIONAL LEGAL RESEARCH. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 746. BIOETHICS MEDIATION. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 747. International Moot Court I. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 748. International Moot Court II. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: WKS.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 749. Reorganization in Bankruptcy Workshop. 2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: Bankruptcy previously or concurrent.
Components: WKS.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 750. BEST PRACTICES IN PRETRIAL LITIGATION IN THE FEDERAL COURTS. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 751. Legal Writing Skills: Revised and Sharpened. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 752. Trial Competition Workshop. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Components: WKS.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 753. Poverty Law, Policy, and Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: WKS.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 754. PATENT PROSECUTION. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 755. HEALTH LAW AND POLICY. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 756. (RE)SEARCHING FOR JUSTICE. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 757. TRANSACTIONAL LEGAL RESEARCH. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 758. Professional Responsibility and Ethics I Workshop. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 759. TRADEMARK MANAGEMENT AND BUSINESS STRATEGY. 2 Credit Hours.
LW: Pre-requisite: IP for Business Lawyers or Trademark Law.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 760. Human Rights Clinic. 6 Credit Hours.
Components: CLN.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 761. Animal Law Workshop. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 762. Latin American Contracts. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 763. WHITE COLLAR CRIMINAL LAW. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 764. Federal and State Arbitration Workshop. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 765. Human Rights Clinic I. 6 Credit Hours.
Components: CLN.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 766. Human Rights Clinic II. 6 Credit Hours.
Components: CLN.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 767. Government Ethics. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 768. Criminal Prosecution and Defense Lawyering. 2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: Criminal Procedure and Substantive Criminal Law.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 769. Legal Protection of the Ocean and its Biodiversity. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 770. INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATION AND THE NEW YORK CONVENTION. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 771. Winning Federal Motions Practice I. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 772. Winning Federal Motion Practice II. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 773. Tenants Rights Clinic. 6 Credit Hours.
Components: CLN.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 774. Zurich Program. 2-3 Credit Hours.
Components: EXP.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 775. Maritime and Coastal Legal and Policy Issues in Miami. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: EXP.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 776. Family Mediation Workshop. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: WKS.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 777. Litigation Skills I: Summer Intensive. 6 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 778. Professional Responsibility and Ethics Workshop II. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 779. Federal Appellate Clinic I. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 780. Litigation Skills I Workshop: Pretrial. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: Evidence or Analysis of Evidence.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 781. Advanced Techniques of Persuasion. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 782. The Courts Beat. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 783. Death Penalty Workshop. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 784. University of Strathclyde-Miami Law Clinic Exchange Workshop. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: WKS.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 785. Health Rights Clinic I. 6 Credit Hours.
Components: CLN.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 786. Health Rights Clinic II. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Components: CLN.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 787. Street Law I. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 788. Street Law II. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 789. Innocence Clinic I. 4 Credit Hours.
Components: CLN.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 790. Effective Client Communications. 2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: Civil Procedure I, LComm I and II.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 791. Children and Youth Law Clinic. 6 Credit Hours.
Components: CLN.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 792. Innocence Clinic II. 4 Credit Hours.
Components: CLN.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 793. Investor Rights Clinic. 6 Credit Hours.
Components: CLN.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 794. Federal Appellate Clinic II. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 795. Miami Leipzig Exchange. 2-3 Credit Hours.
Components: EXP.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 796. MINDFULNESS AND NEGOTIATION. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 797. Immigration Clinic I. 6 Credit Hours.
Components: CLN.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 798. Immigration Clinic II. 4 Credit Hours.
Components: CLN.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 799. Startup Practicum. 6 Credit Hours.
Components: EXP.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 800. Upper Level Writing Requirement. 2-3 Credit Hours.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 801. Individual Research. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 802. INDEPENDENT RESEARCH. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 803. Individual Research. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 804. Individual Research. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 805. Graduate Thesis - Real Property. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 806. COVID -19: LAWYERING IN A PANDEMIC EXPERIENTIAL PROJECT. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Components: EXP.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 807. GRADUATE WRITING - MARITIME LAW. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 808. Guided Research - Tax. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 809. Interamerican Human Rights Practice. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 810. Ind Grad Research. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 811. Cergy-Pontoise University, France. 1-17 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 812. Moot Court Competition Ny Bar Comp. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 813. Moot Court State Competition. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 814. Moot Court Advisor. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 815. SYSTEMIC ADVOCACY PRACTICUM. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 816. Business Law Review. 2-3 Credit Hours.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 817. University of Miami Law Review. 2-3 Credit Hours.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 818. International and Comparative Law Review. 2-3 Credit Hours.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 819. Inter-American Law Review Writing. 2-3 Credit Hours.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 820. Sum Pub Int Progrm. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 822. ADVANCED HUMAN RIGHTS CLINIC. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: EXP.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 823. Real Property Internship. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 826. Cyber Civil Rights Initiative Practicum. 2 Credit Hours.
Pre-req and/or Co-Req: Law, Policy, and Technology; Civil Rights Litigation; or The Wire.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 827. Florida Supreme Court Internship. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 828. Psychology Public Policy and Law Journal. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 829. Bankruptcy Moot Court Competition. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 830. Workers Compensation Competition-Moot Court. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 831. Vis Moot Court Competition. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 832. Civil Rights Practicum. 2 Credit Hours.
Pre-req and/or Co-Req: Law, Policy, and Technology; Civil Rights Litigation; or The Wire.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 833. Spanish for Lawyers: Individual Study. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 834. PREP Fellows. 2-4 Credit Hours.
Components: EXP.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 835. CLINICAL FELLOW. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Components: CLN.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 836. National Security and Armed Conflict Law Review. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 837. Writing and Editing for Lawyers. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 838. Judicial Writing. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 839. Race and Social Justice Law Review. 2-3 Credit Hours.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 840. CEPS 3L Fellowship. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 841. 3L Fellowship Spring. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 842. Bucerius Program. 0-12 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 843. Freie Universität Exchange Program. 12-16 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 844. Fgv- Direito, Rio De Janiero Exchange Program. 0-12 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 845. Externship: Judicial. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Components: EXP.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 846. SUPERVISED PRACTICAL TRAINING. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.

LAW 847. University of Versailles, France Exchange Program. 1-16 Credit Hours.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 848. Haifa Univ Exchang. 0-12 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 849. Lwow X Compliance. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 850. Externship: Burton Young Fellow. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Components: EXP.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 851. Economic Sociology: A Theory Seminar. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 852. Social Justice Engagement and Reflection. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 853. STL: Shenzhen, China. 0-12 Credit Hours.
Components: EXP.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 854. Environmental Justice Clinic Practicum I. 6 Credit Hours.
Components: EXP.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 855. INTERDISCIPLINARY HEALTH COMMUNICATION. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 856. Environmental Justice Clinic Practicum II. 6 Credit Hours.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 860. University of Sao Paulo. 0-12 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

LAW 861. Fgu Direito Rio. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

LAW 862. Advanced International Moot Court. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 863. Esade, Barcelona. 0-12 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 864. University of Peking Tra. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

LAW 866. CYBER CIVIL RIGHTS INITIATIVE PRACTICUM II. 2 Credit Hours.
LW: Pre-Req - Cyber Civil Rights Practicum I.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 867. IE, Madrid. 0-12 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

LAW 870. Externship: Civil Rights. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: EXP.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 873. Externship: Transactional. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Components: EXP.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 874. Health Law and Practice Practicum. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 876. Litigation Skills II: Criminal Litigation. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: Litigation Skills I.
Components: EXP.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 877. Litigation Skills II: Business Litigation. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: Litigation Skills I.
Components: EXP.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 878. Litigation Skills II: Trial Team. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 879. Litigation Skills Externship. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: Litigation Skills I.
Components: EXP.
Grading: SUS.

LAW 880. Litigation Skills I Workshop: Trial. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: Evidence or Analysis of Evidence.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 881. Criminal Justice Policy Reform Practicum. 2 Credit Hours.
Pre-Req: Must be enrolled in the Criminal Justice Policy Reform Lecture (LAW703).
Components: EXP.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 882. EBS Law School Exchange Program. 3-7 Credit Hours.
Components: EXP.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 883. Externship: Washington Dc. 9 Credit Hours.
Components: EXP.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 884. Immigration Rights Externship. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 885. LLM Practicum. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Components: PRA.
Grading: SUS.

LAW 886. LLM Externship. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 888. Health Law Externship. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 889. LLM Practicum. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Components: PRA.
Grading: SUS.

LAW 890. LLM Practicum II. 2-6 Credit Hours.
Components: PRA.
Grading: SUS.

LAW 891. LL.M. PRACTICUM III. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Components: DIL.
Grading: SUS.

LAW 893. Urban Problems W/S. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

LAW 896. Externship I. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: EXP.
Grading: SUS.

LAW 897. Externship II. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: EXP.
Grading: SUS.

LAW 898. Externship III. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: EXP.
Grading: SUS.

LAW 900. ENTERTAINMENT, ARTS, AND SPORTS LAW SPEAKER SERIES I. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.

LAW 901. Introduction to U.S. Litigation. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Plan of International Law or JD/LLM Int'l, International Law or JD/LLM Int'l Arbitration.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 902. ENTERTAINMENT LAW IN LATIN AMERICA. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Plan of LL.M Entertainment, Arts, & Sports Law or JD/ Ent, Arts, & Sports; LL.M International or JD/Intl. JD students can enroll with permission of Harold Flegelman.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 903. Purchase and Sale of a Minor League Baseball Team. 1 Credit Hour.
Open to students enrolled in the LL.M. or J.D./LL.M. in Entertainment, Arts and Sports Law ("EASL") who also have the prior permission of EASL's Director of the Entertainment Track (Harold Flegelman). Please do NOT contact the Professor for permission.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 904. REPRESENTING A PROFESSIONAL SPORTS FRANCHISE CASE STUDY COMPETITION. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 905. ENTERTAINMENT, ARTS, & SPORTS LAW SPEAKER SERIES II. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
LAW 906. Legal Issues in Motion Picture Production and Distribution. 1 Credit Hour.
Open to students enrolled in the LL.M. or J.D./LL.M. in Entertainment, Arts and Sports Law (“EASL”) who also have the prior permission of EASL’s Director of the Entertainment Track (Harold Flegelman). Please do NOT contact the Professor for permission.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 907. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY TRANSACTIONS & NEGOTIATIONS. 1 Credit Hour.
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Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 908. ENTERTAINMENT LAW: A REAL-WORLD GUIDE TO THE PRACTICE. 1 Credit Hour.
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Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 909. ARBITRATION INSTITUTIONS IN A CHANGING AND CHALLENGING WORLD. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 910. International and Comparative Media Law. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 911. INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATION IN LATIN AMERICA & THE CARIBBEAN I. 1 Credit Hour.
LW: Requisite: Plan of International Arbitration LL.M or JD/ International Arbitration.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 912. Music Law. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 913. Crimes at Sea. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 914. INDIE FILM & THE LAW. 1 Credit Hour.
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Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 915. Cutting Edge Issues for Sports Law Practitioners in a Collectively Bargained World. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Plan of Entertainment, Arts, & Sports Law or JD/ Ent, Arts, & Sports. JD students can enroll with permission of Greg Levy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 916. TELEVISION DEAL MAKING IN THE 21ST CENTURY. 2 Credit Hours.
Open to students enrolled in the LL.M. or J.D./LL.M. in Entertainment, Arts and Sports Law (“EASL”) who also have the prior permission of EASL’s Director of the Entertainment Track (Harold Flegelman). Please do NOT contact the Professor for permission.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 917. SPORTS BETTING AND REGULATION. 1 Credit Hour.
Open to students enrolled in the LL.M. or J.D./LL.M. in Entertainment, Arts and Sports Law (“EASL”) who also have the prior permission of EASL's Director of the Entertainment Track (Harold Flegelman). Please do NOT contact the Professor for permission.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 918. THE BUSINESS OF SPORTS: THE VIEW FROM THE FRONT OFFICE. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Plan of Entertainment, Arts, & Sports Law or JD/ Ent, Arts, & Sports. JD students can enroll with permission of Greg Levy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 919. E-SPORTS. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Plan of Entertainment, Arts, & Sports Law or JD/Ent, Arts, & Sports. JD students can enroll with permission of Greg Levy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 920. COMPARATIVE COMPANY LAW: US-LATIN AMERICA. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 921. ADVANCED ORAL ADVOCACY IN INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATION. 1 Credit Hour.
LW: Requisite: Plan of International Arbitration LL.M or JD/ International Arbitration.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 922. Law and Policy of Charitable Foundations Created by Entertainers, Athletes, and Artists. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 923. PROTECTION OF LIVING MARINE RESOURCES. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 924. PIRACY, TERRORISM, AND DRUG SMUGGLING IN THE MARITIME DOMAIN. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 925. EASL TUTORIALS AND SITE VISITS II. 0 Credit Hours.
Requisite: EASL LLM & JD/LLM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.

LAW 926. Copyright and Trademark Litigation. 1 Credit Hour.
Open to students enrolled in the LL.M. or J.D./LL.M. in Entertainment, Arts and Sports Law ("EASL") who also have the prior permission of EASL's Director of the Entertainment Track (Harold Flegelman). Please do NOT contact the Professor for permission.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 927. Media Distribution. 2 Credit Hours.
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Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 928. INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATION AND THE NEW ECONOMY. 1 Credit Hour.
LW: Requisite: Plan of International Arbitration LL.M or JD/ International Arbitration.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 929. ADVANCED TOPICS IN ARBITRATION THEORY. 1 Credit Hour.
LW: Requisite: Plan of International Arbitration LL.M or JD/ International Arbitration.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 930. ADVANCED TOPICS IN ARBITRATION: PUBLICATION. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 931. INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATION IN LATIN AMERICA & THE CARIBBEAN II. 1 Credit Hour.
LW: Requisite: Plan of International Arbitration LL.M or JD/ International Arbitration.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 932. ICSID PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 933. INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATION AND EUROPEAN UNION LAW. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 934. UM-FLORENCE COMPARATIVE SPORTS LAW. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: EASL LLM & JD/LLM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 935. EASL TUTORIALS AND SITE VISITS II. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.

LAW 936. THE LAW OF FORCE MAJEURE: THE IMPACT OF THE PANDEMIC ON SPORTS AND ENTERTAINMENT. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Plan of Entertainment, Arts, & Sports Law or JD/Ent, Arts, & Sports. JD students can enroll with permission of Greg Levy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 937. TAXATION OF ATHLETES AND ENTERTAINERS. 1 Credit Hour.
Prerequisite: Federal Income Tax I.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 938. REIMAGINING COURTS - REMOTE COURT PROCEEDINGS AND TRIAL DURING THE COVID-19 ERA AND BEYOND. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 939. ADVANCED TOPICS IN ART LAW. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 940. SPORT, ETHICS, MORALITY AND THE LAW. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 941. Comparative Practical Training. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 943. Federal Tax Proc. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 945. Federal Tax Research Methods. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 946. Federal Wealth Transfer Tax. 2-4 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 947. International Moot Court. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 948. Taxation of Business Entities: Corporate. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 949. Property Transactions. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 950. Public Interest Law and Leadership. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 951. Legal Research Techniques. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 952. Wetlands Regulation and Real Property. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
LAW 953. Real Estate Transactions Workshop. 1-2 Credit Hours.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.

LAW 954. Criminal Tax Procedure. 1 Credit Hour.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.

LAW 955. Housing Law and Policy. 1 Credit Hour.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.

LAW 956. Securitization of Real Estate. 1 Credit Hour.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.

LAW 958. Professional Responsibility and Ethics I Workshop. 3 Credit Hours.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.

LAW 960. Human Rights Clinic. 4-6 Credit Hours.  
Components: PRA.  
Grading: GRD.

LAW 964. Advanced Corporate Tax. 2 Credit Hours.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.

LAW 966. Advanced Condos, Co-ops, and Planned Developments. 2 Credit Hours.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.

LAW 967. Drafting Design and Construction Documents. 1 Credit Hour.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.

LAW 969. Law of Green Buildings. 1 Credit Hour.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.

LAW 970. Current Issues in Real Estate Finance. 1 Credit Hour.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.

LAW 971. Environmental Regulation of Real Property. 1 Credit Hour.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.

LAW 972. Adr Design Systems. 2 Credit Hours.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.

LAW 973. Income Tax Treaties. 1-3 Credit Hours.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.

LAW 974. Federal Tax Planning. 2 Credit Hours.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.

LAW 975. Title Insurance. 1 Credit Hour.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.

LAW 979. Federal Appellate Clinic. 4 Credit Hours.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.

LAW 98. 1L ORIENTATION. 16 Credit Hours.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.
LAW 982. Torture and the Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 983. Financial Instruments. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 985. Health and Elder Law Clinic: Medical Legal Partnership. 4-6 Credit Hours.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 986. Health and Elder Law Clinic II. 6 Credit Hours.
Components: CLN.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 988. DOING BUSINESS IN LATIN AMERICA WORKSHOP. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 989. Miami Innocence Clinic. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 991. Children and Youth Law Clinic. 4-6 Credit Hours.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 993. Investor Rights Clinic. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 995. CROSS-BORDER TRANSACTIONS. 2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: Enrolled in the LL.M. or J.D./LL.M. in International Law; OR with the permission of Assistant Dean Carmen Perez-Llorca.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 996. The Seven Habits of Highly Effective People. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.

LAW 997. Immigration Clinic. 2-6 Credit Hours.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.

LAW 998. Cross Borders Practice of Law Symposium. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Fall.

LAW 999. Introduction to U.S. Law. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Plan of LLM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

LAW SAB1. Law Semester Exchange. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Components: EXP.
Grading: GRD.

LAW SAB2. Law Semester Exchange. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Components: EXP.
Grading: GRD.

LAW SAB3. Law Semester Exchange. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Components: EXP.
Grading: GRD.

LAW SAB4. Law Semester Exchange. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Components: EXP.
Grading: GRD.
LAW SAB5. Law Semester Exchange. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Components: EXP.
Grading: GRD.

LAW SAB6. Law Semester Exchange. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Components: EXP.
Grading: GRD.

LAW SEP. Law Semester Exchange. 1-17 Credit Hours.
Components: EXP.
Grading: GRD.

Law Writing (WRT)

WRT 100. Business Associations. 4 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 151. Legal Research Techniques. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 161. Mortgage Crisis. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 173. Law Without Walls. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 180. Domestic Violence. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

WRT 181. Latin American Family Law. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 285. Regulation of Identification. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 290. American Legal Thought. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 291. Neuroscience for Law, Economics, and Business. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 294. Problem Solving Courts. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 318. Law of the Sea. 2-3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 336. International Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 383. Immigration, Ethnicity, and Public Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 394. Civil Rights, Economic Justice, and Independent Media. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
WRT 513. Mindfulness and the Law. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 518. Advanced Topics in Bankruptcy. 0-2 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 519. Bias and the Law. 0-2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 523. Legal Issues in Guantánamo. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 594. Advanced Trademark. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 597. Transnational Family Law. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 599. Power. Ideals and Realities. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 600. African Probate and Policy Initiative. 4 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 603. International Commercial Arbitration. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 607. Race and Class in American Public Education: Access, Equity, and Reform. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 610. Advanced Evidence Law and Litigation Structure Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 617. Caribbean Law II. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 620. The Wire - Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 622. Advanced Patent Law and Policy Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 629. Coastal Conservation and Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 632. Scientific Evidence. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 635. Feminism and the First Amendment. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 636. Professional Liability and Leg. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
WRT 637. Democracy, Constitutionalism, and Human Rights. 0-2 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 639. Law and the Media Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 645. Current Topics in Criminal Litigation. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 651. Public Interest Law and Leadership. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 657. Advanced Immigration. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 662. Comparative Criminal Law. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 673. Business Planning Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 675. Marine Insurance Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

WRT 677. Equality and the Law. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 681. Federal and State Arbitration. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 682. Torture and the Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 684. Everglades Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 685. Advanced Arbitration Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 686. International Business Crimes. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 696. Islamic Legal System. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

WRT 702. Advanced Appellate Advocacy. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: WKS.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 709. Bankruptcy Clinic II. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
WRT 711. Miami Death Penalty Clinic. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 713. Sexuality and the Law. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: WKS.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 715. Judicial Writing. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

WRT 721. E-Discovery. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: WKS.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 736. Community Lawyering. 4 Credit Hours.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 737. Children and Youth Law Clinic. 4-6 Credit Hours.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 738. Children and Youth Law Clinic W/S II. 4 Credit Hours.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 741. Introduction to the Deal. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: WKS.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 743. Law and Media Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

WRT 747. International Moot Court. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: WKS.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 749. Reorganization in Bankruptcy Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 751. Legal Writing Skills: Revised and Sharpened. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 760. Human Rights Clinic. 2-6 Credit Hours.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 771. Discovery in Civil Litigation. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 772. Winning Federal Motion Practice. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: WKS.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 773. Tenants Rights Clinic. 6 Credit Hours.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.

WRT 779. Federal Appellate Clinic. 4 Credit Hours.
Components: WKS.
Grading: GRD.
WRT 785. Health Rights and Elder Law Clinic I. 4-6 Credit Hours.  
Components: PRA.  
Grading: GRD.  

WRT 786. Health and Elder Law Clinic II. 4 Credit Hours.  
Components: THI.  
Grading: GRD.  

WRT 789. Miami Innocence Clinic. 1-4 Credit Hours.  
Components: PRA.  
Grading: GRD.  

WRT 791. Children and Youth Law Clinic. 4-6 Credit Hours.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  

WRT 793. Investor Rights Clinic. 6 Credit Hours.  
Components: PRA.  
Grading: GRD.  

WRT 797. Immigration Clinic I. 2-6 Credit Hours.  
Components: PRA.  
Grading: GRD.  

WRT 798. Immigration Clinic II. 4 Credit Hours.  
Components: THI.  
Grading: GRD.  

WRT 801. Individual Research. 1 Credit Hour.  
Components: THI.  
Grading: GRD.  

WRT 802. Individual Research. 2 Credit Hours.  
Components: THI.  
Grading: GRD.  

WRT 803. Individual Research. 3 Credit Hours.  
Components: THI.  
Grading: GRD.  

WRT 835. Center for Ethics and Public Service Clinical Placement. 1-6 Credit Hours.  
Components: PRA.  
Grading: GRD.  

WRT 837. Writing and Editing for Lawyers. 2 Credit Hours.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.  

Management (MGT)  

MGT 100. Managing for Success in the Global Environment. 3 Credit Hours.  
This course will introduce students to the basics of management success in a multi-cultural, international environment. Course topics include an introduction to effective management and communication, understanding cultural differences, working in teams, and the role of the individual in managing his or her own success during the college experience, through such things as career/major exploration, development and building of a resume, and presentation techniques. The course utilizes both a lecture and workshop format, and culminates in a group project presentation integrating course topics.  
Requisite: Miami Business School and Freshman Standing.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MGT 199. Professional Development and Success in the Workplace. 1 Credit Hour.
This one-credit course is designed to expose undergraduate business students to advanced professional development topics, including organization of a career search, practices for updating a resume, job search mechanics, and proper networking and interview strategies. It also improves students' preparedness to find and secure internships or permanent placement offers, with a focus on critical communication skills and a strategic approach to success in the workplace.
Requisite: Business School.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 251. Nature and Foundations of Entrepreneurship. 3 Credit Hours.
This course seeks to understand some of the basic social, legal, cultural, and economic infrastructure that enables and sustains the creation of new enterprises. Although conventional perspectives on entrepreneurship often overlook political or religious activists whose "products" are not "sold" in traditional markets, a more expansive view considers actions that transform ideas into enterprises that generate intellectual, social, cultural, religious, or economic value. Theory, data, and case study will be covered to help students to think both broadly and deeply about what it means - and what it takes - to be an entrepreneur, and what characterizes the entrepreneurial society.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MGT 253. Introduction to Entrepreneurship. 3 Credit Hours.
Focuses on the process of identifying entrepreneurial opportunities and the operations of a small business. Topics include organization, location, financial planning, record-keeping, unit costs, merchandising, credit, and recruitment of personnel. This course is open to SBA students, ENT minors, or MGT minors.
Requisite: Business School or MGMT minor or ENTR minor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 270. Introduction to Health Sector Organization and Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides a basic understanding of the components of the health care sector and their interrelationships. The role of hospitals, ambulatory care (including physicians), long-term care, mental health care, hospice care, and pharmaceuticals will be examined. The role of government financed (Medicare and Medicaid) and private health insurance in affecting decision making by health care consumers and providers will be examined as well. A historical context will be used.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 302. Human Resource Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory and practice of modern personnel management related to the other management functions in the conduct of the enterprise. Attention is focused on the needs of the line executive as well as those intending to pursue a staff career.
Requisite: Must be in the Business School or have a MGMT minor plan.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 303. Operations Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Problems and methods of planning the efficient utilization of capital, labor, equipment, and materials. Sales forecasting, production planning, production control, scheduling, routing, dispatching, expediting, materials planning, inventory control, capital budgets, and costing are discussed. The application of quantitative techniques in problem solving and decision making are included as well as case problems.
Prerequisite: MAS 201 or MAS 311 or MTH 224 or IEN 311 or PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 304. Organizational Behavior. 3 Credit Hours.
First professional course in management. Concepts of organization, motivation, leadership, dynamics of the group, personality, organizational development strategies, and other behavioral aspects involved in the effective management of an organization are discussed.
Requisite: Must be in the Business School or have a MGMT minor plan.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MGT 307. Advanced Organizational Behavior. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of MGT 304—primarily for, but not limited to, MGMT OR HRMG majors. Through case analysis and other relevant exercises, theories are applied to specific situations in organizational settings.
Requisite: Must be in the Business School or have a MGMT minor plan.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 308. Training and Development. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of key issues in designing training and development programs. Topics include organizational needs analysis, training design and implementation, evaluation techniques, and understanding of how such programs interact with other human resource functions.
Requisite: Must be in the Business School or have a MGMT minor plan.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MGT 324. Negotiation Strategies. 3 Credit Hours.
A skills-based approach to learning the art and science of negotiation. Course covers preparation, and negotiation skills such as establishing trust and relationship-building. Topics include power, persuasion, creativity, problem-solving, ethics, and cross-cultural negotiation. Skills and self-insight will be acquired through self-assessment, role-play negotiation exercises, and case studies.
Requisite: Must be in the Business School or have a MGMT minor plan.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MGT 349. International Business. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to introduce students to the study of international business. Through discussions and analyses of the unique challenges and opportunities faced by multinational corporations (MNCs) and their managers, students gain an understanding of how to conduct business across different cultural, political, economic, and legal environments, as well as how to function effectively and succeed in MNCs. The course work and usage of teaching methods such as case analyses, experiential learning exercises, and debates seek to help students develop a global mindset and skills for effective global management (e.g., conceptual, analytical, cross-cultural communication, negotiation, and presentation skills).
Requisite: Must be in the Business School or have a MGMT minor plan.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MGT 354. Growing the New Venture. 3 Credit Hours.
Covers the basics of scaling a start-up. Topics include sources of capital, market choices, division of the equity pie, choice of distribution channels, choosing an accountant and a legal advisor, preparation of a business plan, and product design. Teams of students develop business plans to start new enterprises.
Prerequisite: MGT 253.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 357. Entrepreneurship Simulation Experience: Inside the Mind of the Entrepreneurial CEO. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides students with unique entrepreneurial experiences derived from starting and running businesses through computer simulation. Topics include: opportunity and environment assessment for potential businesses; initiation, organization, administration, and launch of the businesses; operation of the businesses in a competitive environment; responsibilities, functioning, and issues of entrepreneurial teams; evaluation, measurement, and competitive ranking of business success.
Requisite: Must be in the Business School or have a MGMT minor or ENTR minor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 359. Comparative Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of professional management as affected by the cultural environments in which it operates in major industrial nations. The problems of trans-cultural managers in multinational structures is examined.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MGT 360. Effective Leadership. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the key theories, models, and frameworks about the effective leadership of people in organizations. A multimedia approach is taken, using readings, films, lecture, discussion, and case analyses. The emphasis is on building a sound grasp of good practice, and on developing the ability to apply such knowledge to everyday leadership situations.
Prerequisite: MGT 304.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

MGT 371. Doing Business in Latin America. 3 Credit Hours.
This elective examines the key local, regional, and global forces affecting the conduct of business in the main Latin American markets of Mexico, Brazil, Venezuela and Chile. These forces include historical, cultural and demographic factors as well as the fast-changing politics and economics of the region. Students will be introduced to the complex relationships between business and government in LatAm as well as the unique advantages and disadvantages of companies based in the region.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

MGT 401. Strategic Management. 3 Credit Hours.
An integrative approach to strategy formulation and implementation, from a domestic and international perspective, is the focus of this core capstone course. All the primary areas of business are emphasized using cases and readings. Course is required of all graduating seniors in Business.
Requisite: Business School and Senior Standing.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

MGT 422. Leading Teams. 3 Credit Hours.
The objectives of this course are to develop interpersonal communication and conflict management skills necessary to work in teams and exercise leadership in teams. Topics include team development, decision making, and managing conflict.
Requisite: Must be in the Business School or have a MGMT minor plan.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

MGT 423. Leading with Emotional Intelligence. 3 Credit Hours.
Emotional Intelligence is one of the keys to high performance leadership, as well as promoting the wellbeing of employees in organizations. Emotional intelligence provides a framework for understanding how people's emotions contribute to their optional functioning at work. In this class, students will learn how to perceive emotions in themselves and others, how to understand the sources and consequences of emotions, and techniques for managing their own emotions as well as the emotions of others. By learning the theoretical foundations of emotional intelligence and engaging in experiential activities, students will enhance their leadership potential through the development of their emotional skills.
Prerequisite: MGT 304 and MGT 360.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

MGT 428. Compensation and Benefits Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines techniques and theories related to the design and management of compensation and benefits programs within organizations. Compensation includes cash compensation, such as base pay, merit pay, seniority pay, individual, group and organization-wide incentive plans, skills-based pay, and pay-for-knowledge. Benefits include health care plans, pension and profit-sharing plans, life and disability plans, and paid time off.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

MGT 445. Supply Chain Modeling and Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce students to managerial decision problems in modern supply chains, and will develop structured mathematical tools to model and solve these problems. Students will also learn to apply these tools through problem-solving exercises, experiential games, and spreadsheet-based case studies.
Prerequisite: MGT 303.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.
MGT 446. Supply Chain Strategy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will deal with issues such as inventory management, supply chain design/coordination, revenue management, and sourcing. Each module discusses how a real company practices some aspect of supply chain strategy, and then reviews the concepts behind that practice. Tools are provided to analyze the concepts, distill their principles, and suggest guidelines for implementation and improvement.
Prerequisite: MGT 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MGT 448. Global Sourcing. 3 Credit Hours.
Global sourcing is the collaborative and structured process of critically analyzing an organization's spending and using this information to make business decisions about acquiring commodities and services more effectively and efficiently. This course will provide students a framework for thinking about strategic sourcing and tools to effectively implement the global sourcing process.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 450. MGT Internship. 1 Credit Hour.
Student is individually assigned to operating business firm or other organization to gain insight into management practice in area of career interest. Periodic reports and conferences are required. Cannot be used toward major requirements.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MGT 451. Supply Chain Analytics Practicum. 3 Credit Hours.
The Supply Chain Analytics Practicum course (SCAP) places students with organizations throughout the world to address pressing challenges related to operations and/or supply chain. Students work in teams with guidance from faculty advisors to develop actionable and valuable recommendations for sponsors.
Prerequisite: MGT 445 and Pre/Corequisite: MGT 446 And Requisite: Senior Status.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MGT 455. Entrepreneurial Consulting. 3 Credit Hours.
Students review techniques, methods, and analytic frameworks of management consultants. Emphasis is on problems of small business, particularly start-ups. Consulting practice is provided through preparation of reports on written cases and guest speakers, as well as hands-on projects in actual business firms or start-ups.
Prerequisite: MGT 253 And MGT 354.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MGT 459. International and Multinational Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Foreign environment for overseas operations with a survey involving economics, political, and social constraints. The effects of overseas investments on foreign economies with emphasis on the emerging managerial structures is included.
Requisite: Must be in the Business School or have a MGMT minor plan.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MGT 480. Leading Change. 3 Credit Hours.
The course is intended for students who are interested in learning about how to manage, plan, and implement large-scale change efforts within organizations. Part of the course is devoted to organizational analysis techniques and the remainder addresses behavioral intervention strategies (including survey feedback, technostructural interventions, and team building).
Requisite: Must be in the Business School or have a MGMT minor plan.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MGT 481. Leadership Practicum. 3 Credit Hours.
The Leadership Practicum requires having students observe (shadow) actual leaders to learn more about the respective leader's actual daily behaviors within his/her unique organizational context. Students will keep detailed journals containing field notes which they will then analyze based on the conceptual frameworks learned within the required course of the Leadership major.
Requisites: Senior status and Leadership majors only.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MGT 496. Directed Studies in Management. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project, or independent investigation of selected non-STEM related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MGT 497. Directed Studies in Management. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project or independent investigation of selected STEM-related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MGT 498. Special Topics in Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected non-STEM areas of Management.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MGT 499. Special Topics in Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected STEM areas of Management.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MGT 555. Management Departmental Honors Research Project. 3 Credit Hours.
Research project to fulfill requirements for Departmental Honors in Management.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MGT 600. Managing for Employee Engagement. 3 Credit Hours.
For Executive MBA students only. Course covers organizational behavior and utilizes cases and lectures to explore topics such as personality, motivation, leadership, group processes, organizational structure/design, and social responsibility.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MGT 602. Human Resource Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Modern human resource/capital management: job analysis and design, evaluation and appraisal, recruitment and interviewing, training and development, compensation and benefits, labor relations, employee engagement programs, human resource legislation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 603. Leading Teams. 3 Credit Hours.
The objectives of this course are to develop interpersonal communication and conflict management skills necessary to work in teams and/or exercise leadership in teams. Topics include team development, decision making, and diagnosing team process issues.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MGT 604. Design Thinking. 1 Credit Hour.
The purpose of this course is to impart students the principles of design thinking. Design thinking is an essential tool for understanding the customer, not just from a functional perspective but from an emotional one. Students will learn how to create an empathy map and a prototype. This is a hands-on learning experience that will challenge students to get out into the real world to talk to people and test their ideas.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MGT 605. Digital Global Strategy. 1 Credit Hour.
This course will explore various digital global strategy issues faced by international companies and new ventures, aiming at improving MBA students’ ability to think and act digitally and internationally. By focusing on the complex issues caused by digital globalization we seek to help our graduate students develop novel digital global strategies that would redefine how their companies pursue international expansion and manage geographically dispersed businesses in the digital age. This course will also offer insights into new ways of organizing and managing global business through digital connectivity so as to sharpen speed, flexibility, orchestration, and efficiency for both interfirm and intrafirm activities in various countries.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 606. Executing Growth Strategies. 2 Credit Hours.
This course has three key objectives. First, to help students understand key challenges in executing growth strategies in a digital age and how to develop analysis frameworks to identify such challenges. Second, to familiarize students with different modes of increasing or decreasing corporate scope and provide them with a toolkit to evaluate and compare such different modes. Third, to help students understand how behavioral biases, internal stakeholders, and external stakeholders influence growth strategy decisions and how to avoid potential pitfalls associated with such decisions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 607. Improving Business Processes. 1 Credit Hour.
Operations Management involves planning and coordination of all the activities – from acquisition of resources (outputs), through their transformation into products (outputs), and to their ultimate delivery to customers – in manufacturing, service, and non-profit organizations. To plan and coordinate these complex inter-connected activities, businesses employ operations managers at every level from first-level supervisors to Chief Operations Officers. Such managers face a wide variety of challenges in planning and executing operations strategies, and aligning them with the organization’s business goals. Adopting a process-based view of the business organization, this course will present some of the decision problems facing operations managers – such as process planning and capacity planning – as they pursue this strategic fit. Students will develop structured approaches to address these decision problems and then learn to apply these approaches in practical contexts through problem solving exercises, case studies, and simulations that emphasize experiential learning.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MGT 608. Leading with Insight. 2 Credit Hours.
This course consists of several topical areas that students should master in order to understand more about their personal abilities to effectively manage, lead, and motivate others. Class sessions focus on helping students develop critical thinking, a hands-on skill they will need to be effective as they maneuver interpersonal dynamics. Topics include employee/team personality assessments; perceptual biases and their impact on performance judgements; understanding motivational dynamics; controlling one’s own emotions, as well as understanding the effects of emotions on performance; learning about interpersonal conflict and how to manage the dynamics associated with the process; and developing an inclusive workplace and team.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 609. Leading with Introspection. 2 Credit Hours.
Leading with introspection is about understanding your leadership style and how you influence others. Effective leadership requires understanding of personality traits and behaviors. In this course, students will learn the skills necessary for leading followers, teams, and organizations. The development of trust is an essential aspect of leadership and will be emphasized. Understanding of negotiation in dependency situations and negotiation styles is featured. The course will also cover recent developments in leadership theory and research, including authenticity, ethical, and servant leadership. Applications of course concepts are encouraged through self-assessments and case studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MGT 610. Leading with Foresight. 2 Credit Hours.
Leading with foresight is needed in today's organizational environment that is volatile, uncertain, complex, and ambiguous (VUCA). Teams are one of the most important ways to respond to this environment. Effective teamwork requires breakthrough thinking, empowerment, and innovation. But, all too often, team leaders fail to support teams in ways that create the conditions for high performance. In this course, you will learn the skills necessary to lead high performance teams. The course will cover team basics, including team formation, team norms, and team development. The course will feature essentials of team leadership highlighting the importance of team creativity, team decision making, and virtual teams.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 611. Negotiating your Salary and Job Package. 1 Credit Hour.
Negotiating your salary and job package can be one of the most stressful times in your career. After all, it is your future on the line, and emotions run high. This course will focus on reflection on the negotiation skills you already have and building on them through readings, negotiation assessments, and two negotiation simulations in a salary negotiation context. Negotiation fundamentals will be reviewed and issues of gender, emotions, and subjective value are featured.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 612. Optimizing Operations under Uncertainty. 1 Credit Hour.
This course will focus on two important operational levers that managers have in matching supply with demand – inventory and capacity – as they pursue this strategic fit. Specifically, structured approaches to address decision problems that arise in the contexts of waiting lines and inventories will be developed, and then students will learn to apply these approaches in practical contexts through problem solving exercises, case studies, and simulations that emphasize experiential learning.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MGT 613. Strategy for Dynamic Environments. 2 Credit Hours.
This course helps students understand and analyze dynamic environments to facilitate formulation and implementation of adaptive strategy. Readings and cases are the foundation for robust discussion and debate that will help improve students' ability to think and act critically. Course material selection and sequence help illustrate business and corporate level strategy, and provide an understanding of how to create synergies by integrating actions across these levels. Experiential exercises illustrate cognitive challenges to developing innovative strategies, leveraging network relationships, and designing creative organizational structures to generate competitive advantage. Students will utilize frameworks and problem-solving techniques to develop critical thinking, vigorous analysis, and evaluation of alternatives.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MGT 616. Foundations in Management Consulting. 2 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide graduate students with an in depth exploration of the management consulting industry, being a professional consultant both internal and external to an organization, client relationship management and the consulting lifecycle used by top global consulting firms – on how to identify, diagnose, plan, solve problems, sell consulting work, use organizational management consulting methodologies, lead, project manage and close out consulting engagements.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 617. Leading Across Cultures. 2 Credit Hours.
This course examines what constitutes “effective” leadership across cultures. Skills and behaviors that are perceived as effective leadership in one culture are not necessarily those that will be effective in a different culture. By exploring the ways in which specific cultural values and leadership prototypes are seen across different cultures, students will be prepared for cross-cultural adjustment and effective leadership. These skills may be applied to work assignments in a culture that is not their own or to leading diverse followers in their home country. The goal of the course is to help prepare students for leadership in multicultural environments.
Prerequisites: MGT 600 or MGT 620 or MGT 651.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MGT 618. Leading Change in Organizations. 2 Credit Hours.
Charles Darwin aptly noted, "It is not the strongest species that survive, not the most intelligent, but the ones who are most responsive to change." The primary goal of this course is to help you learn how to lead and manage the challenges associated with organizational change processes. Together we will identify the opportunities that require change programs; discuss ways to overcome the inevitable obstacles to change; learn how to build successful coalitions to support change efforts; analyze strategies for implementing change; and examine ways to consolidate the results of such efforts to ensure that changes are sustainable over time.
Prerequisites: MGT 600 or MGT 620 or MGT 651.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 619. Leading with Power and Influence. 2 Credit Hours.
One of the realities of organizational life is that people continually attempt to control the actions of others and to successfully influence their behavior. This reality leads to a wide array of organizational activities aimed at enhancing one's own or one's group's personal agendas. This course focuses on preparing graduates for the challenges and "realities" they will ultimately face as leaders. Given that most students will eventually be leading the efforts of others, it is essential that they understand how to acquire power and, within ethical bounds, exercise influence.
Prerequisites: MGT 600 or MGT 620 or MGT 651.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 620. Managing Through People. 2 Credit Hours.
This core course in the MBA program introduces students to some of the key behavioral topics necessary to manage oneself and others in organizations. Specifically, the topics covered include individual attributes (personality, perception, motivation, relationship building), group processes (norms, roles, and team basics), leadership views, and organizational culture/change. An understanding of the relationship between each of these areas and organizational outcomes is enhanced through lecture, cases, and interactive exercises.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 621. High Performance Leadership. 2 Credit Hours.
Leadership skills are critical for high performing organizations. Course utilizes lecture, cases, exercises, self-assessments, and contemporary reading materials to present leadership approaches that both motivate and enable employees to perform beyond normal or ordinary expectations. Topics include followership and organizational culture, power, influence, rewards and punishments, path-goal and exchange theories, participation and empowerment, charismatic and transformational leadership, and contingency and cognitive resources theory.
Requisite: Master of Science in Management Studies Students Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 622. High Performance Teams. 2 Credit Hours.
This elective course highlights how to manage and construct effective teams to achieve strategic goals. Team-based organizations have been created to enhance organizational performance. The benefits of effective team leadership are performance beyond expectations and enhancement of learning for employees. Topics covered include team decision-making, team leadership, diversity in teams, conflict resolution, and team creativity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 623. Human Resource Systems. 2 Credit Hours.
Leaders must manage their human resource assets effectively to achieve high performance organizations. Course topics include recruitment and selection of high performance employees, designing performance appraisal systems, implementing policies to satisfy legal issues impacting human resources, and instituting training/development systems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 624. Negotiation Strategies. 2-3 Credit Hours.
This course is a skills-based approach to learning the art and science of negotiation. Negotiation is a core management competency; these skills are increasingly necessary for leaders in business, non-profits, small businesses and other organizations. This course will cover preparation, and negotiation skills such as establishing trust and relationship-building. Topics covered include power, persuasion, creativity and problem-solving, ethics and cross-cultural negotiation. Skills and self-insight will be acquired through self-assessment, role-play negotiation exercises and case studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MGT 625. Entrepreneurship: Creating New Ventures. 2 Credit Hours.
This is a two-credit course for MBA students (only). The course is designed to help students understand the basic essentials for creating a new venture. Among some of the topics covered will be: preparation of a business plan, securing sources of capital, choosing and creating appropriate distribution channels, and understanding the complexities of selecting a management team. Students will be required to critique and develop business plans as a key evaluation component for this course.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 628. Global Entrepreneurship. 4 Credit Hours.
This seminar-type course is an advanced elective specially designed for graduate students either interested in starting their own firms or developing the skills with which to submit business plans within the corporate world (i.e., corporate entrepreneurship) in today’s global, interdependent economy. Students will learn to assess the new venture opportunities that he/she may have considered and choose the one that seems most attractive and viable and develop a unique business model which enhances the plan's viability in the short term, and ensures the development of sustainable advantages in the long term. Each student will draft a comprehensive business plan after working on its functional components (e.g., marketing, finance, human and intellectual capital plans) to be developed throughout nine classes and several individual meetings along the program’s academic calendar. At the end, students will present their business plans to a panel of new venture investors who will assess all projects, give individual feedback, and choose the best project(s).

Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MGT 630. Designing Organizations, Jobs, and Lives. 2 Credit Hours.
Organizations, like machines, are complex systems comprised of interconnected parts and like machines they need care and maintenance in order to function well. In this course we will think about various aspects of organizations and jobs within those organizations that need to be consciously designed (and re-designed intermittently) and consider the trade-offs for both the organization and its employees inherent in these design choices. Prerequisite: MGT 620.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MGT 631. Leading With Emotional Intelligence. 2 Credit Hours.
Emotional Intelligence is one
Prerequisite: MGT 620.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MGT 642. Supply Chain Analytics. 2-3 Credit Hours.
This course studies key decision areas in supply chain design and operation. Students will learn what data are needed and how to use data to measure supply chain performance. They will also learn to apply various tools and methods to analyze trends, extract knowledge and business intelligence, and make decisions. Through the analysis and discussion of case studies, they will get useful insights on how to optimize the value of supply chain processes and operations, to streamline the goals and to design flexible supply chains.
Prerequisite: MAS 632 or MAS 641.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MGT 643. Principles of Operations Management. 2 Credit Hours.
Introduction to operations management, forecasting, process analysis, aggregate planning, capacity management, waiting line management, system design, quality management, and inventory management.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 645. Principles of Supply Chain Management. 2 Credit Hours.
Course introduces students to the business discipline of Supply Chain Management (SCM) which centers on concepts and techniques that enables firms to better coordinate material and information flows, and non-material activities associated with logistical and marketing processes that occur within and across organizations. Course also discusses concepts and recent influential innovations in SCM (e.g., Cross-Docking, Vendor Managed Inventory (VMI), Third-Party Logistics (3PL), Efficient Consumer Response (ECR), and Quick Response (QR)).

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MGT 646. Sustainable Supply Chains. 2-3 Credit Hours.
This course analyzes problems and solutions associated with building sustainable supply chains. Students will study how to design a supply chain so as to maximize the cost of monitoring suppliers for compliance with sustainability initiatives. The course will develop optimal formal/informal incentive contracts for promoting investment by suppliers in sustainable capital and equipment, including product testing equipment. Supply chain problems such as the hold-up problem, delegation vs. control of suppliers' sustainability practices, and supplier auditing are considered in the context of developing sustainable supply chains. Sustainability issues associated with suppliers in developing countries are also considered, including private versus state owned suppliers and the degree of enforcement of local regulations.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 651. Behavioral and Organizational Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of relevant concepts, research findings, and pragmatic implications of the behavioral sciences for the management of complex socio-technical systems.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 653. Deriving Competitive Advantage through Operations. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to major managerial decision problems and processes of operations management. Topics include the design of operations, planning, quality control, resource allocation, and integration of operations management with the other functional areas.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 655. Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
Course addresses the fundamentals of research in business including exploratory designs, correlational and multivariate designs, experimental and non-experimental studies, measurement theory, internal and external validity considerations, and ethical requirements in conducting organizational research.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MGT 656. Seminar: Organizational Behavior. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminar addresses the current research and theoretical foundations in organizational behavior. Topics include individual attributes, job attitudes, leadership, motivation, and group processes.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MGT 658. Innovative Business Strategies for Future Leaders. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will explore critical strategic management and business policy issues faced by executives and managers in dynamic environments, aiming to improve their ability to think, plan and act strategically. Emphasis will be placed on critically evaluating internal resources and external environments, formulating viable business-level and corporate-level strategies, mapping optimal business models and solutions, and pursuing entrepreneurial opportunities and innovation so that their firms, established or nascent, can achieve sustainable competitive advantages and desirable performance in an increasingly interconnected yet complex business world.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 659. Management of Multinational Enterprise. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of the management tasks confronting managers operating in the international arena presented from both an environmental and an operational perspective. Alternatives for overall corporate policy and strategy that accommodate global operations is also included.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 660. Leadership and Motivation in Organizations. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics pertaining to leadership, motivation, and individual processes are surveyed through selected readings, class discussions, and a guided research project. Students' ability to conceptualize, integrate, and apply diverse approaches to the leadership and motivation of people in organizations is emphasized.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MGT 661. Influence, Power and Politics in Organizations. 3 Credit Hours.
One of the basic realities of organizational life is that people continually attempt to control the actions of others and to successfully influence their behavior. This reality leads to a wide array of organizational politics aimed at enhancing one’s own or one’s group’s personal agendas. This course focuses on preparing graduate business students for the challenges and “realities” they will ultimately face as managers. Given that most business students will eventually be leading the efforts of others, it is essential that they understand how to acquire power and exercise power within ethical bounds.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MGT 667. Leadership for Sustainable Organizations. 2-3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the essentials of front-line leadership in sustainability, from integrating sustainability into an organization, executing organizational strategy, and committing to it for a lifetime. It is an exploration of the most prominent issues in the field of leading for sustainability; for example, leader traits required to promote and support change, how to deal with real world constraints, and ethical considerations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 675. Business Policy and Strategy. 2 Credit Hours.
The objectives of the course are to improve the student’s ability to think strategically and to provide an intellectual framework that enhances understanding of the MBA program. The course focuses on relationships among the firm, its strategy, and its environment; why firms choose certain businesses; which business strategies are successful; and how firms can change in response to a dynamic environment. Models for strategic formulation, implementation, and control are developed that facilitate an integrated understanding of the courses that comprise the MBA curriculum. Readings and lectures illustrate strategic management theories and frameworks while case discussions, experiential exercises, and team projects provide opportunities for application.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 677. Corporate Strategy and Organization. 2 Credit Hours.
This capstone course focuses on the perspective and skills of the general manager. Its purpose is to provide practice in diagnosing and identifying realistic solutions to complex strategic and organizational problems. Course builds on previous coursework by providing an opportunity to integrate various functional areas by providing a total business perspective. Since the course focus is on pragmatic, action-oriented general management skills, the course is taught primarily through the case method and requires both written analyses and case presentations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 679. Entrepreneurial Mergers & Acquisitions. 0-2 Credit Hours.
This course explores the evolving world of mergers & acquisitions (M&A) from the perspective of both buyers and sellers. We will examine the process itself – including the role of advisors, due diligence, and post-closing steps – as well as develop a framework for assessing value and risk. Our primary focus will be on the strategic rationale, or thesis, behind any M&A deal. By the end of the course, students should be comfortable with M&A terminology, analytical tools, valuation methodologies, and the business logic employed by successful buyers and sellers. Our approach will rely heavily on microeconomic analysis and a sophisticated understanding of incentives (and their unintended consequences). As the class progresses, you will learn how to effectively negotiate a deal, craft a strategic plan for either acquisition or sale, and formulate an effective due diligence outline as a buyer.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

MGT 680. Doing Business in China. 2 Credit Hours.
This course explores various business and management issues faced by international executives who are interested or active in various industries and markets in China, aiming to improve their understanding of this largest emerging market in the world. Several case studies of business organizations and industries are used throughout the course. Emphasis on the course material and class discussions on critical thinking, solutions to problems, and evaluating different options.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MGT 681. Essentials of Health Care Management and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course develops an understanding of the basic elements of the health services industry in the United States. A systems approach will be used utilizing a historical perspective as a basis and moving on to current and potential future system dynamics. The various components of the health care system will be examined, including physician services, hospital and hospital systems, long-term care providers, mental health services, and pharmaceutical services. Various elements associated with the financing of health services will be examined as well as indemnity insurance, capitation, and the role of managed care and consumer-driven health care in theory and practice. The role of government and its impact on our health care system will be explored as well.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MGT 682. Issues in Health Care Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
A seminar on current problems and issues in health care administration.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MGT 684. Analysis of Health Care Delivery and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines theoretical and operational incentive structures which guide health care consumers, providers and health care organization toward decisions both efficient and inefficient.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

MGT 685. Economic Models in Operations and Supply Chain Management. 3 Credit Hours.
In this course we will study the academic literature that is based on analytical models of supply chain and channel management. In particular we will be concerned with models that capture the economics that govern the interaction among the firms in a supply chain/distribution channel. Since this topic is of interest to both the marketing and operations management communities, we will draw upon readings from both areas. One of our objectives will be to identify opportunities for building bridges between these two bodies of knowledge.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 686. Optimization Models for Operations and Supply Chain Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed primarily for advanced graduate students who are interested in research on supply chain and operations management, focusing on the study of (deterministic) optimization models to support system design, planning, and operational decisions. The course complements other related doctoral courses such as those on economic models for supply chain and operations management.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MGT 687. Health Care Organization, Economics, and Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
Course provides the student insight into organizational and behavioral aspects of the various sectors and agents within the health care industry and understanding of how such aspects in turn affect performance measured in terms of both economic and ethical criteria.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MGT 688. Individual and Interpersonal Processes. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic Overview of many topics relevant to studying individuals and dyads in organizations. Course will introduce students to a variety of topics related to individual and interpersonal differences, processes, and behaviors in organizations. Students will begin to see how to link research designs with a theoretical framework for empirical testing.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MGT 689. Doctoral Seminar in Leadership and Group Processes. 3 Credit Hours.
This seminar examines the theory and research that focuses individual leadership and examines implications for individual and group behaviors as well as bridging the micro-macro divide. You will perform a critical in-depth examination of the primary research literature, focusing on appropriateness of design, analysis, interpretation, contribution and future research directions.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MGT 690. Sustainable Business Operations: Value Creation and Environmental Considerations. 3 Credit Hours.
This doctoral level course is intended to familiarize students who are not environmental specialists with relevant facts and analyses on sustainable evolution: What are the key concepts? What is at stake? Who are the key stakeholders? Who is leading the way in reshaping operations strategies as well as public policy? What are some key lessons learned from successes and failures to integrate the environmental component? Specifically, the course will draw extensively from the rich literature in supply chain operations, international business and marketing on how firms interact with one another to create and offer sustainable products and services to consumers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MGT 691. International Management. 2 Credit Hours.
Course is designed to provide an overview of management problems and issues for organizations and executives operating internationally. Students learn how multinational enterprises are different, why they behave as they do, and how to apply management principles to problem-solving in such contexts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 692. Theories in Management and Organization. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an in-depth review of major theories in the broad field of management and organization. It covers a multitude of management and organization theories that are derived not only from general management but from economics, sociology, ecology, and the like. The course will use several techniques, including lectures, article presentations and discussions, theory development, research project, and manuscript preparation. By the end of the term, students are expected to understand the central notions of each theory being discussed, comment on various arguments in these theories, improve the skills in applying these theories to their specific research questions, and sharpen their ability to develop theoretical models.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MGT 693. Theories and Research in Global Strategic Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide doctoral students an in-depth review of major theories, paradigms, and perspectives in global strategy and international business. We’ll also explore how to apply existing theories and perspectives to new contextual settings, such as emerging markets and outsourcing. Furthermore, we’ll do all this while reading and critiquing the major branches and works within the strategic management and international business literature. The course is intended for doctoral students in business or related fields. There are no formal prerequisites for the course although some basic knowledge of global business is expected.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MGT 694. Ph.D. Seminar in Strategic Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide doctoral students an in-depth review of major theories, perspectives, and methods in strategic management. The course is intended for doctoral students in business or related fields.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MGT 695. Ph.D. Seminar in Emerging Market Research. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide doctoral students an in-depth review and study of major theories, perspectives, methods, findings, and future research issues in business and management involving emerging economies. It encompasses both macro- (e.g., strategic management, international business, entrepreneurship) and micro- (e.g., culture, human resources management, leadership, and organizational behavior) levels.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MGT 698. Selected Topics. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Topics in selected areas of specialization.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MGT 699. Directed Study. 0-6 Credit Hours.
Individually supervised research project in selected field of management. Approval of supervising professor of the topic/scope of work/evaluation is required prior to registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MGT 825. Comprehensive Test Preparation. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Doctoral students who are preparing for their qualifying examinations may use this course designation. Enrolled students must develop, with the approval of their advisor, a "Plan of Study" for these credits.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MGT 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Course is required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student enrolls for credit as determined by his/her advisor.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Management Science (MAS)

MAS 105. Quantitative Methods in Business I. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides a background in algebra, linear equations, matrices, quadratic, exponential, and logarithmic functions appropriate for the successful understanding, interpretation, and use of these concepts and their application to business and economics within the Business School curriculum and in career endeavors. The course also provides an introduction to the mathematics of finance, interest rates, discounting of future returns, and linear programming.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAS 110. Quantitative Applications in Business. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of algebra emphasizing its application to supply and demand functions, market equilibrium, compound interest, and amortization. Differential calculus emphasizing its applications to marginal cost and revenue functions, maximization in competitive markets, and elasticity of demand are discussed. The application of integral calculus to total cost and profit of demand, to total cost and profit functions, consumer’s and producer’s surplus, computation of present value, and constrained optimization using partial differentiation are also included.
Requisite: Bus Schl and Prerequisite: ALEKS score >= 76, or SAT MATH score >=700, or SAT Math Section Score >= 730, or ACT Math score >= 31, or score of 4 AP Calculus (AB), or score of 3 in AP Calculus (BC) or MTH 108, or MTH 107 with a grade of C- or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAS 201. Introduction to Business Statistics. 3 Credit Hours.
Data analysis and presentation, cross tabulations, descriptive statistical measures, probability, sampling, statistical inference, hypothesis testing for one and two populations, covariance and correlation analysis. Utilization of microcomputer statistical packages is also included.
Prerequisites: MAS 110 or MTH 130 or MTH 141 or MTH 151 or MTH 161 or MTH 171.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAS 202. Intermediate Business Statistics. 3 Credit Hours.
Chi-squared goodness of fit tests, and contingency tables, analysis of variance, simple linear regression, multiple regression, time series, forecasting, statistical methods of quality. Utilization of microcomputer statistical packages, case analyses, and presentations are also included.
Prerequisite: MAS 201 or MAS 311 or MTH 224 or IEN 311 or PSY 291 or PSY 292 and Requisite: Business School.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAS 311. Applied Probability and Statistics. 3 Credit Hours.
Descriptive statistics, basic probability, probability distributions, distribution theory, point and interval estimation, and single sample hypothesis testing.
Prerequisite: MTH 162 or MTH 172. Or Corequisites: MTH 162 or MTH 172 including equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAS 312. Statistical Methods and Quality Control. 3 Credit Hours.
Two sample hypothesis testing, simple and multiple regression, analysis of variance, design of experiments, and statistical quality control.
Prerequisite: MAS 311 or IEN 311 or Equivalent and Requisite: Business School.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MAS 332. Data Acquisition, Preparation and Visualization. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an in depth view of working with data to extract and present valuable information. Students will learn to collect, clean, manipulate, analyze, and visualize data from various sources correctly and efficiently. Through hands-on application, students will gain an understanding of what problems can occur when dealing with a variety of data and what solutions exist. Computing is a major component of this course, and students will learn a number of in-demand technical skills.
Prerequisite: MAS 202 or MAS 312.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAS 342. Introduction to Optimization and Decision Making. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces the principles and techniques of applied mathematical programming and computational methods for managerial decision-making. Computer software will be used extensively to solve both small-scale and large-scale optimization problems. The course covers theory and applications of Linear Programming, Mixed Integer Programming, Binary Programming, Non-linear Programming, Network Optimization.
Prerequisite: MAS 201 or MAS 311.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAS 352. Sports Analytics. 3 Credit Hours.
In this course students investigate questions that sports organizations face in business operations (ticketing, pricing, sales, and finance), and in team operations (scouting, coaching, and player personnel). Students will learn statistical and machine learning techniques such as mixed-effects regression models, random forests, neural networks, clustering, and support vector machines. Focus of the course will be on data management, data visualization, predictive modeling, forecasting, as well as written and verbal communication of the results of analysis. The programming language R will be used extensively in this course.
Prerequisite: MAS 332.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAS 362. Data Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to the analysis of various data types, with an emphasis on interpreting and communicating results. The course begins with linear regression modeling of normally distributed outcomes, and extends the concepts to other important data types frequently encountered in practice. Students will gain a firm understanding of a wide range of statistical models, when each is appropriate, and how to implement, interpret, and communicate results.
Prerequisite: MAS 202 or MAS 312 or IEN 312 or equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAS 432. Stochastic Models in Operations Research. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to probabilistic models and their applications. Topics include inventory theory, stochastic processes (queueing systems, Markov chains), and computer simulation. Lecture, 3 hours.
Prerequisite: MAS 311 or IEN 311 or equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAS 496. Directed Studies in Business Analytics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project, or independent investigation of selected non-STEM related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAS 497. Directed Studies in Business Analytics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project or independent investigation of selected STEM-related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MAS 498. Special Topics in Business Analytics. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected non-STEM areas of Business Analytics.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAS 499. Special Topics in Business Analytics. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected STEM areas of Business Analytics.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAS 547. Computer Simulation Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to discrete-event computer simulation and hands-on development of simulation models. Topics include introduction to queuing theory, input and output analysis, random number generation, and variance reduction techniques. Students practice their modeling skills using commercial state-of-the-art simulation software. Assigned readings of real-life simulation projects complement the material learned in the classroom. Lecture, 3 hours.
Prerequisite: MAS 311 or IEN 311 or equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAS 548. Data Mining and Knowledge Acquisition. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to the principles and techniques of data mining. Topics covered include the data mining process, data preprocessing, data mining techniques and data mining evaluation. The course will involve a combination of lectures, labs, projects and case studies.
Prerequisite: MAS 432.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAS 549. Big Data Analytics. 3 Credit Hours.
As firms have the ability to access and store large amounts of customer and business data, they are faced with the complexities associated with Big Data. This class will discuss the challenges and potential solutions in working with Big Data through use cases and applications. Hands-on tools and methodologies that are needed when handling, visualizing, and/or analyzing Big Data to solve business critical questions will be presented.
Prerequisite: MAS 332 and MAS 432.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAS 550. Management Science Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Student is individually assigned to operating business firm or other organization to gain insight into management practice in area of career interest. Periodic reports and conferences are required. Permission of department chair is required prior to registration.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAS 551. Business Analytics Capstone. 3 Credit Hours.
The goal of the Business Analytics Capstone course is to apply the skills learned throughout the undergraduate degree in Business Analytics to a single data analytics project. Students will work in groups on a project assigned to them by the instructor. Project topics will vary depending on availability, but reasonable efforts will be made to match projects with student interest. The project will expose students to the entire spectrum of Business Analytics; from initiating a project and defining the scope and goals, to data collection, cleaning, and exploration, to modeling and suggesting recommendations based on results. Along the way, students will practice effectively communicating with stakeholders who may or may not be familiar with the complex analytical methods implemented.
Prerequisite: MAS 332 and MAS 342 and MAS 432.
Components: EXP.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAS 555. Management Science Departmental Honors Research Project. 3 Credit Hours.
Research project to fulfill requirements for Departmental Honors in Management Science.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MAS 601. Applied Regression Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory and practical application of regression modeling and analysis. Understanding the role and responsibility of a statistician is also included.
Prerequisite: MAS 631.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAS 610. Statistical Analysis for Managerial Decision Making. 3 Credit Hours.
Data analysis, probability concepts, distributions, sampling, estimation, hypothesis testing, simple and multiple regression and correlation analysis.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAS 611. Principles of Quality Management. 3 Credit Hours.
The definition of quality management, its history, and comparison of various schools of thought. An introduction to the theories of systems, variation, knowledge, and psychology as they relate to quality management. Deming’s fourteen points for management are studied through examples and cases.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAS 612. Advanced Quantitative Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
The application of probability theory to the formulation and analysis of mathematical models for decision making. Applications are taken from inventory control, forecasting, waiting lines, quality control, production, and operations management.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAS 617. Statistics and Data Analysis. 2 Credit Hours.
This course deals with introductory business statistics, as well as data acquisition, preparation, and visualization. It will introduce computer software to extract data and present information to stakeholders. Students will learn SQL for querying databases, as well as Tableau for creating quick visuals and interactive dashboards. We will also cover basic visualization capabilities in Excel and essential data-related concepts such as looking at data in a critical way to identify curious behaviors, and understanding basic data requirements and what to do when you do not have the exact data you need.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAS 627. Programming for Data Analytics. 2-3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide an introduction to various programming languages useful in data analytics. Topics covered will include cleaning, manipulating, exploring and visualizing data, as well as communicating results and reproducibility. While this course will cover wide range of topics in detail, students are not expected to have prior experience with any languages covered throughout the course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAS 628. Introduction to Accounting Analytics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to applications of data analytics techniques in accounting which includes: financial reporting, managerial accounting, taxation, and auditing.
Prerequisite: ACC 301. And ACC 402. And ACC 403.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAS 629. SAS Programming for Business Analytics. 2 Credit Hours.
SAS (Statistical Analysis System) is considered a world leader in business analytics software. This course provides the student with the tools necessary to program in SAS at an intermediate level necessary for data scientists in many Fortune 500 companies in the pharmaceutical, financial, manufacturing and health care industries. The course begins with an introduction to Base SAS software, including the reading, manipulation and transformation of data. Techniques for restructuring data files, merging and concatenating data sets, creating summary reports as well as the utilization of basic statistical procedures will comprise the first half of the course. The middle of the course will focus on intermediate SAS skills for Data Management. The topics include error checking, report generation, date and time processing, PROC SQL, SAS Graph, SAS Macros, and the ODS (Output Delivery System) for production quality output. The last third of the course will include SAS statistical procedures most often utilized by data analysts and covered in the SAS Certified Statistical Business Analyst Credential.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MAS 630. Quality Management in Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
This course presents administrative systems necessary for an organization or an individual to pursue quality management. The course presents a functional model for quality management.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAS 631. Statistics for Managerial Decision Making. 2 Credit Hours.
This course aims to familiarize the student with statistical theory, tools, and methods required for business systems analysis and improvement. Topics include descriptive methods, elementary probability, random variables and the distributions, hypothesis testing, confidence intervals, statistical modeling, and regression.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAS 632. Management Science Models for Decision Making. 2 Credit Hours.
This course aims to familiarize the student with Management Science tools for business systems analysis and improvement. The coverage includes linear and integer programming models, project management, simulation, queuing, and decision analysis. Some widely used software are illustrated through examples and case studies derived from business applications.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAS 633. Introduction to Quality Management. 2 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the major elements of Dr. Deming's theory of management, including Dr. Deming's System of Profound Knowledge and Fourteen Points for Management. Additionally, participants are introduced to "Six Sigma" tools and methods. These tools and methods have been adopted with great success by many of the largest organizations in the world, for example, General Electric, Allied Signal, Dupont, American Express, and J.P. Morgan. Additionally, the course is a prerequisite for the "Six Sigma" Green Belt certification examination.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAS 634. Administrative Systems for Quality Management. 2 Credit Hours.
This course presents a model to pursue quality management (QM). It features administrative systems and structures necessary for Quality Management. The administrative systems and structures presented in this course are required to sit for the Six Sigma Management "Green Belt" certification examination.
Prerequisite: MAS 633.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAS 635. Design of Experiments. 2 Credit Hours.
This course presents tools and methodology useful in conducting experiments that provide valid answers to questions of interest to the experimenter. The course discusses an overall approach to obtaining and analyzing experimental data, the advantages of using structured multi factor experiments to screen for important factors, ways of minimizing the amount of data points needed to obtain desired information, and how to identify values of experimental factors that optimize the value of measured responses. Factorial designs, fractional factorial designs, screening designs, and response surface designs are presented. Emphasis is placed on the knowledge required for proper application of these methods through many examples in business and quality management.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAS 636. Dashboard Tools for Visual Analytics. 2 Credit Hours.
This course teaches modern analytic tools for visual analytics and dashboarding to monitor and improve business processes. Students will learn to identify and communicate key performance measures visually and in an interactive manner accessible to everyday business stakeholders.
Prerequisite: MAS 631.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MAS 637. Applied Regression Analysis I. 2 Credit Hours.
This course aims to familiarize the student with statistical prediction. It covers simple and multiple regression methods as well as time series and forecasting models in business. Instead of theoretical development, the course emphasizes the application of these methods in business systems analysis and improvement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAS 638. Business Analytics Consulting. 2 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this course is to enhance students' consulting skills in management science. In addition to skills of modeling and choosing appropriate tools for analysis, these include the communication skills of presenting quantitative and analytical material in business settings. The course is structured around a set of case studies that are based on real applications of management science models and methods discussed in MAS 631 and MAS 632.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAS 639. Data Acquisition, Preparation, and Visualization. 2 Credit Hours.
This course teaches using statistical computing software to get a better understanding of what problems can occur (and what solutions exist) when dealing with a variety of data types and sources. It will also discuss how to address data visualization and how to leverage current methods and software to best communicate with results and decision with stakeholders.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAS 640. Applied Time Series Analysis and Forecasting. 2 Credit Hours.
Time series data occur when a single experimental unit or process is observed repeatedly over time. Data of this type are common in finance and economics. Statistical methods that assume independence are inappropriate for time series data. This course will provide the students with the basic theory and tools for the statistical analysis and interpretation of time series data. Broadly, the methods may be categorized into time-domain and frequency-domain methods. Time-domain methods develop explicit models for the evolution of a process over time. Frequency-domain methods equivalently model the correlation structure of the time series. Other topics include methods for model-based estimation, model selection, diagnostics, forecasting, and computing as they relate to time series analysis.
Prerequisites: MAS 637 or MAS 601.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAS 641. Operations Research Models in Management. 3 Credit Hours.
The application of Operations Research techniques in Management. Topics include linear programming, PERT/CPM, queuing theory, forecasting, inventory models, statistical quality control, decision theory, and Simulation.
Prerequisites: MAS 631 and MAS 632, and MAS 637, and MAS 639.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAS 642. Supply Chain Analytics. 2-3 Credit Hours.
This course studies key decision areas in supply chain design and operation. Students will learn what data are needed and how to use data to measure supply chain performance. They will also learn to apply various tools and methods to analyze trends, extract knowledge and business intelligence, and make decisions. Through the analysis and discussion of case studies, they will get useful insights on how to optimize the value of supply chain processes and operations, to streamline the goals and to design flexible supply chains.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAS 646. Applied Regression Analysis II. 2 Credit Hours.
This is a second course in regression modeling, extending the concept of linear regression for use with non-normal data such as binary, count, or time-to-event data. We will discuss estimation, inference, and model diagnostics with an emphasis on using statistical software to fit models and interpret the results. Topics covered include logistic regression for binary data, various extensions of logistic regression to multinomial data, Poisson regression for count data, and proportional hazards regression for time-to-event or survival data.
Prerequisite: MAS 601. Or MAS 637. With a Grade B or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MAS 647. Computer Simulation Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to discrete-event computer simulation and hands-on development of simulation models. Topics include introduction to queuing theory, input and output analysis, random number generation, and variance reduction techniques. Students practice their modeling skills using commercial state-of-the-art simulation software. Assigned readings of real-life simulation projects complement the material learned in the classroom. Lecture, 3 hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAS 648. Machine Learning for Data Analytics I. 2 Credit Hours.
Data Mining encompasses finding meaningful and useful trends in data. The meaningful part depends on the application and even the specific data set you are using. Another definition that can be used is that data mining is the application of statistical machine learning techniques to find these trends. Our focus in this course will be on the development and use of traditional and cutting edge data mining/machine learning techniques and their applications across a spectrum of data sets. The topics we will cover are in supervised learning (regression, classification), unsupervised learning (clustering, principal components analysis, factor analysis, etc), and if time permits semi-supervised learning and recommendation systems. Prerequisite: MAS 601. Or MAS 637. With a Grade B or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAS 649. Big Data Analytics. 2 Credit Hours.
As firms have the ability to access and store large amounts of customer and business data, they are faced with the complexities associated with Big Data. Big Data refers to very large data sets that can be analyzed to reveal important patterns, trends, and associations, especially relating to customer behaviors and business processes. This class will discuss the changes that are needed when handling, visualizing, and/or analyzing Big Data to solve business critical questions. Prerequisite: MAS 601. Or MAS 637. And MAS 639. with a Grade B or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAS 650. Business Analytics Internship. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Student is individually assigned to operating business firm or other organization to gain insight into management practice in area of career interest. Periodic reports and conferences are required. Permission of department chair is required prior to registration.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAS 651. Machine Learning for Data Analytics II. 2 Credit Hours.
This course aims to introduce recent advanced analytical techniques developed from the Statistical, Data Mining and Machine Learning communities, These techniques have become widely used by Business Analysts and Data Scientists to address complex decision-making problems in numerous industries. This course is designed to provide students with a practical understanding of some of the most powerful Machine Learning methods used by today's Data Analysts. Specifically, students will become familiar with supervised and unsupervised learning and apply these techniques to the numerous data-driven applications in predictive analytics. Prerequisite: MAS 648. with a Grade B or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAS 652. Business Analytics Capstone Project. 2-4 Credit Hours.
including data collection and analysis. The description of the problem in question, the approach used to address it, and the findings obtained by the group are to be described in formal written reports. The reports will be evaluated both on their quantitative value and on the quality of the writing. Prerequisites: MAS 631 and MAS 632, and MAS 637, and MAS 639.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAS 663. Project Management and Modeling. 2 Credit Hours.
This course considers the various methods, techniques, and software tools of project management and modeling with special emphasis on real estate projects and development. Topics include: project selection and strategy, risk assessment, conflict and negotiation, budgets, costs, and resource allocation, monitoring and information systems, project control and auditing, and project closure. The course is designed to show the integration of the various roles of owners, developers, builders, architects, and engineers in the project management process.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MAS 680. Spatial Statistics. 3 Credit Hours.
Spatial data commonly arise from many fields including business, ecological and health studies. Such data are often spatially correlated which poses challenges to both estimation and statistical inference. We will discuss advanced techniques to tackle the spatial correlation. Topics including variogram estimation, spatial prediction, spatial point pattern analysis, estimating function based methods, and others. Real data examples will be used to motivate and illustrate the use of these methods.
Prerequisite: ECO 520.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAS 681. Statistical Machine Learning. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces statistical aspects of machine learning algorithms. The focus is on characterizing the generalization ability of machine learning algorithms in order to quantify their performance on new data. It covers fundamental techniques in statistical theoretical analysis, their applications in supervised and unsupervised learning algorithms, and their applications in statistical and computational tradeoffs in non-convex optimizations.
Prerequisite: ECO 520. And ECO 620. Or MAS 601. with a Grade B or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAS 691. Topics in Business Analytics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics in selected areas of specialization.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAS 692. Topics in Management Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics in selected areas of specialization.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAS 693. Directed Study in Business Analytics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Investigation and research in special areas of interest. Offered by special arrangement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAS 695. Directed Study in Operations Research. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Investigation and research in special areas of interest. Offered by special arrangement.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAS 696. Directed Study in Statistics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Investigation and research in special areas of interest. Offered by special arrangement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAS 699. Directed Study. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Offered by special arrangement.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAS 720. Research in Residence. 0 Credit Hours.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master's degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in MAS 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAS 725. Continuous Registration--Master's Study. 0 Credit Hours.
To establish residence for non-thesis master's students who are preparing for major examinations. Credit not granted. Regarded as full time residence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MAS 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAS 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor but not for less than a total of 24. Not more than 12 hours of MAS 730 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session. Where a student has passed his/her (a) qualifying examinations, and (b) is engaged in an assistantship, he/she may still take the maximum allowable credit stated above.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAS 850. Research in Residence. 0 Credit Hours.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

Marine Geology and Geophysics (MGG)

MGG 686. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics related to Marine Geology and Geophysics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

Marine Science (MSC)

MSC 101. Survey of Oceanography. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the oceans and their significance to mankind, encompassing geological, physical, chemical, and biological processes; man's role in and on the sea, including fisheries, pollution, and ocean management. Not for major or minor.
NOT FOR ANY MSC STUDENT MAJOR OR MINOR.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MSC 102. Introduction to Weather and Climate. 3 Credit Hours.
The structure, physics, dynamics and thermodynamics of the atmosphere. Weather, weather forecasting, climate and climate change. Not for major or minor.
NOT FOR ANY MSC STUDENT MAJOR OR MINOR.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 103. Survey of Modern Meteorology. 3 Credit Hours.
Dynamics and thermodynamics of the atmosphere as they relate to contemporary issues in meteorology. Overview of numerical weather prediction techniques and new technologies for monitoring weather and climate. Open to all RSMAS majors and minors.
Requisite: Major or Minor in the Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science and Pre/Corequisite: MTH 108 or higher (MTH 108. Or MTH 113. Or MTH 140. Or MTH 141. Or MTH 161. Or MTH 171).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 104. Molecules of Life. 3 Credit Hours.
Molecules of Life explores the modern science of biological molecules, which occurs at the intersection of chemistry, biology, and medicine. We examine the major molecular components of the cell—proteins, nucleic acids, lipids, etc.—and illustrate the role of chemical principles in understanding their structure and function. Not for major or minor.
NOT FOR ANY MSC STUDENT MAJOR OR MINOR.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MSC 105. Shark Behavioral Ecology & Conservation. 3 Credit Hours.
SUMMER SCHOLARS PROGRAM ONLY. In this course, students will learn core concepts in shark behavioral ecology and key aspects of shark biology needed for the holistic understanding and study of shark behavioral ecology and conservation. NOT FOR MAJOR OR MINOR.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

MSC 106. Marine Mammal Biology and Conservation. 3 Credit Hours.
SUMMER SCHOLARS PROGRAM ONLY. The purpose of this class is to provide an introductory overview of basic biological concepts relevant to marine mammal taxonomy, physiology, natural history, behavior, and threats/conservation. This class will be dynamic, involving lectures, discussions, review of primary literature, career guidance, guest lectures, videos/movies, and field trips. NOT FOR MAJOR OR MINOR.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

MSC 107. Life in the Sea. 3 Credit Hours.
Lectures provide an introduction to the plants and animals of the sea, including plankton, nekton and the benthos, with anthropogenic impacts. Not for major or minors.
NOT FOR ANY MSC STUDENT MAJOR OR MINOR.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 108. Environmental Oceanography. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will focus on environmental issues facing the oceans today, including global climate destabilization, the impact of population growth on coastal environments, marine pollution, and the state of marine fisheries. An active learning approach will be adopted, with emphasis on case studies and critical analysis. Marine environmental issues will be presented in self-contained analytical exercises. Basic math needed to quantify environmental issues will be introduced. Information and questions on sustainability will be integrated throughout the course and students will be asked to think critically about these pressing concerns. Not for major or minor.
NOT FOR ANY MSC STUDENT MAJOR OR MINOR.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 111. Introduction to Marine Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Geological, physical, chemical and biological processes of the world's oceans. The role of the oceans in global dynamics and man's role in and on the sea, including fisheries, pollution and ocean management. Enrollment limited to Marine Science/Marine Affairs majors and minors. Lecture and discussion, 3 hours. Field trips.
Requisite: Marine Science Major or Minor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSC 112. Introduction to Marine Science Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory and field exercises to accompany Marine Science.
Pre/Corequisite: MSC 111. And Marine Science Major or Minor.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 115. Tropical Marine Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
A field and lecture study of selected marine environments around South Florida, with emphasis on the interaction between organisms and the geological, physical, and chemical environment. Summer Scholars Program Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.
MSC 121. Ocean Currents. 3 Credit Hours.
Ocean Currents will be a comprehensive, multi-disciplinary course on the history, geography, socio-economics, and physics of ocean currents. The importance of ocean currents to socioeconomics, weather, climate, transport of fish larvae and pollutants, distribution of plankton and fish, military operations, and shipping will be illustrated using many examples. The history of ocean current observations, detailed maps of ocean circulation and its variability, and the evolution of instruments, and theories from ancient to modern times will be detailed. The discovery and the most important observations of the major ocean currents will be discussed. There will be also lectures on modern ocean circulation theory. NON-MSC MAJORS ONLY
For non-MSC majors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSC 172. Special Topics in Marine Science. 2-6 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in class schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSC 180. Seminar in Marine Science. 1 Credit Hour.
Seminar in current research as conducted by Marine Science faculty and graduate students. This course is intended as an introduction for first year students to contemporary research topics.
Pre/Corequisite: MSC 111.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSC 190. Studies in Marine Science. 1-5 Credit Hours.
For transfer courses taken at other institutions that have no direct equivalents at UM
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MSC 191. Studies in Marine Policy. 1-5 Credit Hours.
For transfer courses taken at other institutions that have no direct equivalents at UM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MSC 203. Foundations of Computational Marine Science. 4 Credit Hours.
The course provides a basic introduction to Computational Marine Science. The course will use Python as a programming language and will illustrate its use in problem solving and exploratory data analysis in the Marine Sciences. Programming topics covered include the language syntax and construct, variables, flow control, functions, software design and object-oriented programming.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 204. Environmental Statistics. 3 Credit Hours.
This introductory course provides an overview of parametric and nonparametric statistics with an emphasis on applications in the analysis of environmental data. (Not open to students with credit in BIL311 or equivalent).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSC 205. Mathematical Methods for Marine Science. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is meant to provide students with the mathematical tools required to pursue advanced topics in Marine Science. Not available for credit for students with major or minor in Mathematics.
Prerequisite: MTH 162 Or MTH 172 And MSC 111.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 215. Chemical Oceanography. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the chemistry of the oceans. Descriptive chemical oceanography of the components of ocean waters (metals, gases, organic compounds and nutrients). Biogeochemical cycles in oceanic systems.
Prerequisite: MSC 111 and (CHM 112 or CHM 121).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSC 216. Chemical Oceanography Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Chemical and physical methods in chemical oceanography. Analytical and instrumental techniques used to determine density, salinity, chlorinity, dissolved oxygen, nutrients and components of the carbonate system. Corequisite: MSC 215.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSC 217. Physical and Chemical Processes in Coastal Ecosystems. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is primarily intended for students enrolled in the Marine Affairs program to serve as an introduction to the role of physical and chemical processes in estuarine and coastal ecosystems in the context of the management of estuarine and coastal waters. Students will provide reviews of case studies in preparation for future management decisions that will require knowledge of coastal physical and chemical processes. Prerequisites: MSC 111 AND MSC 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 218. Biological Oceanography. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will examine energy flow in marine ecosystems, the biogeochemical cycles that control them, the wide variety of types of communities and ecosystems in different parts of the ocean, and the changes they have undergone over geological timescales.
Prerequisite: MSC 111.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 220. Climate and Global Change. 3 Credit Hours.
The Earth's climate system and the role of natural and anthropogenic processes in shaping climate change.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSC 222. The Earth's Climate: Past and Future. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide undergraduate students majoring in geological sciences, as well as enthusiastic non-majors, with the foundation to better understand climate change on geological to human timescales. The natural processes that control the earth's climate will be discussed, with special attention to the climate of the Holocene, and the potential influence climate may have played on human civilizations. Finally, the expected climate shifts and feedbacks will be discussed based on the outcome of climate models for the next century.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSC 230. Introduction to Marine Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: (BIL 150 or BIL 160) and (CHM 111 or CHM 121).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSC 232. Introduction to Marine Biology Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Ecology, physiology, and behavior of marine organisms in south Florida marine habitats.
Pre/Corequisite: MSC 230, or BIL 230, and Prerequisite: BIL 151 or BIL 161.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 240. Introduction to Marine Geology. 3 Credit Hours.
The principal marine geological environments of the world, their substrate, their sediments, their flora and fauna, and their evolution through time.
Prerequisite: GSC 110 OR GSC 111 OR permission of instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MSC 300. Water Resources: History, Management, and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of the issues and problems surrounding the management of aquatic resources in the broadest sense including water quality of natural waters, drinking water, water pollution, water quantity and supply issues, watershed management, wetland protection, and coastal management. We will explore the available strategies to wisely manage the various aquatic resources, policy options and their socio-economic aspects, legal frameworks, and institutional arrangements.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSC 301. Introduction to Physical Oceanography. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of the laws of physics to the study of the properties and circulation of the world's oceans and atmosphere.
Prerequisite: MSC 111. And MTH 162. Or MTH 172.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSC 302. Introduction to Physical Oceanography Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory exercises and field work on basic fluid mechanics applicable to the ocean. These include buoyant convection and double diffusion, methods for measuring flows, gravity wave experiments in the lab and field, diffusion studies and rotating tank investigations as an analog for planetary flows.
Prerequisite: MSC 301 or ATM 405. Or Co-requisite: MSC 301 or ATM 405.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 310. Living Resources of the Ocean. 3 Credit Hours.
Marine fish and shellfish of major commercial and recreational value: biology, techniques of harvesting, and resource management.
Prerequisite: MSC 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 313. Coastal Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic doctrines and public policy related to the use and regulation of the United States coastal zone and seabed.
Junior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 314. Ocean Law. 3 Credit Hours.
The principles of international ocean law regarding ocean management; ocean delimitation and issues of environmental ocean regulation within international legal framework.
Junior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 316. Global Primary Production. 3 Credit Hours.
Photosynthesis supports the vast majority of life on planet earth. This course reviews the magnitude and the processes that shape primary production in terrestrial, oceanic, and freshwater habitats. It includes the fate of primary production in the earth's biomes, and the role of terrestrial and aquatic productivity in regulating, and responding to, variable climate.
Prerequisite: BIL 160.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSC 317. Earth's Biogeochemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Outstanding features of planet Earth, including its vast oceans, climate and atmosphere, are strongly impacted by life. Scientists investigate these impacts, such as ocean acidification, variable atmospheric CO2 concentrations, coastal anoxia, and permafrost melting, through their biogeochemical dynamics. The first part of the course covers the relevant microbial and chemical reactions that occur in the atmosphere, on land, in freshwaters and in the oceans. The second part links this mechanistic understanding to a large-scale, synthetic view of global biogeochemical cycles. These are considered in the context of global change.
Prerequisite: CHM 112 or CHM 121.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MSC 318. Ecological Genetics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide a thorough understanding of genetics (allele frequencies, heritability, recombination, QTL, the effect of migration and demography). Prerequisite: BIL150/151 AND BIL160/161
Pre/Corequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 160 and BIL 151 or BIL 152 or BIL 153 and BIL 161 or BIL 162.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 319. Research Fundamentals. 1 Credit Hour.
Research Fundamentals will provide an introduction to academic research methods including basic laboratory techniques, data analysis, and scientific communication. Students will read the primary literature and both analyze data and communicate results using multiple formats. The course emphasizes active learning (discussions, working with peers, writing, etc.) and is directed toward early stage undergraduate students interested in pursuing research.
Pre/Corequisite: MSC 111.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 321. Scientific Programming in the Atmospheric Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to scientific programming in a linux environment using the FORTRAN 90/95 language with specific applications to Meteorology.
Prerequisite: CSC 120.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 323. Invertebrate Zoology. 4 Credit Hours.
Biology of invertebrates, with emphasis on tropical and subtropical marine forms. Field work and combined lecture-laboratory sessions.
Prerequisite: MSC 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 324. Biology of Fishes. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics on the ecology and physiology of fishes. Lectures on reproduction, respiration, osmoregulation, sense systems, hormonal control.
Prerequisite: MSC 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSC 325. Biological Oceanographic Techniques. 3 Credit Hours.
Field sampling for plankton biomass and productivity; benthic biomass, and of selected physical parameters. Applications of molecular techniques and remote sensing to oceanographic problems.
Prerequisite: MSC 230.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSC 326. Marine Genomics. 4 Credit Hours.
This course integrates lectures, discussions and research on genomics to understand the demography and evolutionary processes affecting populations. This research intensive course uses genomic data to better understand the health of species and ecological communities. This course is part of Saltwater Semester so that students can be actively involved in intensive research. As part of the Saltwater Semester, students are required to enroll in four of the 4-credit Saltwater Semester courses (16 credits) where each course meets for 3 weeks at the Marine campus.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 160 And MSC 230 Or BIL 230 And Corequisite: MSC 463 and MSC 466 and MSC 467.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 328. Introduction to Aquaculture. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide an introduction to the field of aquaculture, which represents one of the fastest growing industries in food production in the worlds and is a field that offers exciting job opportunities in science, business, marketing, resource management, and socioeconomics. This course will provide students with a sound background in aquaculture prior to engaging in higher-level courses in this field.
Prerequisites: MSC 111 and MSC 230 or Co-requisite: MSC 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
MSC 329. Marine Vertebrate Zoology. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will be a comprehensive examination of the form and function of the vertebrate lineage of marine animals from early chordates to the
evolution of cartilaginous and bony fish and the emergence of tetrapods, those that evolved from marine ancestors and have since returned to the
seas. A comparative point of view will be used to assess the anatomy and physiology of each taxonomic group as well as behavioral and ecological
adaptations related to their life history. Specifically, the course will cover the emergence of the vertebrate body plan and the evolution of fish from
agnathans through modern teleosts, as well as the tetrapod lineage of marine reptiles, marine birds, and marine mammals. We will examine critical
points in vertebrate evolution where genome-wide duplication events occurred as well as instances of convergent evolution in various lineages.
Prerequisite: MSC 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MSC 333. Ocean Human Health. 3 Credit Hours.
The focus of this course is on the present, future, and potential effects of oceanic processes and marine organisms on human health and wellbeing
and on human impacts on the marine environment.
Prerequisite: MSC 230 or BIL 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 340. Ocean Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of ocean policy issues in US fisheries, marine conservation and marine protected areas, marine pollution, coastal management and regulation
of offshore oil and gas activities.
Prerequisite: MSC 111 and MSC 313 Or MSC 314 and Junior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 341. Sunken Ships and Submerged Sites: An Introduction to Underwater Archaeology. 3 Credit Hours.
The course serves to provide an overview of underwater archaeology, covering general concepts, methods, field techniques, time periods and their
associated unique sites and discoveries, as well as an introduction to professional application in preservation, management, and how popular media
plays a role in public education and outreach. Note: There is no SCUBA diving component to this class.
Requisite: MSC 111 AND Junior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 342. Decision Making and the Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
A basic, critical appreciation of interdisciplinary decision theory as applied to natural resources management. Specific goals include comprehension
of: decision making under uncertainty, evolutionary social science, managing common pool resources, and behavioral economics.
Junior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 345. Economics of Natural Resources and the Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive overview of the economics of national, international, and global environmental problems. A unifying theme throughout is sustainable
development defined as "maximizing the net benefits of economic development while maintaining the services and quality of natural resources over
time". We will use economic reasoning to examine causes and consequences of environmental and resource problems, and measures for dealing with
them.
Prerequisite: ECO 211.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 346. Climate Science and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
The scientific evidence for, and the projected consequences of, climate change. The political and geo-engineering responses to the problem.
Prerequisite: MSC 111. Or ATM 103. Or ECS 111. And Requisite: Junior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MSC 347. Polar Science and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will address the physical, chemical, and biological properties of the polar oceans, atmosphere, and coastal regions. The interactions between ocean, ice, atmosphere, and land will be discussed in detail, not only in terms of local relationships, with cross-disciplinary linkages, but also with emphasis on the influence the Polar Regions exert on the global climate, biogeochemical cycles, ecosystems and local human populations. Prerequisite: MSC 111 and MSC 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 350. Survey of Marine Mammals. 3 Credit Hours.
The biology, physiology, natural history, behavior, and conservation of marine mammals. Prerequisite: MSC 230 or BIL 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 351. Climate, Oceanography, and Biogeography of the Galapagos. 3 Credit Hours.
This course and its companion describe the climate, oceanography of the Galapagos Islands, and explore the ways the physical environment has influenced biodiversity on the islands. This field intensive course sequence is part of the Galapagos semester abroad program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 352. Biophysical Dynamics in the Ocean: Biogeography and Evolution of the Galapagos. 3 Credit Hours.
Course expands aspects of bio-physical description of the Galapagos in comparison with other systems. Emphasis on identification of flow regimes in various settings based on winds and buoyancy forcing and characterization of the resulting biological niches. Analysis focuses on scales and components of the resulting biogeography. Biological aspects covered include bioenergetics and reproduction in relation to their role in evolution. This field intensive course sequence is part of the Galapagos semester abroad program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 355. Limnology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an introduction to the physical, chemical, and biological properties of freshwater ecosystems. It is intended as an upper level course for juniors and seniors. It emphasizes the ecological process of lakes, rivers, and to less extent, streams. The role of watershed processes is considered in the context of management of rivers and estuaries. Case studies integrate the scientific understanding of freshwater ecosystem function with management decisions. Applied aspects of freshwater systems are included. Prerequisite: MSC 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSC 364. Life in Moving Fluids. 3 Credit Hours.
The physical characteristics of air and water are described in relation to various flow phenomena that play a part in life functions. Adaptations of form and function reflect the very different properties of the media (air and water) of terrestrial and aquatic life. Energy conversion and transfer limit form and function and enable a wide variety of survival strategies. Prerequisite: MSC 230 or BIL 360.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 365. Tropical Coastal Ecosystems: Lab and Field Methods. 1 Credit Hour.
This course will provide students with the theory and application of field sampling methods used to document status and trends in the health of coral reef, seagrass, and mangrove ecosystems. Students will learn about sampling theory, sampling methods, sampling equipment, and species identifications using a combination of classroom and field activities. This 1-credit course is designed as a companion to MSC 366 where theory detailed in this class is put to practice to design and execute a targeted, small-scale sampling program for the coastal ecosystems found in South Florida. Lectures will be complemented with field activities to be carried out at sites around Key Biscayne and at the UM Broad Key station. Pre/Corequisite: MSC 366.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MSC 366. Tropical Coastal Ecosystems. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide a comprehensive background on the ecology, conservation, and restoration of the three main tropical coastal ecosystems: Mangroves, Seagrasses, and Coral Reefs. The first part of the course will consist of a review of ecological theory, followed by lectures on the dynamics of the three ecosystems, including diversity, community structure, stress ecology, management tools, and novel restoration paradigms. Classes will be complemented by student presentations, in-class activities, and media-outreach projects. Readings for this class will include a required textbook and papers from the primary literature. Grades will be based on exams, quizzes, in-class projects, and student presentations.
Prerequisite: MSC 230 or BIL 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 370. Current Research in Marine Biology: Seminars and Discussion. 2 Credit Hours.
These discussions and seminars comprising a 2 cr course provide well-prepared undergraduate students interested in marine research with an introduction to graduate student-presented science in the specialization of marine biology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSC 371. Readings in Marine Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Library research with faculty supervision. Bibliography to be submitted in preparation for laboratory and/or field research project. (No more than 6 credits in total from MSC371, MSC411, and MSC412 can be counted towards any of the RSMAS major or minor requirements with no more than 3 credits from each course.) Permission of Instructor.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSC 372. Special Topics in Marine Science. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in class schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSC 373. Writing the GRFP and Graduate School Applications. 1 Credit Hour.
Writing the GRFP (graduate research fellow proposal) and Graduate School Applications is a practical course for undergraduate students interested in applying to graduate school next year or in the future. We will review NSF guidelines for the GRFP and both discuss and implement the steps for this proposal and graduate school applications. Basic tips on writing will be covered. Students will write a two page research statement and three page personal statement for the GRFP and then will modify these statements to use in graduate school applications. Students will be involved in reading and providing constructive criticisms to their fellow classmates. (No more than 3 credits in total from MSC370-level courses can be counted towards the MSC major or minor requirements).
Requisite: Junior or Senior Standing.
Components: DIS.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 380. Field Studies in Marine and Aquatic Science. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Field course to selected marine, estuarine and/or aquatic sites in the United States and abroad. Travel fee may be required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSC 381. Marine Field Ornithology. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Waterbirds such as seabirds, shorebirds, and wading birds are key components of the marine ecosystem, including pelagic, coastal, and estuarine communities. As ecological indicators waterbird abundance provides a proxy for the health of these environments. Waterbirds have also served as important model systems for studies of behavior, evolutionary biology, and ecological theory. This course will provide an introduction to waterbird biology and conservation, including a variety of different field trips to waterbird communities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSC 390. Advanced Studies in Marine Science. 1-5 Credit Hours.
For transfer courses taken at other institutions that have no direct equivalents at UM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
MSC 391. Advanced Studies in Marine Policy. 1-5 Credit Hours.
For transfer courses taken at other institutions that have no direct equivalents at UM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MSC 401. Ocean Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to the mathematical description of fluid flows in the ocean. Topics covered include a review of vector calculus, conservation equations, the Euler and Navier-Stokes equations, flow kinematics, Eulerian and Lagrangian descriptions of fluid flows, vorticity dynamics, rotation effects including the Coriolis force and geostrophy, wind forcing, an introduction to turbulence, surface gravity waves, stratification and internal waves.
Prerequisite: MTH 162 and PHY 202 or PHY 221 or equivalent and Pre/Corequisite: MSC 301 and MTH 211 or MTH 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 402. Ocean Acidification. 3 Credit Hours.
Ocean Acidification is the ongoing decrease in the pH of the Earth’s oceans, caused by the uptake of carbon dioxide (CO2) from the atmosphere. In this course students will learn about its impacts on important biogeochemical and biological processes.
Prerequisites: MSC 215 and MSC 216 and Pre or Corequisite: MSC 218.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 403. Marine Environmental Toxicology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide an introduction to the principles of environmental toxicology with an emphasis on marine ecosystems, considering a variety of different classes of toxicants, how they can impact marine organisms, the scientific methods used to assess impacts, and the regulatory frameworks used to monitor and manage their release to the environment.
Prerequisite: BIL 255 and (CHM 112 or CHM 121).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 404. Marine Organismal and Environmental Health. 1 Credit Hour.
This 1-credit course will complement salt water semester courses. (Must have taken MSC403 or MSC333 and either MSC466 or MSC326 and MSC463). Students will be required to collect and analyze samples, interpret their findings and present them in a formal laboratory report due two weeks after the trip. Students will also be required to give a presentation they have prepared before the trip and attend two seminars on Marine Organismal and Environmental Health topics.
Pre/Corequisite: MSC 327 or MSC 333 or MSC 403 or MSC 466 or MSC 326 and MSC 463.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 405. Observational Oceanography. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to measurement systems and data analysis techniques that are commonly used by oceanographers. Sensors and data types to be discussed include shipboard observations (CTD [conductivity-temperature-depth], ADCP [acoustic Doppler current profiler] and others), moored instrumentation, gliders, submerged floats, surface drifters, and satellite measurements. The use of most types of instrumentation that are discussed will be demonstrated in a laboratory setting and/or at sea. (Several one-day instructional cruises on the R/V Walton Smith are anticipated during the semesters that this course is offered. Students enrolled in this course are expected to participate on one of those cruises.) Basic oceanographic data analysis is also discussed, including use of computational tools to access archived oceanographic data sets.
Prerequisite: MSC 204 and MSC 215 or Pre/Corequisite: MSC 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 406. Tropical Marine Ecology: Sampling, Monitoring, and Restoration Methods. 4 Credit Hours.
This course integrates lectures, discussions and authentic research on the ecology, conservation, and restoration of the three main tropical coastal ecosystems found in South Florida: Mangroves, Seagrasses, and Coral Reefs. This research intensive course focuses on the application of field sampling methods and integrate ecological theory to define the health and success of coastal ecosystems. This course is part of Saltwater Semester so that students can be actively involved in intensive research. As part of the Saltwater Semester, students are required to enroll in four of the 4-credit Saltwater Semester courses (16 credits) where each course meets for 3 weeks at the Marine campus.
Prerequisite: MSC 230 Or BIL 230 And MSC 232 And Corequisite: MSC 407 and MSC 408 and MSC 409.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MSC 407. Molecular Ecology and Physiology of Reef Coral Symbioses. 4 Credit Hours.
Reef corals require an intracellular symbiont to succeed. This course integrates lectures and molecular genetic research to quantify this symbiotic relationship. Students will be involved in research to define and quantify coral-symbionts interactions and how these interactions influence coral physiology and success. This course is part of Saltwater Semester so that students can be actively involved in intensive research. As part of the Saltwater Semester, students are required to enroll in four of the 4-credit Saltwater Semester courses (16 credits) where each course meets for 3 weeks at the Marine campus.
Prerequisite: MSC 230 Or BIL 230 And Corequisite: MSC 406 and MSC 408 and MSC 409.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 408. Climate Change: Limits of Marine invertebrate Adaptability. 4 Credit Hours.
This course integrates lectures, discussions and authentic research on the effect of global climate change on the success of marine invertebrates. Students will be involved in research to understand how the predicted changes in the ocean environment (temperature, oxygen, and pH) affects the ability for marine organisms to acclimatize and adapt to these environments. This course is part of Saltwater Semester so that students can be actively involved in intensive research. As part of the Saltwater Semester, students are required to enroll in four of the 4-credit Saltwater Semester courses (16 credits) where each course meets for 3 weeks at the Marine campus.
Prerequisite: MSC 230 Or BIL 230 And MSC 232 And BIL 255 And Corequisite: MSC 406 and MSC 407 and MSC 408.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 409. Coral Immunology and Microbiology. 4 Credit Hours.
This course integrates lectures, discussions and authentic research on coral immunology and microbiology for students to learn how the coral immune response and the coral associated microbes affect coral success. This research-intensive course integrates coral microbiome analysis with immunology assays to generate data on coral wellbeing. This course is part of Saltwater Semester so that students can be actively involved in intensive research. As part of the Saltwater Semester, students are required to enroll in four of the 4-credit Saltwater Semester courses (16 credits) where each course meets for 3 weeks at the Marine campus.
Prerequisite: MSC 230 Or BIL 230 And MSC 232 And Corequisite: MSC 406 and MSC 407 and MSC 408.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 410. Marine Conservation Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Nature of marine biodiversity, what threatens it, and what can be done to recover the biological integrity of estuaries, coastal seas, and oceans. Topics include: distinctive aspects of marine populations and ecosystems; threats to marine biological diversity, singly and in combination; place-based management of marine ecosystems; and the human dimensions of marine conservation.
Junior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 411. Research in Marine Science. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual, independent research projects with faculty supervision. A formal written report is required. (No more than 6 credits in total from MSC371, MSC411, and MSC412 can be counted towards the MSC major or minor requirements.)
Requisite: Junior or Senior Standing.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MSC 412. Undergraduate Thesis in Marine Science. 1 Credit Hour.
Students will write a formal thesis summarizing the results of independent research carried out under faculty supervision.
MSC 411 AND Senior Standing.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MSC 415. Coral Reef Science and Management. 3 Credit Hours.
The interdisciplinary nature of coral reef science and management: biological, environmental, ecological and socioeconomic aspects of coral reef science, coral reef management problems and approaches at local to global scales, and the implications of climate change for coral reef science and management.
Prerequisite: MSC 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MSC 417. Marine Biota and Biogeochemical Cycles. 3 Credit Hours.
The distribution of dissolved particulate materials in the sea is not uniform in time or space. Variability in these reflects the diverse biological sources, transformations, and sinks of chemical constituents in the sea. This course focuses on the role of marine organisms in marine biogeochemical cycling, with particular emphasis on the marine carbon and the nutrients. We visualize and query the ocean system using publicly available global ocean data sets and the application Ocean Data View. The material is presented as a capstone bringing together the physical, chemical and biological dynamics of the ocean as a single system.
Prerequisite: MSC 215.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 418. Climate Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Climate Law evaluates the interactions between climate and the law, with an emphasis on existing laws and the gaps in current legislation related to the climate environment. The course will analyze court cases, domestic and foreign laws, treaties, and international conventions. In addition, the course will examine how climate manipulation requires an international model for the future.
Prerequisite: ATM 220 or MSC 220 and Requisite: Junior or Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MSC 419. Microbial Geochemistry of the Ocean. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of how microbes respond to and modify the chemistry of the ocean, focusing on the geochemical consequences and signatures of microbial activity in the ocean. Microbes form the base of the food chain and are responsible for essential chemical transformations that control important processes on Earth, including the production of atmospheric oxygen, and the consumption of carbon dioxide and transformation to organic carbon which fuels the rest of life in the ocean. This course will build a quantitative framework for understanding the chemical inputs and outputs of microbial metabolism, and the role these microbial processes play in controlling chemical fluxes in the ocean. This will address how biological origins, metabolic reworking, and physical phase influence the distribution and fluxes of organic matter in the marine carbon cycle on both short and long timescales.
Prerequisite: MSC 111 and MSC 215 and BIL 150 or BIL 160.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MSC 420. Political Ecology of the Galapagos. 3 Credit Hours.
This field course in the Galapagos National Park offers a rare chance to examine the human interactions in this highly politicized landscape of conservation. Students practice the political ecology approach for doing ethnographic field work and explore how it can lead to wiser resource management. Part of UGalapagos semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSC 421. Terrestrial Biology and Adaptations of the Galapagos. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will examine the terrestrial plant and animal life of Isabela Island, discuss the biology and how it adapted to life on Isabela. Through field and laboratory exercises we will explore the power of organisms' DNA in shaping life into unique forms like those famously present in today's Galapagos. Part of UGalapagos semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 422. Marine Ecology of the Galapagos. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on marine ecosystems of the Galapagos, emphasizing near-shore environments. Topics will include how the unique location and oceanography of the Galapagos have shaped the species composition of resident and migrant marine animals. The role of genetic drift, local habitat characteristics and natural selection on marine ecosystems will be examined. This is a field intensive course with time spent in intertidal, near-shore and off-shore island environments. Part of UGalapagos semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MSC 423. Marine Conservation Biology and Fisheries of the Galapagos. 3 Credit Hours.
The Galápagos are located in a uniquely productive area of the sea, which has allowed the development of rich and unique marine biota. The first week of the course will carry the students through the dynamic, climatic, and oceanographic circumstances that determine the unique character of the Galapagos. The second week will cover scientific evaluation of the threats to the marine biodiversity of the Galapagos, focusing on sharks, penguins, sea turtles and other at-risk species and habitats. Part of UGalapagos semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MSC 424. Origin and Geology of the Galapagos Islands. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will explore the origin and geology of volcanic oceanic islands, using the Galapagos Islands as a natural laboratory. Though all share a common origin in plate tectonic theory, each island presents a host of environments that originate in the processes of volcanic action, erosion and hydrology. Individual islands therefore develop distinctive ecosystems within which organisms interact and evolve. The emphasis of this course will be to lay out the underlying geological processes that have led to the formation of the islands and to their present state, and then to explore the ways the physical environment has influenced adaptation and biodiversity. Part of UGalapagos semester.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSC 425. Galapagos Community-Based Research and Service. 2 Credit Hours.
Individual, civic engagement activities identified in consultation with the people, national park and local government of Puerto Villamil, Isla Isabela, as part of the marine science semester program in the Galapagos Islands. Student research and service is faculty supervised and concluded by submission of a formal written report. This course may not be counted towards the MSC elective requirement for majors or minors.

Components: PRA.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSC 426. Research in Microbial Genomics. 4 Credit Hours.
This course integrates lecture and laboratory studies to focus on the structure, function, evolution, mapping and editing of microbial genomes belonging to the three domains of life; Archaea, Bacteria and Eukarya.
Prerequisites: BIL 150 and BIL 151 and BIL160 and BIL161 and BIL 250.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSC 427. Field experience in the Galapagos. 2 Credit Hours.
Three week Summer I field course explores the flora, fauna, geology, and society of the Galapagos Islands.
Prerequisite: MSC 111 or ECS 111 or Permission of Instructor.

Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

MSC 432. Comparative Ecology of Terrestrial and Marine Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
A comparison of various biotic and abiotic controls on terrestrial and marine ecosystems is undertaken. The course stresses proximate mechanisms and underlying evolutionary processes. Analysis methods and models of various ecosystems are compared and critiqued. Issues involved in sustainability and conservation of resources are discussed in relation to agriculture, fisheries and forestry. The importance of biodiversity and climate change in the future of ecosystems is stressed.
Prerequisite: MTH 162. And BIL 330. Or ECS 232.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MSC 460. Spatial Applications in Marine Science. 3 Credit Hours.
The concepts and marine applications of Geographic Information Systems. Every class period will entail short class lectures and hands on computer based GIS exercise on marine science related issues. Students will learn how to use ArcGIS Desktop or Arc Pro.
Prerequisite: MSC 111 and MSC 112 and Requisite: Junior Standing.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSC 462. Marine Biomedicine. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will cover diverse bioactive molecules that are derived from marine sources ranging from sponges to sharks. The isolation and characterization of these compounds as well as their potential application in clinical medicine and human health will be reviewed. The class will also cover marine-derived factors used in biotechnology and marine animal models used in biomedical research with an emphasis on marine immunology.
Prerequisite: BIL 255 and (CHM 112 or CHM 121).

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
MSC 463. Conservation Genomics. 4 Credit Hours.
This course integrates lectures, discussions and research on genetics and genomics to understand population biology, conservation, and susceptibility of endangered species to extinction and the effect of invasive species on natural communities. This research intensive course sequences genomes and uses the data to better understand the health of species and ecological communities. This course is part of Saltwater Semester so that students can be actively involved in intensive research. As part of the Saltwater Semester, students are required to enroll in four of the 4-credit Saltwater Semester courses (16 credits) where each course meets for 3 weeks at the Marine campus.
Prerequisite: BIL 150 and BIL 160 And MSC 230 Or BIL 230 And Corequisite: MSC 326 and MSC 466 and MSC 467.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 464. Marine Comparative Immunology Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
The laboratory course will cover immunology techniques used in the assessment of immune function and immune reactivity in diverse marine taxa from sponges to fish to mammals.
Prerequisite or Co-requisite: MSC 465.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 465. Marine Comparative Immunology. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will cover immune function in diverse marine taxa from sponges to fish and the evolution of innate and adaptive immune mechanisms from a comparative point of view, with an emphasis on shark and fish immunology. Adaptations related to living in a microbe-rich marine environment will be highlighted. Potential applications of research findings will be addressed with respect to conservation and aquaculture. The role of invertebrate and vertebrate models in the study of the evolution of the immune system and applications for human health and medicine will be discussed.
Prerequisite: BIL 255.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 466. Experimental Physiology. 4 Credit Hours.
This course integrates lectures, discussions and research. Topics will include homeostasis, interactions with the external environment, and life with limited oxygen and water. Lectures will be highly discussion-based; students will be expected to read primary research articles as suggested by the professor before lecture to foster participation in those discussions and form hypotheses about accompanying laboratory. Each lab will be written up as a formal laboratory report (i.e., Introduction, Materials and Methods, Results and Discussion). This course is part of Saltwater Semester so that students can be actively involved in intensive research. As part of the Saltwater Semester, students are required to enroll in four of the 4-credit Saltwater Semester courses (16 credits) where each course meets for 3 weeks at the Marine campus.
Prerequisite: BIL 255 And Corequisite: MSC 326 and MSC 463 and MSC 467.
Components: HRK.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSC 467. Marine Animal Neurophysiology and Behavior. 4 Credit Hours.
This course integrates lectures, discussions and research on neural and endocrine systems in marine animal models, and how these systems work together to control elements of physiology, sensation and perception of the environment and behavior. This course is part of Saltwater Semester so that students can be actively involved in intensive research. As part of the Saltwater Semester, students are required to enroll in four of the 4-credit Saltwater Semester courses (16 credits) where each course meets for 3 weeks at the Marine campus.
Prerequisite: BIL 230 Or MSC 230 And BIL 255 And Corequisite: MSC 326 and MSC 463 and MSC 466.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
Marketing (MKT)

**MKT 101. Marketing in the 21st Century. 3 Credit Hours.**
This is an introduction to the marketing function designed to provide students with an overview of marketing concepts, tools, and methods of analysis. Business Environment today is very competitive. As such, businesses are required to combine traditional marketing practices with new digital technologies to connect with the consumers and develop relationships with them. The course broadly covers the controllable strategic variables of marketing (product, price, place, and promotion) in the context of the uncontrollable environment in which marketing operates, accompanied by discussions of the ethical implications of marketing and the growing demographic diversity and globalization of the marketplace. In a modular format: three modules spread over a period of three weeks, the students will get introduced to the fundamentals of marketing and the exciting world of digital marketing and marketing analytics. Methods of instruction will include lecture, discussion, analytical problem solving, experiential (involvement) learning, and case analysis.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Summer.

**MKT 201. Foundations of Marketing. 3 Credit Hours.**
Understanding and satisfying consumer need through product planning, pricing, promotion, and distribution. Students identify and analyze marketing problems. Discovery and application of marketing skills are developed by marketing planning assignments, computer simulations, and case analysis. Freshman or Sophomore AND Business School.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**MKT 301. Marketing Foundations. 3 Credit Hours.**
Understanding and satisfying consumer needs through product planning, pricing, promotion, and distribution. Students identify and analyze marketing problems. Discovery and application of marketing skills are developed by marketing planning assignments, computer simulation, and case analysis. Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**MKT 302. Marketing Research and Market Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.**
Examination of the process, role, and function of marketing research, including research problem formation, research methods and procedures, data acquisition, sampling theory and practice, data analysis, presentation of results, ethical issues, and application for each of the above. Prerequisite: MKT 201 or MKT 301 and MAS 202 or MAS 312 and Requisite: Business School.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**MKT 310. Consumer Behavior and Marketing Strategy. 3 Credit Hours.**
The study of behavioral science research findings, principles, and theories, especially those from psychology and sociology, as they relate to the determinants of consumer buying behavior. The case approach is utilized to stimulate the development of creative marketing strategy. Prerequisite: MKT 201 or MKT 301.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**MKT 311. Pricing. 3 Credit Hours.**
Pricing decisions require a synthesis of economic and marketing principles, an appreciation of ethical constraints, and the ability to use accounting, financial, and market research data. This course is designed to teach students how to price goods and services by providing a framework for understanding pricing strategies and tactics. We will take an integrative approach, combining strategic, economic, marketing, and psychological considerations. Topics covered include economic value and break-even analysis, price elasticity, markup and profit margin, price bundling, among others. Prerequisite: MKT 201 or MKT 301 And BUS 150 And ECO 211 or ECO 213.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

**MKT 320. Retailing. 3 Credit Hours.**
Retail store management, location, buying, merchandise control, policies, services, pricing, expenses, profits, training and supervision of retail sales force, and administrative problems are discussed. Prerequisite: MKT 201 or MKT 301.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MKT 340. Professional Selling. 3 Credit Hours.
Nature of the professional selling function and its relationship and contribution to the marketing strategy of organizations. Special emphasis is placed on broadly applicable principles and effective personal communication skills during the sales process.
Prerequisite: MKT 201 or MKT 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MKT 350. Luxury Marketing. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will develop a framework for understanding the essential elements of effective marketing of luxury brands, a 1.36 Trillion dollars market worldwide in 2017 (Bain & Company). Through cases, business visits, and experiential projects the students will distinguish the unique nature of luxury, understand the opportunities and challenges confronted by luxury marketers and apply proven strategies. Students will also work on an actual project created exclusively for the class exposing them to internship opportunities in the luxury market sector.
Prerequisite: MKT 201 or MKT 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MKT 360. International Marketing. 3 Credit Hours.
The major current factors affecting international marketing. Course is designed to acquaint students with the growing importance of world marketing in the U.S. and the strategic issues involved.
Prerequisite: MKT 201 or MKT 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKT 361. Brand Content Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Brand Content Management (BCM) is the process any organization can use to efficiently create, distribute and control brand-related content. BCM has a lot of moving parts (content, channels, audience segments and measurement tools), so the goal of this course is to provide a comprehensive conceptual framework and familiarity with implementation strategies that are critical to manage those factors and achieve brand equity goals at scale and on time. BCM skills are also crucial to anticipate and deal with brand fatigue and reputation crisis, which are the most demanding cases of Brand Content Management.
Prerequisite: MKT 201 or MKT 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MKT 365. Brand Story Telling. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the use of storytelling to build emotional connections, demonstrates the value of real engagement through immersive experiences and it illustrates how to create a compelling brand storytelling program from both the brand and the agency perspectives. As such, the course is uniquely positioned to train students to experience a rounded view of their role either on the brand side as an entrepreneur or working in a client’s marketing team.
Prerequisite: MKT 201 or MKT 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MKT 369. Marketing Analytics. 3 Credit Hours.
Netflix, Amazon, Google, Facebook these are some of the firms that harness data is one of the key strategic assets that firms possess. Analytics is the means by which managers transform data into actionable insights. One area where managers find analytics useful is marketing. Today managers can use analytics to identify profitable customers, analyze clickstream data to predict purchase, monitor brand health, develop dynamic pricing models, deliver advertising through rule based systems, test hundreds if not thousands of advertising and promotional material simultaneously and develop digital brand content from user generated sources. The objectives of this course are to give you hands-on experience with data and analytics and show you how to draw actionable marketing insights from data. It will enable you to make marketing decisions with greater precision without merely relying on “gut” decisions. This is not to say that intuition and creativity do not play a role in marketing. It means that analytical approaches combined with intuition makes for better marketing decisions. The class will mainly have in-class lectures and exercises. Through these you will:
Prerequisite: MKT201 or MKT 301 And MAS 202 or MAS 312 And BUS150.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MKT 370. Cases in Marketing Analytics. 3 Credit Hours.
Organizations today are faced with the challenge to make best use of the data they have and collect from their marketing, sales and customer interactions. Through cases and hands on exercises you will learn what types of data firms collect and how to use this data to come up with data-driven solutions to marketing problems such as the optimal number of market segments, seeking out the most valuable customers, arriving at the value maximizing price, formulating the optimal marketing mix and how best to deploy digital marketing.
Prerequisite: MKT 201 or MKT 301 And MAS 201 or MAS 311.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MKT 371. Application of Artificial Intelligence in Marketing. 3 Credit Hours.
Artificial Intelligence (AI) represents a paradigm shift that is driving the scientific progress as well as the modern business. Of special interest to business is the fast transition of AI from a narrow research area in limited number of academic labs to a key topic in the business world. Today the adoption and successful use of AI capabilities has become a requirement for company’s competitive advantage. One of the biggest challenges in accomplishing this goal is the deficit of educated labor force in this area. The class will fill this gap by clear explanations of the main principles of the different AI approaches with less of a focus on theoretical details, demonstrating their value creation potential with appropriate use cases, and describing a methodology for developing and deploying practical AI solutions in business settings. The list of selected AI approaches includes: cognitive computing (rule-based systems and IBM Watson), machine learning (neural networks and Support Vector Machines - SVM), deep learning (key deep neural network structures and image processing), decision trees (random forest), evolutionary computation (genetic programming), and other technologies (intelligent agents, chatbots, and Natural Language Processing – NLP).
Prerequisites: MKT 201 or MKT 301 and MAS 202 or MAS 312.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MKT 372. Text and Image Analysis for Marketing. 3 Credit Hours.
Marketing in the 21st century requires analysis of vast quantities of unstructured text and image data. This data comes in the form of product reviews on e-commerce platforms, tweets, Facebook and Instagram posts, online news, voice activated devices such as Alexa and blogs. This information source provides marketers a rich source of data to understand their customers, design products and drive marketing campaigns. However, this also requires the ability to analyze text and image data using specialized tools. This course provides an overview of the concepts, technologies, and tools necessary to analyze text and image data and to support online analytics initiatives. It will enable you to uncover underlying themes or concepts contained in large document collections; automatically group documents into topical clusters; classify documents into predefined categories; and integrate text data with structured data to enrich predictive modeling endeavors and give you a preliminary understanding of how to analyze image data.
Prerequisites: MKT 201 or MKT 301 and BTE 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MKT 380. New Product Development. 3 Credit Hours.
This course enables students to appreciate the systematic approach that goes into the creation and marketing of new products. Practical aspects of developing and marketing new products are inculcated through two assignments and one class project.
Prerequisite: MKT 201 or MKT 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKT 385. Marketing for Entrepreneurs. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is focused on the study and practice of marketing all aspects of an entrepreneurial venture: the new company itself as well as its products or services. Topics will include: branding, pricing and costing, buying behavior, market segmentation, channel management, as well as exploring issues such as intellectual property, customer service, corporate versus product web sites, media exposure and PR, and maintaining an integrated plan for building the venture's brand.
Prerequisite: MKT 201 or MKT 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKT 386. Advertising Management. 3 Credit Hours.
In this course, students learn about the components involved in researching, planning, creating, and executing advertising strategies. The class gives students a better understanding of how advertising can be effectively used in a marketing strategy. Students also learn how advertising both influences and is influenced by cultural trends. Implications of this to both marketers and society as a whole are discussed.
Prerequisite: MKT 201 or MKT 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MKT 387. Digital Marketing. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce students to the principles of digital marketing from both perspectives of theory and practice. On the theory side, students will learn foundations and recent research and development of digital marketing. Main contemporary digital marketing issues will be extensively discussed in class, including search engine optimization, search engine marketing, online advertising, web analytics, email marketing, social media marketing, and reputation management. Students will also learn how to form an appropriate strategy for a digital marketing campaign and use quantitative skills to analyze the effectiveness of such a campaign. On the practice side, students will collaborate in teams and participate in applied learning exercises. Students will grasp critical concepts of search engine optimization by working with a local business client, laying out a suitable pre-campaign strategy, implementing and modifying the campaign in real time, and summarizing the campaign results in a meaningful and concise manner when it is over.
Prerequisite: MKT 201 or MKT 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKT 388. Health Care Marketing. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is devoted to the study of healthcare marketing and the healthcare system involved with the task of marketing products and services. As healthcare reform continues to evolve current market conditions and transform existing organization into new practices, this course is focused on how managed care providers, hospitals, physicians, federal government, device and pharmaceutical companies will embrace the new patient centered market in their marketing strategies.
Prerequisite: MKT 201 or MKT 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MKT 389. Fundamentals of Digital Marketing Analytics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces the student to the basics of evolving new media business metrics and corresponding forms of audience and competitive marketplace analysis. Students will research and evaluate business models for multiplatform new media products that use any combination of print, radio, television, internet, or mobile technologies. Product evaluations will be set within the context of comparative media economics, new media market dynamics, and advertising revenue projections. The goal will be to evaluate whether an existing or a current media product has the critical mass required for profitable advertiser metrics. Students will be exposed to developing new media usage patterns, cross platform media support strategies, new models of entertainment and news gathering, and corporate media acquisitions and mergers. Local media executives, and entrepreneurs will be invited to class to review current trends and discuss strategies for success.
Prerequisite: MKT 201 or MKT 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MKT 403. Marketing Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Marketing Management is a capstone course that examines new concepts and insights regarding marketing management. Through case analysis the course covers important aspects of marketing management. The students also participate in a simulation in which they manage multi-segment markets.
Prerequisite: MKT 201 or MKT 301 and FIN 302 and MKT 302 or Corequisite: MKT 302 and Business School.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKT 469. International Marketing Management. 3 Credit Hours.
International Marketing Management is a capstone course that examines new concepts and insights regarding international marketing management. Through case analysis the course covers important aspects of international marketing management. The students also participate in a simulation in which they manage multi-country markets.
Prerequisite: MKT 360 and MKT 302 or Corequisite: MKT 302.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MKT 496. Directed Studies in Marketing. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project, or independent investigation of selected non-STEM related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Requisite: Business School.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MKT 497. Directed Studies in Marketing. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings, individual research project or independent investigation of selected STEM-related problems in the discipline. Offered only by special arrangement with supervising faculty member, who approves topic and evaluation process at time of registration.
Requisite: Business School.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MKT 498. Special Topics in Marketing. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected non-STEM areas of Marketing.
Prerequisite: MKT 201 or MKT 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MKT 499. Special Topics in Marketing. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in selected STEM areas of Marketing.
Prerequisite: MKT 201 or MKT 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MKT 555. Marketing Departmental Honors Research Project. 3 Credit Hours.
Research project to fulfill requirements for Departmental Honors in Marketing.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MKT 620. Addressing Customer Markets. 2 Credit Hours.
In this course, we will learn how a firm can create value for the customers and capture some of that value back in the form of profits. We will learn key principals (from psychology and innovation) that a firm can use to shape consumers’ perceptions of value. In addition, the course will cover the tools necessary to attract and retain profitable customers. Given the fast pace of change in the current marketscape, the course will pay close attention to how the challenges of creating and capturing value shift as the consumers, competition, and the markets evolve. Students will use empirical data and critical thinking tools to first arrive at the correct diagnoses of the marketing problem and then devise sustainable and creative solutions. The course will take a broad approach. The goal is to develop classical and contemporary marketing know-how and analytical skills that an executive in the company needs to have regardless of his or her functional role.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKT 622. Behavioral Pricing. 1 Credit Hour.
Price is the only component of the marketing mix that generates revenue for the firm. The remaining P’s (product, place, and promotion) are costly activities undertaken to create value for the consumer. Price, in its ideal form, recaptures this value. Yet, most companies adopt very simple heuristics, or rules of thumb, for setting prices, often divorced from firm strategy and economic reality. This course will introduce the student to frameworks relevant to making pricing decisions. While pricing strategies are taught under the rubric of many diverse disciplines, we will take an integrative approach, combining strategic, economic, marketing, and psychological considerations in building a behavioral approach.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MKT 639. Marketing Honors Research Project. 3 Credit Hours.
Research project to fulfill requirements for Departmental Honors in Marketing.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MKT 640. Foundations of Marketing Management. 2 Credit Hours.
Course introduces students to the analytical concepts and tools of marketing management. Special emphasis is placed on the relationships between marketing and overall company strategy, the development of a customer orientation, the integration of marketing throughout the organization, and the implementation of systems for planning and controlling the marketing effort. Students consider problems of consumer analysis, product planning, integrated communication, distribution, and pricing. Data and analysis required to make effective marketing decisions are also examined. The discovery and application of marketing management skills are developed through the use of readings, case exercises, and class discussions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MKT 641. Marketing Research and Decision Making. 2 Credit Hours.
The objective of the course is to allow students to understand functional analysis of consumer and market behaviors utilizing statistical tools. The course will cover topics of secondary sources of data, sampling, questionnaire design, and analysis and interpretation of data. Project and case analysis methods will be used for instruction.
Prerequisite: MKT 640 or MKT 660.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MKT 642. Pricing and Value Management. 2 Credit Hours.
Pricing decisions require a synthesis of economic and marketing principles, an appreciation of legal and ethical constraints, and the ability to use accounting, financial, and market research data. This course is designed to teach students how to price goods and services by providing a framework for understanding pricing strategies and tactics. While pricing strategies are taught under the rubric of many diverse disciplines, we will take an integrative approach, combining strategic, economic, marketing, and psychological considerations. Topics covered include economic value and break-even analysis, price elasticity, markup and profit margin, price bundling, among others.
Prerequisite: MKT 640 or MKT 660.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MKT 643. Health Care Marketing. 2-3 Credit Hours.
This course is devoted to the study of health care marketing and the health care system involved with the task of marketing products and services. As health care reform continues to evolve current market conditions and transform existing organization into new practices, this course is focused on how managed care providers, hospitals, physicians, federal government, device and pharmaceutical companies will embrace the new patient centered market in their marketing strategies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MKT 644. Services Marketing. 2 Credit Hours.
Course develops skills necessary to manage companies in an increasingly service-oriented and technology-driven economy and to gain sustainable competitive advantage through delivering superior quality services. Course covers the special marketing challenges posed by the unique characteristics of services and discusses their managerial implications. The need and strategies for synergistic management of operations, systems, and people to satisfy customers in order to achieve marketing excellence and superior financial performance are also included.
Prerequisite: MKT 640 or MKT 660.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKT 645. International Marketing. 2 Credit Hours.
Course analyzes the theories and practice of international marketing management. Course allows students to understand markets and aid in the development of marketing plans based on the nature of national as well as international markets. Issues of globalization, standardization, intermarket segments, trading blocks, global marketing strategies, local branding, global branding in the context of customer movements, product development, pricing, distribution, communication, and segmentation in global markets are also discussed.
Prerequisite: MKT 640 or MKT 660.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKT 646. Consumer Behavior. 2 Credit Hours.
This course provides an overview of psychological and normative principles of consumer decision-making and judgment by focusing on underlying behavioral research and theory. How people process information, make decisions involving risk and uncertainty, conflicting objectives, and imperfect information are some of the main topics discussed. The implications of consumer behavior on a marketing strategy are highlighted.
Prerequisite: MKT 640 or MKT 660.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MKT 647. Advertising and Communications Management. 2 Credit Hours.
Billions of dollars are wasted every year on ineffective advertising and communication campaigns. This problem is due to an absence of a compelling strategy to serve as a foundation for developing creative executions and media plans. The course provides a balanced analysis of strategy and execution of integrated marketing communication campaigns. The effectiveness of existing and emerging communication vehicles to attain strategic marketing goals is assessed. Special emphasis is placed on advertising, sales promotions, and social media. Current and historical campaigns are also reviewed. Course requirements include case reports, projects, and class participation.
Prerequisite: MKT 640 or MKT 660.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKT 648. New Product Development. 2 Credit Hours.
Innovation is one of the key drivers of firm value and new product development is perhaps the most important aspect of firm innovation. Yet few firms are able to develop and sustain their new product development process without mis-steps. Starting with how new products fit into the strategic landscape of a firm this course enables students to appreciate the systematic approach that goes into the creation and marketing of new products. Practical aspects of developing and marketing new products are included through two assignments and one class project.
Prerequisite: MKT 640 or MKT 660.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MKT 649. Strategic Brand Marketing. 2 Credit Hours.
More and more firms have come to realize that their brands are among their most valuable assets. The goal of this course is to teach students the strategic significance of brands in creating shareholder value. Students should develop fluency with the core principles associated with branding including: an understanding of how to develop a brand's positioning; managing total brand experience; how to manage the brand relevancy over time; familiarity with the various qualitative and quantitative methodologies that are used to evaluate brand equity; how to achieve growth through brand extension; brand design and brand messaging. The basic philosophy for this course is to blend theory and practice of brand management. Branding is both an art and a science. Few branding situations have a definitive, unqualified "right" answer as to what is the best approach. However, when armed with relevant and comprehensive theories, appropriate frameworks and models, familiarity with past successful and unsuccessful branding strategies, managers can make better and more informed decisions that are more likely to yield successful implementation.
Prerequisite: MKT 640 or MKT 660.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MKT 650. Strategic Marketing. 2 Credit Hours.
Course develops the skills necessary to strategically manage business-unit level marketing activities in a multi-brand firm. This necessitates examining all marketing mix elements, R&D, financial and production considerations simultaneously in the context of the many markets, products, and services that may concern a typical firm. The emphasis is placed on understanding internal capabilities, market competitors, and customers. Market simulation exercise, cases, and readings are utilized.
Prerequisite: MKT 640 or MKT 660.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKT 651. Customer Relationship Management. 1 Credit Hour.
Customer relationship marketing (CRM) is an approach to marketing which treats customers as a financial asset. This approach contrasts with the traditional product-focused approach to marketing. As such modern CRM techniques rely heavily on data especially customer purchase data. Thus, CRM is a comprehensive set of processes and technologies for managing the relationships with potential and current customers. Through the use of data sets, cases and simulations students will learn how to use marketing tools to acquire customers, identify high value customers, retain as many as possible and thereby maximize firm value. This course is especially relevant in B-to-B settings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MKT 653. Sustainable Marketing of Goods and Services. 2 Credit Hours.
The course considers the creation, pricing, promotion, and consumer targeting for sustainable products. Starting with a broad view considering prosocial marketing and corporate social responsibility, the course then goes into specifics around sustainability. Topics include identifying and segmenting the sustainably-minded consumer, nudging consumers towards sustainable consumption, and sustainability as a signal. Students also consider issues of pricing sustainable products and sustainability as an externality. Materials include published cases as well as analyses of current sustainability-focuses businesses. This course also includes a group project wherein students will tackle a real-world issue of sustainability.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MKT 657. Digital Marketing. 2 Credit Hours.
This course will provide a theoretical and practical understanding of the digital marketplace necessary to adapt to its many changes, while also equipping you with the skills you’ll need to perform vital daily functions. By the end of the course, you will be able to walk into any company with an online presence and improve their use of internet and digital marketing tools.
Prerequisite: MKT 640 or MKT 660.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MKT 660. Foundations of Marketing Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Marketing problems experienced by top executives are examined and fundamental problem-solving concepts are developed. Students consider problems of consumer needs, product planning, promotion, distribution and pricing. The discovery and application of marketing management skills are developed through the use of cases and a major planning project.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKT 665. International Marketing. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of major U.S. foreign markets, marketing policies, and techniques are discussed.
Prerequisite: MKT 640 or MKT 660.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKT 672. Services Marketing. 3 Credit Hours.
Course develops the skills necessary to manage services marketing and compete through delivering quality service. The unique characteristics of services and their managerial implications are examined. Importance of the synergistic management of operations, environment, systems and people to satisfy the customer is highlighted.
Prerequisite: MKT 640 or MKT 660.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKT 675. Marketing Analytics. 2 Credit Hours.
Big data, fast computing and clever algorithms have converged to allow managers to convert data into one of their key strategic assets. In response, managers are collecting large volumes of data from diverse sources such as point-of-sale, online and social media. However, this data deluge does not automatically result in smart actions. To convert data to insights managers must develop the capability to transform data into knowledge through analytics. This has made analytics an important subject for business majors. One area where firms find analytics useful is marketing. Today firms use analytics to identify profitable customers, continuously track brands, and calculate optimal price promotions, test commercials, optimize media budgets across online and offline channels, design sales force allocation and decide the intensity of distribution channels. The goals of this course are to give you hands-on experience with data and analytics, teach you how to draw strategic marketing insights from data and show you how to make marketing decisions with greater precision without merely relying on “gut” decisions. This is not to say that intuition and creativity do not play a role in marketing. It means that analytical approaches combined with intuition makes for better marketing decisions.
Prerequisite: MKT 640 or MKT 660.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MKT 677. Strategic Digital Media Management. 2 Credit Hours.
Digital and social media have dramatically changed the ways in which managers analyze consumer data and make accurate media marketing decisions. This course will teach students how to correctly capture, measure and apply the fundamentals of digital marketing analytics and then how to manage a successful media marketing campaign over time. We will use available direct and indirect digital listening tools for both traditional and digital media sources using Nielsen, live social media data, digital dashboards, search engine optimization tools, and data presentation strategies. Current case studies and readings will assist in this highly interactive management course. Social and traditional media executives will also be invited into class to review current trends, opportunities, and strategies for the future.
Prerequisite: MKT 640 or MKT 660.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MKT 686. Behavioral Decision Theory in Consumer Research. 3 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this seminar is to provide students with a review of the psychological literature as applied to the study of judgment and decision making with a focus on consumer research. The course will be based on behavioral decision theory and social psychology with an emphasis in generating high quality consumer research ideas. The course complements MKT 688 and MKT 689, which emphasizes information processing aspects of consumer behavior. Each week there will be discussions of a topic of consumer behavior research, drawing primarily upon readings from marketing and psychology. Students will learn how to identify important research problems, ask interesting research questions, develop theories and hypotheses, and design experiments.
Requisite: Must be registered Doctoral Student.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MKT 687. Marketing Strategy. 3 Credit Hours.
Marketing Strategy is a vast, exciting and exploding literature that almost defies classification. However, despite this difficulty one common theme unifies and distinguishes this stream of research: it is marketing as seen through the eyes of a manager. Is it worth fighting for market share? How do we analyze competitors? Is it more profitable to introduce a new product or enter a new market? Should we build on existing relationships or seek new customers? Does loyalty management pay? Do consumers understand product quality? Can we quantify the effects of advertising and promotions? What metrics should we use to evaluate the effectiveness of marketing effort? Can we run policy simulations before committing to marketing action? These are some of the questions that marketing managers need to address. Often the questions are very broad and complex, reflecting the bewildering range of techniques that have been used to address those questions. The seminar will try to impart an appreciation of how to define and solve research problems in a marketing strategy.
Requisite: Must be registered Doctoral Student.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MKT 688. Ph.D. Seminar in Consumer Behavior and Decision Making. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide students with a background regarding a wide set of topics in consumer behavior focusing on theoretical models. In addition to developing a knowledge base in several extant consumer behavior literatures, this course has several additional goals. Students will: 1) become familiar with the content and style of consumer behavior research published within the marketing field, 2) develop an understanding of many methodologies and paradigms that can be used to investigate theoretical issues, 3) have several opportunities to explicate research ideas that they will hopefully be able to pursue in the remainder of the program or early in their careers, and 4) learn to critically evaluate the research of others to aid in strengthening their thinking and ultimately their own research activities.
Requisite: Must be registered Doctoral Student.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MKT 689. Information Processing for Consumer Behavior. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Broadly the study of consumer behavior is divided into two areas - behavioral decision theory and information processing. This course will focus on information-processing aspects of consumer behavior with an emphasis in generating high quality consumer research ideas. We will cover both classic papers that provide the gist of the area covered in each session as well as research that attracted more interest from scholars in the recent years. The course complements MKT688 and MKT686, which provide students with an introduction to topics in consumer behavior and behavioral decision theory, respectively (there three Consumer Behavior PhD seminars can be taken in any sequence). Each week we will discuss a topic of consumer behavior research, drawing primarily upon readings from marketing and psychology. Students are responsible for all primary readings, which will be discussed in a seminar-format in class. Each week, we will discuss 4-5 papers. Students will also be assigned to be the "discussion leader" for individual sessions. Professor will assign these sessions to the students in the first class.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MKT 695. Topics in Marketing. 0-3 Credit Hours.
Topics in selected areas of Marketing.
Requisite: Must be registered Doctoral Student.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKT 696. Topics in Marketing. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics in selected areas of Marketing.
Requisite: Must be registered Doctoral Student.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MKT 697. Topics in Marketing. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics in selected areas of Marketing.
Requisite: Must be registered Doctoral Student.
**Components:** SEM.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

MKT 698. Topics in Marketing. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics in selected areas of Marketing.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

MKT 699. Directed Study. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Individually supervised readings or research projects. Restricted to students with superior academic records. Approval of supervising professor as to topic and evaluation of project required at time of registration.
Requisite: Must be a registered Doctoral student.
**Components:** THE.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

MKT 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor but not for less than a total of 24. Not more than 12 hours of MKT 730 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session. Where a student has passed his/her (a) qualifying examinations, and (b) is engaged in an assistantship, he/she may still take the maximum allowable credit stated above.
Requisite: Must be a registered Doctoral student.
**Components:** THE.
**Grading:** SUS.
**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Master of Arts Liberal Studies (MLS)

MLS 601. Aspects of Creative and Reflective Thought. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected aspects of creative and reflective thought, based on materials from the arts, the humanities, the sciences, the social sciences and history. The focus will be on themes and issues represented in a variety of cultural traditions.
**Components:** SEM.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

MLS 602. Perspectives on Human Nature. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic theories of human nature proposed by the humanities, the sciences, and the social sciences. The course deals with fundamental issues regarding the concept of human nature, such as the nature of the self and its relation to society, the impact of culture on self perception and the relation of thought to human action.
**Components:** SEM.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

MLS 603. Theories of the Physical Universe. 3 Credit Hours.
Various understandings of the nature of the universe and their impact on human culture. The course will deal with critical issues addressed in the various attempts to understand the physical world, such as fundamental structures and processes, the limitation of human perception, and the interaction between the human species and its environment.
**Components:** SEM.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

MLS 611. Studies in the Humanities. 3 Credit Hours.
Interdisciplinary study of selected topics in the Humanities.
**Components:** SEM.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

MLS 612. Studies in the Social Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Interdisciplinary study of selected topics in the Social Sciences.
**Components:** SEM.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.
MLS 613. Studies in the Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Interdisciplinary study of selected topics in the sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLS 621. Studies in the Humanities. 3 Credit Hours.
Interdisciplinary study of selected topics in the Humanities.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLS 625. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Interdisciplinary study of special topics central to history and the human culture.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MLS 626. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Interdisciplinary study of special topics central to history and human culture.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLS 627. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Interdisciplinary study of special topics central to history and the human culture.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLS 631. Studies in the Humanities. 3 Credit Hours.
Interdisciplinary study of selected topics in the Humanities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLS 696. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
A directed readings course allows you to work independently with a MALS professor, researching a topic of your choice.
Requisite: Plan of Master of Arts Liberal Studies.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MLS 697. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
A directed readings course allows you to work independently with a MALS professor, researching a topic of your choice.
Requisite: Plan of Master of Arts Liberal Studies.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MLS 798. Seminar in Liberal Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Interdisciplinary seminar designed to expand the knowledge of students in the areas of critical theory, esthetics, media theory, psychology and politics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLS 799. Seminar in Liberal Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Interdisciplinary seminar designed to expand the knowledge of students in the areas of critical theory, esthetics, media theory, psychology and politics.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
**MLS 810. Master’s Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.**
The student working on his/her master’s thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Requisite: Plan of Master of Arts Liberal Studies.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**MLS 815. MALS Project. 1-6 Credit Hours.**
The student working on his/her MALS project enrolls for credit, not to exceed 6, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the project has been accepted.
Requisite: Plan of Master of Arts Liberal Studies.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**MLS 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.**
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master’s degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in MLS 810 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
Requisite: Plan of Master of Arts Liberal Studies.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**MLS 825. Continuous Registration-Master’s Study. 1 Credit Hour.**
To establish residence for non-thesis students who are preparing for major examinations. Credit not granted. Regarded as full time residence.
Requisite: Plan of Master of Arts Liberal Studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

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**Mathematics (MTH)**

**MTH 099. Intermediate Algebra. 3 Credit Hours.**
Real number operations, polynomials, factoring, rational numbers and rational expressions. Cannot be used to fulfill the 120 credits required for graduation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**MTH 101. Algebra for College Students. 3 Credit Hours.**
Algebraic operations and properties of the real numbers; linear and quadratic equations and inequalities; polynomials and factoring; rational expressions; radical expressions; graphs of lines; systems of linear equations.
Requisite: SAT Math Section Score >= 550 or Math ACT Score >= 22 or ALEKS score >= 40 or passing grade in MTH 099.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**MTH 105. Algebra and Trigonometry. 5 Credit Hours.**
An intensive course in algebra and trigonometry as covered in MTH 107-108, but without analytic geometry.
Requisite: SAT Math Section Score >= 600 OR Math ACT Score >= 25 OR ALEKS score >= 55 OR passing grade in MTH 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**MTH 107. Precalculus Mathematics I. 3 Credit Hours.**
Algebraic operations; equations and inequalities; complex numbers; functions and their graphs; polynomial, rational, exponential, and logarithmic functions; inverse functions; systems of non-linear equations.
Requisite: SAT Math Section Score >= 600 OR Math ACT Score >= 25 OR ALEKS score >= 55 OR passing grade in MTH 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MTH 108. Precalculus Mathematics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Trigonometric functions, identities and equations, applications involving vectors, systems of nonlinear equations and inequalities and analytic geometry.
Requisite: SAT Math Section Score >= 650 OR Math ACT Score >= 28 OR ALEKS score >= 65 OR a passing grade in MTH 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTH 113. Finite Mathematics. 3 Credit Hours.
Sets, logic, counting techniques, elementary probability and statistics, mathematics in finance, linear programming, algebraic structures, symmetry. The selection of topics may vary by instructor. Intended for BA students.
Prerequisite: MTH 101 or MTH 107. Or Requisite: ALEKS score >= 60 or SAT MATH score >= 630 or SAT MATH Section score >= 620 or ACT score >= 28.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTH 130. Introductory Calculus. 3 Credit Hours.
A one-semester survey of the fundamental principles of calculus, functions, limits, derivatives, definite integrals, applications. Not for students planning further study of calculus beyond this course.
Requisite: ALEKS score >= 65 or SAT MATH score >= 630 or SAT MATH Section score >= 650 or ACT score >= 28 or AP Calculus AB score of 3 or passing grade in MTH 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTH 133. Games and Strategies. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MTH 113 or MTH 130.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 140. Calculus Concepts with Foundations A. 4 Credit Hours.
Tools from algebra and trigonometry for calculus. Functions and graphs, limits and continuity, the derivative and applications.
Requisite: ALEKS score >= 65 OR SAT MATH >= 630 OR SAT MATH SECTION >= 650 OR ACT >= 28 OR AP Calculus AB score of 3.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 141. Calculus Concepts with Foundations B. 4 Credit Hours.
Tools from algebra, trigonometry, and analytic geometry for calculus. Further aspects of differentiation. Antiderivatives, definite integrals, and their applications.
Prerequisite: MTH 140. Min Grade C-.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 151. Calculus I for Engineers. 5 Credit Hours.
Analytic geometry, limits and continuity, derivatives, the definite integral, and applications relevant to engineering. Intended for students taking PHY 205 concurrently.
Requisite: SAT Math Section Score >= 730 OR Math ACT Score >= 31 OR ALEKS score >= 76 OR C- or higher in MTH 105 or MTH 108.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTH 161. Calculus I. 4 Credit Hours.
Limits and continuity, derivatives and applications, the definite integral and applications.
Requisite: ALEKS score >= 76 or SAT MATH score >= 700 or SAT MATH SECTION >= 730 or ACT score >= 31 or score of 4 AP Calculus (AB) or score of 3 in AP Calculus (BC) or a C- or higher in MTH 108.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MTH 162. Calculus II. 4 Credit Hours.
Transcendental functions, methods of integration, improper integrals, infinite series, polar coordinates, and introduction to differential equations.
Prerequisite: MTH 141 or MTH 151 or MTH 161 or MTH 171.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTH 171. Calculus I. 4 Credit Hours.
The theory of limits, the derivative and the definite integral, techniques and applications. The sequence MTH 171-172 is more conceptually-oriented than MTH 161-162.
Requisite: Prism Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 172. Calculus II. 4 Credit Hours.
Continuation of MTH 171. Additional topics on the derivative and definite integral, improper integrals, infinite series, and introduction to differential equations.
Prerequisite: MTH 171.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTH 210. Introduction to Linear Algebra. 3 Credit Hours.
Pre/Corequisite: MTH 162 or MTH 172.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTH 211. Calculus III. 3 Credit Hours.
Vectors in space, partial differentiation, multiple integration.
Prerequisite: MTH 162 or MTH 172. Requisite: Not open to students with credit in MTH 310 or MTH 433 or MTH 533.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTH 224. Introduction to Probability and Statistics. 3 Credit Hours.
Probability distributions, random variables, expectation and variance, point estimation, interval estimation, testing of hypotheses, analysis of variance.
Pre/Corequisite: MTH 162 or MTH 172.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTH 230. Introduction to Abstract Mathematics. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of set theory, logic and methods of mathematical proof.
Pre/Corequisite: MTH 162 or MTH 172.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTH 309. Discrete Mathematics I. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MTH 141 or MTH 151 or MTH 161 or MTH 171.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MTH 310. Multivariable Calculus. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MTH 210 and MTH 162 or MTH 172. Requisite: Not open to students with credit in MTH 433 OR MTH 533.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTH 311. Introduction to Ordinary Differential Equations. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory and applications of first-order differential equations. Theory and applications of higher order linear equations and first order linear systems, including matrix methods.
Prerequisite: MTH 162 or MTH 172.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTH 320. Introduction to Numerical Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Interpolation, quadrature, numerical solution of algebraic and transcendental equations, and optimization.
Prerequisite: MTH 210 and MTH 211 or MTH 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 359. Mathematical Models in Biology and Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of the dynamical systems approach to modeling temporal change in biological systems. An introduction to the analysis of mathematical models in biology and medicine with detailed, concrete examples drawn from ecology, cell biology, neuro-science, and physiology.
Prerequisite: MTH 162 or MTH 172.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 433. Advanced Calculus. 3 Credit Hours.
A rigorous and comprehensive treatment of the theoretical concepts of calculus. The real number system; sequences; series; continuity, differentiation, and integration of functions of one variable.
Prerequisite: MTH 230 and MTH 310 or MTH 211. Not open for Students with Credit in MTH 533.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 461. Survey of Modern Algebra. 3 Credit Hours.
Algebraic systems, equivalence classes, groups, rings, fields, unique factorization domains.
Prerequisite: MTH 210 and MTH 230. Requisite: Not open to students with credit in MTH 561.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTH 471. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics selected from algebra, geometry, analysis, topology.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 472. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics selected from algebra, geometry, analysis, topology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 502. History of Mathematics. 3 Credit Hours.
The development of mathematics from its earliest beginnings through the first half of the twentieth century. Numeral systems, geometry, algebra, analysis and set theory.
Prerequisite: 2 Courses in MTH 200 or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MTH 504. Foundations of Geometry. 3 Credit Hours.
Axiom systems and models of Euclidean and Non-Euclidean geometry.
Prerequisite: MTH 230 or MTH 309.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 505. Theory of Numbers. 3 Credit Hours.
Divisibility, primes; congruences, quadratic residues and reciprocity; Diophantine equations. Applications to cryptography.
Prerequisite: MTH 210 or MTH 504.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 506. Mathematical Logic. 3 Credit Hours.
Logics, truth, proof, logical consequence, model theory, formalization, and computation. Meta-theory of first-order logic, computability theory, and
Gödel's incompleteness theorems. Related results by Church, Turing, and Tarski. Discussion of their philosophical significance.
Prerequisite: MTH 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 510. Linear Algebra. 3 Credit Hours.
Abstract vector spaces, bases and dimensions, linear maps, eigenvalues and eigenvectors, inner product spaces, operators, spectral theorems,
canonical forms.
Prerequisite: MTH 210 and MTH 230 or MTH 309.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 512. Elementary Complex Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Complex variables; conformal mapping, contour integration.
Prerequisite: MTH 310 or MTH 211.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 513. Partial Differential Equations I. 3 Credit Hours.
Derivation, well posedness, and qualitative properties of initial value and boundary value problems for the heat, wave and Laplace equations. Energy
methods, causality, maximum principles, heat kernels, Fourier series, and potential theory.
Prerequisite: MTH 210 and MTH 311 and MTH 211 or MTH 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 514. Partial Differential Equations II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of MTH 513. Approximations of solutions, distributions and integral transform methods, spectral theory and scattering. Applications to
physical problems. Nonlinear equations and phenomena.
Prerequisite: MTH 513.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 515. Ordinary Differential Equations. 3 Credit Hours.
Linear systems, equilibrium and periodic solutions, stability analysis, bifurcation, phase plane analysis, boundary value problems, applications to
engineering and physics.
Prerequisite: MTH 311 and MTH 211 or MTH 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MTH 516. Dynamics and Bifurcations. 3 Credit Hours.
Bifurcation of equilibrium and periodic solutions, global theory of planar systems, planar maps, nonlinear vibrations, forced oscillations, chaotic
solutions, Hamiltonian systems, applications to engineering and physics.
Prerequisite: MTH 515.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 520. Numerical Linear Algebra. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics from numerical linear algebra including solving systems of equations, LU, QR, and SVD factorizations, eigenvalues and eigenvectors, interactive
methods, and applications.
Prerequisite: MTH 320.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 521. Numerical Methods in Differential Equations. 3 Credit Hours.
Numerical solution of ordinary and partial differential equations.
Prerequisite: MTH 320 or MTH 520.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 524. Introduction to Probability. 3 Credit Hours.
Probability spaces, random variables, expectation, limit theorems.
Prerequisite: MTH 224 and MTH 211 or MTH 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 525. Introduction to Mathematical Statistics. 3 Credit Hours.
Probability distributions, theory of sampling and hypothesis testing.
Prerequisite: MTH 524.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 527. Theory of Computing. 3 Credit Hours.
Sets, relations, and languages. Automata theory. Basic computability theory. Turing machines. The complexity classes P and NP.
Prerequisite: MTH 309 or MTH 461.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 531. Topology I. 3 Credit Hours.
Set theory, topological spaces, compactness, connectedness, separation properties, quotient spaces, Tychonoff Theorem, compactification, Urysohn
Lemma and Tietze Extension Theorem, function spaces.
Prerequisite: MTH 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 532. Topology II. 3 Credit Hours.
Differential and topological manifolds, classical groups and associated manifolds, tangent and tensor bundles, vector fields, differential forms,
transversality, Sard's theorem, Stokes' Theorem.
Prerequisite: MTH 210 and MTH 531.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MTH 533. Introduction to Real Analysis I. 3 Credit Hours.
Sequences and series in Euclidean space; sequences and series of functions; Fourier series; continuity, differentiation, and integration of functions between Euclidean spaces; implicit and inverse function theorems.
Prerequisite: MTH 230 And MTH 211 Or MTH 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 534. Introduction to Real Analysis II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of MTH 533.
Prerequisite: MTH 533.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 542. Statistical Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Statistical inference about one or two populations from interval, ordinal and categorical data; analysis of variance; simple and multiple linear regression; designing research studies.
Prerequisite: MTH 210 and MTH 224.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 547. Introduction to Mathematical Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MTH 224 and MTH 211 or MTH 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 551. Introduction to Differential Geometry. 3 Credit Hours.
Geometry of curves and surfaces in Euclidean space. Local space curve theory, intrinsic and extrinsic curvature of surfaces, geodesics, parallelism, and differential forms.
Prerequisite: MTH 210 And MTH 211 Or MTH 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 561. Abstract Algebra I. 3 Credit Hours.
Groups; rings; linear algebra; modules.
Prerequisite: MTH 210 and MTH 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 562. Abstract Algebra II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of MTH 561.
Prerequisite: MTH 561.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 571. Directed Readings in Mathematics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Readings in special topics.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTH 591. Topics in Mathematics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics will vary by semester and will be announced in the schedule of course offerings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MTH 592. Topics in Mathematics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics will vary by semester and will be announced in the schedule of course offerings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 593. Topics in Mathematics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics will vary by semester and will be announced in the schedule of course offerings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 602. History of Mathematics. 3 Credit Hours.
The development of mathematics from its earliest beginnings through the first half of the twentieth century. Numeral systems, geometry, algebra, analysis and set theory.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 604. Foundations of Geometry. 3 Credit Hours.
Axiom systems and models of Euclidean and Non-Euclidean geometry
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 605. Theory of Numbers. 3 Credit Hours.
Divisibility, primes; congruences, quadratic residues and reciprocity; Diophantine equations. Applications to cryptography.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 606. Mathematical Logic. 3 Credit Hours.
Logics, truth, proof, logical consequence, model theory, formalization, and computation. Meta-theory of first-order logic, computability theory, and Gödel's incompleteness theorems. Related results by Church, Turing, and Tarski. Discussion of their philosophical significance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 610. Linear Algebra. 3 Credit Hours.
Abstract vector spaces, bases and dimensions, linear maps, eigenvalues and eigenvectors, inner product spaces, operators, spectral theorems, canonical forms.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 612. Elementary Complex Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Complex variables; conformal mapping, contour integration.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 613. Partial Differential Equations I. 3 Credit Hours.
Derivation, well posedness, and qualitative properties of initial value and boundary value problems for the heat, wave and Laplace equations. Energy methods, causality, maximum principles, heat kernels, Fourier series, and potential theory.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 614. Partial Differential Equations II. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MTH 613.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MTH 615. Ordinary Differential Equations. 3 Credit Hours.
Linear systems, equilibrium and periodic solutions, stability analysis, bifurcation, phase plane analysis, boundary value problems, applications to engineering and physics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 616. Dynamics and Bifurcations. 3 Credit Hours.
Bifurcation of equilibrium and periodic solutions, global theory of planar systems, planar maps, nonlinear vibrations, forced oscillations, chaotic solutions, Hamiltonian systems, applications to engineering and physics.
Prerequisite: MTH 615.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 620. Numerical Linear Algebra. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics from numerical linear algebra including solving systems of equations, LU, QR, and SVD factorizations, eigenvalues and eigenvectors, interactive methods, and applications.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 621. Numerical Methods in Differential Equations. 3 Credit Hours.
Numerical solution of ordinary and partial differential equations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 624. Introduction to Probability Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Probability spaces, random variables, expectation, limit theorems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 625. Introduction to Mathematical Statistics. 3 Credit Hours.
Probability distributions, theory of sampling and hypothesis testing.
Prerequisite: MTH 624.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 627. Theory of Computing. 0 Credit Hours.
Sets, relations, and languages. Automata theory. Basic computability theory. Turing machines. The complexity classes P and NP.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 631. Topology I. 3 Credit Hours.
Set theory, topological spaces, compactness, connectedness, separation properties, quotient spaces, Tychonoff Theorem, compactification, Urysohn Lemma and Tietze Extension Theorem, function spaces.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 632. Topology II. 3 Credit Hours.
Differential and topological manifolds, classical groups and associated manifolds, tangent and tensor bundles, vector fields, differential forms, transversality, Sard’s theorem, Stokes’ Theorem.
Prerequisite: MTH 631.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MTH 633. Introduction to Real Analysis I. 3 Credit Hours.
Sequences and series in Euclidean space; sequences and series of functions; Fourier series; continuity, differentiation, and integration of functions between Euclidean spaces; implicit and inverse function theorems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 634. Introduction to Real Analysis II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of MTH 533.
Prerequisite: MTH 633.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 642. Statistical Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Statistical inference about one or two populations from interval, ordinal and categorical data; analysis of variance; simple and multiple linear regression; designing research studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 643. Statistical Analysis II with Financial Applications. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploratory data analysis. Designing parametric models and assessing their uncertainty. Techniques for resampling. Using multivariate distributions to model financial data; families of copulas. Analyzing time series, including ARIMA and GARCH models.
Prerequisite: MTH 642 or MTH 542.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 645. Optimization Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 646. Quantitative Risk Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
The modeling, measuring, and managing of financial risk using statistical and stochastic methods. Following "Basil Committee on Banking Supervision" risk analysis is now a major issue for the banking Sector. Concepts and methods covered in this course can be applied to managing risk in various areas, but will proceed in the context related to risk analysis and management in finance and insurance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 647. Introduction to Mathematical Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 648. Stochastic Calculus with Application to Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
Stochastic calculus developing the basic probabilistic techniques necessary to study analytic models of financial markets. Brownian motion and the stochastic integral, stochastic differential equations, the Black-Scholes formula, Girsanov's theorem and applications to option pricing.
Prerequisite: MTH 647.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MTH 649. Computational Methods of Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
Solutions of nonlinear equations, interpolation, Monte Carlo methods, survey of matrix factorizations, numerical integration and differentiation, and introduction to finite differene and finite element methods for PDEs with applications to finance.
Prerequisite: CSC 220 and MTH 643 and MTH 648.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 650. Machine Learning in Quantitative Finance. 3 Credit Hours.
Machine learning techniques for financial applications. Best practices for model selection and construction of big financial data, including regression and classification techniques, and deep learning with application to forecasting financial time series.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTH 651. Introduction to Differential Geometry. 3 Credit Hours.
Geometry of curves and surfaces in Euclidean space. Local space curve theory, intrinsic and extrinsic curvature of surfaces, geodesics, parallelism, and differential forms.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 652. Abstract Algebra II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of MTH 561.
Prerequisite: MTH 661.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTH 653. Topics in Mathematics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics will vary by semester and will be announced in the schedule of course offerings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 654. Mathematical Probability. 3 Credit Hours.
Development of the measure-theoretic approach to probability. Random variables, central limit theory, laws of large numbers, martingales.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MTH 722. Stochastic Processes. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 733. Real Variables. 3 Credit Hours.
First semester of a two semester sequence: General measure theory, Lebesgue measure and integration, Lp spaces, Fourier series in one and many variables, Fourier transforms, distributions, Sobolev spaces, applications to partial differential equations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 734. Real Variables. 3 Credit Hours.
Second semester of a two semester sequence: General measure theory, Lebesgue measure and integration, Lp spaces, Fourier series in one and many variables, Fourier transforms, distributions, Sobolev spaces, applications to partial differential equations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 735. Complex Variables. 3 Credit Hours.
First semester of a two semester sequence: Analytic functions, conformality, Cauchy's Theorem, representation theorems, harmonic functions, calculus of residues, Riemann Mapping Theorem, entire and meromorphic functions, analytic continuation, normal families.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 736. Complex Variables. 3 Credit Hours.
Second semester of a two semester sequence: Analytic functions, conformality, Cauchy's Theorem, representation theorems, harmonic functions, calculus of residues, Riemann Mapping Theorem, entire and meromorphic functions, analytic continuation, normal families.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 741. Algebraic Topology. 3 Credit Hours.
First semester of a two semester sequence: Homotopy and homotopy type, fundamental group, covering spaces, higher homotopy groups, simplicial singular and cellular homology, Eilenberg-Steenrod axioms, cohomology, universal coefficient theorem, products, Kunneth formula, duality theorems for manifolds, computations and applications.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 742. Algebraic Topology. 3 Credit Hours.
Second semester of a two semester sequence: Homotopy and homotopy type, fundamental group, covering spaces, higher homotopy groups, simplicial singular and cellular homology, Eilenberg-Steenrod axioms, cohomology, universal coefficient theorem, products, Kunneth formula, duality theorems for manifolds, computations and applications.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 751. Differential Geometry. 3 Credit Hours.
First semester of a two semester sequence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 752. Differential Geometry. 3 Credit Hours.
Second semester of a two semester sequence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MTH 757. Lie Groups. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 761. Abstract Algebra I. 3 Credit Hours.
First semester of a two semester sequence: Group theory, ring theory, module theory, linear algebra.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 762. Abstract Algebra II. 3 Credit Hours.
Second semester of a two semester sequence: Group theory, ring theory, module theory, linear algebra.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 770. Directed Readings or Research. 2-4 Credit Hours.
Topics will vary at the discretion of faculty. Offering will be by arrangement.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 780. Topics in Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics will vary by semester and will be announced in the schedule of course offerings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 781. Topics in Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics will vary by semester and will be announced in the schedule of course offerings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 782. Topics in Topology. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics will vary by semester and will be announced in the schedule of course offerings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 783. Topics in Topology. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics will vary by semester and will be announced in the schedule of course offerings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 785. Topics in Algebra. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics will vary by semester and will be announced in the schedule of course offerings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 786. Topics in Mathematics. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics will vary by semester and will be announced in the schedule of course offerings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTH 787. Topics in Mathematics. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics will vary by semester and will be announced in the schedule of course offerings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MTH 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
To establish a residence for non-thesis master’s students who are preparing for major examinations. Credit not granted. Regarded as full-time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTH 830. Pre-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Credits earned in this course apply towards the 12 credit hour dissertation research requirement of the graduate school. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her dissertation advisor. Up to 12 hours may be taken in a regular semester, but not more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTH 835. Research Project. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Directed Research Project as approved by faculty.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTH 840. Post-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Credits earned in this course apply towards the 12 credit hour dissertation research requirement of the graduate school. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her dissertation advisor. Up to 12 hours may be taken in a regular semester, but not more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTH 845. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Research in Residence - establishing full-time status as a student.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTH 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D. after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering (MAE)

MAE 100. Introduction to Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic principles of automobile engines and engine efficiency. Introduction to robots and controls. Basic concepts of solar engineering and solar energy utilization. Principles of fuel cells and hydrogen energy. Introduction to aerospace engineering excluding the aspects of aerodynamics, propulsion and flight dynamics. Introduction to Aerodynamics of air planes and rockets.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

MAE 111. Introduction to Engineering I. 3 Credit Hours.
Use of engineering tools and computer techniques for problem solving. Data acquisition, analysis, presentation, software design, and computer aided drafting are covered. Development of design skills through several design and building competitions. Introduction to professional ethics and intellectual property rights. Introduction to use of MATLAB, AutoCAD, and programming in C++.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAE 112. Introduction to Engineering II. 2 Credit Hours.
Introduction to engineering design and the design process. Course topics include safety, reliability, human and environmental factors, economic analysis, and cost estimation. Professional ethics, product liability, solid modeling, machine shop orientation, and practice are also included. Group design projects.
Prerequisite: MAE 111.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MAE 202. Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
Discussion of motion description and analysis, application of Newton's laws, energy, and momentum principles to mechanical systems. Introduction to mechanical vibrations. Corequisite: PHY 205.
Prerequisite: CAE 210.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAE 207. Mechanics of Solids II. 3 Credit Hours.
Discussion of displacements, instability, flexural, shear, torsional, and principle stresses. Introduction to statically indeterminate analysis.
Prerequisite: CAE 210.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAE 241. Measurements Laboratory. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to experimental mechanical engineering. Basic principles of measurement, data interpretation, and uncertainty analysis are covered. Laboratory exercises in mechanical engineering areas are included.
Prerequisite: IEN 311 And ENG 107 Or Corequisite: MAE 207.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAE 301. Engineering Materials Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the physics and chemistry of the solid state including the structure and properties of metals, polymers, and ceramics. Corequisite: PHY 207.
Prerequisite: PHY 223 (207).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAE 302. Mechanical Behavior of Materials. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of metallurgy and mechanics to the study of the plastic deformation and fracture of metals, ceramics, and plastics.
Prerequisite: MAE 207.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAE 303. Thermodynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
Thermodynamic properties of materials; the first and second laws of thermodynamics; application to thermodynamic processes; introduction to heat transfer.
Prerequisite: PHY 222 (206) and MTH 162 or MTH 172.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAE 309. Fluid Mechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include fluid statics, fluid flow concepts, dynamics of inviscid and viscous fluids, closed and open channel flow, and compressibility effects.
Prerequisite: CAE 210 and PHY 222 (206).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAE 310. Heat Transfer. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of elementary methods of solution to heat transfer problems involving steady and unsteady state conduction, radiation, and convection. Introduction of meaningful experimental data is also included.
Prerequisite: MAE 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MAE 341. Mechanical Design I. 3 Credit Hours.
Concepts and software for kinematics, solid modeling, and project management. Fundamentals of mechanical design: stresses in and failure of mechanical elements. Individual and group design projects.
Prerequisite: MAE 202 and MAE 207.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 342. Mechanical Design II. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of the design process and creativity in design. Topics include design and reliability of gears, shafts, etc. Individual and group design projects are included.
Prerequisite: MAE 341.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 351. Mechanics Laboratory. 0-2 Credit Hours.
Exercises in the experimental determination of the mechanical properties of materials and the static and dynamic characteristics of mechanical and structural elements. Lecture, 1 hour; laboratory, 3 hours.
Prerequisite: MAE 302.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 362. Computer Analysis of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering Problems. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of physical systems behavior using discrete models. Topics include numerical analysis, solid modeling, and software evaluation. Students solve engineering problems using student-developed and existing software.
Prerequisite: MAE 111, MAE 341 and MTH 211. Corequisite: MAE 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 371. Aerodynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
Course discusses the history of flight. Topics include fundamental variables, the atmosphere, basic equations, their approximations, compressibility, viscosity, flow regimes potential flow, and aerodynamics of airfoil and wing.
Prerequisite: MAE 309.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 399. Cooperative Education. 1 Credit Hour.
Practical application of classroom theory through alternating semester or summer employment with firms offering positions consistent with the student's field of study. Course may be repeated.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAE 404. Experimental Engineering Laboratory. 0-2 Credit Hours.
Experimental analysis of problems in fluid mechanics, thermodynamics, and other areas of engineering. Lecture, 1 hour; laboratory, 3 hours.
Prerequisite: MAE 303 and MAE 309 and MAE 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 408. Heating, Ventilating, and Air Conditioning. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles and procedures for the analysis and design of heating, ventilating and air conditioning (HVAC) systems, including moist air properties and conditioning processes, heating and cooling load calculations, building energy consumption, thermal comfort, and indoor air quality. Not available for students having taken MAE 405.
Prerequisite: MAE 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MAE 412. System Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include dynamic modeling of mechanical and thermo-fluid systems. Laplace transforms, transfer functions, energy concepts, causality, linearity, linear graph models, energy transducing system elements, frequency domain methods.
Prerequisite: ECE 201 or ECE 205 and MAE 202 and MAE 309.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 415. Automatic Control. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to system theory, transfer functions, and state space modeling of physical systems. Course topics include stability, analysis and design of PID, Lead/Lag, other forms of controllers in time and frequency domains, root locus Bode diagrams, gain and phase margins, Nichols chart, Nyquist criterion, and systems with time delay.
Requisite: Senior Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 420. Applied Thermodynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MAE 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 440. Introduction to Capstone Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Lectures and classroom discussion of the design process including product safety and manufacturability. Students are required to initiate the process of designing, fabricating, testing and analyzing the data from a design project chosen by the students. The students are required to form groups to accomplish the desired objectives of the design project.
Prerequisite: MAE 303 and MAE 309.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 441. Design of Fluid and Thermal Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include thermal and fluid systems design fundamentals, piping systems, selection of pumps, piping system design practices, classification of heat exchanges. Basic design methods of heat exchange equipment is also included.
Prerequisite: MAE 309 and MAE 310.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAE 442. Capstone Design Project-I. 1 Credit Hour.
Lectures and classroom discussions cover (i) legal, ethical, and societal responsibilities of engineers, (ii) design factors such as product safety, reliability, life cycle costs, and manufacturability, and (iii) other aspects such as global market, contemporary issues, and continuous learning process. Students are required to select group design projects from the breadth of mechanical engineering activity and present project to serve as the basis for MAE 443.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAE 443. Capstone Design Project-II. 2 Credit Hours.
Continuation of the Capstone Design Project-I course. A mechanical system is designed, implemented, documented, and presented.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAE 444. Capstone Aerospace Design Project-I. 3 Credit Hours.
Lectures and classroom discussions cover (i) legal, ethical and societal responsibilities of engineers, (ii) design factors such as product safety, reliability, life cycle costs and manufacturability, and (iii) other aspects such as global market, contemporary issues and continuous learning process. Students are required to select group design projects from the breadth of aerospace engineering activity and present project proposals to serve as the basis for MAE 445.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MAE 445. Capstone Aerospace Design Project-II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of the Capstone Aerospace Design Project-I course. An aerospace system/subsystem is designed, implemented, documented and presented.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAE 446. Aircraft Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Concepts of aircraft design emphasizing on design layout including the airfoil geometry selection, propulsion integration, configuration layout, payload and landing gear system. Corequisite: MAE 471.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 470. Introduction to Aerospace Structures. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include mechanics of thin-walled aerospace structures, load analysis, virtual work, energy principles, stability of aerostructures, and finite element methods.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 471. Flight Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include aerodynamic performance, stability, control, propulsion systems, and structures. Case Studies of Aerospace Systems are also included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 472. Design of Aerospace Structures. 3 Credit Hours.
Design Philosophy and principles of aerospace structures. Detailed design of wing box structure, fuselage, landing gear mechanism, fasteners and structural joints. Application of composite materials.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 490. Undergraduate Research. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAE 501. Methods of Engineering Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of engineering systems in equilibrium and motion. Examples considered from mechanical, electrical, thermal and fluids engineering. Mathematical theory and computer methods for obtaining numerical solutions are developed for various cases involving discrete and continuous systems. Lecture, 3 hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 502. Vibrations. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic theory of free and forced vibrations of mechanical systems with and without damping. Applications to systems with one and several degrees of freedom are included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 503. Internal Combustion Engines. 3 Credit Hours.
Course discusses engine types, characteristics, and operation. Topics include performance factors, fuel combustion, power cycles, knock and engine variables, exhaust emissions, fuel metering, compressors, and turbines.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MAE 504. Orbitals Mechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of orbits in an inverse-square gravitational field; elementary rocket dynamics, impulsive orbit transfer and rendezvous, and Lambert’s Theorem with applications; patched-conic trajectories, planetary gravity-assist maneuvers, and linearized orbit theory with application to simplified analytical models; perturbations
Prerequisite: MAE 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MAE 505. Design for Manufacturability. 3 Credit Hours.
Manufacturing concerns at design stage. Design theory and methodology. Statistical considerations in geometric dimensioning, tolerances, reliability-based design, and quality control. Producibility, design for assembly, and value engineering. Life cycle costs and optimum design using nonlinear programming and Taguchi approaches. Hands on projects on machine tools.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAE 506. Nuclear Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include a review of neutron physics, chain reactions, reactor theory, steady state operation, and reactor kinetics. Control, long term reactivity changes, materials, heat transfer, and shielding are also included. Lecture, 3 hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAE 507. Advanced Mechanics of Solids. 3 Credit Hours.
Courses discusses the basic elements of elasticity, plasticity, and viscoelasticity. Application to mechanical systems at rest and in motion are included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 508. Intermediate Heat Transfer. 3 Credit Hours.
Course discusses steady and unsteady heat transfer by conduction, convective heat transfer in laminar and turbulent fluid flow, natural convection, and heat transfer by radiation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 509. Turbomachinery Aero-thermodynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic concepts of turbo machinery principle and thermo aerodynamic design, including gas-turbine engine cycles, compressor and turbine cascade, energy transfer in turbomachines, velocity diagrams, design and prediction of axial-flow compressors and turbines, radial-flow turbomachines, etc
Prerequisite: MAE 371 And MAE 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 510. Fundamentals of Solar Energy Utilization. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals basic to the design and performance analysis of thermal systems for the capture and utilization of Solar Energy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 512. Intermediate Fluid Mechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include conservation of mass, momentum, and energy, potential flow, viscous laminar and turbulent flows, the Reynolds analogy, and Boundary-layer approximations. Gas dynamics are also discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 514. Advanced Internal Combustion Engines Experimental Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Experimental mechanical engineering as it pertains to internal combustion engines. The principal measurements necessary to analyze the operation of an internal combustion engine are covered. Emphasis is placed on experiment planning, data interpretation, and error analysis.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MAE 516. Introduction to Composite Materials. 3 Credit Hours.
Course provides an introduction to composite materials and terminology. Topics include advantages offered by composite materials, current aerospace, automotive, and bio-mechanics applications, experimental results, analytical models, and effects of impact and fatigue loads. The environment’s impact on composite materials’ performance and design procedures are discussed. Case studies examining composite materials as efficient replacements are also included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAE 521. Exhaust Emission Control. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include automotive emissions, air pollution, combustion of homogeneous mixtures, emission control systems, Federal emission standards, and emission instrumentation and measurement. Lecture, 2 hours; Laboratory, 3 hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 528. Fuel Cells. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to fuel cells, thermodynamics of fuel cells, electrochemical kinetics in fuel cells, transport phenomena in fuel cells, introduction to various types of fuel cells.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 531. Scientific and Engineering Foundations of Additive Manufacturing. 1-4 Credit Hours.
This course introduces the AM technologies and covers the core materials science and manufacturing engineering fundamentals upon which the technologies are built. Advantages and limitations of the AM technologies are highlighted, along with future opportunities.
Prerequisite: MAE 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 532. Additive Manufacturing of Engineering Materials. 1-4 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on teaching the processing, structure, and property relationships in metals, polymers, polymer-based composites, and bio-compatible materials fabricated using additive manufacturing (AM). Students will be exposed to conventional and advanced applications of AM technologies.
Prerequisite: MAE 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 539. Heating, Ventilating and Air Conditioning System Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include basic HVAC systems, multizone systems, dual-duct systems, terminal reheat systems, variable air volume systems, induction and induction reheat systems, special applications, hydronic systems, unitary and heat pump systems, hydronic heat recovery systems, cooling and heating load calculation duct and piping design, overall system design, and integration.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 540. Energy Conversion. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include energy conversion, utilization, present and projected consumption of energy, thermodynamic principles, nuclear energy, fission and fusion reactions, hydroelectric power, and solar energy. Alternative energy sources, the hydrogen economy, and the energy-environment-economy system are also discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 551. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MAE 552. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAE 570. Aero Propulsion. 3 Credit Hours.
Definition of the atmosphere, propulsion basics, rocket fundamentals, turbine fundamentals, gas turbine cycles, component matching, math and computer models, aircraft missions, cycle section, reliability, and durability are analyzed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 590. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Subtitles describing the topics will be shown in parentheses in the class schedule, following the “Special Topics.”
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 591. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Subtitles describing the topics will be shown in parentheses in the class schedule, following the “Special Topics.”
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAE 599. Cooperative Education. 1 Credit Hour.
Practical application of classroom theory through alternating semester or summer employment with industries offering positions consistent with the student's field of study. Course may be repeated. Periodic reports and conferences are required.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAE 601. Methods of Engineering Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of engineering systems in equilibrium and motion. Examples considered from mechanical, electrical, thermal and fluids engineering. Mathematical theory and computer methods for obtaining numerical solutions are developed for various cases involving discrete and continuous systems. Lecture, 3 hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 602. Vibrations. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic theory of free and forced vibrations of mechanical systems with and without damping. Applications to systems with one and several degrees of freedom are included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MAE 603. Internal Combustion Engines. 3 Credit Hours.
Course discusses engine types, characteristics, and operation. Topics include performance factors, fuel combustion, power cycles, knock and engine variables, exhaust emissions, fuel metering, compressors, and turbines.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 604. Orbital Mechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of orbits in an inverse-square gravitational field; elementary rocket dynamics, impulsive orbit transfer and rendezvous, and Lambert's Theorem with applications; patched-conic trajectories, planetary gravity-assist maneuvers, and linearized orbit theory with application to simplified analytical models; perturbations. Prerequisite: MAE 202, or consent of instructor. 3 undergraduate hours or 3 graduate hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MAE 605. Design for Manufacturability. 3 Credit Hours.
Manufacturing concerns at design stage. Design theory and methodology. Statistical considerations in geometric dimensioning, tolerances, reliability-based design, and quality control. Producibility, design for assembly, and value engineering. Life cycle costs and optimum design using nonlinear programming and Taguchi approaches. Hands on projects on machine tools.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAE 607. Advanced Mechanics of Solids. 3 Credit Hours.
Courses discusses the basic elements of elasticity, plasticity, and viscoelasticity. Application to mechanical systems at rest and in motion are included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 608. Intermediate Heat Transfer. 3 Credit Hours.
Course discusses steady and unsteady heat transfer by conduction, convective heat transfer in laminar and turbulent fluid flow, natural convection, and heat transfer by radiation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 609. Turbomachinery Aero-thermodynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic concepts of turbo machinery principle and thermoaerodynamic design, including gas-turbine engine cycles, compressor and turbine cascade, energy transfer in turbomachines, velocity diagrams, design and prediction of axial-flow compressors and turbines, radial-flow turbomachines, etc Prerequisite: MAE 371 And MAE 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 612. Intermediate Fluid Mechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include conservation of mass, momentum, and energy, potential flow, viscous laminar and turbulent flows, the Reynolds analogy, and Boundary-layer approximations. Gas dynamics are also discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 614. Advanced Internal Combustion Engines Experimental Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Experimental mechanical engineering as it pertains to internal combustion engines. The principal measurements necessary to analyze the operation of an internal combustion engine are covered. Emphasis is placed on experiment planning, data interpretation, and error analysis.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 616. Introduction to Composite Materials. 3 Credit Hours.
Course provides an introduction to composite materials and terminology. Topics include advantages offered by composite materials, current aerospace, automotive, and bio-mechanics applications, experimental results, analytical models, and effects of impact and fatigue loads. The environment’s impact on composite materials’ performance and design procedures are discussed. Case studies examining composite materials as efficient replacements are also included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAE 621. Exhaust Emission Control. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include automotive emissions, air pollution, combustion of homogeneous mixtures, emission control systems, Federal emission standards, and emission instrumentation and measurement. Lecture, 2 hours; Laboratory, 3 hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 628. Fuel Cells. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to fuel cells, thermodynamics of fuel cells, electrochemical kinetics in fuel cells, transport phenomena in fuel cells, introduction to various types of fuel cells.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MAE 631. Scientific and Engineering Foundations of Additive Manufacturing. 1-4 Credit Hours.
This course introduces the AM technologies and covers the core materials science and manufacturing engineering fundamentals upon which the technologies are built. Advantages and limitations of the AM technologies are highlighted, along with future opportunities.
Prerequisite: MAE 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 632. Additive Manufacturing of Engineering Materials. 1-4 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on teaching the processing, structure, and property relationships in metals, polymers, polymer-based composites, and bio-compatible materials fabricated using additive manufacturing (AM). Students will be exposed to conventional and advanced applications of AM technologies.
Prerequisite: MAE 301.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 639. Heating, Ventilating and Air Conditioning System Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include basic HVAC systems, multizone systems, dual-duct systems, terminal reheat systems, variable air volume systems, induction and induction reheat systems, special applications, hydronic systems, unitary and heat pump systems, hydronic heat recovery systems, cooling and heating load calculation duct and piping design, overall system design, and integration.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 640. Energy Conversion. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include energy conversion, utilization, present and projected consumption of energy, thermodynamic principles, nuclear energy, fission and fusion reactions, hydroelectric power, and solar energy. Alternatives energy sources, the hydrogen economy, and the energy-environment-economy system are also discussed.
Prerequisite: Senior Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 651. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAE 652. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research through an individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAE 670. Aero Propulsion. 3 Credit Hours.
Definition of the atmosphere, propulsion basics, rocket fundamentals, turbine fundamentals, gas turbine cycles, component matching, math and computer models, aircraft missions, cycle section, reliability, and durability are analyzed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 690. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Subtitles describing the topics will be shown in parentheses in the class schedule, following the "Special Topics."
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MAE 691. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Subtitles describing the topics will be shown in parentheses in the class schedule, following the "Special Topics."
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MAE 692. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Subtitles describing the topics will be shown in parentheses in the class schedule, following the "Special Topics."
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAE 699. Cooperative Education. 1 Credit Hour.
Practical application of classroom theory through alternating semester or summer employment with industries offering positions consistent with the student's field of study. Course may be repeated. Periodic reports and conferences are required.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAE 701. Advanced Heat Transfer--Conduction and Radiation. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced analytical methods of solutions of boundary value problems of steady, periodic, and unsteady heat conductions. Topics include techniques of transient point, line, and plane sources and sinks, thermodynamics of radiative equilibrium, radiative exchange, geometrical factors, network, and other methods. Lecture, 3 hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 702. Advanced Heat Transfer--Convection. 3 Credit Hours.
The analogy between heat, mass, and momentum transfers. Topics include the transfer mechanism, heat transfer to liquid metals, boiling and condensation mechanisms, heat transfer in two-phase flow, ablation heat transfer, transpiration, film cooling, and heat exchanges. Lecture, 3 hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 705. Finite Element Methods in Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Finite-element analysis methods for static and dynamic analysis of mechanical and aerospace structures, heat transfer analysis, and fluid flow applications. Primary emphasis is placed on underlying mechanics and numerical techniques. Consideration is also given to the use of existing programs, such as ANSYS, NASTRAN and FIDAP, designing proper meshes, and choosing the proper element. A term project is included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MAE 706. Experimental Methods in Fluid Mechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include methods of flow visualization, laser techniques in measurement of wall motions, conduit compliance, Newtonian and non-Newtonian properties of fluids, measurement of unsteady flow and pressure, laser Doppler anemometry, ultrasound Doppler velocimetry, electromagnetic flowmetry, measurement of steady and unsteady wall shear stresses and boundary layers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAE 713. Transport Phenomena. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include laws of molecular transfer, the kinetic theory explanation of molecular transfer phenomena, introduction to turbulence, and molecular transfer in laminar and turbulent flows with experimental results. A unified treatment of salient aspects of momentum, heat, and mass transfer including the relationship between rate and conservation equations are also discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MAE 714. Computational Fluid Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
Incompressible flow equations in rectangular co-ordinates. Topics include basic computational methods for incompressible flow, three dimensional flows, compressible flow equations in rectangular coordinates, basic computational methods for compressible flows, treatment of shocks, artificial viscosities, convergence, other mesh systems, programming, testing, and information processing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MAE 730. Mechanical Systems Optimization. 3 Credit Hours.  
Optimization as an element of the engineering design process. Topics include comparative examination of unconstrained algorithms, as well as development and application of methods for constrained optimization problems. Case studies which demonstrate the theory and application of mathematical programming as a design tool are also included.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Spring.  

MAE 740. Continuum Mechanics. 3 Credit Hours.  
Course discusses concepts that are common to all continuous media. Topics include elements of tensor analysis, motion, deformation, vorticity, material derivatives, mass balance equation, and balance of linear and angular momentum as well as energy. Stress and its geometric characterization, constitutive equations of solid and fluid type behavior, fundamental applications, and the Clausius-Duhem inequality are also covered.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Spring.  

MAE 751. Master's Project. 3 Credit Hours.  
A required project for M.S. students in the non-thesis option.  
Components: THI.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.  

MAE 752. Master's Capstone Project. 4 Credit Hours.  
A required project for the five year BSME/MSME program.  
Components: THI.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.  

MAE 762. CAD and FEM for Stress Analysis of 3D Printed Structures. 1-4 Credit Hours.  
Computer aided design and analyses of physical systems behavior using discrete models. Topics include CAD design, numerical analysis, and FEM modeling of 3D printed materials and structures. Students solve engineering problems using student-developed and existing software.  
Prerequisite: MAE 362 and Graduate student standing.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Spring.  

MAE 780. Graduate Colloquium. 1 Credit Hour.  
Presentations by selected speakers of weekly programs dealing with topics of interest in Mechanical Engineering. Attendance is required of all students registered in Mechanical Engineering graduate programs.  
Components: SEM.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.  

MAE 791. Professional Communications Skills for Engineering Grad Students. 0 Credit Hours.  
This course covers fundamental areas in professional communication for Engineering graduate students. Topic areas include: presenting research at conferences, writing manuscripts for publication, preparing the dissertation, the PhD comprehensive exams, effective teaching and mentoring, and obtaining positions in academia. Through interactive workshops, in-class exercises, brief presentations and assignments, students will have an opportunity to practice and strengthen necessary communication skills, developing collaborations, and developing effective presentation skills.  
Components: MOD.  
Grading: SUS.  
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.  

MAE 792. Special Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.  
Research and/or design projects consisting of individual investigation of current problems. Offered by special arrangement only.  
Components: THI.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.  

MAE 798. Advanced Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.  
Subject matter offerings based upon student demand and availability of faculty. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed class schedule, following the title "Advanced Topics".  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MAE 810. Master’s Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master’s thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAE 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master’s degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in MAE 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAE 830. Pre-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Doctoral dissertation credits taken prior to Ph.D. student’s candidacy. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Not more than 12 hours of MAE 730 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAE 840. Post-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Doctoral dissertation credits taken after Ph.D. student has been admitted to candidacy. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Not more than 12 credits in MAE 740 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six credits in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MAE 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D. and D.A., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**Medicine (MDR)**

MDR 1000. RMC Shoulder Orthopedic Surgery. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This is a 2 or 4 week elective intended to expose the senior medical student to a comprehensive experience in orthopedic shoulder surgery. During the 2 or 4 week rotation, the student will spend approximately 50% of the time in an office clinical setting evaluating patients with shoulder disorders and 50% of the time in the operating room gaining surgical experience and insight. The surgical experience will be 60% arthroscopic shoulder surgery and 40% open shoulder surgery. The elective will be spent under the direction of one surgeon. There will be on-call responsibilities though not burdensome. For those students interested in a 4 week elective, there will be clinical outcomes research opportunities, and the opportunity to work with other orthopedic specialists within the group.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 1001. RMC Developmental and Behavioral Pediatrics. 2 Credit Hours.
This is an outpatient private practice rotation at the office of Dr. Aronson-Ramos in Coconut Creek, located in northern Broward county. This busy private practice sees children, teens, and young adults with diverse neuro-developmental issues. The practice has a family centered approach and considerable time is spent interviewing family members and observing and interacting with patients. Students will learn about diagnostic assessments and treatment planning for the most common pediatric neuro-developmental problems. Common conditions the student will encounter include: autism spectrum disorders, ADHD, developmental delays, anxiety disorders, mild depression, syndromes, disruptive behavioral disorders, obsessive compulsive disorder, among other clinical issues.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
MDR 1002. RMC Pediatric Otolaryngology. 2-4 Credit Hours.

1. This clinical elective will expose students to the subspecialty of Pediatric Otolaryngology—Head and Neck Surgery.
   i) Students will have the opportunity to learn by seeing patients in our private office as well as assisting in the operating room.
   ii) This elective is designed with two different types of student interests in mind, and will be individually tailored to the individual student’s interests.

   i) PRIMARY CARE TRACK
      (1) For students interested in entering medical fields with a primary focus on treating children (e.g., Pediatrics, Family Practice, etc.)
      (2) Students will learn evidence-based medical management of acute and chronic problems of the ears, nose, and throat in children.

   ii) SURGICAL SPECIALTY TRACK
      (1) For students interested in becoming Otolaryngologists, or other related surgical fields (e.g., pediatric surgery, neurosurgery, ophthalmology, plastic and craniofacial surgery, neuroradiology)
      (2) Students will complete all of the objectives of the Primary Care Track.
      (3) Students will be exposed to surgical decision making and the criteria for medical vs. surgical management of Pediatric ENT disorders.
      (4) Students will experience performing pre-operative work-up and post-operative management of surgical cases.
      (5) Students will assist in more complicated Pediatric ENT surgical procedures.
      (6) Students will have the option of performing inpatient Pediatric ENT consultations.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 1003. Public Health Clerkship. 2 Credit Hours.

This is a 4-week required rotation for students in the MD/MPH track. This sub-internship will expose them to the professional responsibilities and workflow of a physician trained and practicing public health. Each week the student will be rotating through various clinics within the health department. They will also have weekly interaction with the Department of Health preventive medicine residents. The student will spend time at the Palm Beach County Health Department administrative offices interacting in didactic sessions and journal club presentation with the Preventive Medicine Residents.

The didactic curriculum will be linked to the residency program curriculum. Students will be scheduled to rotate through the health department’s HIV and sexual health clinics (OB/GYN, STD and family planning). Students will also rotate in the JFK Internal Medicine Residency continuity clinic. They will participate in the residency clinic ambulatory didactic, journal club and interdisciplinary psychology conferences.

Students will also have dedicated time to complete their fieldwork and capstone during the rotation. Students will receive a final grade (P/F), based on clinical evaluations, participation in didactics, assigned tasks and a final journal club presentation.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 1004. Remediation / Make Up Place Holder. 0 Credit Hours.

Remediation / Make up place holder.

Components: CLN.
Grading: NON.

Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MDR 1005. Healthcare System Quality Improvement. 2 Credit Hours.

This elective was conceived out of the recognition for the need for medical students to broaden their knowledge of the healthcare system, and their role in facilitating change within this structure. In order to be well rounded physician-leaders, students should have a basic understanding of their role in the team of healthcare professionals within the framework of our healthcare system.

As such, this course aims to provide students with a better understanding of how health care disciplines outside of medicine (such as nursing, pharmacy, laboratory, etc) as well as business, administration and public health fields interact. One way to study this cross-disciplinary intersection is through familiarizing oneself with the basics of process improvement as it applies to health care.

This elective provides an opportunity for third and fourth year medical students to gain knowledge of the fundamentals of healthcare quality and process improvement through a combination of didactic learning sessions and hands-on experience.

Students will expand their learning environment beyond the typical classroom and clinical settings in order to complete a practical, relevant quality improvement project working in collaboration with health care administrators, allied health professionals and physicians leaders at our institution.

This longitudinal experience provides students the opportunity to receive two weeks of elective credit by completing online coursework through the Institute for Healthcare Improvement Open School, classroom-based didactic sessions, “field work” outside of patient-physician encounter, and, ultimately, a scholarly project in a quality/process improvement area of their choosing.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 1006. HCH Colorectal Surgery. 2-4 Credit Hours.

This is a 2 or 4 week elective that will provide students with an exposure to a private practice specializing in colorectal surgery. The student will be one-on-one with a colorectal surgeon.

Dr. Schochet specializes further in high resolution anoscopy, HIV-related anal disease and minimally invasive surgery.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 1007. RMC Plastic Surgery. 2-4 Credit Hours.

This is a 2 or 4 week rotation intended for the senior medical student who is interested in plastic surgery as a career choice or simply wants exposure to the field. The rotation will provide a comprehensive exposure to all facets of aesthetic plastic and reconstructive surgery in a community setting.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
MDR 1008. WPB VAMC Pathology. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This is a 2 or 4 week rotation intended to give the student a global concept of how the ancillary medical discipline of Pathology integrates into the patient’s diagnosis and ongoing management. The student, who already has a basic working knowledge of clinical medicine, will be able to appreciate the value of appropriate choice of laboratory tests to help patient management from a laboratory perspective.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 1009. RMC Medical Education Elective. 2 Credit Hours.
This elective is grounded in the University of Miami Miller School of Medicine MD/MPH track course work. It offers students who are interested in medical education the opportunity to become familiar with what is required to build and maintain a medical curriculum as well as hone their educational skills in the classroom and clinical setting. The MD/MPH curriculum is able to provide an excellent environment for learning about medical education as it incorporates both problem-based learning and didactic lectures on the Miami campus as well as integrated and traditional clerkship models at the regional campus. This elective will allow senior students the opportunity to gain further insight into the overall goals of medical education and receive a well-rounded immersion in the areas of teaching and curriculum development.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 1010. University of Miami School of Medicine Bridge Course. 0 Credit Hours.
The intention of the new Bridge Course is to facilitate the transition of medical students from IMU to UMMSM. Students will be joining the incoming second year class after successful completion of this four week course.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MDR 1013. Med-Peds. 4 Credit Hours.
Combined Internal Medicine and Pediatrics is a unique specialty that trains physicians in the care of patients of all ages. The elective aims to give students exposure to Med/Peds in an urban primary care practice setting. Students will see routine care of newborns, infants, children, adolescents and adults, as well as care of patients with complex pediatric diseases as they transition into adulthood.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 1014. Jupiter Medical Center Cardiothoracic Surgery. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This elective in cardiothoracic surgery will provide students the ability to learn in a preceptor based model about the management of diseases of the thorax. The student will work as an active member of the thoracic team; engaging with patients in the thoracic clinic, performing preoperative and post-operative assessment, as well as hospital rounds. The student will be introduced with hands on experience with leading edge technologies as EndoBronchial Ultra-sound (EBUS), Navigational bronchoscopy, Robotic surgery as well as VATS and open procedures.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 1015. RMC Dermatology. 2 Credit Hours.
This is a two-week elective is intended to expose the senior medical student to a spectrum of experiences in a private practice outpatient dermatology setting. During the two-week rotation, the student will spend time in a private practice dermatology office and will take part in patient visits and observe common outpatient dermatologic procedures including surgical and cosmetic procedures.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 1016. RMC Interdisciplinary Women's Health. 4 Credit Hours.
Students will be exposed to all aspects of women's health, both benign and malignant disease. This rotation is suitable for students considering careers in Primary Care, OB/GYN, GYN Oncology, Breast Surgery, General Surgery or Surgical Oncology.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 1017. RMC Interdisciplinary Women's Oncology. 4 Credit Hours.
Students will be exposed to all aspects of women's oncology, including breast, ovarian and other women's cancers, including patients with genetic risk of breast or ovarian cancer. Suitable for students considering careers in Primary Care, OB/GYN, GYN Oncology, Breast Surgery, General Surgery or Surgical Oncology.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
MDR 1018. Pediatric Mobile Clinic. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This is an outpatient rotation on the University of Miami Pediatric Mobile Clinic (PMC). The PMC is a clinic on wheels that delivers comprehensive pediatric primary care primarily to uninsured children from birth to 21 years of age throughout Miami Dade County free of charge. The PMC provides care for some of the neediest children in communities including Little Havana, West Dade, Homestead, Florida City, Little Haiti/North Miami, Sweetwater, Kendall and Miami Beach. Patients encountered reflect the diverse population of Miami-Dade County. Many are new immigrants and non-English speaking patients accessing medical care for the first time. Thirteen percent of children served have complex medical needs; 20% of the children have disabilities or developmental concerns. Clinic activities include sick and well-child care and follow up for chronic conditions. Students will work independently and responsibilities will include taking histories, conducting physical exams and discussing assessment and plans of care with the entire unit team including resident and attending physicians, nurse practitioners, social worker, therapist, and psychologist. Students also have the opportunity to do basic procedures such as throat swab, urinalysis, phlebotomy and administration of immunizations and provide counseling and education to patients and families. The students will have an opportunity to participate in telehealth and medical-legal clinics on the unit as well as special projects that are taking place. In addition, students will learn about the public health issues related to caring for uninsured, underserved populations and the social determinants that play a role in health and accessing health care. They will also learn about community resources available to underserved populations.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 1019. Senior Capstone Course: Transition to Residency. 2 Credit Hours.
The Senior Capstone Course: Transition to Residency offers fourth-year medical students an opportunity to review and hone core concepts, diagnostic/therapeutic algorithms, procedural skills, and communication tools in preparation for their first-year of residency. This is an elective course offered to a maximum of 20 students per class.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 1020. WPB VAMC Radiology. 2 Credit Hours.
Students will be able to take a 2 week elective block during their fourth year in diagnostic radiology. During the block, students will spend their time in the department of radiology with the faculty and radiology technicians. They will be responsible for working with radiologists and compiling the medical history as appropriate for the imaging modality.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 1021. HCH Interventional Radiology. 2-4 Credit Hours.
Students will be able to take a 2-4 week elective during their fourth year in diagnostic and interventional radiology. During the block, students will spend their time in the department of radiology with the faculty and radiology technicians. They will be working with radiologists on diagnostic imaging, interventional procedures, imaging and compiling the medical history as appropriate for the procedure. They should also attend any conferences or other teaching seminars offered in radiology during their assigned time.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 1022. HCH Infectious Disease. 2-4 Credit Hours.
Infectious Disease Medicine requires an understanding of the microbiology, prevention and management of diseases caused by viral, bacterial, fungal and parasitic infections, including the appropriate use of antimicrobial agents, vaccines and other immunobiologic agents. The Infectious Disease fourth year elective at Holy Cross Hospital will provide students with the skills to begin to appropriately provide preventive, diagnostic and therapeutic care for many infections. There will also be specific experiences in HIV clinics to learn about the management of patients with HIV infection.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 1024. Forensic Psychiatry. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This is a 4-week elective intended to expose the senior medical student to a spectrum of experiences in forensic psychiatry. The student will spend a portion of each week in various hospital and community settings that involve the clinical practice of aspects of forensic psychiatry.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 1025. OB/GYN Boot Camp – Transition to Residency. 2 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this course is to allow all M4 students who match in OB/GYN or related residencies to enter their intern year with a solid knowledge base and set of procedural skills related to women's health, obstetrical care and gynecologic surgery. Participation in the two-week course will allow students to practice procedural and basic surgical skills, enhance their OB/GYN knowledge, and review APGO practice guidelines. This course is intended to consolidate and expand upon skills learned on the core clerkship and OB/GYN M4 electives.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
MDR 1027. RMC Venous Vascular Disease. 2-4 Credit Hours.
Phlebology is an innovative medical specialty in the diagnosis and treatment of disorders of venous origin. This elective will introduce the subspecialty of Phlebology to medical students interested in careers in vein disease and their related specialties (vascular surgery, general surgery, interventional cardiology, cardiology, cardiothoracic surgery and interventional radiology) and to the basic understanding of fundamental venous diseases pertinent to the practice in the primary care setting of internal medicine and family medicine. Phlebology pushes the forefront of medicine into a new direction by offering diagnostics, treatment options, and research and development opportunities not previously available for the patients with venous disease. This elective is intended to expose the medical student to a spectrum of experiences in a private practice outpatient phlebology office and will take part in patient visits and observe common outpatient venous procedures including office-based surgical and cosmetic procedures in Palm Beach County.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 1028. HCH Medicine Sub-I. 4 Credit Hours.
The objective of this rotation is to provide students with hands on clinical experiences that are specifically designed to mirror their upcoming roles as interns in postgraduate training. The medical Sub-intern will master specific core competencies and basic principles of inpatient medical care. The sub-I will be a member of a medical ward team that consists of an attending, two residents, and two interns. The sub-intern will work specifically with one resident on the team who will directly oversee the sub-I and the care of his/her patients. They will focus on delivery of inpatient care to general medical patients as well as collaborate with medical and surgical subspecialties and develop efficient hand offs of care. They will attend daily afternoon report and attending rounds as well as participate in daily sign out/hand off rounds. Sub-Interns will attend weekly academic half days, weekly grand rounds, and weekly sessions with sub-internship coordinators to review key inpatient topics. Typical days begin at 7am, and alternate ending at 4pm and 7 pm. You will have one day off every week. There is no night coverage during this rotation.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 1029. Plastic Surgery SUB-I. 4 Credit Hours.
The primary objective of this rotation is to promote the development and mastery of clinical core plastic, aesthetic, and reconstructive competencies and to review common reconstructive and cosmetic conditions. The practice of evidence based medicine is promoted by encouraging students to conduct literature search for current guidelines.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 1030. Transition to Clinical Rotations. 1 Credit Hour.
Overview: a) Students will take part in mandatory activities, including didactic, experiential and independent activities to prepare them to take part in clinical rotations; b) This experience is required for all students prior to participating in the third year rotations. Course Design - a)
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 1031. Minimally Invasive Gynecologic Surgery. 2-4 Credit Hours.
The objective is for the student to gain experience in the diagnostic and therapeutic approaches for various obstetrical scenarios through participating in direct patient care. Students will enhance interpersonal skills and professional conduct in the female pregnant patient encounter setting. After completing the rotation, students should feel comfortable with the management of an uncomplicated vaginal delivery and also gain insight into the management of the complicated obstetrical patient.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 1032. Pediatric Palliative Care. 2-4 Credit Hours.
OVERVIEW This is a 2-4 week elective intended to expose the senior medical student to a spectrum of life-threatening and complex medical illnesses in pediatrics. The student will work directly with a faculty physician and the Palliative Care Nurse Coordinator and interface with a broad spectrum of pediatric sub-specialties. COURSE DESIGN The student will spend time at Holtz Children's Hospital on the Palliative Care consult service, seeing patients in consultation and follow-up, and discussing them with the fellows and attending on rounds. Patients may also be seen in an Outpatient Clinic setting and during Home Visits as needed. All students will meet with Dr. Cantwell, the rotation coordinator, and interact with faculty overseeing the Palliative Care initiative. Students are expected to attend the weekly Palliative Care Interdisciplinary Conference
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
MDR 1033. Introduction to Orthopedic Surgery. 2 Credit Hours.
Orthopedic Surgery is an increasingly competitive field for medical students to match into. Appropriate evaluation of the students’ aptitude, interest in the field, compassion for patient treatment and strength of application is important to thoroughly guide students through the residency application process. While there are multiple facets considered in an application, many students applying to residency often lack insight into their relative competitiveness and need more concrete advice on how to improve their chances of matching. The goal of this rotation is to provide qualified students who are interested in pursuing a career in Orthopaedic Surgery an opportunity to work clinically with faculty mentors (Associate Program Director/Faculty Advisor to Orthopaedic Surgery Interest Group), both of whom have special interest in student education. In addition to this clinical experience, the faculty will provide recommendations, guidance, and mentorship towards a possible application to orthopedic residency programs. The mentors will provide comments regarding the students’ performance to the Chairman/Program Director of the Orthopaedic Surgery program here at the University of Miami.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 1034. Pediatrics Boot Camp - Transition to Residency. 2 Credit Hours.
Overview: Our immersive course offers the unique opportunity to learn what it means and what is required to become a pediatrician. It includes review of key concepts and knowledge, common pediatric physiology and pediatric illnesses, practice of common procedures, and hopes to generate self-reflection and guidance on human aspects such as professionalism, communication with families, patients, and team members, leadership, wellness, and life management skills (coping with challenges and stress of residency). Course Design: This 2-week elective course uses highly interactive didactics such as small group case discussions, procedural skills labs, group-based simulations, team building exercises, and lectures. It provides one-on-one conversations with current PGY1’s (who will be on the cusp of completion of their intern year), Chief Residents, and pediatric faculty. It is divided equally into one inpatient and one outpatient week. A sample schedule is provided with this course description (see below).
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MDR 1035. Developmental-Behavioral Pediatrics. 4 Credit Hours.
Overview: This is a 4-week elective to expose the medical student to a spectrum of experiences in developmental and behavioral pediatrics. The student will rotate through different clinic/community settings and see patients based on the emphasis at that location. Course Design: The student will spend time at the Mailman Center for Child development as well as the pediatric University of Miami Hospital Clinics. The student will gain exposure to developmental-behavioral pediatrics through observation and participation in the Behavioral Pediatrics Clinic, the Interdisciplinary Developmental Service, the Developmental Screening clinic, and various aspects of the Leadership Education in Neurodevelopmental and related Disabilities (LEND) trainee program. At the various clinics, the student will learn the aspects included in a comprehensive developmental pediatrics history as well as participate in discussions to help decide treatment options. Finally, the student will complete the LEND program by attending weekly classes at the Mailman Center and creating a leadership/advocacy project.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MDR 1036. Point Care of Ultrasound Elective. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This is an intensive 2-week elective, which will teach the senior medical student point-of-care, bedside emergency ultrasound. The medical student will gain knowledge and competency, through supervised and independent scanning with an ultrasound machine in the JMH Emergency Department, online modules, scholarly articles, image review and a final US presentation. This elective is opened to students applying into all specialties of medicine, not just emergency medicine. No Emergency Medicine SLOE’s will be written based off this elective rotation.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 1037. Emergency Medicine Boot Camp - Transition to Residency. 2 Credit Hours.
The Emergency Medicine Boot Camp – Transition to Residency elective offers fourth-year medical students matching into emergency medicine the ability to enhance their critical thinking and clinical skills at the level expected of an incoming emergency medicine intern. With an effort to maximize our students’ focus for successful preparation and transition into residency, this elective will review undifferentiated clinical presentations for common ED chief complaints, infuse in specialty-specific, basic science anatomy, physiology and pharmacology review, expand on the students’ repertoire of procedural and clinical skills and allow for small group collaboration within the course and interdisciplinary collaboration with other specialty-specific capstone bootcamps. Elements of resident professionalism, wellness, time management and personal organization will also be addressed. This elective course is offered to all Miami and Regional Campus emergency medicine bound students. This Emergency Medicine Bootcamp elective is part of the larger Senior Capstone Courses focused on the Transitions to Residency educational initiative. While emergency medicine students can enroll in this course independently, the highest yield is if completed in conjunction and after the broader Senior Capstone Course: Transitions to Residency (MDR 1019).
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 200. Medical Curriculum 2. 18 Credit Hours.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
MDR 500. Medical Curriculum 5 MD/PHD Research. 18 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 501. Fundamentals of Biomedical Science: Molecular Basis of Life. 4 Credit Hours.
The Fundamentals of Biomedical Science: Molecular Basis of Life is a course that gives the students the fundamental elements of medical biochemistry, molecular and clinical genetics. The medical biochemistry section includes the basic fundamentals of amino acids, vitamins, proteins, lipids and carbohydrates. The pathways of metabolism and energy production are also studied. The fundamentals of molecular and clinical genetics are discussed. The concepts such as translation, transcription, mutation, single and multiple gene effects are discussed.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 502. Fundamentals of Biomedical Science: Cellular Function and Regulation I. 2 Credit Hours.
The Fundamentals of Biomedical Science: Cellular Function and Regulation I course is an introductory course into normal cellular physiology and the general principles of pharmacology. Mechanisms of normal cellular function that are fundamental to all cellular systems are taught during this course. The general concepts of pharmacokinetics including drug delivery, distribution in the body, metabolism, and elimination are discussed during the introduction to pharmacology.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 503. Fundamentals of Biomedical Science: Host Defense, Pathogens, and Pathology. 6 Credit Hours.
The Fundamentals of Biomedical Science: Host Defense, Pathogens, and Pathology course is an introductory course that deals with the general principles of immunobiology and microbiology. It also provides students with an introduction to the principles of pathology. Students are introduced into the normal functioning of the immune defense system and abnormal functioning during disease such as HIV and cancer. The microbiology section of the course deals primarily with prototypical pathogens of bacterial, viral, fungal or parasitic origin. The pathology section deals with the fundamentals of pathological process such as inflammation, necrosis, neoplasia and thrombosis.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 504. Human Structure I. 7.5 Credit Hours.
The Human Structure I course contains 4 sections that include gross anatomy of the human body, histology of tissues, introduction to cell biology, and introduction to embryology. In the gross anatomy section students are expected to learn the various structures of the human body and their relationships to each other. The gross anatomy course uses dissection of human cadavers and body imaging in the form of CT and MRI to assist in the teaching process. The microscopic anatomy of the various structures of the body are studied in the histology section of the course. The cell biology section introduces the students to various components of the cell and the various functions of these organelles. In the embryology section students learn about the development of the human from the union of the egg and sperm to the birth of the baby.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 505. Human Structure II. 0.5 Credit Hours.
The Human Structure II course contains 4 sections that include gross anatomy of the human body, histology of tissues, introduction to cell biology, and introduction to embryology. In the gross anatomy section students are expected to learn the various structures of the human body and their relationships to each other. The gross anatomy course uses dissection of human cadavers and body imaging in the form of CT and MRI to assist in the teaching process. The microscopic anatomy of the various structures of the body are studied in the histology section of the course. The cell biology section introduces the students to various components of the cell and the various functions of these organelles. In the embryology section students learn about the development of the human from the union of the egg and sperm to the birth of the baby.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 506. Neuroscience and Behavioral Science. 8 Credit Hours.
The Neuroscience and Behavioral Science module is an interdisciplinary approach to the study of the nervous system. It incorporates the basic sciences of neuroanatomy, neurophysiology, neurochemistry, pharmacology, neuropathology, microbiology, immunology, and behavioral psychology. Students learn the basic structure and function of the nervous system from the brain to the muscle and motor units. Common disease processes that affect the nervous system are discussed with respect to the basic science of the system. The basic and clinical aspects of behavioral science are also a major portion of the module. Students are introduced to the basic science of behavioral medicine and the common diseases that are encountered. The clinical sciences of neurology, neurosurgery, otolaryngology and psychiatry are represented and offer the clinical applications of the basic sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
MDR 507. Cardiovascular System. 8 Credit Hours.
The Cardiovascular System module is an interdisciplinary approach to the study of the cardiovascular system including the heart and blood vascularure. The basic sciences of anatomy, physiology, pharmacology, biochemistry, pathology and immunology are integrated with the clinical sciences of cardiology in the study of cardiac function and its response to changes in the body with aging from birth to the elderly. The principles of preload, afterload, cardiac output, cardiac failure, EKG, echo and stress testing are discussed. The effects of congenital defects and the surgical procedures to correct these defects are also discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 508. Problem Based Learning I. 0.25 Credit Hours.
The Problem Based Learning I course has the following objectives: 1) integrate different key concepts in human structure, biochemistry, genetics, microbiology and immunology within a case based, problem-centered format and 2) promote self-directed learning and problem solving. PBL I employs small group teaching, with trained facilitators, where students engage in applying basic science principles to clinical problems.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 509. Problem Based Learning II. 0.25 Credit Hours.
The Problem Based Learning II course has the following objectives: 1) integrate different key concepts in basic sciences related to medicine within a case based, problem-centered format and 2) promote self-directed learning and problem solving. PBL II employs small group teaching, with trained facilitators, where students engage in applying basic science principles to clinical problems.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 510. Fundamentals of Biomedical Science: Cellular Function and Regulation II. 2 Credit Hours.
The Fundamentals of Biomedical Science: Cellular Function and Regulation II course is an introductory course into normal cellular physiology and the general principles of pharmacology. Mechanisms of normal cellular function that are fundamental to all cellular systems are taught during this course. The general concepts of pharmacokinetics including drug delivery, distribution in the body, metabolism, and elimination are discussed during the introduction to pharmacology.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 511. Clinical Skills I. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 512. Geriatrics I. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 513. Foundations in Population Health and Health System Sciences. 2 Credit Hours.
The focus of this course is to address current issues in public health with special attention to individual populations and also to provide an introduction to the workings of the health system as a whole.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 516. Complimentary Medicine and Nutrition. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 517. Systems Based Care Theme. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 518. Physicianship I. 4 Credit Hours.
Include eight themes which are: Behavioral Medicine and Special Populations, Clinical Skills, Complementary and Alternative Medicine, Evidence-Based Medicine, Geriatrics - Pain Management and Palliative Care, Population Health, Professionalism and Systems-Based Care.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 519. Physicianship II. 4 Credit Hours.
Include eight themes, which are: Behavioral Medicine and Special Populations, Clinical Skills, Complementary and Alternative Medicine, Evidence-Based Medicine, Geriatrics - Pain Management and Palliative Care, Population Health, Professionalism and Systems-Based Care.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
MDR 520. Symptoms, Signs, and Disease 1. 3 Credit Hours.
The Symptoms, Signs, and Disease course series (SSD 1-6) provides a symptom-oriented and case-based approach to the pathophysiology of
diseases frequently seen in patients by the generalist physician. This is accomplished through active learning that develops clinical knowledge
organized into discrete symptom units, integrating foundational basic science disciplines together with clinical correlates in the arenas of radiology,
pharmacology, diagnostic testing, pathology and exposure to patient panels. Students learn clinical reasoning skills incorporating common symptoms,
clinical signs, diagnostic tests, and an initial differential diagnosis. SSD-1 focuses on allergy/clinical immunology, infectious disease, and common
disorders of the skin.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MDR 521. Symptoms, Signs, and Disease 2. 4 Credit Hours.
The Symptoms, Signs, and Disease course series (SSD 1-6) provides a symptom-oriented and case-based approach to the pathophysiology of
diseases frequently seen in patients by the generalist physician. This is accomplished through active learning that develops clinical knowledge
organized into discrete symptom units, integrating foundational basic science disciplines together with clinical correlates in the arenas of radiology,
pharmacology, diagnostic testing, pathology and exposure to patient panels. Students learn clinical reasoning skills incorporating common symptoms,
clinical signs, diagnostic tests, and an initial differential diagnosis. SSD-2 focuses on the pathophysiological processes of rheumatic, musculoskeletal
and hematologic diseases.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MDR 522. Symptoms, Signs, and Disease 3. 6 Credit Hours.
The Symptoms, Signs, and Disease course series (SSD 1-6) provides a symptom-oriented and case-based approach to the pathophysiology of
diseases frequently seen in patients by the generalist physician. This is accomplished through active learning that develops clinical knowledge
organized into discrete symptom units, integrating foundational basic science disciplines together with clinical correlates in the arenas of radiology,
pharmacology, diagnostic testing, pathology and exposure to patient panels. Students learn clinical reasoning skills incorporating common symptoms,
clinical signs, diagnostic tests, and an initial differential diagnosis. SSD-3 focuses on the pathophysiology of acute and chronic diseases of the
cardiovascular, respiratory and renal systems and their collective roles in the homeostasis of oxygen delivery and utilization.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MDR 523. Symptoms, Signs, and Disease 4. 3 Credit Hours.
The Symptoms, Signs, and Disease course series (SSD 1-6) provides a symptom-oriented and case-based approach to the pathophysiology of
diseases frequently seen in patients by the generalist physician. This is accomplished through active learning that develops clinical knowledge
organized into discrete symptom units, integrating foundational basic science disciplines together with clinical correlates in the arenas of radiology,
pharmacology, diagnostic testing, pathology and exposure to patient panels. Students learn clinical reasoning skills incorporating common symptoms,
clinical signs, diagnostic tests, and an initial differential diagnosis. SSD-4 focuses on the pathophysiological processes that occur during disease
states within the digestive organs and the gastrointestinal system.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MDR 524. Symptoms, Signs, and Disease 5. 6 Credit Hours.
The Symptoms, Signs, and Disease course series (SSD 1-6) provides a symptom-oriented and case-based approach to the pathophysiology of
diseases frequently seen in patients by the generalist physician. This is accomplished through active learning that develops clinical knowledge
organized into discrete symptom units, integrating foundational basic science disciplines together with clinical correlates in the arenas of radiology,
pharmacology, diagnostic testing, pathology and exposure to patient panels. Students learn clinical reasoning skills incorporating common symptoms,
clinical signs, diagnostic tests, and an initial differential diagnosis. SSD-5 focuses on the physiologic and pathophysiologic processes of the central
and peripheral nervous system, including principles related to vision and hearing. SSD 5 integrates normal and abnormal emotional and behavioral
development.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MDR 525. Symptoms, Signs, and Disease 6. 5 Credit Hours.
The Symptoms, Signs, and Disease course series (SSD 1-6) provides a symptom-oriented and case-based approach to the pathophysiology of
diseases frequently seen in patients by the generalist physician. This is accomplished through active learning that develops clinical knowledge
organized into discrete symptom units, integrating foundational basic science disciplines together with clinical correlates in the arenas of radiology,
pharmacology, diagnostic testing, pathology and exposure to patient panels. Students learn clinical reasoning skills incorporating common symptoms,
clinical signs, diagnostic tests, and an initial differential diagnosis. SSD-6 focuses on the pathophysiology of endocrine disease and the physiologic
and pathophysiologic processes of reproductive organs. SSD 6 integrates the pathophysiology of multiple organ systems and diseases.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MDR 526. Biomedical Principles of Health I. 5 Credit Hours.
Biomedical Principles of Health I (BMPH 1) is an active learning-centered course designed to provide an interdisciplinary foundation for the basic
biomedical science disciplines relevant to clinical medicine. Students participate in self-regulated learning as preparation for in-class small group
discussions. This course is the first of two 6-week foundational courses that include genetics, embryology, pharmacology, immunology and
microbiology. Basic anatomy, histology, and physiology of the cardiovascular, respiratory, renal, gastrointestinal and endocrine systems are explored
and discussed in relation to healthy patients. Clinical correlations relative to patient care will be paramount. Key topics from this course will be
expanded in parallel in the simultaneous Medicine as a Profession course.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MDR 527. Biomedical Principles of Health II. 5 Credit Hours.
Biomedical Principles of Health II (BMPH 2) is the sequential active learning-centered course designed to provide an interdisciplinary foundation for
the basic biomedical science disciplines relevant to clinical medicine. Students participate in self-regulated learning as preparation for in-class small
group discussions. This course is the second of two 6-week foundational courses that include genetics, embryology, pharmacology, immunology and
microbiology. Basic anatomy, histology, and physiology of the cardiovascular, respiratory, renal, gastrointestinal systems are explored and discussed
in relation relevance to healthy patients. Clinical correlations relative to patient care will be paramount. Key topics from this course will be expanded in
parallel in the simultaneous Medicine as a Profession course.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MDR 530. Epidemiology I. 1 Credit Hour.
The principles of epidemiology including the distribution, determinants of disease frequency and their investigation. There is a review of the
biostatistics to help with the evaluation of scientific investigations.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 531. Medicine as a Profession 1. 4 Credit Hours.
Medicine as a Profession is a series of courses throughout medical school that focus on the broad themes introduced during the Introduction
to the Medical Profession (IMP) course. The MAP courses encompass a wide variety of knowledge, skills, and attitudes that are essential to the
practice of clinical medicine and to becoming transformative leaders in education, research, and policy/health systems. MAP content into divided
into 7 key themes. Most MAP learning will occur in a Learning Community of 8-9 students that meets the same afternoon, once per week, with a
clinical faculty member (Longitudinal Clinical Educator = LCE). On any given afternoon, you may participate in small-group discussions, work with
standardized patients, attend larger group activities (50 students), or go into clinical and community settings with your LCE. You will also have
substantial independent work to complete, individually or as part of a team, each week. These assignments will be reviewed and discussed in Learning
Community meetings with your peers and your LCE.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MDR 532. Medicine as a Profession 2. 4 Credit Hours.
MAP 2 occurs in the afternoons during spring semester of the first year of medicine school. As in MAP 1, most learning will occur in your Learning
Community with peers and your LCE (Longitudinal Clinical Educator). You will continue to complete independent work each week to review with
your peers and your LCE. Some key learning objectives for MAP 2 include the ability to tailor the patient interview and physical exam to the patient's
presenting concern; to develop a plan to improve health/prevent disease for one of Miami's communities; and to help a person navigate the health
care system of South Florida. At the end of MAP 2, you will begin training in the basic knowledge and skills necessary to be an emergency medical
technician (EMT), including ride-alongs with fire-rescue personnel in the community.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MDR 533. Medicine as a Profession. 3 Credit Hours.
MAP 3 occurs in the afternoons during the two months of fall semester before beginning clinical clerkships in October. You will continue training in the basic knowledge and skills necessary to become an emergency medical technician (EMT), including ride-alongs with fire-rescue personnel in the community. You will also have the opportunity to review and teach key clinical skills. MAP 3 provides opportunities to deepen your understanding of the 7 key MAP themes.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MDR 550. Introduction to the Medical Profession. 3 Credit Hours.
The IMP course is the first introduction to the fundamental aspects of being a physician—the knowledge, skills, and attitudes that are the basis for practicing medicine. Our goal is to help you become an altruistic, dutiful, culturally humble, and ethical physician, one who is committed to compassionate, respectful patient care and dedicated to excellence and life-long learning. During IMP you will learn some basics of clinical skills such as communication, interviewing techniques, and physical examination, and we will introduce broad themes about community health, ethics, and systems of care. We will emphasize the benefits of independent, self-directed learning, as well as small group, team-based learning. The course will be an introduction to the Physicianship course which is organized into 7 overlapping themes: Clinical Skills, Professionalism, Communication Skills, Population Health, Health systems Science, Nutrition and Wellness and Personal Development.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 551. CMC Fundamentals of Biomedical Science I. 8 Credit Hours.
The course covers the basic concepts and vocabulary in the disciplines of cell biology and physiology, genetics and biochemistry, immunology, microbiology, anatomy, histology, pharmacology, and pathology. This course will meet for about 20 hours per week with approximately 10 hours of lecture per week and 10 hours per week of small group or other non-lecture sessions. Week-long clinical cases will cover specific learning objectives for the various basic science disciplines, are facilitated by a faculty tutor and lectures are designed to complement the clinical cases. FBS I is a prerequisite for FBS 2 and 3. CMC stands for Continuity Medicine Curriculum.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 552. CMC Integration of Public Health and Medicine II. 2 Credit Hours.
The IPHM I course is designed to allow students to develop their fundamental clinical skills (communication, history taking and physical exam skills) in continuity of care environments (community practice setting and Department of Health clinics). The IPHM I course will meet for 4-5 hours per week and is closely coordinated and integrated with the PS course. Community and faculty preceptors will supervise and evaluate students longitudinally. IPHM I is a prerequisite for IPHM II. CMC stands for Continuity Medicine Curriculum.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 553. CMC Physicianship Skills I. 2 Credit Hours.
The PS course will expose students to competencies that physicians must master to provide high quality and effective care in today's health care system. The course covers the fundamentals of process evaluation, quality management, outcomes assessment, patient satisfaction, patient safety, systems-based care, interprofessional team care, and complex chronic disease management. The PS course will meet for 4 - 5 hours per week. PS I is a prerequisite for PS II. CMC stands for Continuity Medicine Curriculum.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 554. CMC Fundamentals of Biomedical Science II. 5 Credit Hours.
FBS 2 continues from FBS1 with the basic concepts and vocabulary in the disciplines of cell biology and physiology, genetics and biochemistry, immunology, microbiology, anatomy, histology, pharmacology, and pathology. This course will meet for about 20 hours per week with approximately 10 hours of lecture per week and 10 hours per week of small group or other non-lecture sessions. Week-long clinical cases will cover specific learning objectives for the various basic science disciplines, are facilitated by a faculty tutor and lectures are designed to complement the clinical cases. CMC stands for Continuity Medicine Curriculum.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 555. CMC Fundamentals of Biomedical Science III. 6 Credit Hours.
FBS 3 continues from FBS2 with the basic concepts and vocabulary in the disciplines of cell biology and physiology, genetics and biochemistry, immunology, microbiology, anatomy, histology, pharmacology, and pathology. This course will meet for about 20 hours per week with approximately 10 hours of lecture per week and 10 hours per week of small group or other non-lecture sessions. Week-long clinical cases will cover specific learning objectives for the various basic science disciplines, are facilitated by a faculty tutor and lectures are designed to complement the clinical cases. CMC stands for Continuity Medicine Curriculum.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
MDR 556. CMC Integration of Public Health and Medicine II. 2 Credit Hours.
The IPHM II course is designed to allow students to develop their fundamental clinical skills (communication, history taking and physical exam skills) in continuity of care environments (community practice setting and Department of Health clinics). The IPHM II course will meet for 4-5 hours per week and is closely coordinated and integrated with the PS course. Community and faculty preceptors will supervise and evaluate students longitudinally. IPHM I is a prerequisite for IPHM II. CMC stands for Continuity Medicine Curriculum.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 557. CMC Physicianship Skills II. 3 Credit Hours.
The PS course will continue to expose students to competencies that physicians must master to provide high quality and effective care in today's health care system. The course covers the fundamentals of process evaluation, quality management, outcomes assessment, patient satisfaction, patient safety, systems-based care, interprofessional team care, and complex chronic disease management. The PS course will meet for 4 - 5 hours per week. PS I is a prerequisite for PS II. CMC stands for Continuity Medicine Curriculum.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 558. CMC Neuroscience and Behavioral Science. 8 Credit Hours.
The module is an interdisciplinary approach to the study of the nervous system. In the context of the principles of continuity medicine and chronic illness, the module includes neurophysiology, neurochemistry, pharmacology, neuropathology, microbiology, immunology, and behavioral psychology. Progressing from neuroanatomy to gross anatomy, students learn the structure and function of the nervous system from the head/brain, and neck, to the muscle and motor units. Students are introduced to the basic science of behavioral medicine and the common diseases that are encountered. Finally, the basic sciences are integrated to the clinical sciences of neurology, neurosurgery, otolaryngology and psychiatry. A combination of didactic, small-group and laboratory methods are used.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 559. CMC Cardiovascular System. 8 Credit Hours.
The module is an interdisciplinary approach to the study of the cardiovascular system including the heart and blood vasculature. The basic sciences are integrated with the clinical sciences of cardiology in the study of cardiac function and its response to changes in the body with aging from birth to the elderly. The module seeks to place cardiovascular disease and management into the context of continuity medicine and chronic illness using a combination of didactic, small-group and simulation teaching methods.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 600. Medical Curriculum 6. 18 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 601. Sexual Issues in Medical Practice. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 602. Immunobiology. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 603. Pathology. 6 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 604. Clinical Skills II. 6 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 605. Mechanisms of Disease I. 9 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 606. Mechanisms of Disease II. 9 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 607. Pharmacology. 6 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 608. Microbiology. 6 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
MDR 609. Introduction to Psychiatry. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 610. Respiratory System. 5 Credit Hours.
The module is an interdisciplinary study of the respiratory system and includes the anatomy, physiology, immunology, pathology, radiology and biochemistry of the system. The pathophysiology is illustrated with clinical vignettes. Students are also exposed to the evaluation of normal physiological measurement of the respiratory system and the principles of artificial ventilation. Students should be able to solve clinical problems in pulmonary medicine and critical care by the end of the module.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 611. Accl Basic Science Curriculum. 18 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 612. Renal System. 5 Credit Hours.
The module is an interdisciplinary course of the renal system. Students study the structure, function and pathophysiology of the kidneys and genitourinary tract. General concepts of acid-base and electrolyte balance are studied in the normal and diseased states. The course provides a foundation for dealing with the various diseases of the renal system encountered during the clinical years.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 613. Endocrine and Reproductive System. 5 Credit Hours.
The module is an interdisciplinary course that deals with the normal endocrine development, function, pathophysiology and disease processes. Students are exposed to problems solving of clinical cases involving endocrine and reproductive medicine. Students will be exposed to various evaluation and treatment tools available at this time.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 614. Gastrointestinal System and Nutrition. 5 Credit Hours.
The module is an integrated course on the molecular and cellular processes that involve the digestive system and its associated organs. The module covers the normal structure and function and the pathophysiological processes that occur during disease states of the digestive organs. Nutrition and the clinical aspects of obesity and bariatric surgery are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 615. Hematology and Oncology. 5 Credit Hours.
The module is an introductory course that covers basic hematology that is essential to the practice of medicine. Students are introduced into the variations in hematological parameters that are used in the diagnosis and monitoring of common hematological diseases. The second half of the module serves as a basic overview of cancer and includes basic concepts of oncogenesis, epidemiology, biology of cancer, pathology and the role of the immune system. Students are introduced to the various treatment modalities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MDR 616. Dermatology and Ophthalmology. 2 Credit Hours.
The Dermatology and Ophthalmology module is an introductory course that covers the basic pathophysiology and clinical aspects of dermatology and ophthalmology that are essential for a general physician. The module covers the normal structure and function of skin, and eye. Common disease diseases of the skin and eye are discussed.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 618. Respiratory. 4 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 619. Inflammation and Infectious Disease. 4 Credit Hours.
During this four week segment of the curriculum students are divided into small groups and will work with a faculty facilitator who has been trained in small group learning. Students work as a group on clinical scenarios. They are expected to work as both teacher and student during this time. Students are to focus on clinical cases involving rheum atological and infectious disease problems. They receive guiding questions with each case to assist with their learning process. The students will have opportunities to interact with experts in the various areas covered in the cases during consultation sessions. The small group sessions are case driven. The facilitator is there to assist with group dynamics and not to serve as a teacher. The student groups work through a clinical scenario during the three two-hour sessions a week.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
MDR 620. Problem Based Learning I. 0.25 Credit Hours.
During this segment of the curriculum, students are divided into small groups and will work with a faculty facilitator who has been trained in problem based learning. Students work as a group on clinical scenarios. They are expected to work as both teacher and student during this time utilizing the knowledge that they have gained during the core and organ system modules to work through these cases and develop a differential diagnosis and treatment plan for the patients. The small group sessions are student driven. Self-directed learning is emphasized. This allows the students to use their knowledge of basic sciences and to hone the skills of presentation to a clinical team in preparation for their clinical years.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 621. Problem Based Learning II. 0.75 Credit Hours.
During this segment of the curriculum, students are divided into small groups and will work with a faculty facilitator who has been trained in problem based learning. Students work as a group on clinical scenarios. They are expected to work as both teacher and student during this time utilizing the knowledge that they have gained during the core and organ system modules to work through these cases and develop a differential diagnosis and treatment plan for the patients. The small group sessions are student driven. Self-directed learning is emphasized. This allows the students to use their knowledge of basic sciences and to hone the skills of presentation to a clinical team in preparation for their clinical years.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 622. Behavioral and Special Populations II. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 623. Evidence Based Population Medicine II. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 624. Clinical Skills II. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 625. Geriatrics End of Life Theme II. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 626. Complimentary Alternative Medicine Theme. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 627. Systems Based Care Theme. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 628. Physicianship III. 4 Credit Hours.
Include eight themes which are: Behavioral Medicine and Special Populations, Clinical Skills, Complementary and Alternative Medicine, Evidence-Based Medicine, Geriatrics - Pain Management and Palliative Care, Population Health, Professionalism and Systems-Based Care.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 629. Physicianship IV. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 630. Epidemiology II. 1 Credit Hour.
The principles of epidemiology including the distribution, determinants of disease frequency and their investigation. There is a review of biostatistics to help with the evaluation of scientific investigations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
MDR 650. CMC Gastrointestinal System and Nutrition. 5 Credit Hours.
The course continues the interdisciplinary approach to the study of all the systems included are the gastrointestinal system and the liver, and the normal structure-function and the pathophysiological processing during disease states of the digestive organs. The course seeks to place GI disease and nutrition management into the context of continuity medicine and chronic illness using a combination of didactic, and small-group teaching methods.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 651. CMC Respiratory System. 5 Credit Hours.
The course continues the interdisciplinary approach to the study of all the systems. It builds upon the knowledge of respiratory anatomy from the FBS course sequence and covers physiology, immunology, pathology, radiology, and biochemistry of the system. Students are also exposed to the evaluation of normal physiological measurement of the respiratory system and the principles of artificial ventilation. The course seeks to place acute and chronic respiratory disease into the context of continuity medicine using a combination of didactic, clinical case presentations and small-group teaching methods.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 652. CMC Renal System. 5 Credit Hours.
The course continues the interdisciplinary approach to the study of all the systems. The structure, function and pathophysiology of the kidneys and genito-urinary tract are covered. General concepts of acid-base and electrolyte balance are studied in the normal and acute and chronic diseased states. The course seeks to place renal disease into the context of continuity medicine and chronic illness and care, and uses a combination of didactic, clinical case presentations, simulation and small-group teaching methods.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 653. CMC Inflammation and Infectious Diseases. 4 Credit Hours.
The course uses an interdisciplinary approach to present basic concepts of rheumatology (inflammation) and uses these disciplines to present the basic concepts of infectious processes and disease. The course uses a combination of didactic, clinical case presentations, and small-group teaching methods.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 654. CMC Hematology and Oncology I. 3 Credit Hours.
The course presents basic hematology concepts essential to the practice of medicine. Variations in hematological parameters used in diagnosis and monitoring of common hematological diseases are presented and integrated with a basic overview of cancer. This includes basic concepts of oncogenesis, epidemiology, biology of cancer, pathology and the role of the immune system. The course seeks to place hematomalous disorders and cancer into the context of continuity medicine and chronic illness and care, and uses a combination of didactic, clinical case presentations and small-group teaching methods.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 655. CMC Endocrinology and Reproductive System. 5 Credit Hours.
The course is an interdisciplinary approach to the study of normal endocrine, function, pathophysiology and disease processes. Students are exposed to problem solving of clinical cases involving endocrine and reproductive medicine. The course seeks to place endocrine disorders and management into the context of continuity medicine and chronic illness using a combination of didactic and small-group teaching methods.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Spring.

MDR 656. CMC Integration of Public Health and Medicine III. 1 Credit Hour.
The IPHM III course is designed to allow students to apply their clinical skills (communication, history taking and physical exam skills) in continuity of care environments (community practice setting and Department of Health clinics). The IPHM III course will meet for 4-5 hours per week and is closely coordinated and integrated with the PS3 course. Community and faculty preceptors will supervise and evaluate students longitudinally.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MDR 657. CMC Physicianship Skills 3. 5 Credit Hours.
The PS3 course exposes students to more advanced competencies that physicians must master to provide high quality and effective care in today's health care system. The course reviews and expands upon the process of evaluation, quality management, outcomes assessment, patient satisfaction, patient safety, systems-based care, interprofessional team care, and complex chronic disease management. The PS3 course will meet for 4-5 hours per week.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MDR 658. CMC Hematology and Oncology II. 2 Credit Hours.
The course presents basic hematology concepts essential to the practice of medicine. Variations in hematological parameters used in diagnosis and monitoring of common hematological diseases are presented and integrated with a basic overview of cancer. This includes basic concepts of oncogenesis, epidemiology, biology of cancer, pathology and the role of the immune system. The course seeks to place hematological disorders and cancer into the context of continuity medicine and chronic illness and care, and uses a combination of didactic, clinical case presentations and small-group teaching methods.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 659. CMC Dermatology and Ophthalmology. 2 Credit Hours.
The course uses an interdisciplinary approach to present basic concepts of Dermatology and Ophthalmology and uses these disciplines to present the basic concepts of infectious processes and disease. The course uses a combination of didactic, clinical case presentations, and small-group teaching methods.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MDR 660. CMC Integration of Public Health and Medicine IV. 1 Credit Hour.
The IPHM IV course is designed to allow students to apply their clinical skills (communication, history taking and physical exam skills) in continuity of care environments (community practice setting and Department of Health clinics). The IPHM IV course will meet for 4-5 hours per week and is closely coordinated and integrated with the PS3 course. Community and faculty preceptors will supervise and evaluate students longitudinally.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 661. Physicianship IV. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 700. Medical Curriculum 7. 18 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 701. Introduction to Radiology. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 702. Interprofessional Patient Safety. 1 Credit Hour.
The Patient Safety/Transition to the Wards module is a one week module geared towards preparing students for their role in the health care field. The goals are to provide students with the requisite knowledge, skills, behaviors and attitudes to not only deliver safe patient care but also to be able to identify and solve patient safety problems. The course involves a series of interactive didactic sessions and simulated role play at the UM-JMH Center for Patient Safety.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 703. Core Family and Community Medicine. 4-5 Credit Hours.
The family medicine and geriatric medicine clerkship is a community based primary care rotation where students are exposed to patients in the outpatient setting. Students are introduced to the whole patient approach to medical care. They are expected to gain a working knowledge of the types of medical conditions that are commonly seen in the primary care setting. They will become familiar with managed care concepts of health delivery. They should gain an appreciation for how cultural and social influences affect the perception of health and management of diseases. They should acquire an understanding of the concepts of continuity and coordination of care. Students will also spend one week of intensive training experience on the acute care of elders unit at Jackson Memorial Hospital. They will become proficient in the use of assessment instruments in the evaluation of the geriatric patient. Students are evaluated on their knowledge of family medicine and geriatrics, their interpersonal skills, and their professionalism.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 705. Core Generalist Primary Care Clerkship. 4 Credit Hours.
The generalist primary care clerkship exposes students to ambulatory medicine. Students are expected to become competent in the properties of common diseases seen in an outpatient setting. They will gain skills and competence in the history taking, physical examination, diagnosis and treatment of these conditions. They will also rotate through a variety of specialty care areas and will evaluate patients with the guidance of specialty care faculty. Students are evaluated on their knowledge of ambulatory medicine, their interpersonal skills, and their professionalism.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
MDR 706. Core Internal Medicine Clerkship. 8-10 Credit Hours.
The Internal Medicine clerkship is a rotation where students are expected to to further develop their skills of history taking, physical examination, and observation. They are to gain knowledge about the diagnosis and treatment of medical conditions. They will practice their skills of communication with their team, the hospital staff, and their patients. The clerkship has didactic activities in addition to the bedside teaching, student report, and patient oriented problem solving sessions. Students are evaluated on their knowledge of medicine, their interpersonal skills, and their professionalism.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 707. Neurology Clerkship. 4 Credit Hours.
The Neurology Clerkship exposes students to common and emergency neurological diseases. Students have the option of exposure to Pediatric Neurology during the clerkship. Students are expected to become competent in the neurological examination, diagnosis, evaluation by various modalities of imaging and laboratory testing, and treatment options. Students are exposed to inpatient ward, consult and stroke services. Students are evaluated on their knowledge of neurology, their interpersonal skills, and their professionalism.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 708. Core Obstetrics and Gynecology Clerkship. 5-6 Credit Hours.
The Ob/Gyn clerkship offers clinical and didactic learning opportunities in the varied settings of ob/gyn practice - the operating room, inpatient wards, the clinic, labor and delivery, and the ultrasound suite. Students are assigned to JMH, community hospital and private practice sites to varying degrees to meet learning requirements. Students learn the clinical presentations and differential diagnosis of the conditions comprising the majority women's reproductive health care - with nearly even distribution of obstetrics and gynecology topics. On site clinical learning is supplemented with case based and problem based didactic learning, both in the intermediate sized classroom and small group learning settings. Ethical reasoning, EBM, suturing and communications sills and issues are cover- ed in the workshop format. Students will learn how women's cultural, educational and socioeconomic backgrounds affect their access to health care their values about fertility, childbearing, and contraception, the consequences of sexual behaviors and their understanding of their bodies throughout life, and their power in relationships and the role of sexuality in their lives. The evaluation system focuses on medical knowledge, communications skills and EBM skills.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 709. Core Pediatrics Clerkship. 5-6 Credit Hours.
The clerkship exposes the students to the spectrum of the pediatric population from neonates to adolescence. It is divided into experiences on the clinical ward service, ambulatory, emergency room, neonatal and comprehensive healthcare program. Students are expected to become competent in the examination of the child and in common pediatric diseases. The teaching is divided between ward based teaching rounds and didactic sessions. Students are evaluated on their knowledge of pediatrics, their interpersonal skills, and their professionalism.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 710. Core Psychiatry Clerkship. 5-6 Credit Hours.
The clerkship exposes students to psychiatric disorders and the psychiatric patient. Students are expected to become competent with obtaining a psychiatric history and performing a mental status examination. They are ex- pected to identify and evaluate patients with neuropsychiatric and substance abuse symptoms. They are expected to recognize the spectrum of ages affected by psychiatric disorders and brain diseases. They will become acquainted with the laboratory and imaging testing relevant to the clinical manifestations of psychiatric disorders. They are expected to be knowledgeable as to the various medications used in the treatment of these diseases, including poten- tial drug interactions. Students are evaluated on their knowledge of psychia- try, their interpersonal skills, and their professionalism.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 711. Core Surgery Clerkship. 8-10 Credit Hours.
The surgical clerkship is a rotation where students gain knowledge about diseases that have surgery as a treatment modality. Students are exposed to the operating room and assist in surgical procedures. They are expected to gain an understanding of the pathophysiology of the disease processes and have a basic knowledge of the diagnosis and treatment of them. They are expected to develop the basic surgical skills that are expected of a general physician. Students evaluated on their knowledge of surgery, their interpersonal skills, and their professionalism.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 712. Anesthesiology Clerkship. 2 Credit Hours.
The anesthesia clerkship exposes students to the various techniques used by anesthesiologists during surgical procedures and exposes them to the pre-operative evaluation of patients and post-operative care. Students will use the simulation training devices to become competent in the techniques of management of a patient and their airway. Students will become knowledgeable on the pharmacology of the various medications used in anesthesia. Students are evaluated on their knowledge of anesthesia, their interpersonal skills, and their professionalism. No interviewing during Thanksgiving block.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
MDR 713. Core Internal Medicine Clerkship. 10 Credit Hours.
The Internal Medicine clerkship is a rotation where students are expected to further develop their skills of history taking, physical examination, and observation. They are to gain knowledge about the diagnosis and treatment of medical conditions. Throughout their rotation students will experience inpatient medicine, outpatient medicine, and sub-specialty medicine. During inpatient medicine and sub-specialty they will practice their skills of communication with their team, the hospital staff, fellows, and their patients. Students will experience bedside teaching, student report, and patient oriented problem solving sessions. During their outpatient medicine and sub-specialty experience, they will practice skills of communication with the clinic staff, nurse practitioners, physician assistants, fellows, and patients. During outpatient medicine, students will have a unique experience to see patients in the office from the start of a clinical encounter by getting patients from the waiting room to the end of their encounter where they are encouraged to have an assessment and plan. They will have the opportunity to precept with their attending in the patient's exam room, giving the patient the opportunity to add any additional information the medical student may have missed. These students will also be experiencing telehealth where they will use video visits to see patients. Overall, the clerkship has various didactic activities covering various topics in inpatient, ambulatory, and sub-specialty medicine. Students are evaluated on their knowledge of medicine, their interpersonal skills, and their professionalism.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MDR 714. Caring for Families and Communities. 8 Credit Hours.
Caring for Families and Communities (CFC) clerkship will help prepare students for the unique and evolving role of the physician in the ever changing health care system. During this 8-week clerkship, you will have many opportunities to work closely with patients, primary care physicians, and other members of the health care team in the varied clinical settings in which future physicians will encounter patients. You will be learning and practicing both the traditional and less traditional skills necessary for our future physicians. You will learn about the importance of meeting the healthcare needs of communities of patients as well as individual patients and will develop some of the knowledge and skills necessary to fulfill these fundamental physician responsibilities. No matter what career path you choose, the experiences, knowledge, and skills that you gain from this clerkship are intended to help you become the best physician you can be.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 715. Peds/OBG Integrated Clerkship. 12 Credit Hours.
The Integrated Pediatrics and OBG Clerkship includes the disciplines of Pediatrics and Obstetrics and Gynecology. This clerkship includes elements of Radiology, Pathology, and Genetics. Each student will spend time in each of these disciplines and will follow patients across disciplines when possible. Didactic sessions will be provided for each of the disciplines and will include conferences that are interprofessional in nature. The University of Miami Miller School of Medicine places a priority on active, collaborative, learner-centered methodologies to prioritize the knowledge, skills and attitudes required of physicians to practice in today’s health care system. The clerkship experiences will allow students to follow their patients through their care and treatment and participate in the medical, surgical, diagnostic and therapeutic aspects of the care required for management of acute and chronic illnesses. Clinical experiences are designed to emphasize interprofessional, team-based, complex disease management with a major focus on continuity care, health maintenance, and disease prevention. The clinical clerkships will strive to not only integrate the basic and clinical sciences, but also the behavioral and social sciences with continued emphasis on the Institutional Objectives of the Educational Program.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MDR 716. From ED to OR Integrated Clerkship. 11 Credit Hours.
The NextGen integrated clerkship, From ED to OR, will give the Phase 2 medical student the opportunity to actively expand their knowledge across emergency medicine, anesthesia and surgery disciplines, develop technical, procedural and clinical skills and initiate collaborative relationships with patients, residents, faculty and staff across the interdisciplinary continuum of the adult and pediatrics emergency departments, trauma resuscitation, operating room, outpatient clinic and inpatient wards. Below are the discipline course descriptions, learning objectives, student expectations and learning outcomes. EM Discipline Description: The Emergency Department creates an unique opportunity for medical students to acquire a foundation of knowledge and skills to care for patients with emergency medical conditions. We believe that every physician should possess adequate assessment and management skills to rapidly identify life-threatening conditions, to initiate care, demonstrate procedural proficiency and to know whom and when to call for assistance, regardless of their ultimate medical specialty and training. The Emergency Department is also one of the few practice sites where students play an integral role in the initial evaluation of an undifferentiated patient – where the diagnosis is completely unknown on initial contact. The medical students are expected to be an involved, engaged and active member of the ED team, providing ED patient care and communicating with families. Anesthesia Discipline Description: The medical student rotation in the Department of Anesthesiology, Perioperative Medicine and Pain Management is designed to provide medical students with insights into the specialty of general anesthesiology, its subspecialties and the importance of the anesthesiologist in caring for patients prior to surgery, during surgery and the postoperative period. We will educate medical students on the multi-faceted role anesthesiologists play as perioperative physicians, intensivists and pain medicine specialists and how anesthesiologists apply their diagnostic skills and problem-solving abilities in these arenas will be demonstrated. At the same time, we will teach students to perform technical procedures appropriate to their level of training. Whenever feasible, we will promote participation in research so that students may explore a topic in depth as well as develop skills in critical thinking. During the Anesthesia rotation, students will become familiar with the many facets of the practice of anesthesiology including the perioperative setting, pre-anesthetic evaluation, induction and maintenance of anesthesia during surgery, patient emergence from anesthesia and post anesthesia care. It is expected that the medical student will develop an information base allowing them to identify and manage common preoperative concerns. We aim to develop recognition of the importance of patient safety; understand pharmacological dosing, complications related to various anesthetic techniques; understand basic ACLS and understand the management of regional anesthetics. The clerkship offers a unique opportunity for medical students to gain valuable experience and knowledge of the operating room setting within an academic institution. You will be exposed to the daily challenges faced by anesthesiologists. Surgery Discipline Description: The main purpose of the Surgery rotation is to provide the medical student with the resources and knowledge to recognize surgical disease. Career choices available to the medical student today in terms of medical discipline and specialty are quite varied. However, surgical disease is something that needs to be recognized and identified by all physicians. Every clinician needs to understand when patients have surgical problems and need to be referred to a surgeon. Doctors also need to understand proper screening tools available to prevent surgical problems and the appropriate times to order these studies. The purpose of the Surgery rotation is not to produce a junior surgeon. The main goal of this clinical rotation is to introduce the junior student to the world of general surgery and to show students that surgeons play an important role in the management of patients amongst all disciplines in medicine. In addition, students will see that surgery is an exciting field especially with all of the technological advances of the 21st century. The Surgery rotation will introduce students to a wide spectrum of surgical diseases. By following patients through their initial presentation to the operating room, their perioperative and post-operative care, students will be able to observe the evolution and resolution of surgical disease processes. Teaching in the operating room and at the bedside, in particular, brings students and patients together for their mutual benefit. Components: LEC. Grading: GRD. Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MDR 717. Practice of Medicine Integrated Clerkship. 12 Credit Hours.
The Practice of Medicine Clerkship includes the disciplines of internal medicine, geriatrics, palliative care/hospice medicine, and elements of radiology over the 12-week period. In a given week, each student will spend time in each of these disciplines and will follow patients across disciplines when possible. Didactic sessions will be provided for each of the disciplines and will include conferences that are interprofessional in nature. The University of Miami Miller School of Medicine places a priority on active, collaborative, learner-centered methodologies to prioritize the knowledge, skills and attitudes required of physicians to practice in today's health care system. The clerkship experiences will allow students to follow their patients through their care and treatment and participate in the medical, surgical, diagnostic and therapeutic aspects of the care required for management of acute and chronic illnesses. Clinical experiences are designed to emphasize interprofessional, team-based, complex disease management with a major focus on continuity care, health maintenance, and disease prevention. The clinical clerkships will strive to not only integrate the basic and clinical sciences, but also the behavioral and social sciences with continued emphasis on the Institutional Objectives of the Educational Program. Components: LEC. Grading: GRD. Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MDR 718. Mind, Matter, and Medicine Integrated Clerkship. 12 Credit Hours.
The Mind, Matter and Medicine clerkship includes the disciplines of family medicine, psychiatry and neurology along with elements of radiology, pathology, oncology, basic science and genetics over the 12-week period. In a given week, each student will spend time in each of these disciplines and will follow patients across disciplines when possible. Didactic sessions will be provided for each of the disciplines and will include conferences that are interprofessional in nature. The University of Miami Miller School of Medicine places a priority on active, collaborative, learner-centered methodologies to prioritize the knowledge, skills and attitudes required of physicians to practice in today's health care system. The clerkship experiences will allow students to follow their patients through their care and treatment and participate in the medical, surgical, diagnostic and therapeutic aspects of the care required for management of acute and chronic illnesses. Clinical experiences are designed to emphasize interprofessional, team-based, complex disease management with a major focus on continuity care, health maintenance, and disease prevention. The clinical clerkships will strive to not only integrate the basic and clinical sciences, but also the behavioral and social sciences with continued emphasis on the Institutional Objectives of the Educational Program.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MDR 756. RMC Core Integrated Internal Medicine Clerkship. 13 Credit Hours.
The Integrated Medicine clerkship offers students parallel training in internal medicine primarily, geriatrics and palliative care. Radiology is included as it supports clinical decision making in internal medicine. Students will acquire the clinical skills, critical thinking skills, knowledge, and professional behaviors necessary to provide comprehensive medical care for adults and develop experience in the assessment, evaluation, and basic management of important, common problems encountered in inpatient internal medicine. The objectives for the clerkship are derived from the internal medicine and geriatrics clerkships on the main campus and from the Clerkship Directors in Internal Medicine guidelines. Students will spend half the rotation as part of a team with the UMMSM Internal Medicine residents based at JFK and half the rotation assigned to an internist preceptor and spend their time in both inpatient and outpatient settings. Students will also participate in a geriatrics consult service and a palliative care consult service. Academic half-days will include lecture and small-group activities in the individual disciplines along with integrated mul- tidisciplinary activities. Assessment will be achieved by the use of the NBME Subj Exam in Medicine, clinical performance evaluation by faculty preceptor, observed clinicia histories and physical exams and written case reports.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 757. JFK Neurology Clerkship. 4 Credit Hours.
The purpose of the JFK Neurology clerkship at JFK Medical Center is to provide students with an opportunity to acquire a foundation of knowledge and skills to care for patients with neurological conditions. The primary goals of the Neurology Clerkship are for you to gain competence in taking a neurologic history and performing a neurologic exam, and use them to aid in localization and diagnosis of neurologic disease. Also, it is hoped students will develop knowledge, attitudes, and skills necessary to assess, diagnose and refer patients presenting in the primary care setting with neurologic complaints. Students will have the opportunity to explore the field of neurology as a potential career path through exposure to a variety of complaints, diagnoses, patient encounters, and case-based didactics. Students are evaluated on their knowledge of neurology, their interpersonal skills, and their professionalism.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 758. RMC Core Obstetrics and Gynecology Clerkship. 5 Credit Hours.
By the end of the clerkship, students will demonstrate the ability to obtain a complete obstetric and gynecologic age-appropriate history and perform the physical examination which elicits information necessary for diagnosis and treatment. Students will complement their clinical experience in the office and on the wards with independent directed study and recognize the importance of interdisciplinary collaboration in optimizing clinical outcomes for patients, work effectively with other health professionals, and demonstrate knowledge of the role of obstetrics and gynecological care in the broader community and health care system. Academic half-days will include lecture and small-group activities. Assessment will be achieved by the use of the NBME Subject Exam in Obstetrics and Gynecology, clinical performance evaluation by faculty preceptor, observed structured clinical examination (OSCE), written case reports and journal club.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 759. RMC Core Pediatrics Clerkship. 5 Credit Hours.
By the end of this clerkship, students will demonstrate the ability to obtain a complete age-appropriate pediatric history which elicits information necessary for diagnosis and treatment and will demonstrate knowledge of appropriate health supervision, anticipatory guidance, and preventive medicine in pediatrics. Students will demonstrate interpersonal and communication skills that result in effective information exchange and collaboration with patients, their families, and other health care providers. Students will be assigned to a general pediatrician preceptor and spend their time in the clinical ward setting, ambulatory, emergency room, neonatal and the hospital setting, and a comprehensive healthcare program in private practice. Academic half-days will include lecture and small-group activities. Assessment will be achieved by the use of the NBME Subject Exam in Pediatrics, clinical performance evaluation by faculty preceptor, observed clinical histories and physical exams and written case reports.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
MDR 760. RMC Core Psychiatry Clerkship. 5 Credit Hours.
By the end of this clerkship, students will demonstrate the ability to obtain a complete psychiatric history, recognize relevant physical findings and perform a complete mental status examination, and conduct a psychiatric interview which elicits information necessary for diagnosis and treatment, all of which form the basis of a therapeutic alliance with the patient. Students will demonstrate knowledge of common psychiatric emergencies and their management and demonstrate the ability to evaluate both their patient care practices and the scientific evidence, in order to improve the quality of care they deliver to patients with psychiatric illness. Academic half-days will include lecture and small-group activities. Assessment will be achieved by the use of the NBME Subject Exam in Psychiatry, clinical performance evaluation by faculty preceptor, observed clinical histories and written case reports.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 761. RMC Core Integrated Surgery Clerkship. 11 Credit Hours.
The Integrated Surgery clerkship offers students parallel training in surgery primarily, anesthesiology and radiology. Students will acquire the clinical skills, critical thinking skills, knowledge, and professional behaviors necessary to provide comprehensive pre-operative evaluation of patients and post-operative care. Students will spend half the rotation assigned to a general surgeon and the other with a vascular surgeon in order to acquire the skills and knowledge about diseases that have surgery as a treatment modality. Students will be part of the operating room teams and assist in surgical procedures. Students will be expected to assist the anesthesiology teams for pre- and post-surgical care. Radiology experiences will be provided by the JFK radiology team during discipline-specific teaching time but also as part of the care of the patient pre- and post-surgery. Academic half-days will include lecture and small-group activities in the individual disciplines along with integrated multidisciplinary activities. Assessment will be achieved by the use of the NBME Subject Exam in Surgery, clinical performance evaluation, observed clinical histories and physical exams and written case reports.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 764. RMC Core Family Medicine Clerkship. 5 Credit Hours.
The clerkship aims to train students to provide care that is compassionate, appropriate and effective for the treatment of health problems and the promotion of health. The objectives for the clerkship are derived initially from the clerkship objectives on the main campus and from the Society for the Teaching of Family Medicine guidelines. Students will be assigned to a family medicine preceptor and spend the majority of their time in the private practice. Academic half-days will include lecture and small-group activities. Assessment will be achieved by the use of the NBME Subject Exam in Family Medicine, clinical performance evaluation by faculty preceptor, observed clinical histories and physical exams and written case reports.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 765. RMC Community Public Health Practicum. 2 Credit Hours.
This course will build upon the experiences in the first two years during Community & Public Health Practicum 1. All students will spend one afternoon per week during the core clinical clerkships during this practicum course. Students will rotate through a repeating sequence of four experiences each week: an afternoon in their public health continuity clinic, an immersion experience with Department of Health sites, work on their public health capstone project, and a monthly seminar series. Seminars in contemporary Public Health Issues. In their continuity primary care clinics they will be assigned to a public health FQHC clinic in an underserved community in Palm Beach County. They will work with general internist physicians in this clinic. The course is Pass/Fail and contingent upon attendance, enthusiasm, and professionalism.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 766. RMC Physicianship Skills IV. 0 Credit Hours.
The PS4: Transitions to Residency course continues the themes addressed in PS1-2-3 related to the competencies that physicians must master to provide high quality and effective care in today's health care system. The course expands upon the themes of communication skills, medical ethics, medical humanities, wellness, time-management strategies, patient safety, systems-based care, inter-professional team care, and preparing for life as a medical resident within the applied setting of the year 3 clerkships. The PS4 course will meet for eight sessions for two-hours each during the academic year. Each session is delivered in the form of learning communities, with faculty and student continuity throughout the year. This allows for small group discussion, communication skill role plays, team-based learning, and the forging of mentoring relationships. A passing grade will contingent on attendance at the eight sessions, completion of journal activities, and satisfactory participation.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 800. Ultrasound in Gynecology and Obstetrics. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This rotation is an intensive experience with the faculty of the Division of Ultrasound in the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology. It is geared for students interested in the fields of Obstetrics and Gynecology, Radiology and/ or General Surgery. The emphasis of the rotation is on the use of ultrasound as a diagnostic and therapeutic tool in women's health. The student will observe and participate in diagnostic ultrasound for gynecologic problems, routine and complicated obstetrics, and ultrasound guided procedures for gynecologic and obstetrical indications. This will be complemented by time in the operating room for general gynecologic surgery and on labor and delivery. Students are expected to display a high level of intellectual curiosity and perform as a self motivated learner. For students with an interest in Obstetrics and Gynecology or Radiology there may be opportunities to become involved with research with the attending physicians.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
MDR 801. University of Miami Hospital Gynecology. 4 Credit Hours.
This rotation is intended for students with an interest in the fields of Obstetrics and Gynecology, Urology, General Surgery and Family Medicine. Students will become an integral part of the gynecology service at the University of Miami Hospital. Experience will include participation in private practice clinics, office surgery, inpatient consults, surgery in the operating room and post operative care. Surgeries will include minor procedures, operative laparoscopy, robotics and open gynecologic surgery. Students are expected to display a high level of intellectual curiosity and perform at the level of an in Obstetrics and Gynecology.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 802. Ophthalmology @ BPEI Naples FL. 2 Credit Hours.
The two week clinical elective in ophthalmology is geared toward fourth year medical students with an interest in obtaining a basic understanding of fundamental ophthalmology for students NOT pursuing a career in ophthalmology. Aspects of ophthalmology that are pertinent to the practice of internal medicine, neurology, pediatrics, family practice and other primary care specialties will also be taught. Students will rotate through the emergency room, operating room, and various subspecialty clinics at the Bascom Palmer Eye Institute where they will shadow attendings and housestaff. Students will be required to keep a patient log and will be expected to complete an online course. A case presentation session based on the patient pathology seen throughout the course will take place at the end of the rotation. Students are also welcome to attend weekly grand rounds and fluorescein conferences as well as daily resident lectures during the rotation.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 803. Mechanisms of Disease I. 1-9 Credit Hours.

Components: MOD.
Grading: PNP.

MDR 804. Mechanisms of Disease II. 1-9 Credit Hours.

Components: MOD.
Grading: PNP.

MDR 805. Geriatrics: Morse Center Palm Beach. 2 Credit Hours.
The medical student will spend two weeks at the Morse Geriatric Center and assume responsibility for the care of older patients under the supervision of a board-certified geriatrician, geriatric medicine fellows, and members of the interdisciplinary care team. Our mission is to teach, model and assess the knowledge, skills, and attitudes needed by medical students to complete a comprehensive geriatrics assessment. Clinical activities will take place in multiple chronic care venues including the Morse Geriatric Center, a long term care facility, the Levine Rehabilitation Center, a subacute rehabilitation center, the Traditions of the Palm Beaches, an assisted living center; and the Geriatric Clinic.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 806. Wound Healing. 2-4 Credit Hours.
The student will be exposed to a multitude of difficult-to-heal wounds in the lower extremity (i.e. diabetic foot ulcers, venous ulcers), trunk (pressure sores), upper extremities (traumatic, infected), and head and neck (cancers, etc.) Students will interview patients with chronic and acute wounds and identify critical pathways that will lead to the diagnosis, etiology, pathophysiology and treatment of these difficult-to-heal wounds. Students will learn to care for these wounds and make clinical interventions and recommendations to their healing.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 807. Advanced Gross Anatomy. 2-4 Credit Hours.
Intended primarily for students applying for surgical or orthopedic residency programs, this elective provides the ability to study advanced regional anatomy with opportunities for students to develop teaching and presentation skills.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 808. Third Year Anesthesiology. 2 Credit Hours.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 809. Advanced Anesthesiology. 4 Credit Hours.
The Senior Elective rotation program is consistent with the guidelines of the American Society of Anesthesiology. However, few additions and modifications are included in order to make this rotation a more meaningful one for a student who has been exposed to anesthesiology during his junior year. By the end of the rotation, the student is expected to be proficient in airway management, pharmacology of general and local anesthetics, drug interactions, and the medical evaluation of surgical patients as it pertains to anesthesia.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 810. Cell Biology Research. 2 Credit Hours.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
MDR 811. Dermatology. 2-4 Credit Hours.
The student will attend 7 clinics per week, weekly management conferences and grand rounds, the Miami Dermatology Society meetings (which are held 6 times a year), journal club, and slide conferences. The student will participate in outpatient dermatologic care, under supervision of the Chief Resident and a member of the faculty, at Jackson Memorial Hospital and the University of Miami Hospital. Development of history taking, diagnostic skills, and ambulatory management of dermatological diseases will be emphasized in this elective program. Basic diagnostic procedures, including punch and shave biopsies, Tzanck, scabies, and potassium hydroxide preparations will be taught. There will also be opportunities to observe surgical therapy and the Dermatology inpatient service. All students will be required to participate in slide reading session with Dr. Elgart and there will be a quiz at the end of the rotation.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 812. Emergency Medicine Clerkship. 4 Credit Hours.
The Emergency Medicine four-week rotation will provide both classroom teaching, simulation, and hands-on clinical experience in emergency care of patients of all ages with a wide spectrum of illnesses and injuries. Students are expected to evaluate and manage assigned patients under the direct supervision of an EM attending physician. Students will also gain additional experience at physical diagnosis and procedural skills by working with patients being evaluated by other housestaff, as appropriate for teaching. Emphasis is placed upon initial assessment, recognition, prioritization, and stabilization of acute emergency conditions. Procedural skills are an important emphasized component, including wound repair, intravenous techniques, airway management, ACLS care, fracture and soft tissue injury management, incision and drainage procedures, etc. This rotation also includes a variety of generalist skills in handling minor acute conditions that will be encountered frequently in primary care practice. The student will participate in the provision of pre-hospital emergency care with a Fire Rescue EMS crew.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 813. Dermatology Virtual Elective. 4 Credit Hours.
In this 4-week virtual elective, the student will be exposed to various areas of dermatology and taught both through video and live sessions. Students will be provided a rigorous education in dermatology that will prepare them for their future training and will learn about our dermatology program at the University of Miami Miller School of Medicine.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 815. Externship not at University of Miami. 2-8 Credit Hours.
A maximum of 12 weeks may be spent in elective time away from UMMSM. Externship time in excess of the allowable 12 weeks will be counted for credit but will not count towards fulfillment of the required 14 weeks of Electives, unless a student obtains prior written approval from the Senior Associate Dean for Undergraduate Medical Education. In other words, at least two weeks of Electives must be taken at your home school. Externship experiences must be described in the course catalog of the host institution. No externships with physicians in private practice will be approved.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 816. Family Medicine in the Florida Keys. 2-4 Credit Hours.
Since late 1992, third year medical students have been given the opportunity to complete their Family Medicine rotation in the private office of physicians practicing in the Florida Keys. The popular rotation has prompted many students to request similar experience during the senior year.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 817. Family Medicine Preceptorship. 2 Credit Hours.
Students taking the Family Medicine Preceptorship will have the opportunity to experience the true essence and diversity of Family Practice in an ambulatory setting and develop knowledge of the specialty. *Students are expected to participate with their family physician preceptor in all health care related activities. These may include but are not limited to: management of hospitalized patients, nursing home visits, home visits and volunteer activities.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 818. Family Medicine Practice Based Research. 4 Credit Hours.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 819. Family Medicine Sub-I. 4 Credit Hours.
The overall goal for the students taking Inpatient Family Medicine (Ward Family Medicine) is to afford them the opportunity to experience Family Medicine in an inpatient setting, and to develop some knowledge of the specialty.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
MDR 820. Ambulatory Internal Medicine. 2-4 Credit Hours.
The ambulatory block rotation serves to enhance the medical student's knowledge and skills in caring for the ambulatory medical patient. Students will primarily be seeing patients which are new to the outpatient clinic, addressing preventive screening as well as care of chronic conditions such as diabetes, hypertension, cardiomyopathy, and chronic obstructive pulmonary disease. In addition, they will be exposed to patients with the following characteristics: - Ambulatory patients with acute complaints - Gender-specific medical care - Patients recently discharged from the inpatient setting or from the emergency room - Patients being evaluated for surgery - Patients presenting for routine GYN care.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 821. Arthritis. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This elective will teach the student an approach to the diagnosis, management and therapy of common rheumatic disease including rheumatoid arthritis, gout and osteoarthritis. In addition, unusual diseases such as systemic sclerosis, polymyositis, and vasculitis are seen. Students will become proficient in the examination of joints and interpretation of joint fluid findings.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 822. UMH Cardiovascular Intensive Care Unit. 4 Credit Hours.
This elective is intended to provide the senior medical student with a variety of cardiac critical care experiences, including acute myocardial infarction, heart failure, valvular heart disease, and arrhythmias. The student will also be exposed to clinical research ranging from valvular heart disease to stem cell transplantation. Three-to-four cardiology conferences will be offered each week, supplementing the daily teaching rounds, which include didactic presentations. An opportunity for procedures experience, including central line placement, will also be available.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 823. Cardiology Teaching Lab - Harvey (4 wks). 4 Credit Hours.
This rotation consists of a comprehensive review of cardiology for the clinician. A clinician must be able to evaluate and treat cardiology patients, as they represent the largest subset of patients they see with significant disease. Each student is trained to develop the knowledge and skills needed to conduct a complete cardiovascular history and bedside examination. The rotation includes the integration of the Bedside Evaluation with the current indications for non-invasive and invasive diagnostic testing. The diagnosis and management of valvular heart disease, coronary heart disease, hypertensive heart disease, congestive failure, and congenital lesions are covered by didactic lectures, patient presentations (certain rotations), review of highly selected material during Self-Learning time, and by group and individual sessions with Harvey, the Cardiopulmonary Patient Simulator. The UMedic multimedia computer curriculum is incorporated into the elective to further interactive self-learning. Didactic ECG and Arrhythmia lectures are given daily. Each student will also read, interpret and review electrocardiograms and arrhythmias with clinical faculty. Students will use web-based programs, Essential ECG and Essential Arrhythmia, to facilitate their learning.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 824. JMH Cardiology Consult. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This rotation includes consultative diagnosis, electrocardiography, and intensive medical and surgical cardiac care at JMH. Students work up patients and discuss the history and physical findings with the cardiology fellows, participate in daily consultation rounds with the attending cardiology specialists, and are in the supervision of fellows and faculty. Students attend and participate in the cardiology conference; and for those interested, a period of observation in the Cardiac Catheterization Laboratory may be arranged.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 825. Clinical Cardiology at Mount Sinai Medical Center. 4 Credit Hours.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 826. Endocrinology, Diabetes and Metabolism. 4 Credit Hours.
This is a 4-week elective intended to expose the senior medical student to a spectrum of experiences in Endocrinology and Diabetes. The student will spend time at Jackson Memorial Hospital (JMH) and University of Miami Hospital (UMH) on the inpatient Diabetes and Endocrinology consult services, seeing patients in consultation and follow-up and discussing them with the fellows and attending on rounds. The student will attend the JMH and VA diabetes and endocrinology outpatient clinics. All students will meet with the clerkship director and are expected to attend all conferences.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 827. Advanced Geriatrics. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This senior level elective in geriatric medicine allows students to gain additional experience evaluating older patients in a variety of care settings under the supervision of attendings physicians and fellows in geriatric medicine. It can also be designed to give students a clinical or research experience in a specialized area of geriatrics tailored to their interests. Students will be assigned to a primary clinical venue and will have opportunities to rotate through other care settings (inpatient consultation, outpatient, home-based and/or long term care).
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
MDR 829. JMH Coronary Care Unit. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This elective presents students with the opportunity to follow patients with life endangering cardiac problems from the moment of admission to the hospital to discharge from the Unit. Particular emphasis is placed on clinical aspects of diagnosis and management of these patients. Participation in the insertion of Swann-Ganz and pacemaker catheters shall be allowed for students who show exceptional interest. The rotation will, in addition, provide experience in computerized monitoring of arrhythmias, EKG and echocardiographic interpretations, and experience in interpreting cardiac catheterization data.
Components: MOD
Grading: GRD.

MDR 830. Gastroenterology. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This is a 4-week elective intended to expose the senior medical student to a wide spectrum of experiences in gastroenterology. Each week or two (depending on the length of the elective), the student will rotate through a different hospital/clinic setting and see patients/procedures based on the emphasis at that location. The student will spend time at Jackson Memorial Hospital on the consult service, seeing patients in consultation and follow-up and discussing them with the fellows and attending on rounds. The student will also watch endoscopy and learn its indications and findings. At the University of Miami Hospital, students will be exposed to a more tertiary care setting, also rounding with the fellow and attending and watching procedures, some of which are more advanced and not done at Jackson. At the University of Miami Hospital and Clinics, the student will be given an outpatient experience, including subspecialty clinics in Inflammatory Bowel Disease and Motility while also watching advanced endoscopic procedures. The student will have the opportunity to go to clinic and watch procedures at the VA as well. The rotation director will try to meet with the students during the rotation, and they are expected to attend fellow conferences and the VA and JMH fellows’ clinics.
Components: MOD
Grading: GRD.

MDR 831. General Ambulatory Internal Medicine at Veteran’s Adm. 2-4 Credit Hours.
Components: MOD
Grading: GRD.

MDR 832. Advanced Geriatrics @ Miami Jewish Home. 2 Credit Hours.
The medical student will spend two weeks at the Miami Jewish Health Systems and assume responsibility for the care of older patients under the supervision of a faculty member and members of the interdisciplinary care team. The goal is to teach, model and assess the knowledge, skills, and attitudes needed by medical students to complete a comprehensive geriatrics assessment. Clinical activities will take place in multiple chronic care venues available at the Miami Jewish Health Systems, which include a nursing home, an assisted living facility, outpatient clinics, and an inpatient hospital.
Components: MOD
Grading: GRD.

MDR 833. Hematology. 2-4 Credit Hours.
The objective of this clinical hematology program is to allow students to obtain experience in the diagnosis and management of hematological disease, in the performance of marrow aspiration and in the study of morphology of peripheral blood cells and bone marrow. Students are expected to participate in the workup of hematology consults, hematology conferences, rounds, and seminars. Direct contact during teaching rounds between the students and faculty provides ongoing evaluation of the progress and comprehension.
Components: MOD
Grading: GRD.

MDR 834. Hepatology. 2-4 Credit Hours.
The student will be exposed to a wide spectrum of liver and biliary disease. The pathogenesis and development of a practical clinical approach to the recognition and differential diagnosis of these disorders will be emphasized. The student may opt for a predominantly outpatient or inpatient exposure or a combination of both. In the outpatient rotation the student will be assigned to the clinic fellow and will attend daily outpatient clinic at UMHC with different faculty members. In the inpatient rotation the student will round with the inpatient fellow and attending on the patients admitted to the Hepatology service at UMH and inpatient Hepatology consults. In a 4-week rotation the student may opt to spend 2 weeks in the outpatient and 2 weeks in the inpatient setting or all 4 weeks in one of them. There are daily morning conferences at 8:00 a.m., weekly liver biopsy / tumor conferences and literature review sessions.
Components: MOD
Grading: GRD.

MDR 835. Mt. Sinai Infectious Diseases. 4 Credit Hours.
The goal of the elective is to provide the opportunity to increase understanding of the broad range of Infectious Disease through the experience of serving as a consultant. Students work closely with the fellow and Attending in Infectious Disease at Mt. Sinai Medical Center. The student is expected to see patients as a consultant. Cases are presented to Attending physician and discussed in detail. There are special microbiology laboratory conferences and a weekly Infectious Disease clinical conference.
Components: MOD
Grading: GRD.
MDR 836. Infectious Diseases. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This elective provides a learning experience in the clinical discipline of Infectious Diseases, a discipline that stresses accurate definition of disease and establishment of an etiologic diagnosis through clinical assessment and microbiologic testing. Treatment can be rationally selected when the etiologic diagnosis is correctly identified. Appropriate initiation and discontinuation of antimicrobials are key activities on the ID service. Performing these steps under guidance of a physician with ID specialty training provides the essence of this clinical experience. This elective provides a unique opportunity to see a broad range of infectious diseases.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 837. Hospital, Health Care Services, and Access: An Interdisciplinary Inquiry. 2 Credit Hours.
Hospitals are settings in which great numbers of people converge and interact in surprisingly many ways. This interdisciplinary course will offer graduate students across the University the opportunity to appreciate and examine closely the complexity of the hospital form and the necessarily multiple perspectives within which we view, think, and work in hospitals.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 838. Latin American Externship. 4 Credit Hours.
Electives in various Latin American countries can be arranged on an individual basis. Areas of special interest will vary but most deal with tropical hygiene and medicine in underdeveloped areas. This program is a reciprocal part of our Latin American Training Program and as such entails certain stipulations. • All students will be screened by the Office of Student Affairs and recommended in writing. • Students must speak Portuguese if they are planning to travel to Brazil. All other countries in Latin America require conversational Spanish skills. • Students will be responsible for their travel, room and board, and any other incidental expense. • A maximum of 10 students will be allowed to travel to Latin America. • Length of externship is 4-6 weeks. Students will receive credit for four weeks only.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 839. JMH Medical Intensive Care Unit. 2-4 Credit Hours.
The Medical Intensive Care Unit is an eighteen bed unit that provides care for critically ill medical patients. Students will gain an understanding of caring for patients with acute and chronic respiratory failure, various types of shock, cardiogenic pulmonary edema, the acute respiratory distress syndrome, malignant hypertension, acute myocardial infarction and various complications of multi-organ system failure. Emphasis will be placed on the indications for admission to and discharge from the MICU, invasive hemodynamic monitoring and mechanical ventilatory support. Education is provided during morning work rounds with the attending, core lectures on MICU related topics, biweekly critical care journal club and informal student and housestaff case presentations.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 840. MIA VAMC Medical Intensive Care Unit. 2-4 Credit Hours.
By spending time on Attending rounds in the morning and check-out rounds in the afternoon with the housestaff, students will increase their appreciation of the problems of providing care for patients with acute and chronic respiratory failure, the various types of shock, cardiogenic pulmonary edema, the adult respiratory distress syndrome, malignant hypertension, acute myocardial infarction and various complications of multi-organ system failure.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 842. Nephrology. 4 Credit Hours.
The clinical and teaching activities focus on the provision of consultative and direct medical care for patients with renal disease, hypertension, disorders of water, electrolyte and acid-base balance, and related metabolic and immunologic disease. Contemporary technologies used in diagnosis and treatment include renal biopsy, acute and chronic hemo- and peritoneal-dialysis, renal transplantation, plasmapharesis, evaluation of nuclear flow studies, and interventional nephrology.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 843. Pulmonary. 4 Credit Hours.
This 4-week elective is intended to expose the senior medical student to a spectrum of experiences in pulmonary disease. The student will be assigned to the pulmonary consultation services at either Jackson Memorial Hospital or University of Miami Hospital.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 844. Teaching Elective 4th Year. 4 Credit Hours.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
MDR 845. HIV Primary Care Clinic. 2-4 Credit Hours.
Students, under the supervision of an HIV / Infectious Disease Attending, will act as Internist developing their skills of diagnosis and management of patients with human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) infection at the dedicated outpatient ambulatory facility. The spectrum of patients includes those with predominantly advanced HIV disease and complications to evaluation and screening of patients with mildly symptomatic or asymptomatic HIV disease. Special emphasis is placed on Infectious Disease, Primary Care, and General Internal Medicine. In addition, particular needs in the areas of psychiatry, Dermatology and Ophthalmology related to the general internist will be covered.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 846. Student Health Clinic. 2 Credit Hours.
The Student Health Service provides primary care services to UM undergraduate and graduate students. Students are seen for acute illnesses and injuries, and are followed for chronic medical problems. Specialty care services include orthopaedics, women's health, and allergy clinics. Routine lab tests and X-rays are performed on site.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 847. JMH Medicine Sub-I. 4 Credit Hours.
Two senior students will be paired, and together, will carry out all the duties and responsibilities of an intern, commensurate with their capabilities. The pair will function as an "acting intern" and will have an increased level of responsibility for direct patient care. There will be an opportunity to improve clinical and didactic skills in the diagnosis and treatment of a wide spectrum of medical disorders. They will be directly supervised by their second or third year medical resident and Attending Physician. Students will be assigned to Jackson Memorial Hospital (JMH) medical teams – General Medicine, Special Immunology/Infectious Diseases, Cardiology, Hematology/Oncology, or Transplant Nephrology. Every effort will be made to pair students with their requested fellow student as well as with residents and attendings who have demonstrated excellence in student teaching and a high level of interest in education. Assignment will be made by the Chief Medical Residents with input from the clerkship director. While students may indicate a preference, the final decision will be up to the course director.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 848. Brain Injury Neurorehab. 2-4 Credit Hours.
During the elective, the medical student will spend time on the Ryder Trauma 4th floor Neurorehab service, shadowing the Rehab attending on daily rounds. There is an opportunity to get involved in clinical research activities that are ongoing in the division. Students will also have the opportunity to become familiar with Botulinum toxin injections and Baclofen pumps.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 849. Neurology Consultation. 2-4 Credit Hours.
On this service, students who have completed the neurology clerkship are provided the opportunity to evaluate off-service neurology problems with the neurology consulting resident and attending assigned to that service.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 850. Advanced Neurology. 2-4 Credit Hours.
Third- or fourth-year students who have completed the clinical clerkship in neurology may perform an elective on the General Neurology service at Jackson Memorial Hospital or the Veterans Administration Medical Center with an array of university-run or private physician clinic choices to complement this experience. Clinic choices include Epilepsy, Veterans Administration Neurology, Neuromuscular, Stroke, Pediatric Neurology, Multiple Sclerosis, Movement Disorders, Neuro-Oncology, Sleep and Headache. Experience in EMG and Neuropathology can be arranged based on director approval and availability.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 851. Stroke Neurology. 2-4 Credit Hours.
Third- or fourth-year medical students who have completed the clinical clerkship in Neurology may perform a 2- or 4-week rotation on the stroke neurology service at Jackson Memorial Hospital under the supervision of a stroke neurology attending.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 852. Neurosurgery Sub-I. 4 Credit Hours.
The neurosurgery service covers virtually the entire gamut of modern neurosurgical practice. The clinical service is divided into teams that focus primarily on specific subspecialty areas. The spine team cares for patients with tumors, trauma, degenerative disease, and other disorders. The general cranial team deals with cerebrovascular disease, tumors, epilepsy, movement disorders, and other pathology. A separate team cares for patients with head injuries. The pediatric division cares for patients at both Jackson Memorial Hospital and Miami Children's Hospital. A separate team cares for a busy neurosurgical service at University of Miami Hospital that includes both cranial and spinal patients. The JMH Neuroscience Intensive Care Unit is one of the largest such facilities in the world and is an important center of the department's clinical activities.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
MDR 853. UMH Cardiac Catheterization. 2 Credit Hours.
This is a 2-week elective intended to expose the senior medical student to the vast array of procedures performed in interventional cardiology. During the rotation, the student will have the opportunity to interact with multiple specialists who have expertise in various areas of interventional cardiology and attend cardiology conferences. The student will spend time at the Catheterization Laboratory of University of Miami Hospital (UMH), and be actively involved in the care of patients undergoing procedures. The student will discuss all cases with cardiology fellows and attending physicians and scrub in 3 or more diagnostic and interventional catheterization procedures daily. The student will attend cardiology conferences and a weekly half-day clinic where he/she will either see patients referred for catheterization procedures or follow up patients who had recently undergone a procedure. Learning during the rotation will be case-based. The student will meet at least once weekly with the clerkship director, or a designated faculty member. During these meetings, the student will present the case log and discuss one of the two required case work-ups as detailed below.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 854. MIA VAMC Military Related Mental Health and General Psychiatry. 2-4 Credit Hours.
The medical student will be involved in the care of patients with a wide spectrum of psychiatric conditions but specific emphasis will be placed on those disorders that are related to military life and exposure to combat. The student will rotate through different clinics at the Miami VA. This rotation will give the medical student the opportunity to work with patients in different settings, such as Outpatient psychiatry, Consultation Liaison Psychiatry, and Primary Care.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 855. Gynecologic Oncology. 4 Credit Hours.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 856. Gynecologic Oncology Sub-I. 4 Credit Hours.
The objective is for the student to gain experience in the diagnostic and therapeutic approaches for various gynecologic cancers through participating in direct patient care and Resident/Fellow didactic activities. Students will enhance interpersonal skills and professional conduct in the female patient encounter setting. After completing the rotation, students should feel comfortable with both pre and postoperative management of women having common gynecologic procedures, and have an understanding of the management of women with gynecologic malignancies.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 857. Maternal Fetal Medicine Sub-I. 4 Credit Hours.
The objective is for the student to gain experience in the diagnostic and therapeutic approaches for various obstetrical scenarios through participating in direct patient care. Students will enhance interpersonal skills and professional conduct in the female pregnant patient encounter setting. After completing the rotation, students should feel comfortable with the management of an uncomplicated vaginal delivery and also gain insight into the management of the complicated obstetrical patient.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 858. Reproductive Health. 2-4 Credit Hours.
The objectives are for the student to improve knowledge and skills in managing contraceptive cases that are routine and also highly complex and to learn about pregnancy options including surgical and medical abortion techniques. The student should become proficient in recognizing and managing the complications arising from contraception and abortion. Participation in the 4 week course will allow the introduction of other material including sexual assault, addiction and other issues of reproductive health.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 859. Oncology. 4 Credit Hours.
The Division of Hematology/Oncology is responsible for the diagnosis and treatment of benign hematologic and neoplastic diseases at the three teaching hospitals: Jackson Memorial (JMH), University of Miami Hospitals and Clinics (UMHC), and University of Miami (UMH). The Department provides consultative services at the UMH, inpatient services and outpatient clinics at UMHC and both consultative and inpatient ward services at JMH. Only private outpatients are seen at UMHC.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
MDR 860. Ophthalmology. 2-4 Credit Hours.
The two week clinical elective in ophthalmology is geared toward medical students with an interest in obtaining a basic understanding of fundamental ophthalmology. Aspects of ophthalmology that are pertinent to the practice of internal medicine, neurology, pediatrics, family practice and other primary care specialties will also be taught. Students will rotate through the emergency room, operating room, and various subspecialty clinics at the Bascom Palmer Eye Institute where they will shadow attendings and housestaff. A comprehensive didactic course will be conducted concurrently during this two week block which includes interactive case based presentations. A final examination will be administered at the conclusion of the course. Students are also welcome to attend weekly grand rounds and fluorescein conferences as well as daily resident lectures during the rotation. An additional two weeks is offered for students considering ophthalmology as a career. All students wishing to be part of the four week course must have approval of the course coordinator. These additional two weeks may be arranged independently with a faculty ophthalmologist.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 861. MIA VAMC Ophthalmology. 2-4 Credit Hours.
To provide medical students the opportunity to shadow residents and attendings in the clinic and emergency room setting, and thereby become familiar with instrumentation utilized in standard eye examinations. To provide medical students the opportunity to watch ophthalmic surgery (cataract surgery, glaucoma surgery, retinal surgery) to provide initial exposure to microsurgical techniques.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 862. Orthopedic Trauma Elective. 2 Credit Hours.
The student will participate in the management of traumatic injuries of the musculoskeletal system, excluding hand, and spine. The participation will be directed to acquiring an adequate history and physical examination and management of trauma through conservative and surgical approaches. The student will be asked to assist in the operating room to learn surgical skills, how to set up traction and to do closed reductions with cast applications.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 863. Orthopedic Trauma Sub-I. 4 Credit Hours.
The student will participate in the management of traumatic injuries of the musculoskeletal system, excluding hand, and spine. The participation will be directed to acquiring an adequate history and physical examination and management of trauma through conservative and surgical approaches. The student will be asked to assist in the operating room to learn surgical skills, how to set up traction and to do closed reductions with cast applications.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 864. WPB VAMC Orthopedic Hip & Knee Surgery. 4 Credit Hours.
This is a 4-week elective to provide a broad based exposure to general orthopedic surgery with special emphasis in lower limb joint reconstruction surgery. During the rotation, the student will spend approximately 50% of the time in an office clinical setting evaluating patients with hip and knee disorders and 50% of the time in the operating room gaining surgical experience and insight. This may vary based on the student’s desire to spend more operative time with other surgeons in the department. The surgical experience will be 80% hip and knee surgery and 20% general orthopedic surgery. The elective will be under the direction of one surgeon. For those students that are interested, there will be the possibility to work on a quality improvement project and the opportunity to work with other orthopedic specialists within the group to expand the horizon of exposure to different surgical procedures. We have five orthopedic surgeons in the department covering the breadth and depth of orthopedic surgery, except for pediatric and spine surgery.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 865. Adult Reconstruction & Joint Replacement. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This is a four-week elective rotation intended to expose the senior medical student to spectrum of experiences in Joint Replacement and Orthopaedic surgery. Each week or two, the student will rotate through a different hospital/clinic setting and see patients/procedures based on the emphasis at that location.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MDR 866. Hand Surgery. 2 Credit Hours.
The student will be provided with the opportunity to become familiar with acute injuries, chronic conditions and congenital deformities of the hand. They will learn to take a history and do a physical examination of the hand, as well as assist in the conservative and surgical management of hand problems. The student will be expected to attend rounds, clinics, surgery and conferences, both hand and general orthopedic conferences. All Students will be required to take Ortho E.R. call with the PGY2 on the hand service.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
MDR 867. Musculoskeletal Oncology. 2 Credit Hours.
Students on the orthopedic oncology service are expected to become familiar with the principles of staging and diagnosing tumors of bone and soft tissue. The student will evaluate patients in the outpatient and inpatient setting and be responsible for the management of these patients pre- and post-operatively with close resident and attending supervision. The student will develop history and physical examination skills, as they pertain to oncologic patients, as well as actively participate in their non-operative and operative management. The student will participate in the regular educational conferences including a bi-weekly didactic orthopaedic oncology case-based conference, a weekly multidisciplinary oncology conference, and a weekly pre-operative planning conference. There are a number of potential research projects, both clinical and laboratory, that are available to interested investigators. Dr. Conway is the Program Director and member of the Orthopedic Residency Selection Committee.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 868. Multidisciplinary Hematology and Oncology at Deerfield Beach. 4 Credit Hours.
This elective will focus on a multidisciplinary approach to the diagnosis and treatment of solid and blood cancers, as well as benign hematologic diseases. It will take place in the outpatient hematology oncology clinic at the Sylvester Cancer Center at Deerfield Beach.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 870. Orthopedic Spine. 2 Credit Hours.
This rotation provides exposure to traumatic and degenerative affections of the spine. Students will participate in all rounds, clinics, and conferences. Students will be exposed to and participate in the care of patients with traumatic and degenerative disorders of the spine.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 871. Otology. 2-4 Credit Hours.
Otology is the surgical sub-specialty of hearing, balance, skull base and cochlear implant surgery, and facial nerve dysfunction. During this rotation, the senior clerk will have the opportunity to participate in the clinical evaluation, auditory and vestibular testing, medical and surgical treatment of disorders of the ear and facial nerve. The rotation will be split into three portions: clinic, operating room, and didactic sessions. Hands on anatomical dissection of the temporal bone and preparation of a clinical Grand Rounds presentation are included.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 872. Inpatient and Outpatient Otolaryngology. 2 Credit Hours.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 873. Otolaryngology Elective. 2 Credit Hours.
This rotation gives an overview of the scope of activities covered by Otolaryngology. Students are expected to get exposed to both clinical and surgical aspects of Otolaryngology and explore the variety of different subspecialties within this field. Students are encouraged to start if possible with this course before taking MDR875.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 874. Outpatient Clinical Otolaryngology. 2-4 Credit Hours.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 875. Otolaryngology Sub-I. 4 Credit Hours.
This rotation is a clinical and surgical Otolaryngology clerkship. Students are expected to get involved in both clinical and surgical aspects of Otolaryngology. Students are encouraged to start if possible with MDR873 before taking this course.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 876. Subinternship in Otolaryngology. 4 Credit Hours.
This rotation is a clinical and surgical Otolaryngology clerkship. Students are expected to get involved in both clinical and surgical aspects of Otolaryngology. Students are encouraged to start if possible with MDR873 before taking this course.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 877. Forensic Pathology. 2-4 Credit Hours.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 878. Mt. Sinai Pathology. 2-4 Credit Hours.
The Department of Pathology at Mount Sinai Medical Center offers an elective in either clinical or anatomic pathology. The program will be tailored to the particular interest and level of training of the individual. The student will be supervised by staff pathologists working with the resident staff and participate in inter-and intradepartmental conferences.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
MDR 879. Pathology. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This elective is geared towards students who wish to explore Pathology as a career option or who seek to better understand and utilize clinical and anatomic pathology services in their clinical practice. Students select week long rotations from a list and attend all Pathology Teaching Conferences and Grand Rounds. Anatomic Pathology rotations are at JMH or UMH and Clinical Pathology rotations are at JMH. This elective may be taken as a two or four week rotation.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 880. Adolescent Medicine. 2-4 Credit Hours.
The goals of this elective clinical rotation are to broaden the student’s general knowledge of Adolescent Medicine, with emphasis on learning diagnosis and treatment of the unique physical, developmental, and psychosocial problems of patients ages 10 – 25 years. The student will participate in the multidisciplinary team approach to adolescent health care; gain experience in communicating and interacting with a wide variety of inpatient and outpatient adolescents, and attend all aspects of the Adolescent Medicine teaching program.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 881. Child Protection Team. 2-4 Credit Hours.
The Child Protection Team elective is designed to familiarize the students to all aspects of child abuse. The students will learn to assess and document physical abuse and neglect, attend court hearings and participate in case staffing. This elective is geared to meet the needs of all medical students (independent of their career goals) and introduce them to the community resources available for children and their families.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 882. Fetal Cardiology. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 883. Neonatology. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This rotation in Neonatology can be taken as a 2 or 4 week elective. The student will be part of the team headed by an attending, and will follow and manage one or two patients together with one of the residents on the team. Teaching rounds will be conducted 5 times a week, work rounds 7 days a week. During the first 2 weeks of the rotation the student will refresh and refine his/her physical examination skills. He/she will become familiar with the nutritional needs of neonates and infants and with how these needs can be met by feedings and parental alimentation. How to prevent and correct imbalances in body water and electrolytes will be stressed. Problems with anemia, hyperbilirubinemia, infection (congenital or acquired after birth), hypoglycemia and hypocalcemia and their management will be explained. During the second two weeks of the rotation the focus of training will change to infants with respiratory and cardiovascular failure. The student will become familiar with the different causes of respiratory failure, how to judge the severity of respiratory failure by interpreting arterial blood gases and acid base status, and how to support the infants with supplement O2 or mechanical ventilation. Furthermore, the students will be exposed to signs and symptoms of cardiovascular failure, impaired regulation of breathing, and the consequences of hypoxic ischemic brain injury.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 885. Pediatric Cardiology. 2 Credit Hours.
The student is exposed to the physiology, clinical and laboratory diagnosis, and management of the infant and child with congenital and acquired heart disease. Fundamentals of electrophysiology and pulmonary physiology, as it relates to heart disease, will be discussed in scheduled tutored sessions. Physical diagnosis is emphasized during participation in the out-patient clinics at the University of Miami and Jackson Memorial Hospital. Cardiology ward rounds are conducted daily providing the opportunity to follow hospitalized patients from clinical diagnosis to cardiac catheterization to cardiac surgery. Interpretation of pediatric electrocardiograms and cardiac echocardiograms are included the individual patient's evaluation.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 886. Pediatric Dermatology. 2-4 Credit Hours.
The understanding of mechanisms of pathophysiology and effective therapy in pediatric dermatological diseases is stressed in this elective. The students will participate in management of in-patient and out-patient dermatological and connective tissue problems. Diagnostic techniques by light microscopy and immunologic techniques and standard dermatologic laboratory techniques will be emphasized.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 887. Pediatric Emergency Medicine. 2-4 Credit Hours.
The student will be the primary physician for pediatric patients presenting with acute problems in the emergency facility of Jackson Memorial Hospital. The student will evaluate and treat patients with an extensive variety of acute illnesses under supervision of pediatric faculty and house staff.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
MDR 888. Pediatric Endocrinology. 4 Credit Hours.
The student will be the primary physician for pediatric patients presenting with acute problems in the emergency facility of Jackson Memorial Hospital. The student will evaluate and treat patients with an extensive variety of acute illnesses under supervision of pediatric faculty and house staff.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 889. Pediatric Gastroenterology, Hepatology, and Nutrition. 2-4 Credit Hours.
The student will be able to participate in the care for inpatients and outpatients; to participate in daily rounds on inpatients as well as consults with the attending physician, fellow and pediatric resident team. Opportunities to conduct patient interviews and examinations as well as to observe/participate in GI procedures will be an integral part of the elective. The student will review indications/risks for particular procedures and surgeries as they relate to pediatric gastroenterology. Students will also participate in weekly outpatient clinics. Students will also learn care of gastrostomy tubes. The 4 week rotation will consist of 2 weeks inpatient and 2 weeks outpatient. For the 2 week rotation, the student will choose either the inpatient or outpatient component of the rotation.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 890. Genetics and Metabolic Diseases. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This elective exposes students to diagnosis and management of a variety of genetic syndromes, inheritable metabolic diseases, hereditary cancer syndromes, and other heritable disorders. During this elective, patients with genetic syndromes, chromosomal disorders, metabolic disease, and other Mendelian disorders are seen in the Mailman Center Metabolic and Genetics clinic, the Jackson Pediatric Genetics clinic, Specialty Genetics Clinics at UM, and the Jackson Memorial Hospital wards. The specialty clinics include Neurogenetics clinic, Cleft lip and palate clinic, Cancer Genetics clinic, Muscular Dystrophy clinic, Fragile X clinic, Hearing loss clinic, and Prenatal Genetics clinic.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 891. Pediatric Infectious Diseases and Immunology. 4 Credit Hours.
The 4-week rotation in Pediatric Immunology and Infectious Disease is designed to give the student a broad experience in the immunological and infectious disease problems of children. The student will participate in both the inpatient and outpatient care of children with such problems by rounding daily with the attending fellow and the clinical pediatric infectious disease faculty. The student will also have the opportunity to assist in the care of children with HIV-1 infection as well as other immunodeficiency diseases.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 892. Pediatric Intensive Care Unit Sub-I. 4 Credit Hours.
The primary objective of this rotation is to promote the development and mastery of clinical critical care pediatric competencies. The environment of the PICU affords the student a broad exposure to clinically relevant physiological and pathophysiological principles and multisystem disease (Competencies: Patient Care, Medical Knowledge). The practice of evidence based medicine is promoted by encouraging students to conduct literature search for current guidelines (Practice-based Learning and Improvement), with an emphasis on the basic principles of recognition and management of respiratory failure and shock in the pediatric population (infancy to 21 years).
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 893. Pediatric Mobile Clinic. 4 Credit Hours.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 894. Pediatric Nephrology. 4 Credit Hours.
This elective consists of exposure to in-patient and outpatient pediatric renal problems, participation in clinical and experimental discussion with House staff and Fellows, and observation of renal physiology experiments. Students will be able to describe diagnostic approaches to pediatric renal problems by radiological, histological, electronmicroscopic, and immunological techniques. Current clinical studies include: immunological, metabolic, and physiologic changes in nephrotic syndrome poorly controlled or uncontrolled with steroids; recurrent hematuria; renal function of newborn and infant; calcium, phosphorus, vitamin D, and PTH metabolism in uremia. Chronic Renal Failure; growth; lipids; HIV nephropathy; effect of maternal cocaine on the fetal kidney, low birth weight Nephropathy, dialysis cardiomyopathy; and drug use in hypertension.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 895. Pediatric Pulmonary. 2-4 Credit Hours.
The objective of this rotation is to provide the students with the clinical exposure to acute and chronic, acquired and congenital, respiratory diseases from infancy to adolescence in both in-patient and out-patient venues. These conditions include but are not limited to asthma, chronic cough, chronic lung disease of infancy, cystic fibrosis, congenital lung abnormalities, recurrent and complicated pneumonia. The student will participate in the in-patient rounds or activities, ambulatory clinics and didactic conferences.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
MDR 896. Poison Center Toxicology. 2-4 Credit Hours.
The senior student will be given the opportunity to assist the Poison Information Specialists and Toxicologists at the Florida Poison Information Center with the diagnosis, triage, treatment and follow-up of patients exposed to toxins. The high volume of cases (over 170 patients per day) will allow the student to learn about a wide variety of toxins in both pediatric and adult patients. The clinical experience at the Poison Center will be supplemented with didactic lectures and bedside consultations for both adult and pediatric patients hospitalized at Jackson Memorial Hospital.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 897. Pediatrics Sub-I. 4 Credit Hours.
The large pediatric inpatient service offers a unique opportunity to the student to improve the clinical and didactic skills in the diagnosis and management of all the common and most of the uncommon disorders in children. The senior student will be placed in the regular first year resident rotation functioning as part of the ward team under direct supervision of pediatric residents and the attending physicians. There might be two (2) attendings on the team, one full time faculty member in general pediatrics and the other a pediatric specialist or a practicing community pediatrician.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 898. Ophthalmology @ Palm Beach Gardens. 2-4 Credit Hours.
The primary goal of this elective is to familiarize the student with general concepts of Ophthalmology, and how to conduct a basic eye examination. Aspects of Ophthalmology that are pertinent to the practice of Internal Medicine, Neurology, Family Practice, and other primary care specialties will also be taught. Emphasis is placed on the ocular exam and findings related to common eye pathology such as cataracts, glaucoma, macular degeneration, diabetic retinopathy, and conjunctivitis. Some exposure to more unusual cases to ophthalmology as a subspecialty will be obtained in clinics. Didactic sessions with attending faculty, patient care with fellows in the clinics and coordinated self teaching make up the majority of the elective. Students will also have the ability to go to the OR to observe ophthalmic surgery. Opportunity to assist faculty in write-up of case reports will also be available for the students considering ophthalmology as a career goal.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 899. Pharmacology Research Opportunities. 2-4 Credit Hours.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 900. Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This elective is intended for medical students who have completed the neurology core clerkship rotation. During the elective, the medical student will spend time on the Ryder Trauma 4th floor Neurehab service, shadowing the Rehab attending on daily rounds. Students will also have the opportunity to become familiar with Botulinum toxin injections and participate of Brain Injury Medicine Clinic on the 2nd and 4th Thursday of the month. There is an opportunity to get involved in clinical research activities that are ongoing in the division.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 901. Child and Adolescent Psychiatry. 2-4 Credit Hours.
Various clinical services are utilized for undergraduate and post-graduate training in Child & Adolescent Psychiatry: the Children's Inpatient Unit and the Child and Adolescent Outpatient Clinic. Students may be assigned to one or a combination of these services where they will have a supervised experience.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 902. Consultation-Liaison Psychiatry. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This service is responsible for consultations to non-psychiatric inpatients and for various liaison activities with other services and units of the general hospital. Students under supervision will respond to consultation requests in evaluating the patient and making recommendations to the referring physician. They will join faculty members in their liaison work and attend regularly scheduled seminars and consultation reviews.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 903. Geriatric Psychiatry. 2-4 Credit Hours.
The Department of Psychiatry offers an elective in Geriatric Psychiatry. The elective can be tailored to the student's special needs. Clinical experiences focus on diseases that are more prevalent in the geriatric population such as delirium and dementia.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
MDR 904. JMH Inpatient Psychiatry. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This elective allows students to diagnose and manage a variety of psychiatric disorders. This includes patients with mood disorders, psychotic disorders and other conditions that require psychiatric hospitalization. Under the supervision of attending physicians students will manage patients with a variety of therapeutic techniques available for their treatment. We have several units available for this elective: 2 Inpatient units for acutely ill adult psychiatric patients - JMH, 1 dual diagnosis unit (treatment of acute substance abuse, detox and psychiatric disorders) – JMH, 1 inpatient unit for Mood Disorders - UMH.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 905. Psychiatry Emergency Service. 2 Credit Hours.
This course provides students with the opportunity to be involved in the diagnosis and therapy of selected patients presenting to the Psychiatric Emergency Room. The student will then be assigned to the Psychiatric Emergency Room. The student will then be able to observe a wide range of acute psychiatric emergencies and learn to handle these in an appropriate manner. The student will begin to develop concepts of psychiatric diagnosis, nomenclature and treatment applicable to the acute situation. Also, under supervision, the student will see acute psychiatric consultations as requested. Students should consider this elective interested in a career in Emergency Room Medicine or Family Medicine besides those students interested in Psychiatry.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 906. Ambulatory Psychiatry. 2 Credit Hours.
This course provides students with the opportunity to be involved in the diagnosis and therapy of selected patients presenting to the outpatient clinics at the Mental Health Center. Individual supervision will be aimed at exposing the student to the range of psychiatric disorders that can be managed in an outpatient basis such as anxiety disorders, depression, etc. The students will be exposed to different therapeutic modalities used to treat these problems including psychopharmacologic treatments, cognitive behavioral therapy, and group therapy.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 907. Research Experience. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: MOD.
Grading: NON.

MDR 908. Mt. Sinai Diagnostic Radiology. 2-4 Credit Hours.
The courses consist of daily required didactic conferences and practical film interpretation sessions covering all areas of Radiology. The student will participate in divisional activities including diagnostic and therapeutic nuclear medicine and non-invasive cardiovascular laboratory, under the direct Preceptorship of attending physicians.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 909. Radiology Clerkship. 2 Credit Hours.
Radiology is a required 2 week clerkship available to third and fourth year medical students, and must be successfully completed prior to graduation. The course is offered once a month 12 times a year. It is a structured two week course mainly at Jackson Memorial Medical Center. The aim of the course is to teach the student what every physician should know about diagnostic imaging and how to effectively use our varied radiographic techniques and imaging modalities to diagnose disease, regardless of their field of interest. An Advanced Radiology elective is offered in 2-week blocks (8 blocks only) to those students wanting to gain more in depth knowledge or who are interested in the field as a career choice. Multiple blocks may be taken. Please refer to Course MDR 910 for description. The course consists of daily required morning image interpretation sessions rotating through the subspecialties of Radiology as well as afternoon small group interactive sessions for case solving, based on the assigned on-line video tutorials. There will be an assigned instructor which will be an attending, fellow, or senior resident. Attendance is mandatory and will be recorded. The students will be assessed for performance during these sessions. The students are also invited to attend other departmental and sectional conferences. A final exam will be given on the last day of the course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 910. Advanced Radiology. 2 Credit Hours.
Radiology II at Jackson Memorial Medical Center consists of a more extensive exposure to one or two subspecialty areas in clinical Diagnostic Radiology. The student may select to spend one or two weeks in any subspecialty area to gain more in-depth knowledge of that subspecialty. The experience will vary somewhat depending on the area of Diagnostic Radiology which the student selects. They are welcome, but not required, to attend scheduled student lectures. They are encouraged to attend the daily 12:30 p.m. Departmental conference. They are required to attend all subspecialty conferences of the sections they are rotating through.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
MDR 911. Nuclear Medicine. 2 Credit Hours.
The Nuclear Medicine elective allows the student to interact with the clinical and research activities of Nuclear Medicine as it relates to diagnostic imaging and therapy with this modality. Students are trained under the direct supervision of our faculty members with guidance from our residents. Learning Techniques include: daily work, teaching file and conference attendance. Reading sessions start at 8 a.m. daily. While patients are injected for studies during the morning, the students observe the technical aspect of this procedure prior to interpreting the studies with residents and attendings. An example of such studies is the myocardial perfusion studies - patients are injected early in the morning, residents and students monitor the stress and rest imaging acquisitions. They also interpret the EKGs prior to evaluating the processed images in the reading room. Students will also observe many other nuclear medicine procedures, such as cisternograms, renal scintigraphy, thyroid scintigraphy and PET scans.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 913. HCH Cardiology. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This rotation includes consultative diagnosis, electrocardiography, and intensive medical and surgical cardiac care at Holy Cross Hospital and Clinics. Under the direct supervision of the attending cardiologist, students will have the opportunity to evaluate patients presenting with a full spectrum of cardiac complaints. The student will participate in consultation rounds with the attending cardiologists, in both the inpatient and outpatient settings, participate in the evaluation of noninvasive testing, and observe cardiac catheterization and cardiac surgery of their patients.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 914. Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation Virtual Rotation. 2 Credit Hours.
This elective provides a variety of settings to experience and learn about the field of physical medicine and rehabilitation through a virtual set up.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 915. Radiation Oncology. 4 Credit Hours.
The objective of the elective on Radiation Oncology is to familiarize the student with the treatment of neoplastic disease in general, and specifically with the role of ionizing radiation in treating cancer and related disorders. The course is tailored to the needs of individual students, with an emphasis on providing a general introduction to Radiation Oncology for students either interested in other medical fields, other oncologic specialties, or considering Radiation Oncology as a field specialization.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 916. Research. 0-8 Credit Hours.
Guidelines for obtaining academic credit for research are found on the subsequent pages. This information is also available on the MedEd website under Important Documents for students. MDR 916 “Research” – Used to designate credits student has been awarded. Seniors are required to always have on their scheduled an appropriate number of credits required for graduation. Since Research Credits are frequently granted late in the Senior year, students must schedule Electives late in the year that they may drop if and when Research credit is granted.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 917. Burn Unit Sub-I. 4 Credit Hours.
The Burn Service admits over 150 major injuries and 300 total patients per year. Concentration is on acute care but reconstruction is also done. Principles of critical care, infection control, nutritional support, wound care and rehabilitation are stressed. Opportunities for clinical research exist.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 918. Burn Unit Elective. 2 Credit Hours.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 919. Cardiothoracic Surgery Sub-I. 4 Credit Hours.
This rotation will give the 4th year student a unique opportunity to see complex surgical procedures while learning how to care for critically ill patients. The attending and resident staff will supervise the care of patients undergoing operations for coronary artery disease, congenital and acquired valvular heart disease, complex congenital heart defects, a variety of lung and esophageal diseases, trauma to the chest, and heart and lung transplants. Patients will range from premature infants to elderly adults at JMH and VA Hospitals.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 920. General Surgery EI Sub-I. 4 Credit Hours.
This 4-week rotation will expose the 4th year student to a wide array of cancer problems and teach an integrated interdisciplinary approach to their management. Esophageal, hepatic, breast, and gastric carcinomas will be seen and treated in addition to melanomas and soft tissue sarcomas.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
MDR 921. General Surgery EII Sub-I. 4 Credit Hours.
This elective surgery service predominantly sees hepatobiliary, pancreatic problems, surgical endocrine and adrenal disease. It deals with patients with portal hypertension and biliary tract disease, and both benign and malignant conditions will be seen and treated. In addition, endocrine surgery patients will be seen, and the full spectrum of thyroid and parathyroid disease will be learned. Advanced laparoscopic skills can also be seen treating a whole spectrum of surgical problems. Students have the opportunity to join evening rounds, present patients, discuss current problems and generate treatment options. Students will present didactic discussion of patient subjects to staff and colleagues weekly.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 922. General Surgery EIII Sub-I. 4 Credit Hours.
This elective service deals primarily with diseases of the colon, rectum, and anus. Benign disease, such as hemorrhoids, anal fistulae, anal fissures, and inflammatory bowel disease will be seen and thoroughly discussed and learned. In addition, the entire spectrum of colon and rectal cancer will be seen and treated.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 923. Neurology Virtual Elective. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This two to four-week elective course explores the key aspects in the care of patients with neurological diseases and intends to expose medical student to variety of neurological conditions. Each student will be paired with one resident and one attending for their virtual daily inpatient rounds and discussions. The student will be exposed to neurological emergencies and common neurological disorders.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MDR 924. Introduction to Neurosurgery. 2 Credit Hours.
This 2 week elective is intended to give the third year medical student an initial acquaintance to neurosurgery including the pathophysiology, evaluation, and management of the spectrum of disorders that confront the modern neurosurgeon. The UM neurosurgery service covers virtually the entire gamut of neurosurgical practice. The clinical service is divided into teams that focus primarily on specific subspecialty areas. The spine team cares for patients with tumors, trauma, degenerative disease, and other disorders. The general cranial team deals with cerebrovascular disease, tumors, epilepsy, movement disorders, and other pathology. A separate team cares for patients with head injuries. The pediatric division cares for patients at both Jackson Memorial Hospital and Miami Children's Hospital. A separate team cares for a busy neurosurgical service at University of Miami Hospital that includes both cranial and spinal patients.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 925. Surgery Boot Camp - Transition to Residency. 2 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this course is to allow all MS4 students who match in surgical residencies or surgery preliminary internship to enter their intern year with a solid knowledge base and set of procedural skills related to preoperative, intraoperative, and postoperative care of the surgical patient. Participation in the two-week course will allow students to practice procedural and basic surgical skills, enhance their surgical knowledge, and review practices to enhance their abilities to perform confidently and competently as a new intern. This course is intended to consolidate and expand upon skills learned on the core clerkship and surgical M4 electives. This two-week elective is designed to combine didactic, case-based, multidisciplinary simulations, procedural, and team-based education experiences. Real time self-assessment using feedback from instructors as well as final course evaluations will provide students with an understanding of their preparedness for internship. Novel multidisciplinary pager exercises will improve communication skills, triaging of patient management, and experience with common clinical scenarios.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 926. Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery. 2-4 Credit Hours.
The Department of Surgery's Division of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery offers the student an intense experience in Head and Neck Reconstructive Surgery, Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology, Facial Trauma and Head and Neck Anatomy. The attending and resident staff is committed to providing the student with a valuable educational experience. This is the only exposure the medical student receives regarding the problems related to the oral cavity and to oral and maxillofacial surgery, which may confront him/her at a later date in his/her career. This is an advantageous rotation for those interested in ENT, Plastic Surgery, and Ophthalmology.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 927. Pediatric Surgery Sub-I. 4 Credit Hours.
This very busy surgical service will allow the 4th year student the opportunity to care for common and uncommon, yet very interesting, surgical problems in the pediatric population. The experience includes abdominal surgery, hernia surgery, and thoracic procedures. There is close supervision by the pediatric surgery attendings with daily rounds and a chance to follow patients closely. Outpatient clinics also provide for close patient follow up.

Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
MDR 928. Plastic Surgery. 2 Credit Hours.
This rotation provides comprehensive exposure to all facets of aesthetic plastic and reconstructive surgery at UM affiliated clinical institutions and educational venues. Students participate in the pre-operative planning, operative management, and post-operative care of plastic and reconstructive surgery patients, on the wards and in the clinics; learn plastic techniques in the operating and emergency rooms; and also participate in the on-call schedule with the residents. Students are also welcome to actively participate in all of educational programs of the division including Grand Rounds, Journal Clubs & Didactic Sessions. Medical students will be encouraged to participate in any ongoing research projects.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 929. Surgical Intensive Care Unit. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This rotation is offered to give 4th year students an introduction to the environment of the ICU and the unique subject matter that pertains to it. It also gives you the opportunity to see what happens after surgical emergencies, surgical complications, and transplants. Education is provided by morning rounds, student and housestaff presentations, reading, and by paying attention and asking questions!
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 930. Transplant Surgery. 4 Credit Hours.
The student will have responsibilities similar to a junior house officer, under strict supervision of the Transplant Team because of the critical care of these patients. The student will be present at the operation for vascular access surgery, general surgery on transplantation patients and chronic renal failure patients, which would include bilateral native nephrectomies (usually for difficult to control hypertension), kidney, liver, pancreas, and pancreatic islet transplants, and related surgery. In addition, issues related to native organ disease – kidney, pancreas, liver, leading to need for transplantation – will be covered. There will be weekly conferences and seminars in research and clinical problems in kidney, liver, and pancreas transplantation and participation in weekly immunobiology transplant conferences.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 931. Trauma Surgery. 4 Credit Hours.
The trauma teams treat all patients requiring surgery who are admitted through the emergency room. In addition, the trauma teams are responsible for management of all major trauma victims brought to the Ryder Trauma Center, a Level-I Center. This rotation will allow the student to care for major trauma victims and patients with non-trauma surgical emergencies.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 932. Trauma Intensive Care Unit. 2-4 Credit Hours.
The students will gain an initial understanding of critical care and complex postoperative care of the critically ill trauma and surgical patient. Education is provided by morning rounds, student and housestaff presentations, reading, and by paying attention and asking questions!
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 933. HCH General Surgery. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This elective in General Surgery will focus on Open and Laparoscopic General Surgery, Surgical Oncology, Colorectal Surgery and Vascular Surgery. The cases include cholecystectomies, colon resections, hepatobiliary and pancreatic surgery, complex hernia repairs, distal bypasses, aortic aneurysms and vascular stenting. In addition, appendectomies, hernias, hemorrhoid operations, as well as other outpatient procedures will be part of the surgery experience.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 934. Female Pelvic Medicine and Surgery. 2-4 Credit Hours.
Female Pelvic Medicine and Reconstructive Surgery is a surgical subspecialty within Urology and Gynecology dealing with problems of the anatomy and/or function of the pelvic floor in women. These issues may affect urination, defecation, pain sensation, and sexual function. During this elective, the senior clerk will have the opportunity to participate in the evaluation and the medical and surgical treatment of females in this patient population.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 935. Out-Patient Urology. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This elective is offered to those students who are particularly interested in Urology as a career choice. It is designed so that the student will participate as a team member on each service he/she rotates on and will accept responsibilities and perform duties commensurate with his/her ability.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 936. Reproductive Urology. 2-4 Credit Hours.
The Reproductive Urology elective rotation focuses on the care and treatment of urologic patients, specifically related to andrology and male fertility. The student will work with the urology residents and attending faculty in the operating rooms, wards, and clinics. The student will attend weekly urology didactic conferences on Thursday and Friday mornings.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
MDR 937. Urology Sub-I. 4 Credit Hours.
This elective is offered to those students who are particularly interested in Urology as a career choice. It is designed so that the student will participate as a team member on each service he/she rotates on and will accept responsibilities and perform duties commensurate with his/her ability.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 938. Urology Elective. 2-4 Credit Hours.
As much as 30% of all visits of elderly men to the primary care physician can relate to symptoms and disorder of the genitourinary tract. Physician should at least be conversant on these common ailments (i.e., BPH, Prostate cancer, Incontinence, Impotence, Stones or Hematuria).
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 939. Professional Development for Medical Student Leaders. 2 Credit Hours.
1. Students must hold a leadership position within the Academic Societies (as a society director, assistant director, a member of the society executive staff, or training director), DOCS, or Executive Student Government staff. 2. The course will span the senior year, from July through March. 3. During the month of July, assigned readings, didactic sessions, and group exercises will be offered during evenings and weekends; students will need to be available to attend ALL of these sessions in July in order to receive the 2 weeks of academic credit. 4. These activities are designed to teach the fundamental aspects of teamwork, leadership, teaching and learning, and mentoring. 5. Throughout the year, students will be responsible for fulfilling the obligations of their specific position within the student organization. 6. Students in Academic Society positions will attend their society training and student report sessions to apply the information learned in the didactic sessions and will complete exercises to evaluate and improve their skills in these areas. Student Evaluation and Grading: By completing a combination of assigned exercises, attending all scheduled seminar sessions, and fulfilling student leadership responsibilities, each student will receive 2 weeks of elective credit. **For credit, attendance is REQUIRED for ALL summer sessions in JULY.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 940. Public Health Elective. 2-4 Credit Hours.
The Public Health elective will be offered to senior MD/MPH medical students if approved by the course director for time spent on a 2- or 4-week public health externship. MD students who have completed public health coursework will also be considered. The consideration of elective credit includes the content and quality of the program/project. In addition, the dates of the program must mesh with the schedule of the medical school curriculum and academic calendar. Each application will be considered on an individual basis with consideration of the student's overall performance and standing at UMMSM.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 941. HCH Cardiothoracic Surgery Sub-I. 4 Credit Hours.
Overview: This unique surgery sub-internship will allow the student to learn in a preceptor-based model about the surgical management of cardiovascular and thoracic diseases. The students will be exposed to a wide variety of surgical experiences, including open and minimally-invasive surgical approaches. The student will also engage in preoperative and postoperative assessment and treatment of patients. The students will have primary responsibility for the care and management of their patients.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 942. Business Skills for Healthcare Providers. 4 Credit Hours.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 943. General Surgery E IV Sub-I. 4 Credit Hours.
This 4-week rotation will expose the 4th year student to several unique, yet related, surgical disciplines: laparoscopic surgery, surgical endoscopy, and the surgical management of morbid obesity.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 944. MIA VAMC General Surgery Sub-I. 4 Credit Hours.
The surgical program at the VA Medical Center is a truly General Surgical Service which focuses on Open and Laparoscopic General Surgery, Surgical Oncology, Colorectal Surgery and Vascular surgery. The cases include cholecystectomies, colon resections, hepatobiliary and pancreatic surgery, complex hernia repairs, distal bypasses, aortic aneurysms and vascular stenting. In addition, appendectomies, hernias, hemorrhoid operations and an increasing number of outpatient surgeries compose our experience.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 945. Taylor Breast Health Center. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This elective will consist of a 2 week or a 4 week block at the Taylor Breast Health Center. During this time, the student will have the opportunity to participate in the diagnosis and follow-up of patients with the full spectrum of breast diseases, most importantly breast cancer.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
MDR 947. Research Review by Research Committee. 0-8 Credit Hours.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 948. JFK Surgery Sub-I. 4 Credit Hours.
This surgery sub-internship will allow the student to learn in a team model about the surgical management of common gastrointestinal and endocrine disorders. The student will be exposed to both open and laparoscopic operations, treating a broad spectrum of surgical entities. The student will also engage in preoperative and postoperative assessment and treatment of patients, with an emphasis on continuity of care.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 949. Caring for the Community: Free Clinics Elective. 2 Credit Hours.
Provides students with an opportunity of clinical care at student-run free clinics while advancing their knowledge of the social determinants of health and the barriers that uninsured patients encounter in obtaining primary medical care and specialty care when needed. The student-run free clinic elective will provide medical students with an engaging clinical experience that will prepare them to more effectively advocate and care for uninsured patients. This elective provides an opportunity for third and fourth year medical students to provide clinical care at student-run free clinics while advancing their knowledge of the social determinants of health and the barriers that uninsured patients encounter in obtaining primary medical care and specialty care when needed. The student-run free clinic elective will provide medical students with an engaging clinical experience that will prepare them to more effectively advocate and care for uninsured patients. In addition to their clinical roles, students will be actively involved as both teachers and learners. Working under the direct supervision of faculty physicians, students will participate in training and educating volunteer underclass students by leading clinical care teams and conducting wrap-up sessions at the end of each clinic session. To prepare them for their educator roles, students will receive didactic training outside of clinic on various topics pertaining to teaching skills and the social determinants of health. This longitudinal experience provides students the opportunity to receive two weeks of elective credit by completing the required didactic sessions and at least 18 clinical experiences that may be scheduled over the course of 21 months during years 3 and 4. The Free Clinic elective is available to all students; however it will be required of all third and fourth year students in the social medicine pathway.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 950. COVID-19 Virtual Elective. 2 Credit Hours.
During the COVID-19 pandemic, frontline healthcare providers have been forced to learn new skills and assume new roles to fight this unprecedented disaster. The purpose of this elective is to educate medical students on COVID-19 management techniques, public health principles, pandemic preparedness and relevant issues that will be essential in future crises.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 951. Cardiology Teaching Lab - Harvey (2 wks). 2 Credit Hours.
This rotation consists of a focused review of cardiology for the clinician. A clinician must be able to evaluate and treat cardiology patients, as they represent the largest subset of patients they see with significant disease. Each student is trained to develop the knowledge and skills needed to conduct a complete cardiovascular history and bedside examination, and interpret ECG’s and arrhythmias. The rotation includes the integration of the bedside evaluation with the current indications for non-invasive and invasive diagnostic testing. The diagnosis and management of valvular disease, coronary disease, hypertensive heart disease, heart failure and congenital lesions are covered by group and individual sessions with Harvey, the Cardiopulmonary Patient Simulator. The UMedic multimedia computer curriculum is incorporated into the elective to further interactive self-learning. Didactic ECG and Arrhythmia lectures are given daily. Each student will also read, interpret and review electrocardiograms and arrhythmias with clinical faculty. Students will use our web-based programs, Essential ECG and Essential Arrhythmia, to facilitate their learning.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 952. Reproductive Endocrinology and Infertility. 2 Credit Hours.
This rotation will provide you with the unique opportunity to learn about the subspecialty of reproductive endocrinology and infertility. During this rotation student will learn the basics of menstrual cycle, hormonal regulation and different causes of infertility. Students will be exposed to a wide variety of endocrinological disorders such as amenorrhea, polycystic ovarian syndromes, thyroid dysfunction, and hyperprolactinemia. Opportunity will be given to attend and observe the different techniques of advanced reproductive technology, including in vitro fertilization, intracytoplasmic sperm injection, intrauterine insemination. You will also be able to scrub-in and observe a wide variety of endoscopic surgeries.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 953. Cardiac Anesthesiology / CVICU. 4 Credit Hours.
During this rotation, the student will be exposed to the principles and the practice of cardiothoracic anesthesia, applied cardiovascular physiology and pharmacology, and the management of the cardiothoracic surgical patient in the post-surgical ICU setting. The course will provide the student exposure to and experience performing the preoperative assessment, intraoperative management, and postoperative intensive care management of cardiothoracic surgical patients from the perspective of the cardiac anesthesiologist and critical care specialist. The student will work with faculty, fellows, and residents delivering anesthetic care to adult patients undergoing cardiothoracic and vascular procedures and under the supervision of the ICU attendings and fellows, and share in the responsibility for direct day-to-day ICU patient care.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
MDR 954. Pediatric Anesthesiology. 2 Credit Hours.
This elective will introduce the subspecialty of Pediatric Anesthesiology to medical students interested in careers in Anesthesiology, Pediatrics and related specialties. The rotation will consist of a 2-week consecutive period that will expose the medical student to the basic knowledge and skills inherent to the practice of pediatric anesthesia. Techniques of basic procedural skills will be reviewed along with discussions on topics integral to pediatric peri-operative care. The course will provide the student exposure to and experience performing the preoperative assessment, intra- and post-operative management of pediatric surgical patients from the perspective of the pediatric anesthesiologist.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 955. UroGynecology Sub-I. 4 Credit Hours.
The objective of this sub-internship is to improve the students' knowledge and skills in evaluating and managing women with pelvic organ prolapse (POP) and urinary incontinence. The student will develop an understanding of pelvic anatomy, become familiar with surgical principles and develop proficiency in evaluating and recognizing the various types of POP, urinary incontinence and voiding disorders. Student participating in the sub-internship will also become familiar with the surgical management of POP and urinary incontinence and have greater exposure to other common types of pelvic floor dysfunction such as; fecal incontinence, constipation, urinary tract infections, bladder and pelvic pain, urethral diverticulum, and sexual dysfunction.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 956. Procedure Team Medical Student Elective. 2-4 Credit Hours.
The performance of an invasive bedside procedure carries with it inherent risks and potential complications. Incorrect accomplishment of such may adversely affect patient safety, increase hospital length of stay, necessitate the use of additional resources, and propagate incorrect procedural methods for the next generation of physicians. To this end a formal course in procedural instruction serves as model for the other institutions and as a standard within our own. The days of "see one, do one, teach one" are extinct. Students will undergo formal procedural instruction using task trainers/models. They will become familiar with relevant anatomy, and perfect the technical skills needed to successfully perform invasive bedside procedures, from pre-procedural assessment to post-procedure documentation and follow-up
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 957. Geriatrics and Palliative Medicine Clerkship. 2 Credit Hours.
The medical student will spend four weeks at the VA Medical Center and assume responsibility for the care of older patients under the supervision of board-certified geriatricians and palliative medicine physicians, geriatric and palliative medicine fellows, and members of the interdisciplinary care team. Our mission is to teach, model and assess the knowledge, skills, and attitudes needed by medical students to complete comprehensive geriatric and palliative care assessments. Clinical activities will mainly take place in multiple chronic care venues at the VA including the Intermediate Care Unit, the Hospice Unit, the Community Living Center, and the Geriatric Primary Care Clinic. Students may have an opportunity to rotate at the Miami Jewish Health System or participate in clinical services at the University of Miami Hospital and the Cancer Center.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 958. UMH Medicine Sub-I. 4 Credit Hours.
The primary objective of this rotation is to emphasize mastery of clinical core internal medicine competencies, to develop skills in inpatient management of common medical illnesses, and to prepare fourth year medical students for internship. This rotation will promote the expansion of the clinical knowledge base and emphasize the practice of evidence based internal medicine.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 959. JFK Medicine Sub-I. 4 Credit Hours.
The objective of this rotation is to provide students with hands on clinical experiences that are specifically designed to mirror their upcoming roles as interns in postgraduate training. The medical Sub-intern will master specific core competencies and basic principles of inpatient medical care. The sub-intern will be a member of a medical ward team that consists of an attending, one resident, two interns and two third year clerks. The sub-intern will work specifically with one resident on the team who will directly oversee the sub-intern and the care of his/her patients. They will focus on delivery of inpatient care to general medical patients as well as collaborate with medical and surgical subspecialties. They will attend daily morning report and attending rounds as well as participate in daily sign out/hand off rounds. Sub-interns will attend daily noon conferences, weekly grand rounds, and twice weekly sessions with sub-internship coordinators to review key inpatient topics.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
MDR 960. Vascular Surgery. 4 Credit Hours.
This rotation is a busy service treating the complete spectrum of vascular diseases including aneurysms of the aorta, cerebrovascular disease, mesenteric vascular disease, renovascular disease and peripheral vascular disease. In addition, endovascular procedures will be observed. This rotation will allow the student to care for patients both pre-operatively and post-operatively. There will also be some experience interpreting non-invasive diagnostic tests to tailor the operation for specific vascular problems. Conferences with the attendings are held on a weekly basis. Students will learn how to recognize, diagnose and treat the most common vascular diseases. All students will be evaluated by the attending in charge on their professionalism, clinical skills, and participation. Attendance is mandatory for all assigned conferences, rounds and/or presentations and will be taken into consideration. Students are required to stay until 10 PM when on night call.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 961. MIA VAMC Medicine Sub-I. 4 Credit Hours.
The objective of this rotation is to provide students with hands on clinical experiences that are specifically designed to mirror their upcoming roles as interns in postgraduate training. The medical Sub-intern will master specific core competencies and basic principles of inpatient medical care. With the guidance and oversight of the supervising attending and resident, the sub-I will be seen as the primary care giver by the patient and the hospital staff.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 962. JFK Intensive Care Unit. 4 Credit Hours.
The objective of this rotation is to provide M4 students with hands on clinical experiences in an ICU setting that will expose them to the pathophysiology, and management of patients in a intensive care setting. The M4 will act as an integral member of the ICU team.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 963. Ambulatory Obstetrics and Gynecology. 4 Credit Hours.
The objective is for the student to gain experience in the diagnostic and therapeutic approaches for general obstetric and gynecologic conditions by participating in direct patient care and resident didactic activities. Students will enhance interpersonal skills and professional conduct in the female patientharvey encounter setting. Students will learn the basic ambulatory management of medium and high risk obstetrical patients, the management of ambulatory gynecologic conditions, and prevention and screening in women's reproductive health. This rotation is ideal for the student considering a career in obstetrics and gynecology as he or she will be exposed to multiple aspects of the field. The rotation will also provide a strong foundation in outpatient women's reproductive health for those going into internal medicine, family medicine, pediatrics and psychiatry.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 965. Addiction Psychiatry @ Wellington Retreat. 4 Credit Hours.
Medical students get hands on experience regarding the evaluation and treatment of addiction and other psychiatric illnesses. From day one, they are taught to recognize symptoms and gain interview techniques. They perform initial evaluations directly supervised by Dr. Moran who is triple board certified in general psychiatry, addiction psychiatry, and addiction medicine. Students attend community meetings every week day as well as adolescent community meetings and several groups (which usually takes all morning 8:30-12:00). They are shown the proper way to write notes on patients with psychiatric diseases and all notes are written by the students and reviewed by the doctor. Students are assigned a caseload of patients. The students are expected to assess them daily to witness and understand the gradual changes in the psychopathology. Every day, everyone involved in the care of patients (Doctors, Therapists, Clinical Director, Coordinators Director, Residents P.A. students and the medical students) meet during lunch (12:30-13:30) to discuss the individual treatment of each patient; students are encouraged to participate since their contact with the patients provides helpful additional observations. Our treatment is based on cutting edge research and the students will learn about psychopharmacology as well as evidence-based psychosocial interventions.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 966. Medical-Legal Partnership. 2-4 Credit Hours.
Medical-Legal Partnership clinic presents issues of health in the broader social context of people's lives, providing knowledge and skills from both disciplines to the advancement of health through joint medical-legal advocacy and interdisciplinary solutions to complex problems. During the course, students from medicine will be partnered with various mentors to focus on basic legal issues in the context of medical care. They will have the opportunity to work in unique clinical experiences which focus not only on medical care of actual patients but also on broader policy issues that affect public health. They will have an opportunity to work with the Child protection Team, Justice Outreach with the Veterans courts, Human Trafficking and Asylum clinics and Mental Health In- Hospital program to learn how medical expertise works with hospital regulations and laws to impact on health outcomes of the public. They will also participate in the medical-legal clinics with law students as medical "experts" to work together to advocate for patients by the elimination of social determinants that adversely affect patient health such as income and employment, housing, education, legal status, and personal safety. The Medical-Legal clinic at the Miami Veterans Administration Medical Center (interdisciplinary with Medical and Psychiatric attendings), will allow students to use their clinical skills and learn about the complex intersection of health and law. There they will develop insight into how the law may be used as a tool to improve health, and how health care providers and lawyers can work together to invoke more effective and preventive remedies for patients and clients.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
MDR 967. JFK Cardiology Consult. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This is an inpatient consult rotation at JFK Medical Center, a tertiary care center in Palm Beach County. It is a very active cardiac center with invasive cardiology services, cardiac surgery, and electrophysiology services. Patients encountered reflect the rich, diverse nature of pathology present in the area with equal exposure to men and women of multiple ethnicities and socioeconomic backgrounds.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 968. Psychiatry @ South County Mental Health. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This elective provides students with the opportunity to build upon their Psychiatry Core Clerkship experience by assuming increased responsibility for the diagnosis, treatment and management of psychiatric inpatients. Under the supervision of attending physicians, students will gain experience in the diagnosis and treatment of patients presenting with a wide range of psychopathology, including Mood Disorders, Psychotic Disorders and Substance Use Disorders. Students will gain experience in performing psychiatric evaluations, psychopharmacology and psychosocial interventions.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 969. Interventional Radiology. 4 Credit Hours.
The course is an introduction to Vascular/Interventional Radiology and consists of intensive exposure to Vascular and Interventional Radiology procedures under the direct supervision of interventional radiologists. Students will learn and participate in (a) the use of radiological imaging to guide procedures in different organ systems, (b) the evaluation and management of patients requiring interventional radiology procedures, and (c) performance of interventional procedures, including arterial and venous angiography, angioplasty, stenting, embolization of tumors and vascular malformations, and other vascular and interventional procedures. They will also be instructed in the placement of different venous access devices. Students will also be exposed to non-vascular procedures such as percutaneous biliary drainage and tumor ablation.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 970. Ophthalmology for the Non-Ophthalmologist. 2 Credit Hours.
The two week clinical elective in ophthalmology is geared toward medical students with a particular interest in obtaining an in depth understanding of fundamental ophthalmology (geared for every student regardless of specialty interest). Aspects of ophthalmology that are pertinent to the practice of internal medicine, neurology, pediatrics, family practice and other primary care specialties will also be taught. Students will rotate through the emergency room, operating room, and various subspecialty clinics at the Bascom Palmer Eye Institute where they will shadow attendings and housestaff. A comprehensive didactic course will be conducted concurrently during this two week block which includes interactive case based presentations. A final examination will be administered at the conclusion of the course. Students are also welcome to attend weekly grand rounds and fluorescein conferences as well as daily resident lectures during the rotation. An additional two weeks is offered for students considering ophthalmology as a career. All students wishing to be part of the four week course must have approval of the course coordinator. These additional two weeks are set up as a preceptorship and may be arranged independently with a faculty ophthalmologist.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 971. Ophthalmic Pathology. 4 Credit Hours.
The two week clinical elective in ophthalmology is geared toward medical students with a particular interest in obtaining an in depth understanding of fundamental ophthalmology (geared for every student regardless of specialty interest). Aspects of ophthalmology that are pertinent to the practice of internal medicine, neurology, pediatrics, family practice and other primary care specialties will also be taught. Students will rotate through the emergency room, operating room, and various subspecialty clinics at the Bascom Palmer Eye Institute where they will shadow attendings and housestaff. A comprehensive didactic course will be conducted concurrently during this two week block which includes interactive case based presentations. A final examination will be administered at the conclusion of the course. Students are also welcome to attend weekly grand rounds and fluorescein conferences as well as daily resident lectures during the rotation. An additional two weeks is offered for students considering ophthalmology as a career. All students wishing to be part of the four week course must have approval of the course coordinator. These additional two weeks are set up as a preceptorship and may be arranged independently with a faculty ophthalmologist.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 972. Emergency Medicine consortium agreement. 4 Credit Hours.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 973. Pediatric Allergy and Immunology. 2-4 Credit Hours.
The pediatric allergy and immunology elective is designed to give senior medical students exposure to the spectrum of diseases seen in the field of Allergy and Immunology. The student will predominantly rotate through the outpatient clinic and inpatient consults, and see patients and procedures based on the emphasis of that location.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
MDR 975. LABOR AND DELIVERY NIGHT ROTATION. 2 Credit Hours.
This is a 2-week elective intended to expose the MS4 to a spectrum of experiences in Obstetrics. Each week, the student will rotate through Labor and Delivery and gain experience in the care of pregnant patients, including vaginal delivery, cesarean delivery, triaging gravid patients, and obstetrical emergencies.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 977. Neurology Consortium Agreement. 4 Credit Hours.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 978. OB/GYN Consortium Agreement. 6 Credit Hours.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 979. Radiology Consortium Agreement. 4 Credit Hours.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 980. Geriatrics Consortium Agreement. 4 Credit Hours.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 986. Geriatrics Consortium Agreement. 4 Credit Hours.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 990. HCH Emergency Medicine Clerkship. 4 Credit Hours.
The purpose of the RMC Emergency Medicine clerkship at Holy Cross is to provide students with an opportunity to acquire a foundation of knowledge and skills to care for patients with emergency medical conditions. Every physician should possess adequate assessment and management skills to rapidly identify life-threatening conditions, to initiate care, and to know whom and when to call for assistance. The Emergency Department is also one of the few practice sites where students play an integral role in the initial evaluation of an “undifferentiated” patient – where the diagnosis is completely unknown on initial contact, and the clinician must “start from scratch” to formulate a differential diagnosis, plan of evaluation, and plan of management. Experience in a wide range of procedural skills are also readily available including airway management, suturing, and central venous line placement. Students will participate in an EMS ride along, simulation cases, and didactic sessions. Students are evaluated through clinical evaluations and a written examination.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 992. RMC Radiation Oncology. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This is a 2 or 4-week elective intended to expose the senior medical student to spectrum of experiences in radiation-oncology. It's anticipated that the student will rotate through 2-3 outpatient clinic settings and be exposed to various radiation-oncology treatment modalities/technologies.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 993. RMC Urology. 2-4 Credit Hours.
This course will expose the student to general urology in a busy office setting, at the hospital for daily rounds, and in the operating suite, where the student will scrub in surgical cases as a first or second assistant. The student will work closely with Dr. Gold and with the other physicians and staff at the Urology Center of South Florida. The student will be evaluating patients in the office and hospital, presenting findings and discussing the treatment plan with attending staff, and participating in a wide variety of minor office procedures as well as surgical procedures in the OR.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 994. Adult Allergy and Immunology. 2-4 Credit Hours.
The adult Allergy and Immunology elective is designed to give senior medical students exposure to the spectrum of diseases seen in the field of Allergy/ Immunology. The student will predominantly rotate through the outpatient clinic and see patients and procedures based on the emphasis of that location.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 995. WPB VAMC Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation. 2-4 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this rotation is to provide the medical student with an introduction to the field of PM&R with emphasis on basic assessment and management options for common musculoskeletal disorders and neurological conditions affecting physical function. The rotation takes place mostly in the outpatient clinic setting with opportunities to also learn in other settings such as a nursing home or acute general hospital. There is also exposure to electrodiagnostic medicine and pain management.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
MDR 996. International Study Abroad. 0-8 Credit Hours.
All students going abroad on international programs (i.e., medical mission trips and others), regardless if UM or non-UM sponsored/related, must obtain proper approval from the Office of Student Affairs. Required forms can be found on the MedEd website under Important Documents for Students – “Administrative Requirements for International Study”. MDR 996 “International Study Abroad” – Senior medical students may obtain academic credit for selected international clinical experiences. Only senior students are allowed to receive credit for such experiences. Credit is counted towards their Elective requirements. The above mentioned forms must be filled out. Additional information is also required, including written goals/objectives for the rotation, expectations, student responsibilities, location/institution for the clinical experience, how the student will be evaluated, and the name/contact of physician who will complete the evaluation form. This information needs to be presented in advance to the Senior Associate Dean for Undergraduate Medical Education for approval prior to the trip, preferably far in advance.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 997. Research Md/Phd Program. 0-8 Credit Hours.
Students must have defended their thesis for Graduate School and also finished their 3rd year MD clerkships student will be granted 8 credits.
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 998. Medical Students from MD Program on Research. 0 Credit Hours.
Requires approval from the Senior Associate Dean for Undergraduate Medical Education
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 999. Medical Students on MD program on LOA. 0 Credit Hours.
Requires approval from the Senior Associate Dean for Undergraduate Medical Education
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MDR 000. Elective. 1-30 Credit Hours.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Microbiology and Immunology (MIC)

MIC 100. Microbiology as it Relates to Humans (EXP). 3 Credit Hours.
An introductory microbiology course for the summer scholars program. Microorganisms are in every facet of our lives and make up a microscopic world. Right now, your body is inhabited by over 40 trillion bacteria. Due to the evolution of our immune systems, we have been able to coexist with this world. It is when our immune systems weaken or when our otherwise healthy immune system encounters a particularly nasty pathogen that we become vulnerable. This course will cover the topics of how our immune system works, how microbial pathogens cause disease, how beneficial microbes protect us from disease, and some of the other activities perform that impact our world. The laboratory will provide you with invaluable experience in growing, staining, viewing and identifying microorganisms through the use of practical techniques and procedures. An in lab presentation of your "unknown organism" will culminate what you have learned.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

MIC 201. Modern Plagues and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of four infectious diseases (AIDS, tuberculosis, malaria, and COVID-19) that currently impact a significant fraction of the human population. This course will examine the infectious microbes themselves, efforts of researchers to contain these diseases, and how politics, infrastructure, and geographical factors determine individual and public health outcomes. A special emphasis is placed on the unique role the University of Miami physicians and scientists played during the early phases of the AIDS epidemic.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MIC 202. Your Health and Immune System/ Microbiome. 3 Credit Hours.
Recent advances in the prevention and treatment of diseases that we and loved ones’ experience. Many of these advances in prevention, diagnosis, and treatment strategies are based on immunological principles. The course will examine how advances in our understanding of the immune system are having unprecedented effects on both health care and society. The immune system must shield us from bacterial, fungal, and viral invasion while harmoniously co-existing with beneficial microbes in our Microbiota. The immune system is also a surveillance system that recognizes and kills the emerging enemies within: cancer cells. The course will discuss recent advances in immunology, genetic manipulation, and the Microbiota; their consequences on emerging notions of personalized health and medications; the creation of tailored biological therapies against cancer and other maladies; and what all this means for the cost healthcare, the difficult choices, and the politics of medicine. We will critically examine popular representations of these medical advances, being careful to distinguish fact from fiction and accurate representation from exaggerated claims.
Requisite: Not for Microbiology and Immunology Majors or Minors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MIC 280. UMiami Scientifica Magazine - Writer. 0 Credit Hours.
UMiami Scientifica is a premier scientific publication at the University of Miami. The magazine, focuses on the STEM fields and publishes quarterly. Students who write for the magazine will learn to write clearly, concisely and in a manner that can be understood by the layperson. Successfully completing an article does not mean that an article will be published.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MIC 301. Introduction to Microbes and the Immune System. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic principles of microbiology and immunology; the microbiology component will include basic properties of bacteria, viruses, and parasites and how microbes interact with multicellular organisms in both disease and non-disease settings. The immunology component presents the players and basic concepts of immune responses as they apply to combat infectious pathogens, autoimmunity, allergy and transplantation. Course is required for microbiology and immunology majors; recommended for biology, chemistry and biochemistry majors and those considering the health sciences
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MIC 304. Introduction to Microbes and the Immune System (Lab). 2 Credit Hours.
Basic laboratory principles of microbiology and immunology. Students are instructed on how to handle, culture, and identify microorganisms. Microscope care/use, various staining techniques, ELISA, blood typing, bacterial transformation, and more. This laboratory is required of all microbiology and immunology majors.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIC 319. Innate Immunity. 3 Credit Hours.
The innate immune system provides the first line of defense against infectious microorganisms and is a very important disease-preventing mechanism. In this course the students will learn the molecular and cellular processes mediating innate immune responses to microbial pathogens, including intra- and extra- cellular bacteria and viruses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIC 320. Introduction to Microbes and the Immune System for Nurses. 3 Credit Hours.
Course covers the basic principles of microbiology and immunology. Course cannot be used for MIC major or minor credit.
Requisite: School of Nursing Health Studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MIC 321. Immunobiology. 3 Credit Hours.
Mechanisms underlying the cooperation between T-cells, B-cells, and antigens leading to humoral and cell mediated responses. The significance of immune cells and their products pertaining to autoimmunity, transplantation, and the surveillance of neoplastic cells is covered.
Prerequisite: MIC 301 or MIC 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MIC 322. Medical Parasitology. 3 Credit Hours.
Course discusses the biochemistry, physiology, pathogenicity, immunology, and mechanism of drug action and resistance of medically important parasitic protozoa, trematodes, nematodes, and cestodes.
Prerequisite: MIC 301 or MIC 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MIC 323. Microbial Pathogenesis and Physiology. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamental properties of microbes as well as host-microbe relationships at the molecular and cellular levels.
Prerequisite: MIC 301. Or MIC 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIC 436. Fundamental and Medical Virology. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of viruses as biological entities and etiological agents of disease. Virus-cell and virus-host interactions are also discussed.
Prerequisite: MIC 301 or MIC 303.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MIC 441. Microbiology and Immunology Colloquium. 1 Credit Hour.
External and internal faculty presentations as well as graduate presentations of recent advances in research. Course meets on hour per week.
Prerequisite: MIC 301. Or MIC 303.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIC 451. Special Projects in Immunobiology. 2-6 Credit Hours.
Wet bench laboratory research with faculty in the Microbiology and Immunology (M&I) Department at the Miller School of Medicine. Students will be actively participating in all aspects of hypothesis-driven scientific research ranging from familiarity with the literature to conducting and analyzing experiments.
Requisite: at least 17 credits in MIC and MIN GPA 3.0.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIC 452. Special Projects in Parasitology. 2-6 Credit Hours.
Wet bench laboratory research with faculty in the Microbiology and Immunology (M&I) Department at the Miller School of Medicine. Students will be actively participating in all aspects of hypothesis-driven scientific research ranging from familiarity with the literature to conducting and analyzing experiments.
Requisite: at least 17 credits in MIC and MIN GPA 3.0.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIC 453. Special Projects in Pathogenic Bacteriology. 2-6 Credit Hours.
Wet bench laboratory research with faculty in the Microbiology and Immunology (M&I) Department at the Miller School of Medicine. Students will be actively participating in all aspects of hypothesis-driven scientific research ranging from familiarity with the literature to conducting and analyzing experiments.
Requisite: at least 17 credits in MIC and MIN GPA 3.0.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIC 454. Special Projects in Microbial Genetics. 2-6 Credit Hours.
Wet bench laboratory research with faculty in the Microbiology and Immunology (M&I) Department at the Miller School of Medicine. Students will be actively participating in all aspects of hypothesis-driven scientific research ranging from familiarity with the literature to conducting and analyzing experiments.
Requisite: at least 17 credits in MIC and MIN GPA 3.0.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIC 455. Special Projects in Immunogenetics. 2-6 Credit Hours.
Wet bench laboratory research with faculty in the Microbiology and Immunology (M&I) Department at the Miller School of Medicine. Students will be actively participating in all aspects of hypothesis-driven scientific research ranging from familiarity with the literature to conducting and analyzing experiments.
Requisite: at least 17 credits in MIC and MIN GPA 3.0.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIC 456. Special Projects in Virology. 2-6 Credit Hours.
Wet bench laboratory research with faculty in the Microbiology and Immunology (M&I) Department at the Miller School of Medicine. Students will be actively participating in all aspects of hypothesis-driven scientific research ranging from familiarity with the literature to conducting and analyzing experiments.
Requisite: at least 17 credits in MIC and MIN GPA 3.0.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIC 460. Advanced Topics in Microbiology and Immunology. 3 Credit Hours.
An extensive and detailed examination of a number of topics covered in the core courses of the major. The goal is for upper-division undergraduate students to take the knowledge base they acquired in their major core courses into ‘cutting edge’ research areas. Each topic (of a total of 6 to 8) will be presented by a Faculty member with expertise in the area. Topics may include reproductive immunology, microbes and beer, HIV vaccine development, cancer immunotherapy, SARS-CoV-2 and the immune system, autoimmunity in the CNS, immune-based metabolic diseases, and Yersinia pestis and the Black Death.
Prerequisite: MIC 301 and MIC 304 and MIC 319 and MIC 321.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MIC 601. Medical Microbiology. 5 Credit Hours.
Course discusses the nature of microbial agents of infectious disease as well as relationship of virulence to host resistance and fundamental immunologic concepts. Microbial physiology and genetics, the structure, design, and mechanism of action on antimicrobials.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MIC 623. Mechanisms of Microbial Virulence. 2 Credit Hours.
This course will focus on the mechanisms employed by bacterial and viral pathogens to produce disease in animals and humans. The course is divided into two 3 week modules. The first module (1 credit) will cover bacterial pathogens with an emphasis on the bacteria-host cell interaction. Specific topics will include: bacterial attachment and invasion of eukaryotic cells, virulence gene regulation, secretion of virulence factors, bacterial toxins and obligate intracellular bacterial pathogens. The second module (1 credit) will cover viruses and human viral diseases with an emphasis on viral replication, gene expression, virus-host cell interactions and viral oncology. Classes will consist of a mixture of lectures and discussions of recent or classic papers. There will be one exam per module.
Prerequisites: MIC 775 and MIC 755.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MIC 705. Faculty Research and Discussions. 1 Credit Hour.
Forum for the discussion of the current research projects and interests of the faculty. This course provides students with the opportunity to exchange ideas about important scientific questions and the technologies being applied to experimentally address the hypotheses being tested.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIC 711. Accelerated Basic Science Medical Curriculum. 1-18 Credit Hours.
Beginning in the latter part of June each year, extending to the middle of February of the ensuing year, the following accelerated and intensive complete basic science medical curriculum is offered: Embryology, Gross Anatomy, Histology, Biochemistry, Neuroanatomy, Biophysics and Neurophysiology, Systemic Physiology, Pathology, Medical Microbiology, and Pharmacology. single grade will be entered on the graduate transcript for this course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIC 716. Advanced Molecular Biology. 3 Credit Hours.
The molecular basis of cellular function and regulation in both procaryotic and eucaryotic systems. The molecular genetics and biochemistry of the genetic material and its utilization during replication, transcription, translation, cellular growth, division, and differentiation. Recombinant DNA technology and molecular genetics are discussed. This course is designed for graduate students in biological sciences. A good background in biology or biochemistry is recommended.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIC 726. Laboratory Experimentation. 4 Credit Hours.
One or two laboratory training sessions of 6-12 weeks each. Each student rotates through faculty research laboratories in the areas of immunology, molecular biology, and microbiology, (bacteriology, virology, parasitology) where they receive "hands on" experience by participating in ongoing research projects.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIC 727. Laboratory Experimentation. 6 Credit Hours.
Two or three laboratory training sessions of 6-12 weeks each. Each student rotates through faculty research laboratories in the areas of immunology, molecular biology and microbiology, (bacteriology, virology, parasitology) where they receive "hands on" experience by participating in ongoing research projects.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MIC 728. Principles of Immunology. 3 Credit Hours.
This team-taught course will present core concepts in immunology and scientific reasoning in immunological research. The course is offered with seven weekly modules. Each module has a common theme and consists of three lectures on fundamental immunological concepts and one session where students present and discuss a research paper related to the theme of each module. The paper discussion session will include the use of disease models as a portal to understand the function of immune system in health and disease. The module topics are: (1) Molecular basis of immune recognition, (2) Innate immunity, (3) Lymphoid cell development, (4) Initiation of immune responses, (5) T cell differentiation and interaction with other immune cells, (6) B cell immunity and tolerance, and (7) T cell tolerance. There will be one exam following the first four modules and the second exam after the remaining three modules. One credit can be awarded for completion of any three modules and their related exam questions. On credit can also be awarded for completion of any two modules, their related exam questions, and a self study of a current research article on immunology or immune-based therapy using a self-designed question list in a format similar to that used in the paper discussion sessions.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MIC 731. Special Work. 1-5 Credit Hours.
With the guidance of a faculty advisor, students will choose a focused topic in the area of immune therapy, survey the research findings from the literature and write a review article. Students may then design a translation or clinical study that can be integrated as an Aim or a sub-Aim into their thesis proposal.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MIC 751. Advance Topics in Microbiology and Virology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This advanced level course is intended to explore complex interactions of microbial pathogens and hosts at the systemic, cellular, subcellular and molecular levels. This course consists of three modules focusing on the following topics: (1) Ubiquitin molecules at the host/pathogen interface and inflammasomes (1 credit); (2) Microbes, emergency hematopoiesis and autoimmunity (1 credit); and (3) The role of microbes in cancer initiation, progression and therapy (1 credit).

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MIC 755. Microbiology and Immunology Research- Career Skills and Proficiencies. 1-6 Credit Hours.
This is a longitudinal training course delivered throughout all years of training. Students start taking it upon joining the Microbiology and Immunology Program to perform research under the mentorship of participating faculty. Up to six credits may be awarded commensurate with attendance and participation in the four modules. The four modules include: Teaching assistance (TA) experience (3 credits); Attendance and participation in the weekly departmental seminars and completing written assignments on the seminars topics (1 credit); Attendance, participation and presentation in Journal Clubs (1 credit); Research Forums on Responsible Conduct of Research (RCR) and career skills (1 credit).

Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MIC 761. Advanced Topics in Molecular Biology of Animal Viruses. 2 Credit Hours.
This course is organized around four major themes of virological studies: (i) viral genome transcription, replication, and virus assembly; (ii) viral pathogenesis; (iii) virus cell interactions; and (iv) antiviral strategies. Most recent research developments in these areas are covered through lectures by participating faculty members as well as paper presentations by students.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MIC 775. Advanced Topics in Immunology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course will explore in depth the current and advanced concepts and topics in selected areas of Immunology. We will cover recent advances and cutting edge experimental approaches in cellular and molecular immunology and also expose students to concepts and themes that link the various cell types into an effective immune system. The classes will consist of a mixture of lectures and discussions of recent papers and be divided into three modules: (1) Cellular and molecular networks of Immune System (1 credit); (2) Molecular regulation of Adaptive Immunity (1 credit); (3) Immunopathologies and Immunotherapies (1 credit).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIC 780. Research Ethics. 1 Credit Hour.
The focus of this course will be on the principles of scientific integrity, in particular how to optimize rigor and reproducibility in study designs, experimentations / trials, data collection, data management, and reporting. The class will discuss how biological variables such as sex and age impact the interpretation of research outcomes, and how those variables should be considered in experimental model systems as well as in human subject recruitment and protections in clinical trials. The course will be offered in a mixed format of lectures, seminars, small group discussion and / or workshops. Throughout the class, students will initiate dialogs with clinicians who are involved in treating patients and / or clinical trials with immune therapy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MIC 799. Advanced Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This team-taught course will present core concepts in immune therapy and scientific reasoning underlying the therapeutic approaches. The focus will be the mechanistic understanding of the mode of action (MOA) for the major types of immune-based therapeutic agents in autoimmune diseases, cancer and infectious diseases. The types of immune therapy discussed in this class will include molecular targeting with antibodies, fusion proteins or aptamers, cell therapy and gene therapy. The course will also include the use of human diseases as a portal to understand the function of human immunology. This course will be offered in a mixed format of lectures, seminars, problem-based learning in small groups, student-led discussion of a research and/or clinical trial article on immune-based therapy, with the guidance of faculty facilitator.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MIC 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MIC 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master's degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in MIC 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MIC 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor but not for less than a total of 24. Not more than 12 hours of MIC 730 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session. Where a student has passed his/her (a) qualifying examinations, and (b) is engaged in an assistantship, he/she may still take the maximum allowable credit stated above.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MIC 840. Doctoral Dissertation - Post Candidacy. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required for all PhD candidates. The student will enroll for credits as determined by their advisor/Office of Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies but not less than a total of 24. No more than 12 hours of research may be taken in a regular semester, and no more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIC 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Military Science (MSL)

MSL 101. Basic Military Science. 1 Credit Hour.
Introduction to Army organizations, military customs and courtesies, basic stationary and marching drills, basic map reading, land navigation, drown-proofing, rappelling, river crossing techniques, physical fitness training, and practical exercises in field discipline. Requires outdoor leadership laboratory and at least one weekend field training exercise.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSL 102. Basic Military Science. 1 Credit Hour.
Introduction to basic leadership principles and traits, army command and staff officer duties, awards, decorations, individual military tactics, field discipline, patrolling techniques, radio telephone procedures, rappelling and river crossing. Requires outdoor leadership laboratory and at least one weekend field training exercise.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSL 201. Basic Military Science. 2 Credit Hours.
Instruction to squad and platoon marching drills, development of physical fitness training programs, conduct on military training and inspections, leadership techniques, advanced map reading, rappelling and river crossing techniques. Requires outdoor leadership laboratory and at least one weekend field training exercise.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSL 202. Basic Military Science. 2 Credit Hours.
Continued instruction in drill and ceremonies, radio/telephone procedures, nuclear, biological, and chemical warfare, practical land navigation, orienteering, and introduction to combat troop leading procedures. Requires outdoor leadership laboratory and at least one weekend field training exercise.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSL 301. Basic Military Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Classroom and field experience in leading squads and platoons in both garrison and combat environments. Practical exercises in combat troop leading procedures. Advanced physical fitness training to include endurance runs and tactical road marches. Requires outdoor leadership laboratory and at least one weekend field training exercise.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSL 302. Advanced Military Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Classroom instruction and field experience in combat troop leading procedures for offensive, defensive and patrolling missions. Advanced written and practical land navigation exercises. Company level drill and ceremonies to include manual of arms. Classroom and practical exercises on requests for artillery and mortar fires. Practical experience with training underclassmen in first aid and individual tactics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MSL 401. Advanced Military Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Instruction instills an uncompromising commitment to the Army Ethic, enhances thought processes and decision-making skills, and relates officer behavior to cadet leadership roles. Students are primarily responsible for the command and control of the cadet battalion for training purposes. Student's role is principally one of officer leader at the platoon (30 or more under classmen) and higher levels and cadet instructor/evaluator. Rifle qualification. Company level drill and ceremonies to include manual of arms.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSL 402. Advanced Military Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Capstone course in the preparation for a commission as a second lieutenant. The training is intended to solidify the commitment to officership, reinforce individual competencies, and afford maximum practical officer leader experiences through responsible leadership positions within the cadet battalion command and staff.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSL 440. Studies in Military History. 3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings and independent study in military history.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSL 499. Independent Studies in U.S. Military History. 3 Credit Hours.
Supervised readings and independent study in United States Military History. Writing requirements.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

Military Studies (MIS)

MIS 100T. Transfer Credit Elective. 1-10 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: TRN.

Modern Languages and Literature (MLL)

MLL 195. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Transfer credit at the 100 level for courses in languages not offered by the Department of Modern Languages and Literature.
Components: UNG.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MLL 295. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Transfer credit at the 200 level for courses in languages not offered by the Department of Modern Languages and Literature.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MLL 321. Topics in Comparative Literary Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Comparative and/or interdisciplinary topics in the study of literature. Specific topics vary; may be repeated for credit if topics differ. Taught in English Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLL 322. Topics in Comparative Cultural Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Cultural phenomena in various societies. Interdisciplinary analysis of the political dynamics of contemporary culture and its historical foundations with a focus on ideology, social class, nationality, ethnicity, sexuality and/or gender. Specific topics vary; may be repeated for credit if topics differ. Taught in English. Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MLL 325. World Cinema. 3 Credit Hours.
World cinema in a comparative perspective - national or international film movements and directors - based upon narrative film analysis. May be repeated for credit if topics vary.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLL 330. Comparative Topics in Gender and Sexuality. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics in gender and sexuality in a comparative perspective. May be repeated if topics vary. Taught in English.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLL 340. Migration Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics within the literary and/or cultural dimensions of migration in a comparative framework.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLL 345. Franco-Maghreb Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Major historical, social, cultural and literary issues related to the Franco-Maghrebian interface, in a comparative perspective. May be repeated if topics vary.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLL 360. The Caribbean through Literary and Cultural Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Literary and cultural readings on the Caribbean in comparative perspective. May be repeated if topics vary.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLL 370. Studies in Literature, Culture, and Science. 3 Credit Hours.
An analysis, in a comparative or historical perspective, of the literary works that expose the deep interaction and mutual influence between literary or visual cultures and the sciences. Topics might include: Leonardo’s genius; technology at the turn of the 20th-century; 20th-century wars, the science behind them and their representations; Vesalius’s anatomical work and the philosophy and representation of the body in 16th-century Europe.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLL 394. MLL Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Internships are intended to provide students with an opportunity to apply analytical, creative, community and professional based knowledge developed in other courses. Internships can take place in the University or outside the University. They involve UM-faculty supervision as well as supervised on-site experience. Internships may not be supervised by a member of the student’s immediate family. One person may not serve as both the faculty sponsor and the onsite/UM experience supervisor. Students need to fill out the internship application form. MLL 394 counts as the course in English allowed in the target language concentration. Normally 27 internship hours are required per credit earned. (The on-site supervisor or faculty supervising the work experience done at UM will supply documentary evidence of hours worked to Faculty supervisor.) A maximum of three semester hours of internship credit may be counted toward the student’s degree program. Permission of MLL faculty member is required.
Prerequisite: ARB 204 or CHI 203 or FRE 203 or GER 202 or ITA 202 or JPN 204 or POR 202 or SPA 203 or SPA 208.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.

MLL 395. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Transfer credit at the 300 level for courses in languages not offered by the Department of Modern Languages and Literature.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
MLL 404. Language in Society. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of ideological, social, political, economic, and cultural issues of language in society, and the principle linguistic concepts and methodologies that guide research on those issues. Language variation, social dialectology, multilingualism, interaction and interpersonal communication, gender, language and power, language policy and planning, and globalization are highlighted. The main focus of the course (at least 80%) will be on non-English languages in particular, those taught in MLL.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MLL 410. Digital Literacy Through Cultural and Literary Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Digital research methods and tools applied to literary and cultural studies. The course works with texts as data and with many approaches available to collect, annotate process, analyze and interpret them. Concepts covered include but are not limited to textual corpus, semantic tagging, text mining, and topic modeling.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MLL 411. Cultures of the Digital: Pages, Screens, Platforms and 21st Century Aesthetics. 3 Credit Hours.
Communication technologies across national borders. Students will interrogate the ramifications of cross-platform and cross-cultural reading in the digital age and its literary, aesthetic and theoretical history. Texts will include works on electronic literature, print media, art and cinema from across the 20th and 21st century Americas.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MLL 495. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Transfer credit at the 400 level for courses in languages not offered by the Department of Modern Languages and Literature.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MLL 701. Intro to Second Language Teaching: Theory and Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the teaching of second languages in university settings. Overview of major theoretical approaches: sociocultural, communicative, and task-based. Practice with teaching techniques: Lesson planning, task design, use of the target language, grammar teaching, use of authentic oral and written materials in the classroom
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MLL 702. Bilingualism. 3 Credit Hours.
Social, psychological, linguistic, and pedagogical dimensions of language contact situations. Emphasis on Spanish and French.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLL 703. Topics in Critical Studies of Language. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in the critical analysis of language.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLL 704. Sociocultural Theory and Second Language Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Key principles of sociocultural theory of mind applied to second language acquisition and pedagogy. The seminar will explore the theoretical, methodological, and pedagogical implications of the theory, emphasizing concept-based teaching and dynamic assessment.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MLL 711. Introduction to Critical Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the major concepts, issues, and debates that inform contemporary literary criticism.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MLL 712. Topics in Early Modern Comparative Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Specific genres, works, authors and movements in comparative perspective in the early modern period (1300-1750). Topics may include: Trans-Atlantic Baroque; Grotesque Literature; Petrarchan Poetry in Italy, France, and England The Emergence of Professional Theater in Western Europe.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLL 714. Readings in Critical Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Representative works of critical theory as related to philosophy, sociology of culture, psychoanalysis, hermeneutics, deconstruction, etc. May be repeated for credit if topics are different.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MLL 721. Special Topics in Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
May be repeated for credit, if topics are different.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLL 726. Topics in Comparative Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
May be repeated for credit, if topics are different.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLL 771. Introduction to Digital Humanities. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the theory and practice of the digital humanities from a literary and cultural studies perspective. It introduces major types of digital humanities work and central debates and concerns in the field. The course is taught in English and is open to graduate students from all humanities departments. No experience in the digital humanities or with digital tools or methods is required.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MLL 772. Topics in Digital Humanities and Media Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of Media Studies. Students will approach a broad range of texts in the field, and outline both its historical development and present state, with a particular focus on emerging theories and practices within Media Studies and Digital Humanities in the academy. The course is taught in English and is open to graduate students from all humanities departments.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MLL 773. Digital Medieval Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview on the history and theoretical trends regarding digital resources and tools applied to medieval disciplines. This course is taught in English and is open to graduate students from all humanities departments, especially those interested in historical studies and digital methods.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MLL 774. Practicum in Digital Humanities. 3 Credit Hours.
Offers students the possibility to apply their learning in the field of Digital Humanities and move forward on their personal Digital Humanities research project. Students will carry out many practical exercises with programming languages and digital tools, and work towards a final digital project. This course is taught in English and is open to graduate students from all humanities departments.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MLL 792. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed readings.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MLL 793. Teaching Practicum. 3 Credit Hours.
Teaching Practicum.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLL 797. Readings for the Ph.D. Examinations. 3 Credit Hours.
For Ph.D. students who are preparing for exams.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLL 798. Internship. 1 Credit Hour.
Students work in a community or business setting on issues related to language, culture, and/or teaching.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MLL 799. Dissertation and Professional Writing Seminar. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This course will be taken during the seventh semester of graduate study, concurrently with the final preparation/defense of dissertation prospectus during the first month of the semester. The course provides a structure and a time frame for completing the first chapter of the dissertation over the course of that semester so that students have their projects well underway at the beginning of their eighth semester of graduate study. Students will present their thesis work-in-progress to the course instructor and each other while receiving broader counsel on dissertation completion strategies and various areas of professional writing, including conceptualizing arguments for various audiences, submitting grant proposals, and publishing across a variety of venues. Course is required in the fourth year of graduate study and may be repeated optionally in subsequent years by students in advanced stages of dissertation writing.
Prerequisite: SPA 830 or FRE 830.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

**Molecular and Cellular Pharmacology (MCP)**

MCP 701. Seminar. 2 Credit Hours.
Review of related literature, discussion of special topics, student presentations and attendance of faculty/department seminars. Course may be repeated for a total of eight credits.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MCP 704. Mechanisms of Drug Action. 3 Credit Hours.
This course consists of a combination of lectures, problem sessions and student presentations. Students will be given in-depth exposure to the fundamental principles of Pharmacology. The mechanism of action of some specific drug classes will be examined in detail.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MCP 731. Special Topics. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Directed readings on subjects not ordinarily treated in depth in specific courses. Course may also consist of special laboratory problems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MCP 732. Cardiovascular Pharmacology. 2-3 Credit Hours.
The course covers cardiovascular pharmacology, necessary cardiovascular physiology and anatomy and the function and pharmacology of the autonomic nervous system. The students learn about the function and energetics of the heart and how it is changed in cardiac disease.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MCP 743. Introductory Python Programming for Bioscientists. 3 Credit Hours.
The course is designed to teach the basic of the Python programming language. Students will learn to use code to solve problems related to biological datasets such as genomes, proteomes, and molecular structures.
Components: DIS.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MCP 752. Systems Biology and Approaches in Pharmacology. 3 Credit Hours.
In this course students will discuss the biochemical structure and function of signaling pathways that are most frequently targeted by the pharmaceutical industry. Students will be exposed to novel concepts and findings, in particular with regards to innovative therapeutic applications. Each week will address a different pathway or signaling network, its biological targets and functions, and specific drugs that target it. Each week includes one lecture and one class where students and instructor convene to discuss articles, technical approaches or fundamental questions in the field.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MCP 753. Computational Pharmacology and Fundamentals of Drug Design. 3 Credit Hours.
In pharmacology, the importance of computation and bio- and chemo-informatics cannot be overestimated. This course is collectively taught by the MCP faculty and addresses the following four distinct areas. (1) Computer-based analysis of drug-receptor interactions. Students learn principles and specific software packages for in silico docking of drugs to proteins, predict structure-activity relationships and become familiar with programming tools required for such tasks. (2) Using on-line databases to study biological activity, therapeutic indexes, toxicity and other characteristics of drugs and other chemicals. Similarly, they learn to analyze the vast information available for drug targets such as receptor proteins and enzymes. (3) Students learn about pharmacogenomics, an area essential for personalized medicine. Here, they learn, for example, how to predict the reaction of certain populations to particular treatments. (4) Students learn about the drug development pipeline, starting with the design, through screening chemical libraries and to the basics of FDA approval.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MCP 768. Neuropharmacology. 2-3 Credit Hours.
An intensive course covering the regulation of neural processes by drugs that target neurotransmitter signaling at the level of GPCRs, G proteins, second-messengers and ion channels.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MCP 810. Master’s Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master’s thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MCP 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master’s degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in MCP 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MCP 830. Dissertation Research-Pre-Candidacy. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required for all PhD candidates. The student will enroll for credits as determined by their advisor/Office of Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies. No more than 12 hours of research may be taken in a regular semester, and no more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MCP 840. Doctoral Dissertation- Post Candidacy. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required for all PhD candidates. The student will enroll for credits as determined by their advisor/ Office of Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies but not less than a total of 24. No more than 12 hours of research may be taken in a regular semester, and no more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MCP 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Student must be registered in the semester they plan to defend. Used to establish research in residence for the PhD after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Student may be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Molecular, Cellular and Developmental Biology (MDB)

MDB 701. Seminar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Students are required to present their research findings as well as attend Department Faculty seminars.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MDB 710. Readings in Cell Biology. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Current and classical research papers in cell, developmental, and molecular biology. Critical evaluation of papers and the methodologies used is included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MDB 713. Topics in Cell Biology. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Formal seminar course in which each student presents a lecture relating to a specific theme. Topic areas include cell, developmental, and molecular biology with the subject changing each term.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MDB 751. Advanced Cell Biology Approaches to Molecular Medicine. 2-3 Credit Hours.
Structure, function, and biogenesis of cellular organelles and the cytoskeleton, including their regulation and dynamic interactions. The course is taught in seminars, followed by student-led discussion of recent relevant papers in the literature. The goal of the course is to lead the students to in-depth conceptual and methodological analysis of selected topics up the understanding of current leading-edge research in specific topics in Cell Biology. The course is designed to cover knowledge beyond the text books and to enable the students to design and criticize experimental approaches in Cell Biology acceptable for current peer-review criteria.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MDB 752. Current Topics in Mammalian Development. 2-3 Credit Hours.
The course will cover central emerging topics in mammalian development today in cluding embryonic stem cells, micro RNA gene regulation, and organogenesis. Th e class will have an interactive format, starting with basic lecture in mammal ian development; subsequent sessions will include an overview of the selected to pic by faculty, followed by round table discussions of current paper(s) in the field.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MDB 753. Histology. 1 Credit Hour.
This course will offer the student a virtual slide collection of histology with interactive lectures to support image-based learning. The course covers basic tissues, organs, and systems (vascular; heart; pancreas; eyes; brain; spinal c ord; liver; lung; mouse embryo; Gi track). The course will meet once a week fo r one hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MDB 763. Stem Cell Biology and Genetic Engineering for Regenerative Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide a current overview on the cell and molecular biology of stem cells, their identification and analysis, and the current status of their use for the repair and regeneration of a variety of tissues including heart, lung, muscle, pancreatic, neuronal and others.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
**MDB 765. Tumor Biology. 3 Credit Hours.**
This course, comprised of lectures and student-led literature discussion, is intended to provide broad-based instruction on the modern molecular and cellular aspects of cancer biology, basic and translational research. The course highlights multiple areas including cell cycle, apoptosis, epidemiology, angiogenesis, and meets two times weekly.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

**MDB 810. Master’s Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.**
Current and classical research papers in cell, developmental, and molecular biology. Critical evaluation of papers and the methodologies used is included.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**MDB 820. Research in Residence. 1-6 Credit Hours.**
Direct laboratory experience as determined by the Departmental Graduate Committee.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**MDB 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.**
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor but not for less than a total of 24. Not more than 12 hours of MDB 730 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session. Where a student has passed his/her (a) qualifying examinations, and (b) is engaged in an assistantship, he/she may still take the maximum allowable credit stated above.

**Components:** THI.
**Grading:** SUS.
**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**MDB 840. Doctoral Dissertation- Post Candidacy. 1-12 Credit Hours.**
Required for all PhD candidates. The student will enroll for credits as determined by their advisor/ Office of Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies but not less than a total of 24. No more than 12 hours of research may be taken in a regular semester, and no more than six in a summer session.

**Components:** THI.
**Grading:** SUS.
**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**MDB 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.**
Student must be registered in the semester they plan to defend. Used to establish research in residence for the PhD after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Student may be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.

**Components:** THI.
**Grading:** SUS.
**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

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**Music Education and Therapy (MED)**

**MED 10. Mus Therapy Forum. 0 Credit Hours.**
The course provides a weekly forum for sharing information about issues, current developments, and other matters related to music therapy as a field of study and as a profession.

**Components:** FOR.
**Grading:** CNC.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**MED 149. Functional Techniques in Music Therapy I. 2 Credit Hours.**
Students acquire functional guitar skills while learning repertoire and techniques for leading and accompanying music therapy experiences. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.

**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.
MED 15. Mus Edu Forum. 0 Credit Hours.
The course provides a weekly forum for sharing information about issues, current developments, and other matters related to music education as a field of study and as a profession. The course is required for all undergraduate MED majors during each semester, except during the semester of the internship. Components: FOR.
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Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 159. Introduction to Music Therapy. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of the field of music therapy, including history, theory and clinical practice. Includes field observations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MED 240. Woodwind Techniques. 1 Credit Hour.
Course provides group instruction in woodwind instruments with emphasis on basic skills of performance as well as the appropriate teaching techniques, methods, and materials necessary for public school pedagogy.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 241. Brass Techniques. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in brass instruments with emphasis upon basic skills of performance as well as the appropriate teaching techniques, methods, and materials necessary for public school pedagogy.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 242. Percussion Techniques. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in percussion (snare drum, mallet-keyboard percussion, timpani, drum set, and small accessory instruments) with emphasis upon basic skills of performance as well as the appropriate teaching techniques, methods, and materials necessary for public school pedagogy.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 243. String Techniques. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in percussion (snare drum, mallet-keyboard percussion, timpani, drum set, and small accessory instruments) with emphasis upon basic skills of performance as well as the appropriate teaching techniques, methods, and materials necessary for public school pedagogy.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 244. Vocal Techniques. 1 Credit Hour.
Class instruction in fundamentals of singing, breath control, tone production, and solo singing for music majors.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 245. Folk and Modern Instrumental Techniques. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in folk and modern instruments, including but not limited to guitar, ukulele, recorder, and drums, with emphasis on basic skills of performance and classroom uses, as well as the appropriate teaching techniques, methods, and materials.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 249. Functional Techniques in Music Therapy II. 2 Credit Hours.
Students acquire functional piano skills while learning repertoire and techniques for leading and accompanying music therapy experiences. Vocal skills are also emphasized.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MED 259. Music Therapy Pre-Practicum. 2 Credit Hours.
Students will learn a treatment-planning model for clinical practice. Topics include: assessment, goal setting, intervention design and data collection.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 340. Marching Band Fundamentals. 1 Credit Hour.
A study of all types of marching band activities and methods of presentation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MED 359. Music Therapy Practicum 1A. 2 Credit Hours.
Structured clinical experience in music therapy under supervision of a music therapist in varying health-related settings. Focus of the 1A practicum is to observe and assist the on-site music therapist and to engage in limited co-leading.
Prerequisite: MED 259.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 360. Music Therapy Practicum 1B. 2 Credit Hours.
Structured clinical experience in music therapy under supervision of a music therapist in varying health-related settings. Focus of the 1B practicum is to observe and assist the on-site music therapist and to co-lead for half of all sessions.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MED 361. Music Therapy Practicum 2A. 2 Credit Hours.
Structured clinical experience in music therapy under supervision of a music therapist in varying health-related settings. Focus of the 2A practicum is to observe and assist the on-site music therapist and to co-lead for 60% of all sessions.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 362. Music Therapy Practicum 2B. 2 Credit Hours.
Structured clinical experience in music therapy under supervision of a music therapist in varying health-related settings. Focus of the 2B practicum is to observe and assist the on-site music therapist and to co-lead for 75% of all sessions.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 363. Music Therapy Practicum 3A. 2 Credit Hours.
Structured clinical experience in music therapy under supervision of a music therapist in varying health-related settings. Focus of the 3A practicum is to independently design and lead all sessions.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 364. Music Therapy Practicum 3B. 1 Credit Hour.
Structured clinical experience in music therapy under supervision of a music therapist in varying health-related settings. Focus of the 3B practicum is to independently design and lead all sessions.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 430. Teaching Jazz/Popular Music in Secondary Schools. 2 Credit Hours.
A survey of materials, methods, and techniques for instructing jazz and popular music in secondary schools. Review of standard literature, program organization, and in-class performance is emphasized. Designed specifically for music education majors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MED 433. Seminar for Teaching Associates. 2 Credit Hours.
Discussion of teaching, rehearsal techniques, and the organization and presentation of music materials related to the internship experiences. Course is required of all Music Education majors. To be taken in conjunction with Internship, MED 471.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 471. Internship in Music Education (Elementary School). 6 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive program in observation and supervised teaching in an elementary school music setting for a full semester under the guidance of school and university personnel.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 473. Internship in Music Education (Secondary School). 6 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive program in observation and supervised teaching in an elementary school music setting for a full semester under the guidance of school and university personnel.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 475. Internship in Music Education. 12 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive program in observation and supervised teaching in elementary, middle, or secondary school music settings for a full semester under the guidance of school and university personnel.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 493. Special Projects in Music Education and music therapy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member’s area of expertise and student’s area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MED 494. Special Topics in Music Education and Music Therapy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member’s expertise and students’ areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MED 542. Teaching General Music (K-5). 3 Credit Hours.
Curriculum, methods, and materials designed for elementary music, K-6. Observation, planning, and teaching experience are emphasized.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MED 543. Teaching Instrumental Music. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of elementary and secondary instrumental music instruction including program organization, teaching techniques, materials, and field experiences of music instruction in schools.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 544. Teaching Modern Music (7-12). 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide students with fundamentals of teaching vocal music at the secondary (middle and high school) level. Focus will be placed on presenting effective and ethical instruction to all learners; developing a foundation of appropriate pedagogy and practice; building strategies for classroom management; and working in diverse populations. Students will be guided through activities and materials necessary for a successful student teaching experience in vocal music.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MED 545. Music in Rehabilitation. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of development and functioning for neurologically-based sensorimotor behavior. Survey of disabilities and diseases that typically result in sensorimotor deficits is included. Demonstration and practice of therapeutic techniques for sensorimotor deficits are also covered. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 546. Music in Psychotherapy. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey and practical application of music as therapy in the treatment of psychiatric disorders and in promoting mental health. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 548. Music for Special Learners. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed for music educators who will be working in schools with children and youth who have various disabilities. The purpose of this course is to acquaint students with the characteristics of children and youth with disabilities, and introduce adaptive strategies in music education, K-12, for instructing children and youth with disabilities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 549. Teaching Vocal Music. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide students with fundamentals of teaching general music at the secondary (middle and high school) level. Focus will be placed on developing 21st Century musical curricula across a variety of musical disciplines; engaging students through several instructional paradigms; and for presenting instruction using conventional educational strategies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 551. Music Therapy Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to help music therapy students: 1) integrate research findings into their clinical and/or educational practice, 2) implement research techniques into their work (e.g., through data collection or scholarly writing), and 3) become familiar with research procedures.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MED 559. Internship in Music Therapy. 3 Credit Hours.
Course provides students with a six month opportunity as a music therapy intern in an approved training facility.
Components: PRA.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MED 560. Internship in Music Therapy II. 0 Credit Hours.
This Course provides students with a six month opportunity as a music therapy intern in an approved training facility.
Components: PRA.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MED 562. Psychology of Music I. 3 Credit Hours.
Psychological foundations of music with an emphasis on problems of perception, experimental esthetics, functional music, and measurement and diagnosis of musical ability and achievement. Related literature of experimental investigation is reviewed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 575. Preschool Music Workshop. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Workshop is designed to prepare class members to initiate, administer, and teach music programs for preschool children. Materials which address the teacher, the child, and the parent are used. The daily schedule includes demonstration classes with children, lectures, and active participation of and discussion with class members. Emphasis is placed on working with a planning guide for teachers which offers articles on the major areas of the curriculum and clear, succinct statements focusing on the central issues of each lesson.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MED 576. Music and Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of development in cognitive, communication, and musical domains. Survey of developmental disabilities most commonly found in child populations is included as well as demonstration and practice of therapeutic techniques for cognitive and communication deficits.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 581. Teaching Classroom Guitar I. 2 Credit Hours.
This class is designed for students and teachers, guitarist or non-guitarist, who wish to initiate, enhance, and teach guitar in a multi-level classroom setting. The course includes demonstration classes with elementary and secondary students. Topics include organization and teaching performance materials in a hands-on setting.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

MED 593. Special Projects in Music Education and Music Therapy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member's area of expertise and student's area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MED 594. Special Topics in Music Education and Music Therapy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member's expertise and students' areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MED 595. Music Education Certification Forum. 0 Credit Hours.
A weekly forum for sharing information about issues, current developments, and other matters related to music education. Required for all graduate music education certification students.
Components: FOR.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 642. Teaching General Music. 3 Credit Hours.
Curriculum, methods, and materials designed for elementary music, K-6. Observation, planning, and teaching experience are emphasized.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MED 643. Teaching Instrumental Music. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of elementary and secondary instrumental music instruction including program organization, teaching techniques, materials, and field experiences of music instruction in schools.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 644. Teaching Modern Music. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide students with fundamentals of teaching general music at the secondary (middle and high school) level. Focus will be placed on developing 21st century musical curricula across a variety of musical disciplines; engaging students through several instructional paradigms; and for presenting instruction using conventional educational strategies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MED 645. Music in Rehabilitation. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of development and functioning for neurologically-based sensorimotor behavior. Survey of disabilities and diseases that typically result in sensorimotor deficits is included. Demonstration and practice of therapeutic techniques for sensorimotor deficits are also covered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MED 646. Music in Psychotherapy. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey and practical application of music as therapy in the treatment of psychiatric disorders and in promoting mental health.
Requisite: Plan MTYP-MM or MTYPE_MM or Instructor Consent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 648. Music for Special Learners. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed for music educators who will be working in schools with children and youth who have various disabilities. The purpose of this course is to acquaint students with the characteristics of children and youth with disabilities, and introduce adaptive strategies in music education, K-12, for instructing children and youth with disabilities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 649. Teaching Vocal Music. 3 Credit Hours.
Course covers curriculum, vocal/rehearsal techniques, and literature. Teaching music in secondary schools through the medium of choral performance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 651. Music Therapy Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to help music therapy students: 1) integrate research findings into their clinical and/or educational practice, 2) implement research techniques into their work (e.g., through data collection or scholarly writing), and 3) become familiar with research procedures.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MED 655. Elementary Music Workshop. 3 Credit Hours.
Course is designed for in-service elementary school classroom teachers and music supervisors. Survey and experience with contemporary methodology and materials in elementary school music education is emphasized.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

MED 656. Secondary General Music Workshop. 3 Credit Hours.
Course is designed for teachers of general music classes in middle, junior high, and senior high schools. Practical experience with methods and materials designed for non-performance music classes, grades 7-12 is emphasized.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

MED 662. Psychology of Music I. 3 Credit Hours.
Psychological foundations of music with an emphasis on problems of perception, experimental esthetics, functional music, and measurement and diagnosis of musical ability and achievement. Related literature of experimental investigation is reviewed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 675. Preschool Music Workshop. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Workshop is designed to prepare class members to initiate, administer, and teach music programs for preschool children. Materials which address the teacher, the child, and the parent are used. The daily schedule includes demonstration classes with children, lectures, and active participation of and discussion with class members. Emphasis is placed on working with a planning guide for teachers which offers articles on the major areas of the curriculum and clear, succinct statements focusing on the central issues of each lesson.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MED 676. Music and Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of development in cognitive, communication, and musical domains. Survey of developmental disabilities most commonly found in child populations is included as well as demonstration and practice of therapeutic techniques for cognitive and communication deficits.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MED 681. Teaching Classroom Guitar I. 2 Credit Hours.
This class is designed for students and teachers, guitarist or non-guitarist, who wish to initiate, enhance, and teach guitar in a multi-level classroom setting. The course includes demonstration classes with elementary and secondary students. Topics include organization and teaching performance materials in a hands-on setting.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

MED 693. Special Projects in Music Education and Music Therapy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member’s area of expertise and student’s area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MED 694. Special Topics in Music Education and Music Therapy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member’s expertise and students’ areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MED 700. Psychoacoustical Foundations of Music. 2 Credit Hours.
Production, transmission, and reception of simple and complex tones. Examination of physical properties and psychoacoustical response to tonal stimuli is also included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MED 701. Recital Paper Preparation. 1 Credit Hour.
Supervised preparation of the recital paper required for the Master of Music degree in classical performance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 702. DMA Essay Proposal. 1 Credit Hour.
Supervised preparation of the DMA proposal for the Doctor of Musical Arts in Performance, Conducting, or Accompanying and Chamber Music.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 710. Graduate Forum in Music Therapy. 0 Credit Hours.
Forum for graduate students to discuss topics relevant to advanced music therapy practice, engage in experiential therapeutic techniques, and to share student efforts of scholarship in the field.
Components: FOR.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 715. Graduate Forum. 0 Credit Hours.
Forum for masters and doctoral students to discuss various topics of relevance to music education practice and to share efforts of scholarship in the field.
Components: FOR.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 720. International Music Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Students study music instruction systems in other countries, including public and private school, community music programs, private music instruction, music conservatory instruction, informal instructional systems, and university work in music. Students compare music instruction systems in the United States and other countries through readings and presentations by native informants. An optional on-site field experience examining music education in another country may be arranged to coincide with this course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MED 725. Cultural Diversity in Music Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of major issues and central concepts in cultural diversity, multiculturalism, and social justice in music education.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 729. Advanced Music Therapy Practice I. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of research literature in clinical topic areas, such as music and cognition, or music and affective processing. Presentation of research findings through writing and discussion is emphasized as well as the application of research findings through practice and demonstration of therapeutic techniques.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 730. Advanced Music Therapy Practice II. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of research literature in clinical topic areas, such as music and sensorimotor processing or music in biofeedback. Presentation of research findings through writing and discussion is emphasized as well as the application of research findings through practice and demonstration of therapeutic techniques.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 732. Vocal Methods and Materials in Music Education. 2 Credit Hours.
Survey of latest vocal methods and publications for use in public schools.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 733. Seminar for Teaching Associates. 2 Credit Hours.
Discussion of teaching, rehearsal techniques, and the organization of music materials related to the internship experience. To be taken in conjunction with the internship, MED 771.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 735. Social Issues Music Learn. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey of major issues in the social psychology and sociology of music related to music learning and music teaching.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MED 740. Woodwind Techniques. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in woodwind instruments with emphasis on basic skills of performance as well as the appropriate teaching techniques, methods, and materials necessary for public school pedagogy.
Prerequisite: MEDU majors only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 741. Brass Techniques. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in brass instruments with emphasis on basic skills of performance as well as the appropriate teaching techniques, methods, and materials necessary for public school pedagogy.
Prerequisite: MEDU majors only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 742. Percussion Techniques. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in percussion (snare drum, mallet-keyboard percussion, timpani, drumset, and small accessory instruments) with emphasis upon basic skills of performance as well as the appropriate teaching techniques, methods, and materials necessary for public school pedagogy.
Prerequisite: MEDU majors only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MED 743. String Techniques. 1 Credit Hour.
The study of stringed instruments (violin, viola, cello, bass) in a heterogeneous class with emphasis on general principles of string playing and teaching methods for use in beginning and intermediate instruction in the schools.
Requisite: MED GRAD STUDENTS ONLY.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 744. Vocal Techniques. 1 Credit Hour.
Class instruction in fundamentals of singing, breath control, tone production, and solo singing for music majors.
Requisite: MED GRAD STUDENTS ONLY.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 745. Folk and Modern Instrumental Techniques. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in folk and modern instruments, including but not limited to guitar, ukulele, recorder, and drums, with emphasis on basic skills of performance and classroom uses, as well as the appropriate teaching techniques, methods, and materials.
Requisite: MED GRAD STUDENTS ONLY.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 747. Seminar in Instrumental Music Education. 2 Credit Hours.
Practical study of the development of school band programs with special consideration given to the selection of training and concert materials, rehearsal techniques and administrative procedures.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 750. Community Music Programs. 3 Credit Hours.
A seminar designed to generate ideas about contemporary theory and practice in community music. Students engage in readings and discussion. The course is open to all graduate music majors, but is intended for music education doctoral students.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MED 755. The Teaching Artist. 3 Credit Hours.
Course presents fundamental issues of music teaching and learning. Through projects, readings, and discussions, students will learn how to create effective music learning across a variety of situations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 757. Music Therapy Graduate Practicum 1. 2 Credit Hours.
In a clinical setting, gain skill in observation and co-leading under the supervision of a music therapist.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 758. Music Therapy Graduate Practicum 2. 2 Credit Hours.
In a clinical setting, gain skill in observation and co-leading under the supervision of a music therapist.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 759. Music Therapy Graduate Practicum 3. 2 Credit Hours.
In a clinical setting, independently design and apply therapeutic techniques based on scientific evidence.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MED 760. Philosophy of Music Education. 3 Credit Hours.
The history of Western music education beginning with the ancient Greeks is surveyed to the present. Incorporated in the survey is the evolution of philosophical thought about music and its role in educational practice. From this grounding, current philosophical views of music education are presented.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 762. Music Learning and Curriculum. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey of theories of music learning and their application to music instruction, curriculum development, and instructional design in music.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MED 763. Music Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to descriptive, experimental, philosophical, qualitative, and historical research in music education and music therapy, with particular reference to data collection, research design, and effective research procedures. Students prepare critiques of research material and are guided in designing original research projects related to their own area of interest.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MED 764. Music Assessment. 3 Credit Hours.
Presentation of methods for assessing musical behavior in studios, classrooms, and concert halls. Strategies for the objectification of performance quality, musical learning, capacity, and potential uses of contemporary measurement techniques are provided.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MED 765. Seminar in Music Education. 2 Credit Hours.
Survey of literature, bibliography, and contemporary trends in music education. Course may be repeated for credit by doctoral students with consent of instructor.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MED 773. Seminar on Music in Childhood. 2 Credit Hours.
Seminar addresses music in the lives of children by examining the musical cultures of childhood, music transmission processes, and formal through informal learning. Implication from music teaching will be considered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 774. Seminar in General Music. 2 Credit Hours.
Course provides curriculum, methods, and materials designed for instruction for the general music student, grades K-12.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 775. Practicum in Music Education. 7 Credit Hours.
Students enrolled in the Master of Music with Certification Option Degree may complete the required internship with this course.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 776. Practicum in Teaching College Students. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised practicum for teaching music education courses at the college level.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 780. Doctoral Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
A seminar designed to generate ideas about contemporary theory and practice in music. Students engage in discussion of general research topics, but from the perspective of their particular discipline. Enrollment is intended for those doctoral students who have satisfactorily completed the qualifying examinations and until receiving approval of the doctoral paper proposal. The course is open to all majors, but is required of all music education doctoral students.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MED 781. Seminar in Qualitative Research in Music. 2 Credit Hours.
Examination of various approaches to qualitative research in the field of music education. Hands-on experiences designing research, collecting data, and presenting findings.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 782. Seminar in Quantitative Research in Music. 2 Credit Hours.
Examination of advanced topics in quantitative music research, including statistical analysis techniques, results reporting, computer-based analysis, scholarly critiquing, and peer review of research. Dissertation development will also be addressed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MED 784. Music Therapy Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
Doctoral seminar in music therapy to address practical and professional issues pertaining to teaching and research in music therapy. Possible topics include: Teaching and Clinical Supervision, Philosophical Reasearch, and Historical Research.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 790. Teaching Music in College. 1 Credit Hour.
An overview of college music curriculum, patterns of administrative organization, traditional and innovative content, styles and resources used in teaching at the college level, evaluation and grading techniques used in classes, lessons, and ensembles.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MED 793. Special Projects in Music Education and Music Therapy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member’s area of expertise and student’s area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MED 794. Special Topics in Music Education and Music Therapy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member’s expertise and students’ areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MED 795. Doctoral Research Project. 1 Credit Hour.
Small scale research project in music education or music therapy, suitable for publication. This project could serve as pilot work for the dissertation.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 796. Doctoral Research Project. 1 Credit Hour.
Small scale research project in music education or music therapy, suitable for publication. This project could serve as pilot work for the dissertation.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 802. Internship in Music Therapy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Course provides students with a six month opportunity as a music therapy intern in an approved training facility.
Components: PRA.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MED 805. Master's Project. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Culminating project for Master of Music in music education students not completing a thesis or recital.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MED 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MED 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence and maintain full-time enrollment for the master's degree after the student has completed the required hours of thesis or project credit.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MED 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor but not for less than a total of 24. Not more than 12 hours of MED 730 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session. Where a student has passed his/her (a) qualifying examinations, and (b) is engaged in an assistantship, he/she may still take the maximum allowable credit stated above.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MED 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence and maintain full-time enrollment for the Ph.D. in Music Education after the student has completed the required hours of dissertation credit.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Music Instrumental Performance (MIP)

MIP 0B1. Oboe. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 0B3. Oboe. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 0B5. Oboe. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Mastery of technical aspects of oboe performance. Preparation of Masters recital(s) and Oral Defense. Preparation of audition repertoire for further study or professional placement. Related areas such as reed making, specific individualized studies, instrument maintenance, chamber music and orchestral excerpts are also part of the curriculum.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 0B6. Oboe. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Mastery of technical aspects of oboe performance. Preparation of Masters recital(s) and Oral Defense. Preparation of audition repertoire for further study or professional placement. Related areas such as reed making, specific individualized studies, instrument maintenance, chamber music and orchestral excerpts are also part of the curriculum.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP 087. Oboe. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Continue mastery of technical aspects of oboe performance. Preparation of DMA recitals and Oral Defense. Preparation of audition repertoire for professional placement. An overview of pedagogy materials for performance and teaching use will also be explored.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 1. Brass Forum. 0 Credit Hours.
An informal recital setting and performance class for brass principals and majors with guest and faculty presentations.
Components: FOR.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 101. Classical Large Ensemble Placeholder. 1 Credit Hour.
Ensemble placeholder course for new students to enroll in before ensemble placement auditions during Frost Orientation. Please note, you will have to drop this course and enroll in your correct ensemble when receive your official ensemble placement from your studio professor or Dr. Rob Carnochan.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 102. Classical Chamber Ensemble Placeholder. 1 Credit Hour.
Ensemble placeholder course for new students to enroll in before ensemble placement auditions during Frost Orientation. Please note, you will have to drop this course and enroll in your correct ensemble when receive your official ensemble placement from your studio professor.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 120. Class Guitar I for Non-Music Majors. 1 Credit Hour.
Classical Guitar I is a hands-on, introductory course designed to understand the foundations of classical and acoustic guitar music and its different techniques.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 121. Class Guitar I for Jazz Majors. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 130. Afro-Caribbean Hand Drumming, Level I. 1 Credit Hour.
The study of hand drumming techniques used to perform the music of Africa and the new world African music that originated in the islands of the Caribbean and the countries of Central and Latin America. This class is taught in a workshop format.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 131. Afro-Caribbean Hand Drumming, Level II. 1 Credit Hour.
The study of hand drumming techniques used to perform the music of Africa and the new world African music that originated in the islands of the Caribbean and the countries of Central and Latin America. Level II is a performance ensemble.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 135. Percussion Contemporary Chamber Music. 1 Credit Hour.
Mandatory for all classical percussionists, this course focuses on the contemporary unconducted chamber music repertoire. The goal is for students to develop and use an advanced listening/communicating skill set, while playing music with others. This course also targets to improve students’ capabilities in contemporary music interpretation and performance.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 138. Trombone Choir. 1 Credit Hour.
The study and performance of literature for small and large trombone ensembles.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP 140. Flute Choir. 1 Credit Hour.
Reading, rehearsing, and performing the flute choir repertoire (duets, trios, quartets, quintets).
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 141. Saxophone Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
The study and performance of classical and jazz literature for small saxophone ensembles.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 142. Chamber Music Placeholder. 1 Credit Hour.
Temporary placeholder course for student ensemble assignments process. Please note, once you have received your assignment, you will need to drop this course and enroll within the designated course section provided to you.
Requisite: Frost School of Music Students Only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 143. Chamber Music. 1 Credit Hour.
Exploring the chamber music repertoire as represented by various combinations of instruments.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 169. Band of the Hour Pep Band. 1 Credit Hour.
To attain the highest possible performance standard with a diverse and eclectic repertoire of music in the Athletic Band medium. To perform at UM Basketball games, volleyball games, and various community and charity events. Instrumentation will include piccolos, all types of saxophones, Trumpets, F Horns, Trombones, Euphoniums, Tubas, Drum Set, and Electric Bass.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 170. Marching Band. 1 Credit Hour.
The "Band of the Hour" Marching Band is open to all qualified undergraduate and graduate students, regardless of major. The band performs at all home Miami Hurricane football games and selected away games.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 171. Symphonic Winds. 2 Credit Hours.
Symphonic Band is a large wind band that performs significant repertoire for wind and percussion instruments. It is open to all qualified undergraduate and graduate students, regardless of major.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 172. University Band. 1 Credit Hour.
University Band is a large ensemble offering students the opportunity to play standard repertoire of the wind band. This group is open to all wind and percussion players throughout the university, regardless of major.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MIP 174. Brass Choir. 1 Credit Hour.
Major works for Brass Choir are studied. Special emphasis is given to orchestral repertoire.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP 176. Wind Ensemble. 2 Credit Hours.
This course offers performance opportunities for qualified wind and percussion players. Repertoire includes significant literature written for the small and large wind band.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 180. Symphony Orchestra. 2 Credit Hours.
The Symphony Orchestra performs significant repertoire for large orchestra. It is open to all qualified undergraduate students by audition.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 181. Instrumental Conducting I. 2 Credit Hours.
This course provides practical procedures and materials for beginning instrumental conducting students. Students demonstrate basic conducting patterns, preparations, and releases in all meters.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 182. Instrumental Conducting II. 2 Credit Hours.
This course provides practical procedures and materials for advancing instrumental conducting students. Students demonstrate refined skill in conducting musical styles and independence of gestures.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MIP 190. Symphony Orchestra, Wind Ensemble and Ensemble Ibis. 2 Credit Hours.
Frost Symphony Orchestra (FSO), Frost Wind Ensemble (FWE), and Ensemble Ibis (EI) are the premiere large ensembles that perform significant repertoire for strings, winds, and percussion. They are open to all qualified undergraduate and graduate students at the Frost School of Music and University of Miami by way of a successful audition. Following placement auditions, decisions will be made by the faculty to determine which ensembles each student will be assigned. These decisions will be based on the student's ability and educational need, as well as the need of the specific repertoire programmed for each ensemble throughout the season.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 191. Tuba Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
The study and performance of compositions and/or transcriptions written for an ensemble of tubas and/or euphoniums.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 192. Classical Guitar Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
This course focuses on sightreading, rhythm recognition, and ensemble performance through the study of exercises, scales, and diverse repertoire.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 2. Guitar Forum. 0 Credit Hours.
An informal recital setting and performance class for guitar principals and majors with guest and faculty presentations.
Components: FOR.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 220. Class Guitar II for Non-music Majors. 1 Credit Hour.
Classical Guitar II is a hands-on course for students with previous guitar playing experience designed to further explore and understand the guitar, its repertoire, and techniques.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
**MIP 270. Leadership and Instructional Strategies for Marching Band. 1 Credit Hour.**
This one-credit elective course is designed to give practical teaching experience to those undergraduates who are interested in an instructional/leadership position within a Marching Band program. The students learn of the roles and responsibilities of the positions of Drum Major (student conductor), wind and percussion section leaders, and Auxiliary Captain (choreography instructors with the dance line and flag corps). This course involves an extensive series of interactive workshops in which the student leaders/instructors will have the opportunity to teach a vast amount of physical and musical skills.
Prerequisite: MIP 170.
*Components:* LEC.
*Grading:* GRD.
*Typically Offered:* Spring.

**MIP 281. Instrumental Conducting III. 1 Credit Hour.**
This course provides a synthesis of the skills demonstrated in Instrumental Conducting I and II while developing error detection skills in common performance errors.
*Components:* LAB.
*Grading:* GRD.
*Typically Offered:* Fall.

**MIP 282. Instrumental Conducting IV. 1 Credit Hour.**
Students demonstrate knowledge of instruments, instrumentation of the wind band and orchestra, and analyze scores for conception, interpretation, rehearsal, and performance.
*Components:* LEC.
*Grading:* GRD.
*Typically Offered:* Spring.

**MIP 307. Classical Improvisation. 2 Credit Hours.**
Introduce students to the process of improvisation in all styles of classical music.
*Components:* LAB.
*Grading:* GRD.
*Typically Offered:* Fall & Spring.

**MIP 308. Skills Lab VI: Composition as Applied Improvisation. 2 Credit Hours.**
Moving from the world of improvisation to composition, this course re-focuses musical expression into written form encompassing pre-tonal, tonal and post-tonal techniques through analysis, written improvisation, and model-composition.
Prerequisite: MTC 211 or MTC 240.
*Components:* LAB.
*Grading:* GRD.
*Typically Offered:* Spring.

**MIP 399. Junior Recital. 1 Credit Hour.**
A public recital of one half-hour or more. Course is required of all instrumental performance majors.
*Components:* PRA.
*Grading:* GRD.
*Typically Offered:* Fall & Spring.

**MIP 407. Basic Conducting and Arranging. 2 Credit Hours.**
This course in basic conducting and arranging is designed to acquaint the student by application, with the basic beat, patterns (symmetrical and asymmetrical), preparatory beats, releases, dynamics, fermati, tempo changes, elementary score study and rehearsal techniques. Elements of practical arranging will be explored as students arrange excerpts for their specific skills ensemble that address areas of conducting technique.
*Components:* LAB.
*Grading:* GRD.
*Typically Offered:* Fall.

**MIP 408. Skills Lab VIII: Culminating Project. 2 Credit Hours.**
In this class students will create, perform, and produce a culminating concert event that will incorporate all the various skills they have acquired over the course of the Experiential Music Curriculum. The music for this performance will be written (or arranged), played, and conducted by the students in the skills ensemble, and it will require skills in improvisation, technology, and promotion that have been learned in the previous Skills Ensemble classes. The instructor will work in a consultative and guidance role to help the students develop and produce this performance.
*Components:* LAB.
*Grading:* GRD.
*Typically Offered:* Spring.
MIP 493. Special Projects in Instrumental Performance or Conducting. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member's area of expertise and student's area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MIP 494. Special Topics in Instrumental Performance or Conducting. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member's expertise and students' areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MIP 499. Senior Recital. 1 Credit Hour.
A public recital of one hour or more. Required of all performance majors.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 5. Percussion Forum. 0 Credit Hours.
An informal recital setting and performance class for Percussion principals and majors with guest and faculty presentations.
Components: FOR.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 540. Reed Making and Maintenance for Oboe and Bassoon. 0 Credit Hours.
One Hour weekly class detailing and experiencing the processing of cane and making if reeds for oboe and bassoon, and the maintenance of those instruments.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 541. Bassoon Repertoire and Pedagogy. 2 Credit Hours.
Solo and small ensemble literature of the bassoon since 1600.
Requisite: Music Majors, Upperclass Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 542. Clarinet Repertoire and Pedagogy. 2 Credit Hours.
Solo and small ensemble literature of the clarinet since 1600.
Requisite: Music Majors, Upperclass Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 543. Flute Repertoire and Pedagogy. 2 Credit Hours.
Solo and small ensemble literature of the flute since 1600.
Requisite: Music Majors, Upperclass Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 544. Oboe Repertoire and Pedagogy. 2 Credit Hours.
Solo and small ensemble literature of the oboe since 1600.
Requisite: Music Majors, Upperclass Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 545. Brass Repertoire and Pedagogy. 2 Credit Hours.
Solo and small ensemble literature of brass instruments since 1600.
Requisite: Music Majors, Upperclass Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MIP 546. Percussion Repertoire and Pedagogy. 2 Credit Hours.
Solo and small ensemble literature of percussion instruments since 1600.
Requisite: Music Majors, Upperclass Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MIP 547. Saxophone Repertoire and Pedagogy. 2 Credit Hours.
Solo and small ensemble literature of the saxophone since 1600.
Requisite: Music Majors, Upperclass Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 548. Guitar Repertoire and Pedagogy. 2 Credit Hours.
Solo and small ensemble literature of the guitar since 1600.
Requisite: Music Majors, Upperclass Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 549. String Repertoire and Pedagogy. 2 Credit Hours.
An exploration of teaching string playing. Areas covered include problem-solving and communication techniques, and practical considerations in establishing a teaching studio. Students participate in hands-on teaching opportunities. Prerequisite: Advanced standing in Music and permission of instructor.
Requisite: Music Majors, Upperclass Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 550. Bach Cello Suites. 1 Credit Hour.
The study and performance of the six suites for unaccompanied cello of Johann Sebastian Bach.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MIP 580. Orchestral Audition Preparation. 1 Credit Hour.
The study of the more difficult excerpts from the orchestral literature for violin, viola, violoncello, or double bass. Course may be repeated for credit.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 593. Special Projects in Instrumental Performance or Conducting. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member’s area of expertise and student’s area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MIP 594. Special Topics in Instrumental Performance or Conducting. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member’s expertise and students’ areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MIP 640. Reed Making and Maintenance for Oboe and Bassoon. 0 Credit Hours.
One hour week class detailing and experiencing the processing of cane and making of reeds for oboe and bassoon, and the maintenance of those instruments.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 641. Bassoon Repertoire and Pedagogy. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Solo and small ensemble literature of the bassoon since 1600.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MIP 642. Clarinet Repertoire and Pedagogy. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Solo and small ensemble literature of the clarinet since 1600.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 643. Flute Repertoire and Pedagogy. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Solo and small ensemble literature of the flute since 1600.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 644. Oboe Repertoire and Pedagogy. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Solo and small ensemble literature of the oboe since 1600.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 645. Brass Repertoire and Pedagogy. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Solo and small ensemble literature of brass instruments since 1600.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 646. Percussion Repertoire and Pedagogy. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Solo and small ensemble literature of percussion instruments since 1600.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MIP 647. Saxophone Repertoire and Pedagogy. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Solo and small ensemble literature of the saxophone since 1600.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 648. Guitar Repertoire and Pedagogy. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Solo and small ensemble literature of the guitar since 1600.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 649. String Repertoire and Pedagogy. 1-2 Credit Hours.
An exploration of teaching string playing. Areas covered include problem-solving and communication techniques, and practical considerations in establishing a teaching studio. Students participate in hands-on teaching opportunities. Prerequisite: Advanced standing in Music and permission of instructor.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 650. Bach Cello Suites. 1 Credit Hour.
The study and performance of the six suites for unaccompanied cello of Johann Sebastian Bach.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MIP 680. Orchestral Audition Preparation. 1 Credit Hour.
The study of the more difficult excerpts from the orchestral literature for violin, viola, violoncello, or double bass. Course may be repeated for credit.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 693. Special Projects in Instrumental Performance or Conducting. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member’s area of expertise and student’s area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MIP 694. Special Topics in Instrumental Performance or Conducting. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member’s expertise and students’ areas of interest.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MIP 7. String Forum. 0 Credit Hours.
An informal recital setting and performance class for string principals and majors with guest and faculty presentations.
Components: FOR.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 701. MM Recital Program Notes Preparation. 1 Credit Hour.
Students prepare extensive, original program notes, with bibliography. These notes will be made available to the audience of the second Masters recital. The notes may focus on the historical, analytical and performance aspects of the repertoire for this recital. Required in MM two-recital degree programs.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 710. Graduate Conducting Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
The graduate conducting seminar is an advanced study of conducting and rehearsal techniques combined with score and ensemble topics. Specific topics vary each semester. May be repeated for credit.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 720. Concepts and Processes of Classical Improvisation. 1 Credit Hour.
Concepts and Processes of Improvisation in classical music
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MIP 730. Afro-Caribbean Hand Drumming, Level I. 1 Credit Hour.
The study of hand drumming techniques used to perform the music of Africa and the new world African music that originated in the islands of the Caribbean and the countries of Central and Latin America. Class is taught as a workshop.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 731. Afro-Caribbean Hand Drumming, Level II. 1 Credit Hour.
The study of hand drumming techniques used to perform the music of Africa and the new world African music that originated in the islands of the Caribbean and the countries of Central and Latin America. Level II is a performance ensemble.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 735. Percussion Contemporary Chamber Music. 1 Credit Hour.
Mandatory for all classical percussionists, this course focuses on the contemporary un conducted chamber music repertoire. The goal is for students to develop and use an advanced listening/communicating skill set, while playing music with others. This course also targets to improve students’ capabilities in contemporary music interpretation and performance.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 738. Trombone Choir. 1 Credit Hour.
The study and performance of literature for small and large trombone ensembles.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 740. Flute Choir. 1 Credit Hour.
Reading, rehearsing, and performing the flute choir repertoire (duets, trios, quartets, quintets).
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP 741. Saxophone Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
The study and performance of classical and jazz literature for small saxophone ensembles.

Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 742. Chamber Music Placeholder. 1 Credit Hour.
Temporary placeholder course for student ensemble assignments process. Please note, once you have received your assignment, you will need to drop this course and enroll within the designated course section provided to you.

Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 743. Chamber Music. 1 Credit Hour.
Exploring the chamber music repertoire as represented by various combinations of instruments.

Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 755. Seminar in Baroque Performance. 1 Credit Hour.
Students will present research on compositions representative of the Baroque period. Presentations will include interpretation, style, and historical context of both the composer and the work.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 756. Seminar in Classical Performance. 1 Credit Hour.
Students will present research on compositions representative of the classical period. Presentations will include interpretation, style, and historical context of both the composer and the work.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MIP 757. Seminar in Romantic Performance. 1 Credit Hour.
Students will present research on compositions representative of the Romantic period. Presentations will include interpretation, style, and historical context of both the composer and the work.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MIP 770. Marching Band. 1 Credit Hour.
The "Band of the Hour" Marching Band is open to all qualified undergraduate and graduate students, regardless of major. The band performs at all home Miami Hurricane football games and selected away games.

Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 771. Symphonic Winds. 1 Credit Hour.
Symphonic Band is a large wind band that performs significant repertoire for wind and percussion instruments. It is open to all qualified undergraduate and graduate students, regardless of major.

Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 774. Brass Choir. 1 Credit Hour.
Major works for Brass Choir are studied. Special emphasis is given to orchestral repertoire.

Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP 776. Wind Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
This course offers performance opportunities for qualified wind and percussion players. Repertoire includes significant literature written for the small and large wind band.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 780. Symphony Orchestra. 1 Credit Hour.
The Symphony Orchestra performs significant repertoire for large orchestra. It is open to all qualified graduate students by audition.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 781. Instrumental Conducting Workshop. 2 Credit Hours.
This course provides practical procedures and materials for beginning and advancing conducting students. Students enrolled in the four-semester sequence demonstrate basic conducting techniques, demonstration of instruments and instrumentation of the wind band and orchestra, and analyze scores for conception, interpretations, rehearsal, and performance.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MIP 782. Instrumental Conducting II. 2 Credit Hours.
This course provides practical procedures and materials for advancing instrumental conducting students. Students demonstrate refined skill in conducting musical styles and independence of gestures.
Prerequisites: MIP 781 or MIP 317.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MIP 790. SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA, WIND ENSEMBLE AND ENSEMBLE IBIS. 1 Credit Hour.
Frost Symphony Orchestra (FSO), Frost Wind Ensemble (FWE), and Ensemble Ibis (EI) are the premiere large ensembles that perform significant repertoire for strings, winds, and percussion. They are open to all qualified undergraduate and graduate students at the Frost School of Music and University of Miami by way of a successful audition. Following placement auditions, decisions will be made by the faculty to determine which ensembles each student will be assigned. These decisions will be based on the student's ability and educational need, as well as the need of the specific repertoire programmed for each ensemble throughout the season.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 791. Tuba Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
The study and performance of compositions and/or transcriptions written for an ensemble of tubas and/or euphoniums.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 792. Classical Guitar Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
This course focuses on sightreading, rhythm recognition, and ensemble performance through the study of exercise, scales, and diverse repertoire.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 793. Special Projects in Instrumental Performance or Conducting. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member's area of expertise and student's area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MIP 794. Special Projects in Instrumental Performance or Conducting. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member's expertise and students' areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MIP 811. Master's Recital Paper. 1-3 Credit Hours.  
The student working on his/her master's recital paper enrolls for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the paper has been accepted.  
Components: THI.  
Grading: SUS.  
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MIP 812. Master's Recital. 1 Credit Hour.  
A masters recital lasting at least 60 minutes that may include some chamber works but consists primarily of solo pieces. Students are required to write Program Notes.  
Components: PRA.  
Grading: SUS.  
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 813. Master's Second Recital. 1 Credit Hour.  
The second recital for those taking the two-recital option in the Master of Music in Instrumental Performance degree.  
Components: THI.  
Grading: SUS.  
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 814. Artist Diploma Recital. 1 Credit Hour. 
The student enrolls for recital credit during the semester in which he/she presents the Artist Diploma Recital.  
Components: THI.  
Grading: SUS.  
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 815. Masters Advanced Recital. 2 Credit Hours.  
The second recital in the masters degree when students choose Extended Program Notes as the final project.  
Components: THI.  
Grading: SUS.  
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour. 
Used to establish research in residence and maintain full-time enrollment for the master's degree after the student has completed the required hours of thesis or project credit.  
Components: THI.  
Grading: SUS.  
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MIP 831. Doctoral Essay. 1-12 Credit Hours. 
Required of all candidates for the D.M.A. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but not for less than a total of 12. Not more than 12 hours of MIP 731 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session.  
Components: THI.  
Grading: SUS.  
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MIP 832. Doctoral Recital. 1-2 Credit Hours. 
Required of all candidates for the D.M.A.  
Components: PRA.  
Grading: SUS.  
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour. 
Used to establish research in residence and maintain full-time enrollment for the DMA after the student has completed the required hours of doctoral essay credit.  
Components: THI.  
Grading: SUS.  
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MIP 9. Woodwind Forum. 0 Credit Hours. 
An informal recital setting and performance class for woodwind principals and majors with guest and faculty presentations.  
Components: FOR.  
Grading: CNC.  
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP BA1. Bassoon. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for bassoon students. Technical Requirements: Method Books by Giampieri, Jancourt, Milde (Vol. 1).
Repertoire: Vivaldi Concerto, Bourdeau - Premier solo, Galliard, Handel, Marcello, Nino Rota Procaccini.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP BA3. Bassoon. 2 Credit Hours.
Repertoire: Bach, Bozza, Eigar, Jean Jean, Hindemith, Mozart, Flament.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP BA5. Bassoon. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Mastery of technical aspects of bassoon performance. Preparation of Masters recital(s) and oral defense. Preparation of repertoire for audition for further study or professional placement. Related areas such as reed making, specific individualized studies, instrumental maintenance, and orchestral excerpts are also part of the curriculum.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP BA6. Bassoon. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Mastery of technical aspects of bassoon performance. Preparation of Masters recital(s) and oral defense. Preparation of repertoire for audition for further study or professional placement. Related areas such as reed making, specific individualized studies, instrumental maintenance, and orchestral excerpts are also part of the curriculum.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP BA7. Bassoon. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Continued mastery of technical aspects of bassoon performance. Preparation of DMA recitals and oral defense. Preparation of repertoire for audition for professional placement. An overview of pedagogy materials for performance and teaching use will also be explored.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP BAD. Bassoon. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Method Books by Giampieri, Jancourt, Milde (Vol. 1). Repertoire: Bourdeau - Second Solo, David, Domenico, Dubois, Fasch, Kozeluh, Pierne, Telemann, Vivaldi.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP BAS. Secondary Bassoon. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP BAX. Secondary Bassoon - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP CD1. Conducting. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for conducting students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CD3. Conducting. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for conducting students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CD5. Conducting. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson and studio class for Artist Diploma students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CD6. Conducting. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson and studio class for Masters students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CD7. Conducting. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson and studio class for Doctoral students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CDC. Conducting. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CDD. Conducting. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CDF. Conducting. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CDG. Conducting. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP CDH. Conducting. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CDS. Secondary Conducting. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CDX. Secondary Instrumental Conducting - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CL1. Clarinet. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CL3. Clarinet. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for clarinet students. Technical Requirements: Same as previous semesters as well as Jean Jean 16 or 18 Etudes, and Opperman Advanced Velocity Studies. Repertoire: Poulenc, Stravinsky, Bernstein, Brahms. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CL5. Clarinet. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson and studio class for Artist Diploma students. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CL6. Clarinet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson and studio class for Masters students. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CL7. Clarinet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson and studio class for Doctoral students. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CLC. Clarinet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Same as previous semesters as well as Cavillini Caprices, and Opperman Intermediate Velocity Studies. Repertoire: Weber, Hindemith, Burgmuller. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP CLD. Clarinet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Same as previous semesters as well as Cavillini Caprices, and Opperman Intermediate Velocity Studies. Repertoire: Weber, Hindemith, Burgmuller.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CLF. Clarinet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Same as previous semesters as well as Cavillini Caprices, and Opperman Intermediate Velocity Studies. Repertoire: Poulenc, Stravinsky, Bernstein, Brahms.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CLG. Clarinet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Same as previous semesters as well as Opperman Virtuoso Velocity Studies. Repertoire: Debussy, Rozsa, Muczynski, Berg.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CLH. Clarinet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Same as previous semesters as well as Opperman Virtuoso Velocity Studies. Repertoire: Debussy, Rozsa, Muczynski, Berg.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CLS. Secondary Clarinet. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP CLX. Secondary Clarinet - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP DB1. Double Bass. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for double bass students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP DB3. Double Bass. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for double bass students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP DB5. Double Bass. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Advanced study of the double bass. Preparation for Master’s recitals, and oral defense, orchestral repertoire, planning auditions, and insights on teaching.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP DB6. Double Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Advanced study of the double bass. Preparation for Master’s recitals, and oral defense, orchestral repertoire, planning auditions, and insights on teaching.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP DB7. Double Bass. 1 Credit Hour.
Preparation of qualifying and DMA recitals and oral defense. Continuation of advanced orchestral repertoire and methods and audition preparation.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP DBC. Double Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP DBD. Double Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP DBF. Double Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP DBG. Double Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP DBH. Double Bass. 1 Credit Hour.
1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP DBS. Secondary Double Bass. 1 Credit Hour.
1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP DBX. Secondary Double Bass - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.  
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.  
Components: LSN.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP EU1. Euphonium. 2 Credit Hours.  
Components: LSN.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP EU3. Euphonium. 2 Credit Hours.  
Components: LSN.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP EU5. Euphonium. 1-4 Credit Hours.  
Applied lesson and studio class for Artist Diploma students.  
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.  
Components: LSN.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP EU6. Euphonium. 1-2 Credit Hours.  
Applied lesson and studio class for Masters students.  
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.  
Components: LSN.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP EU7. Euphonium. 1-2 Credit Hours.  
Applied lesson and studio class for Doctoral students.  
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.  
Components: LSN.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP EUC. Euphonium. 1-2 Credit Hours.  
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. ½-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Development of embouchure, breathing, and articulation. Appropriate major and minor scales. Repertoire: Bordogni-Rochut, Peters, Jones, Vivaldi.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP EUD. Euphonium. 1-2 Credit Hours.  
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. ½-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Development of embouchure, breathing, and articulation. Appropriate major and minor scales. Repertoire: Bordogni-Rochut, Peters, Jones, Vivaldi.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP EUF. Euphonium. 1-2 Credit Hours.  
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. ½-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Development of embouchure, breathing, and articulation. Appropriate major and minor scales. Repertoire: Fink Stevens, Maxime-Alphones, Jacob, Hartley.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP EUG. Euphonium. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. ½-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Development of embouchure, breathing, and articulation. Appropriate major and minor scales. Repertoire: Charlier, Bozza, Uber, Horovitz Bellstedt; band and orchestral excerpts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP EUH. Euphonium. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. ½-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Development of embouchure, breathing, and articulation. Appropriate major and minor scales. Repertoire: Charlier, Bozza, Uber, Horovitz Bellstedt; band and orchestral excerpts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP EUS. Secondary Euphonium. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP EUX. Secondary Euphonium - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FH1. French Horn. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FH3. French Horn. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for french horn students. Technical Requirements: Continued transposition study, further skills development, scales and arpeggios. Studies by Bach, Maxime-Alphonse, Gallay; Belloli; orchestral repertoire. Repertoire: Mozart, Strauss, Hindemith, Dukas, Chabier.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FH5. French Horn. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Emphasis will continue to be the advancement of repertoire experience and skill assessment. Preparation and presentation of a solo recital will be the main focus of repertoire study. In-depth study of Orchestral Literature will also begin this semester.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FH6. French Horn. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Emphasis will be on an assessment of students’ skills, needs and repertoire experience. Materials will be explored from the standard etude and solo literature that is relevant to the students’ level and skill needs. Exploration will begin to choose material for a solo recital in the Spring semester.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP FH7. French Horn. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Students' skill needs will be assessed and a course of study developed for any remedial needs. An in-depth study of appropriate literature for both solo and chamber recitals will be undertaken in preparation for a long-term degree plan. Advanced study of Orchestral Literature will begin, including listening and score study. Repertoire for an initial recital and the Qualifying Recital will be chosen and prepared.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FHC. French Horn. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FHD. French Horn. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FHF. French Horn. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Continued transposition study, further skills development, scales and arpeggios. Studies by Bach, Maxime-Alphonse, Gallay; Belloli; orchestral repertoire. Repertoire: Mozart, Strauss, Hindemith, Dukas, Chabier.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FHG. French Horn. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FHH. French Horn. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FHS. Secondary French Horn. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP FHX. Secondary French Horn - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FL1. Flute. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FL3. Flute. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FL5. Flute. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Mastery of technical aspects of flute performance. Preparation of Masters recital(s) and oral defense. Preparation of repertoire for audition for further study or professional placement. Related areas such as specific individualized studies, instrumental maintenance, and orchestral excerpts are also part of the curriculum.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FL6. Flute. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Mastery of technical aspects of flute performance. Preparation of Masters recital(s) and oral defense. Preparation of repertoire for audition for further study or professional placement. Related areas such as specific individualized studies, instrumental maintenance, and orchestral excerpts are also part of the curriculum.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FL7. Flute. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Continue mastery of technical aspects of flute performance. Preparation of DMA recitals and oral defense. Preparation of repertoire for audition for professional placement. An overview of pedagogy materials for performance and teaching use will also be explored.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FLC. Flute. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP FLD. Flute. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FLF. Flute. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FLG. Flute. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FLH. Flute. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FLS. Secondary Flute. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP FLX. Secondary Flute - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP GU1. Guitar. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for guitar students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP GU3. Guitar. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for guitar students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP GUS. Guitar. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson and studio class for Artist Diploma students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP GU5. Guitar. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson and studio class for Artist Diploma students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.

MIP GU6. Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson and studio class for Masters students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP GU7. Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson and studio class for Doctoral students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP GUC. Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP GUD. Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP GUF. Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP GUH. Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP GUS. Secondary Guitar. 1 Credit Hour.
1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP GU. Secondary Guitar - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.

Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP HA1. Harp. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for harp students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.

Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP HA3. Harp. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for harp students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.

Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP HA5. Harp. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Advanced study of solo harp literature.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.

Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP HA6. Harp. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Advanced study of solo harp literature.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.

Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP HA7. Harp. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Advanced study of solo harp literature.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.

Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP HA8. Harp. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.

Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP HA9. Harp. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.

Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP HAG. Harp. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP HAH. Harp. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP HAS. Secondary Harp. 1 Credit Hour.
1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP HAX. Secondary Harp - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP OBC. Oboe. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP OBD. Oboe. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP OBF. Oboe. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP OBG. Oboe. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP OBH. Oboe. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP OBS. Secondary Oboe. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP OBX. Secondary Oboe - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP PE1. Percussion. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP PE3. Percussion. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP PE5. Percussion. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Second semester of the Masters Degree in percussion performance. The main area of focus is first recital; to be performed this semester. Exploration into solo and ensemble performance needs will continue through this semester.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP PE6. Percussion. 1-2 Credit Hours.
First semester of the Master’s Degree in percussion performance. Emphasis on assessment of students’ skills needs and repertoire experience. Materials covered to include standard solo and ensemble repertoire and technical work. First recital repertoire chosen from works supplementing students’ needs.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP PE7. Percussion. 1-2 Credit Hours.
First of six semesters of study for a DMA in percussion performance. Students’ needs assessed, and a course of study devised. Solo and ensemble works studied in-depth accordingly. Works for an initial and qualifying recital chosen.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP PEC. Percussion. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP PED. Percussion. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP PEF. Percussion. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP PEG. Percussion. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Development of advanced repertory and preparation for the final recital. Etudes and works on marimba, vibraphone, snare drum, timpani, multi-percussion, and orchestral excerpts. At least one piece at the final concert has to be a concerto-like composition performed with piano or percussion ensemble.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP PEH. Percussion. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Development of advanced repertory and preparation for the final recital. Etudes and works on marimba, vibraphone, snare drum, timpani, multi-percussion, and orchestral excerpts. At least one piece at the final concert has to be a concerto-like composition performed with piano or percussion ensemble.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP PES. Secondary Percussion. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP PEX. Secondary Percussion - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP SA1. Saxophone. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for saxophone students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP SA3. Saxophone. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for saxophone students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP SA5. Saxophone. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Graduate level private study in classical saxophone is geared toward the individual's needs depending on the ability and skills mastered during the undergraduate level. The student will be required to seek refinement in all areas, including tone, intonation, technique, stylistic interpretation, and advanced forms of saxophone techniques. The student must be thoroughly versed in the pedagogy of the instrument. Study of advanced scales is required along with some jazz studies and advanced literature will be addressed in the private lesson format.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP SA6. Saxophone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Graduate level private study in classical saxophone is geared toward the individual's needs depending on the ability and skills mastered during the undergraduate level. The student will be required to seek refinement in all areas, including tone, intonation, technique, stylistic interpretation, and advanced forms of saxophone techniques. The student must be thoroughly versed in the pedagogy of the instrument. Study of advanced scales is required along with some jazz studies and advanced literature will be addressed in the private lesson format.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP SA7. Saxophone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Graduate level private study in classical saxophone is geared toward the individual's needs depending on the ability and skills mastered during the undergraduate level. The student will be required to seek refinement in all areas, including tone, intonation, technique, stylistic interpretation, and advanced forms of saxophone techniques. The student must be thoroughly versed in the pedagogy of the instrument. Study of advanced scales is required along with some jazz studies and advanced literature will be addressed in the private lesson format.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP SAC. Saxophone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP SAD. Saxophone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP SAF. Saxophone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP SAG. Saxophone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP SAH. Saxophone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP SAS. Secondary Saxophone. 1 Credit Hour.
1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP SAX. Secondary Saxophone - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TB1. Trombone. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for trombone students. Technical Requirements: Development of embouchure, breathing, articulation, sound, and slide technique. Appropriate major and minor scales. Works by Arban, Blazhevich, Pares, Rochut, Tyrell, and others. Solo literature as appropriate for the student's abilities.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TB3. Trombone. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for trombone students. Technical Requirements: Continuation of technical development including upper register, advanced slide technique, and refined articulation. Works as previously listed, followed by Masson and Bitsch. Solo literature as appropriate for the student's abilities, and continuation of selected orchestral excerpts.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TB5. Trombone. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Advanced progressive study is chosen from the following etude books, Gabriel Masson 12 Various Etudes, Marcel Bitsch 15 Rhythmical Studies, Roger Bountry 12 Etudes for High Perfection, and Brade Edwards Lip-slurs-Exercises for Tone and Technique. Additionally, solo concerto literature and contemporary works are studied and prepared to advance the student’s technical and musical mastery of the trombone. Orchestral excerpts are studied to further develop and refine an appropriate sense of orchestral style.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TB6. Trombone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Advanced progressive study is chosen from the following etude books, Gabriel Masson 12 Various Etudes, Marcel Bitsch 15 Rhythmical Studies, Roger Bountry 12 Etudes for High Perfection, and Brade Edwards Lip-slurs-Exercises for Tone and Technique. Additionally, solo concerto literature and contemporary works are studied and prepared to advance the student’s technical and musical mastery of the trombone. Orchestral excerpts are studied to further develop and refine an appropriate sense of orchestral style.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP TB7. Trombone. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Advanced progressive study is chosen from the following etude books, Gabriel Masson 12 Various Etudes, Marcel Bitsch 15 Rhythmical Studies, Roger Bountry 12 Etudes for High Perfection, and Brade Edwards Lip-slurs-Exercises for Tone and Technique. Additionally, solo concerto literature and contemporary works are studied and prepared to advance the student’s technical and musical mastery of the trombone. Orchestral excerpts are studied to further develop and refine an appropriate sense of orchestral style.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TBC. Trombone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Continuation of previous aspects of technical development. Works as previously listed, followed by Blume, and solo literature as appropriate for the student’s abilities. Introduction of orchestral excerpts as both literature and as an aid to technical and musical development.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TBD. Trombone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Continuation of previous aspects of technical development. Works as previously listed, followed by Blume, and solo literature as appropriate for the student’s abilities. Introduction of orchestral excerpts as both literature and as an aid to technical and musical development.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TBF. Trombone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Continuation of technical development including upper register, advanced slide technique, and refined articulation. Works as previously listed, followed by Masson and Bitsch. Solo literature as appropriate for the student’s abilities, and continuation of selected orchestral excerpts.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TBG. Trombone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Further development of all technical aspects of performance. Works by Masson and Bitsch, and solo literature geared towards recital performance.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TBH. Trombone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Further development of all technical aspects of performance. Works by Masson and Bitsch, and solo literature geared towards recital performance.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TBS. Secondary Trombone. 1 Credit Hour.
1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Development of embouchure, breathing, articulation, sound, and slide technique. Appropriate major and minor scales. Works by Arban, Blazhevich, Pares, Rochut, Tyrell, and others. Solo literature as appropriate for the student’s abilities.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP TBX. Secondary Trombone - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TP1. Trumpet. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TP3. Trumpet. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for trumpet students. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TP5. Trumpet. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson and studio class for Artist Diploma students. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TP6. Trumpet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson and studio class for Masters students. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TP7. Trumpet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson and studio class for Doctoral students. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TPC. Trumpet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TPD. Trumpet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TPF. Trumpet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP TPG. Trumpet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TPH. Trumpet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TPS. Secondary Trumpet. 1 Credit Hour.
1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Development of embouchure, breathing, and articulation. Appropriate major and minor scales. Repertoire: Arban, Clarke, Hering, Schlossberg; orchestral excerpts.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TXP. Secondary Trumpet - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TU1. Tuba. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TU3. Tuba. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TU5. Tuba. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Private lessons that focus on development of embouchure, breathing, and articulation, with emphasis on orchestral excerpts on Alphonse, Sear, Kraft, Kelleway, and others.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TU6. Tuba. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Private lessons that focus on development of embouchure, breathing, and articulation, with emphasis on orchestral excerpts on Alphonse, Sear, Kraft, Kelleway, and others.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP TU7. Tuba. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Private lessons that focus on development of embouchure, breathing, and articulation, with emphasis on orchestral excerpts on Cinema, Snedecor, Wilder, Gould and others.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TUC. Tuba. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Development of embouchure, breathing, and articulation. Appropriate major and minor scales. Repertoire: Vasiliev, Kopprash, Gallay, Frankenpohl, Nelhybel, Bernstein.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TUD. Tuba. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Development of embouchure, breathing, and articulation. Appropriate major and minor scales. Repertoire: Vasiliev, Kopprash, Gallay, Frankenpohl, Nelhybel, Bernstein.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TUF. Tuba. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Development of embouchure, breathing, and articulation. Appropriate major and minor scales. Repertoire: Bach/Bobo Ostrander, Kotsier, Hindemith, Wilder.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TUG. Tuba. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Development of embouchure, breathing, and articulation. Appropriate major and minor scales. Repertoire: Cimera, Maenz, Broughton, Persichetti, orchestral excerpts.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TUH. Tuba. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Development of embouchure, breathing, and articulation. Appropriate major and minor scales. Repertoire: Cimera, Maenz, Broughton, Persichetti, orchestral excerpts.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TUS. Secondary Tuba. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP TUX. Secondary Tuba - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP VA1. Viola. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for viola students. Technical Requirements: Right hand and left hand position evaluation and adjustment if necessary. Scales and etudes as assigned. Repertoire: Solo literature appropriate for level and major.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VA3. Viola. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2-4 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Scales and etudes as assigned. Repertoire: Solo literature appropriate for level and major. Solo literature appropriate for level and major.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VA5. Viola. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Mastery of technical aspects of viola performance. Preparation of Masters recital(s) and oral defense. Preparation of repertoire for audition for further study or professional placement.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VA6. Viola. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Mastery of technical aspects of viola performance. Preparation of Masters recital(s) and oral defense. Preparation of repertoire for audition for further study or professional placement.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VA7. Viola. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Continued mastery of technical aspects of viola performance. Preparation of qualifying recital and DMA recitals and oral defense. Preparation of repertoire for audition for further study or professional placement.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VAC. Viola. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Scales and etudes as assigned. Repertoire: Solo literature appropriate for level and major. Solo literature appropriate for level and major.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VAD. Viola. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Scales and etudes as assigned. Repertoire: Solo literature appropriate for level and major. Solo literature appropriate for level and major.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VAF. Viola. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Scales and etudes as assigned. Repertoire: Solo literature appropriate for level and major. Solo literature appropriate for level and major.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP VAG. Viola. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Scales and etudes as assigned. Repertoire: Solo literature appropriate for level and major. Solo literature appropriate for level and major.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VAH. Viola. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Scales and etudes as assigned. Repertoire: Solo literature appropriate for level and major. Solo literature appropriate for level and major.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VAS. Secondary Viola. 1 Credit Hour.
1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Right hand and left hand position evaluation and adjustment if necessary. Scales and etudes as assigned. Repertoire: Solo literature appropriate for level and major.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VAX. Secondary Viola - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VC1. Violoncello. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for violoncello students. Technical Requirements: Development of basic bow strokes, vibrato, and position changes. Appropriate major scales and arpeggios. Etudes as needed. Repertoire: Vivaldi Sonatas, Saint-Saens Concerto, Hayden C Major Concerto, Beethoven Sonata 1 or 2, Bach Suite 1 or 2.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VC3. Violoncello. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VC5. Violoncello. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson and studio class for Artist Diploma students.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VC6. Violoncello. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson and studio class for Masters students.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VC7. Violoncello. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson and studio class for Doctoral students.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP VCC. Violoncello. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: All major and minor scales and arpeggios. Etudes as needed. Repertoire: Lalo Concerto, Boccherini B-flat, Beethoven or Brahms Sonatas, Bach Suite No. 3.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VCD. Violoncello. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: All major and minor scales and arpeggios. Etudes as needed. Repertoire: Lalo Concerto, Boccherini B-flat, Beethoven or Brahms Sonatas, Bach Suite No. 3.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VCF. Violoncello. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Popper etudes, Duport etudes. Repertoire: Dvorak Concerto, Hayden D Major Concerto, Shostakovitch Sonata, Bach Suite No. 4.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VCG. Violoncello. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Popper etudes, Piatti etudes. Repertoire: Schumann Concerto, Bach Suites No. 5 or No. 6.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VCH. Violoncello. 1 Credit Hour.
1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Development of basic bow strokes, vibrato, and position changes. Appropriate major scales and arpeggios. Etudes as needed. Repertoire: Vivaldi Sonatas, Saint-Saens Concerto, Hayden C Major Concerto, Beethoven Sonata 1 or 2, Bach Suite 1 or 2.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VCS. Secondary Violoncello. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VN1. Violin. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VN3. Violin. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP VN5. Violin. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson and studio class for Artist Diploma students.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VN6. Violin. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson and studio class for Masters students.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VN7. Violin. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson and studio class for Doctoral students.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VNC. Violin. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VND. Violin. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VNF. Violin. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VN. Violin. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VNH. Violin. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MIP VNS. Secondary Violin. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MIP VNX. Secondary Violin - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.

Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

Music Keyboard Performance (MKP)

MKP OR1. Organ. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP OR3. Organ. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP OR5. Organ. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Requires successful completion of an undergraduate degree in piano performance, and approval of student’s advisor (studio teacher). Course may be taken for 2 credits (1-hour lesson) or 1 credit (30-minute lesson) as part of Artist Diploma. The course covers private instruction on organ-related performance techniques and repertory. The level of repertory will be determined by instructor based on the student’s performance level. A jury examination in front of a faculty committee is required each semester for students taking the course for 2 credits.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP OR6. Organ. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requires successful completion of an undergraduate degree in piano performance, and approval of student’s advisor (studio teacher). Course may be taken for 2 credits (1-hour lesson) or 1 credit (30-minute lesson) as part of masters degree. The course covers private instruction on organ-related performance techniques and repertory. The level of repertory will be determined by instructor based on the student's performance level. A jury examination in front of a faculty committee is required each semester for students taking the course for 2 credits.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP OR7. Organ. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requires successful completion of a graduate degree in piano performance, and approval of student’s advisor (studio teacher). Course may be taken for 2 credits (1-hour lesson) or 1 credit (30-minute lesson) as part of doctoral degree. The course covers private instruction on organ-related performance techniques and repertory. The level of repertory will be determined by instructor based on the student's performance level. A jury examination in front of a faculty committee is required each semester for students taking the course for 2 credits.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 111. Non-Major Class Piano I. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is designed for the adult beginner who has an interest in playing keyboard instruments for pleasure. Students with no previous musical or keyboard experience learn the fundamentals of music theory and apply them to playing the keyboard at the beginning level.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MKP 112. Non-Major Class Piano II. 1 Credit Hour.
Designed for the adult beginner who has an interest in playing keyboard instruments for pleasure, this course builds on the concepts introduced in MKP 111. Students continue to learn the fundamentals of music theory and apply them to playing the keyboard.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 140. Keyboard Studies I. 1 Credit Hour.
Major and minor five finger patterns, beginning repertoire, major scales and arpeggios, basic chord progressions, for types of triads, dominant seventh chords, beginning sight reading, harmonization, transposition, and improvisation skills.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MKP 141. Keyboard Studies II. 1 Credit Hour.
Minor scales and arpeggios, modal scales, five types of seventh chords and inversions, and more extensive chord progressions. Study of repertoire and the development of sight-reading, harmonization, transposition, and improvisation skills are continued.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MKP 185. Musical Theatre Accompanying. 1 Credit Hour.
A class designed to improve the skills of pianists with a particular interest in musical theatre piano accompaniment. Students will study in a classroom setting.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 186. Vocal Accompanying I. 1 Credit Hour.
Pianists will attend seminars where the principles of accompanying classical and musical theatre singers are addressed. Students are assigned to accompany applied voice lessons and ensembles.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 187. Vocal Accompanying II. 1 Credit Hour.
Pianists attend seminars where the principles of accompanying classical and musical theatre singers are addressed. Students are assigned to accompany applied voice lessons and ensembles.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 189. Accompanying, Level I. 1 Credit Hour.
Development of sightreading skills and score preparation.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 190. Accompanying, Level II. 1 Credit Hour.
Progressive development of individual vocal/instrumental and ensemble accompanying, sightreading, score reading, and improvising from a lead sheet.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MKP 191. Accompanying, Level III. 1 Credit Hour.
Progressive development of all types of accompaniment skills including: clef and score reading, transposition, possible recital, opera theater, choral ensemble, and/or orchestral accompanying.
Prerequisite: MKP 190.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 220. Computers, Keyboards, and Music. 2 Credit Hours.
An introduction to basic computing skills for the musician that explores computers, keyboards, and other MIDI- (Musical Instrument Digital Interface) related instruments as tools for the musician. Topics include electronic keyboards, computer hardware and software, MIDI sequencing, computer-assisted musical notation, and teaching strategies using new technologies. Students gain hands-on experience while completing projects in each of the above areas.
Prerequisite: MKP 102.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 240. Keyboard Studies III. 2 Credit Hours.
Dominant seventh arpeggios, secondary dominates, and work more extensively with chord progressions. Students also learn Theme and Variation form, Sonata form, and characteristics of the musical style periods. Study of repertoire and the development of sight-reading, harmonization, and the improvisation skills are continued. Transposition of instrumental music to concert pitch, and beginning choral and instrumental score reading are introduced. Students will continue playing major and minor scales at an increased level of difficulty.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MKP 241. Keyboard Studies IV. 2 Credit Hours.
Diminished seventh arpeggios, augmented, and Neapolitan sixth chords, Three-Part Rondo forms, extended chord structures, and a variety of chord Progressions that modulate. Study of repertoire and the development of sight-reading, harmonization, transposition, and improvisation skills are continued. Choral and instrumental score reading, modal scales, and major and minor scales are performed at an increased level of difficulty.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MKP 399. Junior Recital. 1 Credit Hour.
A public recital of one half-hour or more. Course is required of all performance majors.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 493. Special Projects in Keyboard Performance or Pedagogy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member's area of expertise and student's area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MKP 494. Special Topics in Keyboard Performance or Pedagogy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member's expertise and students' areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MKP 499. Senior Recital. 1 Credit Hour.
A public recital of one hour or more. Course is required of all performance majors.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MKP 547. Keyboard Pedagogy. 3 Credit Hours.
Methods and materials for teaching keyboard instruments with a focus on private lesson instruction. Topics include teacher profile, general teaching considerations, the business of teaching, the beginning student, second- and third-year students, teaching materials, and an introduction to new technology in piano teaching.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MKP 548. Intermediate to Advanced Repertoire. 3 Credit Hours.
A class dedicated to a survey and discussion of a wide range of teaching materials including teaching exercises, etudes, and performance literature, both well-known and underappreciated. Topics include reference literature and web resources, piece assigning considerations and leveling, and detailed discussion of selected materials with specific teaching and remedial strategies. Annotated bibliography with MIDI-file attachments of incipits to be submitted at the end of the semester for a grade.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MKP 549. Keyboard Pedagogy II: Keyboard Pedagogy Diagnostics. 3 Credit Hours.
1st class of each week: round-table discussion of private teaching strategies using video taped performance excerpts of students at various levels. 2nd class of each week: a focus on a wide range of teaching repertoire covering intermediate to advanced levels with an emphasis on problem prevention and solving.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MKP 550. Keyboard Pedagogy III: Practice Strategies. 3 Credit Hours.
Focus on practice strategy at the keyboard using Philip Johnston’s Practice Revolution as a springboard for discussion. Topics also include recent findings and leading researchers in cognitive neuroscience and "brain-based learning," as well as resources available for musician wellness and injury prevention.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 589. Keyboard Accompanying Program in Salzburg, Austria. 0 Credit Hours.
Course is conducted at Salzburg College, Austria. Students receive comprehensive and intensive coaching in piano and accompanying from Dr. Posnak and other internationally acclaimed guest artists. Piano students study piano (2 cr.) and accompanying (1 cr.).
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: AUD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MKP 593. Special Projects in Keyboard Performance or Pedagogy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member’s area expertise and student’s area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MKP 594. Special Topics in Keyboard Performance or Pedagogy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty to faculty member’s expertise and students’ areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MKP 6. Piano Forum. 0 Credit Hours.
A non-credit performance class for all piano majors and principals. Majors are required to perform once each semester with the approval of the applied teacher.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: FOR.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MKP 612. Seminar in Romantic Performance. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is designed as a performance class for graduate piano majors. Class members will be responsible for presentation of major compositions representative of the period. Research will be required for each presentation concentrating on interpretation, stylistic requirements of the period and the historical context of the composers and work.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MKP 647. Keyboard Pedagogy. 3 Credit Hours.
Methods and materials for teaching keyboard instruments with a focus on private lesson instruction. Topics include teacher profile, general teaching considerations, the business of teaching, the beginning student, second- and third-year students, teaching materials, and an introduction to new technology in piano teaching.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MKP 648. Intermediate to Advanced Repertoire. 3 Credit Hours.
A class dedicated to a survey and discussion of a wide range of teaching materials including teaching exercises, etudes, and performance literature both well known and under appreciated. Topics include reference literature and web resources, piece assigning considerations and leveling, and detailed discussion of selected materials with specific teaching and remedial strategies. Annotated bibliography with MIDI-file attachments of incipits to be submitted at the end of the semester for a grade.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MKP 649. Keyboard Pedagogy II: Keyboard Pedagogy Diagnostics. 3 Credit Hours.
1st class of each week: round-table discussion of private teaching strategies using video taped performance excerpts of students at various levels. 2nd class of each week: a focus on a wide range of teaching repertoire covering intermediate to advanced levels with an emphasis on problem prevention and solving.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MKP 650. Keyboard Pedagogy III: Practice Strategies. 3 Credit Hours.
Focus on practice strategy at the keyboard using Philip Johnston's Practice Revolution as a springboard for discussion. Topics also include recent findings and leading researchers in cognitive neuroscience and "brain-based learning," as well as resources available for musician wellness and injury prevention.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 689. Keyboard Accompanying Program in Salzburg, Austria. 0 Credit Hours.
Course is conducted at Salzburg College, Austria. Students receive comprehensive and intensive coaching in piano and accompanying from Dr. Posnak and other internationally acclaimed guest artists. Piano students study piano (2 cr.) and accompanying (1 cr.).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MKP 693. Special Projects in Keyboard Performance. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member’s area of expertise and student’s area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MKP 694. Special Topics in Keyboard Performance or Pedagogy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member’s expertise and students’ areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MKP 710. Seminar in Baroque Performance. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is designed as a performance class for graduate DMA piano majors. Class members will be responsible for presentation of major compositions representative of the period. Research will be required for each presentation concentrating on interpretation, stylistic requirements of the period and the historical context of the composers and work.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MKP 711. Seminar in Classical Performance. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is designed as a performance class for graduate piano majors. Class members will be responsible for presentation of major compositions representative of the period. Research will be required for each presentation concentrating on interpretation, stylistic requirements of the period and the historical context of the composers and work.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MKP 712. Seminar in Romantic Performance. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is designed as a performance class for graduate piano majors. Class members will be responsible for presentation of major compositions representative of the period. Research will be required for each presentation concentrating on interpretation, stylistic requirements of the period and the historical context of the composers and work.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MKP 713. Seminar in Contemporary Music. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is designed as a performance class for graduate piano majors. Class members will be responsible for presentation of major compositions representative of the period. Research will be required for each presentation concentrating on interpretation, stylistic requirements of the period and the historical context of the composers and work.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MKP 747. Seminar in Keyboard Pedagogy. 3 Credit Hours.
Focus on college-level teaching and professional development for a pianist. Topics include group piano teaching materials and strategies, syllabi and exam-objective rubric creation, pedagogy curriculum building, pedagogy text survey, administrative duties overview, preparation for the job market including job search and interview process, and C. V. building avenues such as publication, workshop/lecture presentation, editing teaching repertoire, and training in music technology.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MKP 750. Keyboard Pedagogy Research Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
Research, reading and writing in keyboard pedagogy on topics either historical or current. An in-depth research or project on a topic as approved by KPED faculty culminates in a written paper with annotated bibliography. Course may be repeated for credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 780. Keyboard Pedagogy Internship. 1 Credit Hour.
The student team-teaches a piano class or a private student with an instructor. The Program Director observes and critiques the student, and the student videotapes lessons and offers critiques of their own teaching following a guideline.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MKP 785. Musical Theatre Accompanying. 1 Credit Hour.
A class designed to improve the skills of pianists with a particular interest in musical theatre piano accompaniment. Students will study in a classroom setting.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 786. Vocal Accompanying I. 1 Credit Hour.
Pianists attend seminars where the principles of accompanying classical and musical theatre singers are addressed. Students are assigned to accompany applied voice lessons and ensembles.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.

MKP 787. Vocal Accompanying II. 1 Credit Hour.
Pianists attend seminars where the principles of accompanying classical and musical theatre singers are addressed. Students are assigned to accompany applied voice lessons and ensembles.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 788. Graduate Seminar in Accompanying. 1 Credit Hour.
Study and performance of major vocal and chamber music literature as related to the accompanist and chamber musician. Course may be repeated for credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 789. Accompanying, Level I. 1 Credit Hour.
Development of sightreading skills and score preparation.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 790. Accompanying, Level II. 1 Credit Hour.
Progressive development of individual vocal/instrumental and ensemble accompanying, sightreading, score reading, and improvising from a lead sheet.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 791. Accompanying, Level III. 1 Credit Hour.
Progressive development of all types of accompaniment skills including clef and score reading, transposition, possible recital, opera theater, choral ensemble, and/or orchestral accompanying.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 793. Special Projects in Keyboard Performance or Pedagogy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member's area of expertise and student's area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MKP 794. Special Topics in Keyboard Performance or Pedagogy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member’s expertise and students’ areas of interest.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MKP 811. Master’s Recital Paper. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master’s recital paper enrolls for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the paper has been accepted.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MKP 812. Master’s Recital. 1 Credit Hour.
The student enrolls for recital credit during the semester in which he/she presents the master’s recital.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: PRA.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 813. Master’s Pedagogy Project. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master’s pedagogy project enrolls for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the project paper is accepted.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 814. Artist Diploma Recital. 1 Credit Hour.
The student enrolls for recital credit during the semester in which s/he presents the Artist Diploma recital.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 815. Masters Second Recital. 1 Credit Hour.
The second recital in the masters degree as an elective option as approved by an advisor. The program should consist of memorized solo piano repertoire, with an optional inclusion of representative chamber or concerto repertoire instead of, or in combination with, the solo repertoire.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence and maintain full-time enrollment for the master’s degree after the student has completed the required hours of thesis or project credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MKP 831. Doctoral Essay. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the D.M.A. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but not for less than a total of 12. Not more than 12 hours of MKP 731 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MKP 832. Doctoral Recital. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the D.M.A.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: PRA.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MKP 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence and maintain full-time enrollment for the DMA after the student has completed the required hours of doctoral essay credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MKPHC1. Harpsichord. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for harpsichord students.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP HC3. Harpsichord. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for harpsichord students
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP HC5. Harpsichord. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Requires successful completion of an undergraduate degree in piano performance, and approval of student's advisor (studio teacher). Course may be taken for 2 credits (1-hour lesson) or 1 credit (30-minute lesson) as part of Artist Diploma. The course covers private instruction on harpsichord-related performance techniques and repertory. The level of repertory will be determined by instructor based on the student's performance level. A jury examination in front of a faculty committee is required each semester for students taking the course for 2 credits.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP HC6. Harpsichord. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Requires successful completion of an undergraduate degree in piano performance, and approval of student's advisor (studio teacher). Course may be taken for 2 credits (1-hour lesson) or 1 credit (30-minute lesson) as part of Masters Degree. The course covers private instruction on harpsichord-related performance techniques and repertory. The level of repertory will be determined by instructor based on the student's performance level. A jury examination in front of a faculty committee is required each semester for students taking the course for 2 credits.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP HC7. Harpsichord. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requires successful completion of a graduate degree in piano performance, and approval of student's advisor (studio teacher). Course may be taken for 2 credits (1-hour lesson) or 1 credit (30-minute lesson) as part of doctoral degree. The course covers private instruction on harpsichord-related performance techniques and repertory. The level of repertory will be determined by instructor based on the student's performance level. A jury examination in front of a faculty committee is required each semester for students taking the course for 2 credits.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP HCC. Harpsichord. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP HCD. Harpsichord. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MKP HCF. Harpsichord. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP HCG. Harpsichord. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP HCH. Harpsichord. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP HCS. Secondary Harpsichord. 1 Credit Hour.
1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP HCX. Secondary Harpsichord - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP ORC. Organ. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Gleason, Method of Organ Playing: selected exercises from Manual Technique, Pedal Exercises and Scales. Repertoire: Gleason, Method of Organ Playing; selected Compositions for Manuals and Pedals; intermediate-level works by Bach, Mendelssohn, Franck, and others; Additional hymn playing techniques.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP ORD. Organ. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Gleason, Method of Organ Playing: selected exercises from Manual Technique, Pedal Exercises and Scales. Repertoire: Gleason, Method of Organ Playing; selected Compositions for Manuals and Pedals; intermediate-level works by Bach, Mendelssohn, Franck, and others; Additional hymn playing techniques.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP ORF. Organ. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MKP ORG. Organ. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Nilson, A System of Technical Studies in Pedal Playing for the Organ; selected exercises. Repertoire: Selected works by composers from all style periods, with an emphasis on the French Romantic and Modern French schools. Advanced service-playing techniques. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP ORH. Organ. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Nilson, A System of Technical Studies in Pedal Playing for the Organ; selected exercises. Repertoire: Selected works by composers from all style periods, with an emphasis on the French Romantic and Modern French schools. Advanced service-playing techniques. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP ORS. Secondary Organ. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Gleason, Method of Organ Playing: selected exercises from Manual Technique and Pedal Technique. Repertoire: Gleason, Method of Organ Playing: Compositions for Manuals, Studies and Compositions for Manuals and Pedal; selected chorale preludes and smaller-scale preludes and fugues by Bach, Buxtehude, Brahms, and others; basics of hymn playing. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP ORX. Secondary Organ - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP PI1. Piano. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for piano students. Technical Requirements: To show a comprehensive foundation in basic/advanced keyboard skills. Repertoire: Appropriate repertoire as required. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP PI3. Piano. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for piano students. Technical Requirements: Complete Junior Recital as required. Repertoire: Appropriate repertoire as required. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP PI5. Piano. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Requires successful completion of an undergraduate degree in piano performance, and approval of student’s advisor (studio teacher). Course may be taken for 2 credits (1-hour lesson) or 1 credit (30-minute lesson) as part of Artist Diploma. The course covers private instruction on performance techniques and repertory. The level of repertory will be determined by instructor based on the student’s performance level. A jury examination in front of a faculty committee is required each semester for students taking the course for 2 credits. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MKP PI6. Piano. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requires successful completion of an undergraduate degree in piano performance, and approval of student's advisor (studio teacher). Course may be taken for 2 credits (1-hour lesson) or 1 credit (30-minute lesson) as part of masters degree. The course covers private instruction on performance techniques and repertory. The level of repertory will be determined by instructor based on the student's performance level. A jury examination in front of a faculty committee is required each semester for students taking the course for 2 credits. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP PI7. Piano. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Requires successful completion of a graduate degree in piano performance, and approval of student's advisor (studio teacher). Course may be taken for 2 credits (1-hour lesson) or 1 credit (30-minute lesson) as part of doctoral degree. The course covers private instruction on performance techniques and repertory. The level of repertory will be determined by instructor based on the student's performance level. A jury examination in front of a faculty committee is required each semester for students taking the course for 2 credits. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP PIC. Piano. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: To show a comprehensive foundation in basic/advanced keyboard skills. Repertoire: Appropriate repertoire as required. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP PID. Piano. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: To show a comprehensive foundation in basic/advanced keyboard skills. Repertoire: Appropriate repertoire as required. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP PIF. Piano. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Complete Junior Recital as required. Repertoire: Appropriate repertoire as required. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP PIG. Piano. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Complete Senior Recital as required. Repertoire: Appropriate repertoire as required. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP PIH. Piano. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Complete Senior Recital as required. Repertoire: Appropriate repertoire as required. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MKP PIS. Secondary Piano. 1 Credit Hour.
1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: To show a comprehensive foundation in basic/advanced keyboard skills.
Repetoire: Appropriate repertoire as required.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MKP PIX. Secondary Piano - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

Music Studio and Jazz (MSJ)

MSJ 101. Large Jazz Ensemble Placeholder. 1 Credit Hour.
Ensemble placeholder course for new students to enroll in before ensemble placement auditions during Frost Orientation. Please note, you will have to drop this course and enroll in your correct ensemble when receive your official ensemble placement from your studio professor.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 103. Jazz Piano I. 1 Credit Hour.
First level of four jazz piano courses that cover the rudiments of jazz piano, consisting of group instruction covering basic piano voicings, voice leading, and functional harmony at the keyboard. This series of courses will cover typical jazz chord progressions such as II V I in major and minor, as well as learning jazz standards using various approaches on the piano.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 104. Jazz Piano II. 1 Credit Hour.
Second level of four jazz piano courses that cover the rudiments of jazz piano, consisting of group instruction covering basic piano voicings, voice leading, and functional harmony at the keyboard. This series of courses will cover typical jazz chord progressions such as II V I in major and minor, as well as learning basic jazz standard using various approaches on the piano.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 107. Skills Lab I. 1 Credit Hour.
Chamber music performance of selected repertoire with a concentration in Bebop and the music of Charlie Parker, Dizzy Gillespie, and Thelonius Monk, along with secondary figures from the Bebop era, 1945-1955. Additional repertoire from a list of American standards will also be assigned.
Class sessions will cover historical/stylistic performance practice, aural skills (transcription, analysis, sight-reading, etc.), and Jazz arranging for small ensembles.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 108. Skills Lab II. 1 Credit Hour.
Chamber music performance of selected repertoire with a concentration in Jazz and popular music in America in the 1950's, including the repertoire of prominent popular music composers such as George Gershwin, Cole Porter, Richard Rodgers, and others. Class sessions will cover historical/stylistic performance practice, aural skills (transcription, analysis, sight-reading, etc.), and Jazz arranging for small ensembles.
Corequisite: MSJ 141.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MSJ 111. Jazz Vocal Techniques I. 1 Credit Hour.
Analysis and application of singing styles and attendant skills, techniques and repertoire required in performance and recording of jazz, popular music, and other current idioms.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 113. Analysis and Evolution of Jazz Styles I. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of the musical styles and genres of the late nineteenth and early twentieth century leading to the development of Jazz music. Then an in-depth study of early Jazz in America and its innovators, including Louis Armstrong, Jelly Roll Morton, and Duke Ellington. Also, a survey of the major style periods of Modern Jazz from 1945 to the present, including prominent artists from each style period.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 124. Introduction to Jazz Improvisation. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the harmonic, melodic, and rhythmic techniques of Jazz Improvisation.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 125. Introduction to Jazz Vocal Improvisation. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the harmonic, melodic, and rhythmic techniques of Jazz Improvisation.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 134. E.C.M. Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
This ensemble performs music typical of the contemporary European jazz styles such as those characterized by the Edition of Contemporary Music (E.C.M.) Recording Company.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 136. Small Jazz Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in the various styles of contemporary jazz. Students will acquire improvisational skills while learning repertoire and performance techniques and strengthen compositional and arranging skills by contributing original compositions and arrangements to the ensemble's repertoire.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 137. Small Jazz Ensemble I. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is a continuation of MSJ136: Small Jazz Ensemble. Group instruction in the various styles of contemporary jazz. Students will acquire improvisational skills while learning repertoire and performance techniques and strengthen compositional and arranging skills by contributing original compositions and arrangements to the ensemble's repertoire.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 139. Small Jazz Vocal Ensemble. 2 Credit Hours.
A group consisting of 1 to 6 vocalists and 3 to 6 instrumentalists to gain experience in jazz solo and ensemble performance in a small group setting. Exploration of traditional and contemporary jazz literature will be emphasized. Performance of original music by ensemble members is also encouraged.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ 140. Experiential Musicianship I. 3 Credit Hours.
Experiential Musicianship I covers the fundamentals of jazz theory and performance. The class is keyboard based. Material includes the basics of melody, harmony and rhythm in the tradition of the jazz art form. Specific topics include chord construction, chord voicings, progressions, voice leading, rhythmic interpretation and aural recognition.
Co-requisite: MSJ 107 and must pass with a C or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 141. Experiential Musicianship II. 3 Credit Hours.
Experiential Musicianship II is a continuation of Exp. Mus. I. Material includes a more in depth study of chord/scale theory, polyrhythmic studies, expansion of keyboard skills via increasingly longer or complicated progressions, aural recognition and transcription.
Co-requisite: MSJ 108.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 142. Small Jazz Ensemble II. 1 Credit Hour.
This ensemble focuses on sectional playing, blend, and musical interpretation. Students will be required to perform in sections of four to eight trombones with a rhythms section. The literature also requires the student to improvise. Students are encouraged to write for the ensemble.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 143. Small Jazz Ensemble III. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in the various styles of contemporary jazz. Students will acquire improvisational skills while learning repertoire and performance techniques, and strengthen compositional and arranging skills by contributing original compositions and arrangements to the ensemble's repertoire.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 144. Small Jazz Ensemble IV. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in the various styles of contemporary jazz. Students will acquire improvisational skills while learning repertoire and performance techniques, and strengthen compositional and arranging skills by contributing original compositions and arrangements to the ensemble's repertoire.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 145. Small Jazz Ensemble V. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in the various styles of contemporary jazz. Students will acquire improvisational skills while learning repertoire and performance techniques, and strengthen compositional and arranging skills by contributing original compositions and arrangements to the ensemble's repertoire.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 146. Small Jazz Ensemble VI. 1 Credit Hour.
Freshmen level group that focuses on the music of Charlie Parker, Dizzy Gillespie, and Thelonius Monk. Issues of modern jazz harmony and rhythm as well as cultivating Bebop vocabulary for improvisation are discussed.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 147. Small Jazz Ensemble VII. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in the various styles of contemporary jazz. Students will acquire improvisational skills while learning repertoire and performance techniques, and strengthen compositional and arranging skills by contributing original compositions and arrangements to the ensemble's repertoire.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ 150. Studio Jazz Band. 2 Credit Hours.
This ensemble performs music in the recent big band tradition, from leaders such as Duke Ellington, Count Basie, Buddy Rich, Bob Brookmeyer, and Thad Jones. The group performs on campus with an emphasis on studio recording.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 151. Concert Jazz Band. 2 Credit Hours.
The Concert Jazz Band is the premiere big band at the Frost School of Music. Students are required to perform at an advanced level, and work with a variety of guest artists. Requirements include the ability to sight read difficult material, and to improvise in various styles.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 153. Jazz Band III. 1 Credit Hour.
Big Band designed for freshmen and sophomores to gain experience with classic Big Band repertoire.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 155. Monk/Mingus Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
This ensemble is dedicated to the study and performance of the music of the influential jazz composers Charles Mingus and Thelonius Monk.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 156. Funk/Fusion Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
Small jazz ensemble focusing on contemporary electric jazz/rock/fusion/Latin styles. Emphasis is placed on original compositions by the members of the ensemble. The most common instrumentation is bass, drums, piano/synthesizer, guitar, and saxophone.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 158. Frost Sextet. 1 Credit Hour.
An advanced ensemble dedicated to the performance of original and standard repertoire in the jazz idiom.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 159. Rhythm and Blues Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
Mid-level ensemble for both instrumentalists and vocalists designed to familiarize students with classic Rhythm and Blues material from the 50’s, 60’s, and 70’s, while preparing for a series of concerts throughout the semester. Students are guided through the process of putting a working band together and preparing it for performances and recordings, including what is expected of and from instruments, vocalists, producers, promoters, and other industry personnel.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 160. Avant Garde Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
This ensemble offers students the opportunity to develop the “free form” improvisation in either the bebop based style of Ornette Coleman or the fusion oriented style as typified by Bill Laswell.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MSJ 162. Jazz Saxophone Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
An ensemble dedicated to the study of jazz and contemporary repertoire for the saxophone Quartet/quintet. Skills addressed include sight-reading, intonation and blend, phrasing, rhythmic Accuracy, may include rhythm section accompaniment depending on availability.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSJ 164. Contemporary Rhythm Section Techniques I. 1 Credit Hour.
Introduces students to various styles of rhythm section playing--from swing and modern Jazz through Rock, Funk, R&B, and other commercial styles of music. Concepts of sound, groove, balance and blend, repertory, and accompaniment are also discussed.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 165. Contemporary Rhythm Section Techniques II. 1 Credit Hour.
Fundamentals of rhythm section playing for guitarists, pianists, bassists, and drummers. It covers a variety of contemporary styles within the rock, jazz, Lat in, and pop idioms. Students are grouped into ensembles which perform in class weekly.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 166. Small Jazz Ensemble Lab. 0 Credit Hours.
Performance Lab designed to work in conjunction with all of the 140 level ensembles. Provides and environment in which students are required to perform on a regular rotating schedule throughout the semester. These performances are critiqued by the institution and other faculty, as well as students, in order to nuture a critical but positive atmosphere.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 167. Salsa Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
An ensemble of instrumentalists and singers performing a wide variety of Salsa and Latin jazz styles with emphasis on improvisation.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 169. Jazz Guitar Ensemble I. 1 Credit Hour.
A small instrumental ensemble comprised of five electric guitars which perform with bass and drums in a wide variety of contemporary jazz styles.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 170. Jazz Guitar Ensemble II. 1 Credit Hour.
A small instrumental ensemble comprised of five electric guitars which perform with bass and drums in a wide variety of contemporary jazz styles.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 171. Jazz Guitar Ensemble III. 1 Credit Hour.
A small instrumental ensemble comprised of five electric guitars which perform with bass and drums in a wide variety of contemporary jazz styles.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ 172. Jazz Guitar Ensemble (Workshop I). 1 Credit Hour.
A small instrumental reading ensemble, comprised of four to eight electric guitars, which studies a variety of contemporary jazz styles. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 173. Jazz Guitar Ensemble (Workshop II). 1 Credit Hour.
A small instrumental reading ensemble, comprised of four to eight electric guitars, which studies a variety of contemporary jazz styles. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 195. Jazz Vocal Ensemble I. 2 Credit Hours.
A choir of 12 to 16 voices, with rhythm section, which perform a wide variety of jazz and pop styles. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 196. Jazz Vocal Ensemble II. 2 Credit Hours.
A choir of 12 to 16 voices, with rhythm section, which perform a wide variety of jazz and pop styles. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 197. Jazz Vocal Ensemble III. 1 Credit Hour.
A choir of 12 to 16 voices, with rhythm section, which perform a wide variety of jazz and pop styles. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 203. Jazz Piano III. 1 Credit Hour.
Third level of four jazz piano courses that cover the rudiments of jazz piano, consisting of group instruction covering basic piano voicings, voice leading, and functional harmony at the keyboard. This series of courses will cover typical jazz chord progressions such as II V I in major and minor, as well as learning basic jazz standard using various approaches on the piano.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 204. Jazz Piano IV. 1 Credit Hour.
Fourth level of four jazz piano courses that cover the rudiments of jazz piano, consisting of group instruction covering basic piano voicings, voice leading, and functional harmony at the keyboard. This series of courses will cover typical jazz chord progressions such as II V I in major and minor, as well as learning basic jazz standard using various approaches on the piano.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 207. Skills Lab III. 1 Credit Hour.
Chamber music performance of selected repertoire with a concentration in the music of Miles Davis in the 1950's. Additional repertoire from a list of American standards will also be assigned. Class sessions will cover historical/stylistic performance practice, aural skills (transcription, analysis, sight-reading, etc.) and Jazz arranging for small ensembles. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MSJ 208. Skills Lab IV. 1 Credit Hour.
Chamber music performance of selected repertoire from the Hard Bop period (1955-1962) including Blue Note artists. Additional repertoire from a list of American standards will also be assigned. Class sessions will cover historical/stylistic performance practice, aural skills (transcription, analysis, sight-reading, etc.) and Jazz arranging for small ensembles.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 211. Jazz Vocal Techniques III. 1 Credit Hour.
Course provides performance experience in the Rock/Funk and Rock Ballad idioms that require strong vocal projection and presentation.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 212. Jazz Vocal Techniques IV. 1 Credit Hour.
Advanced techniques for the Jazz/Pop Vocalist in live performance.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 213. Analysis and Evolution of Jazz Styles II. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of the musical styles and genres of the middle and late twentieth century encompassing the evolution of Modern Jazz music including an in-depth study of each period of Modern Jazz and its innovators. Also included is a survey of the major style periods of Rock music from 1945 to the present with prominent artists from each style period.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 220. Basic Drumset Styles and Techniques (Part 1). 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the basic sticking, swing, backbeat drumset techniques, basic world drumset styles, and chart reading.
Requisites: Undergrad Music Students Only and Dean's Approval and Signature.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 240. Experiential Musicianship III. 3 Credit Hours.
Experiential Musicianship III continues to build on skills acquired in the previous two semesters. Material includes continued development of keyboard skills and aural recognition through expansion of repertoire, modal and non-dominant/tonic harmonic schemes, bass lines and counterpoint, harmonization of melodies, and re-harmonization of basic progressions and transcription.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 241. Experiential Musicianship IV. 3 Credit Hours.
Experiential Musicianship IV culminates of the four level sequence. Students are expected to understand and aurally recognize advanced harmonic, melodic, and rhythmic material. New material may include Latin and other straight-eighth rhythms, multi-voice counterpoint, advanced re-harmonization, and improvising at the keyboard. Keyboard skills run concurrent with Jazz Arranging II techniques (MSJ520).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 242. Jazz Percussion Techniques. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in jazz, contemporary, and ethnic drumset/percussion techniques with emphasis on basic skills for performance and recording. Additionally, appropriate teaching techniques, methods, and materials necessary for public school pedagogy will be covered. Course may be repeated for credit.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 3. Jazz Forum. 0 Credit Hours.
A weekly meeting of jazz students and faculty for performance, master classes, clinics presented by students, faculty and guest artists.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: FOR.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ 320. Basic Drumset Styles and Techniques (Part 2). 1 Credit Hour.
This course is a continuation of MSJ 220. It explores advanced sticking, swing, backbeat drum set techniques, advanced world drum set styles, and chart reading.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 340. Jazz Skills III. 3 Credit Hours.
Jazz Skills III continues to build on skills acquired in the previous two semesters. Material includes continued development of keyboard skills and aural recognition through expansion of repertoire, modal and non-dominant/tonic harmonic schemes, bass lines and counterpoint, harmonization of melodies, and re-harmonization of basic progressions and transcription.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 341. Jazz Skills IV. 3 Credit Hours.
Jazz Skills IV is the culmination of the four-level Jazz Skills sequence. Students are expected to understand and aurally recognize advanced harmonic, melodic, and rhythmic material. New material may include Latin and other straight-eighth rhythms, multi-voice counterpoint, advanced re-harmonization, and improvising at the keyboard. Keyboard skills run concurrent with Jazz Arranging II techniques (MSJ 520).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 342. Technology Skills. 3 Credit Hours.
Recording projects combining acoustic instruments with software based instruments in a Digital Audio Workstation. Studio recording techniques including microphone placement will be demonstrated in a lab environment. Projects will be based on student compositions and/or arrangements. Post production will include mixing, mastering and CD manufacturing.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 371. Jazz Improvisation I. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of jazz harmony with emphasis on simple chord progressions, altered scales, and modes.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 372. Jazz Vocal Improvisation I. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of jazz harmony with emphasis on complex harmonic progressions and tunes.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 381. Jazz Rehearsal Techniques. 2 Credit Hours.
This course provides practical procedures and materials for beginning instrumental conducting students with an emphasis on the direction of large jazz ensembles.
Prerequisite: MSJ 241 And Requisite: MSJI or MSJV Majors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 430. Applied Jazz Instruction. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Advanced private study in the jazz idiom. Topics may include improvisation, theory, and composition, at the discretion of the teacher. Students must have completed five semesters on the principal instrument. Permission of both course instructor and principal instrument teacher/advisor required.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MSJ 431. Applied Jazz Instruction 2. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Advanced private study in the jazz idiom. Topics may include improvisation, theory, and composition, at the discretion of the teacher. Students must have completed five semesters on the principal instrument. Permission of both course instructor and principal instrument teacher/advisor required.
Prerequisite: MSJ 430.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MSJ 493. Special Projects in Studio Music and Jazz. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member's area expertise and student's area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MSJ 494. Special Topics in Studio Music and Jazz. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty to faculty member's expertise and students' areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MSJ 499. Senior Recital. 1 Credit Hour.
A public recital of one hour or more. Course is required of all performance majors.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 509. Jazz Composition I. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of advanced composition techniques as applied to the Jazz idiom, making extensive use of analysis of established compositions and compositional methods. Both the individual and interactive characteristics of melody, harmony, rhythm, and form will be stressed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 510. Jazz Composition II. 2 Credit Hours.
This course is a continuation of MSJ 500 with an emphasis on melody writing, reharmonization techniques, pentatonic/blues composition, and an introduction to advanced harmonic materials.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 516. Jazz Vocal Arranging. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis and techniques of jazz vocal writing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 519. Advanced Modern Arranging I. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced arranging and composition for the Jazz and studio ensemble.
Prerequisite: MSJ 241.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 520. Advanced Modern Arranging II. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced arranging and composition for the Jazz and studio ensemble.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 522. Introduction to Midi Sequencing and Digital Workstations. 2 Credit Hours.
An introduction to Midi Sequencing with hands-on experience working with a computer sequencing workstation. Topics include sequencing, quantizing, editing, mixing, and effects processing.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 560. Advanced Jazz Improvisation Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of fundamentals and introduction of advanced topics in jazz harmony and scale resources for improvisation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MSJ 565. Advanced Improvisation I. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of advanced Jazz improvisation performance and practice techniques. Utilization of non-traditional harmonic motion, advanced chord scale relationships, and motivic development will be stressed, with the goal of musicality in improvisation. Enrollment open to seniors or graduate MSJ majors (or permission of instructor).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 566. Advanced Improvisation II. 3 Credit Hours.
Refinement of improvisation concepts leading towards the establishment of a personal style of playing. Open only to senior or graduate majors in Studio Music and Jazz.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 593. Special Projects in Studio Music and Jazz. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member's area expertise and student's area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MSJ 594. Special Topics in Studio Music and Jazz. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty to faculty member's expertise and students' areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MSJ 609. Jazz Composition I. 2 Credit Hours.
Study of advanced composition techniques as applied to the Jazz idiom, making extensive use of analysis of established compositions and compositional methods. Both the individual and interactive characteristics of melody, harmony, rhythm, and form will be stressed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 610. Jazz Composition II. 2 Credit Hours.
This course is a continuation of MSJ 500 with an emphasis on melody writing, reharmonization techniques, pentatonic/blues composition, and an introduction to advanced harmonic materials.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 616. Jazz Vocal Arranging. 2 Credit Hours.
Analysis and techniques of jazz vocal writing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 619. Advanced Modern Arranging I. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced arranging and composition for the Jazz and studio ensemble.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 620. Advanced Modern Arranging II. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced arranging and composition for the Jazz and studio ensemble.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 621. Advanced Modern Arranging III. 3 Credit Hours.
Course addresses scoring for large jazz ensemble, utilizing chord scale voicings and line writing techniques. Emphasis is placed on orchestration styles such as Duke Ellington, Gil Evans, and Thad Jones.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MSJ 622. Introduction to Midi Sequencing and Digital Workstations. 2 Credit Hours.
An introduction to Midi Sequencing with hands-on experience working with a computer sequencing workstation. Topics include sequencing, quantizing, editing, mixing, and effects processing.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 644. Jazz Pedagogy and Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
The philosophy, methods, and materials of instruction pertinent to the teaching and management of a jazz and commercial curriculum at the high school and college level. Includes preparation of model curricula and supervised instruction.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 665. Advanced Improvisation I. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of advanced Jazz improvisation performance and practice techniques. Utilization of non-traditional harmonic motion, advanced chord scale relationships, and motivic development will be stressed, with the goal of musicality in improvisation. Enrollment open to seniors or graduate MSJ majors (or permission of instructor).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 666. Advanced Improvisation II. 3 Credit Hours.
Refinement of improvisation concepts leading towards the establishment of a personal style of playing. Open only to senior or graduate majors in Studio Music and Jazz.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 693. Special Projects in Studio Music and Jazz. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member’s area of expertise and student’s area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 703. Jazz Piano Class I. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in the various styles of contemporary jazz. Graduate students will acquire improvisational skills while learning repertoire and performance techniques, and strengthen compositional and arranging skills by contributing original compositions and arrangements to the ensemble's repertoire.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 704. Jazz Piano Class II. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in the various styles of contemporary jazz. Graduate students will acquire improvisational skills while learning repertoire and performance techniques, and strengthen compositional and arranging skills by contributing original compositions and arrangements to the ensemble's repertoire.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 712. Preliminary Masters Recital. 1 Credit Hour.
The Preliminary Recital gives the master's student an opportunity to gain experience in planning and executing a concert program before the required Master's Recital, as well as provides a venue to present additional performance repertoire in a structured concert setting.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ 714. Advanced Orchestration. 3 Credit Hours.
Techniques for scoring for the modern symphony orchestra.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 715. Jazz Composition Seminar I. 3 Credit Hours.
Creative work in Jazz Composition.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 716. Jazz Composition Seminar II. 3 Credit Hours.
Develop an understanding and control of compositional concepts and techniques required to work within a professional environment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 717. Advanced Jazz Vocal Arranging. 2 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to help advanced instrumental arrangers explore vocal arranging.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 719. Large Jazz Ensemble Conducting and Repertoire. 2 Credit Hours.
This course will expose students to the methods, procedures, and practices involved in directing large jazz ensembles. Score study, conducting, and performance programming will be covered. Emphasis will be placed on the selection of level appropriate repertoire. Additional topics include working with guest artists, ensemble finances, and the audition process.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 720. Analysis of Jazz Styles. 3 Credit Hours.
A comparative study of Jazz styles from 1900 to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 724. Seminar in Jazz Pedagogy. 1 Credit Hour.
This course provides a laboratory for students to gain experience in the areas of jazz education discussed in MSJ 644 Jazz Pedagogy and Administration. These areas include jazz history, jazz improvisation, small ensemble coaching, and big band conducting. Students will lecture in the subjects of improvisation and history, and conduct ensembles in both a small combo and a big band setting. Communication skills, repertoire selection, rehearsal techniques, conducting skills, concert preparation, and performance will be assessed. All student teaching experiences will be video recorded and added to the students' Final Project portfolio.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 730. Applied Jazz Instruction Jazz I. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Advanced private study in the jazz idiom. Topics may include repertoire, improvisation, theory/harmony, and/or composition, at the discretion of the instructor. Student must have completed five semesters on the principal instrument. Permission of both course instructor and principal instrument teacher/advisor required.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MSJ 731. Applied Jazz Instruction II. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Advanced private study in the jazz idiom. Topics may include repertoire, improvisation, theory/harmony, and/or composition, at the discretion of the instructor. Student must have completed five semesters on the principal instrument. Permission of both course instructor and principal instrument teacher/advisor required.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ 734. E.C.M. Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
This ensemble performs music typical of the contemporary European jazz styles such as those characterized by the Edition of Contemporary Music (E.C.M.) Recording Company.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 736. Small Jazz Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in the various styles of contemporary jazz. Students will acquire improvisational skills while learning repertoire and performance techniques leading to an advanced performance level. This course will strengthen compositional and arranging skills as students must contribute original compositions and arrangements to the ensemble's repertoire.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 737. Small Jazz Ensemble I. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in the various styles of contemporary jazz. Students will acquire improvisational skills while learning repertoire and performance techniques leading to an advanced performance level. This course will strengthen compositional and arranging skills as students must contribute original compositions and arrangements to the ensemble's repertoire.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 739. Small Jazz Vocal Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
Small groups of vocalists with a rhythm section, dedicated to a particular style and body of literature.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 742. Jazz Percussion Techniques. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is designed to increase the rhythmic awareness of students thorough mastering basic drumset and hand percussion skills and to demonstrate how these skills can be taught in a public school or college setting for non percussion majors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 743. Small Jazz Ensemble III. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in the various styles of contemporary jazz. Students will acquire improvisational skills while learning repertoire and performance techniques leading to an advanced performance level. This course will strengthen compositional and arranging skills as students must contribute original compositions and arrangements to the ensemble's repertoire.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 744. Small Jazz Ensemble IV. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in the various styles of contemporary jazz. Students will acquire improvisational skills while learning repertoire and performance techniques leading to an advanced performance level. This course will strengthen compositional and arranging skills as students must contribute original compositions and arrangements to the ensemble's repertoire.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 745. Small Jazz Ensemble V. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in the various styles of contemporary jazz. Students will acquire improvisational skills while learning repertoire and performance techniques leading to an advanced performance level. This course will strengthen compositional and arranging skills as students must contribute original compositions and arrangements to the ensemble's repertoire.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ 746. Small Jazz Ensemble VI. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in the various styles of contemporary jazz. Students will acquire improvisational skills while learning repertoire and performance techniques leading to an advanced performance level. This course will strengthen compositional and arranging skills as students must contribute original compositions and arrangements to the ensemble's repertoire.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 747. Small Jazz Ensemble VII. 1 Credit Hour.
Group instruction in the various styles of contemporary jazz. Students will acquire improvisational skills while learning repertoire and performance techniques leading to an advanced performance level. This course will strengthen compositional and arranging skills as students must contribute original compositions and arrangements to the ensemble's repertoire.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 750. Studio Jazz Band. 1 Credit Hour.
This ensemble performs music in the recent big band tradition, from leaders such as Duke Ellington, Count Basie, Buddy Rich, Bob Brookmeyer, and Thad Jones. The group performs on campus with an emphasis on studio recording.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 751. Concert Jazz Band. 1 Credit Hour.
The Concert Jazz Band is the premiere big band at the Frost School of Music. Students are required to perform at an advanced level, and work with a variety of guest artists. Requirements include the ability to sight read difficult material, and to improvise in various styles. Audition is required.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 753. Jazz Band III. 1 Credit Hour.
Big Band designed for graduate students needing experience with classic Big Band repertory.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 755. Monk/Mingus Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
This ensemble is dedicated to the study and performance of the music of the influential jazz composers Charles Mingus and Thelonius Monk.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MSJ 756. Funk/Fusion Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
Small jazz ensemble focusing on contemporary electric jazz/rock/fusion/Latin styles. Emphasis is placed on original compositions by the members of the ensemble. The most common instrumentation is bass, drums, piano/synthesizer, guitar, and saxophone.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 757. Horace Silver Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
This ensemble is dedicated to the study and performance of the music of Horace Silver.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 758. Frost Sextet. 1 Credit Hour.
An advanced ensemble dedicated to the performance of original and standard repertoire in the jazz idiom
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ 759. Rhythm and Blues Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
Mid-level ensemble for both instrumentalists and vocalists designed to familiarize students with classic Rhythm and Blues material from the 50s, 60s, and 70s, while preparing for a series of concerts throughout the semester. Students are guided through the process of putting a working band together and preparing it for performances and recordings, including what is expected of and from instruments, vocalists, producers, promoters, and other industry personnel.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 760. Avant Garde Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
This ensemble offers students the opportunity to develop the "free form" improvisation in either the bebop based style of Ornette Coleman or the fusion oriented style as typified by Bill Laswell.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 762. Jazz Saxophone Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
A reading ensemble comprised of four or five saxophones. Literature may include saxophone quartet and/or saxophone quintet with rhythm section. The ensemble focuses in on fundamental principles of sight-reading, blend, intonation, phrasing, articulation, rhythmic accuracy, as well as overall interpretation.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 764. Contemporary Rhythm Section Techniques I. 1 Credit Hour.
This is an ensemble for freshmen rhythm section players. The focus of this ensemble is to introduce students to various styles of rhythm section playing– from swing and modern Jazz through Rock, Funk, R&B, and other commercial styles of music. Concepts of sound, groove, balance and blend, repertory, and accompaniment are also discussed.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 765. Contemporary Rhythm Section Techniques II. 1 Credit Hour.
Fundamentals of rhythm section playing for guitarists, pianists, bassists, and drummers. It covers a variety of contemporary styles within the rock, jazz, Lat in, and pop idioms. Students are grouped into ensembles which perform in class weekly.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 766. Small Jazz Ensemble Lab. 0 Credit Hours.
Performance Lab designed to work in conjunction with all of the 140 level ensembles. Provides and environment in which students are required to perform on a regular rotating schedule throughout the semester. These performances are critiqued by the institution and other faculty, as well as students, in order to nurture a critical but positive atmosphere.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 767. Salsa Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
An ensemble of instrumentalists and singers performing a wide variety of Salsa and Latin jazz styles with emphasis on improvisation.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MSJ 769. Jazz Guitar Ensemble I. 1 Credit Hour.
A small instrumental ensemble comprised of five electric guitars which perform with bass and drums in a wide variety of contemporary jazz styles.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 770. Jazz Guitar Ensemble II. 1 Credit Hour.
A small instrumental ensemble comprised of five electric guitars which perform with bass and drums in a wide variety of contemporary jazz styles.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ 771. Jazz Guitar Ensemble III. 1 Credit Hour.
A small instrumental ensemble comprised of five electric guitars which perform with bass and drums in a wide variety of contemporary jazz styles.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 772. Jazz Guitar Ensemble (Workshop I). 1 Credit Hour.
A small instrumental reading ensemble, comprised of four to eight electric guitars, which studies a variety of contemporary jazz styles.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 773. Jazz Guitar Ensemble (Workshop II). 1 Credit Hour.
A small instrumental reading ensemble, comprised of four to eight electric guitars, which studies a variety of contemporary jazz styles.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSJ 775. Jazz Writing Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
This class is a seminar in jazz arranging and composition techniques for Studio/Jazz Writing master's students and DMA students in Jazz Composition. The class consists primarily of topics related to jazz and studio arranging and composition, recording techniques, rehearsal techniques, music technologies, music business, and entrepreneurship. Topics are examined utilizing hands-on technology, score analysis, listening, guest lectures, and long range projects.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MSJ 780. Advanced Jazz Improvisation Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of fundamentals and introduction of advanced topics in jazz harmony and scale resources for improvisation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 793. Special Projects in Studio Music and Jazz. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member's area of expertise and student's area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MSJ 794. Special Topics in Studio Music and Jazz. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member’s expertise and students’ areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MSJ 795. Jazz Vocal Ensemble I. 1 Credit Hour.
A choir of 12 to 16 voices, with rhythm section, which perform a wide variety of jazz and pop styles.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 796. Jazz Vocal Ensemble II. 1 Credit Hour.
A choir of 12 to 16 voices, with rhythm section, which perform a wide variety of jazz and pop styles.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 797. Jazz Vocal Ensemble III. 1 Credit Hour.
A choir of 12 to 16 voices, with rhythm section, which perform a wide variety of jazz and pop styles.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ 805. Master's Jazz Pedagogy Project. 1 Credit Hour.
This project consists of a portfolio that students create during their four semesters in the program. Many employers require video of candidates in multiple teaching environments. Students will be videotaped during teaching demonstrations. All videos, plus several required documents the student will create, are archived in the portfolio, to be assessed in the fourth and final semester. The majority of these videos will be produced in MSJ 724 Jazz Pedagogy Seminar.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 811. Master's Recital Paper. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her recital paper enrolls for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the paper has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MSJ 812. Master's Recital. 1 Credit Hour.
A masters recital lasting at least 60 minutes that may include some chamber works but consists primarily of solo pieces. Students are required to write Program Notes.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 813. Master's Jazz Writing Project. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's jazz writing project enrolls for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the project paper is accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MSJ 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence and maintain full-time enrollment for the master's degree after the student has completed the required hours of thesis or project credit.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MSJ 831. Doctoral Essay. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates of the D.M.A. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but not for less than a total of 12. Not more than 12 hours of MSJ 731 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MSJ 832. Doctoral Recital. 1 Credit Hour.
A formal recital displaying improvisational, interactive, and compositional skills appropriate to the doctoral level.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence and maintain full-time enrollment for the DMA after the student has completed the required hours of doctoral essay credit.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MSJ JA7. Applied Jazz Arranging. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Applied Jazz Arranging level M is the first level of DMA private jazz arranging lessons. At this level the instructor evaluates the writers breadth of knowledge of arranging and orchestration techniques and expands on the key arrangers of various styles, genres and mediums.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ JAR. Applied Jazz Arranging. 1 Credit Hour.
Applied Jazz Arranging level R is the sixth level of DMA private jazz arranging lessons. Applied Jazz Arranging level R is the sixth level of DMA private jazz arranging lessons. Emphasis is placed on developing an individual approach to arranging and orchestration and more exploration of small and large jazz ensembles and writing for strings in a jazz setting. Contemporary models are examined from both the classical and jazz repertoire.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JB1. Jazz Bass. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Basic techniques, sight-reading. Major, minor, diminished, and whole tone scales. Chord structure and analysis. Bass line construction, basis of walking lines. Voice leading for bass lines and improvisation. Etudes and studies in all styles. Repertoire: Standards and Jazz.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JB3. Jazz Bass. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Previous materials in addition to advanced harmonic applications. Expanding traditional improvisational vocabulary. Creating original vocabulary.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

Jazz Bass at the Master's level. The student will pursue a course of study that is directed toward his/her musical goals. This course will examine, through transcription and analysis, the important figures in the history of jazz bass, and also those performances in which the student is interested.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JB7. Jazz Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Jazz Bass at the Doctoral level. The student will pursue a course of study that is directed towards his/her musical goals. This course will also examine, through transcription and analysis, the important figures in the history of jazz bass, and also those performances in which the student is interested.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JBC. Jazz Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Previous materials in addition to solo bass techniques. Advanced arpeggios and scales. Pentatonic theory and applications. Improvisational vocabulary (traditional).
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JBD. Jazz Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Previous materials in addition to solo bass techniques. Advanced arpeggios and scales. Pentatonic theory and applications. Improvisational vocabulary (traditional).
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JBF. Jazz Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Previous materials in addition to advanced harmonic applications. Expanding traditional improvisational vocabulary. Creating original vocabulary.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ JBG. Jazz Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Previous materials in addition to recital preparation.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JBH. Jazz Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Previous materials in addition to recital preparation.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JBS. Secondary Jazz Bass. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JBX. Secondary Jazz Bass - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JC6. Applied Jazz Composition. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Applied Jazz Composition level I is the first level of private jazz composition lessons in the Studio Jazz Writing Masters program. At this level the instructor evaluates the writer's general knowledge of jazz composition with emphasis on harmonic vocabulary and form.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JC7. Applied Jazz Composition. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Applied Jazz Composition level M is the first level of DMA private jazz composition lessons. At this level the instructor evaluates the writer's knowledge of early jazz composers (1920-1940) with emphasis on harmonic vocabulary and form.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JD1. Jazz Drumset. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Sticking technique, basic hand/foot patterns. Analysis of styles, history of drum set. Rhythm section interaction. Basic transcription, chart reading.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JD2. Jazz Drumset. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Advanced jazz styles and comping, odd note groupings, advanced chart reading, advanced hand/foot patterns.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
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MSJ JD6. Jazz Drumset. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Private lessons which focus on the development of drumset skills. The course will cover sticking technique, hand/foot patterns, groove, balance, and rhythm section interaction. Students are required to perform and improvise at a professional level.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JD7. Jazz Drumset. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Private lessons which focus on the development of drumset skills. The course will cover sticking technique, hand/foot patterns, groove, balance, and rhythm section interaction. Students are required to perform and improvise at a professional level.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JDC. Jazz Drumset. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Advanced analysis or major drum set artists. Advanced transcription. Soloing over form using motives, dynamics, and subdivision, comping patterns.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JDD. Jazz Drumset. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Advanced analysis or major drum set artists. Advanced transcription. Soloing over form using motives, dynamics, and subdivision, comping patterns.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JDF. Jazz Drumset. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Advanced jazz styles and comping, odd note groupings, advanced chart reading, advanced hand/foot patterns.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JDG. Jazz Drumset. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Displacement, metric modulation, preparation for recital, developing an individual voice.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JDH. Jazz Drumset. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Displacement, metric modulation, preparation for recital, developing an individual voice.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JDS. Secondary Jazz Drumset. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ JDX. Secondary Jazz Drumset - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JG1. Jazz Guitar. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Left and right hand development. Basic fretboard theory including arpeggios, voice leading (2 string studies), blues and bebop scales. Accompanying: 3-note voicings. Introduction to transcription. Application of the concepts studied to basic repertoire.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JG3. Jazz Guitar. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Works by Bach, Galbraith and others. Building of standard/jazz repertoire including works by Arlen, Porter, Kern, Parker, Ellington, etc. Improvisation and harmonic studies based on the foregoing. Eartraining as required. Use of Jamey Aebersold play-along series.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JG6. Jazz Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Graduate Studies in Jazz Guitar are designed to take into account each student’s talent, previous accomplishments and particular interests. After a careful assessment of the student’s strengths and weaknesses, a course of study will be custom-designed, with possible areas of study drawn from (but not limited to) the following list: advanced jazz concepts in melody, harmony and rhythm, sight-reading, repertoire expansion, transposition, technique, composition, and pedagogy.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JG7. Jazz Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Graduate Studies in Jazz Guitar are designed to take into account each student’s talent, previous accomplishments and particular interests. It is expected that a graduate student a the DMA level would be, to a large extent, self-directing and capable of original research. After a careful assessment of the student’s strengths and weaknesses, a course of study will be custom-designed, with possible areas of study drawn from (but not limited to) the following list: advanced jazz concepts in melody, harmony and rhythm, sight-reading, repertoire expansion, transposition, technique, composition, and pedagogy. Assistance with recital preparation will be given as appropriate and necessary. The prerequisite for the first level (JGM) is a Master’s Degree and the successful completion of the audition for the DMA program.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JGC. Jazz Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Further development of repertoire and continuation of technical studies. Improvisation using arpeggios with tension substitutions. Application of major and melodic minor modes. More advanced transcriptions and refinement of time feel.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JGD. Jazz Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Further development of repertoire and continuation of technical studies. Improvisation using arpeggios with tension substitutions. Application of major and melodic minor modes. More advanced transcriptions and refinement of time feel.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ JGF. Jazz Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Works by Bach, Galbraith and others. Building of standard/jazz repertoire including works by Arlen, Porter, Kern, Parker, Ellington, etc. Improvisation and harmonic studies based on the foregoing. Eartraining as required. Use of Jamey Aebersold play-along series.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JGG. Jazz Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. More advanced repertoire (works by Corea, Hancock, etc.). Continued expansion of harmonic concepts and exploration of chord voicings and applications. Use of Aebersold series. Assistance with senior recital preparation.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JGH. Jazz Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. More advanced repertoire (works by Corea, Hancock, etc.). Continued expansion of harmonic concepts and exploration of chord voicings and applications. Use of Aebersold series. Assistance with senior recital preparation.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JGS. Secondary Jazz Guitar. 1 Credit Hour.
1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Left and right hand development. Basic fretboard theory including arpeggios, voice leading (2 string studies), blues and bebop scales. Accompanying: 3-note voicings. Introduction to transcription. Application of the concepts studied to basic repertoire.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JGX. Secondary Jazz Guitar - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JP1. Jazz Piano. 2 Credit Hours.
Students will expand and refine application of fundamental chord voicings, chord-scale relationships, be-bop and blues vocabulary, and develop a strong rhythmic base. Solo piano and ensemble/accompaniment formats will be addressed. Technique will be evaluated to identify areas in need of improvement. Methods will include: transcription, analysis, composition of single lines and arrangements, tune learning, and various improvisation exercises.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ JP3. Jazz Piano. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technique: Selected exercises from the Dohnanyi or Pishna exercise books. Augmented scales and modes of major in all keys, in both hands and in at least two octaves with a swing (triplet) subdivision. Introduction to modal harmony and sideslipping through study of plateau modal compositions (tunes with long sections of the same modality.) Pentatonic scales in all keys. Literature: Blues in the stride solo piano format. Analysis and transcription of artists who played in this style such as Tatum, Johnson, Smith, and Peterson. Memorization of at least two tunes per lesson in at least three key centers, at least 75% of which should be tunes in the "American standard" format featuring composers such as Berlin, Porter, Kahn, Gershwin, etc. All of the above to be performed both with bass accompaniment and in solo piano format with sections in stride style. Introduction to the Bill Evans piano style through performance of his transcribed piano pieces.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

Students are encouraged to seek refinement in the areas of harmony, chord voicings, improvisation vocabulary, rhythmic concepts, and technique. A nuanced approach to performing in a musical and expressive manner, with special regard to phrasing, dynamic contrast, articulation, and part balance will be stressed. Advanced techniques in reharmonization, rhythmic phrasing, and solo piano will be explored. Atypical song forms and contemporary repertoire will be introduced. Developing an individual approach to improvising and composing will be encouraged. Recital preparation will focus on programming and other important aspects of concert planning.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JP7. Jazz Piano. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Emphasis placed on developing an individual identity as an artist. Creation of a distinct concept for an ensemble and/or solo piano approach through original composition and/or arranging will be stressed. Career advancement as a performer and/or educator will be explored.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JPC. Jazz Piano. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Students will expand and refine knowledge of chord voicings, chord scale relationships, and rhythmic integrity in swing and other styles. Modal, chromatic, and non-traditional harmonic concepts will be introduced. Advanced rhythmic approaches to improvisation and accompaniment will be explored. Expressive aspects of performance will be addressed. Technique will be evaluated to identify areas in need of improvement. Methods will include: transcription, analysis, composition of single lines and arrangements, tune learning, and various improvisation exercises.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JPD. Jazz Piano. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technique: Arpeggiation of major, minor, diminished and augmented seventh chords, in both hands and in at least two octaves with a swing (triplet) subdivision. Introduction to melodic harmonization through practice of "Shearing Style" and "Drop Two" scaler exercises. Introduction of the ii-V7-I chord progression in all keys as applied to tunes which have a harmonic rhythm of two changes per bar such as Confirmation (Parker) and in Your Own Sweet Way (Brubeck). Literature: Study of the "I Got Rhythm" chord progression. Memorization of at least two tunes per lesson in their original key, at least 75% of which should be tunes in the "American standard" format featuring composers such as Berlin, Porter, Kahn, Gershwin, etc. All of above to be performed with bass accompaniment, or in solo piano format. Study, performance and analysis of transcribed solos such as those found in the Omnibook (Parker). Introduction to solo piano format through study of transcribed pieces.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ JPF. Jazz Piano. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technique: Selected exercises from the Dohnanyi or Pishna exercise books. Augmented scales and modes of major in all keys, in both hands and in at least two octaves with a swing (triplet) subdivision. Introduction to modal harmony and sideslipping through study of plateau modal compositions (tunes with long sections of the same modality.) Pentatonic scales in all keys. Literature: Blues in the stride solo piano format. Analysis and transcription of artists who played in this style such as Tatum, Johnson, Smith, and Peterson. Memorization of at least two tunes per lesson in at least three key centers, at least 75% of which should be tunes in the "American standard" format featuring composers such as Berlin, Porter, Kahn, Gershwin, etc. All of the above to be performed both with bass accompaniment and in solo piano format with sections in stride style. Introduction to the Bill Evans piano style through performance of his transcribed piano pieces.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JPG. Jazz Piano. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technique: Selected exercises from the Dohnanyi or Pishna exercise books. Augmented scales and modes of major in all keys, in both hands and in at least two octaves with a swing (triplet) subdivision. Introduction to modal harmony and sideslipping through study of plateau modal compositions (tunes with long sections of the same modality.) Pentatonic scales in all keys. Literature: Blues in the stride solo piano format. Analysis and transcription of artists who played in this style such as Tatum, Johnson, Smith, and Peterson. Memorization of at least two tunes per lesson in at least three key centers, at least 75% of which should be tunes in the "American standard" format featuring composers such as Berlin, Porter, Kahn, Gershwin, etc. All of the above to be performed both with bass accompaniment and in solo piano format with sections in stride style. Introduction to the Bill Evans piano style through performance of his transcribed piano pieces.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JPH. Jazz Piano. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technique: Selected exercises from the Dohnanyi or Pishna exercise books. Augmented scales and modes of major in all keys, in both hands and in at least two octaves with a swing (triplet) subdivision. Introduction to modal harmony and sideslipping through study of plateau modal compositions (tunes with long sections of the same modality.) Pentatonic scales in all keys. Literature: Blues in the stride solo piano format. Analysis and transcription of artists who played in this style such as Tatum, Johnson, Smith, and Peterson. Memorization of at least two tunes per lesson in at least three key centers, at least 75% of which should be tunes in the "American standard" format featuring composers such as Berlin, Porter, Kahn, Gershwin, etc. All of the above to be performed both with bass accompaniment and in solo piano format with sections in stride style. Introduction to the Bill Evans piano style through performance of his transcribed piano pieces.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JPS. Secondary Jazz Piano. 1 Credit Hour.
Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week. Students will expand and refine application of fundamental chord voicings, chord-scale relationships, be-bop and blues vocabulary, and develop a strong rhythmic base. Solo piano and ensemble/accompaniment formats will be addressed. Technique will be evaluated to identify areas in need of improvement. Methods will include: transcription, analysis, composition of single lines and arrangements, tune learning, and various improvisation exercises.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JPX. Secondary Jazz Piano - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ JS1. Jazz Saxophone. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for jazz saxophone students. Technical Requirements: Introduction to principals of saxophone acoustics; introduction to tone production, intonation, tonal color, and blend; basic technique, chords and scale studies; jazz phrasing; establishment of a "tune list" (repertoire); study of improvised Solos through transcription; major scales full range, thirds, diatonic seventh chords in level A and in level B, melodic minor scales full range, thirds, diatonic seventh chords.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JS3. Jazz Saxophone. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for jazz saxophone students. Technical Requirements: Continuation of tone and technique as needed; augmented scale; rhythmic exercises from drum methods; continue extended range studies; a cappella improvisation; studies in melodic/rhythmic development.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JS6. Jazz Saxophone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
The graduate student will be encouraged to seek further refinement in all areas, including tone, intonation, technique, stylistic interpretation, improvisation, as well as be thoroughly versed in the pedagogy of the instrument. Specific jazz improvisation topics may include advanced forms, non-traditional harmony, traditional harmony in twelve keys, advanced rhythmic meters and subdivisions, balancing melodic/harmonic/rhythmic elements, approaches to non-structured "free" forms, and expansion of the repertoire. Related areas may also be addressed within the private lesson format, such as composition, doubling, and keyboard skills.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JS7. Jazz Saxophone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
The graduate student will be encouraged to seek further refinement in all areas, including tone, intonation, technique, stylistic interpretation, improvisation, as well as be thoroughly versed in the pedagogy of the instrument. Specific jazz improvisation topics may include advanced forms, non-traditional harmony, traditional harmony in twelve keys, advanced rhythmic meters and subdivisions, balancing melodic/harmonic/rhythmic elements, approaches to non-structured "free" forms, and expansion of the repertoire. Related areas may also be addressed within the private lesson format, such as composition, doubling, and keyboard skills.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JSC. Jazz Saxophone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Continuation of earlier levels as needed; diminished scales; pentatonic scales/patterns; extended range exercises; application of melodic minor/pentatonic scales; chromatic scale extensions; tritone substitutions.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JSD. Jazz Saxophone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Continuation of earlier levels as needed; diminished scales; pentatonic scales/patterns; extended range exercises; application of melodic minor/pentatonic scales; chromatic scale extensions; tritone substitutions.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
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MSJ JSF. Jazz Saxophone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Continuation of tone and technique as needed; augmented scale; rhythmic exercises from drum methods; continue extended range studies; a cappella improvisation; studies in melodic/rhythmic development.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JSG. Jazz Saxophone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Recital Preparation. Building of repertoire; concentration on selected influential composers: Ellington, Shorter, Hancock, Miller, Silver, Jobim, Golson, Lieberman, etc. Review of teaching methods, materials. Advanced technique studies: Bozza Etudes Caprices, Lacour 8 Difficult studies. Topics of interest as decided by student in consultation w/ teacher. Total 80 tunes (minimum) by end of H level.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JSH. Jazz Saxophone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Recital Preparation. Building of repertoire; concentration on selected influential composers: Ellington, Shorter, Hancock, Miller, Silver, Jobim, Golson, Lieberman, etc. Review of teaching methods, materials. Advanced technique studies: Bozza Etudes Caprices, Lacour 8 Difficult studies. Topics of interest as decided by student in consultation w/ teacher. Total 80 tunes (minimum) by end of H level.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JSS. Secondary Jazz Saxophone. 1 Credit Hour.
1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Introduction to principals of saxophone acoustics; introduction to tone production, intonation, tonal color, and blend; basic technique, chords and scale studies; jazz phrasing; establishment of a "tune list" (repertoire); study of improvised Solos through transcription; major scales full range.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ JSX. Secondary Jazz Saxophone - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. One-hour lessons are given for students enrolled for 2 credits; half-hour lessons are given for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ TB1. Jazz Trombone. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for jazz trombone students. Technical Requirements: Daily routine/classical etudes. Major, melodic minor, diminished scales, Dorian and Mixolydian modes, dominant 7th arpeggios, minor 7th arpeggios. All major and minor 3rds followed by respective dominant 7ths.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ TB3. Jazz Trombone. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for jazz trombone students. Technical Requirements: Previous material, in addition to standard tunes (2 per week). 251 licks in major and minor. Diminished patterns.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ TB6. Jazz Trombone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Private lessons focus on various facets of jazz trombone performance. These include jazz and classical instrumental studies focusing on proper warm up and advanced articulation exercises. Jazz styles are researched through listening to and transcription of established jazz instrumentalists. Advanced jazz theory and jazz piano are also included. The student is required to perform and improvise at a professional level.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ TB7. Jazz Trombone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Private lessons focus on various facets of jazz trombone performance. These include jazz and classical instrumental studies focusing on proper warm up and advanced articulation exercises. Jazz styles are researched through listening to and transcription of established jazz instrumentalists. Advanced jazz theory and jazz piano are also included. The student is required to perform and improvise at a professional level.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ TBC. Jazz Trombone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Previous material in addition to blues and rhythm changes in 12 keys. Voice Leading (3rds and 7ths). Transcription techniques/assigned transcriptions. Standard tunes (1 per week).
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ TBD. Jazz Trombone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Previous material in addition to blues and rhythm changes in 12 keys. Voice Leading (3rds and 7ths). Transcription techniques/assigned transcriptions. Standard tunes (1 per week).
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ TBF. Jazz Trombone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Previous material, in addition to standard tunes (2 per week). 251 licks in major and minor. Diminished patterns.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ TBG. Jazz Trombone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Previous material in addition to augmented scales and patterns. Pentatonic scales and patterns. Recital preparation.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ TBH. Jazz Trombone. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Previous material in addition to augmented scales and patterns. Pentatonic scales and patterns. Recital preparation.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ TBS. Secondary Jazz Trombone. 1 Credit Hour.
1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Daily routine/classical etudes. Major, melodic minor, diminished scales, Dorian and Mixolydian modes, dominant 7th arpeggios, minor 7th arpeggios. All major and minor 3rds followed by respective dominant 7ths. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ TBX. Secondary Jazz Trombone - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. One-hour lessons are given for students enrolled for 2 credits; half-hour lessons are given for students enrolled for 1 credit.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ TP1. Jazz Trumpet. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ TP3. Jazz Trumpet. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for jazz trumpet students. Technical Requirements: Continuation of range studies in addition to advanced etudes such as Bitsch and Charlier. Advanced jazz repertoire. Diminished and augments scales. Studio techniques.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ TP6. Jazz Trumpet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Private lessons focus on various facets of jazz trumpet performance. These include jazz and classical instrumental studies focusing on proper warm up and advanced articulation exercises. Jazz styles are researched through listening to and transcription of established jazz instrumentalists. Advanced jazz theory and jazz piano are also included. The student is required to perform and improvise at a professional level.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ TP7. Jazz Trumpet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Private lessons focus on various facets of jazz trumpet performance. These include jazz and classical instrumental studies focusing on proper warm up and advanced articulation exercises. Jazz styles are researched through listening to and transcription of established jazz instrumentalists. Advanced jazz theory and jazz piano are also included. The student is required to perform and improvise at a professional level.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ TPC. Jazz Trumpet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Continuation of basic skills in addition to range studies utilizing the Wedge breath. Transcribing jazz trumpet solos. A cappella blues in all keys.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ TPD. Jazz Trumpet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Continuation of basic skills in addition to range studies utilizing the Wedge breath. Transcribing jazz trumpet solos. A cappella blues in all keys.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ TPF. Jazz Trumpet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Continuation of range studies in addition to advanced etudes such as Bitsch and Charlier. Advanced jazz repertoire. Diminished and augments scales. Studio techniques. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ TPG. Jazz Trumpet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Study of advanced jazz repertoire. Recital preparation. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ TPH. Jazz Trumpet. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Study of advanced jazz repertoire. Recital preparation. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ TPS. Secondary Jazz Trumpet. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ VBS. Secondary Jazz Vibraphone. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the undergraduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ VB1. Jazz Vibraphone. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ VB3. Jazz Vibraphone. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ VBX. Secondary Jazz Vibraphone - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MSJ VO1. Jazz Voice. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
**Components:** LSN.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

MSJ VO3. Jazz Voice. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for jazz voice students. Repertoire: 15 Songs, continuation of standard repertoire at more advance and complex level, including bebop, original material, modal tunes and selections of harmonic and melodic complexity with improvisation.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
**Components:** LSN.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

MSJ VO6. Jazz Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Private studio vocal study at the master of music graduate level devoted to the continued development of skills and repertoire with particular attention to discovering and nurturing the individual student's artistic direction.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
**Components:** LSN.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

MSJ VO7. Jazz Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Private studio vocal coaching at the doctoral level devoted to refining all skills, technique, and repertoire for professional performance and pedagogy.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
**Components:** LSN.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

MSJ VOC. Jazz Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Repertoire: 24 Songs: 16 selections from Swing, Ballad, Jazz Waltz and Latin idioms. 4 Rock/Funk/R&B arrangements in coordination with MSJ 301. Mini-Concert (4 song set) Note: Sophomore proficiency.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
**Components:** LSN.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

MSJ VOF. Jazz Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Repertoire: 15 Songs, continuation of standard repertoire at more advance and complex level, including bebop, original material, modal tunes and selections of harmonic and melodic complexity with improvisation.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
**Components:** LSN.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

MSJ VOG. Jazz Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Repertoire: 15 Songs, same styles as above, Recital preparation, review of repertoire list and audition preparation.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
**Components:** LSN.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.
MSJ VOH. Jazz Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Repertoire: 15 Songs, same styles as above, Recital preparation, review of repertoire list and audition preparation.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ VOS. Secondary Jazz Voice. 1 Credit Hour.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirement: Warm-ups, Cool downs and introductory exercises for breath management. Attack in phonation, registration, resonance, articulation, coordination, microphone technique, key selection and vocal hygiene and maintenance. Repertoire: 25 Songs: 6 swing, 6 traditional ballad, 5 bossa/samba, 2 blues/funk, contemporary ballad, 4 student choice.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MSJ VOX. Secondary Jazz Voice - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

Music Theory and Composition (MTC)

MTC 101. Composition I. 2 Credit Hours.
Course covers elementary principles of composition; class performance of composition projects is also included. Required of theory-composition majors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTC 102. Composition II. 2 Credit Hours.
Continuation of MTC 101.
Prerequisite: MTC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTC 107. Skills Lab I. 1 Credit Hour.
Chamber-music ensemble (vocal or instrumental) for intensive work on aural skills (transcription, sight-singing, etc.), analysis of literature in and through performance, and improvisation, with focus on music of the Baroque and Classical periods.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTC 108. Skills Lab II. 1 Credit Hour.
Chamber-music ensemble (vocal or instrumental) for intensive work on aural skills (transcription, sight-singing, etc.), analysis of literature in and through performance, and improvisation, with focus on music of the Baroque and Classical periods.
Pre or Corequisite: MTC 141.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTC 109. Music Theory Skills I. 3 Credit Hours.
A first course in music theory and musicianship for non-music majors; covers basic literacy, fundamentals, tonal harmony, and elements of musical form in a wide variety of traditional and contemporary styles and genres. Includes intensive training in aural and singing skills.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MTC 110. Music Theory Skills II. 3 Credit Hours.
Course is designed for students deficient in the knowledge of the basic fundamentals of music. Includes the study of notation, keys, scales, and chord construction. Credits do not count toward music degree requirements.
Prerequisite: MTC 109.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTC 111. Music Theory I. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to basic concepts of melody, harmony, rhythm, and formal structure through analysis and writing. Topics include intervals, scales, elementary melodic and four-part writing, phrase structure and cadences, and diatonic harmony. Laboratory: MTC 121.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTC 12. Composition Forum. 0 Credit Hours.
A weekly forum for all Music Theory/Composition majors, both undergraduate and graduate. Course involves guest lectures by visiting composers and performers, presentations of faculty compositions, and group discussions of important compositional and theoretical issues.
Components: FOR.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTC 140. Experiential Musicianship I. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of tonal harmony, voice leading, and elements of musical form, covering diatonic procedures and basic modulation, using the chorales of J.S. Bach, with other repertoire, as models for composition.
Corequisite: Must Pass MTC 107 with a C or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTC 141. Experiential Musicianship II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of MTC 140, enlarging the study of tonal harmony and voice leading, covering harmony of the Classical period and sectional musical forms through small rondo and compound ternary, culminating in a large independent model-composition project for each student.
Corequisite: MTC 108.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTC 148. Electronic Music Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
An in-depth study and performance of electroacoustic music compositions.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTC 182. Composition Workshop. 1 Credit Hour.
Variety of composition concepts and problems are dealt with through assignments and projects with special emphasis on practical considerations.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTC 197. Studio Rhythm Section. 1 Credit Hour.
A performing ensemble of student-generated contemporary musical repertoire.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTC 199. Ensemble Ibis for New Music. 1 Credit Hour.
Ensemble Ibis is the new music ensemble at the Frost School of Music which performs music of the late 20th and 21st centuries and performs 3 to 4 concerts per year.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MTC 201. Composition III. 2 Credit Hours.
Principles of composition with special emphasis on stylistic considerations.
Prerequisite: MTC 102.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTC 202. Composition IV. 2 Credit Hours.
Continuation of MTC 201.
Prerequisite: MTC 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTC 207. Skills Lab III. 1 Credit Hour.
Chamber-music ensemble for intensive work on aural skills (transcription, sight-singing, sight-reading, etc.), analysis of literature excerpts in performance, and improvisation, with focus on tonal music of the Classical period and the nineteenth century.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTC 208. Skills Lab IV. 1 Credit Hour.
Chamber-music ensemble for intensive work on aural skills (transcription, sight-singing, sight-reading, etc.), analysis of literature excerpts in performance, and improvisation, with focus on selected music of the twentieth century.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTC 240. Experiential Musicianship III. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of MTC 141; study of advanced tonal harmony, voice leading, and larger musical forms, based primarily on music of the Classical period and the nineteenth century.
Pre or Corequisite: MTC 141.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTC 241. Experiential Musicianship IV. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of MTC 240; study of materials and techniques in composition of music from the early and middle twentieth century, based on works by Debussy, Stravinsky, Schoenberg, Bartok, and other models.
Prerequisite: MTC 240.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTC 301. Composition V. 2 Credit Hours.
Individual compositional projects with an emphasis on smaller formal structure.
Prerequisite: MTC 202.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTC 302. Composition VI. 2 Credit Hours.
Individual compositional projects including all media with an emphasis on extended formal structures.
Prerequisite: MTC 301.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTC 311. Analysis and Experience. 3 Credit Hours.
Musical analysis and its relationship to listening and performance. An introduction to musical aesthetics is also included.
Prerequisite: MTC 241.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MTC 312. 20th and 21st Century Techniques. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of twentieth century compositional resources. Topics include Impressionism, expanded tonal resources, Neo-classicism, serialism, post-serialism, aleatoric procedures, minimalism, and other recent trends.
Prerequisite: MTC 241.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTC 313. 18th Century Counterpoint. 3 Credit Hours.
Two-part keyboard counterpoint in the style of J. S. Bach, beginning with a modified species approach and including composition of dance-suite movements and inventions. Introduction to three-part writing is also included.
Prerequisite: MTC 240.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTC 401. Composition VII. 2 Credit Hours.
Individual compositional projects including all media with an emphasis on advanced problems in composition.
Prerequisite: MTC 302.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTC 402. Composition VIII. 1 Credit Hour.
Advanced Composition. Continuation of MTC 401.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTC 404. Live Performance Musical Direction. 3 Credit Hours.
Project-based practicum course in collaboration with other Performance department, designed to provide students the opportunity to prepare music for a live concert and serve as Musical Director (MD) thereof. Particular emphasis is placed on musical material (repertoire, arrangements, score/parts preparation), rehearsal techniques, and real-time/live performance direction/conducting.
Prerequisite: MTC 403.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTC 416. Orchestration. 3 Credit Hours.
The uses and possibilities of orchestral instruments as well as scoring for various instrumental groups, including the symphony orchestra.
Prerequisite: MTC 240, or MSJ 240, or MMI 240.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTC 452. Media Production Project Lab. 2 Credit Hours.
Laboratory component to MTC 404. Course can only be taken concurrently with MTC 404.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTC 493. Special Projects in Music Theory and Composition. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member's area of expertise and student's area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Requisites: Undergrad Music Students Only and Dean's Approval and Signature.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTC 494. Special Topics in Music Theory and Composition. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty to faculty member's expertise and students' areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MTC 499. Senior Recital. 1 Credit Hour.
A public recital of original compositions required of all Music Composition majors.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTC 501. The Aesthetics of Music. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey of thought and discourse about the nature, roles, values, experiences, and meanings of music. Variety of perspectives, including those of the listener, performer, and composer are addressed. Application to musical interpretation and criticism is included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTC 505. Analysis and History of Electroacoustic and Acousmatic Music. 2 Credit Hours.
Course examines electroacoustic and acousmatic music from both a historical/literature and analytical perspective. Analytical techniques with a focus on an ecological analysis approach will be conducted as well as a survey of electroacoustic, acousmatic, and digital music.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTC 506. Digital Editing and Sequencing. 3 Credit Hours.
Computers as control devices for music synthesis and digital manipulation of pre-recorded sounds. Topics include interfacing sequencing software with software synthesizers, performance techniques, and sound design using samples.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTC 507. Studio Licensing. 2 Credit Hours.
Licensing for access to Digital Arts and Media Writing Studios. Topics covered include digital audio recording and editing, sound synthesis/design, audio signal processing, sound analysis and spatial placement of sound. Course includes studio-use qualifying exams.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTC 515. Choral Arranging. 3 Credit Hours.
Arranging for choir and vocal groups with and without instrumental accompaniment in all styles.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTC 516. Advanced Orchestration. 3 Credit Hours.
Scoring for the symphonic orchestra with an emphasis on recent techniques.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTC 517. Analysis of Popular Music Since 1950. 3 Credit Hours.
Course examines popular music in the second half of the Twentieth Century from a music analytical perspective. Critical skills needed for this analysis are identified and developed. Analytical techniques for understanding the determination and utilization of musical elements and structures in contemporary popular music are applied. Various contemporary genres and some precursors are examined and particular stylistic determinants of their compositional and performance models are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTC 518. Advanced Counterpoint. 3 Credit Hours.
Three-voice fugal writing in Bach's style, followed by compositional projects in a variety of twentieth-century contrapuntal styles.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MTC 521. Multimedia for Musicians. 3 Credit Hours.
Presents an overview and introduction to the creation of multimedia projects for presentation on the Web. Focus is placed on building websites, and the creation of multimedia content for online delivery. Software tools for the manipulation of digital media, including audio and video, are utilized in the realization of course projects.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTC 567. Electronic and Computer Music Seminar. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced techniques and applications in electronic and computer music. Topics may include electronic projects in composition, performance, research, programming, or other as approved by instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTC 593. Special Projects in Music Theory and Composition. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member’s area expertise and student's area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTC 594. Special Topics in Music Theory and Composition. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member’s expertise and students’ areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTC 601. The Aesthetics of Music. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey of thought and discourse about the nature, roles, values, experiences, and meanings of music. Variety of perspectives, including those of the listener, performer, and composer are addressed. Application to musical interpretation and criticism is included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTC 605. Analysis and History of Electroacoustic and Acousmatic Music. 2 Credit Hours.
Course examines electroacoustic and acousmatic music from both a historical/literature and analytical perspective. Analytical techniques with a focus on an ecological analysis approach will be conducted as well as a survey of electroacoustic, acousmatic, and digital music.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTC 606. Digital Editing and Sequencing. 3 Credit Hours.
Computers as control devices for music synthesis and digital manipulation of pre-recorded sounds. Topics include interfacing sequencing software with software synthesizers, performance techniques, and sound design using samples.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTC 607. Studio Licensing. 2 Credit Hours.
Licensing for access to Digital Arts and Media Writing Studios. Topics covered include digital audio recording and editing, sound synthesis/design, audio signal processing, sound analysis and spatial placement of sound. Course includes studio-use qualifying exams.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTC 615. Choral Arranging. 3 Credit Hours.
Arranging for choir and vocal groups with and without instrumental accompaniment in all styles.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTC 616. Advanced Orchestration. 3 Credit Hours.
Scoring for the symphonic orchestra with an emphasis on recent techniques.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MTC 617. Analysis of Popular Music Since 1950. 3 Credit Hours.
Course examines popular music in the second half of the Twentieth Century from a music analytical perspective. Critical skills needed for this analysis are identified and developed. Analytical techniques for understanding the determination and utilization of musical elements and structures in contemporary popular music are applied. Various contemporary genres and some precursors are examined and particular stylistic determinants of their compositional and performance models are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTC 618. Advanced Counterpoint. 3 Credit Hours.
Three-voice fugal writing in Bach’s style, followed by compositional projects in a variety of twentieth-century contrapuntal style
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTC 621. Multimedia for Musicians. 3 Credit Hours.
Practical an overview and introduction to the creation of multimedia projects for presentation on the Web. Focus is placed on building websites, and the creation of multimedia content for online delivery. Software tools for the manipulation of digital media, including audio and video, are utilized in the realization of course projects.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTC 667. Graduate Composition and Technologies. 2 Credit Hours.
Advanced techniques and applications in electronic and computer music. Topics may include electronic projects in composition, performance, research, programming, or other as approved by instructor
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTC 693. Special Projects in Music Theory and Composition. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member’s area of expertise and student’s area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTC 694. Special Topics in Music Theory and Composition. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member’s expertise and students’ areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTC 705. Digital Art and Sound Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Software-based techniques of sound synthesis. Topics will include synthesis using Ircam Tools, Max/Msp, Jitter, Csound, and PureData.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTC 711. Experiential Musicianship and Theory Pedagogy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course advances two complementary facets: (1) students develop their musicianship skills—here understood as the combination of aural, analytical, performative (ensemble), sight-singing, and keyboard orientation skills—as a means for developing a strong foundation for music making and teaching; and (2) students develop an informed philosophy about pedagogical paradigms, particularly (but not exclusively) in relation to music theory and aural skills, by surveying scholarship on a wide range of topics, including repertoire, assessment, perception and cognition, diversity, improvisation, composition, writing, keyboard orientation, disability, and beyond.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MTC 712. Advanced Comprehensive Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Music theory as a research discipline is expanding in every conceivable direction, including a growing involvement with the non-Western canon, conscious inclusion of context and interpretation, and a heightened awareness of methodological advances in other disciplines. Students will become acquainted and engage with influential methodological paradigms of the last fifty years through weekly reading/analysis assignments and seminar discussions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTC 713. Twentieth Century Idioms. 3 Credit Hours.
Relevant modes of perception, influences, and technical devices in 20th-century music.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTC 715. Graduate Composition. 2 Credit Hours.
Creative work in composition requiring a multi-movement work scored for full orchestra, symphonic band, or chorus with orchestra or band.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTC 717. Analytical Techniques. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination and practice of various techniques used in the analysis of music.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTC 719. Introduction to Schenkerian Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
A first course in the theory and analytical practice of Heinrich Schenker. Students will learn the principles and techniques of Schenkerian analysis and will apply them to the study of works in smaller sectional forms.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MTC 730. Introduction to Spectralism. 3 Credit Hours.
To give the student a further understanding of the art and techniques of spectral composition, through listening, research, analysis, and composition (optional).
Requisite: Must be in the School of Graduate Music.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MTC 748. Electronic Music Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
An in-depth study and performance of electroacoustic music compositions.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MTC 767. Advanced Graduate Composition and Technologies. 2 Credit Hours.
Advanced techniques and applications in electronic and computer music. Topics may include electronic projects in composition, performance, research, programming, or other as approved by instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTC 782. Composition Workshop. 1 Credit Hour.
Variety of composition concepts and problems are dealt with through assignments and projects with special emphasis on practical considerations.
Requisite: MTCP_MM or MTCP_DMA Majors Only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MTC 793. Special Projects in Music Theory and Composition. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member’s area of expertise and student’s area of interest. This course includes a culminating project. 
Requisites: Graduate Music Students Only.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTC 794. Special Topics in Music Theory and Composition. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member’s expertise and students’ areas of interest.
Requisites: Graduate Music Students Only.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTC 797. Studio Rhythm Section. 1 Credit Hour.
A performing ensemble of student-generated contemporary musical repertoire.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTC 799. Ensemble Ibis for New Music. 1 Credit Hour.
An in-depth study and performance of 20th century music.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MTC 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTC 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence and maintain full-time enrollment for the master's degree after the student has completed the required hours of thesis or project credit.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MTC 831. Doctoral Essay. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the D.M.A. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but not for less than a total of 12. Not more than 12 hours of MTC 731 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MVC 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence and maintain full-time enrollment for the DMA after the student has completed the required hours of doctoral essay credit.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Music Vocal Performance (MVP)

MVP 101. Choir Ensemble Placeholder. 1 Credit Hour.
Ensemble placeholder course for new students to enroll in before ensemble placement auditions during Frost Orientation. Please note, you will have to drop this course and enroll in your correct ensemble when receive your official ensemble placement from Dr. Karen Kennedy.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MVP 144. Vocal Techniques for Non-Majors. 1 Credit Hour.
Class instruction in fundamentals of singing, breath control, tone production, diction, and solo singing for non-music majors. Basic music reading skills are taught.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 147. Men's Chorale. 1 Credit Hour.
This ensemble is open to the entire university community. Students will work on all aspects of choral singing, including skills in basic musicianship. This ensemble presents two or three concerts per semester.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MVP 148. Bella Voce. 1 Credit Hour.
This ensemble is open to the entire university community. Students will work on all aspects of choral singing, including skills in basic musicianship. This ensemble presents two or three concerts per semester.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 167. Music Theatre Workshop. 1 Credit Hour.
Participation in a fully-staged production or supervised classwork and projects which integrate the skills of the musical theatre singer/actor.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 180. Symphonic Choir. 1 Credit Hour.
Study and performance of choral literature appropriate for large choir, including choral orchestral masterworks.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 181. Choral Conducting I. 2 Credit Hours.
This course provides practical procedures and materials for beginning conducting students. Students demonstrate basic conducting patterns, preparations, and releases in all meters.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MVP 182. Choral Conducting II. 2 Credit Hours.
This course provides practical procedures and materials for advanced conducting students. Students demonstrate refined skills in conducting musical styles and independence of gesture. A strong emphasis is placed on conducting of mixed meters.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MVP 184. Chamber Singers. 1 Credit Hour.
An ensemble of eighteen to twenty undergraduate and graduate students, the ensemble performs challenging chamber choir repertoire from the Renaissance through the Twentieth Century.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 185. Frost Chorale. 2 Credit Hours.
This ensemble performs significant choral literature with an emphasis on music of the Twentieth-Century and on choral/orchestral works including opera. Open to all qualified undergraduate students, regardless of major.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MVP 188. Opera Theater I. 1 Credit Hour.
Typically taken in the first semester of freshman year by vocal performance majors. Basic stage techniques will be studied and mastered. The learning process repertoire, basic acting and performance techniques will be addressed. Methods of communication of text and emotion will be studied and applied. Emphasis will be on solo repertoire with possible participation in fall opera production.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
**Components:** ENS.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

MVP 189. Opera Theater II. 1 Credit Hour.
Typically taken in the second semester of the first year by vocal performance majors. Further research, development and application of stage deportment, character development, acting skills, communication of emotion and text. Repertoire will include solo songs, arias and small ensembles and possible participation in spring opera production.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
**Components:** ENS.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

MVP 196. Singing for the Stage I-A. 1 Credit Hour.
The selection, learning process, and performance of Musical Theatre Songs with emphasis on tone production and style.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
**Components:** LAB.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

MVP 197. Singing for the Stage I-B. 1 Credit Hour.
Continuation of MVP 196.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

MVP 205. Acting for Opera. 2 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to combine acting techniques with singing, dealing specifically with challenges presented to the singing actor and including musical styles and periods, period fashion and props, movement, and stage techniques for recitative, aria and ensemble performance.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

MVP 206. Acting for Opera - Intermediate. 2 Credit Hours.
Course designed to continue to develop acting and character development skills for operatic performance.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
**Components:** LAB.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

MVP 250. Lyric Diction for Singers - English and Italian. 2 Credit Hours.
Designed for voice majors and principals, focus on pronunciation skills for singing in English and Italian. International Phonetic alphabet and rules for singers Italian languages will be applied to Art Song, Opera, and Oratorio.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
**Components:** LAB.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

MVP 252. Lyric Diction for Singers - German and French. 2 Credit Hours.
Designed for voice majors and principals, focus on pronunciation skills for singing in German and French. International Phonetic Alphabet and rules for singers. Italian languages will be applied to Art Song, Opera, and Oratorio.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
**Components:** LAB.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.
MVP 288. Stagecraft & Acting for Opera. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is designed to equip students with the fundamental stagecraft and acting skills unique to operatic performing. Physical release and expression, coordination, mental agility, individual artistry, creativity and emotional availability are all critical to the successful singing actor in opera, and the work of this course is to build a solid foundation in these areas.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MVP 289. Opera Theater IV. 1 Credit Hour.
Typically taken in the 2nd semester, sophomore year by vocal performance majors. Course designed to continue to develop acting and character development skills and apply techniques learned in Opera Theater I, II, and III.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MVP 294. Singing for Actors. 1 Credit Hour.
The preparation of song literature and audition material for actors (can be repeated for credit).
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MVP 296. Singing for the Stage II-A. 1 Credit Hour.
Instruction in auditioning methods and materials for American musical theatre.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MVP 297. Singing for the Stage II-B. 1 Credit Hour.
Instruction in preparing vocal material for musical scenes drawn from American musical theatre.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MVP 388. Stagecraft & Acting for Opera. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is designed to equip students with the fundamental stagecraft and acting skills unique to operatic performing. Physical release and expression, coordination, mental agility, individual artistry, creativity and emotional availability are all critical to the successful singing actor in opera, and the work of this course is to build a solid foundation in these areas.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MVP 389. Opera Theater VI. 1 Credit Hour.
Typically taken in the 2nd semester, junior year by vocal performance majors. Course designed to continue to develop acting and character development skills and apply techniques learned in Opera Theater I-V.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MVP 399. Junior Recital. 1 Credit Hour.
A public recital of one half-hour or more. Course required of all Vocal Performance majors.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MVP 415. Auditioning I. 2 Credit Hours.  
Students prepare three to five audition pieces, photos, and resumes. Income tax, unions, opportunity, and methods of searching for and obtaining work is included. Course culminates in a seven to ten day trip to New York attending auditions.  
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.  
Components: LAB.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall.

MVP 416. Auditioning II. 2 Credit Hours.  
Continuation of MVP 415.  
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Spring.

MVP 431. Musical Theatre Styles I. 3 Credit Hours.  
Course topics include creating a character through song and dialogue, making transition from songs in to and out of scenes, and becoming comfortable and familiar with the style and performance unique to musical theatre.  
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.  
Components: LAB.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall.

MVP 488. Stagecraft & Acting for Opera. 1 Credit Hour.  
This course is designed to equip students with the fundamental stagecraft and acting skills unique to operatic performing. Physical release and expression, coordination, mental agility, individual artistry, creativity and emotional availability are all critical to the successful singing actor in opera, and the work of this course is to build a solid foundation in these areas.  
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.  
Components: LAB.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall.

MVP 489. Opera Theater VIII. 1 Credit Hour.  
Typically taken by Vocal Performance majors in the 2nd semester, senior year. course designed to continue to develop acting and character development skills and apply techniques learned in Opera Theater I-VIII.  
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.  
Components: ENS.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Spring.

MVP 493. Special Projects in Vocal Performance or Choral Conducting. 1-3 Credit Hours.  
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member's area expertise and student's area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.  
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.  
Components: IND.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MVP 494. Special Topics in Vocal Performance or Choral Conducting. 1-3 Credit Hours.  
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty to faculty member's expertise and students' areas of interest.  
Components: SEM.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MVP 499. Senior Recital. 1 Credit Hour.  
A public recital of one hour or more. Course is required of all performance majors.  
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.  
Components: PRA.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MVP 508. Choral Score Study. 2 Credit Hours.
In depth study of selected choral or choral/orchestral works related to literature being performed by university ensembles during the academic year.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Component: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MVP 538. Vocal Pedagogy. 2-3 Credit Hours.
Course covers methods and concepts in the teaching of singing. Emphasis is placed on psychological, physiological, and acoustical principles involved in voice production with practical application, observing and teaching individual and class voice in a supervised environment.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Component: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MVP 552. Vocal Performance Preparation. 1 Credit Hour.
Musical preparation of a wide range of assigned vocal literature from all periods for performance in forums, juries, and recitals. Special emphasis is on musical values, styles, translations of texts, diction, pronunciation of Italian, German, French, and English, and memorization.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Component: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 580. Opera Production. 1 Credit Hour.
Opera production for main stage production, scenes, and other productions. Open only to students that are cast in productions, as determined by audition and faculty decision. Typically taken by vocal performance majors.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Component: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 588. Voice Performance in Salzburg, Austria. 0 Credit Hours.
Course is conducted at Salzburg College, Austria. Students receive comprehensive and intensive vocal training from University of Miami faculty as well as distinguished guest artists. A class in vocal repertoire is also included.
Requisite: Must be in Salzburg Program.
Component: LEC.
Grading: AUD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

MVP 593. Special Projects in Vocal Performance or Choral Conducting. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member’s area expertise and student’s area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Component: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MVP 594. Special Topics in Vocal Performance or Choral Conducting. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member’s expertise and students’ areas of interest.
Component: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MVP 608. Choral Score Study. 2 Credit Hours.
In depth study of selected choral or choral/orchestral works related to literature being performed by university ensembles during the academic year.
Component: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MVP 638. Vocal Pedagogy. 2-3 Credit Hours.
Course covers methods and concepts in the teaching of singing. Emphasis is placed on psychological, physiological, and acoustical principles involved in voice production with practical application, observing and teaching individual and class voice in a supervised environment.
Component: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MVP 652. Vocal Prfrm Prep. 1 Credit Hour.
Musical preparation of a wide range of assigned vocal literature from all periods for performance in forums, juries, and recitals. Special emphasis is on musical values, styles, translations of texts, diction, pronunciation of Italian, German, French, and English, and memorization.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 680. Opera Production. 1 Credit Hour.
Opera production for main stage production, scenes, and other productions. Open only to students that are cast in productions, as determined by audition and faculty decision. Typically taken by vocal performance m
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 688. Voice Performance in Salzburg, Austria. 0 Credit Hours.
Course is conducted at Salzburg College, Austria. Students receive comprehensive and intensive vocal training from University of Miami faculty as well as distinguished guest artists. A class in vocal repertoire is also included.
Requisite: Must be in Salzburg Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: AUD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

MVP 693. Special Projects in Vocal Performance or Choral Conducting. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member’s area of expertise and student’s area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 710. Vocal Literature for Teaching: English. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of the historical body of English language vocal repertoire as it relates to voice classification, age, and technical development of a singer.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MVP 711. Vocal Literature for Teaching: Italian. 3 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her recital paper enrolls for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the paper has been accepted.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MVP 712. Vocal Literature for Teaching: German. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of the historical body of German vocal repertoire as it relates to voice classification, age, and technical development of a singer.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MVP 713. Vocal Literature for Teaching: French. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of the historical body of French vocal repertoire as it relates to voice classification, age, and technical development of a singer.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MVP 714. Vocal Literature for Teaching: Musical Theater. 3 Credit Hours.
The student enrolls for recital credit during the semester in which he/she presents the Artist Diploma Recital.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 730. Studio Teaching Techniques. 1 Credit Hour.
Application of the principles studied in MVP 638. Candidates will be assigned students for applied voice study, under supervision of the instructor.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MVP 732. Teaching the Singer Actor. 2 Credit Hours.
Exploring teaching techniques for developing the skills of the singer.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MVP 736. Voice Disorders. 3 Credit Hours.
Assessment and treatment of the human voice. Course promotes an understanding of the terminology, clinical assessment, and therapy protocols used in treating the dysfunctional or damaged voice.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MVP 738. Advanced Vocal Pedagogy. 3 Credit Hours.
Course addresses advanced methods and concepts in the teaching of singing. Emphasis is placed on psychological, physiological, and acoustical principles involved in voice production; historical perspectives; and comparative pedagogical publications. Includes practical application, observation and teaching individual and class voice in a supervised environment.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MVP 739. Vocal Pedagogy Internship. 1 Credit Hour.
Observation in the field of choice, including, but not limited to studio work, medical setting or speech pathology setting.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MVP 747. Men's Chorale. 1 Credit Hour.
This ensemble is open to the entire university community. Students will work on all aspects of choral singing, including skills in basic musicianship. This ensemble presents two or three concerts per semester.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 748. Bella Voce. 1 Credit Hour.
This ensemble is open to the entire university community. Students will work on all aspects of choral singing, including skills in basic musicianship. This ensemble presents two or three concerts per semester.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 750. Lyric Diction for Singers - English and Italian. 1 Credit Hour.
Class designed for voice majors and principals, with a focus on the development of pronunciation skills for teaching and singing in English. International Phonetic Alphabet is presented as a learning tool.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MVP 752. Lyric Diction for Singing - German and French. 1 Credit Hour.
Class designed for voice majors and principals, with a focus on the development of pronunciation skills for teaching and singing in German. International Phonetic Alphabet is used as a learning tool.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MVP 772. Choral Conducting: Major Work Emphasis. 1 Credit Hour.
Course focus is placed on major choral-orchestral works with particular emphasis on two or three major works. In addition, conductors preparation for choral-orchestral works, including instrument transportation, score preparation, musical line, historical context, and score marking, are included.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 773. Choral Conducting Workshop: Smaller Choral Works. 1 Credit Hour.
Study of smaller choral works by Poulenc, Hindemith, Ravel, Debussy, Brahms, Mendelssohn, Schubert, Schumann, etc., with emphasis on style, interpretation, and gesture.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 780. Symphonic Choir. 1 Credit Hour.
Study and performance of choral literature appropriate for large choir, including choral orchestral masterworks.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 784. Chamber Singers. 1 Credit Hour.
An ensemble of eighteen to twenty undergraduate and graduate students. The ensemble performs challenging chamber choir repertoire from the Renaissance through the Twentieth Century.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 785. Frost Chorale. 1 Credit Hour.
This ensemble performs significant choral literature with an emphasis on music of the Twentieth-Century and on choral/orchestral works including opera. Open to all qualified graduate students, regardless of major.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 788. Stagecraft & Acting for Opera. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is designed to provide advanced work developing stagecraft and acting skills unique to operatic performing. Physical release and expression, coordination, mental agility, individual artistry, creativity and emotional availability are all critical to the successful singing actor in opera, and the work of this course is to build a solid foundation in these areas.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 793. Special Projects in Vocal Performance or Choral Conducting. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member's area of expertise and student's area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MVP 794. Special Topics in Vocal Performance or Choral Conducting. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member's expertise and students' areas of interest.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MVP 8. Voice Forum. 0 Credit Hours.
A weekly informal recital setting and performance class for voice principals and majors with guest artists, master classes, and faculty presentations. Required for all two, three, and four credit applied voice students. 
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: FOR.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 805. Masters Project. 1 Credit Hour.
Masters Project for the Masters Degree in Vocal Performance. Students will develop a portfolio for professional use.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 811. Master's Recital Paper. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her recital paper enrolls for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the paper has been accepted.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MVP 812. Master's Recital. 1 Credit Hour.
The student enrolls for recital credit during the semester in which he/she presents the master's recital.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 813. Masters Second Recital. 1 Credit Hour.
Optional second recital in the Masters Degree in Vocal Performance. Taken with advisor approval.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 814. Artist Diploma Recital. 1 Credit Hour.
The student enrolls for recital credit during the semester in which he/she presents the Artist Diploma Recital. 
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence and maintain full-time enrollment for the master's degree after the student has completed the required hours of thesis or project credit. 
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MVP 831. Doctoral Essay. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the D.M.A. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but not for less than a total of 12. Not more than 12 hours of MVP 731 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MVP 832. Doctoral Recital. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the D.M.A.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: PRA.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
### MVP 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence and maintain full-time enrollment for the DMA after the student has completed the required hours of doctoral essay credit.
- **Requisite:** Frost School of Music only.
- **Components:** THI.
- **Grading:** GRD.
- **Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

### MVP CD6. Conducting. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson in conducting for masters students majoring in choral conducting.
- **Requisite:** Frost School of Music only.
- **Components:** LSN.
- **Grading:** GRD.
- **Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

### MVP CD7. Conducting. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Applied lesson in conducting for doctoral students majoring in choral conducting.
- **Requisite:** Frost School of Music only.
- **Components:** LSN.
- **Grading:** GRD.
- **Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

### MVP CDX. Secondary Choral Conducting - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
- **Requisite:** Frost School of Music only.
- **Components:** THI.
- **Grading:** GRD.
- **Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

### MVP VO1. Voice. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for voice students. Technical Requirements: Demonstrate a beginning concept of breath management, legato connection for moderate length phrases, clear articulation and projection of vowels and consonants in English, emotional connection to and communication of text, release of vibrato in sustained singing, and jury repertoire, language, and performance requirements (See Guidelines for Voice Study).
- **Requisite:** Frost School of Music only.
- **Components:** LSN.
- **Grading:** GRD.
- **Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

### MVP VO3. Voice. 2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson and 50 minute studio class for voice students. Technical Requirements: Demonstrate evidence of upper range extension with fully supported sound and appropriate modification of resonators, ability to self-prepare a song, knowledge of musical styles and historical periods of music, effective communication of song literature, an established warm-up regiment and technical exercises as prescribed by the voice teacher, and jury repertoire, language, and performance requirements (See Guidelines for Voice Study).
- **Requisite:** Frost School of Music only.
- **Components:** LSN.
- **Grading:** GRD.
- **Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

### MVP VO5. Voice. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Private studio lessons for providing progress towards establishing an efficient and balanced concept of posture, breath management, phonation, resonance with clarity of articulation in required languages, the ability to sustain a professional sound and perform with established skills for vocal, physical and emotional communication in voice juries and performances of concert and opera, and the skills for a professional career as a classical singer.
- **Requisite:** Frost School of Music only.
- **Components:** LSN.
- **Grading:** GRD.
- **Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.
MVP VO6. Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Private lessons for providing progress towards establishing an efficient and balanced concept of posture, breath management, phonation, resonance with clarity of articulation in required languages, the ability to sustain a professional sound in the upper register and perform with established skills for vocal, physical and emotional communication in voice juries and performances of concert and opera, and the potential for a professional career as a classical singer.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP VO7. Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Private lessons for providing progress towards establishing an efficient and balanced concept of posture, breath management, phonation, resonance with clarity of articulation and workable knowledge of required languages, the ability to sustain a professional sound in the upper register and perform with advanced skills for vocal, physical and emotional communication in voice juries and performances of concert and opera, and the potential for a professional career as a classical singer and/or teacher of music.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP VOC. Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Demonstrate consistent breath support, firmly established legato line, evidence of musical phrasing, consistent vibrato, ability to execute technical exercises evenly throughout the range, and jury repertoire, language, and performing (See Guidelines for Voice Study).
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP VOD. Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Demonstrate consistent breath support, firmly established legato line, evidence of musical phrasing, consistent vibrato, ability to execute technical exercises evenly throughout the range, and jury repertoire, language, and performing (See Guidelines for Voice Study).
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP VOF. Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Demonstrate evidence of upper range extension with fully supported sound and appropriate modification of resonators, ability to self-prepare a song, knowledge of musical styles and historical periods of music, effective communication of song literature, an established warm-up regiment and technical exercises as prescribed by the voice teacher, and jury repertoire, language, and performance requirements (See Guidelines for Voice Study).
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP VOG. Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Demonstrate perfect facility in required lyric languages, ability to evaluate performances critically and coherently, facility with register changes in upper range, polished and artistic performing with accuracy in pitch, rhythm, good posture, breath management, phonation, and resonance in addition to jury repertoire, language, and performance requirements (See Guidelines for Voice Study).
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MVP VOH. Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Demonstrate perfect facility in required lyric languages, ability to evaluate performances critically and coherently, facility with register changes in upper range, polished and artistic performing with accuracy in pitch, rhythm, good posture, breath management, phonation, and resonance in addition to jury repertoire, language, and performance requirements (See Guidelines for Voice Study).
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP VOS. Secondary Voice. 1 Credit Hour.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits. 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Demonstrate a beginning concept of breath management, legato connection for moderate length phrases, clear articulation and projection of vowels and consonants in English, emotional connection to and communication of text, release of vibrato in sustained singing, and jury repertoire, language, and performance requirements (See Guidelines for Voice Study).
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MVP VOX. Secondary Voice - Graduate. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons at the graduate level are designed for students who are either non-performance majors or who wish to pursue applied study on an instrument or voice that is not their primary focus. Students enroll in 1 credit and receive one 30-min lesson per week.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

Music, Media and Industry (MMI)

MMI 102. Record Company Practicum. 1 Credit Hour.
The course focuses on practical techniques and procedures employed by record companies.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 107. Skills Lab I. 1 Credit Hour.
A Contemporary Performance musical skills ensemble focusing on ear training, transcription, notation, and interactive musicianship for songwriters.
Co-Requisite: MMI 140 must pass with a 2.0.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 108. Skills Lab II. 1 Credit Hour.
A Contemporary Performance musical skills ensemble focusing on ear training, transcription, notation, and interactive musicianship for songwriters.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 13. Music Engineering Forum. 0 Credit Hours.
A weekly forum for all Music Engineering Technology and Audio Engineering majors, both undergraduate and graduate. Presentations include faculty lectures, guest lectures by industry professionals, as well as dissemination of information pertaining to audio studios and laboratories.
Requisite: Plan of Music Engineering.
Components: FOR.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 139. Small Contemporary Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
A performing ensemble of student-generated contemporary musical repertoire.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MMI 14. Music Industry Forum. 0 Credit Hours.
A weekly forum for all Music Industry majors, both graduate and undergraduate, for the purpose of updating current teaching material with the latest developments, presentations of guest speakers from the industry, lectures, and reports from faculty on current employment opportunities. Requisite: Plan of Music Business & Entertainment Industry.
Components: FOR.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 140. Experiential Musicianship I. 3 Credit Hours.
The first of a two-course sequence in music theory, with an overall focus on musicianship for the Contemporary Music student. The course emphasizes theoretical and analytical skills, as well as the connection between analysis and other musical experiences in listening and performance. The student will display a written understanding of the basic building blocks of music, through its more advanced constructions and functions. Corequisite: MMI 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 141. Experiential Musicianship II. 3 Credit Hours.
MMI 141 is the second in a two-course sequence in music theory and musicianship for the Contemporary Music Student. As with MMI 140, the course emphasizes analytical skills and the connections between analysis and other musical experiences in listening and performance. Pre-requisite: MMI 140 And Co-requisite: MMI 108 must pass with 2.0.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 15. Made Forum. 0 Credit Hours.
The course provides a weekly forum for sharing information about issues, current developments, and other matters related to the contemporary music industry as a field of study and as a profession. The course is required for all undergraduate MADE majors during each semester. Requisite: Must have a Plan of MADE.
Components: FOR.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 151. Desktop Audio Production. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to MIDI technology and computer based tools for music production. Requisite: Plan of MUE or MEC.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 160. Ensemble Recording Workshop I. 3 Credit Hours.
Assisting recording and sound reinforcement engineers in the assigned performance ensemble in both rehearsal and performance. Students also perform in a studio ensemble where they act as both recording engineer and musician. Requisite: Plan of MUE or MEC.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 161. Ensemble Recording Workshop II. 3 Credit Hours.
Students are responsible for the audio needs of an assigned ensemble in both rehearsal and performance. Lectures address audio equipment and practices. Students also perform in a studio ensemble where they act as the recording engineer and musician. Open to MUE majors only. Prerequisite: MMI 160. Requisite: Plan of MUE or MEC.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 17. Media Writing and Production Forum. 0 Credit Hours.
This course provides a weekly forum for sharing information about issues, current developments, and other matters related to commercial music composition and production as a field of study and as a profession. The course is required for all undergraduate MWP majors during each semester. Requisite: Plan of Media Writing & Production.
Components: FOR.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MMI 171. Music Engineering Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: MBEI Or MBEC Majors Or MBEI Minors only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 172. Audio Design Workshop III. 1 Credit Hour.
Digital audio system design and architecture including analog-digital conversion, digital I/O hardware specifications, audio effects processors and digital audio recorder alignment techniques. Students design and troubleshoot audio projects including A/D converters, S/PDIF I/O, and DAT recorders. Open to MUE and EAN Majors only.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 173. Introduction to the Music Business. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides students with an overview of the music business and related entrepreneurial fundamentals. Music business topics explored include copyright, publishing, the record business, licensing, the live music industry, and arts administration. Entrepreneurial topics explored include starting a business, accounting and marketing basics, and securing funding.
Requisite: MBEI Major or MBEI Minors only and Sophomore Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 178. Entertainment Industry Survey. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of the entertainment industry. Concentration on the legal, marketing and financial aspects of different areas of the industry including film, television, music, broadcasting, cable, publishing, video games, sports, performing arts, and theme parks.
Requisite: MBEI Or MBEC Majors Or MBEI Minors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 201. Introduction to Music Recording. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview study of the theory and practice of music recording, with emphasis on modern recording studio practices. Topics include physics of sound, psychoacoustics, studio design, microphones, loudspeakers, consoles, signal processing, digital audio, MIDI, and synchronization.
Requisite: Must have a plan of MUE or MEC or EAN.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 207. Skills Lab III: American Song Traditions. 1 Credit Hour.
A learning ensemble focusing on the various Anglo-American song traditions from English and Irish folk ballads, through Hymnodies, Old-Time, Bluegrass, Western Swing and Newgrass.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 208. Skills Lab IV: American Song Traditions. 1 Credit Hour.
A learning ensemble focusing on the various African-American song traditions from early plantation songs, shouts, hollers, and spirituals, to the development of blues traditions, to gospel.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 240. Experiential Musicianship III. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of melodic, harmonic and rhythmic language in jazz and contemporary music using analysis and aural dictation. MMI 207 Skills Lab III, keyboard lab accompanies this course.
Corequisite: MMI 207 SKILLS LAB III.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MMI 241. Experiential Musicianship IV. 3 Credit Hours.
The continuation of MSJ 140/MMI 240 focused on the study of the diminished chord, extensions, modes and upper structure triads. A keyboard lab accompanies this course.
Corequisite: MMI 208 SKILLS LAB IV.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 250. Essential Technologies for Musicians. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic MIDI and digital audio principles from set-up to final mix, recording of live Instruments using basic microphone techniques, MIDI sequencing, software synthesizers, basic editing, and audio looping.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 259. Digital Audio and MIDI Production. 3 Credit Hours.
Weekly lab focused on Pro Tools proficiency and the intricacies of audio technology relating to a modern producer/film composer. Topics include Digital Audio definitions and uses, Pro Tools understanding, shortcuts, and proficiency, and MIDI.
Requisite: MADE_BM or MWPD_BM majors only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 260. Virtual Orchestration. 3 Credit Hours.
Weekly lab focused on the creation of sample-based orchestral mock-ups. Particular emphasis is placed on technical considerations as they apply to MIDI programming, sample selection, and mixing.
Requisite: MADE_BM or MWPD_BM majors only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 261. Media Writing I: Music for Media. 3 Credit Hours.
Project-based lecture course designed to provide students the opportunity to compose and realize a varied array of music projects for media applications including music branding "logos" radio/television ID packages, and 30-second television ads. Particular emphasis is placed on technical considerations, aesthetic issues and the psychology of music as they relate to advertising on radio and television.
Prerequisite: MMI 282 (or MTC 204).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 262. Media Writing II: Video Game Scoring. 3 Credit Hours.
Project based seminar/workshop designed to provide students the opportunity to gain the skills, knowledge and experience necessary to produce a variety of musical works for use in video games. Students will also be instructed in the concepts and subtleties of using a DAW (Digital Audio Workstation) specifically designed for video games.
Prerequisite: MMI 282 (or MTC 204).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 273. Artist Development and the Live Entertainment Industry. 3 Credit Hours.
Views of the live entertainment industry from the perspective of the performing artist, artist manager, talent agent, attorney, and concert promoter. Consideration is given to the interpersonal, business, and contractual relationships and their impact on the performing artist's career. Strategies for career development are addressed and the ground rules of publicity, public relations, and promotion explored and applied in practical situations through special individual and team projects.
Prerequisites: MMI 173 or MMI 178 or MMI 310. Requisite: MBEI and MBEC majors and MBEI minors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MMI 274. Introduction to Music Copyright Law. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides a study of the current U.S. copyright law as it applies to musical compositions and sound recordings. This course includes analysis of the modern practices of music licensing for both digital and physical uses as well as copyright acquisition. Students will study the various rights of the copyright owner, what can be protected by copyright, and the duration of copyright. They will learn the formalities of music copyright including registration and notice. Current music copyright infringement cases are reviewed along with defenses to infringement and remedies for infringement. The course also covers international copyright protection and music copyright as it applies to digital technologies and distribution.
Prerequisite: MMI 173 or MMI 310 And Requisite: MBEI or MBEC Majors Or MBEI Minors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 280. Synthestration. 3 Credit Hours.
Weekly lab focused on Sound Design/synthesis as it applies to the modern producer. Topics include different synthesis techniques, different waves, modulation controls, signal flow as it applies to modular synthesis, hardware synths vs "softsynths," and FX processing common to synth instruments.
Requisite: MADE_BM or MWPD_BM majors only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 281. Production I: Recording and Production Techniques. 3 Credit Hours.
Project based seminar/workshop designed to provide students the opportunity to gain the skills and knowledge to properly record acoustic audio into a DAW (Digital Audio Workstation). Particular emphasis will be placed on the proper use and implementation of microphones, microphone cables, direct boxes, microphone pre-amplifiers and consoles. In addition, students will be versed in the basics of acoustics, signal flow and basic mixing techniques within a DAW.
Pre/Corequisite: MMI 141 Or MTC 141.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 282. Production II: Audio Processing and Critical Listening. 3 Credit Hours.
Project-based practicum course designed to provide students the opportunity to explore, discover and articulate the elements needed to successfully model and emulate music of any genre by examining popular music of selected decades. Particular emphasis is placed on critical listening, the understanding of signal flow and processing, and the skills required to properly apply each of these concepts in order to enhance the commercial viability of their final projects.
Prerequisite: MMI 281 (or MTC 203).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 307. Skills Lab V: American Pop. 1 Credit Hour.
A learning ensemble focusing on American Popular Music from the late-1950s to the late-1970s. Students will develop a portfolio of original songs in modern American styles.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 308. Skills Lab VI: American Pop. 1 Credit Hour.
A learning ensemble focusing on American Popular Music from the 1980s to the present. Students will develop a portfolio of original songs in modern American styles.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 310. Music Business and Entrepreneurship for Musicians. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides students with an overview of the music business and related entrepreneurial fundamentals. Music business topics explored include copyright, publishing, the record business, licensing, the live music industry, and arts administration. Entrepreneurial topics explored include starting a business, accounting and marketing basics, and securing funding.
Requisite: Frost School of Music and Prerequisite: MMI 141 or MSJ 141 or MTC 141.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MMI 315. Contemporary Songwriting I. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores modern songwriting techniques, song lyric theory, song form, melodic development, pop harmony and rhythm & grooves. Students will analyze a variety of recordings by top modern songwriters. Students will compose and record a number of original songs for the course. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 320. Contemporary Lyric Writing. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores modern lyric writing techniques, song lyric theory, and song form. Students will analyze a variety of lyrics by top modern songwriters, focusing on their use of literary devices, imagery and metaphors. Students will compose a number of original lyrics for the course. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 361. Acoustics. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the theoretical principles of acoustics. Principle topics include basic properties, acoustical phenomena, superposition, Fourier Theorem, symmetry, vibrating strings and columns, and musical instruments; a study of architectural acoustics such as growth and decay, absorption coefficients, normal modes, diffusion, isolation, and mass law; design applications such as structural techniques and materials, live end-dead end, room geometry, tuning, TDS and other measurement techniques. Prerequisites: MTH 112, PHY 102 or PHY 205. Requisite: Plan of MUE and MEC.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 363. Media Writing III: Film Scoring Foundations. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminar in the aesthetics and psychology of mood music, sound-film synchronization, timing techniques, and scoring procedures. Analysis and performance of student projects is included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 364. Media Writing IV: Film Scoring Extensions. 3 Credit Hours.
Adaptation of previous semester's techniques to television scripts and performed music. Pre-recording, direct recording, and dubbing procedures are included as well as preparation and performance of complete film cues. Each student is required to conduct his/her project. Prerequisite: MMI 363 (or MTC 511).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 378. Music Business Agreements. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the legal agreements between different parties in the music business, such as record companies, recording artists, music producers, and licensees. Emphasis is placed on the different ways of contractually addressing intellectual property ownership and usage, compensation, and exclusive services. Prerequisite: MMI 173 or MMI 178 or MMI 310 and MMI 274. Requisite: MBEI and MBEC Majors and MBEI Minors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 383. Production III: Audio Editing. 3 Credit Hours.
Project-based practicum course designed to provide students the opportunity to compose, record and reproduce a wide variety of music projects that combine the use of pre-existing as well as new musical elements. Particular emphasis is placed on technical considerations, aesthetic issues, and the commercial viability of the end product. Prerequisite: MMI 262 (or MTC 304).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 384. Production IV: Mixing and Mastering. 3 Credit Hours.
Weekly lab focused on mixing and mastering music for commercial release. Topics include psychoacoustics, a variety of audio effects and their uses in a mix, how rooms and equipment affect your ability to listen critically, and loudness requirements for commercial releases. Students will be mixing 1 song a week, with increased level of difficulty as new subjects are introduced.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MMI 401. Audio Electronics. 3 Credit Hours.
An introductory course in audio electronics theory and professional audio applications such as recording studio equipment and audio effects design. Coursework includes basic electronic components and theories, passive filtering, transformers, operational amplifiers, vacuum tubes, non-linear elements including diodes and JFETs, graphic, parametric and shelving equalizers, compressors, limiters, gates, microphone preamps, analog effects including reverb, flanging, and chorusing. Students will design custom audio circuits and use computer simulations to understand theory of operation. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 410. Music Engineering Capstone Project. 3 Credit Hours.
Students in MMI 410 propose and execute a project that represents the Culmination of their learning experiences in the Music Engineering Program. Students meet as a group with a faculty member of record each week to Discuss project topics and assess progress. The course concludes with a public Presentation of the final project.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 420. Music Industry Capstone Project. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will apply the knowledge and skills acquired in their courses to develop a Business Plan for a Music Business venture. Students will identify a segment of the industry, analyze aspects associated with a SWOT analysis, income, cost, expenses, and develop a marketing plan for the venture. The course will provide students an inside view of the business operations while enhancing their conceptual understanding of the structures and interrelationships of the diverse music ventures in the music business ecosystem. Requisite: Senior Status And MBEI Majors Only.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 436. Audio Postproduction. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic audio for video and film postproduction, including the study of time code, synchronization, electronic editing, video and film transports, dolby stereo, equipment interfacing, and future developments.
Prerequisite: MMI 201 and Requisite: MUE and EAN Majors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 445. Senior Project/Portfolio. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is the capstone of the Creative American Music Program. Students will develop a portfolio of recordings of original songs. Students will also be required a public performance of their original songs.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 454. Entertainment Industry Practicum. 1 Credit Hour.
Practical experience in an entertainment industry organization.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 455. Music Business Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
Practical experience in different areas of the music business under the supervision of professional firms and the university.
Requisite: MBEI Majors Only.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 456. Internship in Entertainment Industries II. 0 Credit Hours.
Continuation of MMI 455.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MMI 460. Recital Recording and Sound Reinforcement (Recording Services). 1 Credit Hour.
Practical experience in live concert recording, editing and mastering, and sound reinforcement, under supervision of professional on-campus engineers.
Requisite: MUEE_BS Plan Code Only. Permission of Instructor for other Plan Codes.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 465. Internship in Music Engineering. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Practical experience in the music engineering industry such as work in a recording studio, broadcast company, hardware or software manufacturer, under professional supervision.
Requisite: Plan of MUE or MEC.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MMI 493. Special Projects in Music Media and Industry. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member's area expertise and student's area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MMI 494. Special Topics in Music Media and Industry. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty to faculty member's expertise and students' areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MMI 501. Transducer Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Course covers the fundamentals of electromagnetism and audio transducer theory including loudspeaker and microphone systems. Classical electroacoustical analysis of transducers including acoustic suspension, bass-reflex, transmission line, electrostatic and horn loudspeakers, dynamic, ribbon and condenser pressure, and pressure-gradient microphones. Students use computer-aided design programs and Thiele-Small parameterization to model loudspeakers and measure loudspeaker responses. Open to MUE and EAN Majors only.
Prerequisite: MMI 501. Requisite: Plan of MUE and EAN.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 502. Audio Signal Processing I. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the theory and practice of digital audio topics including discrete time sampling, quantization, dithering, PCM, A/D and D/A conversion, digital filtering, oversampling, modulation codes, timebase, error correction codes, magnetic storage, DAT, and optical storage.
Requisite: MUE and EAN majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 503. Audio Signal Processing II. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the theory and practice of digital audio topics including fiber optics and networks, compact disc, interconnection, psychoacoustics, low bit-rate perceptual coding, MPEG, digital audio broadcasting, sigma-delta conversion, noise shaping, digital video, and emerging technologies. Open to MUE and EAN Majors only.
Prerequisite: MMI 502. Requisite: Plan of MUE and EAN.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 504. Audio Signal Processing III. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory, design, and development of computer audio synthesizers and analyzers. Students implement software synthesizers including analog and physical modeling, wave-table, wave-shaping, and FM designs. Classical and modern theories of timbre and time-frequency analysis are included.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MMI 505. Current Trends in Music Engineering I. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory, design and development of audio signal processing techniques. Topics include DSP architectures, systems design, algorithm development, and applications. DSP development tools used to write, debug, and test programs including time-domain based effects such as reverb, chorus, flanging, and digital delay as well as frequency-domain projects such as FIR, IIR, and FFT filters and vocoders.
Prerequisite: MMI 504. Requisite: Plan of MAU and EAN.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 506. Current Trends in Music Engineering II. 3 Credit Hours.
MMI 506 addresses current technologies, skills, and techniques employed in a specific aspect of the audio technology and/or music technology fields.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MMI 508. Current Trends in Music Engineering III. 3 Credit Hours.
MMI 508 addresses current technologies, skills, and techniques employed in a specific aspect of the audio technology and/or music technology fields.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MMI 510. Computational Psychoacoustics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course deals with the fundamentals of audition in human biological systems, including auditory sensory transduction, cochlear processes, neural pathways, cortical organization, and auditory illusions, with specific applications to perceptual data reduction techniques and auditory displays.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MMI 511. Current Trends in Music Engineering IV. 3 Credit Hours.
MMI 511 addresses current technologies, skills, and techniques employed in a specific aspect of the audio technology and/or music technology fields.
Prerequisite: ECE 118.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 520. Audio Technology for Musicians. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction and overview of audio technology with emphasis on music recording, production equipment, and techniques. Topics include microphones, loudspeakers, mixing consoles, interconnection, amplifiers, digital processing, time code, and surround sound. Open to non-MUE majors. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 521. Timbral Ear Training. 3 Credit Hours.
Students in this course will accomplish four primary goals: 1) instantaneous discernment of ISO frequency regions and critical bands; 2) aural identification of audio-processing techniques, artifacts, and problems; 3) development of critical thinking skills and competence in current audio listening test methodologies; and 4) successful completion of a comprehensive bank of critical listening “golden ears” tests
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MMI 530. Entrepreneurship for Musicians. 3 Credit Hours.
Course explores a wide range of options for musicians who want to pursue music business careers in their regional music markets. Students examine opportunities in performance, recording, composition, education, and more. Emphasis is placed on the packaging of musical skills in the marketplace and on the financial management of a small proprietary music business. As a result, the student musician will be prepared to make career decisions with foresight and planning.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MMI 531. Recording Engineering Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
Students in MMI 531 will accomplish three primary goals: 1) understanding historical trends in the audio recording industry, particularly those involving key technological advances; 2) understanding and appreciating recent advances in sound recording technologies and methods; and 3) development of critical thinking, research, writing, and presentation skills.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MMI 532. Arts Leadership. 3 Credit Hours.
Course explores critical concepts of leadership, decision-making, and teamwork in wide-ranging arts presentation settings. Through experiential learning, students practice and acquire the knowledge and skills vital for effective navigation through the dynamic arts industry.
Requisite: MBEI Or MBEC Or MADE Majors Or MBEI Minor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 537. Recorded Music Operations. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides a study of the activities involved in commercially exploiting recorded music. The course includes an analysis of activities involved in the production, manufacturing, distribution, and marketing of a recorded music product; as well as related royalty accounting, mechanical licensing and master-use licensing activities.
Prerequisite: MMI 173 or MMI 310 and MMI 274 and Requisite: MBEI or MBEC or MADE Majors or MBEI Minor only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 543. Music Marketing. 3 Credit Hours.
Students learn how to fulfill demand and influence consumer behavior through effective marketing techniques. The course provides the students with information on the latest technologies being employed to reach and communicate with target consumers.
Requisite: MBEI or MBEC or MADE Majors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 545. Music Placement and Exploitation. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an in-depth study of the creative and business aspects involved with the discovery, placement and exploitation of music in the current entertainment business. Students explore the processes of how music is placed in television, film, commercials, video games, with new media and recording artists. This course covers the roles of the various players in the music placement business and studies creative approaches, negotiation techniques and licensing practices. The DIY music creator, both the songwriter and recording artist, and their music representative will learn how to prepare, package, present, place and exploit their music as well as how to build a fan base. Students will learn how to locate resources for licensable music, offer creative options, select and license appropriate music, combine music with a variety of media, negotiate with a variety of rights holders, and generate license requests, agreements, and cue sheets.
Prerequisite: MMI 173 or MMI 310 and MMI 274 and MMI 573 or Requisite: MBEI or MBEC or MADE Majors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 573. Music Publishing. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an in-depth study of the creative and business aspects and practices of the music publishing industry. The course covers the acquisition, exploitation, administration and protection of songs in the contemporary music publishing business. Students will also study the income sources, royalty rates and payment procedures currently used in the music industry as they apply to musical compositions. Music publishing agreements currently used for the acquisition and administration of songs are reviewed in-depth. Foreign music publishing issues are explored and reviewed as related to domestic music publishing.
Prerequisite: MMI 173 or MMI 310 and MMI 274.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MMI 580. Advanced Analysis of Current Topics in the Music Business. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides students with in-depth study of advanced topics in the music business, including recent developments in the areas of music licensing, copyright, international markets, live music, artist development, data management, and others. Particular focus is placed on ways to meet the current challenges facing the industry.
Requisite: MBEI Or MBEC Or MADE Majors Or MBEI Minor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MMI 593. Special Projects in Music Media and Industry. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member’s area expertise and student’s area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MMI 594. Special Topics in Music Media and Industry. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty to faculty member’s expertise and students’ areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MMI 601. Transducer Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Course covers the fundamentals of electromagnetism and audio transducer theory including loudspeaker and microphone systems. Classical electroacoustical analysis of transducers including acoustic suspension, bass-reflex, transmission line, electrostatic and horn loudspeakers, dynamic, ribbon and condenser pressure, and pressure-gradient microphones. Students use computer-aided design programs and Thiele-Small parameterization to model loudspeakers and measure loudspeaker responses. Open to MUE and EAN Majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 602. Audio Signal Processing I. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the theory and practice of digital audio topics including discrete time sampling, quantization, dithering, PCM, A/D and D/A conversion, digital filtering, oversampling, modulation codes, timebase, error correction codes, magnetic storage, DAT, and optical storage.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 603. Audio Signal Processing II. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the theory and practice of digital audio topics including fiber optics and networks, compact disc, interconnection, psychoacoustics, low bit-rate perceptual coding, MPEG, digital audio broadcasting, sigma-delta conversion, noise shaping, digital video, and emerging technologies. Open to MUE and EAN Majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 604. Audio Signal Processing III. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory, design, and development of computer audio synthesizers and analyzers. Students implement software synthesizers including analog and physical modeling, wave-table, wave-shaping, and FM designs. Classical and modern theories of timbre and time-frequency analysis are included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MMI 606. Current Trends in Music Engineering II. 3 Credit Hours.
MMI 506 addresses current technologies, skills, and techniques employed in a specific aspect of the audio technology and/or music technology fields.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MMI 608. Current Trends in Music Engineering III. 3 Credit Hours.
MMI 508 addresses current technologies, skills, and techniques employed in a specific aspect of the audio technology and/or music technology fields.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MMI 610. Computational Psychoacoustics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course deals with the fundamentals of audition in human biological systems, including auditory sensory transduction, cochlear processes, neural pathways, cortical organization, and auditory illusions, with specific applications to perceptual data reduction techniques and auditory displays.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
MMI 611. Current Trends in Music Engineering IV. 3 Credit Hours.
MMI 511 addresses current technologies, skills, and techniques employed in a specific aspect of the audio technology and/or music technology fields.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MMI 620. Audio Technology for Musicians. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction and overview of audio technology with emphasis on music recording, production equipment, and techniques. Topics include microphones, loudspeakers, mixing consoles, interconnection, amplifiers, digital processing, time code, and surround sound. Open to non-MUE majors.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MMI 621. Timbral Ear Training. 3 Credit Hours.
Students in this course will accomplish four primary goals: 1) instantaneous discernment of ISO frequency regions and critical bands; 2) aural identification of audio-processing techniques, artifacts, and problems; 3) development of critical thinking skills and competence in current audio listening test methodologies; and 4) successful completion of a comprehensive bank of critical listening "golden ears" tests.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MMI 630. Entrepreneurship for Musicians. 3 Credit Hours.
Course explores a wide range of options for musicians who want to pursue music business careers in their regional music markets. Students examine opportunities in performance, recording, composition, education, and more. Emphasis is placed on the packaging of musical skills in the marketplace and on the financial management of a small proprietary music business. As a result, the student musician will be prepared to make career decisions with foresight and planning.

Requisites: Graduate Music Students Only.

Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 631. Recording Engineering Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
Students in MMI 531 will accomplish three primary goals: 1) understanding historical trends in the audio recording industry, particularly those involving key technological advances; 2) understanding and appreciating recent advances in sound recording technologies and methods; and 3) development of critical thinking, research, writing, and presentation skills.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MMI 632. Arts Leadership. 3 Credit Hours.
Course explores critical concepts of leadership, decision-making, and teamwork in wide-ranging arts presentation setting. Through experiential learning, students practice and acquire the knowledge and skills vital for effective navigation through the dynamic arts industry.

Requisite: MBEI Or MPRS Or JDMM Or JDMA.

Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 637. Recorded Music Operations. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides a study of the activities involved in commercially exploiting recorded music. The course includes an analysis of activities involved in the production, manufacturing, distribution, and marketing of a recorded music product; as well as related royalty accounting, mechanical licensing and master-use licensing activities.

Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 641. Tour Management and Production. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will become familiar with the responsibilities of a tour planner. Individual tour planning projects are assigned which will give the students insight into the management and production of a tour.

Requisite: Frost School of Music only.

Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MMI 643. Marketing in the Arts and Entertainment. 3 Credit Hours.
Students learn how to fulfill demand and influence consumer behavior through effective marketing techniques. The course provides the students with information on the latest technologies being employed to reach and communicate with target consumers.

Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 645. Music Placement and Exploitation. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an in-depth study of the creative and business aspects involved with the discovery, placement and exploitation of music in the current entertainment business. Students explore the processes of how music is placed in television, film, commercials, video games, with new media and recording artists. This course covers the roles of the various players in the music placement business and studies creative approaches, negotiation techniques and licensing practices. The DIY music creator, both the songwriter and recording artist, and their music representative will learn how to prepare, package, present, place and exploit their music as well as how to build a fan base. Students will learn how to locate resources for licensable music, offer creative options, select and license appropriate music, combine music with a variety of media, negotiate with a variety of rights holders, and generate license requests, agreements, and cue sheets.
Prerequisite: MMI 673 and MMI 774.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 673. Music Publishing. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an in-depth study of the creative and business aspects, concepts and practices of the music publishing industry. The course covers the acquisition, exploitation, administration and protection of songs in the contemporary music publishing business. Students will also study the income sources, royalty rates and payment procedures currently used in the music industry as they apply to musical compositions. Music publishing agreements currently used for the acquisition and administration of songs are reviewed in-depth. Foreign music publishing issues are explored as related to domestic music publishing. Students will also learn how to create and operate their own music publishing company.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MMI 693. Special Projects in Music Media and Industry. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member’s area of expertise and student’s area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MMI 694. Special Topics in Music Media and Industry. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member’s expertise and students’ areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MMI 701. Advanced Digital Audio Electronics. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics in digital audio including discrete time signals, digital filters, error digital audio processors, FFT, CIRC, and digital recorders are discussed. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 705. Current Trends in Music Engineering I. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory, design and development of audio signal processing techniques. Topics include DSP architectures, systems design, algorithm development, and applications. DSP development tools used to write, debug, and test programs including time-domain based effects such as reverb, chorus, flanging, and digital delay as well as frequency-domain projects such as FIR, IIR, and FFT filters and vocoders.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 706. Current Topics in Audio Analysis and Signal Processing. 3 Credit Hours.
MMI 606 surveys recent topics related to audio analysis, synthesis, and signal processing with an emphasis in software programming and practical applications. Course material is drawn from several topics: current audio APIs and plug-in architectures, computational theories of musical timbre, machine listening, spatial audio, digital audio effects, new digital audio synthesis techniques, and machine-musician interaction modalities. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MMI 715. Contemporary Songwriting I. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores modern songwriting techniques, song lyric theory, song form, melodic development, pop harmony and rhythm and grooves. Students will analyze a variety of recordings by top modern songwriters. Students will compose and record a number of original songs for the course. Requisite: Must be in the School of Graduate Music.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 726. Performing Arts Center and Facility Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Students learn the many aspects of managing a live entertainment and performing arts center facility. Logistics, management, budgeting, marketing and programming within a live entertainment and performing arts facility are addressed. Requisite: Graduate Plan of MBEI or MPR or JDMM or JDML.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 735. World of the Working Musician. 3 Credit Hours.
Building a career in the twenty-first century and beyond creates challenges both exciting and daunting. The purpose of this course is to provide grounding, critical information, as well as planning and vision for shaping the key components of launching and sustaining a career in the arts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 736. Sponsorship, Development, and Financial Management in the Live Entertainment Industry. 3 Credit Hours.
Students learn how to write and present a line-item budget for an arts presentation event, arts presenting organization, and an arts facility. Specific techniques and methods that are used to reduce event risk and safety are discussed. Requisite: Graduate Plan of MBEI or MPR or JDMM or JDML.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 738. Legal Aspects of the Live Entertainment Industry. 3 Credit Hours.
Students become familiar with various Artist, Client, Production, Vendor and Facility Contracts and Agreements commonly used in the industry. Requisite: Graduate Plan of MBEI or MPR or JDMM or JDML.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 739. Small Contemporary Ensemble. 1 Credit Hour.
A performing ensemble of student-generated contemporary musical repertoire. Requisite: Must be in the School of Graduate Music.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 740. Arts Presenting Project. 3 Credit Hours.
Students develop and produce an Arts Presenting event. Students will be responsible for all aspects of budgeting, marketing, promotion and production of the event. This will be a semester long project requiring the knowledge and skills learned throughout the Arts Presenting Program. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MMI 750. Music Business Agreements. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the legal agreements between different parties in the music business, such as record companies, recording artists, music producers, and licensees. Emphasis is placed on the different ways of contractually addressing intellectual property ownership and usage, compensation, and exclusive services. Requisite: Graduate Plan of MBEI or MPR or JDMM or JDML.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MMI 751. Recording Studio Workshop. 1 Credit Hour.
Introduction to the multi track recording studio environment. Hands-on lectures and labs including tracking, overdub and mixdown session management, techniques, and philosophies are included. Topics also include audio routing, equalization, effects, and microphone technique. Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 752. Music Licensing. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an in-depth exploration of an extensive variety of music licenses and international licensing concepts. Students acquire practical experience utilizing licensing parameters. Students will also be able to identify, explain, and apply music licensing terms and procedures. The licensing of music in print, sound recordings, the Internet, commercial productions, electrical transcriptions, synchronization for theatrical films and television programs, public performances and theatrical music productions are among the areas covered in this course. Students will also be able to identify and explain the various revenue streams and collection procedures of the international music business.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI 753. Transducer Workshop. 1 Credit Hour.
Fundamentals of electromagnetism and audio transducer theory including loudspeaker and microphone systems. Classical electro-acoustical analysis of transducers including acoustic suspensions, bass-reflex, transmission line, electrostatic and horn loudspeakers, dynamic, ribbon and condenser pressure, and pressure-gradient microphones. Students use computer-aided design programs and Thiele-Small parameterization to model loudspeakers and measure loudspeaker responses.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 759. Digital Audio and MIDI Production. 3 Credit Hours.
Weekly lab focused on Pro Tools proficiency and the intricacies of audio technology relating to a modern producer/film composer. Topics include Digital Audio definitions and uses, Pro Tools understanding, shortcuts and proficiency, and MIDI.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 760. Virtual Orchestration. 3 Credit Hours.
This project-based seminar/lab is designed to expose students to the basics of MIDI orchestration with particular emphasis on the creation of fully-realized mock-ups.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 761. Media Writing 1: Film Scoring Foundations. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminar in the aesthetics and psychology of mood music, sound-film synchronization, timing techniques, and scoring procedures. Analysis and performance of student projects is included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 762. Media Writing 2: Film Scoring Extensions. 3 Credit Hours.
Adaptation of previous semester’s techniques to television scripts and performed music. Pre-recording, direct recording, and dubbing procedures are included as well as preparation and performance of complete film cues. Each student is required to conduct his/her project.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 763. Media Writing 3: Video Game Scoring. 3 Credit Hours.
Project based seminar/workshop designed to provide students the opportunity to gain the skills, knowledge and experience necessary to produce a variety of musical works for use in visual media.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MMI 770. Synthestration. 3 Credit Hours.
Weekly lab focused on Sound Design/synthesis as it applies to the modern producer. Topics include different synthesis techniques, different waves, modulation controls, signal flow as it applies to modular synths, hardware synths vs “softsynths,” and FX processing common to synth instruments.

Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 771. Production 1: Recording and Production Techniques. 3 Credit Hours.
Recording studio production procedures. Topics include artist and material selection, session planning, and analysis of the producer’s role.

Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 772. Production 2: Audio FX Processing and Multitrack Mixing. 3 Credit Hours.
Project-based course designed to provide students with a clear understanding of most Audio effects used in Mixing and Music Production. Students are expected to complete one multitrack mix a week, and present to the class their work for critique and review. Additional emphasis is placed on psychoacoustics, room acoustics, and loudness.

Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MMI 773. Production 3: Advanced Production Seminar. 3 Credit Hours.
Project-based course designed to provide the opportunity to record, produce, mix, and commercially release an EP. Students are expected to use their music production skills to produce a studio-quality commercial recording of a fellow student, including recording, sound design, and mixing. Additional emphasis will be placed on budget management, studio and musician booking, mastering in preparation for release, and extras including meta-data and artwork.

Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 774. Music Copyright Law. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an in-depth study of the essential provisions of the U.S. copyright law as they are related to music. Requisite: Graduate Plan of MBEI or MPR or JDMM or JDML.

Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 780. Advanced Analysis of Current Topics in the Music Business. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides students with in-depth study of advanced topics in the music business, including recent developments in the areas of music licensing, copyright, international markets, live music, artist development, data management, and others. Particular focus is placed on ways to meet the current challenges facing the industry. Requisite: Graduate Plan of MBEI or MPR or JDMM or JDML.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MMI 793. Special Projects in Music Media and Industry. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member’s area of expertise and student’s area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.

Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MMI 794. Special Topics in Music Media and Industry. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member’s expertise and students’ areas of interest.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MMI 802. Music Business Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
Practical experience in different areas of the music business under the supervision of professional firms and the university.

Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MMI 804. Internship in Arts Presenting. 3 Credit Hours.
Practical experience in different areas of arts presenting under the supervision of professional firms and the university.
Components: PRA.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MMI 805. Master's Media Writing and Production Project. 1-3 Credit Hours.
This project will require supervised completion of a proposal, business plan, project completion and presentation, reflective journal, and media writing and production electronic press kit.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MMI 813. Master's Research Project. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's research project enrolls for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the project paper is accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MMI 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence and maintain full-time enrollment for the master's degree after the student has completed the required hours of thesis or project credit.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MMI CB1. Contemporary Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits; 1/2 hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Basic grooves and bassline construction. Analysis of different styles of rock, pop, rhythm & blues, and funk music. Introduction to acoustic, six-string electric, and fretless electric basses. Knowledge of beginning functional harmony and sight-reading skills will also be addressed.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CB3. Contemporary Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
One hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2 hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical requirements: Analysis of classic rhythm sections recorded throughout the last 50 years, including concentration on important and influential drummers in different styles of rock, pop, R&B, funk, latin, and jazz idioms. Live performance skills and studio techniques. Studies in jazz and modal harmony. Introduction to improvisation.
Prerequisite: MMI CBD.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CBB. Contemporary Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
One hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2 hour less for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical requirements: Basic grooves and bassline construction. Analysis of different styles of rock, pop, rhythm & blues, and funk music. Introduction to acoustic, six-string electric and fretless electric basses. Knowledge of beginning functional harmony and sight-reading skills will also be addressed.
Prerequisite: MMI CBA.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CBC. Contemporary Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
One hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2 hour less for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical requirements: Analysis of important bass players and styles, including Carol Kaye, James Jamerson, Larry Graham, Jack Bruce and others. Studies in intermediate harmony and introduction to standard American popular repertoire. Sight-reading, chart reading, and basic rhythm section arranging.
Prerequisite: MMI CBB.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MMI CBD. Contemporary Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
One hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2 hour less for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical requirements: Analysis of important bass players and styles, including Carol Kaye, James Jamerson, Larry Graham, Jack Bruce and others. Studies in intermediate harmony and introduction to standard American popular repertoire. Sight-reading, chart reading, and basic rhythm section arranging.
Prerequisite: MMI CBC.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CBF. Contemporary Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
One hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2 hour less for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical requirements: Analysis of classic rhythm sections recorded throughout the last 50 years, including concentration on important and influential drummers in different styles of rock, pop, R&B, funk, latin, and jazz idioms. Live performance skills and studio techniques. Studies in jazz and modal harmony. Introduction to improvisation.
Prerequisite: MMI CBE.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CBG. Contemporary Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
One hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2 hour less for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical requirements: Advanced jazz harmony and improvisation. World music and odd meter studies, including non-traditional styles and grooves. Advanced concepts of recording and performance, including starting and working within the context of an original band project. Elements of professionalism in the music business.
Prerequisite: MMI CBF.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CBH. Contemporary Bass. 1-2 Credit Hours.
One hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2 hour less for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical requirements: Advanced jazz harmony and improvisation. World music and odd meter studies, including non-traditional styles and grooves. Advanced concepts of recording and performance, including starting and working within the context of an original band project. Elements of professionalism in the music business.
Prerequisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CD1. Contemporary Drumset. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Sticking techniques, basic hand/foot patterns. Analysis of rock, pop, rhythm and blues, Latin and jazz styles. Basic chart reading.
Prerequisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CD3. Contemporary Drumset. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Tools to enhance soloing and executing grooves. Transcription/analysis of important drumset artists in major styles. Basic studio performance techniques, and relationship to singer/songwriter. Basic jazz performance elements. Basic world music rhythms.
Prerequisite: MMI CDD.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CDB. Contemporary Drumset. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Sticking techniques, basic hand/foot patterns. Analysis of rock, pop, rhythm and blues, Latin and jazz styles. Basic chart reading.
Prerequisite: MMI CDA.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MMI CDC. Contemporary Drumset. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Advanced sticking techniques, advanced hand/foot patterns. Transcription/analysis of important drum set artists in major styles. Advanced chart reading. Prerequisite: MMI CDB.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CDD. Contemporary Drumset. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Advanced sticking techniques, advanced hand/foot patterns. Transcription/analysis of important drum set artists in major styles. Advanced chart reading. Prerequisite: MMI CDC.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CDF. Contemporary Drumset. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Tools to enhance soloing and executing grooves. Transcription/analysis of important drum set artists in major styles. Basic studio performance techniques, and relationship to singer/songwriter. Basic jazz performance elements. Basic world music rhythms. Prerequisite: MMI CDE.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CDG. Contemporary Drumset. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Tools to enhance soloing and executing grooves. Transcription/analysis of important drum set artists in major styles. Basic studio performance techniques, and relationship to singer/songwriter. Advanced jazz performance elements. Advanced world rhythms. Development of individual voice in music. Prerequisite: MMI CDG.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CDH. Contemporary Drumset. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Advanced soloing techniques, odd groupings, displacement. Advanced studio performance techniques, and relationship to singer/songwriter. Advanced jazz performance elements, Advanced world rhythms. Development of individual voice in music. Prerequisite: MMI CDG.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CG1. Contemporary Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CG3. Contemporary Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MMI CGB. Contemporary Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MMI CGA.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CGC. Contemporary Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Advanced harmony. Advanced accompanying. Transcription/analysis of important guitar artists in major styles. Advanced chart reading and capoing techniques. Beginning alternate tunings.
Prerequisite: MMI CGB.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CGD. Contemporary Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Advanced harmony. Advanced accompanying. Transcription/analysis of important guitar artists in major styles. Advanced chart reading and capoing techniques. Beginning alternate tunings. Successful completion of Level D to move to Level E.
Prerequisite: MMI CGC.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CGF. Contemporary Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MMI CGE.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CGG. Contemporary Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MMI CGF.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CGH. Contemporary Guitar. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MMI CGG.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CK1. Contemporary Keyboard. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Beginning Gospel harmony (triads in all inversions), basic add-nine pop harmony. Beginning accompanying. Analysis of rock, pop, rhythm and blues, Latin, and jazz styles. Basic chart reading.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MMI CK3. Contemporary Keyboard. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Beginning pop improv. Beginning functional jazz harmony (thirds and sevenths). Basic jazz performance elements. Transcription/analysis of important keyboard artists in major styles. Basic studio performance techniques and relationship to singer/songwriter. Keyboard equipment, maintenance, patch libraries and sound editors.
Prerequisite: MMI CKD.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CKB. Contemporary Keyboard. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Beginning Gospel harmony (triads in all inversions), basic add-nine pop harmony. Beginning accompanying. Analysis of rock, pop, rhythm and blues, Latin, and jazz styles. Basic chart reading.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CKC. Contemporary Keyboard. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Advanced Gospel harmony. Advanced accompanying. Transcription/analysis of important keyboard artists in major styles. Advanced chart reading.
Prerequisite: MMI CKB.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CKD. Contemporary Keyboard. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Advanced Gospel harmony. Advanced accompanying. Transcription/analysis of important keyboard artists in major styles. Advanced chart reading.
Prerequisite: MMI CKC.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CKF. Contemporary Keyboard. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Beginning pop improv. Beginning functional jazz harmony (thirds and sevenths). Basic jazz performance elements. Transcription/analysis of important keyboard artists in major styles. Basic studio performance techniques and relationship to singer/songwriter. Keyboard equipment, maintenance, patch libraries and sound editors.
Prerequisite: MMI CKE.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CKG. Contemporary Keyboard. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MMI CKF.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CKH. Contemporary Keyboard. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MMI CKG.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MMI CM3. Contemporary Media. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MMI CMD.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CMB. Contemporary Media. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MMI CMA.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CMC. Contemporary Media. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MMI CMB.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CMD. Contemporary Media. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MMI CMC.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CMF. Contemporary Media. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MMI CME.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CMG. Contemporary Media. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MMI CMF.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CMH. Contemporary Media. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: MMI CMG.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CV1. Contemporary Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Warm-ups, Cool downs and introductory exercises for breath management. Attack in phonation, registration, resonance, articulation, coordination, microphone technique, key selection and vocal hygiene and maintenance. Beginning chart writing. Repertoire of original and contemporary songs in various styles as prescribed by the voice teacher.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CV3. Contemporary Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Demonstrate evidence of upper range extension with fully supported sound and appropriate modification of resonators, ability to self-prepare a song, advance knowledge of music styles and historical periods of contemporary music, effective communication of original songs. Advanced chart writing. Intermediate improvisation and ornamentation. Repertoire of original and contemporary songs in various styles as prescribed by the voice teacher.
Prerequisite: MMI CVD.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MMI CVB. Contemporary Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Warm-ups, Cool downs and introductory exercises for breath management. Attack in phonation, registration, resonance, articulation, coordination, microphone technique, key selection and vocal hygiene and maintenance. Beginning chart writing. Repertoire of original and contemporary songs in various styles as prescribed by the voice teacher.
Prerequisite: MMI CVA.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CVC. Contemporary Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Basic knowledge of musical styles and historical periods of contemporary music, effective communication of songs in a variety of contemporary styles. Intermediate chart writing. Beginning improvisation and ornamentation. Repertoire of original and contemporary songs in various styles as prescribed by the voice teacher.
Prerequisite: MMI CVB.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CVD. Contemporary Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Basic knowledge of musical styles and historical periods of contemporary music, effective communication of songs in a variety of contemporary styles. Intermediate chart writing. Beginning improvisation and ornamentation. Repertoire of original and contemporary songs in various styles as prescribed by the voice teacher.
Prerequisite: MMI CVC.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CVF. Contemporary Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Demonstrate evidence of upper range extension with fully supported sound and appropriate modification of resonators, ability to self-prepare a song, advance knowledge of music styles and historical periods of contemporary music, effective communication of original songs. Advanced chart writing. Intermediate improvisation and ornamentation. Repertoire of original and contemporary songs in various styles as prescribed by the voice teacher.
Prerequisite: MMI CVE.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CVH. Contemporary Voice. 1-2 Credit Hours.
1-hour lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, 1/2-hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Technical Requirements: Demonstrate perfect facility in required contemporary styles, ability to evaluate performances critically and coherently, facility with register changes in upper range, polished and artistic performance with accuracy in pitch, rhythm, good posture, breath management, phonation, resonance, and microphone technique. Advanced chart writing and studio vocal arranging techniques. Advanced improvisation and ornamentation. Repertoire of original and contemporary songs in various styles as prescribed by the voice teacher.
Prerequisite: MMI CVG.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MMI CX1. Contemporary Performance Instruction. 2 Credit Hours.
1-Hour Lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, ½ hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Applied instrument/voice instruction in contemporary, popular music performance. Freshman/Sophomore level.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CX3. Contemporary Performance Instruction. 2 Credit Hours.
1-Hour Lesson for students enrolled for 2 credits, ½ hour lesson for students enrolled for 1 credit. Applied advanced instrument/voice instruction in contemporary, popular music performance. Junior/Senior level.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MMI CXS. Secondary Contemporary Performance Instruction. 1 Credit Hour.
Secondary lessons. Additional lessons on an instrument that is not a principal instrument of the student. No juries or auditions needed. Taken in addition to the required 2 credit lessons. Does not count towards required lessons. Must be approved by private instructor.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LSN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

Musicology (MCY)

MCY 101. The World of Music. 1-3 Credit Hours.
For all new music majors, a novel introduction to music now and then, here and there; its ideas, its relations to other arts, and its role in human life.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MCY 121. Hip-Hop History, Culture, and Globalization. 3 Credit Hours.
A critical history and analysis of the hip-hop culture in the U.S. and beyond. The course will cover major historical periods hip-hop in the U.S. beginning in the 1970’s through its global impact in the 21st century. The course will also include analysis of technology, gender, race, sexuality, religion and politics related to hip-hop culture.
Requisite: Must not be in School of Music.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MCY 124. The Evolution of Jazz. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the origin, development, and styles of jazz music and its exponents. This course is not for music majors. Music majors should enroll in MSJ 113 and MSJ 213.
Requisite: Must not be in School of Music.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MCY 125. African-American Gospel Music. 3 Credit Hours.
This course surveys the stylistic evolution of African-American gospel music from the nineteenth-century folk spiritual to twenty-first century commercial genres. The focus is on the contributions of some of gospel music’s most influential figures, including Thomas Dorsey, Sallie Martin, William Herbert Brewster, Mahalia Jackson, James Cleveland, Shirley Caesar, Andraé Crouch, Fred Hammond, Kirk Franklin, and others.
Requisite: Must not be in School of Music.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MCY 127. Evolution of Rock. 3 Credit Hours.
Rock music from its sources to the present. Aural recognition of rock styles and selected performing artists are included. This course is not for music majors. Music majors should enroll in MCY 311.
Requisite: Must not be in School of Music.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MCY 131. Understanding Music. 3 Credit Hours.
A general introduction to the musical elements and the history of music from antiquity to the present. Primarily focuses on classical music, but also includes exposure to pop, jazz, and music traditions. This course is not for music majors. Music majors should enroll in MCY 140 and MCY 141.
Requisite: Must not be in School of Music.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MCY 140. Experiencing Music. 3 Credit Hours.
A broad introduction to musical elements, genres, periods, styles, and composers in the jazz, folk, popular, and world music traditions.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MCY 141. European Musical Traditions. 3 Credit Hours.
A broad introduction to musical elements, genres, periods, styles, and composers in the classical music tradition.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MCY 221. Anglo-American Song Traditions. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the origins, development, and styles of Anglo-American song traditions from English and Irish folk ballads, to shape-note and Sacred Harp hymnody, to early folk, country and bluegrass. Areas to be explored include the development of an American cultural identity and the political and socio-economic influences on the content and musical styles.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MCY 222. African-American Song Traditions. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the origins, development, and styles of African American song traditions from early plantation songs, shouts, hollers, and spirituals, to the development of blues traditions, to gospel. Areas to be explored include the development of an African American cultural consciousness and the political and socio-economic influences on the content and musical styles.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MCY 311. Modern American Pop Music. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the development of popular music in the United States from the 1950s to the early 21st century. Explores influential songwriters and performers, as well as the emergence of new technologies and musical styles in their social and cultural contexts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MCY 313. Music of Latin America. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the music of Latin America, with special emphasis on Mexico, Brazil, Argentina, the Andes, and the Caribbean. Covers folk, popular, and classical music traditions. Open to non-music majors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MCY 324. Music in Hebrew Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the folk, traditional, liturgical, and art music of the Jews. Particular attention is given to music on Jewish subjects, music employing traditional Jewish resources, and music by contemporary Jewish and Israeli composers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MCY 333. Introduction to Cuban Music. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of Cuban Music from the early European settlement to the present. Course addresses African and Caribbean influences and the amalgamation into new national styles, as well as current musical activity on the island and in expatriate communities.
Prerequisite: MCY 131 or equivalent music course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
MCY 335. Music and Peacebuilding: Local and Global Perspectives. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the role of music in conflict prevention and resolution, as well as violence in Miami and across the globe. This is a CIVIC service learning course. Students will work with a local service partner to gain hands on experience in peacebuilding.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MCY 341. Music of the Mediaeval, Renaissance, and Baroque Periods. 3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive, in-depth study of the musical styles and genres of the Mediaeval, Renaissance, and Baroque Eras, Important musical figures of these periods and analytical studies of important pieces of music from these periods are addressed.
Prerequisites: MTC 140 + 141 + 240 + 241 or Equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

MCY 342. Music of the Classical, Romantic, and Modern Periods. 3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive, in-depth study of the musical styles and genres of the Classical, Romantic, and Modern Eras of important musical figures of these periods, and analytical studies of important pieces of music from these periods.
Prerequisites: MTC 140 + 141 + 240 + 241 or Equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

MCY 493. Special Projects in Musicology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member’s area of expertise and student’s area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MCY 494. Special Topics in Musicology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member’s expertise and students’ areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MCY 520. History and Literature of the Wind Band. 3 Credit Hours.
An historical survey of wind band literature, the evolution of the military band, the wind band, and the wind orchestra.
Requisite: Music Majors, Upperclass Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MCY 521. Symphonic Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of orchestral music from the end of the seventeenth century to the present.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only Requisite: upperclassmen or permission of instructor Prerequisite: MCY 141 or MCY 342.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MCY 522. Operatic Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
The history and literature of opera from the end of the sixteenth century to the present.
Requisite: Music Majors, Upperclass Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MCY 524. Classical Music of the Twentieth and Twenty-First Centuries. 3 Credit Hours.
Music of the 20th and 21st centuries in the Western Art Music tradition, with emphasis on developments since 1945 in Europe and the Americas focusing on modernist, avant-garde, and postmodernist composers and works.
Requisite: Music Majors And Upperclass Status And MCY 141 or MCY 342.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
MCY 525. Art Song Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of the solo vocal literature from the 16th century to the present, with particular emphasis on the 19th-century French and German repertoire.
Requisite: Music Majors, Upperclass Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MCY 526. Keyboard Literature I. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of keyboard literature from its beginning to approximately 1750 emphasizing changes in styles of writing and expression, development of techniques suited to the primary instruments in use (including the early organ, clavichord, harpsichord and fortepiano), ornamentation both specified and improvised, forms, and ideas for interpretation based on historical sources.
Requisite: Music Majors, Upperclass Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MCY 527. Keyboard Literature II. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of solo keyboard literature from approximately 1750 to the present emphasizing changes in styles of writing and expression, development of technique suited to the primary instruments in use (including the clavichord, harpsichord, fortepiano and modern piano), embellishment both specified and improvised, forms, and ideas for interpretation based on historical sources (including facsimiles, printed scores, written records and sound recordings, particularly those by the composers themselves).
Requisite: Music Majors, Upperclass Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MCY 529. Music of the Baroque Period. 3 Credit Hours.
Literature and history of music from the end of the sixteenth to the middle of the eighteenth centuries.
CRS: Music Majors Only, Upper Class Standing or Permission of Instructor. and Prerequisite: MCY 141 or MCY 342.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MCY 530. Music of the Classical Period. 3 Credit Hours.
The musical styles which developed between the mid-eighteenth century and the nineteenth century.
CRS: Music Majors Only, Upper Class Standing or Permission of Instructor. and Prerequisite: MCY 141 or MCY 342.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MCY 532. History of Chamber Music. 3 Credit Hours.
Styles and forms in chamber music literature from the seventeenth century to the present.
Requisite: Music Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MCY 533. Music of the Romantic Period. 3 Credit Hours.
The musical styles which developed during the nineteenth century.
CRS: Music Majors Only, Upper Class Standing or Permission of Instructor. and Prerequisite: MCY 141 or MCY 342.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

MCY 537. Music in the United States. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of music in the United States from the 19th century through the 20th century. The course explores some of the diverse ways that peoples from differing backgrounds have created and used music to express notions of themselves, their cultures, and this country.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MCY 538. Music, Gender, and Sexuality. 3 Credit Hours.
An exploration of music from around the world from the perspective of women. We will examine the roles women have played, and still play, as creators and performers in art music and popular music traditions. Representations of women and gender ideologies will also be discussed.
Requisite: Upperclass Status or Permission from Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MCY 540. Music and Religion. 3 Credit Hours.
Music and Religion are fundamental aspects of human existence, evidence of which goes back some 30,000 years. This seminar course will explore musical and religious experiences in human history and the use of music within major religious traditions. It will include specific study of some of the major monuments of sacred music of the western classical tradition.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MCY 553. Miami's Musical Heritage. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the musical traditions and practices of the various cultures that are part of Miami's unique multi-ethnic society.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

MCY 554. Music Cultures of the World. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of music culture of the region including the music of folk societies, popular artists, and classical musicians. Open to non-majors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MCY 562. Music of Argentina and Brazil. 3 Credit Hours.
An in-depth study of Argentine and Brazilian musical cultures covering folk, popular, and classical traditions. Open to non-majors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MCY 564. Seminar in Latin American Music Collections. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines Latin American music materials at the Cuban Heritage Collection and Special Collections at the Richter Library. Focuses on interpreting original documents and acquiring archival techniques.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MCY 583. History of the American Musical Theatre. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the development of musical theatre from its European opera and operetta background to an indigenous American art form. The areas to be explored include the rise and fall of various genre of musical shows, integration of story, song and dance, important producers, directors, lyricists, composers, and new fields such as director-choreographer. The development of an American cultural consciousness and political and socio-economic trends of various decades that greatly influenced the content and form of musical shows is also examined.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MCY 593. Special Projects in Musicology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member's area of expertise and student's area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MCY 594. Special Topics in Musicology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/course instruction pertaining to faculty member's expertise and students' areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MCY 620. History and Literature of the Wind Band. 3 Credit Hours.
An historical survey of wind band literature, the evolution of the military band, the wind band, and the wind orchestra.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MCY 621. Symphonic Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of orchestral music from the end of the seventeenth century to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
MCY 622. Operatic Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
The history and literature of opera from the end of the sixteenth century to the present.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

MCY 624. Classical Music of the Twentieth and Twenty-First Centuries. 3 Credit Hours.
Music of the 20th and 21st centuries in the Western Art Music tradition, with emphasis on developments since 1945 in Europe and the Americas focusing on modernist, avant-garde, and postmodernist.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

MCY 625. Art Song Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of the solo vocal literature from the 16th century to the present, with particular emphasis on the 19th-century French and German repertoire.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

MCY 626. Keyboard Literature I. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of keyboard literature from its beginning to approximately 1750 emphasizing changes in styles of writing and expression, development of techniques suited to the primary instruments in use (including the early organ, clavichord, harpsichord and forte-piano), ornamentation both specified and improvised, forms, and ideas for interpretation based on historical sources.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

MCY 627. Keyboard Literature II. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of solo keyboard literature from approximately 1750 to the present emphasizing changes in styles of writing and expression, development of technique suited to the primary instruments in use (including the clavichord, harpsichord, forte-piano and modern piano), embellishment both specified and improvised, forms, and ideas for interpretation based on historical sources (including facsimiles, printed scores, written records and sound recordings, particularly those by the composers themselves).
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

MCY 629. Music of the Baroque Period. 3 Credit Hours.
Literature and history of music from the end of the sixteenth to the middle of the eighteenth centuries.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.

MCY 630. Music of the Classical Period. 3 Credit Hours.
The musical styles which developed between the mid-eighteenth century and the nineteenth century.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

MCY 632. History of Chamber Music. 3 Credit Hours.
Styles and forms in chamber music literature from the seventeenth century to the present.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

MCY 633. Music of the Romantic Period. 3 Credit Hours.
The musical styles which developed during the nineteenth century.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

MCY 635. Choral Literature I. 2 Credit Hours.
Choral music of the sixteenth through the eighteenth centuries. A combination of lecture-discussion and class performance.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.
MCY 636. Choral Literature II. 2 Credit Hours.
Choral music of the nineteenth and twentieth centuries. A combination of lecture-discussion and class performance.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MCY 637. Music in the United States. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of music in the United States from the 19th century through the 20th century. The course explores some of the diverse ways that peoples from differing backgrounds have created and used music to express notions of themselves, their cultures, and this country.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MCY 638. Music, Gender, and Sexuality. 3 Credit Hours.
An exploration of music from around the world from the perspective of women. We will examine the roles women have played, and still play, as creators and performers in art music and popular music traditions. Representations of women and gender ideologies will also be discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MCY 640. Music and Religion. 3 Credit Hours.
Music and Religion are fundamental aspects of human existence, evidence of which goes back some 30,000 years. This seminar course will explore musical and religious experiences in human history and the use of music within major religious traditions. It will include specific study of some of the major monuments of sacred music of the western classical tradition.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MCY 653. Miami's Musical Heritage. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the musical traditions and practices of the various cultures that are part of Miami's unique multi-ethnic society
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

MCY 654. Music Cultures of the World. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of music culture of the region including the music of folk societies, popular artists, and classical musicians. Open to non-majors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

MCY 662. Music of Argentina and Brazil. 3 Credit Hours.
An in-depth study of Argentine and Brazilian musical cultures covering folk, popular, and classical traditions. Open to non-majors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MCY 683. History of the American Musical Theatre. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the development of musical theatre from its European opera and operetta background to an indigenous American art form. The areas to be explored include the rise and fall of various genre of musical shows, integration of story, song and dance, important producers, directors, lyricists, composers, and new fields such as director-choreographer. The development of an American cultural consciousness and political and socio-economic trends of various decades that greatly influenced the content and form of musical shows is also examined.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
MCY 693. Special Projects in Musicology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member's area of expertise and student's area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MCY 694. Special Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member's expertise and students' areas of interest.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MCY 7. B.A. in Music Forum. 0 Credit Hours.
Forum for this major will provide programs on and discussion of the role of the musical arts in society for people in a wide range of careers.
Components: FOR.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MCY 702. Interpreting Music History and Culture: An Introduction to Musicology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course functions as an introduction to the study of musicology and ethnomusicology at an advanced level. Students will become acquainted with research methodologies as well as major debates in the field from the last thirty years. The goal is for students to leave the course with the ability to conduct independent research in musicology and ethnomusicology.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MCY 711. Musicology Pedagogy. 3 Credit Hours.
Musicology Pedagogy: The course explores various philosophies of and approaches to teaching music history and literature.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

MCY 716. Graduate Musicology Forum. 0 Credit Hours.
Graduate Musicology Forum: A weekly gathering of faculty and students featuring lectures and discussion on current topics in musicology and ethnomusicology.
Components: FOR.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MCY 720. Jazz Cultures: History and Historiography. 3 Credit Hours.
This course surveys a range of the sounds and practices that have been called jazz over the past century and explores some of the ways in which musicians, educators, scholars, journalists, audiences, and others have understood and shaped this genre.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

MCY 728. Music Bibliography. 3 Credit Hours.
The course introduces students to a range of research materials dealing with music history and literature. In addition, students will gain the necessary skills to engage successfully in academic research, with a focus on source citation, formatting, and argumentative writing.
Requisite: Frost School of Music only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

MCY 793. Special Projects in Musicology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced individual instruction pertaining to faculty member’s area of expertise and student’s area of interest. This course includes a culminating project.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
MCY 794. Special Topics in Musicology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced group/classroom instruction pertaining to faculty member's expertise and students' areas of interest.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MCY 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

MCY 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence and maintain full-time enrollment for the master's degree after the student has completed the required hours of thesis credit.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Neuroscience Program (NEU)

NEU 100. Introduction to Neuroscience (EXP). 3 Credit Hours.
Students examine the basic aspects of neuroscience research, specifically targeting neurological disorders. Tools and techniques used in the area of neuroscience such as biochemistry, molecular biology, electrophysiology, light and electron microscopy, confocal microscopy, and image analysis will be addressed. Discussions will also include topics in lab diagnostic techniques as well as state of the art instrumentation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

NEU 190. Faculty Overview of Research and Undergraduate Mentoring (FORUM). 1 Credit Hour.
Critical discussion of research reports in neuroscience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NEU 200. Introduction to Psychiatry (EXP). 3 Credit Hours.
The course will cover basic aspects of Psychiatry and behavioral sciences. We will emphasize the impact of evidence-based findings on the diagnosis, etiology, management and treatment of all major psychiatric disorders. Concepts such as history of psychiatry, evolution of the psychiatric nomenclature, childhood and adult development, brain circuitry, neurotransmitters, psychotherapies and pharmacological mechanisms of most commonly used medications will be discussed. We will utilize lectures, small group discussions as well as videos and live patient interviews. Students will be able to observe a patient interview by a faculty.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

NEU 280. Introduction to Research Projects I. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students assist on a research project in neuroscience under supervision of a faculty member. Activities include library research, data collection and management, and attendance at research team meetings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NEU 342. Neural Mechanisms of Disease. 3 Credit Hours.
Cellular and molecular mechanisms underlying nervous system dysfunction and mental illness. Biological bases, including clinical and therapeutic aspects, of specific neurological disorders.
Prerequisite: BIL 268 or PSY 220 or PSY 425.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
NEU 380. Introduction to Research Projects II. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students assist on a research project in neuroscience under supervision of a faculty member. Activities include library research, data collection and management, and attendance at research team meetings.
Prerequisite: PSY 291 or PSY 292. Requisite: UASP and Faculty Permission, 2.5 NEU GPA.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NEU 400. Neurogenetics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the role of genetics/epigenetics in the development of neurological diseases in humans. The availability of the complete human genome sequence and a compendium of genetic variants distributed throughout the human genome in a readily accessible database, together with genetic modification technologies have greatly accelerated the discovery of genes involved in disease. We will discuss how genetic or epigenetic variations can affect the nervous system, leading to a range of genetic disorders. Examples from single-gene recessive defects to complex diseases will be presented. Methods to identify genes involved in disease as well as pathogenesis studies and therapeutic approaches will also be discussed. Lastly, an introduction to the ethical challenges of obtaining and dealing with human genetic information will be presented.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NEU 403. Neuroscience laboratory. 4 Credit Hours.
Research methods and laboratory experiments in contemporary neuroscience from individual cells to behavior. Scientific report writing and computer application s in experimental design and analysis.
Prerequisite: PSY 390, BIL 268 or PSY 425. Or Corequisite: PSY 425. Requisite: Senior Status.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

NEU 440. Neural Mechanisms of Psychiatric Disorders. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of different neuropsychiatric disorders including, but not limited to, schizophrenia, depression, post-traumatic stress disorder, drug dependence and abuse, and obsessive-compulsive disorders. Lectures are derived from current research articles looking at in depth mechanisms of these disorders. It is expected that students have a good understanding of neuroscience before registering for this course. This course will include active learning and grades are based upon two projects including writing a script and creating a short video that highlights drugs and other treatments used for these disorders and preparing a poster based upon a published article and presenting it to the class in a poster session format. In addition, there will be two exams designed to test the student’s knowledge of the material presented in class and in the readings.
Prerequisite: BIL 268 or PSY 220 or PSY 425. and USAP Permission.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NEU 465. Cellular and Molecular Neuroscience. 3 Credit Hours.
Biophysical, biochemical, and structural features of nerve muscle and sensory c ells. Basic cellular processes underlying function and development of nervous system.
Prerequisite: BIL 255, BIL 268 or PSY 220, and CHM 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

NEU 468. Developmental Neuroscience.. 3 Credit Hours.
Cellular and molecular aspects of nervous system including neuronal differentiation.
Prerequisite: BIL 255, BIL 268 or PSY 220, and CHM 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NEU 480. Research with Writing Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students assist on a research project in neuroscience under supervision of a faculty member. Activities include library research, data collection and management, and attendance at research team meetings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
NEU 580. Senior Honors in Neuroscience I. 3 Credit Hours.
Students work closely with a faculty member to design a unique research study and write a scientific paper to report on the results. Limited to undergraduate students only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NEU 581. Senior Honors in Neuroscience II. 3 Credit Hours.
Students work closely with a faculty member to design a unique research study and write a scientific paper to report on the results. Limited to undergraduate students only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NEU 601. Introduction to Neuroscience Techniques. 1 Credit Hour.
Hands-on exercises in research laboratories introduce first-year Neuroscience students to methodologies commonly used in the Neurosciences. The course includes selected techniques from electrophysiology, immunocytochemistry, fluorescence microscopy, recombinant DNA, protein immunoblotting, and functional imaging. Students are required to complete a lab notebook of each exercise. There is also a segment on database searches.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

NEU 609. Research. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Students work with individual members of the program faculty on research problems. Provides orientation as to the areas of research in the field and the techniques used.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NEU 641. Statistics in Neuroscience. 1 Credit Hour.
This course will provide basic information necessary to appropriately design experiments and analyze and interpret data in the behavioral and biological sciences. A lecture/discussion format will be used. The course will cover research methodology, basic statistical concepts, and an in-depth discussion of descriptive (measures of central tendency, variability and correlation) and inferential statistics (both parametric and non-parametric tests of significance). In addition, various statistical computer programs will be reviewed. Specific topics include: 1. Statistical terminology; 2. Measurement scales; 3. Plotting your data for initial interpretation; 4. Measures of central tendency and variability; 5. Type I and Type II errors and controlling power; 6. Which statistical test do I use for my data? 7. What can I conclude from my data and does it mean anything? Students will be evaluated based on their understanding of statistical design and data interpretation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NEU 650. Modeling CNS injury and Repair. 1 Credit Hour.
This course provides an overview of a number of complex modeling systems using in CNS Injury and Repair biomedical research. The course examines models, such as spinal cord injury, traumatic brain injury, ischemic/stroke injury, experimental autoimmune encephalomyelitis (EAE) model of multiple sclerosis, axon regeneration in retinal nerve and spinal cord, and drosophila models of degeneration. The course will consist of both lectures and hands-on laboratory components. Elective
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

NEU 700. Seminars in Neuroscience. 1 Credit Hour.
Required each Fall and Spring for all NEU students, emphasizes student research presentations (30 min each for 2nd year students; 60 min each for student 3rd year on). Attendance at neuroscience related seminars is also required.
Requisite: Neuroscience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

NEU 711. Accelerated Basic Science Medical Curriculum. 1-18 Credit Hours.
From late June to mid-February, the following accelerated and intensive complete basic science medical curriculum is offered: Embryology, Gross Anatomy, Histology, Biochemistry, Neuroanatomy, Biophysics and Neurophysiology, Systemic Physiology, Pathology, Medical Microbiology, and Pharmacology. A single grade will be entered on the graduate transcript for this course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
NEU 720. Research in Residence. 0 Credit Hours.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master’s degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in Master’s Thesis (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NEU 721. Principles of Membrane Physiology and Biophysics I. 2 Credit Hours.
Course discusses chemical and physical structure of membranes, model systems, permeability and transport, membrane potential, ionic channels, excitability in nerve and muscle, ionophores, active transport, and membrane receptors. Identical with MCP 641.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NEU 722. Principles of Membrane Physiology and Biophysics II. 2 Credit Hours.
Course topics include osmosis and cell volume, tracer analysis of permeability and compartmentation, theory of channels and carriers, cable properties, Hodgkin-Huxley formalism, Na, K, and Ca ion channels, regulation of cellular Na, Ca activities, single-channel analysis, chemical synapses, membrane receptors, cell junctions, excitation and E-C coupling in muscle. Identical with MCP 642.
Prerequisite: NEU 721.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NEU 731. Advanced Topics in Neuroscience. 1 Credit Hour.
Special work, lecture, laboratory, reading, seminar, or a combination of these as determined by advisor in accordance with student’s interest.
Requisite: Neuroscience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NEU 761. NEU I - Molecular and Cellular Neuroscience. 2 Credit Hours.
An advanced introduction to modern neurobiology, focusing on the cellular and molecular biology of neurons, glia, synapses, and sensory receptors.
Requisite: Neuroscience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NEU 762. NEU II - Systems Neuroscience. 4 Credit Hours.
The course aims to provide a general, but intensive, background to the neurosciences beyond Cellular Neuroscience (NEU 661) and Developmental Neuroscience (NEU 663) and to prepare students for more specialized neuroscience courses, for lab rotations, and for subsequent dissertation work. NEU 662 will present sensory, motor and integrative neuroscience at the level of functional systems, but will do so in the context of cellular and molecular neuroscience. The course concentrates on the experimental basis for our understanding of nervous system function and uses both didactic lectures and student discussions of current research literature. The course expects that students have a working knowledge of synaptic transmission, excitable cell membranes, and ion channels from previous coursework in PHS 641/2 and NEU 661, as well as a general knowledge of biochemistry and molecular biology from their PIBS course. It will also be useful to have taken NEU 663. [Pre-requisites: PHS641/2 and NEU661, or in exceptional cases, permission of instructors].
Requisite: Neuroscience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NEU 763. Developmental Neuroscience. 2 Credit Hours.
This course will explore nervous system development from early neural induction and neurogenesis to the construction of neural circuits. Cellular and molecular mechanisms of neurulation and CNS patterning, neural progenitor migration, neural crest and ectodermal placodes, programmed cell death, construction of neural circuits and axon guidance, and synaptogenesis will be covered.
Requisite: Neuroscience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
NEU 797. Neuroanatomy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to teach functional neuroanatomy to individuals engaged in basic neuroscience research. Therefore, most of the emphasis will be placed upon gross anatomy, identification of pathways and circuits, and a description of the physiological functions of neuroanatomical systems. To the extent that it may help to explain functional aspects of the nervous system, each lecture will contain some clinical examples and/or case histories. An important feature of each class period will be a laboratory segment in which the student will study human and sheep brains, examine models of the brain, and use internet neuroanatomy websites containing pictures, text, clinical examples, and 3-dimensional rotations of the nervous system.
Requisite: Neuroscience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

NEU 810. Master's Thesis. 1-12 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NEU 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required for all PhD students before passing the Qualifying Examination. The student will enroll for credits as determined by the Program Office, but no more than a total of 6 credits.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NEU 840. Doctoral Dissertation- Post Candidacy. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required for all PhD students before passing the Qualifying Examination. The student will enroll for credits as determined by the Program Office, but no more than a total of 6 credits.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NEU 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Students register in the semester they plan to submit their dissertation to the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**Nursing (NUR)**

NUR 100. Introduction to Nursing. 3 Credit Hours.
This is an introductory course to explore the various roles and responsibilities of the professional nurse in American health care. Major issues within health care today will be discussed and the impact they have on professional nursing will be explored.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 200. Process of Health Promotion. 3 Credit Hours.
Healthcare: A process of health promotion, maintenance, rehabilitation, and preventative medicine.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

NUR 202. Introductory Statistics in Health Care. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of descriptive and inferential statistics. Principles and methods of summarizing data including tables, graphs, percentile ranks, central tendency, variability, normal distribution. Basic concepts of probability, hypothesis testing, and analysis of variance. Examples and problems from nursing and health sciences.
Corequisite: MTH 101. Or Requisite: ALEKS ≥ 55 or SAT Score ≥ 630 or ACT ≥ 28.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
NUR 205. Personal Nutrition. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of nutrition integrated with cultural dietary patterns across the lifespan. Not for nursing majors or minors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 207. Introduction to Pharmacology. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the basic principles of therapeutic pharmacology. Special consideration of cultural beliefs and folk medicine included. Emphasis is on the understanding of the different classes of drugs and their application in various health care settings.
Prerequisites: BIL 150 and CHM 103 or 111 or 121 and HCS 212/215.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 300. Seminar in Inter-Professional Health Care. 1 Credit Hour.
This course will introduce the core competencies of inter professional collaborative practice using guidelines from the Institute of Medicine, Quality and Safety Education for Nurses and the Inter professional Education Consortium. Concepts of team based care will be discussed. The course will offer online activities as well as face-to-face team based activities with other healthcare professionals.
Requisite: Nursing Major and Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

NUR 301. Human Sexuality and Vulnerable Populations. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of human sexuality via multidisciplinary theoretical perspectives and research. Students will examine the complex relationships of the physiological, psychological, cultural, gender, religious, historical, and political aspects of human sexuality. Human sexuality in the context of health disparities will form the foundation for the course. WRITING COURSE
Prerequisite: BPH 206 or Requisite: Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 303. HIV/AIDS and Health Maintenance for Health Care Providers. 3 Credit Hours.
Definition, diagnosis, management, and care of diverse patient populations with HIV infection and AIDS. Course is presented and discussed from an interdisciplinary health care perspective.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 304. Adult Health I: Fundamentals of Nursing Practice. 6 Credit Hours.
This clinical course emphasizes the supervised application of health assessment skills, nursing process, and clinical nursing techniques in the clinical laboratory, community, and acute care settings.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NUR 305. Issues in Health Disparities. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will be an introduction to the general research on health systems and health disparities. Emphasis will be placed on social, biological, economic and social policy issues that impact on the health of minority populations. Concepts associated with epidemiology, poverty, racism, public policy and international politics will be explored. WRITING COURSE
Prerequisite: BPH 206 or Requisite: Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NUR 306. Principles of Nutrition. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of nutrition integrated with cultural dietary patterns for client adaptation across the lifespan.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
NUR 307. Pharmacology. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the basic principles of therapeutic pharmacology. Special consideration of cultural beliefs and folk medicine included.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NUR 308. Adult Health II. 7 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the nursing management of the client throughout the adult life cycle who experiences alterations and/or adaptations in physiologic defense mechanisms. Teaching strategies to be utilized include lecture, discussion, critical thinking exercises.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NUR 310. Global Health. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the concepts of global health and the critical links between public health and social and economic development. Determinants of health and patterns of disease and health outcomes across the globe are critically examined. The course reviews the determinants of health status in terms of biology, demography, epidemiology, culture, sociology, economics, and politics. Key concerns regarding reproductive health, child survival, nutrition, communicable diseases, and chronic diseases are examined. Health care delivery in developed vs. undeveloped regions of the world are emphasized.
Prerequisite: BPH 206.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 311. Theories and Concepts of Nursing. 2 Credit Hours.
An introductory nursing course explaining the philosophy of baccalaureate nursing using the major concepts of person, environment, health, and nursing with a multicultural focus.
Requisite: Nursing Major and Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 314. Health Assessment and Promotion. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to health assessment using a lifespan approach. Emphasis is on the development of data collection and basic decision-making using health assessment findings.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NUR 315. Pathophysiology. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of the physiologic and biologic manifestations of disease and disease processes. Emphasis is placed on physiology of altered health within the context of disruptions of structure and function of the human body as a whole.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NUR 317. Theories in Growth and Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of growth and development theories through the lifespan with a case study approach to issues commonly encountered nursing practice in a variety of clinical settings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

NUR 318. Women's Health Nursing. 4 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the use of the nursing process in the care of women and the care of mothers and newborns with an emphasis on health promotion, illness prevention and nursing clinical management of chronic and acute conditions.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
NUR 319. Contemporary Issues in Bioethics for Health Care. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will cover bioethical issues in the health care environment, including ethical principles, theories and decision making strategies. WRITING COURSE
Prerequisite: BPH 206.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 320. Child and Adolescent Health Nursing. 4 Credit Hours.
This course focuses in the use of the nursing process to develop and implement nursing management strategies for children and their families experiencing acute, chronic, and critical multi-system health alterations within a multicultural content. Use of the nursing process to expand and develop appropriate clinical interventions and a member of the health care team. Students will build on foundation skills in critical thinking, collaboration, and leadership in the provision of nursing care.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NUR 350. Pathophysiology/Pharmacology for RN-to-BSN. 4 Credit Hours.
This course presents the study of the physiological and biologic manifestations of disease and disease processes, and introduces the basic principles of therapeutic pharmacology. Emphasis is placed on the physiology of altered health within the context of disruptions of structure and function of the human body as a whole. Special consideration of cultural beliefs and folk medicine is included.
Requisite: Must be in the RN to BSN program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 390. Advanced Placement Practice I for RN-to-BSN Students. 10 Credit Hours.
Nursing Management of the client throughout adulthood who experiences alterations and/or adaptations/maladaptions in physiologic defense mechanisms; complex alteration and/or adaptations in organ system function. The client in this course is identified as the individual, family or significant others. Course content emphasizes concepts of infection, the surgical client, immunity and altered cell growth, utilizing the nursing theories and the nursing process. Assists adult clients to adjust to multistystem alterations/adaptations/maladaptions in the endocrine, cardiovascular, respiratory, immunological and hemopoietic, nervous, musculoskeletal, digestive, and renal urinary systems. Specific models are utilized to enhance the teaching of critical thinking. Research findings are utilized to support nursing interventions.
Requisite: Must be in the RN to BSN program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 400. Theories, Research and Evidence-Based Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
Course emphasis is placed on developing an understanding of the research process and application of research findings in community-based practice in multicultural settings. Course focuses on the relationship between theory, research, practice, and the development of competencies to become an informed consumer of research. Writing Credit.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 401. Evidence-Based Nursing Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines evidence-based practice in nursing. Focuses on the research process; location, critical appraisal, and evaluation of evidence; application and evaluation of evidence-based practice changes; and quality improvement.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.
NUR 402. Global Health Disparities Research. 3 Credit Hours.
This is a 4 week intensive educational experience that prepares students to be successful conducting supervised health disparities research as part of the MHIRT program at a foreign institution, disseminating findings, and applying to graduate school. The training program is broken into a preparation phase (3 weeks prior to leaving to their host country), and a dissemination phase (1 week after they return). Students will be working as a research assistant at a foreign site for eight weeks in between the preparation and dissemination phases of this training program. Students will learn about the influence of culture and healthcare policy on health and health disparities, research design, statistics, communicating research findings and careers in health disparities research.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 403. Advanced Placement Practice II for RN-to-BSN Students. 10 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the nursing process in the care of pediatric clients and families, the obstetrical client, and women's health. Emphasis is on the use of the nursing process to assist clients to adapt to health alterations requiring care in secondary health care settings. This course covers care of the pediatric client and the childbearing client and women's health.
Requisite: Must be in the RN to BSN program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 405. Professionalism and Career Pathways. 3 Credit Hours.
This nursing course focuses on the assessment and development of a career pathway for registered nurses seeking a Bachelor’s in the Science of Nursing professional nursing practice. There will be a focus on concepts of professionalism, roles in nursing, advanced practice, diversity, culture and a critical analysis of legal, ethical and political dimensions of nursing practice.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 406. Current Issues in Healthcare. 3 Credit Hours.
The focus of this course is to explore and understand current and emerging healthcare issues as well as discuss how nurses as members of interprofessional healthcare teams contribute to positive patient outcomes. Students will integrate their professional nursing practice experiences to enrich discussions of current and emerging healthcare issues.
Prerequisite: NUR 311. And NUR 314. And NUR 350. And NUR 400.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 408. Genetics and Healthcare. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of basic knowledge in genomics, understanding of social, cultural and psychological implications of genetic services, health prevention and promotion.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

NUR 411. Adult Health III. 5 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the adult experiencing complex multisystem alteration/adaptations in organ and system function. Emphasis is on the use of the nursing process to assist adult clients to adapt to system related insults.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
NUR 412. Epidemiology for Population-Based Care. 2 Credit Hours.
During this course students will examine the principles of epidemiology including, the historical evolution of epidemiology, the natural history of disease, epidemiologic models, and epidemiologic research. Health and disease is conceptualized as a complex interaction between individual relationships, community and socio-economic-political level factors with unique considerations for target populations across the lifespan. The process of disease surveillance is discussed including trends in communicable and non-communicable disease as well as the measures of morbidity (e.g., incidence and prevalence) and mortality. Factors, or determinants of health, that contribute to distribution of disease in populations are discussed. The effect of health care policy and health economics on disease distribution is considered. How the interaction of the determinants of health, health care policy, and health economics contribute to health disparities is also examined. Disease surveillance and health promotion are examined from a global perspective. The impact of the environment on health is also discussed. Finally, introductory disaster management concepts are reviewed as they relate to the care of populations affected by disasters.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

NUR 414. Advanced Placement Practice III for RN-to-BSN Students. 10 Credit Hours.
Content emphasizes concepts and themes of families and communities and the use of the nursing process to assist in promoting and maintaining health. The behavioral health focuses on psychotherapeutic processes across the life span. Emphasis is on planning nursing care for individuals, families and groups and professional and therapeutic communication skills and techniques. Explores the influence of neuro-physiology and psychopharmacology on the development of psychiatric and mental health services and the evolution of the role of the psychiatric nurse.
Requisite: Must be in the RN to BSN program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 415. Perianesthesia Nursing. 3 Credit Hours.
The focus of this course is on the use of the nursing process to develop and implement nursing management strategies for patients and families undergoing a surgical and/or special procedure. Emphasis is placed on the use of a multicultural nursing perspective to plan and implement nursing interventions. This course highlights perianesthesia nursing care of surgical patients.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 417. Pre-Immersion Course for Accelerated Option Students. 0 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to facilitate personal and professional success; this course introduces students to the purposes and processes of nursing. An emphasis is placed on study, communication, and critical thinking skills that support academic achievement. Students also examine the relationship between learning and motivation.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: DIL.
Grading: NON.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

NUR 418. Pre-Immersion for Traditional Option Students. 0 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to facilitate personal and professional success; this course introduces students to the purposes and processes of nursing. An emphasis is placed on study, communication, and critical thinking skills that support academic achievement. Students also examine the relationship between learning and motivation.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: NON.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 424. Math Essentials for BSN Students. 0 Credit Hours.
This course supports students with basic to advanced medical math concepts. Topics include calculating dosages, using scientific formulas and basic statistical principles.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
NUR 426. Leadership and Management in Nursing. 5 Credit Hours.
Analysis and synthesis of the application of professional concepts in a variety of multicultural health care delivery systems. Emphasis is placed on personal, professional, and organizational growth. Individualized and integrated clinical experiences are provided through direct clinical supervision by preceptors.
Requisite: Must be in the RN to BSN program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NUR 430. Leadership in Nursing. 3 Credit Hours.
Theoretical and applied concepts of transition to the nursing role within the healthcare setting are explored in this course. The focus is on practice issues and responsibilities in contemporary professional nursing practice. Emphasis is placed on the transition to practice and nursing care systems with increasing responsibility through discussion of practice theory and styles, empowering, mentoring, managing change and striving for excellence. Seminar discussion topics will focus on the issues of successful transition to the practice environment as new nurse.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

NUR 435. Clinical Express Undgr. 0-5 Credit Hours.
This course is an online orientation for clinical faculty at the School of Nursing and Health Studies. The content is specific to clinical instructors who will be supervising BSN nursing students at various clinical sites used by the School of Nursing and Health Studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NUR 440. Population Focused Nursing. 4 Credit Hours.
The focus is on population-focused nursing and community-oriented approaches to understanding and addressing major public health concerns across the life span. Emphasis is on assessing, planning, implementing and evaluating programs for a variety of communities both domestically and internationally. Health and disease is conceptualized as a complex interaction between individual, relationship, community and socio-economic-political level factors. Epidemiology, sociology, behavioral sciences and nursing theory and practice are integrated throughout. Special attention is given to addressing the unique needs of vulnerable populations and cultural groups, the elimination of health disparities, and social justice.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 441. Public Health Nursing. 2 Credit Hours.
The focus of this course is on public health nursing and community-oriented approaches to addressing major public health concerns across the life span. Emphasis is on assessing, planning, implementing and evaluating programs for a variety of communities both domestically and internationally. The provision of knowledge related to epidemiology, sociology, behavioral sciences and nursing theory and practice is required throughout this process. Special attention is given to addressing the unique needs of vulnerable populations and cultural groups, the elimination of health disparities, and social justice considering the population aggregate's determinants of health. Finally, the varying roles of the public health nurse are examined, including that of the public health nurse in disaster response.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

NUR 448. Psychiatric Mental Health Nursing. 4 Credit Hours.
The focus in on psychotherapeutic processes across the life span. Emphasis is on planning nursing care for individuals, families, and communities with a variety of psychiatric and mental health problems in various settings (inpatient, outpatient, community). Professional and therapeutic communication skills and techniques are important components of this course.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
NUR 453. Role Transition. 5 Credit Hours.
Theoretical and applied concepts of transition to the nursing role within the healthcare setting are integrated in this course. The course is a synthesis of previously learned knowledge, incorporating the components of physiological, psychological, and developmental concerns in the care of the client. Seminar discussion topics have a focus on the issues of successful transition to the practice environment as a nurse generalist, with the ability to exercise clinical reasoning and evidence-based practice.
Requisite: Must be a Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

NUR 461. Health Disparities Research Practicum. 1-4 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide opportunities for students across all levels of higher education to participate in health disparities research. Students will be mentored by a health disparities researcher with an active research project. Objectives will be established by the research mentor and the student according to educational level, interests and opportunities. Students will be incorporated into the research team and expected to attend project meetings. They will also be expected to participate in scholarly work that could contribute to the success of the project. Examples of scholarly work include co-authoring research papers and presentations, developing recruitment materials, assisting in compiling/developing data collection measures, or any other product deemed appropriate by the mentor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 485. Global Health: Transcultural Nursing. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will use a hybrid model that includes an immersive experience in an international setting followed by online activities and face to face meetings. The University of Miami, School of Nursing and Health Studies will provide transcultural nursing experiences under different international healthcare systems. NUR 487 is designed to offer students the opportunity to develop an understanding of healthcare systems and care delivery models outside of the U.S. Academic and supervised clinical interactions will allow students to have a cultural clinical nursing experience. This course will allow students to apply and synthesize basic science knowledge and skills that foster ethical, legal and culture specific health care.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 487. International Health: Transcultural Nursing. 3 Credit Hours.
Collaborative clinical venture between the University of Miami, School of Nursing and an International School of Nursing. Students will exchange supervised western clinical experiences, knowledge and skills for the care of clients and families in specialty areas including Medical-Surgical, Surgery, Intensive Care and/or Emergency nursing units. This course will allow students to apply and synthesize basic science knowledge and skills that foster ethical, legal and culture specific health care.
Requisite: School of Nursing Health Studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 498. Selected Topics. 0-6 Credit Hours.
Special topics in nursing. Course titles and descriptions change semester-by-semester based on course content. This designation is used as needed. Credits can range from 0-6 credits.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 499. Selected Topics. 0-6 Credit Hours.
Special topics in nursing. Course titles and descriptions change semester-by-semester based on course content. This designation is used as needed. Credits can range from 0-6 credits.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 536. U.S. Health Care Crisis: Politics and Policies. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will explore key health policy issues within the U.S., along with the politics and interest groups which shape them. Fundamental concerns within the health care system such as: cost, quality and access to care will be analyzed. Major topics of discussion will include: Medicare, Medicaid, private insurance, the nursing shortage, and prescription drugs. The politics and policies surrounding issues such as bioethics, globalization, and infectious disease will also be considered.
Requisite: Junior Status and no IP Credit.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
 Typically Offered: Spring.
NUR 601. Advanced Pharmacology. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced practice nursing application of pharmacological and pharmacokinetics for the purpose of selecting appropriate drug therapies for diverse populations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

NUR 602. Doctoral Level Orientation/Nur. 0 Credit Hours.
This course provides entering doctoral students with an evaluation of their writing ability and a review of formal writing skills. Other topics pertinent to success for nursing coursework at the doctoral level are addressed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: NON.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

NUR 603. Healthcare Databases: Design, Development and Clinical Application. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses database systems, development, design, and implementation within the context of health care. Special emphasis is placed on the role of database applications for continuous quality improvement and regulatory compliance. Students will design a relational database applicable to informatics leadership responsibilities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NUR 604. System Life Cycle/Project Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the identification and development of information technology plans for projects supporting the health care organization's business objectives and all activities required in the initiating, planning, executing, controlling, and closing phases of the project's lifecycle. This course is intended to provide the body of knowledge and best practices necessary for a new Consultant, Business Analyst or Project Manager to successfully perform his/her responsibilities on an IT enterprise project.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NUR 605. Health Information Exchange. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to introduce the informatics professional to the basic principles of Health Information Exchange. The focus will be on interoperability between ambulatory clinics, acute care facilities and long-term care; electronic health records; electronic prescribing systems and consumer health care informatics. Special emphasis is placed on the role of HIE in the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NUR 606. Advanced Practice Preparation. 0 Credit Hours.
This preparatory experience provides students an opportunity to review concepts of pharmacology; physiology; and health assessment prior to beginning the Master of Science in Nursing program. Activities related to academic strategies and writing are also included, to assist in improving study and writing skills.
Components: LEC.
Grading: NON.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

NUR 607. Leadership and Professional Development Strategies for Nursing Informatics. 3 Credit Hours.
In this course students will be exposed to the principles of organizational culture, dynamics, mission, vision, values, and goals as it impacts nursing. Additionally they will learn current theories of change management and resource management for nursing informatics practice. They will explore change agent roles in project management and processes.
Co-requisite: NUR 604.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NUR 608. Concepts in Advanced Practice Nursing. 3 Credit Hours.
Major concepts necessary for advanced practice nursing. Included are: major scientific theories, health and health promotion, health policy, ethical issues, epidemiology, technology in health care, and advanced practice role competencies. Specific emphasis is placed on understanding culture and cultural diversity in health care.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
NUR 609. Professionalism in Advanced Practice Nursing. 2 Credit Hours.
Focuses on the synthesis of concepts and principles necessary to develop leaders in advanced practice nursing specialties. Emphasis is placed on the role of the advanced practice nurse for optimal delivery of health care to clients across the life span.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

NUR 610. Adult Gerontology Acute Care I. 4 Credit Hours.
Analysis of selected theories and conceptual models of nursing and their implementation in practice and research. Approaches to development of a scientific body of knowledge for nursing practice is included. (2) Prerequisite: Graduate status.
Prerequisite: NUR 601 and 612 and 613.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 611. Foundations of Anesthesia Science and Technology for Nurse Anesthetists. 5 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the application of basic sciences to nurse anesthesia. This course includes the application of principles of physics, molecular biology, biochemistry and medicinal chemistry.
Prerequisite: Anesthesia Track and NUR 601 and 612 and 613.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NUR 612. Physiology/Pathophysiology for Advanced Practice Nursing. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of physiologic and pathophysiologic mechanisms of health and illness.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NUR 613. Advanced Health Assessment and Diagnostic Reasoning. 3 Credit Hours.
Emphasis on culturally sensitive comprehensive health assessment and diagnostic reasoning related to advanced nursing practice. Special emphasis is placed on advanced health assessment; including age appropriate health screenings; prenatal, pediatric, and geriatric assessment; and interpretation of basic laboratory tests and diagnostic studies utilized in advanced nursing practice. Specialty specific seminars address issues for individual tracks within advanced practice nursing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NUR 614. Basic Concepts in Anesthesia Nursing. 5 Credit Hours.
This course is an overview of fundamental knowledge and skills for entry into advanced practice anesthesia nursing. Concepts include essential techniques, monitoring and equipment, and pharmacologic interventions for common problems and conditions requiring routine surgical procedures in a highly structured and guided clinical learning environment. Cultural competence and interdisciplinary anesthesia care across the lifespan is emphasized.
Prerequisite: NUR 601 and NUR 611 and NUR 612 and NUR 613 and Co-requisite: NUR 617.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

NUR 615. Professional Aspects of Anesthesia Nursing. 2 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the development and current trends in nurse anesthesia practice, education, and research. Concepts include the historical, legal, legislative, and professional role issues associated with advanced practice anesthesia nursing. Professional responsibilities, ethical issues, diversity, cultural competency, quality assurance, continuing education, and professional involvement are emphasized.
Prerequisite: NUR 646 and Co-requisite: NUR 650.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NUR 616. Pharmacology for Acute Care Nursing. 3 Credit Hours.
Focuses on foundational pharmacologic principles and associated application to clinical practice in acute care nursing. Integration of pharmacological concepts and interventions in safe, culturally competent, and interdisciplinary acute care advanced nursing practice are emphasized.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
NUR 617. Pharmacology for Anesthesia Nursing. 3 Credit Hours.
Focuses on pharmacological principles and associated application to clinical practice in nurse anesthesia. Integration of pharmacological concepts and interventions in safe, culturally competent, and interdisciplinary anesthesia practice are emphasized.
Prerequisite: NUR 601 and NUR 611 and NUR 612 and NUR 613 and Corequisite: NUR 614.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

NUR 619. Advanced Concepts of Anesthesia Nursing I. 7 Credit Hours.
This course will provide an in-depth knowledge and skills of anesthesia nursing care for a variety of common problems and conditions across anesthesia specializations. Concepts include assessment, techniques, planning and pharmacologic interventions for specialty surgical procedures in a highly structured and guided clinical learning environment. Cultural competence and interdisciplinary anesthesia care across the lifespan is emphasized.
Prerequisites: NUR 601 and NUR 611 and NUR 612 and NUR 613 and NUR 614 and NUR 617.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 620. Advanced Concepts of Anesthesia Nursing II. 11 Credit Hours.
This course will provide in-depth knowledge and skills of highly specialized problems and conditions requiring anesthesia or surgical interventions. Concepts include assessment, techniques, planning and pharmacologic interventions for regional anesthesia, pain management, care of obstetrical patients and patients with catastrophic conditions in a highly structured and guided clinical learning environment. Cultural competence and interdisciplinary anesthesia care across the lifespan is emphasized.
Prerequisites: NUR 601 and NUR 611 and NUR 612 and NUR 613 and NUR 614 and NUR 617 and NUR 619.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NUR 621. Diagnostics and Nursing Interventions for Acute Care Nursing. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected diagnostic tests and intervention techniques essential to acute care nursing. Critical thinking and decision making related to interdisciplinary assessment of acute care patients. Cultural issues related to diagnostics and intervention.
Prerequisite: NUR 601 and 612 and 613.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NUR 622. Acute Care Nursing of Adults I. 4 Credit Hours.
The first of two sequential clinical practicums designed for the development of scientific knowledge and advanced practice skills in the area of acute care nursing. Involves synthesis of concepts, knowledge and skills gained in previous courses applied to the care of the acutely ill patient. Focuses on the advanced practice of acute care nursing via the nurse practitioner/clinical nurse specialist.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

NUR 623. Maternal Child Health in Primary Care Practice. 5 Credit Hours.
Theoretical and clinical bases for advanced practice nursing management of infants and children. Emphasis is placed on strategies for health maintenance and prevention of health problems and management of alterations.
Prerequisite: NUR 628.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NUR 624. Introduction to Pedagogy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides students a foundation in Pedagogy using examples from nursing education. Students will learn about educational theory, the cultural context of education, and the role of teaching in the academy. Educational strategies to be discussed include didactic, online, clinical, laboratory, and simulation. Best practices in assessment and evaluation will be emphasized.
Requisite: Must Be A Nursing PhD Student Or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
NUR 625. Adult Gerontology Acute Care II. 7 Credit Hours.
Theoretical and clinical focus for the nurse practitioner as an advanced practice nurse in the health care management of adult populations in rehabilitative settings and residential facilities including assisted living, long term, and home care. (2:6) Prerequisite or corequisite: NUR 601. Prerequisite: NUR 613 and 617. Prerequisite: NUR 601 and 610 and 612 and 613. Components: LEC. Grading: GRD. Typically Offered: Spring.

NUR 626. Advanced Concepts in Gynecological Health Care for Women. 2 Credit Hours.
Theoretical and clinical bases for the provision of complex gynecological care of women. Emphasis is on strategies for promotion of transcultural health care needs and management of alterations according to the advanced practice roles. Components: LEC. Grading: GRD. Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 627. Primary Prenatal Healthcare of Women. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Theoretical and clinical bases for providing primary prenatal care of women. Emphasis is on management strategies for promotion of transcultural health care needs according to the advanced practice role. Components: LEC. Grading: GRD. Typically Offered: Spring.

NUR 628. Adult Gerontology I. 5 Credit Hours.

NUR 630. Research Methods and Evidence-Based Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
Research process, research methods, and the analysis of data using quantitative and qualitative approaches. Focuses on understanding levels of evidence for implementing evidence-based practice and performance improvement in nursing practice and health care. Investigates research methods associated with health disparities, access to health care, and clinical outcomes. Components: LEC. Grading: GRD. Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

NUR 631. Adult Gerontology II. 4-7 Credit Hours.

NUR 634. Perinatal Health Care. 0-6 Credit Hours.
Continuation of the application of physiologic, psychosocial, and cultural concepts to perinatal health care management. Emphasis is placed on nurse-midwifery management of intrapartum, postpartum, and neonatal clients. Components: LEC. Grading: GRD. Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 635. Innovation in Nursing Informatics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores contemporary concepts in nursing informatics. The course examines the historical context of nursing informatics, followed by an exploration of emerging technologies including tele-health, wireless medical devices, consumer health informatics, interactive education, and social media. This course prepares students to critically evaluate and incorporate evolving technology. Special emphasis is placed on the social, ethical, regulatory, and legal issues associated with health care innovations. Corequisite: NUR 633. Components: LEC. Grading: GRD. Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
NUR 636. Nursing Informatics Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to prepare students to function as Nursing Informatics Specialists. Emphasis is on the synthesis of health care informatics theory and mastery of technical applications and each of their respective roles in nursing informatics practice. Students design a scholarly project at the level of a clinical analyst under the direction of a faculty member and preceptor.
Co-requisite: NUR 635.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NUR 637. Capstone Practicum in Nursing Leadership in Informatics. 3 Credit Hours.
In the capstone course students will assimilate and apply the knowledge and skills they have acquired from their course work in the program. Students will complete a non-thesis capstone project that requires them to critically analyze and solve a problem they might realistically encounter in health informatics using their skills in data acquisition, project management, data presentation, and risk management. Students will also develop and submit an electronic portfolio that contains key examples of work the work they generated during their time in the program along with a self-reflection of that work.
Prerequisites: NUR 604 and NUR 607 and NUR 608 and NUR 630 and NUR 633 and NUR 636 and NUR 658 and BTE 450 and BTE 685 and Co-requisites: NUR 603 and NUR 605.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NUR 638. Adult Gerontology Acute Care III. 6 Credit Hours.
Theoretical, clinical, and research basis of advanced practice nursing in the care and management of adults in primary care setting. (2:15) Prerequisite: NUR 628.
Prerequisite: NUR 625.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

NUR 639. Acute Care Nursing of Adults II. 0-7 Credit Hours.
The second of two clinical practicums designed to guide the development of scientific knowledge and advanced practice skills in the area of acute care nursing. Designed to assist the student to assume the role of the Acute Care Nurse Practitioner/Clinical Nurse Specialist.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 640. Teaching and Learning Theory in Clinical Nursing Education. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers principles and practices of teaching and learning integral to clinical nursing education and identifies the role of the faculty in teaching students with diverse learning styles and needs within a variety of clinical settings.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 641. Methods for Clinical Nursing Education. 3 Credit Hours.
The focus of this course is the organization and management of instruction for clinical nursing education. Emphasis is placed on effective strategies for the development of learning opportunities in diverse clinical settings.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 642. Evaluation in Clinical Nursing Education. 3 Credit Hours.
The course explores principles and practices of evaluation integral to clinical nursing education.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 643. Practicum in Nursing Education. 5 Credit Hours.
The focus of this course is laboratory and clinical application of principles of teaching and learning.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
NUR 644. Leadership and Professional Development Strategies for Nursing. 4 Credit Hours.
In this course, students will be exposed to the principles of organizational culture, dynamics, mission, vision, values, and goals as it impacts nursing. Additionally they will learn current theories of change management and resource management for nursing practice. They will explore change agent roles in project management and processes.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 645. Interdisciplinary Anesthesia Nursing I. 9 Credit Hours.
Initial integration and synthesis course of advanced knowledge and skills for interdisciplinary anesthesia nursing care. Selected topics and clinical case studies include collaborative-decision-making, effective communication, planning and evaluation for patients with complex problems and conditions across the lifespan. With continual guidance, students assume greater responsibility for culturally competent and interdisciplinary anesthesia care.
Prerequisites: NUR 601, NUR 611, NUR 612, NUR 613, NUR 614, NUR 617, NUR 619, NUR 620.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

NUR 646. Interdisciplinary Anesthesia Nursing II. 11 Credit Hours.
Second integration and synthesis course of advanced knowledge and skills for interdisciplinary anesthesia nursing care for complex problems and conditions across the lifespan. With moderate guidance students assume greater responsibility for culturally competent and interdisciplinary anesthesia care.
Prerequisite: NUR 601 and NUR 611 and NUR 612 and NUR 613 and NUR 614 and NUR 617 and NUR 619 and NUR 620 and NUR 645.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 647. Advanced Practice Nursing Integration. 6 Credit Hours.
Integration of the components of the Advanced Practice Nursing role to analyze advanced practice issues.
Prerequisite: NUR 623 and 631.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

NUR 648. Internship. 0-7 Credit Hours.
Integration and role synthesis of Advanced knowledge and skills in nurse midwifery care for women and infants within diverse cultural clinical settings. Selected topics include practice management and clinical case studies to include diagnosis, collaborative practice, planning and evaluations of care for normal and complex conditions for the female adolescent, reproductive age woman and infant, the mature woman and their families.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 650. Interdisciplinary Anesthesia Nursing III. 11 Credit Hours.
This course is the third and final integration and synthesis course of advanced knowledge and skills of interdisciplinary anesthesia nursing care for complex problems and conditions across the lifespan. With minimal guidance students assume greater responsibility for culturally competent and interdisciplinary anesthesia care.
Prerequisite: NUR 646.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NUR 651. Qualitative Data Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
The course is designed to help the student develop skills and understanding relating to the advanced analysis of qualitative data. The course assumes all students will either be in or nearing the analysis stages in their research. Focus is on preparation and management of text and media data for analyses; the creation and application of various types of coding to data; the distinctions in coding data evolving from different qualitative approaches; and analysis of longitudinal qualitative data. Permission required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 652. Introduction to Clinical Inquiry I. 3 Credit Hours.
Combines clinical knowledge and hands-on clinical experience in an area of the student’s potential research interest. Students will practice under the supervision of an advanced practice nurse in the specialty area. Students are expected to begin the process of identifying clinical research problems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.
NUR 653. Introduction to Clinical Inquiry II. 5 Credit Hours.
Combines clinical knowledge and hands-on clinical experience in an area of the student's potential research interest. Students will practice under the supervision of an advanced practice nurse in a specialty area. There will be a focus on health care delivery systems. Students are expected to translate clinical problems into researchable questions.
Prerequisite: NUR 674 Or NUR 669.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

NUR 654. The Evolution of Nursing Practice and Application of Theory in Nursing Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an overview of the conceptual foundations of nursing science and nursing practice. Knowledge from basic and applied sciences and ethics as well as the history of the global evolution of nursing practice are examined.
Requisite: Enrollment in the DNP Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

NUR 655. Health Care Management, Economics, Financing, and Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an overview of health care management, financing, ethics and core advanced concepts of health care economics. This course will also examine issues associated with health care management, economics, and ethics.
Requisite: Enrollment in the DNP Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 656. Global Health. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers diverse topics that affect the health of the population and advanced practice nursing internationally.
Requisite: Enrollment in the DNP Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 657. Population Based Health and Health Care Disparities. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an overview of knowledge from nursing, public health and other disciplines for population based assessment. Population based models and frameworks from nursing, public health, and other disciplines will be explored. The importance of cultural and ethical dimensions in program development is highlighted.
Prerequisites: NUR 654 and NUR 656 and NUR 663 and NUR 664.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

NUR 658. Health Policy Development and Implementation. 3 Credit Hours.
An exploration of health care organizations and healthcare policy, and how change is effected in both. Health care policy and planning to address health care disparities at the local, state, and federal levels will be explored. Organizational diagnosis, organizational change, and ethical dimension of public policy formulations and implementation will be highlighted.
Requisite: Enrollment in the DNP Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NUR 659. Technology in Health Care. 3 Credit Hours.
An exploration of the various aspects of the evolving technology to improve and transform health care and advanced practice nursing. This course prepares DNP nursing students to design, select and use technology to support, manage, and improve patient care and health care systems.
Requisite: Enrollment in the DNP Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 660. Translational Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Emphasis is on translational science which includes organizational readiness and promoting change in a health care environment. Focus is on utilizing systematic analysis to identify, plan, execute and appraise best evidence on selected topics.
Prerequisites: NUR 654 and NUR 663 and NUR 664.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.
NUR 662. Nursing Epistemology. 3 Credit Hours.
Focus on historical and philosophical perspectives in the development of knowledge and patterns of knowing with in-depth examination of the evolution of nursing science. Analysis of concepts relevant to nursing phenomena. Approaches to scientific development in nursing with emphasis on theory building and theory generation.
Requisite: Must Be A Nursing PhD Student Or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 663. Research. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an analysis of evidence-based nursing practice. During the course, students acquire the knowledge base to resolve clinical practice problems and direct evidence-based practice.
Requisite: Enrollment in the DNP Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.

NUR 664. Applied Biostatistics for Nursing Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an overview of basic statistical concepts and computer applications related to healthcare, nursing, and biomedical research. An examination of both parametric and non-parametric statistics in program evaluation, testing and process outcomes, and/or basic research studies is included.
Requisite: Enrollment in the DNP Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

NUR 665. Quantitative Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
In-depth exploration of research methods and design for quantitative research in nursing. Emphasis on development of a research problem; quantitative research design from descriptive to randomized clinical trials; epidemiologic designs; threats to validity; sampling and power analysis; measurement including psychometric theory, data collection and management; and interpretation of data. Other topics include ethics, human subjects’ protection, and translation of findings into practice.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 667. Research Practicum. 1 Credit Hour.
Student participates in an ongoing research project under the guidance of a faculty member. Conducts the practical aspects of research including: IRB application/continuing reports, data collection and management.
Prerequisite: NUR 665 and NUR 670.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 669. Symptom Science in Nursing. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide the student with knowledge of symptom science in nursing, including biological, behavioral, environmental, socio-cultural, and clinical factors that may influence the trajectory of chronic illness. The course will also focus on theories and research designs to define and measure symptom experiences in health and illness for individuals and families.
Prerequisite: NUR 662 and NUR 665 and NUR 670.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NUR 670. Qualitative Methods in Research. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of inductive approaches to research and the use of qualitative methods including grounded theory, ethnography, focus group, and phenomenology. The techniques include unstructured and structured interviews. Discussion of techniques, analysis, and the ethical and political implications of special problems in qualitative research.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NUR 672. DNP Scholarly Project Seminar I. 3 Credit Hours.
Emphasis is on translational science which includes organizational readiness and promoting change in a health care environment. Focus is on utilizing systematic analysis to identify, plan, execute and appraise best evidence on selected topics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring & Summer.
NUR 673. DNP Scholarly Project Seminar II. 3 Credit Hours.
This second capstone course is the implementation and evaluation of the project developed in Capstone I.
Prerequisite: NUR 672.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 674. Applied Statistics: Generalized Linear and General Estimating Equations. 4 Credit Hours.
Overview of GLM, GZLM, and GEE, which combine many aspects of ANOVA/ANCOVA and multiple regression models for continuous and categorical independent and dependent variables, moderation/mediation, multiple independent variables, and repeated measures of dependent variables.
Computer applications using real data and standard statistical software packages will be utilized.
Prerequisite: NUR 665 and NUR 670.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NUR 676. Practice Immersion Experience I. 2-12 Credit Hours.
This course contains individually precepted learning experiences across the spectrum of advanced practice nursing in a variety of settings. Students develop expertise within the scope of their nursing practice.
Requisite: Enrollment in the DNP Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NUR 679. Applied Statistics: Structural Equation Modeling and Hierarchical Linear Modeling. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of structural equation modeling (SEM) and hierarchical linear modeling (HLM) for continuous, categorical, longitudinal, and nested data.
Computer applications using real data and statistical software packages (Excel, SPSS, Mplus).
Prerequisite: NUR 674.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 680. Research Ethics. 1 Credit Hour.
This is a hybrid course that addresses the ethical and responsible conduct of research, protection of human subjects, and nursing science career development.
Requisite: Must Be A Nursing PhD Student Or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 681. Measurement of Nursing Phenomenon. 3 Credit Hours.
Development of instruments to measure a phenomenon of concern within the domain of nursing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 682. Advanced Practice Psychopharmacology. 2 Credit Hours.
Review of common psychoactive medications, classes, uses, effects, side effects, and prescriptive implications.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NUR 683. Theoretical Bases for Advanced Practice Psychiatric Mental Health Nursing. 2 Credit Hours.
Review of theories and practice of individual, group and, family therapy; role of advanced practice mental health nursing, ethics, research, legislative practice.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NUR 684. Advanced Practice Psychiatric Mental Health Nursing Therapeutic Interventions. 5 Credit Hours.
Assessment and treatment of persons with major psychiatric disorders.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
NUR 685. Advanced Practice Psychiatric Mental Health Nursing Preceptorship. 4 Credit Hours.
Clinical preceptorship with experience in individual, and group, therapy. Includes experiences in prescribing psychoactive medications.
Prerequisites: NUR 682 and NUR 683 and NUR 684.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 686. Advanced Practice Psychiatric Mental Health Nursing Preceptorship II. 5 Credit Hours.
Clinical preceptorship with experience in individual, and family therapy. Includes experiences in prescribing psychoactive medications.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

NUR 688. Health Systems Development and Leadership Practice Immersion II. 2 Credit Hours.
This course contains individually precepted learning experiences across the spectrum of nursing in a variety of settings. Students develop expertise within the scope of their nursing practice.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

NUR 689. New Method of Implementation-Practice Immersion Experience III. 2 Credit Hours.
This course contains individually precepted learning experiences across the spectrum of nursing in a variety of settings. Students develop expertise within the scope of their nursing practice.
Prerequisites: NUR 676, NUR 688.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 690. Independent Study. 1-6 Credit Hours.
A in depth study of a specified area in advanced nursing of special interest to the student, under faculty guidance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

NUR 694. Clinical Praticum for DNP Nurse Anesthesia Clinical. 7 Credit Hours.
This course is the clinical integration and synthesis of advanced knowledge and skills of interdisciplinary anesthesia nursing care for complex problems and conditions across the lifespan. Students assume responsibility for culturally competent and interdisciplinary anesthesia care with minimal assistance.
Prerequisite NUR 650.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

NUR 695. Clinical Practicum for DNP Nurse Anesthesia. 9 Credit Hours.
This course is the clinical integration and synthesis of advanced knowledge and skills of interdisciplinary anesthesia nursing care for complex problems and conditions across the lifespan. Students assume responsibility for culturally competent and interdisciplinary anesthesia care with minimal assistance.
Prerequisite: NUR 694.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

NUR 696. Crafting the Dissertation Proposal Part I. 2 Credit Hours.
The course is designed to help students focus and refine their ideas for their dissertation proposals. Focus is on developing and refining the ideas for the dissertation, and writing the introductory/review of the literature/methods chapters. The student will also begin preparation for a grant submission. During the semester, the course coordinators will assist the student in choosing a dissertation chair who will also provide input into the proposal.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
NUR 697. Selected Topics. 0-12 Credit Hours.
Subject matter offerings based upon student demand and availability of faculty. Subtitles describing topics will be shown in class schedule in parentheses after selected topic notation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 698. Selected Topics. 0-6 Credit Hours.
Subject matter offerings based upon student demand and availability of faculty. Subtitles describing topics will be shown in class schedule in parentheses after selected topic notation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

NUR 699. Special Topics in Nursing Research. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed or independent research in collaboration with a faculty member providing opportunity for participation in ongoing nursing research. Specific requirements and credit allocation determined by contractual arrangement between student and faculty member.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

NUR 700. Post Master Clinical. 0-12 Credit Hours.
Post Master Clinical
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NUR 701. Clinical Continuation. 0-6 Credit Hours.
Clinical Continuation
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

NUR 702. Adult Gerontology III. 7 Credit Hours.
Integration of the components of the Advanced Practice Nursing role to analyze adult gerontology advanced practice issues.
Prerequisite: NUR 631.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

NUR 707. Becoming a Successful Nurse Scientist. 2 Credit Hours.
This course builds skills for academic and career success, provides a forum for discussing current issues in nursing that have implications for research, and professional development.
Prerequisite: NUR 681 and NUR 679.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NUR 708. Scholarship in Nursing. 1 Credit Hour.
In this course, students will individually with a faculty member to develop the study’s scholarship. Faculty and students will identify student strengths and weaknesses and create a specific plan for improvement. The goal of this course is to produce a student first author manuscript for submission to a peer-reviewed scientific journal, and an abstract for submission to a scientific conference.
Prerequisite: NUR 674 and NUR 680 and NUR 669.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

NUR 709. Selected Topics in Nursing Research. 3 Credit Hours.
This course involves a critical analysis of emerging issues in nursing research, including priority research areas of the National Institute of Nursing Research (NINR) and the focal research areas of the School of Nursing and Health Studies.
Prerequisite: NUR 679 and NUR 708.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
NUR 796. Crafting the Dissertation Part 2. 2 Credit Hours.
The course is designed to help students: learn how to pursue funding for their dissertation research; and write the third (methods) chapter of their dissertation proposal. In addition to attending class, students are expected to meet regularly with their advisor (future Dissertation Chair) to obtain his/her input on assignments.
Prerequisite: NUR 696. And NUR 671.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

NUR 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: DIS.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

NUR 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor but not for less than a total of 12 credits. Not more than 12 hours of NUR 730 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session. A student who has passed (a) qualifying examinations, and (b) is engaged in an assistantship, may still take the maximum allowable credit stated above.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

NUR 850. Research in Residence. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

Ocean Sciences (OCE)

OCE 503. Physical Oceanography. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to properties of seawater, instruments and methods, heat budget, general ocean circulation, formation of water masses, dynamics of circulation, regional oceanography, waves, tides, and sea level. A mathematical and problem solving course for majors in MPO.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OCE 508. Introduction to Ocean Systems Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide a survey introduction to various aspects of ocean systems engineering. This is a required course for all students enrolled in the Master of Science (non-thesis) in Ocean Engineering Program. It is intended to be taught in the first term of their studies, before they have fully refined their courses. It could also be of interest to graduate students in OCE and upper level undergraduate engineering, marine science or mathematics majors who are seeking to inform themselves on the breadth of study in ocean engineering.
Requisite: Senior Standing and Prerequisites: MTH 211 and MTH 311 and PHY 102 or PHY 202 or PHY 206.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OCE 509. Coastal Physics and Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Course addresses linear wave theory, wave statistics, wave generation, tides, wind-driven currents, nearshore circulation, sediment transport by waves and currents, bedforms, bedload, and suspended load. Other topics include longshore and cross-shore transport, equilibrium beach profiles, coastal processes models, Pelnard-Considere model for shoreline change, and Escoffier model for inlet stability.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OCE 511. Geophysical Fluid Dynamics I. 3 Credit Hours.
The basic equations of state, continuity, and motion. Topics include wave motions, group velocity, theory of stratified fluids and internal waves turbulence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
OCE 512. Marine Organic Geochemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Broad introduction to the chemical constituents comprising organic matter in marine environments. This course will address how biological origins, dietary and detrital reworking, and physical phase influence the distribution and fluxes of organic matter in the marine carbon cycle, on both short and long timescales. Topics will address both the water column and sediments, in open-ocean and coastal environments. Students may choose topics of specific interest to their research for presentations and writing assignments (subject to instructor approval). The first half of the course will focus on the chemistry and physical phases of organic matter; the second half will focus on discussing the application of organic geochemical tools to environmental questions via the primary literature.
Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OCE 522. Marine Microbial Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of the function of microbes in the ocean from a chemical perspective, building a quantitative understanding of cellular needs and metabolic functions, and the role these microbial processes play in controlling chemical fluxes and biogeochemical cycles in the ocean.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OCE 531. Ocean Data Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Useful and widely used ocean data analysis techniques are discussed. Topics covered include: a review of statistical concepts and linear algebra; time series analysis; least squares and regression techniques; principal component analysis; optimization and inverse methods; and simple models of ocean processes. Computational methods are emphasized. Choice of the material covered is dictated in part by student interests.
Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

OCE 536. Hurricanes. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is intended to provide a broad overview of tropical cyclones, starting from the basic structure, dynamics and thermodynamics, then expanding through to observations, modeling, forecasting and impacts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OCE 537. Natural Hazards: Atmosphere and Ocean. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide students with an understanding of natural hazards in both the atmosphere and ocean. In the atmosphere, we will explore both weather events such as storms and hurricanes and tornadoes as well as longer term phenomena such as monsoons and excess rainfall in the tropics. Oceanographically, the course will address hazards such as storm surge and flooding, rogue waves, rip currents, and tsunamis that occur on short time scales as well as the longer terms effects such as sea level rise and the impacts of El Niño and La Niña oceanographic conditions on weather conditions. Thus, the course focus is on hazards and their impacts around the globe.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OCE 542. Physics of Remote Sensing I - Passive Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Course discusses basic physical principles of remote sensing with emphasis on optical and passive systems. Topics include orbital dynamics, sampling issues, fundamental laws of electromagnetic waves, passive remote sensing in the visible, infrared and microwave parts of the electromagnetic spectrum, a survey of satellite sensors and summary of the derived geophysical variables.
Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OCE 543. Physics of Remote Sensing II - Active Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Course discusses basic physical principles of remote sensing with emphasis on active and radar systems. Topics include electromagnetic theory, radar equation, antenna theory and pulse compression, radar scattering physics; sea surface processes relevant to radar imaging, scatterometry, synthetic aperture radar (SAR), altimetry, HF Doppler radar, marine radar, satellite orbits, brief overview of passive remote sensing techniques.
Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
OCE 551. Applied Ocean Acoustics and Marine Mammals. 3 Credit Hours.
The objective of this course is to provide a basis in the fundamental of sound in the sea and on the effects of sound on marine mammals.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OCE 575. Fluid Mechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
The equations governing the dynamics of homogeneous fluids are derived. The concepts of deformation rates, vorticity, stream function, and ideal fluid flow are introduced and demonstrated in applications describing flows in the marine environment. Semi-empirical methods for analyzing viscous flows, boundary layers, and turbulence are presented. Eddy viscosity and more advanced turbulence closure schemes are discussed in the context of coastal circulation, bottom boundary layers and sediment transport.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OCE 576. Wave Propagation in the Ocean Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of vector analysis, basic principles of fluid mechanics, equations of surface gravity waves, linear dispersion relation, phase and group velocity, wave dispersion, orbital motions, wave refraction, diffraction, reflection, ray tracing, frequency and wavenumber spectra, fundamentals of wave modeling, action balance equation, wave generation, wave dissipation, wave-wave interaction, wave-current interaction, Stokes drift, internal waves.
Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OCE 582. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or direct readings in special topics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

OCE 583. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

OCE 584. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics of Marine and Atmospheric Chemistry.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

OCE 586. Applied Remote Sensing. 3 Credit Hours.
Provides a detailed overview of applications of passive remote sensing using visible, infrared and microwave radiometers. Orbit and satellite characteristics are discussed. Hands-on data processing and analysis using readily accessible image processing software is included. Access to satellite data archives is explained. Students are also expected to attend Physics of Remote Sensing I - Passive Systems, and Physics of Remote Sensing II - Active Systems, which focus on the theory of remote sensing. The companion course, Applied Radar Remote Sensing, is offered in the spring semesters.
Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OCE 587. Applied Radar Remote Sensing. 3 Credit Hours.
This course complements Physics of Remote Sensing II with additional lectures and exercises tailored specifically to the needs of MPS students. Topics covered: Active vs. passive remote sensing, satellite station operations, how to work with satellite radar images, imaging geometry and sampling characteristics, introduction to IDL, hands-on SAR data analysis examples, hands-on marine radar data analysis.
Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
OCE 602. Oceanography II (Physical). 2 Credit Hours.
The second section of the course core curriculum designed as an integrated and multidisciplinary view of ocean processes, covering the major
disciplines of marine science and their applications to the study of the marine environment. To be taken in sequence with Oceanography I - Geological
(MGG 501), Oceanography I II - Chemical (MAC 501), and Oceanography IV - Biological (MBF 502). This course is for non-MPO majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OCE 603. Physical Oceanography. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to properties of seawater, instruments and methods, heat budget, general ocean circulation, formation of water masses, dynamics of
circulation, regional oceanography, waves, tides, and sea level. A mathematical and problem solving course for majors in MPO.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OCE 608. Introduction to Ocean Systems Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide a survey introduction to various aspects of ocean systems engineering. This is a required course for all students enrolled
in the Master of Science (non-thesis) in Ocean Engineering Program. It is intended to be taught in the first term of their studies, before they have
fully refined their courses. It could also be of interest to graduate students in OCE and upper level undergraduate engineering, marine science or
mathematics majors who are seeking to inform themselves on the breadth of study in ocean engineering.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OCE 609. Coastal Physics and Engineering. 3 Credit Hours.
Course addresses linear wave theory, wave statistics, wave generation, tides, wind-driven currents, nearshore circulation, sediment transport by waves
and currents, bedforms, bedload, and suspended load. Other topics include longshore and cross-shore transport, equilibrium beach profiles, coastal
processes models, Pelnard-Considere model for shoreline change, and Escoffier model for inlet stability.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OCE 610. Ocean Biogeochemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Introductory course to understand the ocean as a system. It will cover the interactions between biological, chemical, and geological processes in the
environment, all within the context of physical controls. In the ocean, biogeochemistry includes the cycling of both major (e.g., C, N, P, Si, O) and minor
elements (such as Fe). Tracing the spatial and temporal variability of these elements provides insights on the biological and geochemical processes
at work, as well as the hydrographic and other controls on those processes. In this course, the physical ocean system is introduced in the context of
its controls on the biological system, which in turn controls distributions of bioactive elements. Considered here are the major processes controlling
ocean productivity, its roles as a carbon sink, organic matter production and consumption, the cycling of nutrients, the inorganic carbon system, and
biogeochemistry of the sediments.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OCE 611. Geophysical Fluid Dynamics I. 3 Credit Hours.
The basic equations of state, continuity, and motion. Topics include wave motions, group velocity, theory of stratified fluids and internal waves
turbulence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OCE 612. Marine Organic Geochemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Broad introduction to the chemical constituents comprising organic matter in marine environments. This course will address how biological origins,
dietary and detrital reworking, and physical phase influence the distribution and fluxes of organic matter in the marine carbon cycle, on both short and
long timescales. Topics will address both the water column and sediments, in open-ocean and coastal environments. Students may choose topics
of specific interest to their research for presentations and writing assignments (subject to instructor approval). The first half of the course will focus
on the chemistry and physical phases of organic matter; the second half will focus on discussing the application of organic geochemical tools to
environmental questions via the primary literature.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
OCE 615. Tracers of Oceanographic Processes. 3 Credit Hours.
Course describes the various tracer techniques used by oceanographers to understand water transport and mixing, sedimentation, gas exchange, nutrient recycling, and transport. Tracers used are both natural occurring and anthropogenic. This course is of interest to students from various disciplines.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

OCE 622. Marine Microbial Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of the function of microbes in the ocean from a chemical perspective, building a quantitative understanding of cellular needs and metabolic functions, and the role these microbial processes play in controlling chemical fluxes and biogeochemical cycles in the ocean.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OCE 624. Applied Data Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
The course is intended to jump-start students in strategies for fruitful computer interaction practices for careers in MPO areas of science. Academic topics include key concepts in probability & statistics, issues of graphical evidence and inference, linear models and regression, spectral analysis, and matrix decomposition. Practical topics include hands-on exercises in data analysis and the sharing of code+results and interpretation. Students do projects on data from their research or interests.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

OCE 631. Ocean Data Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Useful and widely used ocean data analysis techniques are discussed. Topics covered include: a review of statistical concepts and linear algebra; time series analysis; least squares and regression techniques; principal component analysis; optimization and inverse methods; and simple models of ocean processes. Computational methods are emphasized. Choice of the material covered is dictated in part by student interests.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

OCE 635. Introduction to Underwater Acoustics. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include sound waves and pulses, harmonic analysis, sound propagation in the ocean, sonar systems, scattering and absorption, acoustic measurement of marine life and sea-floor properties, sound transmission in waveguides, ambient noise, transducers, and hydrophones.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

OCE 636. Hurricanes. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is intended to provide a broad overview of tropical cyclones, starting from the basic structure, dynamics and thermodynamics, then expanding through to observations, modeling, forecasting and impacts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OCE 637. Natural Hazards: Atmosphere and Ocean. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide students with an understanding of natural hazards in both the atmosphere and ocean. In the atmosphere, we will explore both weather events such as storms and hurricanes and tornadoes as well as longer term phenomena such as monsoons and excess rainfall in the tropics. Oceanographically, the course will address hazards such as storm surge and flooding, rogue waves, rip currents, and tsunamis that occur on short time scales as well as the longer terms effects such as sea level rise and the impacts of El Niño and La Niña oceanographic conditions on weather conditions. Thus, the course focus is on hazards and their impacts around the globe.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OCE 642. Physics of Remote Sensing I - Passive Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Course discusses basic physical principles of remote sensing with emphasis on optical and passive systems. Topics include orbital dynamics, sampling issues, fundamental laws of electromagnetic waves, passive remote sensing in the visible, infrared and microwave parts of the electromagnetic spectrum, a survey of satellite sensors and summary of the derived geophysical variables.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
OCE 643. Physics of Remote Sensing II - Active Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Course discusses basic physical principles of remote sensing with emphasis on active and radar systems. Topics include electromagnetic theory, radar equation, antenna theory and pulse compression, radar scattering physics; sea surface processes relevant to radar imaging, scatterometry, synthetic aperture radar (SAR), altimetry, HF Doppler radar, marine radar, satellite orbits, brief overview of passive remote sensing techniques.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OCE 651. Applied Ocean Acoustics and Marine Mammals. 3 Credit Hours.
The objective of this course is to provide a basis in the fundamental of sound in the sea and on the effects of sound on marine mammals.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OCE 668. Marine Isotopic Processes. 3 Credit Hours.
The use of isotopic methods in geology, geochemistry, and geophysics including oceanography and meteorology. General laws governing isotopic effects in chemical and physical processes are discussed as well as specific problems in dating, tracing, and paleotemperatures.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

OCE 673. Applied Underwater Acoustics. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include sonar systems and operating characteristics, scattering and reverberation, target strength, signal processing, transducers and arrays, detection and noise, and acoustic telemetry.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

OCE 675. Fluid Mechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
The equations governing the dynamics of homogeneous fluids are derived. The concepts of deformation rates, vorticity, stream function, and ideal fluid flow are introduced and demonstrated in applications describing flows in the marine environment. Semi-empirical methods for analyzing viscous flows, boundary layers, and turbulence are presented. Eddy viscosity and more advanced turbulence closure schemes are discussed in the context of coastal circulation, bottom boundary layers and sediment transport.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OCE 676. Wave Propagation in the Ocean Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of vector analysis, basic principles of fluid mechanics, equations of surface gravity waves, linear dispersion relation, phase and group velocity, wave dispersion, orbital motions, wave refraction, diffraction, reflection, ray tracing, frequency and wavenumber spectra, fundamentals of wave modeling, action balance equation, wave generation, wave dissipation, wave-wave interaction, wave-current interaction, Stokes drift, internal waves.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OCE 680. Transport and Mixing Process in the Marine Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
Heat and constituent transport and mixing processes in the marine environment. Derivation of the fundamental equations governing heat and constituent transport and mixing processes, steady and unsteady state heat transfer by conduction, laminar and turbulent convection, and radiation, steady and unsteady state constituent transfer by diffusion and laminar and turbulent convection, mixing and flushing in tidally driven coastal waters are also discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

OCE 681. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

OCE 682. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
OCE 683. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

OCE 684. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures, research projects or directed readings in special topics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

OCE 686. Applied Remote Sensing. 3 Credit Hours.
Provides a detailed overview of applications of passive remote sensing using visible, infrared and microwave radiometers. Orbit and satellite characteristics are discussed. Hands-on data processing and analysis using readily accessible image processing software is included. Access to satellite data archives is explained. Students are also expected to attend Physics of Remote Sensing I - Passive Systems, and Physics of Remote Sensing II - Active Systems, which focus on the theory of remote sensing. The companion course, Applied Radar Remote Sensing, is offered in the spring semesters.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OCE 687. Applied Radar Remote Sensing. 3 Credit Hours.
This course complements Physics of Remote Sensing II with additional lectures and exercises tailored specifically to the needs of MPS students. Topics covered: Active vs. passive remote sensing, satellite station operations, how to work with satellite radar images, imaging geometry and sampling characteristics, introduction to IDL, hands-on SAR data analysis examples, hands-on marine radar data analysis.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OCE 701. Mathematical Methods in Marine Physics. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OCE 705. Chemical Oceanography. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce students to the chemistry of the oceans, descriptive chemical oceanography of the components of ocean waters (metals, gases, organic compounds and nutrients), and biogeochemical cycles in oceanic systems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OCE 711. Geophysical Fluid Dynamics II. 3 Credit Hours.
The focus of this course is on the effects of stratification, on time variable phenomena, and on the interaction between large-scale circulation and mesoscale eddies. Course topics include quasi geostrophic scale analysis, Rossby waves, barotropic and baroclinic instability, wave-mean flow interaction and non-geos trophic waves.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OCE 712. Large Scale Ocean Circulation: Models and Observations. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include theoretical models of the oceanic current systems, wind-driven and thermohaline circulation, effects of bottom topography, and lateral bounding.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
OCE 716. Lagrangian Fluid Dynamics and Predictability. 3 Credit Hours.
The ash cloud produced by the eruption of Eyjafjallajökull in Iceland, the oil spill produced by the explosion of the Deepwater Horizon drilling rig in the Gulf of Mexico, and release of debris and radioactive contamination into the Pacific Ocean after the Fukushima nuclear reactor was hit by the Tohoku tsunami, are examples of events that have caused considerable impact to the environment. They all represent problems in Lagrangian ocean or atmospheric dynamics in which predicting where the material released into the environment will be transported by the ocean currents or winds is critical. A common approach to predict the outcome of an event like the above is to run an ocean or atmosphere circulation model simulations and then integrate the resulting velocity fields from a given release location to predict pollutant trajectories. An important drawback of such an approach is that the predictions are highly sensitive to small changes in the release time and location. Attempts to cope with the sensitivity to initial conditions include running several different models for the same scenario, but this typically leads to even larger distributions of advected tracers, hiding the key organizing structures of the flow. Improved understanding and forecasting requires novel notions and techniques capable of casting light on why material is transported the way it is by a given flow. The goal of this course is acquaint the student with a series of recent developments originated at the interface of nonlinear dynamics and fluid dynamics that have led to a number of novel such notions and techniques.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OCE 720. Marine Physical Chemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Physical-chemical principles applied to the marine environment, based on thermodynamics and the study of rate processes.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

OCE 721. Waves and Tides I. 3 Credit Hours.
The focus of this course is on the kinematics, dynamics and energetics of wave motions in the ocean and atmosphere from both theoretical and observational perspectives. We examine the internal wave spectrum ranging from the buoyancy frequency to the inertial frequency including the WKBJ scaling of the momentum by the buoyancy frequency. The IW spectrum often contains both the semidiurnal and diurnal tidal frequencies where the former is often referred to as internal tide that are excited along continental margins by barotropic tides. Within the context of normal modes, Kelvin and topographically Rossby waves are also present in this regime known as coastally trapped (also known as continental shelf waves). The course then goes into the equatorial wave guide that supports these motions (except for near-inertial motions). This is followed by the forced wave motions by atmospheric fronts and cyclones where Green's functions are introduced to derive analytical expressions for the 3-D current structure.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

OCE 724. Statistical Modeling of Geophysical Fields. 3 Credit Hours.
An advanced course in statistical modeling, analysis, and assimilation of geophysical data. Emphasis is placed on practical applications, computer software, and new nonstandard techniques.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OCE 731. Air-Sea Interaction. 3 Credit Hours.
Oceanic and atmospheric mixed layers including fluxes of heat, momentum, moisture and salt between the ocean and atmosphere; vertical distribution of energy sources and sinks at the interface including the importance of surface currents; forced upper ocean dynamics, the role of surface waves on the air-sea exchange processes and ocean mixed layer processes.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OCE 735. Life in Moving Fluids. 3 Credit Hours.
The physical characteristics of fluids are described and quantified in relation to various flow phenomena that play a part in life functions. Adaptations of forms and functions reflect the different properties of the media. Energy conversion and transfer limit form and function and enable a wide variety of survival strategies. This course is mainly about the adaptation of marine organisms to moving fluids, small scale movement ecology, and diversity in physical constraints and adaptation in marine ecosystem.
Prerequisite: OCE 701.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
OCE 736. Modeling of Physical-Biological Interactions. 3 Credit Hours.
The course is designed to teach students the basics components for building coupled physical biological models. Students will be able to understand the processes affecting from low- to high-trophic level organisms in the planktonic environment. Emphasis will be given on numerical simulations of mechanisms involved in: Plankton distribution and patchiness; Trophic interactions (NPZD); Larval behavior and transport; Marine population connectivity.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OCE 750. Coastal Ocean Circulation. 3 Credit Hours.
The oceanography of the continental margins are where tides, winds and waves interact on a spectrum of temporal and spatial scales in driving the shelf circulation from the shelf break to the inner shelf. The effects of baroclinicity, topography (and bottom stresses) will be explored in this course. We will highlight fundamental differences between wide versus narrow shelves, and those where boundary currents impact the shelf circulation such as the Loop Current on the west Florida shelf; Florida Current and Gulf Stream along the east coast; and the weaker and broader California Current along the US west coast.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

OCE 752. Vortex Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will cover fundamental to advanced topics in vortex dynamics. A review of fluid dynamics and vorticity in two dimensions will be followed by studies of vortex dynamics in three-dimensional, incompressible flow and in three-dimensional, stratified flow.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

OCE 762. Computer Models in Fluid Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
Course topics include numerical techniques of dealing with dynamic problems in meteorology and oceanography. Dynamic prediction models, initial data conditioning, computational stability, and error estimates are also included.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OCE 763. Environmental Photochemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the principles of photochemistry and their application to understanding sunlight initiated processes in the region of the ocean-atmosphere interface. Organic and inorganic photochemical reactions and subsequent thermal reactions in solution, gas, and solid media are discussed.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

OCE 764. Atmospheric and Oceanic Turbulence. 3 Credit Hours.
Structure and dynamics of planetary boundary layers, turbulent transport processes, Fickian and statistical theories of turbulence, influence of stratification, and rotation on turbulent motion are discussed.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OCE 767. Spectral and Finite Element Methods in Computational Fluid Dynamics. 3 Credit Hours.
The simulation of fluid flows in geometrically complex domains (like ocean basins) and/or with high fidelity requires the adoption of new discretization techniques that can simultaneously handle the complicated geometry and permit high accuracy solution. The finite element method has traditionally been used to tackle the geometric complexity while spectral methods have been developed to handle high accuracy in simple geometries. Here we present an approach to handle both complexity within a single framework, namely the spectral element method. The course starts by describing the weak formulation common to all finite element methods which, by design, are geometrically flexible. The second part of the course describe how high order polynomial can be implemented within the finite element framework to achieve high accuracy rates.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
OCE 768. Marine Trace Element Geochemistry. 3 Credit Hours.
This course includes an in-depth discussion on all major aspects of oceanic trace element cycle and their application in oceanography and climate studies. The discussed topics include distribution, controlling processes, trace element speciation, isotopes, the role of trace elements in oceanic cycle of major nutrients and the application in the studies of past ocean history and climate. New data and major findings of the on-going GEOTRACES program will also be discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OCE 770. Seminar in Ocean Sciences. 1 Credit Hour.
Oral presentation of research and special topics by students, faculty, and visiting scientists.
Components: SEM.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

OCE 772. Advanced Underwater Acoustics. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis and numerical modeling of sound propagation in the ocean: geometrical acoustics, normal mode theory, and the parabolic equation method. Recent advances in underwater acoustics: effects of oceanic variability, signal fluctuations, random medium propagation, ocean bottom interactions, and shallow water propagation are also examined.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

OCE 776. Mesoscale Oceanography. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will present a current view of our understanding of ocean mesoscale variability, including its properties in different oceanic regimes, the dynamics governing its origin and development, and its overall role in the oceans and climate. Lectures will present material covering theory, observations (both in situ and satellite), and numerical model results. Students will learn basic concepts on ocean mesoscale processes and perspectives on current research topics from lectures, assignments and research papers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OCE 780. Capstone Independent Study of Coastal Engineering (MSOE). 3 Credit Hours.
OCE 780 is an independent study course in the field of Coastal Engineering that is intended to be a final semester capstone project in the MS in Ocean Engineering program. The student will work with the instructor to select a laboratory or field experimental project of interest related to coastal oceanographic engineering. The student will review the background of similar studies, design the project applying appropriate scaling laws (in the case of the laboratory studies), design the measurements to be taken and the protocols for doing so. The student will assist in model construction as required. Data will be collected, analyzed and archived. A report will be prepared and presented at an open seminar on campus.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

OCE 786. Advanced Ocean Measurements. 2 Credit Hours.
Theory and techniques of ocean measurements, ocean data systems, and processing and ocean data transmission are discussed. Lecture, 2 hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

OCE 790. Mechanics and Thermodynamics of the Air-Sea Interface. 3 Credit Hours.
This course deals with the theory and practice of air-sea interaction. Two hours of lectures and one hour in the wind-wave laboratory provide an appropriate mix of theory and experiment. The topics covered include: thermodynamics of the interface; conservation equations; wave generation, propagation, and dissipation; boundary layer turbulence; heat, mass, and momentum transfer; energy dissipation, intermittency; turbulence closure; and wave prediction models.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OCE 795. Advanced Studies. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised study in areas of special interest to graduate students.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
OCE 798. Advanced Studies. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised study in areas of special interest to graduate students.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

OCE 805. MPS Internship. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The Master of Professional Science internship is an approved, supervised internship project with an organization engaged in activities associated with
the student’s degree track. The internship results in a collaborative project, written report, and oral presentation on a topic approved by the student's
advisory committee. Up to 6 credits are necessary for graduation
Components: PRA.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

OCE 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not
awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

OCE 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor but not for less than a total of 12. Not more
than 12 hours of OCE 830 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than 6 in a summer session. Where a student has passed his/her (a) qualifying
examinations, and (b) is engaged in an assistantship, he/she may still take the maximum allowable credit stated above.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Ophthalmology (OPH)

OPH 610. Anatomy and Physiology of the Eye. 1 Credit Hour.
This course introduces the major anatomical and physiological regions of the eye, including cornea, lens, retina, optic nerve, cranial nerves and
extraocular tissues. Emphasis is placed on the relationship between the eye and others systems. Demonstrations include eye dissection, visual testing
and visual perception experimentation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OPH 615. Pathology of Eye Diseases. 1 Credit Hour.
This course covers in detail the major pathologies of the eye, including congenital diseases and syndromes, infectious diseases, tumors and adult-onset degenerations. Emphasis is placed on pathophysiological mechanisms contributing to pathology, and also covers examination of the eye, diagnostic features, and management of major eye diseases. Demonstrations include histological sections, OCT, visual field and angiogram, and associated diagnostic criteria.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OPH 620. Ocular Pharmacology, Epidemiology, and Biostatistics. 1 Credit Hour.
Course will teach local anesthetics, anti-infectious, anti-allergic agents, control of ocular pain, adverse ocular and systemic reactions caused by
therapeutic agents will be part of the course. Ocular therapeutic principles (pharmacokinetics and pharmacodynamics, toxicity), sources of drug
information, new drug development, drug regulations as applicable to different areas of operation including prescription writing will be discussed. An
introductory course in epidemiologic and biostatistics methodology covering study design for investigation of both infectious and chronic diseases of
the eye; screening programs and health services research will also be discussed. Outbreak investigation, natural history of infectious diseases, validity
of clinical tests, survival analysis, and clinical trial and etiologic studies will be discussed. Methods of biostatistician evaluation of experiment design
and analyses of data to decipher significant from non-significant results and general tools for statistical analyses will be reviewed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
OPH 625. Microbiology and Immunology of the Eye. 1 Credit Hour.
Students will learn concepts and terminologies of immunology, bacteriology, virology, parasitology and mycology with an emphasis on mechanisms of microbial disease transmission and host defense mechanisms. Students become familiar with the types of organisms responsible for human disease, the mechanisms by which they produce disease, and the application of this knowledge to the treatment of patients. This course integrates the biomedical disciplines of immunology and medical microbiology. Infectious and immunological diseases with relevance to the clinical setting and pharmacological approaches will be presented. A basic understanding of the classification and characteristics of infectious microorganisms, the mechanisms by which infectious agents cause disease, and methods of both prevention and treatment are highlighted. Causes and treatment of immune diseases will also be presented. Concepts of inflammation, sepsis, cell injury, tissue repair, hemodynamic disorders, genetic disorders, environmental and nutritional pathology, immunodeficiency diseases, autoimmune and metabolic diseases will be presented. Throughout the course, small group tutorials and interactive clinical correlations based on clinical cases linking basic science concepts to clinical medicine will be presented. Tutorials, clinico-pathological correlations and laboratories emphasize problem-solving skills, integration of knowledge and independent learning.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OPH 630. Ophthalmic Genetics. 1 Credit Hour.
This course provides an overview of the influence of genetics in ophthalmology with respect to understanding pathogenic mechanisms of eye diseases, and the development of novel therapeutic strategies. The course will provide an introduction to complex and Mendelian genetics, and research strategies involved in identifying disease-associated genetic changes. Specific topics include hereditary retinal diseases, genetic associations in age related macular degeneration and glaucoma, genetics of myopia and optic nerve diseases, and mitochondrial disorders affecting the eye. Additional discussions include current gene therapy clinical trials.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OPH 635. Electrophysiology of the Eye. 1 Credit Hour.
This course will introduce the basic principles of electrophysiology of the eye, identify neural signals, neurotransmitters, molecular signaling within neurons. Additionally, the sensation and sensory systems. Emphasis is placed on the relationship between the eye and other signals and senses.
Corequisite: OPH 663.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OPH 640. Vision and Optics. 2 Credit Hours.
This course will provide an introduction to the principles of geometrical optics and its application to the study and assessment of the visual system. Topic covered will include fundamental of geometrical optics, principles of optical system components (lenses, mirrors, prisms, light sources), optics of the eye and vision correction, basic principles of visual optical instruments (loupe, microscopes, telescopes), and principles and applications of ophthalmic diagnostic and imaging systems, including ophthalmoscopes, retinoscopes, slit-lamp, keratometers, corneal topography systems, aberrometers and optical coherence tomography.
Corequisite: OPH 662.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OPH 645. Biochemistry, Cellular and Molecular Ophthalmology. 2 Credit Hours.
An introduction to biochemistry with emphasis on ocular clinical applications. Topics will include nutrition, cellular biology, biochemistry of tears, conjunctiva, and cornea. The structure and functions of proteins and enzymes as well as metabolism of carbohydrates and lipids will be discussed.
Case studies and journal articles will be used to demonstrate the useful applications of these principles to ocular health-related issues.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OPH 661. LAB: Basic Biochemistry, Microbiology, and Pathology. 3 Credit Hours.
Experiments related to molecular biology (includes PCR, DNA cloning, hybridization analysis, restriction mapping, and DNA sequence analysis), protein purification and analysis (salt fractionation, ion exchange chromatography, affinity chromatography, SDS-PAGE, and immuno-blotting), and determination of enzyme kinetic parameters.

Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
OPH 662. Lab: Basic and Applied Optics and Statistics. 1 Credit Hour.
This laboratory course serves as a companion to the Vision and Optics course. It will include practical hands-on examples of the application of geometrical optical theory to the design and calculation of optical systems, provide an initial hands-on experience with basic optical system setup on an optical bench, and provide basic hand-on training or demonstration of ophthalmic diagnostic techniques and instruments, including refraction, ophthalmoscopy, retinoscopy, slit-lamp examination, aberrometry, corneal topography and optical coherence tomography.
Corequisite: OPH 640.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OPH 663. Lab: Electrophysiology, Clinical Testing and Applications. 1 Credit Hour.
This laboratory work will introduce the students to novel clinical recording techniques, electrophysiologic tests, and clinical applications of ERG, EOG, and VEP. Emphasis is placed on novel and specialized clinical applications and recordings. The course will be divided in two sections. Section one ends with focus on the effects of maturation, aging, and testing in infants. Section two will conclude with electrophysiologic findings of many clinical conditions and clinical applications of ERG, EOG, and VEP of various eye disorders/diseases.
Corequisite: OPH 635.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OPH 691. Clinical Ophthalmology Update. 2 Credit Hours.
Society, Science and Medicine. History and evolution of medicine, Seminars on different aspects of medicine including a broad spectrum view of career options. The emphasis will be how medicine has been developed historically, its efficacy, and the future outlook. For example, antibiotic resistant bacteria was discovered in 12,000 year old underground caves that makes us realize that antibiotic resistance is an old problem and we need to have an outlook bearing that in mind.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OPH 771. PBL: Advanced and High Throughput Approaches in Science. 2 Credit Hours.
The Problem-Based Learning Method (PBL) was designed to teach students in small groups to identify specific techniques that will yield the answers to the problems. Content will include the underlying norms and principles that shaped these concepts. The courses also include plenary session presentations by experts on relevant topics and their use in preparing manuscripts and grant applications and policies regarding conduct of experiments using these techniques.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

OPH 772. PBL: Management skills and Tools for Academia and Enterprises. 2 Credit Hours.
This Problem-Based learning course will introduce grant writing, pre-award preparation, post-award management and will be taught using problem-based modules. Federal and non-federal extramural grants will be used as modules specific aspects of different segmental grants will be presented. Major research grant, training and fellowships, grants-in-aid will be taught. In addition, small business innovation research (SBIR) or STTR will be covered. Students will learn techniques to analyze markets, identify optimal opportunities, develop plans to sell their vision in order to attract talent and stakeholders. A series of problem-based lectures integrates modern business concepts from an entrepreneurial approach.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
OPH 773. PBL: Animal Models, Regulatory issues, and Research Methods. 2 Credit Hours.
Part I: The aim of this Problem-Based learning course is to provide students the basic understanding and expertise pertaining to generation and implementation of preclinical research IACUC protocol. This course consists of a problem based learning module with a focus on developing students’ understanding of various animal models in preclinical research and how to refine animal research models that meet the requirement of IACUC regulation. Part II: The purpose of this course is to provide clinical research regulatory expertise with an aim to create future leaders in the drug development industry. This regulatory science course uses a multidisciplinary approach and encompasses course work in regulatory writing techniques, quality systems, and medical device and pharmaceutical regulation. The concentration is designed to develop the student’s understanding of how to meet regulatory oversight requirements as they relate to the conduct of clinical studies. This course will prepare students to play critical roles throughout the lifecycle of pharmaceuticals, medical devices, and biologics. They provide strategic, tactical and operational direction, and support for working within regulations to expedite the development and delivery of safe and effective healthcare products to individuals around the world. The regulatory professional’s services can be utilized in research and development, clinical trials, extension of premarket approvals, manufacturing, labeling and advertising, and post-market surveillance. Knowledge of clinical research conduct and management which involves the design, execution and management of clinical trials as well as quality assurance and compliance principles are important to regulatory professionals. Course also provides highlight on how to effectively partner with experts such as writers drafting pre- and post- approval regulatory FDA submission documentation (INDs, NDAs, PMAs etc.) for product clearance or licensure, IRB reviewers and investigational Pharmacists to enhance the development of healthcare products.
Components: ENS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

OPH 810. Ophthalmology Research Thesis. 1-7 Credit Hours.
The course allows the student to work full-time on a research project of interest under the supervision of research/clinical faculty or a team of faculty members.
Components: THE.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.

Philosophy (PHI)

PHI 101. Introduction to Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
Problems concerning knowledge, mind, freedom, religion, and morality. Reading and discussion of primary sources.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PHI 103. Introduction to Philosophy through Markets and Morals. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to philosophy in a way that emphasizes its relevance to thinking about the economy. It will familiarize you with central texts in moral and political philosophy, and it will provide you with an opportunity to apply the tools of philosophical analysis and argumentation toward questions about the role of markets in contemporary life.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 104. Introduction to Philosophy and the Nature of Scientific Knowledge. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to philosophy in a way that emphasizes its relevance to thinking about the sciences. It will familiarize you with some historically important philosophical works about knowledge and reality, and it will provide you with an opportunity to apply the tools of philosophical analysis and argumentation toward questions about the nature and possibility of scientific knowledge.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 105. Introduction to Philosophy through the Brain and Behavioral Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to philosophy in a way that emphasizes its connections to the brain and behavioral sciences. It will familiarize you with traditional questions about knowledge, freedom, the self, society, and morality; it will introduce relevant work in the brain and behavioral sciences; and it will provide an opportunity to reflect on how the scientific advances might inform our thinking about the philosophical puzzles.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

PHI 106. Introduction to Philosophy and Health Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to philosophy in a way that emphasizes its relevance to thinking about the health sciences. It will provide you with tools for thinking about both metaphysical and moral issues raised by the health sciences. The metaphysical issues include: the nature of life, death, health, and disease. The moral issues include: patient autonomy, what makes death bad, abortion, euthanasia, experimentation, and the allocation of health care resources.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
PHI 107. Introduction to Philosophy and Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to philosophy in a way that emphasizes its relevance to thinking about the law and legal reasoning. It will familiarize you with traditional theories of moral obligation, social justice, free will, and responsibility. And it will provide an opportunity to explore the significance these theories have for addressing questions about the nature of law, our obligation to obey the law, rights, freedom, punishment, and liberty.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 108. Sexual Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to philosophy, focused on definitional, psychological, ethical and political issues relevant to sexual ethics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 109. The Superhuman Mind: An Introduction to Philosophy of Mind. 3 Credit Hours.
Cases of people who became geniuses by accident, human echolocation, lucid dreaming, synthetic telepathy used to move objects with the mind, and more, will be used to shed light on basic concepts in philosophy, such as the concept of mind, the concept of intelligence and the concept of human agency and human capacity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 110. Critical Thinking. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of sound reasoning; the construction and evaluation of arguments in everyday contexts and the assessment of evidence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PHI 111. Introduction to Philosophy Through Video Games. 3 Credit Hours.
Central philosophical topics through reading, playing, talking and writing about video games.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 115. Social and Ethical Issues in Computing. 3 Credit Hours.
History, social context and methods and tools of analysis. Professional and ethical responsibilities. Intellectual property. Privacy and civil liberties.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHI 110. Contemporary Moral Issues. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the philosophical problems which arise in connection with such moral and social issues as abortion, war, suicide, civil disobedience, racial discrimination, the death penalty, and the right to privacy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PHI 130. Love 101. 3 Credit Hours.
Love from different ethical, psychological and neuro-scientific perspectives. Among other things we will look at what distinguishes different kinds of love from each other, how love is manifested psychologically and neuro-scientifically, what chemicals drive feelings of love and obsession and why it can be so difficult to recover from a breakup.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 210. Symbolic Logic. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to symbolic logic and its methods.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.
PHI 215. Logic and Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles and techniques of logic applied to legal reasoning.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHI 236. Feminist Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an introduction to issues in feminist philosophy, including its critique of Western philosophy and its contributions to major areas of philosophy such as ethics, social philosophy, theories of human nature, and theories of knowledge. Theories of oppression introduced at the beginning of the course inform analyses of sexism, heterosexism, racism, classism and ableism, and philosophizing about these "isms" is aided by sociocultural research. The emphasis is not only on what is contained in these topics, but also on how to think critically about them.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PHI 237. Philosophy of Sport. 3 Credit Hours.
A philosophical examination of the nature and characterization of sports and of the many ethical issues they raise.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 238. Environmental Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
Theoretical and practical issues in the field of environmental ethics. It will explore the relationship between humans and the natural environment, the moral status of the natural world and the non-human entities within it, and how we should address various environmental problems and challenges. Topics to be covered include anthropocentrism vs. non-anthropocentrism, moral obligations to non-human animals, conservation vs. preservation, wilderness, over-population, agriculture and the environment, climate change, human rights and the environment, and sustainable development.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 240. Language, Power and Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
A discussion of various types of politically relevant speech, which includes terms like 'gender' and 'race', slurs, political rhetoric, feminist discourse, pornography. How do politicians use rhetoric to persuade and manipulate their targets? How do words embody an ideology? How do we use language to demean, derogate, silence and hurt other people based on their gender, ethnic origin, religious affiliation or sexual orientation? What is the meaning of slurs? And how does this meaning enable slurs to derogate? How is pornography a speech act and how does it subordinate and silence women? Should pornography be granted protection under the first amendment? What does it mean to be a 'women' and what does it mean to be a 'feminist'? What do certain gendered and racial terms mean? How might language constitute or enable violence?
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 241. History and Philosophy of Science. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the history and philosophy of science by approaching this field from historical and epistemological points of view.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHI 242. Self-Knowledge. 3 Credit Hours.
How we can come to know our own minds.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 244. Philosophy of Emotions. 3 Credit Hours.
The philosophy of emotions focusing on questions about what emotions are, whether emotions can be rational and whether they are socially constructed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 245. Philosophical Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of problems in psychology that philosophical methods have traditionally been used to solve.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
PHI 246. Introduction to Cognitive Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Cognitive studies is a deeply interdisciplinary approach to the study of the human mind and its biological basis. In this team-taught course, students will be introduced to the field of cognitive studies through a number of disciplinary perspectives, including philosophy, psychology, neuroscience, computer science, religious studies, and anthropology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 247. Perception. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of the nature of sensory perception.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 248. Phenomenology. 3 Credit Hours.
A historical account of the phenomenological tradition and its significance to contemporary theorizing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 271. Ancient Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce students to Ancient Greek ideas by examining central philosophical themes, such as: Knowledge; Why Be Moral? Justice in the City/Justice in the Soul; Liberty and Social Engineering; Happiness; Friendship; Death. We will use primary texts (in translation) by Plato, Aristotle, Cicero, and Augustine of Hippo, supplemented by some selections from the Greek historian Thucydides. Some Greek vocabulary will be assigned. The final exam will consist of a 2-week-long role playing game, The Threshold of Democracy: Athens in 403 B.C. (Developed by the Classics department at Barnard College, and a core component of Ancient Philosophy courses at UT Austin). Students will be assigned different roles: Thrasybulus; a radical Democrat; an Oligarch; and a supporter of Socrates.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PHI 272. Modern Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
The Renaissance through Kant.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHI 295. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Special Topics taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

PHI 304. Atheism and the Meaning of Life. 3 Credit Hours.
Whether it is something we can articulate, or something we simply feel, the sense that our lives are meaningful is often a central part of whatever contentment we experience in ourselves, our relationships with others, and our belonging in the world. Where does this meaning come from, and in what does it consist, exactly? The idea that it is derived from commitments associated with the supernatural – God, or gods, or otherwise spiritual entities – is a common theme in many longstanding traditions for answering such questions. But what if we do not make any such commitments? In that case, meaning will have to be understood differently. This course is an exploration of some alternative conceptions of the meaning of life.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 330. Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
The main ethical systems and ethical concepts, an analysis of important ethical readings, and an application of ethical concepts to the individual and to society.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PHI 331. Social and Political Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
Relations between morality and politics, the sources and the limits of political obligation, the function of the state, the nature of law, civil disobedience and revolution.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
PHI 332. Philosophy of Law. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of basic philosophical issues concerning the nature and function of law, with particular attention to the legal system of the United States.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PHI 333. Philosophical foundations of criminal law. 3 Credit Hours.
Philosophical examination of questions concerning the purpose, scope and limits of criminal law and the justification of punishment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 334. Biomedical Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamental issues including: the allocation of medical resources, behavior control, definition of death, experimentation with human subjects, euthanasia, and abortion.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 335. Professional Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
Moral issues in business, engineering, law, and medicine. Development of moral principles to guide those in professional roles.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 336. Human Rights. 3 Credit Hours.
This course offers philosophical, legal, and political perspectives on human rights. After a short introduction to international human rights, it surveys international human rights treaties and institutions. Next it turns to topics in human rights theory, covering some contemporary philosophical theories of human rights. The final section explores some human rights problems and controversies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 337. Environmental Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
Theoretical and practical issues in the field of environmental ethics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 338. Philosophy and Feminism. 3 Credit Hours.
Theoretical (metaphysical and epistemological) and applied issues in feminist thought.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 339. Philosophy of Love. 3 Credit Hours.
Love from different ethical, psychological and neuroscientific perspectives. Among other things we will look at what distinguishes different kinds of love from each other, how love is manifested psychologically and neuroscientifically, what chemicals drive feelings of love and obsession and why it can be so difficult to recover from a breakup.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHI 340. Theory of Knowledge. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of the nature, sources and structure of knowledge. Possible topics include perception, skepticism, reason, truth, justification, and certainty.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 341. Philosophy of Language. 3 Credit Hours.
Theories of meaning, reference, predication, nature of signs and symbols, types and functions of discourse.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
PHI 343. Philosophy of Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Scientific theories and their relation to evidence; experimentation and its logic; explanation, the rationality of science and the growth of scientific knowledge.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 344. Philosophy of Mind. 3 Credit Hours.
The nature of mind and mental acts, events, and states and their relations to physical states of the brain and body and to behavior.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 345. Metaphysics. 3 Credit Hours.
The basic structure and kinds of constituents of the world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 346. Philosophy of Mathematics. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of key philosophical issues concerning mathematics and the understanding of mathematical practice.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 347. Philosophy of Social Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of whether there are important differences between the social sciences and the natural sciences in terms of their methodology and objects of study.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 348. Introduction to Philosophy through the Brain and Behavioral Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Cognitive neuroscience taught on a level accessible to people in the humanities, the fine arts and the behavioral sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 349. Philosophy of Space and Time. 3 Credit Hours.
Time and space are notoriously difficult to think about. We seem to have an intuitive understanding of them, but it is surprisingly hard to express that understanding. To make matters worse, modern physics challenges what little grasp we thought we had on the concepts of space and time. We are told that space can be curved, and that there can fail to be an objective fact about which of two events occurred first. So we are left without even an intuitive grasp of two of the most fundamental concepts of experience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PHI 350. Philosophy of Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Philosophical questions about psychology. Topics include: the foundations of Freudian psychology; neuro-psychoanalysis; the nature of the self; thinking animals; computers and consciousness; actions, reasons, and causes; first person authority; the unconscious; meaning and the mental; neuro-science and psychology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 351. Philosophy of Religion. 3 Credit Hours.
The nature of and grounds for religious beliefs; traditional arguments for and against the existence of God; God's attributes; reason vs. faith.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 352. Aesthetics. 3 Credit Hours.
The philosophy of art, such as defining 'art', adjudicating among competing judgments or interpretations of works of art, and understanding the metaphysical status of art objects.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
PHI 353. Philosophy of Film. 3 Credit Hours.
Philosophical questions concerning the ontology and aesthetics of film.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PHI 354. Philosophy of Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Central philosophical issues concerning literature and the evaluation of literary works.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 355. History of Philosophy of Art. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the history of philosophical work on the arts (including literature, visual art, and music) from ancient times through the mid twentieth century.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PHI 356. Philosophy of Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines the nature and aims of education. Of particular concern will be the evaluation of five possible epistemic aims of education: knowledge, truth, rationality, understanding, and intellectual virtue. Are all of these legitimate aims? How do they relate to one another? Are any more fundamental than the others? We will also consider a range of moral/political/social aims of education. A general question concerns the cultural embeddedness of all such proposed aims, so we will consider the place of considerations of diversity, multiculturalism, and their place in civic education in democratic societies in the determination of legitimate educational aims and ideals.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 357. Introduction to Semantics and Pragmatics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an introduction to the fields of natural language semantics and pragmatics, which study linguistic meaning and the use of language in communication. We will begin by investigating various aspects of linguistic meaning: How does language allow us to represent and encode information about the world around us? What are the meanings of expressions of different sorts, and how do they relate to each other? How does the meaning of a sentence depend on its syntactic structure? We will then go on to investigate questions that arise from the use of language in communication: How does the context of a conversation affect the meaning of a sentence? How can a sentence that means one thing be used to communicate something else? How is it that one can use a bit of language to do something like make a promise or issue a threat? What conversational phenomena arise simply because communication is a cooperative activity like many others, and what phenomena depend on specific features of language? Over the course of the semester we will study well-established results from semantic and pragmatic theory, as well as identify open questions that are the subject of current research in philosophy and linguistics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 358. Effective Altruism: Making A Difference. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of what it means to "make a Difference," "Why does it Matter," and "How to best Achieve this Goal". Critical assessment of various candidate proposals for making the world a better place.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 359. Immersive Experience and Virtual Reality. 3 Credit Hours.
Part of living a good life is immersing yourself in new and interesting experiences. Traditionally, this meant going out into the world, not sitting in front of a computer screen. But recent technological advances are making it possible to have more and more immersive and realistic experiences in virtual reality. In this course, we explore a variety of devices used to create immersive experiences: from novels and movies, via computer games such as Second Life, to current state of the art virtual reality systems. We look at the ways these devices shape our experiences and our sense of self. We discuss some ethical and metaphysical challenges they pose. And we consider the opportunities they present for learning, problem solving and improving human interaction. We make extensive use of VR and AR devices, immersing ourselves in virtual worlds in order to think about the fundamental philosophical questions they pose.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
PHI 360. Assessing Philosophical Papers: Philosophy Conference Organization. 3 Credit Hours.
This course teaches students how to evaluate academic work outside their main specialty area and to plan and orchestrate an undergraduate philosophy conference.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 373. Nineteenth Century Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
Fichte, Schelling, Hegel, Schopenhauer, Kierkegaard, Marx, Comte, Mill, Spencer, and Nietzsche.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 374. Twentieth Century Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
Philosophy and philosophers in the twentieth century.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 381. Existentialism. 3 Credit Hours.
Existentialist philosophy as seen in the works of such authors as Kierkegaard, Nietzsche, Heidegger, Sartre, Camus, and Dostoevsky.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 391. Special Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of selected problems, philosophers, or movements. May be repeated for credit.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 392. Special Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of selected problems, philosophers, or movements. May be repeated for credit.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 494. Independent Study in Philosophy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Independent research conducted under the guidance of a faculty member. May be repeated for credit.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 495. Senior Honors Thesis. 3 Credit Hours.
Directed reading and a substantial and scholarly paper.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 496. Senior Honors Thesis. 3 Credit Hours.
Directed reading and a substantial and scholarly paper.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 506. Mathematical Logic. 3 Credit Hours.
Logics, truth, proof, logical consequences, model theory, formalization, and computation. Meta-theory of first-order logic, computability theory, and Goedel’s Incompleteness theorems. Related results by church, Turing, and Tarski. Discussion of their philosophical significance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 510. Formal Logic. 3 Credit Hours.
First and second-order quantification theory; metalogic.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
PHI 530. Ethical Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
G. E. Moore to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 532. Legal Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
The philosophical foundations of legal theory and litigation in U.S. law. Topics include the philosophical underpinnings of contemporary criminal law and tort law, the problems of legal causation and intent, the concept of a reasonable person, the nature of corrective justice, the Kantian basis for human rights, and the free speech dilemma.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 533. Political Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of some central issues and developments in political philosophy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 540. Epistemology. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of the basic topics and questions in epistemology: knowledge acquisition and justification, perception, fallibilism, and skepticism.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 541. Mind and Language. 3 Credit Hours.
Philosophical problems about signs, linguistic and mental representations, intentionality, action, and consciousness.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 543. Induction, Probability, and Scientific Method. 3 Credit Hours.
Foundations of inductive reasoning and role of experiment in science.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 544. The Philosophy of Language. 3 Credit Hours.
A central feature of human language is that it is meaningful; this is what allows us to use language to record and share information about the world, and to communicate the ideas, thoughts and emotions that make up our private mental lives. But what is linguistic meaning? One historically influential idea is that linguistic meaning is to be analyzed in terms of truth. This course will examine this idea, and consider several philosophical debates that have arisen from it, or in which it has played an important role. Along the way students will gain an understanding of some of the most central concepts and issues in contemporary philosophy of language.
Prerequisite: PHI 357 (249) or at least one of PHI 341 - 346.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 545. Metaphysics. 3 Credit Hours.
A selection of topics dealing with the main problems of metaphysics: existence, modality, universals, identity and persistence through time, causation, the self and physicalism.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 546. Evidence and Knowledge in Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic methodologies in medicine in the context of philosophical theories of evidence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
PHI 553. Philosophy and Film. 3 Credit Hours.
Combining readings in philosophy and film theory and criticism with close analysis of selected films, this course is premised on a conviction in the potential fruitfulness, both for film studies and philosophy, of thinking philosophically about the ontology of the medium, the history and the art of film, the ways we experience movies, and their impact on our lives. A main focus will be on the writings of Stanley Cavell—the most important author in the Anglo/American philosophical tradition to make writing about film a substantial part of his philosophical project—and philosophical responses by to his work.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

PHI 555. Philosophy of Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Problems concerning the nature and aims of education.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PHI 560. History of Logic. 3 Credit Hours.
Aristotle, the Stoics, the Scholastics, Leibniz, Boole, DeMorgan, Peirce, Frege, Russell and Whitehead.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PHI 562. History of Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
A selection of ethical theories from Aristotle to Rawls.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 570. Presocratics and Plato. 3 Credit Hours.
Fragments from the Presocratics and the dialogues of Plato.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 571. Aristotle and Hellenistic Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of central philosophical topics in Aristotle and Hellenistic Philosophers (Epicureans, Stoics, and Skeptics).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 572. Medieval Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
The patristic period through the scholasticism of the late middle ages.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 573. Early Modern Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of early modern philosophy from Hobbes and Descartes to Hume.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 575. Kant. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of selected issues in Kant’s theoretical or practical philosophy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 581. Pragmatism. 3 Credit Hours.
Peirce, James, Dewey, and others.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 582. History of Analytic Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
The development of analytic philosophy from its beginnings in the work of Frege and Russell through logical positivism to contemporary philosophy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
PHI 583. The Phenomenological Tradition. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the phenomenological movement (Edmund Husserl, Martin Heidegger, Maurice Merleau-Ponty, and others) and of its impact on contemporary thought.
Component: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 591. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
A selected philosopher or philosophical problem. May be repeated for credit.
Component: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 592. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
A selected philosopher or philosophical problem. May be repeated for credit.
Component: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 593. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
A selected philosopher or philosophical problem. May be repeated for credit. Prerequisite: Six credits in Philosophy and junior standing.
Component: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 594. Independent Study in Philosophy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed reading on a topic or philosopher. May be repeated for credit.
Component: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 606. Mathematical Logic. 3 Credit Hours.
Logics, truth, proof, logical consequences, model theory, formalization, and computation. Meta-theory of first-order logic, computability theory, and Goedel’s Incompleteness theorems. Related results by church, Turing, and Tarski. Discussion of their philosophical significance.
Component: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 611. Formal Logic. 3 Credit Hours.
First and second-order quantification theory; metalogic.
Component: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHI 631. Ethical Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
G. E. Moore to the present.
Component: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 632. Legal Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
The philosophical foundations of legal theory and litigation in U.S. law. Topics include the philosophical underpinnings of contemporary criminal law and tort law, the problems of legal causation and intent, the concept of a reasonable person, the nature of corrective justice, the Kantian basis for human rights, and the free speech dilemma.
Component: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 633. Political Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of some central issues and developments in political philosophy.
Component: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
PHI 642. Epistemology. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of the basic topics and questions in epistemology: knowledge acquisition and justification, perception, fallibilism, and skepticism.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 644. The Philosophy of Language. 3 Credit Hours.
A central feature of human language is that it is meaningful; this is what allows us to use language to record and share information about the world, and to communicate the ideas, thoughts and emotions that make up our private mental lives. But what is linguistic meaning? One historically influential idea is that linguistic meaning is to be analyzed in terms of truth. This course will examine this idea, and consider several philosophical debates that have arisen from it, or in which it has played an important role. Along the way students will gain an understanding of some of the most central concepts and issues in contemporary philosophy of language.
Prerequisite: PHI 357 (249) or at least one of PHI 341 - 346.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 646. Evidence and Knowledge in Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic methodologies in medicine in the context of philosophical theories of evidence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHI 647. Mind and Language. 3 Credit Hours.
Philosophical problems about signs, linguistic and mental representations, intentionality, action, and consciousness.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 648. Induction, Probability, and Scientific Method. 3 Credit Hours.
Foundations of inductive reasoning and role of experiment in science.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 649. Metaphysics. 3 Credit Hours.
A selection of topics dealing with the main problems of metaphysics: existence, modality, universals, identity and persistence through time, causation, the self and physicalism.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 653. Philosophy and Film. 3 Credit Hours.
Combining readings in philosophy and film theory and criticism with close analysis of selected films, this course is premised on a conviction in the potential fruitfulness, both for film studies and philosophy, of thinking philosophically about the ontology of the medium, the history and the art of film, the ways we experience movies, and their impact on our lives. A main focus will be on the writings of Stanley Cavell-the most important author in the Anglo/American philosophical tradition to make writing about film a substantial part of his philosophical project—and philosophical responses by to his work.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 655. Philosophy of Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Problems concerning the nature and aims of education.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PHI 660. History of Logic. 3 Credit Hours.
Aristotle, the Stoics, the Scholastics, Leibniz, Boole, DeMorgan, Peirce, Frege, and Russell and Whitehead.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
PHI 662. History of Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
A selection of ethical theories from Aristotle to Rawls.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 670. Presocratics and Plato. 3 Credit Hours.
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Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
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PHI 672. Aristotle and Hellenistic Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
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Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 673. Medieval Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
The patristic period through the scholasticism of the late middle ages.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 674. Early Modern Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
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Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 677. Kant. 3 Credit Hours.
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Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 681. Pragmatism. 3 Credit Hours.
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Grading: GRD.
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PHI 683. The Phenomenological Tradition. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the phenomenological movement (Edmund Husserl, Martin Heidegger, Maurice Merleau-Ponty, and others) and of its impact on contemporary thought.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 684. History of Analytic Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
The development of analytic philosophy from its beginnings in the work of Frege and Russell through logical positivism to contemporary philosophy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 695. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
A selected philosopher or philosophical problem. May be repeated for credit.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 696. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
A selected philosopher or philosophical problem. May be repeated for credit.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
PHI 697. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
A selected philosopher or philosophical problem. May be repeated for credit. Prerequisite: Six credits in Philosophy and junior standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 698. Independent Study in Philosophy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed reading on a topic or philosopher. May be repeated for credit.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 701. Proseminar (First Semester). 3 Credit Hours.
Covers the core texts from the history of analytic philosophy. First semester of the year-long pro-seminar for first-year graduate students in Philosophy.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 702. Proseminar (Second Semester). 3 Credit Hours.
Covers the core texts and issues of analytic philosophy in the second half of the twentieth century. Second semester of the year-long pro-seminar for first-year graduate students in Philosophy.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 703. Seminar on Philosophical Writing & Methodology. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will work on improving their philosophical writing by preparing a polished version of an original philosophical research paper. They will also develop their philosophical research skills, and will learn how to present and discuss their research in a conference setting. The goal is to have, by the end of the semester, a very good abstract to submit to a conference; a polished and practiced presentation of a paper; and most importantly a written version of a paper that is ready (or close to ready) for submission to a journal.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 711. Topics in Logic. 3 Credit Hours.
Problems in philosophical logic; non-standard logic.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 731. Seminar in Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
Problems in normative ethics, meta-ethics, and value theory.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHI 736. Values, Norms, and Actions. 3 Credit Hours.
The role of values and norms in practical reasoning and decision making.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 742. Seminar in Epistemology. 3 Credit Hours.
Problems concerning knowledge: skepticism, belief, certainty, truth, and justification.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 744. Seminar in Philosophy of Mind. 3 Credit Hours.
Problems concerning mental phenomena: theories of perception, action, consciousness.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
PHI 747. Seminar in Philosophy of Language. 3 Credit Hours.
Nature and uses of language; concepts of reference, truth, and meaning.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 748. Philosophy of Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in the philosophy of science, such as realism, explanation, and conceptual and methodological issues in the special sciences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 749. Seminar in Metaphysics. 3 Credit Hours.
Problems related to the nature and kinds of being.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 751. Seminar in Philosophy of Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Problems related to beauty and the philosophy of art.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 772. Seminar in Ancient Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
A discussion of selected topics in ancient philosophy.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 778. Idealism. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of Idealism, both contemporary and historical.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 795. Seminar in Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
A selected philosopher or philosophical problem. May be repeated for credit.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 796. Seminar in Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
A selected philosopher or philosophical problem. May be repeated for credit.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 798. Independent Study in Philosophy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed reading on a topic or philosopher. May be repeated for credit.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHI 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PHI 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but for not less than a total of 12 hours. Up to 12 hours may be taken in a regular semester, but not more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
PHI 840. Post-candidacy doctoral dissertation. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. who have advanced to candidacy. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but not for less than a total of 12. Not more than 12 hours of PHI 740 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PHI 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

Physical Science (PSC)

PSC 101. Physical Science. 3 Credit Hours.
An interdisciplinary course to provide the non-science major with an understanding of some of the methods, ideas and accomplishments of Physics, Astronomy, Chemistry, Geology, and their role in the development of civilization.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

Physical Therapy (PTS)

PTS 601. Advanced Clinical Practice: Counterstrain 1. 1 Credit Hour.
This seminar course will provide an in depth discussion of the history, physiologic rationale, and fundamentals of the Strain Counterstrain method of manual therapy. Newer concepts of facial science will also be explored. Counterstrain I will stress palpation skills as the foundation for any manual therapist and will teach advanced palpatory anatomy techniques. 30-50 Counterstrain techniques spanning the whole body and consisting of the musculoskeletal, neurovascular, and visceral systems will be taught through lecture, demonstration, and lab.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 602. LAGO Local Pro-Bono Clinic Elective. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is designed to provide physical therapy students with an integrated clinical experience under the supervision of licensed physical therapist. The students work in a pro-bono clinic located at University of Miami Hospital. Students will have the opportunity to participate in the full spectrum of physical therapy care with a population of uninsured patients in need of a broad range of health care and health care education services. Students will have an opportunity to apply previously learned knowledge and skills as it applies to the needs assessed in the community for pro bono service. Health risk issues related to prevention will be assessed and physical therapy services applicable to the needs will be designed.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PTS 603. Introduction to Principles of Orthotic Fabrication and Prescription. 1 Credit Hour.
This seminar course is designed to introduce the art of custom orthotic making. We will explore the various categories within custom orthotics; static, dynamic, serial static, and static progressive. A comparison of the features of pre-fabricated orthoses vs. custom made will be made. The application of clinical reasoning to decision making will equip the Therapist with the necessary information to assist them when considering the orthotic options to achieve the best possible outcome for their patients.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

PTS 604. Rehabilitation Technology for Physical Therapists. 1 Credit Hour.
This course will introduce current advancements in diagnostic and therapeutic equipment used by physical therapists in clinical practice. The emphasis will be on latest rehabilitation technology such as virtual reality, neural stimulation and rehabilitation robotics. Students will observe the equipment being used on patients, get a basic understanding of its operation and have an opportunity for hands-on learning.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall.
PTS 605. Physical Therapy Private Practice Management. 1 Credit Hour.
Course focuses on establishing a private physical therapy practice, including initial development through marketing and management.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 606. Issues in Women's Health: Gynecology. 1 Credit Hour.
Introduction to physical therapy practice for evaluation and treatment of pelvic floor dysfunction.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

PTS 607. Issues in Women's Health: Obstetrics, Osteoporosis and Breast Health. 1 Credit Hour.
Introduction to physical therapy practice for evaluation and treatment of problems related to pregnancy, osteoporosis, and other disorders specific to women.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 608. Nutrition for Physical Therapists. 1 Credit Hour.
A presentation of nutrition content that will benefit the professional skills of physical therapists.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PTS 609. Advances in Amputee Rehabilitation and Prosthetic Technology. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is designed to provide interested students with educational materials about amputations surgery, prosthetic technology and rehabilitation that will augment the information presented in other courses. A select faculty of experts have been invited to present on topics of interest that provide greater depth of knowledge for those physical therapy students who are interested in the field of prosthetics and amputee care. Students will be encouraged to actively participate during each presentation with thought provoking dialog regarding how technology, evidence-based rehabilitation and disciplines involved in prosthetic rehabilitation can work together as a team to generate a better than satisfactory outcome for people with limb loss.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 610. Introduction to Pilates - Gateway. 1 Credit Hour.
This course provides in-depth instruction in the use of Pilates Mat to supplement physical therapy practice. This course covers the history of Pilates and Polestar education, biomechanics, and the many uses of Pilates in physical practices, as well as instruction in 18 Pilates mat exercises. Students learn to perform and teach the exercises and 4 unique class sequences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PTS 611. Advanced Clinical Practice: Topics in Pediatrics. 1 Credit Hour.
The course will focus on advanced topics in pediatric physical therapy. Through lecture, seminar discussion and lab experiences, topics will include: typical and atypical development over the first year and examination and evidence-based intervention strategies used in early intervention strategies.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 612. Sports Physical Therapy. 1 Credit Hour.
An overview of the general aspects of sports physical therapy practice will be provided. Topics will include the various settings, evaluations, interventions, and techniques involved in Sports physical therapy practice.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
PTS 613. Advanced Clinical Practice: Evaluation and Treatment of the Foot and Ankle. 1 Credit Hour.
This course will review the anatomy, normal and abnormal kinesiology/biomechanics, pathology and imaging of the foot and ankle and discuss physical therapy evaluation and intervention based on evidence based practice. It will include an introduction to evaluation and negative casting for orthotics.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 614. Certified Strength and Conditioning Specialist Preparation (NSCA). 1 Credit Hour.
Evaluation and exercise planning of athletes to help them achieve their maximum physical performance without incurring injury. Case studies, a problem-solving approach, and integration of previously learned material are emphasized. Classroom instruction, exercise performance, video analysis, and case studies are utilized.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

PTS 615. Advance Clinical Practice: Taping for the Orthopedic Population. 1 Credit Hour.
This seminar course is designed to introduce the participant to the concepts of taping for various musculoskeletal pathologies commonly seen in the athletic population. Athletic taping and kinesiotaping principles and uses in rehabilitation will be introduced. A lab component will allow participants to practice the various taping techniques demonstrated.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 616. Clinical Research I. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides a foundation for evidence based practice as a physical therapist. It presents the principles, concepts and basic skills required to identify, evaluate, create and apply research evidence to the practice of physical therapy. Topics covered include levels of research evidence, health/disability models, searching for research literature including electronic data bases hypothesis testing, critical review of research literature, measurement, statistical analysis, research design, sampling, bias, and statistical computing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 617. Abdominal Anatomy. 1 Credit Hour.
Course analyzes abdominal anatomy emphasizing structure and function. Cadaver dissection is included.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

PTS 618. Critical Care Physical Therapy. 1 Credit Hour.
A review of the literature on physical therapy in the intensive care unit. Organizing and synthesizing information from the patient’s medical record. Evaluation and treatment planning for patients in the intensive care unit. Review of standardized and validated measures for patients with critical illness. Case studies across a variety of patients with critical illness (i.e. medical, surgical, cardiac, neurological, and oncology) will be incorporated to reinforce didactic lecture.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Summer.

PTS 619. Pelvic Anatomy. 1 Credit Hour.
Course analyzes the anatomy of the human pelvic area. Cadaver dissection is included.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

PTS 620. Spanish for Physical Therapists. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is designed to familiarize the physical therapy student with different aspects of the Spanish speaking culture. This course is also designed to assist the student in developing the basic communication skills in Spanish needed in the clinical setting when working with Spanish speaking patients.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Summer.
PTS 621. Advanced Topics in Neurologic Physical Therapy: Vestibular Rehabilitation. 1 Credit Hour.
This course will expand on knowledge and skills developed in prior courses (Neuroscience, Neuro Examination, and Neurorehabilitation) to focus on the clinical management of an individual with a vestibular disorder from identification of dysfunction through comprehensive clinical management. Through lecture, seminar discussion, and lab experiences, topics will include: Comprehensive vestibular examination and evaluation, Clinical management and intervention strategies, Competency skills checklist, Implementation of treatment
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.

PTS 623. Myofascial Release. 1 Credit Hour.
Introduction to Myofascial Release technique in rehabilitation.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 624. Myofascial Release II. 1 Credit Hour.
A follow up to the introductory course MFR I. This course focuses on a review of bioenergy followed by practice of release techniques for trunk, extremities and head and neck. Cranial techniques and rebounding are also taught.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PTS 625. Introduction to Dry Needling Theory and Technique. 1 Credit Hour.
Course introduces the participant to the concepts of dry needling, its neuro-functional principles, and its use in a physical therapy setting. Emphasis on comparing and contrasting dry needling to acupuncture, as well as the safety, indications and contraindications of dry needling. A lab component will allow participants to practice various introductory dry needling techniques.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 627. Gateway Pilates II. 1 Credit Hour.
This two-day Pilates course will teach how to provide four new basic Pilates Mat classes. A total of 18 Gateway 2 preparatory exercises and original Pilates Mat exercises will be taught. The instructor will provide ample experiences for real time practice of each of the 4 Pilates Mat sequences, and will provide feedback to each participant pertaining to additional training and practice to become proficient teachers of the Gateway Introductory Mat work.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PTS 629. Evaluation and Treatment of Spinal Dysfunctions I. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an in-depth exploration of the evaluation and treatment of various dysfunctions of the spine. The lumbar and sacro-iliac regions will be explored. Thorough evaluation procedures will be emphasized as they relate to specific diagnosis. Treatment for the respective diagnoses will include therapeutic exercise, soft tissue stretching, and postural re-education.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

PTS 630. Foundations of Physical Therapy. 3 Credit Hours.
Historical development, philosophical foundations and contemporary practice of a physical therapist as an educator, consultant, researcher, administrator, and model of healthy behaviors. Health as indicated by global fitness measures will be demonstrated and experienced. Medical terminology mastered.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

PTS 631. Gross Anatomy for Physical Therapy I. 3 Credit Hours.
Gross anatomy with emphasis on the musculoskeletal systems and a survey of other systems that are relevant to physical therapy practice. Cadaver dissection.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.
PTS 632. Gross Anatomy for Physical Therapy II. 3 Credit Hours.
Gross Anatomy with emphasis on the musculoskeletal systems and a survey of other systems that are relevant to physical therapy practice. Cadaver dissection.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

PTS 633. Communication in Physical Therapy Practice. 2 Credit Hours.
Course provides an analysis of communication skills in physical therapy clinical practice. Emphasis is placed on instruction of patients and their families, supportive staff, and health care team members. In-depth examination of patient-therapist interactions is included. Prerequisite: Open to Physical Therapy majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

PTS 640. Neuroscience I. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will explore the human nervous system with an emphasis on the relationship between structure and function. The gross structures of the central and peripheral nervous systems will be discussed, and basic neurophysiological and neuropsychological constructs regarding the function of the nervous system will be explored. Particular emphasis is placed on the systems involved in human motor control and function, its assessment, and the basis for diagnosis and treatment selection by physical therapists.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PTS 641. Neuroscience II. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic neurophysiological and neuropsychological constructs regarding the function of the nervous system are explored. Analyses of normal systems are contrasted with abnormal systems. Particular emphasis is placed on the systems involved in human motor control and function, its assessment, and the basis for diagnosis and treatment selection by physical therapists.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

PTS 642. Electrotherapy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course presents the physiological rationale, indications, contraindications and the application of electrical modalities, including electrical stimulation, thermal modalities, sound modalities, compressive devices, mechanical machinery, and light therapy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

PTS 643. Medical Pathology Seminar I. 1 Credit Hour.
Lectures and seminar discussion on medical and surgical management of pathological conditions, with particular emphasis on musculoskeletal disorders.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 644. Medical Pathology Seminar II. 1 Credit Hour.
Lectures and seminar discussion on pathological conditions with particular emphasis on neuromuscular and musculoskeletal disorders.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PTS 645. Medical Pathology Seminar III. 1 Credit Hour.
This course provides lectures and seminar discussion on medical and surgical management of pathological conditions, with particular emphasis on regenerative medicine, neuromuscular disorders and women's health.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.
PTS 646. Medical Pathology Seminar IV. 1 Credit Hour.
Lectures and seminar discussion of pathological conditions with particular emphasis on cardiorespiratory and pediatric disorders.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 650. Pharmacology. 2 Credit Hours.
Basic principles of pharmacology and pharmacotherapeutics. Contemporary drug therapies and their effects on patients undergoing rehabilitation are discussed.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 670. Clinical Skills in Physical Therapy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is specifically designed to provide each student with the necessary and basic clinical skills to function within a variety of patient settings. Utilizing a combination of lecture and the associated co-requisite laboratory, this course will cover proper body mechanics, patient positioning and draping, massage, daily patient documentation, vital signs, range of motion, basic wheelchair management and measurement, bed mobility and transfers, tilt table benefits and management, ambulatory assistive devices and gait training with assistive devices.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 671. Therapeutic Physiology. 2 Credit Hours.
This course will require the student to analyze and apply physiologic principles to promote optimal patient evaluation and management. A variety of tests and measures will be reviewed and will be integrated with specific physiologic principles in order for the student to better understand the role of therapeutic interventions for patients referred to physical therapy. The focus of the course will revolve around several related themes including (1) interpreting the cardiorespiratory response to exercise, (2) understanding energy production and regulation, (3) integrating the cardiovascular, pulmonary, and muscular systems to better understand and interpret cardiorespiratory function as well as energy production, regulation, and homeostasis, and (4) examining the effects of de-conditioning and re-conditioning using different forms of exercise for individuals who are healthy or diagnosed with a medical disorder.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 672. Clinical Kinesiology and Biomechanics. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of musculoskeletal structure and function, physiological and biomechanical factors, and principles underlying the kinematics and kinetics of normal and abnormal human motion.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 674. Clinical Examination. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will present the basic examination skills for patients with various diseases and dysfunctions of the neuromusculoskeletal system. The skills emphasized are patient interviewing, palpation, reflex/sensory testing, cranial nerve testing, coordination testing, manual muscle testing, goniometric measurement with assessment of end feels, upper and lower quarter screening, postural assessment, and documentation of findings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 675. Clinical Decision Making I. 2 Credit Hours.
This course presents components of physical therapist practice with an emphasis on evidence-based decision making related to interviewing patients, selecting appropriate tests and measures, arriving at a physical therapy diagnosis and developing a plan of care within the physical therapist’s scope of practice. Documentation formats as they relate to clinical decision making are presented. The Physical Therapist Guide to Practice patient/client management model, International Classification of Function, and practice patterns are presented. The process of physical therapy diagnosis is presented. Students will be given an opportunity to practice with case studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.
PTS 676. Medical Screening in Physical Therapy. 1 Credit Hour.
This course presents content related to screening for medical conditions in order to make clinical decisions about appropriateness for physical therapy and need for medical referral for patients presenting for physical therapy management.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 695. Selected Topics in Physical Therapy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics in contemporary physical therapy clinical practice with focus on specialty areas such as neonatal pulmonary care, balance/vestibular dysfunction, geriatrics, pediatrics, obstetrics, and gynecology.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PTS 706. Neurological Evaluation. 2 Credit Hours.
Comprehensive evaluation of the patient with neurological dysfunction. Emphasis is placed on decision making, differential diagnosis, selection, and interpretation of examination components.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 708. Human Gait and Locomotion. 1 Credit Hour.
This course is an in-depth study of the fundamental mechanisms of normal human gait and locomotion. Students will be instructed on the terminology, normal joint range of motion and muscle function of the lower limbs during gait. Mechanisms of observational and instrumented analyses of gait will be discussed. Identification of common gait deviations, using observational gait analysis skills, will be briefly discussed.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 710. Clinical Experience I. 2 Credit Hours.
This is the first eight-week clinical experience following the fourth semester of didactic course work and is performed in an ambulatory/outpatient setting with emphasis on musculoskeletal diagnoses. During this experience the student concentrates on the clinical application of the basic examination, evaluation, diagnosis, prognosis, and outcome assessment that they have learned thus far in the academic setting. The student is expected to demonstrate good documentation skills, good communication skills and to develop their professionalism according to the APTA Core Values and Code of Ethics expected of the professional physical therapist.

Components: CLN.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 711. Clinical Experience II. 2 Credit Hours.
This is the second eight-week clinical experience following the completion of all didactic course work. It is the first of three sequential and summative clinical experiences. This clinical experience can be completed in an ambulatory/outpatient setting, acute care hospital, and rehabilitation hospital or unit or specialty practice such as pediatrics, sports, or women’s health. Even though this clinical experience is unique, it is part of a sequence in which professional development and growth is expected. During this experience the student concentrates on the clinical application of the patient/client management model. This includes the examination, evaluation, diagnosis, prognosis, and intervention and outcome assessment within the context of the clinical setting. The student is expected to demonstrate good documentation skills, good communication skills and to develop their professionalism according to the APTA Core Values and Code of Ethics expected of the professional physical therapist.

Components: CLN.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 714. Neurorehabilitation. 3 Credit Hours.
Evidence-based practices in the treatment of individuals with neurological involvement are explored. Emphasis is placed upon the integration and application of theoretical constructs, prognostic indicators, examination and evaluation findings, and therapeutic intervention strategies utilized by physical therapists in neurological rehabilitation across disease course and practice settings.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
PTS 715. Rehabilitation of the Complex Patient. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will instruct students on the management of individuals with complex pathology that has additional complex social and environmental factors. Emphasis will be placed on the principles of assessment, treatment, discharge planning, and referral in the Acute Care environment. Topics covered include: early mobilization in the ICU, management of patients with multiple lines, drains, and tubes, multiple trauma, cancer, hospice and palliative care, bariatrics, solid organ transplantation, patient safety, collaboration with healthcare team members, and use of acute care appropriate outcome measures. The course includes hands on transfer labs, patient evaluation and simulation experiences, and a practical examination on assessment and mobilization of a simulated complex patient.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

PTS 717. Clinical Research II. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is a continuation of Clinical Research I that provides the student with continued guidance in the completion of the faculty led research project begun as part of Clinical Research I. A series of lectures also provide exposure to additional topics relevant to clinical research in Physical Therapy. Potential lecture topics include data analysis, design, error, philosophy of science, and research reporting.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 718. Physical Therapy Practice Management, Professional Issues and Advancement. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction into the many facets of administration in physical therapy. The course has three primary areas of exploration: physical therapy administration and practice management, the current healthcare environmental influences, and personal administration and career entry preparation. These focal points are selected to assist the new graduate physical therapist in navigating early career activities, opportunities and environments. An organizational perspective will be the dominant context for this course, but mention of entrepreneurial activities will be included during the course of discussion and may be explored as part of the group projects.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

PTS 720. Biomechanical Basis of Human Movement. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the basic biomechanical principles underlying the kinetics and kinematics of normal and abnormal human motion as well as the measurement of human movement.
Requisite: Physical Therapy PHD Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

PTS 721. Measurement of Impairment and Function in Human Movement. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of measurement tools utilized in the analysis of normal and abnormal human motion.
Requisite: Physical Therapy PHD Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 722. Pathobiology of Human Function I. 3 Credit Hours.
Pathophysiology of musculo-skeletal processes that impair human function including skeletal muscle; skin, tendons, ligaments, cartilage; bone; and cardiorespiratory.
Requisite: Physical Therapy PHD Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PTS 724. Cardio-Respiratory Physical Therapy. 3 Credit Hours.
The skills necessary for the evaluation and treatment of patients with various cardio-respiratory diseases and dysfunctions. Inpatient and outpatient cardiac and respiratory rehabilitation is included. Research on prevention of cardio-respiratory diseases and dysfunctions as it relates to evaluative, and therapeutic methods is also discussed.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
PTS 726. Therapeutic Exercise. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will be a comprehensive approach for the evaluation and management of patients with various orthopaedic pathologies and their related dysfunction(s). An emphasis will be placed on evidence-based practice, critical thinking, treatment algorithms, as they all inter-relate to therapeutic exercises. The general focus of this course is to possess entry-level skills in the cognitive, affective, and psychomotor domains as they relate to the treatment of a wide-variety of orthopaedic conditions.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PTS 727. Prosthetics and Orthotics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course offers a comprehensive approach to the evaluation, treatment and management of people who require the intervention of prosthetic or orthotic appliances. Identification and application of appropriate therapeutic management alternatives are integrated with self-help appliances to assist with the goal of returning the client to the community and/or the highest level of social interaction.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PTS 728. Musculoskeletal Examination and Manual Treatment I. 3 Credit Hours.
In-depth examination of differential diagnosis of various extremity dysfunctions with principles of examining soft tissue, bony and post-surgical problems relevant to the shoulder, elbow, wrist/hand, hip, knee, ankle, and foot. Manual therapy/joint mobilizations for each joint will also be introduced.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PTS 729. Evaluation and Treatment of Spinal Dysfunctions II. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an in-depth exploration of the evaluation and treatment of various dysfunctions of the spine. The cervical, thoracic, suboccipital regions and TMJ will be explored. Students will review the lumbar and sacro-iliac dysfunctions. Students are expected to critically review and investigate the literature relevant to the cervical, thoracic, and head-neck regions. Treatment for respective diagnoses will include therapeutic exercise, soft tissue stretching and manual therapy techniques. Clinical competence in manual evaluation and treatment procedures are to be developed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

PTS 730. Pediatric Physical Therapy. 2 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide students with an entry level knowledge, attitudes and skills essential for working with children with movement dysfunction. Examination and evidence-based practices utilized by physical therapists in the treatment of children with musculoskeletal, neuromuscular, cardiopulmonary, integumentary and/or cognitive/affective issues will be emphasized.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PTS 731. Geriatric Physical Therapy. 2 Credit Hours.
A case-based clinical approach to factors and issues related to examination, evaluation, diagnosis, prognosis, and intervention of aging adults by physical therapists. Topics covered include age-related versus activity related changes to body systems; use of standardized functional assessments appropriate for aging adults; successful aging; musculoskeletal, neuromuscular, cardiopulmonary, cognitive and psychiatric disorders in the elderly; fall risk assessment and fall prevention; home and environmental adaptations/modifications; health care delivery sites/systems; nutrition; polypharmacy; Medicare rules and regulation related to rehabilitation; frailty/sarcopenia; and strength training and exercise prescription in the aging adult. Focused discussion centers on clinical decision making across multiple geriatric settings.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PTS 743. Measuring Health Outcomes. 3 Credit Hours.
An in depth analysis of the use and construction of health outcome measures. Topics covered include creating and selecting items, scaling responses, scale construction, response bias, reliability, validity, responsiveness and methods of administration.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
PTS 744. Integrated Sports and Leisure. 3 Credit Hours.
Course promotes the integration of students with the physically challenged by working together to learn common recreational activities. Sailing and camping activities are used as an educational tool for students to learn the capabilities, physical resources, and assistance required by physically challenged individuals.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PTS 745. Integumentary Disorders and Treatment. 2 Credit Hours.
The course will instruct students on the management of individuals with open wounds, burns, and other dermatologic pathology from a patient focused perspective. Emphasis is placed on clinical decision making as it relates to the principles of assessment, treatment, referral, and prevention. Topics covered include: wound assessment and documentation, debridement, electrical stimulation and ultrasound for wounds, dressing selection, skin breakdown and pressure ulcer prevention, support surface selection, burns, skin grafts and muscle flaps, evaluation of arterial and venous circulation, nutrition, and the identification of melanoma, basal cell and squamous carcinoma, psoriasis, impetigo, shingles and other dermatological pathology. The course includes labs for wound evaluation, measurement, debridement, dressing selection and application, pressure mapping and support surface selection.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PTS 748. Musculoskeletal Examination and Treatment II. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced examination, evaluation, functional assessment and treatment of patients in selected specialty areas of musculoskeletal physical therapy, with emphasis on functional outcomes and evidence based treatment throughout the life span.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 755. Neuromuscular Basis of Movement. 3 Credit Hours.
Concepts of neuromuscular production and regulation of movement with emphasis on neurophysiologic substrates and mechanisms underlying motor behavior.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PTS 760. Theories of Movement Science. 3 Credit Hours.
An in-depth review of classical theories and recent research in the movement sciences, to include the study and analysis of system theory and neurobiological substrates.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 761. Motor Learning. 3 Credit Hours.
The factors relating to, and affecting, the acquisition and performance of motor skills. Qualification of skill acquisition and performance are explored.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PTS 762. Advanced Topics in Neurodevelopment. 3 Credit Hours.
Classical research and systems models of neurodevelopment is reviewed, analyzed, and related to current research on various areas of human development throughout the lifespan.
Requisite: Physical Therapy PHD Majors Only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
PTS 764. Seminars in Neuroscience. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the role and organization of the key units of the central and peripheral nervous systems at the molecular and cellular levels. The integrated functional physiology of systems neuroscience and behavioral neuroscience will be studied with special emphasis on neural contributions to involuntary and voluntary motor functions, perception, cognition, and learning. PREREQUISITE: For Physical Therapy PhD students only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PTS 765. Health Promotion and Disease Prevention. 2 Credit Hours.
The role of physical therapists in health promotion and disease prevention.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

PTS 766. Rehabilitation of the Amputee. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the scientific evidence related to the evaluation, treatment and management of clients who require intervention for diabetic foot and/or dysvascular limb potentially leading to amputation, amputation surgery, prosthetic appliances, functional assessment and amputee rehabilitation. Upper limb prosthetic management will also be examined.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PTS 767. Prosthetic Technology and Amputee Rehabilitation. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the current scientific evidence related to prosthetic devices with regard to evaluation, fabrication, materials, fitting and functional outcomes. Emphasis is on state-of-the-art technology and the future of prosthetic designs.
Requisite: Physical Therapy PHD Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PTS 768. Rehabilitation Engineering and Assistive Technology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed for graduate students interested in developing an understanding of complementary roles of clinicians and engineers in assisting individuals with disabilities in all areas of life.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PTS 769. Seminars in Orthotics and Prosthetic Rehabilitation. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of current scientific evidence and clinical issues related to upper and lower limb amputees, and prosthetic and orthotic componentry and related technology. Students will discuss case studies and design appropriate devices to address the needs of the individuals in the cases.
Requisite: Physical Therapy PHD Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PTS 770. Education Principles in Physical Therapy. 1 Credit Hour.
Principles of education, as they apply to the educational setting, and in patient care. Students are instructed in basic educational principles and methods to prepare materials and instruct and evaluate learning for patients, families, caretakers, students, colleagues, and others, in the classroom, clinic and community.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PTS 771. Complementary Therapies in Rehabilitation. 2 Credit Hours.
Historical development and evidence-based approach to complementary therapies in rehabilitation.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
PTS 774. Role of Academic Faculty in Physical Therapy. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the faculty roles in an institution of higher education, including faculty development and evaluation systems, educational leadership, and student advising, initiation of a research career and educational administration of physical therapy programs at the entry-level and post-graduate level.
Requisite: Physical Therapy PHD Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PTS 775. Clinical Decision Making II. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will require the student to utilize: the patient management model, the ICF model, the role of disablement and enablement in the provision of physical therapy, all clinical and basic science course work, professional and third party documentation requirements, knowledge of healthcare delivery systems and legal/regulatory requirements, as well as the research literature to plan and document evidence-based care of patients in a variety of settings spanning the continuum of care. Cases will represent a sample of ages, diagnoses, and patient acuity and complexity.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 777. Instructional Methods in Physical Therapy Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of research in the professional education field, with specific applications to physical therapy academic and clinical education. Emphasis is placed on curriculum development, competency-based instructional design, testing, and instructional evaluation methods.
Requisite: Physical Therapy PHD Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 778. Teaching Practicum. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised instructional design, teaching and evaluation of entry level physical therapy students. Students participate as course instructors in entry-level master’s degree physical therapy curriculum.
Requisite: Physical Therapy PHD Majors Only.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PTS 784. Human Neuroanatomy. 3 Credit Hours.
Detailed exploration of the human nervous system with an emphasis on structure-function relationship and clinical applications. This course is designed for Physical Therapy graduate students with an interest in a professional career in teaching the anatomical sciences to students of the health professions including medical students.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PTS 785. Medical Diagnostic Tests. 2 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide the Physical Therapy student with the basic skills in understanding and interpreting the imaging techniques of Plain film x-ray, Magnetic Resonance Imaging, Computed Tomography, Bone Scans, Real Time Ultrasound, Electrodiagnostic Tests, selected Laboratory Tests and Fluoroscopy. Special emphasis will be placed on the understanding of where the interpretation of these images falls in physical therapy Differential Diagnosis and evidence based practice.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 790. Models of Physical Therapy Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of the integration of didactic knowledge, clinical skills, clinical problem solving and the intuitive process into the formation of a clinical diagnosis which will direct treatment in physical therapy. Diagnosis as a process in physical therapy is compared to diagnosis in nursing, psychiatry and medicine, and is distinguished from similar processes such as assessment, examination and screening. Various models of physical therapy practice currently being taught and published will be explored, including the ICF model, the Patient/Client management model, and the Movement System. Recommendations for a Model of PT Diagnosis and Decision making will be made by students.
Requisite: Physical Therapy PHD Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
PTS 795. Clinical Research Methods I. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of measurement and sampling research design relevant to clinical research in physical therapy.
Requisite: Physical Therapy PHD Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PTS 796. Applied Statistics in Physical Therapy. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic statistics taught from an applied perspective which includes statistical computing using SAS or SPSS and interpretation and presentation of data analysis.
Requisite: Physical Therapy PHD Majors Only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PTS 798. Research Practicum. 3 Credit Hours.
Practicum designed to familiarize the student with an area of research, to implement a pilot study in an area of interest, and to develop working relationship with a sponsoring faculty member.
Requisite: Physical Therapy PHD Majors Only.
Components: RSC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PTS 799. Independent Study in Physical Therapy. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Each course is designed to meet the needs of graduate students for in-depth study in a particular area of special interest.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PTS 802. Special Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised clinical education emphasizing clinical skills.
Requisite: Physical Therapy Majors Only.
Components: CLN.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PTS 803. Clinical Experience III. 2 Credit Hours.
This is the third eight-week clinical experience following the completion of all didactic course work. It is the third of three sequential and summative internships. This internship can be completed in an ambulatory/outpatient setting, acute care hospital, and rehabilitation hospital or unit or specialty practice such as pediatrics, sports, or women's health. Even though this internship is unique, it is part of a sequence in which professional development and growth is expected. During this experience the student concentrates on the clinical application of the patient/client management model. This includes the examination, evaluation, diagnosis, prognosis, and intervention and outcome assessment within the context of the clinical setting.
Components: CLN.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PTS 804. Clinical Experience IV. 2 Credit Hours.
This is the fourth eight-week experience following the completion of all didactic course work. It is the fourth of three sequential and summative experiences. This experience can be completed in an ambulatory/outpatient setting, acute care hospital, and rehabilitation hospital or unit or specialty practice such as pediatrics, sports, or women's health. Even though this experience is unique, it is part of a sequence in which professional development and growth is expected. During this experience the student concentrates on the clinical application of the patient/client management model. This includes the examination, evaluation, diagnosis, prognosis, and intervention and outcome assessment within the context of the clinical setting. The student is expected to demonstrate good documentation skills, good communication skills and to develop their professionalism according to the APTA Core Values and Code of Ethics expected of the professional physical therapist.
Components: CLN.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PTS 830. Pre-candidacy Dissertation.. 1-6 Credit Hours.
To be used for pre-candidacy PhD dissertation research.
Requisite: Physical Therapy PHD Majors Only.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
PTS 840. Post-candidacy Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
The student will enroll for credits as determined by his/her advisor, but not for less than a total of 12. No more than six hours may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than three in a summer session. When a student has passed his/her qualifying exams and is engaged in an assistantship, he/she may still take the maximum allowable credit stated above.
Requisite: Physical Therapy PHD Majors Only.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PTS 843. Measuring Health Outcomes. 3 Credit Hours.
An in depth analysis of the use and construction of instruments designed to measure health outcomes. Topics covered include creating and selecting items, scaling responses, scale construction, response bias, reliability, validity, measuring change, and methods of administration.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PTS 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
To establish residence for the PhD, or DPT, after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research or clinical practice. Credit not granted, may be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Physics (PHY)

PHY 101. College Physics I. 4 Credit Hours.
Elementary mechanics, thermal phenomena, fluids, waves. Courses 101-102-106-108 provide a ten-credit ‘physics with lab’ sequence without calculus.
Prerequisite: MTH 105 or higher (excluding MTH 113). Corequisite: PHY 106.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PHY 102. College Physics II. 4 Credit Hours.
Electromagnetism, optics, and modern physics.
Pre-requisite: PHY 101 And Co-requisite: PHY 108.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PHY 103. General Physics. 3 Credit Hours.
Mechanics, waves, electromagnetism.
ARCHITECTURE MAJORS.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHY 106. College Physics Laboratory I. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory course to accompany PHY 101.
Pre/Corequisite: PHY 101 or PHY 201.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PHY 108. College Physics Laboratory II. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory course to accompany PHY 102.
Prerequisites: PHY 102 or PHY 202. Or Corequisites: PHY 102 or PHY 202.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PHY 110. Descriptive Astronomy. 3 Credit Hours.
For students not majoring in Mathematics or a Physical Science. brief non-technical treatment of the universe and its contents. Mathematical requirements are minimal with emphasis on our present knowledge about energy and matter in space. Not for major or minor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
PHY 160. Physics of the Arts. 3 Credit Hours.
Newtonian mechanics, energy, wave motion, atoms, and electricity. Applications to music, art and communications.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 201. University Physics I for the Sciences. 4 Credit Hours.
Calculus based introductory physics: mechanics, heat, fluids, waves, with applications from the physical and life sciences.
Pre-requisite: MTH 141 Or MTH 151 Or MTH 161 Or MTH 171 And MTH 162 Or MTH 172 Or Co-requisite: MTH 162 Or Co-requisite: MTH 172.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PHY 202. University Physics II for the Sciences. 4 Credit Hours.
Calculus based introductory physics: electromagnetism, optics, modern physics, with applications from the physical and life sciences.
Prerequisite: PHY 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHY 211. University Physics I for PRISM. 4 Credit Hours.
Calculus based introductory physics: mechanics, heat, fluids, waves, with applications from the physical and life sciences. Designed for students in the PRISM program.
Pre/Corequisite: MTH 162 or MTH 172.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHY 212. University Physics II for PRISM. 4 Credit Hours.
Calculus based introductory physics: electromagnetism, optics, modern physics, with applications from the physical and life sciences. Designed for students in the PRISM program.
Prerequisite: PHY 211.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PHY 221. University Physics I. 3 Credit Hours.
Mechanics through gravity and harmonic motion, intended for science and engineering students.
Prerequisite: (MTH 141 or MTH 151 or MTH 161 or MTH 171) OR Co-requisite: (MTH 151 AND ("B" in MTH 105 or MTH 108 or Placement in Calculus by MTH Placement Exam) OR Corequisite: (MTH 141 or MTH 151 or MTH 161) AND Department Permission.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PHY 222. University Physics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Fluids, waves, optics, thermal phenomena, intended for science and engineering students.
Prerequisite: PHY 221 or PHY 205 And Pre/Corequisite: MTH 162 or MTH 172.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PHY 223. University Physics III. 3 Credit Hours.
Electromagnetism through Maxwell's equations, intended for science and engineering students.
Prerequisite: PHY 221 (or PHY 205) and Pre or Corequisite: MTH 162 or MTH 172.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PHY 224. University Physics II Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory to accompany PHY 222.
Prerequisite: PHY 222 or PHY 206 or Corequisite: PHY 222.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
PHY 225. University Physics III Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory to accompany PHY 223.
Prerequisite: PHY 223 or PHY 207 or Corequisite: PHY 223.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PHY 230. Honors University Physics II-III. 5-6 Credit Hours.
Fluids, waves, optics, thermal phenomena, electromagnetism. Combines PHY 222 and 223.
Prerequisite: PHY 221 and Pre- or Co-requisite: MTH 162 or MTH 172.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHY 295. Transfer Credits. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Special topics taken at other institutions but having no direct equivalents here.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

PHY 306. Intermediate Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory: a review of some of the fundamental experiments in classical and modern physics.
Prerequisite: PHY 225 or PHY 209 And Pre/Corequisite: PHY 360.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHY 315. Mathematical Tools for Physics. 3 Credit Hours.
How to use mathematics. Series, complex algebra, vector analysis, differential equations, etc.
Prerequisite: MTH 141 or MTH 151 or MTH 161 or MTH 171 and Pre/Corequisite: PHY 206 and Pre/Corequisite: MTH 162 or MTH 172.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHY 321. Thermodynamics and Kinetic Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
An intermediate course in thermal phenomena, from both macroscopic and microscopic points of view.
Prerequisite: PHY 222 or PHY 206 And MTH 211 or MTH 310 Or PHY 315.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHY 325. Biological Physics I. 3 Credit Hours.
Applications of fundamental principles from fluids, electrostatics, statistical physics to biological phenomena at molecular and neuronal levels; emphasis on quantitative picture of well-known biological systems; discussion of current research at the interface of biology and physics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PHY 340. Classical Mechanics I. 3 Credit Hours.
Includes harmonic motion, orbit theory, coupled oscillations, rigid body motions.
Prerequisite: PHY 202 or PHY 212 Or PHY 222 or PHY 223 or PHY 230 or PHY 206 and PHY 207 or (PHY 210) And Pre/Corequisite: MTH 210 and MTH 311 Or Prerequisite: PHY 315.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHY 350. Intermediate Electricity and Magnetism. 3 Credit Hours.
Includes the integral and differential forms of Maxwell's equations, circuit theory, and boundary value problems.
Prerequisite: PHY 202 or PHY 212 Or PHY 222 or PHY 223 or PHY 230 or PHY 206 and PHY 207 or (PHY 210) And MTH 211 or MTH 310 And Pre/Corequisite: MTH 311 Or Prerequisite: PHY 315.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
PHY 351. Intermediate Electricity and Magnetism II. 3 Credit Hours.
A continuation of PHY 350. Includes further application of Maxwell's equations with emphasis on radiation theory.
Requisite: PHY 350.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHY 360. Introduction to Modern Physics. 3 Credit Hours.
Emphasis on the experimental foundations of modern physics. Relativity, quantization, atomic structure, radiation, nuclei.
Prerequisite: PHY 202 or PHY 212 or PHY 222 or PHY 230 Or PHY 206 and Pre/Corequisite: PHY 207 And Prerequisite: MTH 172 or PHY 315.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PHY 362. Modern Physics Honors Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
Special Topics to accompany PHY 360. Co-requisite: PHY 360.
Pre-requisite: PHY 360 Or Co-requisite: PHY 360.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PHY 401. Senior Thesis. 3 Credit Hours.
Research Leading to the writing of a senior thesis - First Semester.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 402. Senior Thesis. 3 Credit Hours.
Research Leading to the writing of a senior thesis - Second Semester.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 501. Research. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research, individual investigation of current problems.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 502. Research in Astrophysics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Project course introducing methods of research, individual investigation of current problems.
Components: RSC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PHY 506. Advanced Laboratory. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Advanced experiments such as properties of the electron, optical spectra, electrical measurements, radioactive decay, absorption, etc.
Prerequisite: PHY 225 or PHY 209 And Pre/Corequisite: PHY 360.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHY 513. Mathematical Techniques in Physics. 3 Credit Hours.
Complex variables and applications. Infinite series and their uses, particularly in differential equations. Multiple integrals and Fourier series.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 516. Special Topics in Physics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in Physics. Topics vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
PHY 517. Special Topics in Physics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in Physics. Topics vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 518. Special Topics in Astrophysics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in Physics. Topics vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 522. Solid State Physics. 3 Credit Hours.
Crystal structure, quantum theory of the electronic structure of solids, mechanical, electric, magnetic and optical properties of solids.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 530. Plasma Physics I. 3 Credit Hours.
Kinetic theory of plasmas, adiabatic motion of charged particles magnetofluid dynamics, transport properties of plasmas in electromagnetic fields.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 540. Classical Mechanics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Lagrangian formulation, rigid body dynamics. Topics selected from fluid dynamics, non-linear oscillations, normal modes, phase plane analysis. Requisite: PHY 340.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PHY 545. Introduction to Astrophysics. 3 Credit Hours.
Celestial mechanics, solar models, galaxies, distance scales, instruments. Pre-requisite: PHY 360.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 552. Optical Physics. 3 Credit Hours.
Geometric optics, interference and diffraction, polarized light, optical pumping, coherence phenomena, applications to modern physical research.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 560. Quantum Mechanics and Modern Physics I. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PHY 561. Quantum Mechanics and Modern Physics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Applications of quantum mechanics to atomic and molecular spectroscopy, quantum statistical mechanics, and nuclear physics. Pre-requisite: PHY 560.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PHY 606. Advanced Laboratory. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Advanced experiments such as properties of the electron, optical spectra, electrical measurements, radioactive decay, absorption, etc.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
PHY 613. Mathematical Techniques in Physics. 3 Credit Hours.
Complex variables and applications. Infinite series and their uses, particularly in differential equations. Multiple integrals and Fourier series.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 616. Special Topics in Physics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in Physics. Topics vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 617. Special Topics in Physics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in Physics. Topics vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 618. Special Topics in AstroPhysics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in Physics. Topics vary by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 622. Solid State Physics. 3 Credit Hours.
Crystal structure, quantum theory of the electronic structure of solids, mechanical, electric, magnetic and optical properties of solids.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 630. Plasma Physics I. 3 Credit Hours.
Kinetic theory of plasmas, adiabatic motion of charged particles magneto fluid dynamics, transport properties of plasmas in electromagnetic fields.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 640. Classical Mechanics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Lagrangian formulation, rigid body dynamics. Topics selected from fluid dynamics, non-linear oscillations, normal modes, phase plane analysis.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PHY 645. Introduction to Astrophysics. 3 Credit Hours.
Celestial mechanics, solar models, galaxies, distance scales, instruments.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 652. Optical Physics. 3 Credit Hours.
Geometric optics, interference and diffraction, polarized light, optical pumping, coherence phenomena, applications to modern physical research.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 660. Quantum Mechanics and Modern Physics I. 3 Credit Hours.
Introductory theory with applications to simple systems. Perturbation theory and atomic structure.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PHY 661. Quantum Mechanics and Modern Physics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Applications of quantum mechanics to atomic and molecular spectroscopy, quantum statistical mechanics, and nuclear physics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
PHY 701. Condensed Matter Physics Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
Seminars on hot topics in Condensed Matter Physics.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PHY 713. Methods of Mathematical Physics I. 3 Credit Hours.
A continuation of PHY 515.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 717. Special Topics in Physics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics are typically selected from fluid dynamics, applied mathematics, particle theory, nuclear physics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 718. Special Topics in Physics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topics are typically selected from fluid dynamics, applied mathematics, particle theory, nuclear physics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 722. Advanced Solid State Physics. 3 Credit Hours.
Electronic structure, electron-electron interactions, phonons, many-body problems, transport properties, magnetism, superconductivity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 723. Statistical Mechanics I. 3 Credit Hours.
Equilibrium state, irreversibility, statistical description of an ensemble, entropy, partition functions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 724. Statistical Mechanics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Statistical description of many body problems, specific heats, Brownian motion in liquids and fields, non-equilibrium states, super-conductivity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 752. Electromagnetic Theory I. 3 Credit Hours.
Electrostatics, magnetostatics, Maxwell's equations, continuous media, waves, antennas, resonant cavities, wave guides.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 753. Electromagnetic Theory II. 3 Credit Hours.
Relativistic effects, interaction of radiation with matter, multiple radiation, radiation reaction.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 766. Elementary Particles. 3 Credit Hours.
The Standard Model of elementary particles. Classical theory of fields for spin 0, 1/2, 1; Feynman rules. The Standard Model Lagrangian is postulated, and some of its basic consequences are explored.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 770. Quantum Theory I. 3 Credit Hours.
Transformation theory, linear operators and vector spaces. Schrodinger's equation, rotation group and angular momentum, statistics (Bose-Einstein and Fermi-Dirac), isotopic spin, multiple structure of levels, approximation methods.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
PHY 771. Quantum Theory II. 3 Credit Hours.
One particle relativistic theory; Lorentz group; symmetries of particles; elementary scattering theory; many body problems; Green’s function techniques; S-matrix.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 780. Directed Readings or Research. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Research in Physics.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PHY 810. Master’s Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master’s thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master’s degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in PHY 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 825. Continuous Registration--Master’s Study. 1 Credit Hour.
To establish residence for non-thesis master’s students who are preparing for major examinations. Credit not granted. Regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PHY 830. Pre-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but not for less than a total of 12. Not more to than 12 hours of PHY 730 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PHY 840. Post-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. who have advanced to candidacy. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but not for less than a total of 12. Not more than 12 hours of PHY 740 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PHY 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D. and D.A., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

Political Science (POL)

POL 201. Introduction to American National Government. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of the principles, structures, and processes of the national government of the United States. Frequent comparisons made with others countries.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
POL 202. Introduction to Comparative Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to study of comparative and international politics by examining how conflicts over these issues have played out in several different countries around the world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 203. Introduction to International Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the theory and practice of international relations. Areas covered include: diplomacy, conflict resolution, international institutions and law; great power politics, international political economy, environmental politics, political integration, the evolving state system, and new global challenges.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 214. Criminal Justice and Social Change. 3 Credit Hours.
The social impact of crime as a form of domestic terrorism, the police and courts as a deterrent, and incarceration as an attempt to prevent and punish violent social behavior. This course is only open to high school students participating in the Summer Scholars Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

POL 250. Scope and Methods of Political Science. 3 Credit Hours.
The basic skills needed in political science to critically read academic journal articles and books. The application of scientific methods to the study of public life, focusing on research design and introducing students to the various methodologies used by researchers to draw descriptive and causal inference about the political world. Some methods introduced include ethnography, experimentation, the case study, and survey research.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 301. The Science and Practice of Political Research. 3 Credit Hours.
Exposes students to the way in which scientific knowledge of political phenomena is currently created and evaluated. Prerequisite: POL 201 or POL 202 or POL 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 302. Political Fiction and Film. 3 Credit Hours.
Politics as presented in films and in relevant texts such as novels and biographies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 303. Refugees and Migrants. 3 Credit Hours.
The increase in movement of people across borders that have occurred around the world over the past decades, the challenges posed by global migration, and the political responses of national communities to this phenomenon.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 305. Introduction to Political Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Politics is organized behavior shaped by power. This brief, stripped-down, and pragmatic definition is what we will use in gaining access to the political philosophers we will study in this course. Students will have a greater understanding of arguments and texts in political philosophy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 306. Positive Political Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to positive political theory as a study of politics using quantitative methods such as game theory, laboratory experiments, and computer simulation. The political agents involved in a given interaction are modeled as rational players guided by self-interest whose behavior can be formally explained or predicted.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
POL 307. Political Ideologies. 3 Credit Hours.
Covers modern and contemporary political ideologies, such as Liberalism, Conservativism, and Marxism.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 309. American Political Thought. 3 Credit Hours.
This class traces the evolution of democratic thinking in America. Topics include the meaning of representation, citizenship, equality and liberty.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 310. God, Science, and Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of morality and religion that addresses the competing influences of material and spiritual discourses on political regimes and practices. The talking points for the course include the various proofs and refutations offered throughout history of God's existence, the differences and similarities of scientific and religious approaches to experience, and the ways in which moral and religious principles enlighten politics as they fold into the vocabularies of natural law and right, and contaminate the political with religious violence in the name of God.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 311. Conspiracy Theories and the Public. 3 Credit Hours.
Why do people believe in conspiracy theories? This inter-disciplinary course examines a variety of explanations for conspiratorial beliefs.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

POL 312. Politics, Society and Art. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of the relationship between narratives, aesthetics, (beauty) and the political/social world. By successfully completing this course, students will understand how humans interpret the political, social, and physical world through narrative. Come to see how most/all political controversies involve competing narratives. How false narratives are deployed to manipulate the public. Realize that through art important analytical arguments are made, which impart substantial insight into social, political, and physical phenomena. See how philosophy is intelligently conveyed through art - including approaches to political legitimacy, justice, and how political stability is maintained. To analyze the relationship between art, society, and politics, we draw episodes of the Simpsons, renaissance art, and broadcast iterations of Star Trek.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 313. The Constitution. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the US Constitution from a political and historical prospective. This is a writing intensive course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 314. Legislative Processes. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination and analysis of the United States Congress. Emphasis on internal structure and operations, congressional roles and procedures, party leadership, external influences on congress, and incentives for congressional behavior.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

POL 315. American Presidency. 3 Credit Hours.
Historic development of presidential power; sources of the powers of the modern presidency, institutional decision-making; how and to what degree presidential power should be controlled.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 316. Politics of Globalism. 3 Credit Hours.
Global politics, including the political and normative values that shape global politics: nationalism, internationalism, neoliberalism, empire, socialism. The format will include a focus on energy, as energy is arguably the basis of the global polity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
POL 318. Economics for Politics and Public Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of microeconomics to students for use when analyzing public policy for effective public administrator and planning. Considers basic concepts of microeconomic principles including market failure, public goods, supply and demand, pricing, and externalities. These concepts will be presented using practical examples involving the public sector, and students will practice application through problem solving.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 319. Politics of the Administrative Process. 3 Credit Hours.
The principles, structure, functions and processes of federal administrative agencies of the United States government. Particular emphasis will be placed on the legal, ethical, and political ramifications of agency actions in a political environment as well as interactions between the bureaucracy, other branches of the federal government, state and local governments, and interest groups. Special attention will also be given to bureaucratic power, democratic control, and accountability.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 320. Politics of Growth Management. 3 Credit Hours.
The purposes and techniques of managing growth in our urban areas. Conducted as a seminar with lectures by the instructor augmented by class discussion.
Prerequisite: POL 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 321. Introduction to Public Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this course is to instruct students in the problems and processes in the implementation of public policy at an introductory level.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 322. Environmental Politics and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines the federal government’s policies toward the National Forests and public grasslands; water supply policies and politics of the Everglade and Far West; global warming; U.S. air and water pollution policies and politics as well as those related to waste management; U.S. energy policies; and trade and the environment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 323. Global Warming, Politics and the European Union. 6 Credit Hours.
The European Union (EU), and especially France to ecologically modernize their advanced economies. The course will treat the EU effort to fashion an international agreement on climate change. This class in conducted in Paris, France.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

POL 332. Mass Media and Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
Role of media in American politics. Historical development of the media from newspapers, through radio, to television and new media such as the internet. Changing norms of news media reportage. The growth of political advertising both during and between elections; the effects of these developments on American government and on the public.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 334. Campaigns. 3 Credit Hours.
Students learn about political campaigns by becoming involved in an active campaign and studying the academic literature about elections and campaigns. Topics are media, campaign organization, voters, issues, political parties, elections, and the five elements of every campaign.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
POL 335. Democracy in Action: Local Government Simulation. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of city and county governments and politics. Focuses on structures, leadership, taxing and spending, the influence of state and federal governments, and "hot-button" issues of importance to South Florida communities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 337. International Law and Organizations. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the interaction of states through various legal regimes. We will consider the role of international law and organizations in politics, and the political implications of both criminal and civil international law from the perspective of the state, the individual, and non-governmental actors. Readings, lectures, class discussions, and examinations will familiarize the students with the parameters and limitations as well as the policy and practice of international law.
Prerequisite: POL 203 or INS 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 340. Civil Wars. 3 Credit Hours.
Theories and empirical findings on the causes of civil wars, their termination and conduct. Questions addressed in the course include: Why do civil wars occur? Are economic or political causes more important? How do civil wars end? Are ethnic civil wars different from wars fought for political ideology or material gains? What role do natural resources play in civil wars? Why are civilians especially likely to be victimized in some civil wars but not in others? Why do warring parties resort to terrorism? How do civil wars end? What factors are more conducive to long-lasting peace?
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 341. Nationalism, Ethnicity, and Political Conflict. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines theories of ethnic and national conflict focusing on contemporary issues throughout the world.
Prerequisite: POL 203 or INS 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 342. State Government and Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
State constitutions, political parties, legislatures, executives court systems, administrative systems and services, financial problems, city and county governments, local-state, federal-state and interstate relations. Special emphasis on governments in Florida.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

POL 343. Government in Metropolitan Areas. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce the student to the organization and functions of counties and municipalities in the United States. On occasion guest speakers will be featured. We will examine Miami-Dade County as a concrete example of the course content.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 344. Gender and Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
Compares the roles played by men and women in political systems worldwide; examines public policy outcomes with significant gender-based effects, including policies on sexuality & reproductive health, gender-based violence, work & the family, and access to education.
Prerequisite: POL 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 345. The United States and Asia. 3 Credit Hours.
Political, economic, and security aspects of America’s relations with the Asian-Pacific area. Trade and alliance relationships. Actions and interactions of Asian states, their alignments with each other; the impact of these alignments on their relationships with the United States and in the global balance of power.
Prerequisite: POL 203 or INS 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
POL 346. U.S.-Latin American Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
Systematic survey of U.S.-Latin American relations highlighting contending paradigms in the study of hemispheric relations. Examines issues in East-West and North-South relations and political economy of Brazil, Mexico, and Argentina. Considers alternative U.S. foreign policies. Prerequisite: POL 202 or POL 203 or INS 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 347. American Foreign Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course investigates how American primacy came to be, what its consequences are, and what will drive American foreign policy in the future. Students use social science to evaluate claims and understand the world, improve their ability to advance and defend arguments, and develop a broad base of knowledge about American foreign policy history and issues.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 348. United States Relations with the Middle East. 3 Credit Hours.
Evolution of American relations with the Middle East. Analysis of the motivations and calculations, including domestic and external sources of policy-making and implementation. Emphasis on post-World War II period, with particular attention to the current administration.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 349. U.S. Defense Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of key problems of national security in the post-Cold War environment. Emphasis on the structure and functioning of the U.S. defense establishment and its interactions with its most probable adversaries and allies. Consideration of the constraints on, and options open to, policy planners, and with the institutional elements of the decision making process.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

POL 351. Public Opinion. 3 Credit Hours.
Political functions of public opinion; opinion dynamics in the U.S.A.; quantitative analysis of elements in opinion change; principles of political control via mass media in the U.S.A.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 352. Political Parties. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of political organizations and electoral processes in the United States: their history, current status, and present trends. Consideration of the organization, control, and finances of political parties and pressure groups, their characteristic practices, and their relationship to political democracy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 353. Interest Groups and Lobbying. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of lobbying and political interest groups in the United States: history, current status, and present trends. The organizations, control, and finances of pressure groups, their characteristic practices, and their relationship to democracy. Also, lobbying by citizens and groups more broadly, including the role of campaign contributions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 354. The CIA and the World of Intelligence. 3 Credit Hours.
What the CIA does, how it does it, and the ways in which the CIA works with other intelligence agencies. Topics explored include: notable intelligence successes and failures, key intelligence issues, and ethical debates about intelligence activities including covert action.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 359. International Organizations. 3 Credit Hours.
International organizations which, in addition to contributing to the solution of international problems, also help to provide rules and structures to manage state-to-state relationships.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
POL 361. Ending Wars and Building Peace. 3 Credit Hours.
How local and international actors build sustainable peace strategically through peacekeeping, peace accords, reconciliation, education, human rights, international law, and state-building.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 362. Social Movements. 3 Credit Hours.
Addresses questions central to social movement activists and researchers. Draws on examples from across the Americas and on current social movement research.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 367. The Historical Roots of American Imperialism. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines the assertive and exploitative aspects of U.S. foreign policy.
Prerequisite: POL 203 or INS 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 370. Global Energy Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
Energy use throughout history has shaped humanity’s politics and economics; the politics of the depletion of fossil fuels; global warming; "green" alternative energies: solar; wind; waves; civilian nuclear power.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 372. Introduction to Criminal Justice. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in criminal law with an emphasis on constitutional criminal procedure and post-9/11 developments in federal criminal law: constitutional principles covering investigation and arrest, racial profiling, warrant-less searches, controversial interrogation techniques, rights of "enemy combatants" and the imposition of capital punishment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

POL 373. Constitutional Law I. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the development of the principles of American Constitutional Law, with a course focus upon those constitutional principles developed from the original document. Areas of study include judicial review, separation of powers, the Commerce Clause, the Contract Clause, and the Due Process Clauses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 374. Constitutional Law II. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will cover some of the 27 amendments to the U.S. Constitution. It will mainly focus on the constitutional limits placed on the national and state governments by the Bill of Rights and the Fourteenth Amendment. This study of the historical, political and legal development of constitutional law in the area of civil liberties will be done in large part by reading and discussing the major U.S. Supreme Court opinions related to these amendments and others.
Prerequisite: POL 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 378. African Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
An opportunity for students to develop their own interests in African Politics through extensive research and analysis. Students critically evaluate the process of economic development in the region with respect to the interaction of politics and economics. Included within this evaluation is an understanding of the benefits and detractions of development strategies, a working knowledge of development policy and an appreciation of the complex processes leading to the success or failure of development efforts.
Prerequisite: POL 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
POL 379. South East Asian Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
The politics, economics, and history of Southeast Asia. Provides the opportunity for students to develop their own interests in the topic through extensive research and analysis. 
Prerequisite: POL 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 381. West European Politics (Previous Title: European Politics and Government). 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of political and economic developments in western European countries. 
Prerequisite: POL 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 382. Government and Politics of the Federal Republic of Germany. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of Germany's political system, its political parties, and the country's economic, social and foreign policies. 
Prerequisite: POL 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 383. Politics in China. 3 Credit Hours.
Development and nature of Chinese domestic politics in theory and practice; problems of political stability and conflict; the role of historical and cultural traditions, institutions, social, economic and personality factors in Chinese politics; process of change and problems of leadership succession; the significance of changes in the character and style of Chinese leadership.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 384. Postcommunist Russian Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines the demise of the USSR and the tumultuous post-communist transition in Russia from Gorbachev to Putin and Medvedev. The foundations of state power, the political party system, civil society, petro-state capitalism, endemic corruption, current politics, and Russian nationalism are examined through the lens of western and Russian political science theories.
Prerequisite: POL 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 385. Politics and Society in Latin America. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the politics of Latin American countries focusing on 20th century history, the impact of the Cold War and home-grown social struggles, economic development models, the difficulties of democratic consolidation, U.S.- Latin America relations, the emergence of new political actors such as women's and indigenous movements, and current political constellations. The course combines a study of thematic issues with case studies.
Prerequisite: POL 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

POL 386. Democratic Consolidation. 3 Credit Hours.
Explore the general concept of “democratic consolidation” which has become a timely topic in the discourse of today’s foreign policy. We will examine the central theoretical concepts that frame the discourse and then examine several case studies.
Prerequisite: POL 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 387. Politics of the Middle East. 3 Credit Hours.
Comparative analysis of the political development of the Middle East in terms of nations and as a region. Particular stress is on the relationships within the region and with other regions of the world.
Prerequisite: POL 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
**POL 388. Politics of Israel. 3 Credit Hours.**
It is the purpose of this course to examine the Israeli system. Three themes will structure this investigation. The first considers the complex, and evolving, identity questions and politics that attend Jewishness, Zionism and being Israeli; the second investigates legitimacy, the nature and dynamics of the Israeli political system; and the third engages the multidimensional nature of Israeli security.
Prerequisite: POL 202.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

**POL 389. Special Topics in Comparative Politics. 3 Credit Hours.**
A lecture course in Comparative Politics, designed to give the student a greater degree of knowledge of a particular subject within this subfield. This topic may be repeated for credit.
Prerequisite: POL 202.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**POL 390. Special Topics in American Politics. 3 Credit Hours.**
A lecture course in American Politics, designed to give the student a greater degree of knowledge of a particular subject within this subfield. This topic may be repeated for credit.
Prerequisite: POL 201.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**POL 391. Special Topics in International Relations. 3 Credit Hours.**
A lecture course in International Relations, designed to give the student a greater degree of knowledge of a particular subject within this subfield. This topic may be repeated for credit.
Prerequisite: POL 203 or INS 101.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**POL 392. International Terrorism. 3 Credit Hours.**
Study of phenomenon of low-intensity warfare known as international terrorism in all its variations: state, state-sponsored, state-supported, domestic revolutionary terrorism and counter-terrorism. Also examines governmental policies of countering terrorism.
Prerequisite: POL 202 or POL 203 or INS 101.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**POL 393. Special Topics in Public Administration, Policy, and Law. 3 Credit Hours.**
A lecture course in Public Administration, Policy, and Law, designed to give the student a greater degree of knowledge of a particular subject within this subfield. This topic may be repeated for credit.
Prerequisite: POL 201.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**POL 394. Special Topics in Political Theory and Methods. 3 Credit Hours.**
A lecture course in Political Theory and Methods, designed to give the student a greater degree of knowledge of a particular subject within this subfield. This topic may be repeated for credit.
Prerequisite: POL 201 or POL 202 or POL 203 or INS 101.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**POL 395. Transfer Credit in Political Theory and Methods. 1-9 Credit Hours.**
Course for which there is no direct UM equivalent.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
POL 396. Transfer Credit in Public Administration, Policy, and Law. 1-9 Credit Hours.
Interdisciplinary workshops will treat different policy issues with a view toward developing a theory of deliberate social change. The scenario will include the stance and role of the change agent and the institutional forms involved in changing urban settings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

POL 397. Transfer Credits in International Relations. 1-9 Credit Hours.
Course for which there is no direct UM equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

POL 398. Transfer Credit in Comparative Politics. 1-9 Credit Hours.
Course for which there is no direct UM equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

POL 399. Transfer Credit In American Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
Course on American politics for which there is no direct UM equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 401. The Election. 3 Credit Hours.
In a democracy, the actions of the government are based on the wishes of the citizenry. We will examine the vital role that elections play in this process, specifically focusing on the issues and events surrounding the on-going elections.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 402. Latino Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the impact of Latinos on domestic politics, the impact of transnational migration on hemispheric politics, and the impact of recent waves of immigration on U.S. society, Latin American Society, the economy, workforce, education, media, culture, healthcare, and law enforcement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 491. Immigration Reform and the 2014 Election. 3 Credit Hours.
This is a unique experience that will include high-profile guest speakers. The course encourages active student participation through social media. We will examine the debate on immigration including both documented and undocumented workers. The course examines the impact of recent waves of immigration on U.S. society, market, workforce, education, media, culture, healthcare, and law enforcement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 499. Special Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 501. Budget and Financial Management and Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
Role of the budget in shaping public policy; managing public revenues; budgetary theory, politics, and fiscal management. Examples from state, municipal and federal governments.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

POL 502. Politics of Civil Rights. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of civil rights policy and politics from Reconstruction to the present, with a focus on the enactment of landmark civil rights bills in the 1960s.
Prerequisite: POL 201.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
POL 503. Organizational Dynamics and Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Organizational dynamics and management in public and non-profit organizations. Focus on organizational theories, leadership, behavior, goals, effectiveness, and change, with an emphasis on the distinctiveness of public organizations, public-private partnerships, new public management, and digital governance.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 504. Biology and Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
Political scientists traditionally study political decision-making as a product of individual level characteristics. For example, a person's partisan identification is highly predictive of their vote choice. Political scientists have also begun to assess the influence of social forces on our politics. For example, it has been shown that everyday discussions about politics with friends, neighbors, and coworkers influence political attitudes and behaviors. More recently, political scientists have begun to examine the influence that our biology has on our politics. This seminar is a survey of this growing area of research.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

POL 506. From Plato Through Rawls. 3 Credit Hours.
Political thought of the past with more recent insights and concepts, often drawn from the work of theorists who question what is taken for granted in traditional political theory.
Prerequisite: POL 201 or POL 202 or POL 203 or INS 101.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 508. Equity and Diversity in Public Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
Federal and state policies, laws, and court decisions as means for helping public administrators develop policies and procedures that meet legal requirements and recognize the values of equity and diversity in the treatment of its citizenry and public employees.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 509. Issues in Judicial Pol.. 3 Credit Hours.
The Supreme Court of the United States (SCOTUS) through the lens of upcoming cases on the SCOTUS's docket and through recently decided cases that were of important legal precedent.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 510. Statistics for Politics and Public Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the use of statistics to conduct quantitative research (i.e., statistics) in political science and public administration. The course emphasizes hands-on data work. Students will learn how to perform political analyses – and present findings in an appropriate manner – using SPSS statistical software.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 511. Security in the Arabian Peninsula. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines the security environment of the Arabian Peninsula.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 512. Advanced Political Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
This course teaches students how to do social science research using the applied techniques of statistics and case study analysis while exposing them to research in the leading sub-fields of political science. Students will produce an original paper that evaluates an academic question using empirical social science evidence.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
POL 513. Models of Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
Hands-on examination of the process by which quantitative and qualitative models are constructed in political science. The course focuses on the creative aspect of model building and diverse forms of theory construction.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 514. Art and Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores the issues of, political legitimacy, international relations, and concepts of justice by examine the interrelatedness of works of art and politics.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

POL 515. Media Content Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
There are few facets of our lives which are not directly affected by media content. From cell phones to televisions, the media is with us all the time. But what messages are contained in the mass media? What methods can we employ to study media content scientifically? This course will explore methods of analyzing media sources including movies, newspapers, magazines, and television. Course topics will include political bias, campaign coverage, and news content. Students will design their own projects and implement their own coding strategies.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 516. Experiments in Political Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines the experimental method in the study of politics.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

POL 517. Introductory Statistical Methods in Political Science. 3 Credit Hours.
The tools needed to manipulate and analyze quantitative data rigorously so you may answer questions of political interest. First in a two-course sequence (followed by POL 518).

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 518. Advanced Statistical Methods in Political Science. 3 Credit Hours.
The maximum likelihood framework for statistical inference in the study of politics. Second in a two-course sequence (preceded by POL 517).

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

POL 519. Introduction to Game Theory for Political Science. 3 Credit Hours.
The rudiments of non-cooperative game theory. Mainly intended for political science students, but presents applications from other academic disciplines such as economics, business administration, sociology, and psychology.

Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

POL 520. Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
Provides advanced political science majors with an opportunity to participate in a structured, supervised internship. 25-35-page research paper required. Permission of instructor is required before starting the internship.

Requisite: Plan of Political Science.

Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 521. Public Affairs Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
Opportunity for the advanced student specializing in public administration to participate in an administrative capacity in an agency of state or local government. Periodic conferences with adviser and paper required. Permission of instructor is required before starting the internship.

Requisite: Plan of Political Science.

Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
POL 522. Introduction to Graduate Public Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to concepts, issues, problems, theories and process in the field of public administration and/or public management.
**Components:** SEM.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

POL 523. Problems in Public and Non-Profit Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Nature of the power vested in administrative bodies and problems involved in management procedures. Special emphasis on local or non-profit administration.
**Components:** SEM.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 524. Non-Profit Organizations: Law, Policy, and Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course teaches students the essential requirements for creation and operation of tax-exempt nonprofit organization in accordance with state and federal law. The course covers a wide range of relevant topics including guidelines for charitable giving and charitable solicitation, pitfalls that can result in personal liability for officers and directors, and statutory constraints on legislative lobbying and political activities.
**Components:** SEM.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

POL 525. Comparative Public Policy and Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
Comparison and analysis of the organizational and managerial policy problems of developed and developing nations. The administrative process will be considered within the institutional and cultural framework of each nation. Case studies will be used to focus on transition from traditional to modern techniques of public management.
**Prerequisite:** POL 202.
**Components:** SEM.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 526. Administrative Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Administrative law is the study of the legal relationship of government agencies to legislatures, courts, and private parties. The course examines the legal dimensions of bureaucratic power and procedures as well as constitutional and statutory constraints on regulators and administrators. Topics include rule making, adjudication, investigation and enforcement, political controls on agencies, judicial review of agency decisions, governmental liability and immunity, public records and open meetings laws. Both federal law and Florida law are covered. The course assumes a basic knowledge of the American legal system, constitutional law and bureaucracy.
**Components:** SEM.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

POL 527. Comparative Political Institutions. 3 Credit Hours.
The concept of institutionalism by studying three major sets of democratic institutions: electoral systems, legislatures, and political regimes.
**Prerequisite:** POL 202.
**Components:** SEM.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 528. Advanced Seminar on Electoral Behavior. 3 Credit Hours.
This seminar examines the opinions that Americans have and how those opinions are expressed through participation in elections. At the end of the semester we will also examine other forms of political participation (e.g., interest groups).
**Components:** SEM.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 529. Conducting U.S. Elections. 3 Credit Hours.
Fair and free democratic elections are the heart of US democracy. This course will examine who gets to vote, whether election laws and rules are fair (and fairly implemented), and proposals to reform the way elections are run.
**Components:** SEM.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.
POL 530. Intelligence and National Security Decision Making. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will study the US national security community structure and decision making process. The course will look at the National Security Council, the principal national security agencies (such as the CIA, Defense Department, and State Department), how they interact, and their roles in dividing and executing policy. We will also examine the role and function of senior policy decision makers such as the President. We will study recent policy challenges such as Iraq and Afghanistan as examples of National Security policy.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 531. Global Environmental Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of the environment within the context of economic globalization. Contrasts the international trading regime and those regimes designed to protect the environment, with specific attention to the issues of global warming and bio-diversity.
Prerequisite: POL 203 or INS 101.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 532. Art and Politics in Paris. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of the relationship between narratives, aesthetics (beauty) and the political/social world. By successfully completing this course, students will; understand how humans interpret the political, social, and physical world through narrative. Come to see how most/all political controversies involve competing narratives. How false narratives are deployed to manipulate the public. Realize that through art important analytical arguments are made, which impart substantial insight into social, political, and physical phenomena. See how philosophy is intelligently conveyed through art - including approaches to political legitimacy, justice, and how important analytical arguments are made. To analyze the relationship between art and politics, we draw on renaissance, modern, contemporary, and indigenous art. Paris is arguably the center of the art world, with a number of museums holding a surfeit of socially and politically important works. We visit a number of these museums. After visits to these museums, time in class will be dedicated to discuss those works you, the students, find significant. A requirement for this class is a camera (a camera phone is acceptable), with which you photograph those works you’d like to discuss in class.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

POL 533. Courts and Controversy. 3 Credit Hours.
Course places the students in the role of advocate, justice, or court observer for the purposes of arguing and deciding current or recent Supreme Court cases.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 534. Applied Policy Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines a variety of policy problems through the framework of problem definition, formulation of alternatives, assessment of alternatives, and policy impact evaluation. Students will also be introduced to cost-benefit analysis and evaluation methods.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 536. U.S. Health Care Crisis: Politics and Policies. 3 Credit Hours.
This seminar will explore the politics and policies of healthcare in the United States. Our examination of the current crisis in cost and coverage will draw on experience from the debates on comprehensive and incremental reform over the past decade. In addition, we will explore the politics and policies of other health and science issues. Students will be expected to attend every class and be actively involved in class discussions. There will be two examinations, one at mid-term and a final based on readings and course discussions.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

POL 537. Microeconomics for Public Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Describes and explains principles and theories of microeconomics in the context of public policy applications.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
POL 540. Human Resource Management in Public Service. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics include human resource management in public service: job analysis and design, evaluation and appraisal, recruitment and interviewing, training and development, wages and benefits, and health and safety. Unionization, regulation of wages, hours and working conditions, financial security for workers, manpower planning and job anti-discrimination legislation are considered.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 541. Philosophy of Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Case-based study of jurisprudence designed to illuminate and explain philosophies of law. Examination of theories of free expression; bio-ethical matters; theories of punishment and legal responsibility; and the placement of religious discourses in liberal systems of law. Special attention to cases involving fundamental rights and liberties; the role of the individual and the state in civil society; and the capacities of individual to be legally competent in contemporary systems of law.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 544. Chinese Foreign Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: POL 203 or INS 101.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 545. Environmental Policy Making. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of different ethical approaches to the environment; the federal government's management of natural resources; selected environmental policies; international environmental policy issues. Topics include federal management of national grazing lands, national forests, and minerals in the public domain. Analyzes environmental policies such as air, water, toxic wastes, energy, and environmentally-related issues in international trade and national security.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 546. Public Policy Process and Implementation. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of public policy issue areas including education, health, welfare, urban mass transit. Limits to effectiveness of federal, state and local governments in providing services. Techniques for analyzing the effectiveness of public policies; research techniques for the assessment of future policy alternatives.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 547. Congressional Representation. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines how and when citizens influence legislators' behavior. More specifically, we examine how legislators' floor behavior reflects citizens' preferences and how these preferences influence the manner in which legislators build electoral coalitions.
Requisite: POL 201 Or POL 202 Or POL 203 Or INS 101.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 548. Civic Participation and Democracy. 3 Credit Hours.
Citizens participate in the governing process by communicating their preferences and pressuring the government to respond. In this course we examine these various mechanisms of "civic participation", and discuss the meaning and consequences of participatory democracy. The course focuses on the contemporary United States, but we will devote some time to discuss civic participation in other countries as well.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 549. Energy Policy: Technology, Politics, and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
An interdisciplinary introduction to energy policy, focusing on studying three major and interrelated themes from a comparative perspective: technology, politics, and society. Covers energy policy examples from the United States, the European Union, China, India, and other countries.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
POL 550. Advanced Seminar on American Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
This seminar provides students with a survey of significant research on major topics in American Politics. We will read influential works of the past, as well as recent cutting-edge research. Particular attention will be paid to discussing the methods and theories used in the research we will read. The purpose of the course is to acquaint students with the literature on American Politics, while also providing an opportunity for students to develop skills in critically assessing and skillfully conducting social science research.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 551. Productivity in the Public and Non-Profit Sectors. 3 Credit Hours.
Definitions and measures of productivity. Evaluation of government programs, and methods of productivity improvement.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

POL 553. The Environmental Movement: Groups, Beliefs and Values. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of the origins and political impact of environmentalism in the United States and, to a lesser extent, in the global context. Impact of democratic participation on environmental politics.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 555. Total Quality Public Service Management: Achieving High Performance Government. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of the theory and practice of Total Quality Management (TQM) in the government and non-profit sector. Focuses on budgetary, customer service, employee and process improvements that facilitate increased public and non-profit performance. Special emphasis to TQM’s contribution to improved service delivery.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 556. Politics and Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
Personal, professional, organizational, and societal levels of ethical analysis. Ethical theories will be reviewed and applied to actual cases that focus on public policy and/or the officials who create and implement it. Profiles of moral exemplars in public life will be examined. Course is usually offered during the January Intersession.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

POL 557. Ethical and Managerial Issues in Government, Business and Non-Profit Organization.. 3 Credit Hours.
Governments at all levels in this country—national (Larry Craig, David Vitter, Mark Foley, Bill Clinton, Randy Cunningham, Tom DeLay, William Jefferson, James Traficant, Robert Torricelli, Jack Abramoff), state (former Illinois, Louisiana, New York, Ohio, and Arizona governors), and local (Miami, Providence city officials; Miami-Dade, Broward, and Palm Beach counties)—have encountered scandals involving ethical wrongdoing. Businesses (Enron, Worldcom) and nonprofit organizations (Boy Scouts, United Way) have faced similar problems. Countless less-visible examples of unethical and ethical behavior occur in organizations daily. This course examines the causes and consequences of such actions and the managerial strategies and competencies needed to effectively cope with the ethical issues confronting individuals and organizations.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

POL 558. From Electronic Government to Digital Governance. 3 Credit Hours.
Graduate and advanced undergraduate seminar explores the transition from electronic government (e-gov) to digital or d-governance, emphasizing political participation, citizen-centric public administration and the proliferation of global information technologies and social media.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 559. International Organizations. 3 Credit Hours.
International organizations which, in addition to contributing to the solution of international problems, also help to provide rules and structures to manage state-to-state relationships.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
POL 561. Ending Wars and Building Peace. 3 Credit Hours.
How local and international actors build sustainable peace strategically through peacekeeping, peace accords, reconciliation, education, human rights, international law, and state-building.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 563. Senior Thesis. 3 Credit Hours.
General reading, preparation of research design and collection of information for senior thesis.
Requisite: Plan of Political Science.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 564. Senior Thesis II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of POL 563: writing and defense of the theses.
Requisite: Plan of Political Science.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

POL 565. The World Before European Domination. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines the historical roots of the contemporary international system, and questions the standard Eurocentric perspective on the rise of the West to a dominant position in the global system.
Prerequisite: POL 203 or INS 101.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 566. Activism. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores what activism is, the history and developments of activism around the world, and which activists strategies work best. Assignments will send students into the community to participate in local politics, work with local organizations, and engage in activism.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 569. LGBTI Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
Describes and explains global variance in government policies of interest to lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex citizens including sodomy laws, anti-discrimination ordinances, same-sex marriage and adoption, military service, and the right to change one's sex or identify as neither male nor female. POL 344 or WGS 344 Strongly Recommended
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 570. Uniting States in International Perspective. 3 Credit Hours.
How states form and fragment; The main actors in nation formation; the elements of continuity and change; the impact outsiders can have on the process.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 571. Sex, Babies, and the State. 3 Credit Hours.
In one of the most profound revolutions of the past century, gender roles have irreversibly changed and equal rights for women and men has become a stated goal in western societies, even if not the reality. This course examines policies on reproduction, work and the family in advanced industrialized countries including Latin American Countries.
Prerequisite: POL 202.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 572. Government and Business. 3 Credit Hours.
Government-business-society relations with emphasis on the social, economic, political, technological, ethical, and ecological environment.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
POL 575. The Politics of Civil- Military Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
Course examines the relationship between states and their soldiers across various historical periods and regional contexts, and how this relationship has been altered in an era where the viability of old structures of state authority are no longer self-evident.
Prerequisite: POL 203 or INS 101.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

POL 576. On Violence: The Politics of Extremes. 3 Credit Hours.
Literary and theoretical treatments are considered for what they can tell us about the causes, characteristics and consequences of violence. These insights are enlisted to help us understand violence enacted by states against their societies, societies against states, and within society itself.
Prerequisite: POL 203 or INS 101.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

POL 577. Security in South Asia: The Conflicts of Afghanistan, Pakistan, and India. 3 Credit Hours.
The security system of South Asia's northern reaches and the current conflict involving Afghanistan, Pakistan, and India: considerations of sovereignty and the role of frontiers in world politics.
Prerequisite: POL 203 or INS 101.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

POL 578. Energy and Security in Eurasia. 3 Credit Hours.
Engages the intersection of energy and security within the contested space of Eurasia.
Prerequisite: POL 202 or POL 203 or INS 101.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 579. The politics of post-communist transactions. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of the creation, breakdown, and aftermath of communist governments in Eastern Europe and the USSR. Develops a theoretical framework for understanding cross-national patterns of post-communist development in the context of country-specific experiences.
Prerequisite: POL 202.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 580. Ethnicity, Nationalism and Secession. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of the creation, breakdown, and aftermath of communist governments in Eastern Europe and the Soviet Union. Using empirical evidence from four case studies, develops a theoretical framework for understanding cross-national patterns of post-communist development in the context of country-specific experiences.
Prerequisite: POL 202 or POL 203 or INS 101.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 581. Comparative Political Economy of Post-Industrial Democracies. 3 Credit Hours.
This seminar examines four key turning points in the development of capitalism: the industrial revolution, the aftermath of the depression and world wars, the oil crisis of the 1970's, and today's "globalization". We will compare the relationships between government and the economy in Western Europe, Canada, the U.S., Australia, New Zealand, and Japan in each period, and attempt to evaluate why these countries react similarly or differently to identical changes in world economy.
Prerequisite: POL 202.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 582. Political Economy of Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of the principal theoretical paradigms of the development process Comparative analysis of issues such as the role of the state, strategies of industrialization, changes in social structure, basic needs and the trade-offs between growth and equity.
Prerequisite: POL 202.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
POL 584. Contemporary Latin American Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course assumes a basic knowledge of Latin American politics, and is designed to foster deeper understanding of political processes in the region and to provide an overview of key debates among political scientists specializing in Latin America. We discuss issues related to democratic consolidation, political participation, representation and governance.
Prerequisite: POL 202.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 585. Post-Communist Russian Foreign Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of the various forms of political movements in Latin America, including parties, populists and radical groups. Examines diverse means of organizing and mobilizing support, the range of goals sought, and the conditions that give rise to the various movements. Special attention to the contemporary revival of populism in the region and its implications for democracy. Prerequisite: POL 211 and 212 or graduate standing.
Prerequisite: POL 202.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 586. Conflict in the Middle East and Africa. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to major paradigms for the explanation of war and conflict in two of the most unstable regions of the world. Reading and class discussions on select cases of current and past conflicts in each region in order to discern patterns of conflict within and across regions, gain a clearer understanding of what drives violent conflict, and assess strategies of resolution.
Prerequisite: POL 202 or POL 203 or INS 101.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 587. Illicit Trade in the Global Economy. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines the rise of illicit trade, the actors and groups involved, and international and national attempts to stop it.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.

POL 588. Politics in China. 3 Credit Hours.
Development and nature of Chinese domestic politics in theory and practice; problems of political stability and conflict; the role of historical and cultural traditions, institutions, social, economic and personality factors in Chinese politics; process of change and problems of leadership succession; the significance of changes in the character and style of Chinese leadership.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

POL 589. Directed Research. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Provides an opportunity for students to assist faculty members with research for course credit. A student may only sign up if s/he has found a professor who has agreed to work with him/her. Does not count for credit in a 500-level seminar.
Components: RSC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 590. Directed Reading. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Provides an opportunity for students to organize an independent study with a particular tenure-line faculty member. A student may only sign up if s/he has found a professor who has agreed to work with him/her. This course does not count for credit in a 500-level seminar.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 591. International Security. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis and evaluation of approaches to international conflict, resolution, reduction and stabilization such as international organization, law, collective security, balance of power, functionalism, world government, morality, and conscience. Special emphasis on recent problems and efforts at institutionalizing social control.
Prerequisite: POL 203 or INS 101.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
POL 592. International Political Economy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to the study of International Political Economy (IPE). It combines a focus on the main theoretical and methodological approaches used in the study of IPE with the analysis of historical and contemporary issues.
Prerequisite: POL 203 or INS 101.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 593. International Relations of the Middle East. 3 Credit Hours.
Regional and inter-regional analysis of the foreign relations of Middle Eastern nations, domestic and geopolitical factors.
Prerequisite: POL 203 or INS 101, and POL 387.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 594. European Security. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines regional security in Europe, focusing on NATO expansion, EU expansion, Russian foreign policy, and related issues.
Prerequisite: POL 203 or INS 101.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 595. Special Topics in Political Theory and Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
A seminar in Political Theory and Methods; designed to give the student a greater degree of insight and knowledge of a particular subject and to develop ability in the techniques of individual research, group discussion and analysis. The senior seminars may be taken in any sequence.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 596. Special Topics in Public Administration, Policy, and Law. 3 Credit Hours.
A seminar in public policy, administration and law; designed to give the student a greater degree of insight and knowledge of a particular subject and to develop ability in the techniques of individual research, group discussion and analysis. The senior seminars may be taken in any sequence.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 597. Special Topics in International Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
A seminar in International Relations; designed to give the student a greater degree of insight and knowledge of a particular subject and to develop ability in the techniques of individual research, group discussion and analysis. The senior seminars may be taken in any sequence.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 598. Special Topics in Comparative Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
A seminar in Comparative Politics; designed to give the student a greater degree of insight and knowledge of a particular subject and to develop ability in the techniques of individual research, group discussion and analysis. The senior seminars may be taken in any sequence.
Prerequisite: POL 202.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 599. Special Topics in American Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
A seminar in American Politics; designed to give the student a greater degree of insight and knowledge of a particular subject and to develop ability in the techniques of individual research, group discussion and analysis.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 601. Budget and Financial Management and Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
Role of the budget in shaping public policy; managing public revenues; budgetary theory, politics, and fiscal management. Examples from state, municipal and federal governments.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
POL 602. Congressional Representation. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of how and when citizens influence legislators’ behavior. How legislators’ floor behavior reflects citizens’ preferences and how these preferences influence the formation of electoral coalitions.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 603. Special Topics in Comparative Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
A seminar in comparative politics, designed to give students a greater degree of knowledge of a particular subject, and to develop ability in the techniques of individual research and group discussion.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 604. The World Before European Domination. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines the historical roots of the contemporary international system, and questions the standard Eurocentric perspective on the rise of the West to a dominant position in the global system.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 605. Sex, Babies, and the State. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines policies on reproduction, work, and the family in a variety of national, with specific emphasis on Latin America.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 606. Organizational Dynamics and Management. 3 Credit Hours.
A seminar on organizational dynamics and management in public and non-profit organizations. Focus on organizational theories, leadership, behavior, goals, effectiveness, and change, with an emphasis on the distinctiveness of public organizations, public-private partnerships, new public management, and digital governance.
Prerequisite: POL 201 or POL 202 or POL 203 or INS 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 607. Politics, Sociology, and Economy in Contemporary Brazil. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines the social, economic, and cultural transformations shaping contemporary Brazilian politics.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 608. Equity and Diversity in Public Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines federal and state policies, laws, and court decisions as means for helping public administrators develop policies and procedures that meet legal requirements and recognize the values of equity and diversity in the treatment of its citizenry and public employees.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 609. Issues in Judicial Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines the Supreme Court of the United States (SCOTUS) through the lens of upcoming cases on the SCOTUS’s docket and through recently decided cases that were of important legal precedent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
POL 610. Statistics for Politics and Public Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the use of statistics to conduct quantitative research (i.e., statistics) in political science and public administration. The course emphasizes hands-on data work. Students will learn how to perform political analyses — and present findings in an appropriate manner — using SPSS statistical software.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 611. Security in the Arabian Peninsula. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines the security environment of the Arabian Peninsula.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 614. Art and Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores the relationship between narratives, aesthetics, and the political/social world.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 615. Media Content Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
There are few facets of our lives which are not directly affected by media content. From cell phones to televisions, the media is with us all the time. But what messages are contained in the mass media? What methods can we employ to study media content scientifically? This course will explore methods of analyzing media sources including movies, newspapers, magazines, and television Course topics will include political bias, campaign coverage, and news content. Students will design their own projects and implement their own coding strategies.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 616. Experiments in Political Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines experimental method of hypothesis testing, with specific examples in the study of politics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 617. Introductory Statistical Methods in Political Science. 3 Credit Hours.
The tools needed to manipulate and analyze quantitative data rigorously so you may answer questions of political interest. First in a two-course sequence (followed by POL 618).
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 618. Advanced Statistical Methods in Political Science. 3 Credit Hours.
The maximum likelihood framework for statistical inference in the study of politics. Second in a two-course sequence (preceded by POL 617).
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 619. Introduction to Game Theory for Political Science. 3 Credit Hours.
The rudiments of non-cooperative game theory. Mainly intended for political science students, but presents applications from other academic disciplines such as economics, business administration, sociology, and psychology.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 620. Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
Provides advanced political science majors with an opportunity to participate in a structured, supervised internship. 25-35 page research paper required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
POL 621. Public Affairs Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
Opportunity for the advanced student specializing in public administration to participate in an administrative capacity in an agency of state or local government. Periodic conferences with adviser and paper required.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 622. Introduction to Graduate Public Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to concepts, issues, problems, theories and process in the field of public administration and/or public management.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

POL 624. Non-Profit Organizations: Law, Policy, and Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course teaches students the essential requirements for creation and operation of tax-exempt nonprofit organization in accordance with state and federal law. The course covers a wide range of relevant topics including guidelines for charitable giving and charitable solicitation, pitfalls that can result in personal liability for officers and directors, and statutory constraints on legislative lobbying and political activities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 625. Comparative Public Policy and Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
Comparison and analysis of the organizational and managerial policy problems of developed and developing nations. The administrative process will be considered within the institutional and cultural framework of each nation. Case studies will be used to focus on transition from traditional to modern techniques of public management.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 626. Administrative Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Administrative law is the study of the legal relationship of government agencies to legislatures, courts, and private parties. The course examines the legal dimensions of bureaucratic power and procedures as well as constitutional and statutory constraints on regulators and administrators. Topics include rule making, adjudication, investigation and enforcement, political controls on agencies, judicial review of agency decisions, governmental liability and immunity, public records and open meetings laws. Both federal law and Florida law are covered. The course assumes a basic knowledge of the American legal system, constitutional law and bureaucracy.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 627. Comparative Political Institutions. 3 Credit Hours.
The concept of institutionalism by studying three major sets of democratic institutions: electoral systems, legislatures, and political regimes.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 629. Conducting U.S. Elections. 3 Credit Hours.
Fair and free democratic elections are the heart of U.S. democracy. This course will examine who gets to vote, whether election laws and rules are fair (and fairly implemented), and proposals to reform the way elections are run.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 630. Intelligence and National Security. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will study the US national security community structure and decision making process. The course will look at the National Security Council, the principal national security agencies (such as the CIA, Defense Department, and State Department), how they interact, and their roles in dividing and executing policy. We will also examine the role and function of senior policy decision makers such as the President. We will study recent policy challenges such as Iraq and Afghanistan as examples of National Security policy.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
POL 631. Global Environment Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of the environment within the context of economic globalization. Contrasts the international trading regime and those regimes designed to protect the environment, with specific attention to the issues of global warming and biodiversity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 634. Applied Policy Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines a variety of policy problems through the framework of problem definition, formulation of alternatives, assessment of alternatives, and policy impact evaluation. Students will also be introduced to cost-benefit analysis and evaluation methods.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 635. Comparative Legal Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Considers the institutional and political roles of Courts from a comparative perspective. With a focus on judicial independence and judicial review, will consider the juridical systems of a variety of countries and regions including the US, the EU, Germany, France, Great Britain, Chile, Argentina, Russia, The Asian-Pacific Rim, South Africa, Israel, Central America and the Middle East.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 636. U.S. Health Care Crisis: Politics and Policies. 3 Credit Hours.
This seminar will explore the politics and policies of healthcare in the United States. Our examination of the current crisis in cost and coverage will draw on experience from the debates on comprehensive and incremental reform over the past decade. In addition, we will explore the politics and policies of other health and science issues. Students will be expected to attend every class and be actively involved in class discussions. There will be two examinations, one at mid-term and a final based on readings and course discussions.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 637. Microeconomics for Public Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Describes and explains principles and theories of microeconomics in the context of public policy applications.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 641. Philosophy of Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Case-based study of jurisprudence designed to illuminate and explain philosophies of law. Examination of theories of free expression; bio-ethical matters; theories of punishment and legal responsibility; and the placement of religious discourses in liberal systems of law. Special attention to cases involving fundamental rights and liberties; the role of the individual and the state in civil society; and the capacities of individuals to be legally competent in contemporary systems of law.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 644. Chinese Foreign Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 645. Environmental Policy Making. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of different ethical approaches to the environment; the federal government’s management of natural resources; selected environmental policies; international environmental policy issues. Topics include federal management of national grazing lands, national forests, and minerals in the public domain. Analyzes environmental policies such as air, water, toxic wastes, energy, and environmentally-related issues in international trade and national security.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
POL 646. Public Policy Process and Implementation. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of public policy issue areas including education, health, welfare, urban mass transit. Limits to effectiveness of federal, state and local governments in providing services. Techniques for analyzing the effectiveness of public policies; research techniques for the assessment of future policy alternatives.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 647. Human Resource Management in Public Service. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics include human resource management in public service: job analysis and design, evaluation and appraisal, recruitment and interviewing, training and development, wages and benefits, and health and safety. Unionization, regulation of wages, hours and working conditions, financial security for workers, manpower planning and job anti-discrimination legislation are considered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 648. Civic Participation and Democracy. 3 Credit Hours.
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Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 649. Energy Policy: Technology, Politics, and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
An interdisciplinary introduction to energy policy, focusing on studying three major and interrelated themes from a comparative perspective: technology, politics, and society. Covers energy policy examples from the United States, the European Union, China, India, and other countries.
Components: RSC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 650. Advanced Seminar On American Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
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Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 651. Productivity in the Public and Non-Profit Sectors. 3 Credit Hours.
Definitions and measures of productivity. Evaluation of government programs, and methods of productivity improvement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 652. Total Quality Public Service Management: Achieving High Performance Government. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of the theory and practice of Total Quality Management (TQM) in the government and non-profit sector. Focuses on budgetary, customer service, employee and process improvements that facilitate increased public and non-profit performance. Special emphasis to TQM's contribution to improved service delivery.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 653. The Environmental Movement: Groups, Beliefs and Values. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of the origins and political impact of environmentalism in the United States and, to a lesser extent, in the global context. Impact of democratic participation on environmental politics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
POL 654. Politics and Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
Personal, professional, organizational, and societal levels of ethical analysis. Ethical theories will be reviewed and applied to actual cases that focus on public policy and/or the officials who create and implement it. Profiles of moral exemplars in public life will be examined.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 655. Public Policy and Health. 3 Credit Hours.
Development of public policy at the federal, state and local level. Policy process, models of policy analysis, policy development in several government service areas, and plans for policy change. Special emphasis on health policy formulation, implementation and the use of epidemiological tools in health policy analysis.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

POL 656. Public Service Internship. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Individual on-the-job work experience; arranged and monitored by a faculty member.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 657. Ethical and Managerial Issues in Government, Business and Non-Profit Organizations. 3 Credit Hours.
Governments at all levels in this country--national (Larry Craig, David Vitter, Mark Foley, Bill Clinton, Randy Cunningham, Tom DeLay, William Jefferson, James Traficant, Robert Torricelli, Jack Abramoff), state (former Illinois, Louisiana, New York, Ohio, and Arizona governors), and local (Miami, Providence city officials; Miami-Dade, Broward, and Palm Beach counties)--have encountered scandals involving ethical wrongdoing. Businesses (Enron, Worldcom) and nonprofit organizations (Boy Scouts, United Way) have faced similar problems. Countless less visible examples of unethical and ethical behavior occur in organizations daily. This course examines the causes and consequences of such actions and the managerial strategies and competencies needed to effectively cope with the ethical issues confronting individuals and organizations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 658. From Electronic Government to Digital Governance. 3 Credit Hours.
Graduate and advanced undergraduate seminar explores the transition from electronic government (e-gov) to digital or d-governance, emphasizing political participation, citizen-centric public administration and the proliferation of global information technologies and social media.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

POL 659. International Organizations. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines international organizations which, in addition to contributing to the solution of international problems, also help to provide rules and structures to manage state-to-state relationships.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 661. Ending Wars and Building Peace. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines how local and international actors build sustainable peace strategically through peace-keeping, peace accords, reconciliation, education, human rights, international law, and state-building.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 669. LGBTI Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
Describes and explains global variance in government policies of interest to lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex citizens including sodomy laws, anti-discrimination ordinances, same-sex marriage and adoption, military service, and the right to change one's sex or identify as neither male nor female.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
POL 670. Uniting States in International Perspective. 3 Credit Hours.
How states form and fragment; the main actors in nation formation; the elements of continuity and change; the impact outsiders can have on the process.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 671. Government and Business. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines government-business-society relations with emphasis on the social, economic, political, technological, ethical, and ecological environment.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 672. Program Planning, Research and Evaluation in Criminal Justice and Corrections, I. 3 Credit Hours.
Identification of long-term goals and intermediate objectives in the criminal justice process. Formulation of operations, evaluation techniques and the relationships among research, evaluation and management decisions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 673. Program Planning, Research and Evaluation in Criminal Justice and Corrections, II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of POL 672. Topics include types of evaluation and the design of evaluative studies. POL 672 and POL 673 are designed to facilitate the formulation and execution of a thesis.
Prerequisite: POL 672.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 675. The Politics of Civil-Military Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
Course examines the relationship between states and their soldiers across various historical periods and regional contexts, and how this relationship has been altered in an era where the viability of old structures of state authority are no longer self-evident.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 676. On Violence: The Politics of Extremes. 3 Credit Hours.
Literary and theoretical treatments are considered for what they can tell us about the causes, characteristics and consequences of violence. These insights are enlisted to help us understand violence enacted by states against their societies, societies against states, and within society itself.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 677. Security in South Asia. 3 Credit Hours.
The security system of South Asia's northern reaches and the current conflict involving Afghanistan, Pakistan, and India: considerations of sovereignty and the role of frontiers in world politics.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 678. Energy and Security in Eurasia. 3 Credit Hours.
Engages intersection of energy and security within the contested space of Eurasia.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
POL 680. Ethnicity, Nationalism, and Secession. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of the creation, breakdown, and aftermath of communist governments in Eastern Europe and the Soviet Union. Using empirical evidence from four case studies, develops a theoretical framework for understanding cross-national patterns of post-communist development in the context of country specific experiences.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 681. Comparative Political Economy of Post-Industrial Democracies. 3 Credit Hours.
This seminar examines four key turning points in the development of capitalism: the industrial revolution, the aftermath of the depression and world wars, the oil crisis of the 1970’s, and today’s “globalization”. We will compare the relationships between government and the economy in Western Europe, Canada, the U.S., Australia, New Zealand, and Japan in each period, and attempt to evaluate why these countries react similarly or differently to identical changes in world economy.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 682. Political Economy of Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of the principal theoretical paradigms of the development process Comparative analysis of issues such as the role of the state, strategies of industrialization, changes in social structure, basic needs and the trade-offs between growth and equity.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 683. Seminar: Topics in the Comparative Study of the Foreign Policy of China. 3 Credit Hours.
Upon completion of this course students should be able to describe the theories that have been used to analyze Chinese politics, their strengths and weaknesses, be familiar with the tension between communist ideology and modernization, outline the PRC’s party and government structure and the informal deviations thereof, assess economic progress and the difficulties ahead, be aware of the roles on interest groups such as the military, labor, ethnic minorities, and non-governmental organizations in influencing policy formation, describe the social welfare system, and evaluate the ability of the system as a whole to withstand external and internal pressures.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 684. Contemporary Latin American Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course assumes a basic knowledge of Latin American politics, and is designed to foster deeper understanding of political processes in the region and to provide an overview of key debates among political scientists specializing in Latin America. We discuss issues related to democratic consolidation, political participation, representation and governance.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 685. Seminar in the Dynamics of Soviet Society. 3 Credit Hours.
Forces and factors that shape and continue to influence the development of social, political and economic institutions in the Former Soviet Union and their evolving role in decision making.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 686. Conflict in the Middle East and Africa. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to major paradigms for the explanation of war and conflict in two of the most unstable regions of the world. Reading and class discussions on select cases of current and past conflicts in each region in order to discern patterns of conflict within and across regions, gain a clearer understanding of what drives violent conflict, and assess strategies of resolution.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 687. Illicit Trade in the Global Economy. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines the rise of illicit trade, the actors and groups involved, and international and national attempts to stop it.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
POL 688. Politics in China. 3 Credit Hours.
Development and nature of Chinese domestic politics in theory and practice; problems of political stability and conflict; the role of historical and cultural traditions, institutions, social, economic and personality factors in Chinese politics; process of change and problems of leadership succession; the significance of changes in the character and style of Chinese leadership.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 689. Directed Research. 1-3 Credit Hours.
An opportunity for graduate students to assist faculty members with research for course credit. A student may only sign up if s/he has found a professor who has agreed to work with him/her.
Components: RSC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 690. Directed Readings. 3 Credit Hours.
Provides an opportunity for students to organize an independent study with a particular tenure-line faculty member. A student may only sign up if s/he has found a professor who has agreed to work with him/her.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 691. International Security. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis and evaluation of approaches to international conflict, resolution, reduction and stabilization such as international organization, law, collective security, balance of power, functionalism, world government, morality, and conscience. Special emphasis on recent problems and efforts at institutionalizing social control.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 692. International Political Economy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to the study of International Political Economy (IPE). It combines a focus on the main theoretical and methodological approaches used in the study of IPE with the analysis of historical and contemporary issues.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 693. International Relations of the Middle East. 3 Credit Hours.
Regional and inter-regional analysis of the foreign relations of Middle Eastern nations, domestic and geopolitical factors.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 694. European Security. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines regional security in Europe, focusing on NATO expansion, EU expansion, Russian foreign policy and related issues.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 695. Special Topics in Political Theory and Methods. 1-3 Credit Hours.
A seminar in Political Theory and Methods; designed to give the student a greater degree of insight and knowledge of a particular subject and to develop ability in the techniques of individual research, group discussion and analysis. The senior seminars may be taken in any sequence.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
POL 696. Special Topics in Public Administration, Policy, and Law. 1-3 Credit Hours.
A seminar in public policy, administration and law; designed to give the student a greater degree of insight and knowledge of a particular subject and to develop ability in the techniques of individual research, group discussion and analysis.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

POL 697. Special Topics in International Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
A seminar in international relations; designed to give the student a greater degree of insight and knowledge of a particular subject and to develop ability in the techniques of individual research, group discussion and analysis. The senior seminars may be taken in any sequence.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 698. Special Topic in American Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
A graduate seminar in American Politics designed to give the student a greater degree of insight and knowledge of a particular subject and to develop ability in the techniques of individual research, group discussion, and analysis.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 699. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Substantive topics vary by semester and is indicated in parentheses following course number and title in Class Schedule.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POL 810. Master's Thesis. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Designed for student working on masters' theses. Not to exceed six credit hours, as determined by student's advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
POL 810 MPA Program.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POL 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Research in residence for thesis or master's degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in POL 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted; regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

Portuguese (POR)

POR 101. Elementary Portuguese I. 3 Credit Hours.
Drill in pronunciation, fundamental grammatical principles, simple reading and translation, oral and written exercises. Normally, not open to students who have completed two years of Portuguese. Closed to native speakers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POR 102. Elementary Portuguese II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of POR 101. Closed to native speakers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POR 105. Beginning Portuguese for Spanish Speakers. 3 Credit Hours.
The equivalent of one year of beginning-level college Portuguese, this course is specifically intended for students who have completed three or more years of high school Spanish or one year of Spanish at another university. Also intended for heritage and native speakers of Romance Languages, or students with one or more years of college study of Spanish, Italian, or French. Closed to native speakers of Portuguese.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
POR 106. Business Portuguese for Spanish Speakers. 3 Credit Hours.
Designed for students interested in Business Administration, and will contain basic readings on Brazilian Economy and Politics, Business vocabulary, written activities such as email and short oral and written reports. Students will give oral presentations related to Brazilian companies and will interview two Brazilian businessmen/women from the local community. Students who have completed three or more years of high school Spanish or beginning Spanish at another institution. Also intended for heritage speakers of Romance Languages other than Portuguese, or students with at least three years of college study of Spanish, Italian or French. Closed to native speakers.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POR 195. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 100-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POR 201. Intermediate Portuguese I. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: POR 102 or POR 105.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

POR 202. Intermediate Portuguese II. 3 Credit Hours.
Intensive preparation for 300-level work through various genres (portraits, descriptions, short stories, film reviews, magazines, a novel). Workshop format, the course also develops conversational skills. Students complete a number of written projects (including an analytic paper). Class conducted in Portuguese. Closed to native speakers.
Prerequisite: POR 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

POR 295. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 200-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POR 301. Interpreting Literary and Cultural Texts in Portuguese. 3 Credit Hours.
Tools for the interpretation and analysis of literary and cultural materials from the Portuguese-speaking world. Acquisition of terminology and theories through the study of the main literary genres (prose, poetry, and drama) and a complementary genre of cultural analysis (e.g., film studies, cultural studies, etc.). Emphasis on critical writing skills. Closed to native speakers formally educated in Portuguese.
Prerequisite: POR 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POR 310. Brazilian Women Writers in Translation. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected contemporary Brazilian women writers. Conducted in English. Emphasis on representations of nationality, race, class, ethnicity, gender, and sexuality. May be used to fulfill the humanities literature requirement.
Prerequisite: ENG 106.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POR 321. Studies in Luso-Brazilian Literary Themes. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of literature through thematic readings. May be repeated for credit if topics vary.
Prerequisite: POR 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
POR 322. Topics in Luso-Brazilian Cultures. 3 Credit Hours.
Cultural issues in the Portuguese-speaking world. Topics include media, religion, language in society, popular and mass culture, the arts, immigration, social movements, race, ethnicity, and gender. May be repeated for credit if topics vary.
Prerequisite: POR 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

POR 353. Brazilian Poetry. 3 Credit Hours.
Brazilian poetry from colonial times to the present. Emphasis on major figures. Taught in Portuguese. Humanities literature credit.
Prerequisite: POR 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POR 354. The Modern Brazilian Novel. 3 Credit Hours.
The Brazilian novel since 1865. Emphasis on major works. Conducted in Portuguese. POR minors must complete all written assignments in Portuguese. Others may opt to write in English, Portuguese, or Spanish. Fulfills humanities literature requirement.
Prerequisite: POR 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POR 355. Contemporary Luso-Brazilian Film. 3 Credit Hours.
Portuguese, Brazilian, and Lusophone African cinema from the 1950s to the present. POR minors must complete all written assignments in Portuguese; Others may opt to write in English, Portuguese, or Spanish. Conducted in Portuguese. Fulfills Humanities literature requirement.
Prerequisite: POR 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POR 356. The Brazilian Short Story. 3 Credit Hours.
The Brazilian short story since 1890. Conducted in Portuguese. POR minors must complete all written assignments in Portuguese. Others may opt to write in English, Portuguese, or Spanish. Fulfills Humanities literature requirement.
Prerequisite: POR 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POR 391. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual work on a topic not covered in the regular curriculum. May be repeated on a different topic.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POR 394. Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
The internship is an opportunity to apply analytical, interpretative, and creative skills developed in coursework. Internships ordinarily take place outside the University and they involve UM-faculty supervision, as well as supervised on-site experience in a Portuguese-speaking cultural, business, or not-for-profit organization. Students need to fill out the Internship Application Form. Normally 27 internship hours are required per credit earned. A maximum of three semester hours of internship credit may be counted toward the student's degree program. Permission of MLL faculty member is required (the host will apply documentary evidence of the hours worked).
Prerequisite: POR 202.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

POR 395. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 300-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POR 396. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
POR 397. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

POR 398. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

POR 399. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

POR 495. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 400-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POR 591. Directed Readings in Portuguese. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings at the undergraduate level.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POR 592. Directed Readings in Portuguese. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings at the undergraduate level.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POR 593. Directed Readings in Portuguese. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings at the undergraduate level.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POR 641. Elementary POR I for Graduate Students. 0 Credit Hours. 0 Credit Hours.
Designed to develop graduate students’ communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending Portuguese, and to provide an introduction to the Lusophone world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POR 642. Elementary Portuguese II for Grad Students. 0 Credit Hours.
Continuation of POR 641. Designed to develop graduate students communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending, Portuguese, and continued engagement with the Portuguese-speaking world. 0 Credit Hours.
Pre-Requisite: POR 641.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POR 645. Beginning Portuguese for Graduate Research (0 Credits). 0 Credit Hours.
The equivalent of one year of beginning-level college Portuguese, in preparation for study of Portuguese at the intermediate level. Designed to develop graduate students’ communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending Portuguese, and continued engagement with the Portuguese speaking world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
POR 651. Intermediate POR I for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
For graduate students with previous study of elementary-level Portuguese who will carry out research related to the Portuguese-speaking world. Designed to enhance graduate students' communication skills at the intermediate level of proficiency.
Pre-Requisite: POR 642.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POR 652. Intermediate Portuguese II for Graduate Research (0 Credit). 0 Credit Hours.
For students with previous study of Portuguese at the intermediate level who will carry out research related to the Portuguese-speaking world. Designed to enhance graduate students' communication skills at the intermediate-high level of proficiency.
Pre-Requisite: POR 651.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

POR 691. Topics in Luso-Brazilian Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Graduate equivalent of POR courses listed at the 300-level.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POR 692. Directed Readings in Portuguese. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings at the graduate level.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

POR 721. Special Topics in Luso-Brazilian Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Special Topics in Luso-Afro-Brazilian Studies.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

Program In Biomedical Sciences (PIB)

PIB 700. Journal Club. 1 Credit Hour.
All PIBS students are required to attend one journal club or seminar each week.
Components: SEM.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PIB 701. Introduction to Biomedical Sciences. 1-5 Credit Hours.
This course surveys fundamentals of molecular and cellular biology that underly all modern biomedical research. Lectures are organized into modules that cover Proteins and DNA, Gene Expression, Signaling and Membranes, Cells, and Development. A final module covers immunology, organ systems, and genetics. Experimental techniques are emphasized throughout, with the first week of the course devoted to a bootcamp on common biomedical methods.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PIB 702. Scientific Reasoning. 3 Credit Hours.
This course teaches scientific reasoning by critical reading of primary research papers in a small-group setting. Multiple small groups are offered every week and students can choose from different topics related to lectures in the companion PIB 701 course. Research papers are discussed in two 1-hour sessions each week.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
PIB 705. Biostatistics for the Biosciences. 3 Credit Hours.
This is an introductory course that will cover the basics of applied statistics. The course will emphasize a practical understanding of statistical concepts: the goal is to prepare you to be able to properly analyze and interpret data from your research, not to turn you into a statistician. As such, the structure of the course is designed to give you lots of hands-on experience with data and statistical software, and to teach you how to proceed when you encounter novel problems in the future (e.g., data that you’re not quite sure how to analyze). An overall goal of the course is to prepare you to be able to intelligently assess the statistics commonly encountered in journal articles within your field and provide you with the fundamental skills required for more advanced statistical methods when you late encounter the need.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Spring.

PIB 706. Informatics for the Biosciences. 3 Credit Hours.
PIB 706 is designed to teach problem solving using the Python programming language. No prior programming knowledge is needed. Students will learn to write their own original Python programs to parse, manipulate, and analyze big data sets containing genomic, proteomic, and structural information. As the course progresses, students will be encouraged to apply their emerging programming knowledge to tackle scientific problems of their interest. The course culminates with each student designing a final project related to their research. This is a hands-on course with in-class interactive programming. Therefore, students are required to have their own Mac or PC laptop in good working condition for every class—no exceptions.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Spring.

PIB 731. Laboratory Research. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Laboratory rotations familiarize students with a variety of modern techniques in biomedicine and potential mentors for their dissertation projects. One credit is awarded per rotation.

Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PIB 780. Research Ethics. 1 Credit Hour.
The NIH Guide for Grants and Contracts stipulates that Institutions receiving support for National Research Service Award Training Grants are required to develop a program in the principles of scientific integrity. This program should be an integral part of the proposed training effort.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Fall.

PIB 782. Professional Development: Skills for Success I. 1 Credit Hour.
This workshop will teach students the basics on how to: manage your career, choose a rotation lab / mentor, read a scientific paper, write a lab report and present in the journal club and lab meetings.

Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.

Typically Offered: Fall.

PIB 783. Professional Development: Skills for Success II. 1 Credit Hour.
This workshop will teach students the basics on how to: write a fellowship and scientific paper as well as the proper and ethical handling of research data.

Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.

Typically Offered: Fall.

PIB 784. Practical Graduate Teaching. 1 Credit Hour.
Senior graduate students have the opportunity to participate in Graduate School teaching by evaluating presentations, teaching in small groups, and mentoring first-year graduate students in the Program in Biomedical Sciences. The overarching goal is to prepare future academicians in the complex process of training accomplished, well-rounded scientists. The activities required from the students would be: Participate in the mentoring program; read and evaluate abstracts of PIBS student rotations; participate of PIBS rotation presentations, ask questions; provide feedback of rotation presentations (abstracts and oral) to PIBS students within small groups; and provide mentoring to PIBS students in PIB701 topics.

Prerequisite: PIB 701.

Components: FLD.
Grading: SUS.

Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
PIB 785. PIBS Bioinformatics Workshop. 1 Credit Hour.
The aim of this workshop is to introduce graduate students to basic bioinformatics data retrieval and analysis as relevant to bio-medical research. The sessions will include discussion on focused topics and hands-on, project-based exercises. Only publicly available databases and web-tools will be used, no programming will be taught.
Components: WKS.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Summer.

PIB 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required for all PhD candidates. First-year students generally take one credit of doctoral dissertation in their first summer semester then continue in program specific dissertation credit through graduation.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Summer.

Psychology (PSY)

PSY 106. Freshman Advising Contact Term (Fact). 1 Credit Hour.
Educates students about the structure and function of a research university, introduces them to the academic rules and regulations of the University of Miami and the Department of Psychology, enables them to think critically about their own graduation plan, and prepares them to enter the professional world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 110. Introduction to Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of modern scientific psychology. Topics include learning, memory, perception, cognition, personality, motivation, emotion, development, abnormal psychology, and social psychology. Participation in a small number of experiments is required to ensure that students become acquainted first hand with the experimental laboratory methods used in Psychology. Students may choose to satisfy this requirement by writing a small number of methodology papers instead.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PSY 175. Special Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 190. Faculty Overview of Research and Undergraduate Mentoring (FORUM). 1 Credit Hour.
Critical discussion of research reports in psychology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 206. Transfer to the University of Miami (TUMS). 1 Credit Hour.
Educates students about the structure and function of a research university, introduces them to the academic rules and regulations of the University of Miami and the Department of Psychology, enables them to think critically about their own graduation plan, integrates them into the social atmosphere of the University, and prepares them to enter the professional world.
Requisite: Permission of a UASP advisor, C- or higher in PSY 110.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 210. Social Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
The major theories, methods and research findings in social psychology. Attitude formation and change, person perception, interpersonal attraction, aggression, group structure, leadership, conformity and mass phenomena. Emphasizes the individual as the basic unit of analysis (compare SOC 302).
Prerequisite: C- or higher in PSY 110.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
PSY 220. Psychobiology. 3 Credit Hours.
Behavior viewed from a biological perspective. Survey of biological factors subserving sensation, perception, sleep, emotions, motivation, learning, memory, and development.
Prerequisite: C- or higher in PSY 110.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 230. Child and Adolescent Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey of significant aspects of growth and development throughout the lifespan. Emphasis placed on childhood and adolescence.
Prerequisite: C- or higher in PSY 110.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PSY 240. Abnormal Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Diagnostic formulations of the clinical syndromes; theories of psychopathological states.
Prerequisite: C- or higher in PSY 110.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 250. Cognitive Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey of theory and research on human information processing and cognitive processes.
Prerequisite: C- or higher in PSY 110.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 260. Personality Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of the area of personality, including the relation of personality to general psychology, history of theory and research in the field, definition, assessment, and research findings in major substantive areas.
Prerequisite: C- or higher in PSY 110.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 270. Industrial and Organizational Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Applications of psychology in business, industry, and to organizational effectiveness in general. Supervisory, leadership, morale, personnel selection, training, human factors engineering, and consumer psychology.
Prerequisite: C- or higher in PSY 110.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 275. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the features that characterize science and the ways that pseudoscience (e.g., ESP, astrology, energy therapy, aliens, ghosts) deviates from these. Students will learn about the factors that influence human thinking, decision making, and behavior as well as how to critically evaluate the credibility of claims and arguments. This course will help students improve their analytical and reasoning skills, support their arguments and evaluate the arguments made by others, and become better consumers of information.
Prerequisite: C- or higher in PSY 110.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 280. Introduction to Research Projects I. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students assist on a research project in psychology under supervision of a faculty member. Activities include library research, data collection and management, and attendance at research team meetings.
Prerequisite: PSY 110. Requisite: Permission of a UASP advisor.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
PSY 290. Introduction to Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to research methods in psychology. We will discuss the scientific concepts, principles, and ways of thinking that are central to the study of psychology. Topics to be covered include the goals of psychological research, ethical issues in the design and implementation of research studies, research design strategies and types of measurement, and methods of presenting data. A variety of in-class assignments will provide students with the opportunity to reflect upon the ways in which research is conducted, presented, and interpreted. 
Prerequisite: PSY 110 and MTH 101 or mathematics placement above MTH 101. Corequisite: PSY 291. Requisite: PSY or NEU major. 
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 291. Introduction to Biobehavioral Statistics. 3 Credit Hours.
The basics of descriptive and inferential statistics, but the focus will be on the latter. We will cover only enough descriptive statistics to enable us to introduce the inferential concepts of regression, t-tests ANOVA and Chi Square. 
Prerequisite: PSY 110 and MTH 101 or mathematics placement above MTH 101. Co-requisite: PSY 290. Requisite: PSY or NEU Major. 
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PSY 292. Introduction to Biobehavioral Statistics for Non-Majors. 3 Credit Hours.
The basics of descriptive and inferential statistics, but the focus will be on the latter. Descriptive statistics to introduce the inferential concepts of regression, t-tests ANOVA and Chi Square. 
Prerequisite: PSY 110 and MTH 101 or math placement above MTH 101. 
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PSY 305. Introduction to Research and Graduate School. 1 Credit Hour.
Introduction to research and graduate school in psychology and psychology-related fields. The course will focus on different opportunities available to students at the University and on the graduate school application process. 
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 306. Introduction to Research and Graduate School. 1 Credit Hour.
Introduction to research and graduate school in psychology and psychology-related fields. The course will focus on different opportunities available to students at the University and on the graduate school application process.
Requisite: Permission of a UASP advisor, 2.5 PSY GPA and 12 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

PSY 310. Attitudes and Persuasion. 3 Credit Hours.
An analysis of the major theories and research findings relating to attitude formation and change, including a review of widely used persuasion techniques. 
Requisite: 2.5 PSY GPA and 12 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292 or 2.5 PSY GPA, 9 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292, and 3 credits in MKT, CAD, COM, COS, CNJ, CPR, or CVJ courses. 
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 311. Emotion. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory and research concerning the development, arousal, and expression of emotional reaction. 
Requisite: 2.5 PSY GPA, 12 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292 or 2.5 PSY GPA, 9 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292, and 3 credits in BIL courses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 312. Psychology of Gender. 3 Credit Hours.
Psychological theories and research related to understanding issues of gender across the lifespan. 
Requisite: 2.5 GPA, 12 Credits in PSY including PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
PSY 313. Romantic Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to how social scientists think about, study, and intervene with romantic relationships.
Requisite: 2.5 GPA, 12 Credits in PSY including PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 320. Psychology of Drugs and Behavior. 3 Credit Hours.
The psychological and physiological effects of drugs. Includes psychosocial aspects of drug use and the treatment and prevention of abuse. An introduction to psychopharmacology.
Requisite: 2.5 PSY GPA, 12 credits in PSY courses including PSY 220 and PSY 291 or PSY 292 or 2.5 PSY GPA, 9 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292, and 3 credits in BIL 150 or higher or CHM 111 or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 330. Psychology of Language Development. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of language acquisition, primarily focusing on infancy through 5 years. Topics covered include biological bases of language, sound discrimination abilities, babbling and speech production.
Requisite: 2.5 GPA and 12 Credits in PSY courses including PSY 230, PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 331. Psychology of Adulthood and Aging. 3 Credit Hours.
Major developments during the middle and later years of adulthood including changes in family and peer relationships, cognitive changes, physical changes, and psychological aspects of death and dying.
Requisite: 2.5 GPA and 12 Credits in PSY courses including PSY 230, PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 345. Abnormal Child Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Reviews definitions, theories, and causes of mental and cognitive disorders in youth, including anxiety, depression, conduct problems, and learning and intellectual disabilities.
Requisite: 2.5 GPA and 12 Credits in PSY courses including PSY 230, PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PSY 355. Psychology of Thinking and Learning in Children. 3 Credit Hours.
Development of perceptions, thought, and language processes throughout the lifespan with an emphasis on early and middle childhood.
Requisite: 2.5 GPA and 12 Credits in PSY courses including PSY 230, PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 356. Psychology of Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities. 3 Credit Hours.
The etiological, social, and psychological aspects of intellectual and developmental disabilities.
Requisite: 2.5 PSY GPA and 12 credits in PSY courses including PSY 230 and PSY 291 or PSY 292 or 2.5 PSY GPA, 9 credits in PSY courses including PSY 230 and PSY 291 or PSY 292, and 3 credits in BIL or TAL courses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 360. Personality Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
The role of structure, development, dynamics, individual differences, assessments, and deviations.
Requisite: 2.5 GPA, 12 Credits in PSY including PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
PSY 370. Psychology of Human Sexual Behavior. 3 Credit Hours.
Interaction of biological and social factors in normal sexual development, and behavior patterns; etiologies of dysfunctions, paraphilias and gender-identity disorders; assessment and intervention procedures.
Requisite: 2.5 PSY GPA and 12 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292 or 2.5 PSY GPA, 9 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292, and 3 credits in BIL 150 or higher, CHM 103 or higher or HCS 212.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 371. Stress Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Physiology and psychology of stress, with emphasis on mind-body (stress-health) connection. Integrates scientific knowledge with practice techniques such as muscle relaxation, cognitive restructuring, meditation, anger management, yoga, exercise, assertiveness training, and social support.
2.5 PSY GPA and 12 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 372. Applied Behavioral Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
The concepts, methods, and procedures used in behavior analytic research and clinical work. In this course, students will become familiar with the scientific foundations of behavioral science and the basic concepts and principles of behavior analysis. The course will emphasize terminology and definitions of behavioral concepts, as well as introduce the application of those concepts to bring about behavior change.
2.5 PSY GPA and 12 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 375. Special Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Requisite: 2.5 GPA, 12 Credits in PSY including PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 380. Introduction to Research Projects II. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students assist on a research project in psychology under supervision of a faculty member. Activities include library research, data collection and management, and attendance at research team meetings.
Requisite: Permission of a UASP advisor, 2.5 PSY GPA, and 12 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PSY 390. Intermediate Research Methods and Biobehavioral Statistics. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will conduct two (or more) pre-planned experiments. For each experiment, students will analyze the data and write up the components of a research report. In addition, students will receive detailed feedback on the assignments they submit, as an aid to improving their writing skills, reinforcing and reviewing their knowledge of research design and methodology, and expanding their understanding of statistical analyses as well as their interpretation and presentation.
Requisite: 2.5 GPA and 12 Credits in PSY including PSY 290 and PSY 291 or PSY 292 or 9 credits in PSY including PSY 290, and PSY 291 or PSY 292, BIL 268 or NEU 280, NEU 380 or NEU 480.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 391. Tests and Measurements. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory and principles of construction, use, evaluation, and interpretation of psychological tests and testing procedures.
Requisite: 2.5 GPA, 12 Credits in PSY including PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
PSY 410. Social Interaction Processes. 3 Credit Hours.
An in-depth analysis of variables leading to, and processes involved in, human social interactions ranging from superficial encounters to intimate relationships.
Requisite: 2.5 PSY GPA and 15 credits in PSY courses including PSY 210, PSY 291 or PSY 292 and PSY 390.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 411. Relationships and Health. 3 Credit Hours.
Interpersonal processes that play out in the course of chronic physical illnesses. An integrated foundation on theories and concepts of interpersonal relationships in psychology and a comprehensive introduction to how these theories and concepts can be applied to relationships among family members dealing with physical illnesses. Students will be introduced to diverse perspectives on interpersonal relationships and to a broad perspective on physical illnesses as “family” diseases, across the illness trajectory.
Requisite: 2.5 PSY GPA and 15 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292 and PSY 390.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 412. Social and Cultural Neuroscience. 3 Credit Hours.
Human neuroimaging research on social behavior (e.g., person perception, intergroup relations, and social learning), and the relationships between culture and the brain (e.g., cultural learning and neural mechanisms underlying cross-cultural differences). The course will also cover foundations of social and cultural neuroscience (e.g., shared and unique aspects of human culture and social behavior, and techniques for studying culture and social behavior using neuroscience methods).
2.5 PSY GPA and 12 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 413. Cultural Diversity in Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
An evaluation of psychology from cultural perspectives and promote critical thinking about various topics within psychology. The first half of this course will cover topics such as research methods, enculturation, developmental processes, cognition, gender, sexuality, health, emotion, language, and communication from a cultural perspective. During the second half of the course we will discuss the role of culture in personality, abnormal psychology, treatment of abnormal behavior, social behavior and organizations.
2.5 PSY GPA and 12 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 425. Psychobiology. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic neuroanatomy, neurophysiology, and neurochemistry followed by an introduction to the physiological bases of sensation, motor systems, motivation, emotion, learning and memory.
Requisite: 2.5 PSY GPA, 15 PSY credits including PSY 220, PSY 290, PSY 291 or PSY 292 or 2.5 PSY GPA, 12 Credits in PSY including PSY 290, and PSY 291 or PSY 292, BIL 150.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 426. Health Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
The psychosomatic and biopsychosocial models of illness.
Requisite: 2.5 PSY GPA, 15 credits in PSY courses including PSY 220, PSY 290, and PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 427. Psychoneuroimmunology. 3 Credit Hours.
The most current literature in psychoneuroimmunology (PNI) allowing students to connect psychological, neuroendocrine and immunological processes and mechanisms. Students will apply this information within the context of chronic disease prevention, progression and intervention.
2.5 PSY GPA and 12 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
PSY 430. Psychology of Infancy. 3 Credit Hours.
Perceptual, motor, cognitive and social development during the first two years of life. Specialized research methods and assessment procedures.
Requisite: 2.5 PSY GPA; 15 PSY credits, including PSY 230, PSY 291 or PSY 292, PSY 390.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 431. Psychology of Social and Emotional Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Social and emotional growth; topics include family and peer relationships, sex roles, self-control, and moral development.
Requisite: 2.5 PSY GPA; 15 PSY credits, including PSY 230, PSY 291 or PSY 292, PSY 390.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 432. Prenatal Development. 3 Credit Hours.
A detailed understanding of prenatal development including conception, embryonic and fetal development, and birth. The effects and interplay of genetic and environmental factors on the health and well-being of the developing baby will be discussed throughout the course. The important role of preconception and prenatal care will also be discussed.
Prerequisite: GPA of 3.0 or higher; PSY 230.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 445. Cultural, Values, Religiosity, and Mental Illness. 3 Credit Hours.
Cultural differences in the manifestations, course, and outcome of severe mental illness (those in which psychosis is likely to occur). This seminar also explores the growing body of research on the relationship between chronic mental disorders and the following socio-cultural factors: ethnicity, religious values, family cohesion, attributions of control, and world-view. Finally, we will explore cultural differences in societies' reactions to, and treatment of mentally ill patients.
2.5 PSY GPA and 12 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 446. Issues in Clinical Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
The scientific and theoretical bases of psychotherapy. The course has three distinct components: (1) An introduction to the concept of psychotherapy, including its historical context and the research evidence supporting its efficacy and effectiveness; (2) An interactive overview of major theories underpinning the practice of psychotherapy; and (3) A brief review of evidence-based treatment models for varying forms of psychopathology and clinical conditions.
2.5 PSY GPA and 12 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 455. Evolution and Sex. 3 Credit Hours.
A biological/evolutionary approach to the study of human sexuality and cognition. The evolution of sexual reproduction and the evolution of the two sexes. Initial discussions will introduce the theory of evolution by natural selection and address the different levels at which selection operates. Building on this foundation, the class will focus on why sex evolved and the myriad physiological and psychological adaptations that evolved as a consequence. Topics to be covered include sexual selection, mate selection, pregnancy, and parent-offspring conflict.
Requisite: 2.5 PSY GPA, 15 credits in PSY courses including PSY 290 and PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 456. Genetic and Developmental Disorders. 3 Credit Hours.
The diagnostic, etiological, and intervention issues in genetic and developmental disorders with a particular emphasis on the current state-of-the-science with regard to empirically supported concepts. The course will present information that will allow students a greater understanding of specific disorders and strategies for understanding developmental problems. Current research will be placed within a contemporary context that seeks to integrate educational, psychological and biomedical disciplines.
2.5 PSY GPA and 12 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
PSY 471. Positive Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.

Presents an introduction to the core assumptions and research findings in the field of positive psychology; explores interventions and applications informed by this field as applied to personal well-being, social relationships, and psychotherapy.

- Requisite: 2.5 PSY GPA and 12 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292.
- Components: LEC.
- Grading: GRD.
- Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 472. Evolutionary Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.

Evolutionary psychology integrates concepts and evidence from evolutionary biology, behavioral ecology, anthropology, and cognitive science to better understand the evolved cognitive underpinnings of human behavior. The course covers topics such as natural selection, inclusive fitness, life history theory, emotions, aggression, cooperation, mating, morality, and religion.

- Requisite: 2.5 PSY GPA and 12 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292.
- Components: LEC.
- Grading: GRD.
- Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 474. Special Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.

Content varies by semester.

- Requisite: 2.5 PSY GPA and 12 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292.
- Components: LEC.
- Grading: GRD.
- Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 480. Research with Writing Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.

Students assist on a research project in psychology under supervision of a faculty member. Activities include library research, data collection and management, and attendance at research team meetings. Students are also expected to complete a writing component that fulfills the University’s criteria to receive writing credit.

- Requisite: Permission of a UASP advisor, 2.5 PSY GPA and 15 credits in PSY courses including PSY 291 or PSY 292.
- Components: IND.
- Grading: GRD.
- Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PSY 490. Advanced Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.

Students will develop, conduct and write up two research projects: (i) a project that uses descriptive methods and associated statistical techniques and (ii) a project that uses experimental methods and associated statistical techniques. These projects will integrate the concepts and skills learned in the Introductory and Intermediate Methods courses as well as the Introductory and Intermediate Statistics courses. Students will be asked to select a research topic and first develop a survey to examine the relationship between two predictor variables and an outcome variable. They will collect and analyze their data using correlational techniques (e.g., regression analyses) and will write up a methods and results section. Next, students will turn their descriptive study into an experiment. They will collect and analyze their data and write up a publishable research report that includes the findings from both the descriptive and experimental studies. The project will serve as a capstone, requiring them to find and critically evaluate relevant literature on their topic of choice, design a study taking into account time demands, sample characteristics and their effect on the hypotheses they are able to test, decide on instrument selection, consider potential extraneous and confounding variables (and how they will handle them if at all), select appropriate analyses for their data and hypotheses, and then present the results of their work in both poster and research report format.

- Requisite: 2.5 PSY GPA, 15 PSY credits including PSY 291 or PSY 292, and PSY 390, Senior Status, BS in Psychology major.
- Components: LEC.
- Grading: GRD.
- Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 491. Advanced Biobehavioral Statistics. 3 Credit Hours.

This course builds upon the material covered in PSY 390. After a brief review, analysis of variance and multiple regression will be covered using a general linear model (GLM) approach. The goal is to prepare students for graduate level work in applied statistics.

- Requisite: 2.5 PSY GPA and 15 credits in PSY courses, including PSY 291 or PSY 292, PSY 390.
- Components: LEC.
- Grading: GRD.
- Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 520. Psychoneuroimmunology. 3 Credit Hours.

This course is designed to present some of the basic information necessary to interpret the current literature in psychoneuroimmunology (PNI) and to design research in this area.

- Requisite: 2.8 PSY GPA; 18 credits in PSY, including PSY 390.
- Components: LEC.
- Grading: GRD.
PSY 540. Culture, Values, Religiosity, and Mental Illness. 3 Credit Hours.
Cultural differences in the manifestation, course, and outcome of serious mental disorders; the relationship between chronic mental disorders and ethnicity, religious values, family cohesion, attributions of control, and world view; cultural differences in societies' reactions to and treatment of mentally ill patients.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

PSY 575. Special Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Requisite: 2.8 PSY GPA, 18 PSY credits including PSY 390.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 580. Senior Honors in Psychology I. 3 Credit Hours.
Students work closely with a faculty member to design a unique research study and write a scientific paper to report on the results. Limited to undergraduate students only.
Requisite: Permission of UASP and faculty required, 3.5 Major GPA, 3.3 Combined GPA, PSY or NEU major, 18 PSY credits, including PSY 390.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PSY 581. Senior Honors in Psychology II. 3 Credit Hours.
Students work closely with a faculty member to design a unique research study and write a scientific paper to report on the results. Limited to undergraduate students only.
Requisite: Permission of UASP and faculty required, 18 PSY credits including PSY 580.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PSY 601. Issues in Professional Development and Research.. 1 Credit Hour.
Seminar addressing issues such as structure of academic systems and progress through them, time management, library search systems, professional journals, how to structure curriculum vitae, procedures and rules in human subject research, professional meetings and presentations, extramural funding opportunities, professional writing style, ethical issues.
Requisite: Plan of Graduate Psychology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 602. Scientific writing and grantsmanship. 3 Credit Hours.
Writing and organizational skills for professional development in social and behavioral sciences. Mechanism of extramural funding and grant review, including grantsmanship.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 603. Neuroanatomy. 3 Credit Hours.
Functional neuroanatomy for individuals engaged in basic neuroscience and psychological research. Gross anatomy, identification of pathways and circuits, and physiological functions of neuroanatomical systems. Clinical examples and case histories of neuroanatomical disorders. Laboratory exercises including brain dissections, examination of brain models and atlases, and internet neuroanatomy websites.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 604. Cognition and Emotion. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of basic cognitive processes of attention and memory, the function of emotions, and the role of cognitive mechanisms in the processing of affective information.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
PSY 605. Cognitive Neuroscience. 3 Credit Hours.
Brain mechanisms in cognition and behavior, including sensory encoding and perception, attention, motivation, emotion, learning/memory, language, executive functions, and mental disorders.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 606. Biobehavioral Processes and Disease in Health Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Discussion of basic processes of central nervous system, cardiovascular, endocrine, immune and other biological systems in the context of behavioral medicine, psychoneuroimmunology, and health psychology research.
Prerequisite: PSY 610.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 609. Psychopharmacology. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic methods and current issues in psychopharmacology.
Prerequisite: PSY 605.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 610. Behavioral Medicine: Overview of Basic Science, Public Health, and Clinical Trial Approaches. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of biobehavioral, psychosocial and sociocultural factors in pathogenesis, prevention and treatment of physical disorders.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 613. Psychoneuroimmunology. 3 Credit Hours.
Structural and functional aspects of the immune system that are sensitive to neural and psychological processes. Interactions between the nervous and immune systems are examined in relation to empirical associations between psychological factors (i.e., stress) and immune-mediated processes in diseases such as cancer and AIDS.
Prerequisite: PSY 605.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 614. Diversity issues in psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of diversity issues including race, religion, gender, age, sexual orientation, physical disability and socioeconomic status as they relate to psychological research and clinical practice.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 615. Foundations of neuropsychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Mechanisms of neurological and psychiatric disorders, including developmental disorders, dementia, aphasia, amnesia, stroke, traumatic brain injury, and loss of general intelligence. Clinical tools for neuropsychological assessment, forensics, and genetic screening.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 616. Biobehavioral Processes and Clinical Research Applications in Health Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Conduct of clinical research and examination of biobehavioral processes in health psychology. Lectures, readings and assignments deal with clinical research involving pathology, assessment and intervention-based functions with applications focused on health and disease conceptualized at multiple levels of prevention.
Prerequisite: PSY 606 and PSY 610.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 620. Advanced Developmental Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Mechanisms underlying continuity and change over the lifespan. Topics include developmental theories and methods; specific domains of development (perceptual, cognitive, social/emotional); socialization processes; and emerging adulthood, parenting, and aging.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
PSY 621. Theories of Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Theoretical aspects of psychological development throughout the life span.
Prerequisite: PSY 620.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 622. Cognitive Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Theories of cognitive development across infancy, childhood, and adolescence. Topics include measurement approaches, normative development, individual differences, etiological factors and contextual influences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 623. Language Development. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of language acquisition, primarily focusing on infancy through 5 years. Topics covered include biological bases of language, sound discrimination abilities, babbling and speech production, word learning, acquisition of grammar, bilingualism, and development in atypical populations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 624. Social Development. 3 Credit Hours.
The theoretical and empirical literature on typical and atypical social development-including emotional development and social cognition—in infants, children, and adolescents. Topics include measurement approaches, individuals differences and contextual influences.
Prerequisite: PSY 620.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 625. Social Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
The major substantive areas and theories of social psychology. Emphasis on applications to students’ own research field.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 631. Psychological Statistics, Research Methods, and Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Statistics for experimental design with uncorrelated independent variables. Review of t-tests; designs and applications of analysis of variance; including one-way, factorial, repeated-measures, and mixed designs; post hoc comparisons among means.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 632. Multiple Regression. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of the general linear model. Computer application of these techniques to the behavioral sciences. Design and measurement considerations.
Prerequisite: PSY 631.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 633. Structural Equation Modeling. 3 Credit Hours.
Structural models, path analysis, measurement models, and confirmatory factor analysis, particularly related to hypotheses about causal relations, change over time, and comparisons across diverse populations.
Prerequisite: PSY 632.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 634. Multilevel Modeling. 3 Credit Hours.
Multi-level modeling of nested and non-independent data. Application of multilevel modeling to social science and behavioral data, including computer laboratory exercises.
Prerequisite: PSY 632.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
PSY 636. Research Methods with Children and Adolescents. 3 Credit Hours.
Concepts and research design approaches for the measurement and analysis of data across developmental stages from infancy through adolescence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 638. Psychology of Infant Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory, research, and methodology pertaining to psychological development in the first three years of life. Emphasis on both general developmental processes, and individual differences in cognitive, social, and emotional development.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 639. Autism and Developmental Disabilities. 3 Credit Hours.
Developmental disabilities with an emphasis on autism. Biological, social, cognitive and emotional concomitants. History, etiology, assessment, and individual differences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 640. Adult Psychopathology. 3 Credit Hours.
Theories, models, history, and research relevant to various patterns of problematic behavior, with a focus on adults. The influences of family systems as well as cultural and other diversity factors (e.g., ethnicity, sexual orientation) are included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 641. Child and Adolescent Psychopathology. 3 Credit Hours.
Theories, models, and research relevant to the development and the course of behavioral disorders and other problems (e.g., maltreatment, exposure to violence and poverty) that emerge in childhood and adolescence. The influences of family and peer systems as well as cultural and other diversity factors (e.g., ethnicity, sexual orientation) are included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 642. Advanced Adult Psychopathology. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory and research on risk factors and etiological models of mental disorders. Socioenvironmental (cultural, social support, life events), psychological (temperament, cognitive biases), and biological (genes, neurotransmitters) models of risk, research methodology, and design are discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 643. Behavioral Medicine and Developmental Disabilities. 3 Credit Hours.
Processes influencing diagnosis and management of developmental disabilities: genetics, embryology/fetology, physical growth and development, nutrition, hearing and speech pathology, family dynamics, cognition and psycho-educational assessment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 645. Introduction to Psychological Evaluation. 3 Credit Hours.
Measurement theory; introduction to the administration and interpretation of widely-used intelligence and personality tests, with attention to issues of ethics and diversity.
Requisite: Plan of Graduate Psychology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 646. Psychological Evaluation of Adults. 3 Credit Hours.
Administration, interpretation, and psychometric evaluation of psychological tools and procedures used in the evaluation of adult psychopathology. Attention to issues of ethics and diversity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
PSY 647. Psychological Evaluation of Children and Families. 3 Credit Hours.
Administration, interpretation, and psychometric evaluation of psychological tools and procedures used in the evaluation of children, adolescents, and families. Attention to issues of ethics and diversity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 648. Psychological Evaluation in Physical Disorders. 3 Credit Hours.
Administration, interpretation, and psychometric evaluation of psychological tools and procedures used in the evaluation of physical disorders. Attention to issues of ethics and diversity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 650. Laboratory in Clinical Psychology. 0 Credit Hours.
Practical training in clinical skills such as assessment, interviewing, and case conceptualization. Laboratory to be used in conjunction with courses such as PSY 640 and PSY 645.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 655. Evolution and Sex. 3 Credit Hours.
A biological/evolutionary approach to the study of human sexuality and cognition. The evolution of sexual reproduction and the evolution of the two sexes. Initial discussions will introduce the theory of evolution by natural selection and address the different levels at which selection operates. Building on this foundation, the class will focus on why sex evolved and the myriad physiological and psychological adaptations that evolved as a consequence. Topics to be covered include sexual selection, mate selection, pregnancy, and parent-offspring conflict.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 656. Introduction to Evidence-Based Psychological Treatments. 3 Credit Hours.
Theories, history, and techniques of psychological and behavioral therapies, with emphasis on evidence-based approaches.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 657. Introduction to Psychotherapy, Ethics, and Professional Issues. 3 Credit Hours.
Introductory experience in clinical interviewing, therapeutic communication, ethics, and case conceptualization. Consideration of client-and-therapist culture, gender, and diversity are also emphasized.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 660. Evidence-Based Psychological Intervention with Children and Families. 3 Credit Hours.
Theories, history, and techniques of psychological and behavioral therapies, with emphasis on evidence-based approaches with children, adolescents, and families. Understanding normative and deviant development, with attention to issues of diversity, ethics, and domestic violence.
Prerequisite: PSY 656.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 661. Interventions in Pediatric Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Pediatric psychology and basic learning theory. Medical and behavioral aspects of child and adolescent health disorders, psychological assessment, and evidence-based treatment approaches.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 662. Health Psychology Interventions. 3 Credit Hours.
Clinical interventions and research relevant to health problems and lifestyle, with emphasis on critical evaluations of past research and the design and implementation of intervention protocols. The origins of health psychology and the role of the health psychologist in medical systems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
PSY 663. Measurement in Applied Behavior Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
A graduate-level 45-hour course that covers aspects of behavior analysis related to strategies and tactics of behavioral assessment, measurement, data display, and investigational design. In addition to covering task-list items related to measurement and single-case design in behavior analysis practice, we will read select articles from the Journal of Applied Behavior Analysis covering a variety of applications of behavioral principles. We will read from a selection of seminal articles in behavior analysis and current, contemporary research. We will evaluate the measurement and design strategies employed in the articles.
Prerequisite: PSY 666. And must pass with a GPA 3.2.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 664. Ethics and Professional Conduct in Behavior Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an overview of ethics and professional conduct in the field of behavior analysis. The course will provide in-depth information on the BACB Professional and Ethical Compliance Code for Behavior Analysts. The course will cover professional issues related to responsible conduct of behavior analysts, behavior analysts’ ethical responsibility to clients and colleagues, including issues related to assessment of behavior, development and implementation of behavior change programs, clinical supervision and mentoring, the profession of behavior analysis and the BACB, and the conducting and reporting of research. In accordance with the Behavior Analysis Certification Board (BACB), this course meets criteria for 30 instructional hours in the area of Ethical and Professional Conduct, 5 hours in the area of Intervention and Behavior Change Consideration 5 hours in the area of Behavior Change Systems and 5 hours in the area of Implementation, Management and Supervision.
Prerequisite: PSY 666. And must pass with a GPA 3.2.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 665. Advanced Topics in Applied Behavior Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers a number of advanced research and clinical issues relevant to the field of applied behavior analysis including, particularly as they relate to the field of developmental disabilities. The course will provide in-depth information related to the selection of appropriate interventions, including staying abreast of current research, critically interpreting research, considering individual client needs and developing treatment programs that are consistent with the science of applied behavior analysis. The course will additionally cover issues related to the implementation and management of clinical service provisions, including ensuring appropriate and accurate data collection, maintaining procedural fidelity and providing supervision and training. In accordance with the Behavior Analysis Certification Board (BACB), this course meets criteria for 15 instructional hours in the area of Measurement, 15 hours in the area of Experimental Design and 15 hours in the area of discretionary.
Prerequisite: PSY 666. And must pass with a GPA 3.2.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 666. Concepts and Principles of Applied Behavior Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA), which is the clinical application of behavioral science and learning theory towards the treatment of problematic behavioral and behavioral deficits. In this course, students will become familiar with the scientific foundations of behavioral science and the basic concepts and principles of behavior analysis. The course will emphasize terminology and definitions of behavioral concepts, as well as introduce the application of those concepts across a range of clinical scenarios. In accordance with the Behavior Analysis Certification Board (BACB), this course meets criteria for 45 instructional hours in the area of Concepts and Principals of Behavior Analysis.
Requisite: PSY 666 OR PSY 676 OR PSY 677 AND Bachelor’s degree AND GPS>=3.2.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 667. Assessment and Treatment of Language Learning. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the application of behavior analysis toward the treatment of individuals exhibiting behavioral deficits or developmental delays. Throughout this course, students will acquire in-depth knowledge of behavioral analytic approaches for promoting the development of new skills and for supporting and maintaining those skills over time. Students will learn to prioritize target behaviors for clinical intervention as well as how to use applied behavior analytic techniques and procedures to develop effective treatment plans. Clinical and professional issues (e.g., fidelity of implementation, monitoring effectiveness) will also be discussed. In accordance with the Behavior Analysis Certification Board (BACB), this course meets criteria for 10 instructional hours in the area of Identification of the Problem and Assessment, 30 instructional hours in the area of Fundamental Elements of Behavior Change and Specific Behavior Change Procedures, and 5 instructional hours in the area of Behavior Change Systems.
Requisite: PSY 666 OR PSY 676 OR PSY 677 AND Bachelor’s degree AND GPS>=3.2.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
PSY 668. Functional Assessment and Function-Based Treatment. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will focus on the application of behavior analysis toward the treatment of aberrant behavior. Throughout this course, students will acquire in-depth knowledge of behavior analytic approaches toward the assessment of aberrant behavior (e.g., functional behavioral assessment (FBA) and functional analysis). In addition, the course will focus on how behavior analysis use the results of a behavioral assessment to develop effective and ethical behavioral interventions to reduce aberrant behavior. Clinical and professional issues (e.g., fidelity of implementation, monitoring effectiveness) will also be discussed. In accordance with the Behavior Analysis Certification Board (BACB), this course meets criteria for 25 instructional hours in the area of Identification of the Problem & Assessment, 15 instructional hours in the area of Fundamental Elements of Behavior Changes and Specific Behavior Change Procedures and 5 instructional hours in the area of Intervention of Behavior Change Considerations.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 669. Professional Issues in Designing and Monitoring Interventions. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers a number of professional issues related to the competent and ethical delivery of applied behavior analysis services. The course will provide in-depth information related to the selection of appropriate interventions, including staying abreast of current research, critically interpreting research, considering individual client needs and developing treatment programs that are consistent with the science of applied behavior analysis. The course will additionally cover issues related to the implementation and management of clinical service provisions, including ensuring appropriate and accurate data collection, maintaining procedural fidelity and providing supervision and training. Finally, the course will provide information about the professional and ethical compliance code for behavior analysis, as outlined by the Behavior Analysis Certification Board (BACB). In accordance with the Behavior Analysis Certification Board (BACB), this course meets criteria for 15 instructional hours in the area of Ethical and Professional Conduct, 10 hours in the area of Measurement, 10 hours in the area of Experimental Design and 10 hours in the area of Implementation, Management and Supervision.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 670. Practicum in Clinical Psychology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised experience in evaluating and treating psychological problems of children, adolescents, families, and/or adults behavior. For students placed at the U.M. Psychological Services Clinic there is a weekly case conference that focuses on ethics case conceptualization. Course may be repeated for credit.

Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PSY 671. Practicum in Clinical Psychology II. 0 Credit Hours.
Continuation of PSY 670.
Corequisite: PSY 645.

Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 672. Advanced Practicum in Clinical Psychology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced experience in special clinical techniques and clinical supervision. Primarily for post-internship clinical students. The advisor may direct that PSY 672 be repeated, but no more than six credits may be applied toward a degree.

Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 673. Advanced Applications of Applied Behavior Analysis III. 3 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this course is to provide students with supervised clinical experience in selecting, developing and implementing applied behavior analytic procedures and techniques. During this course, students will provide direct ABA services aimed at improving the behavioral functioning of individuals participating in ABA therapy. Experiential activities provided during this practicum course additionally focus on advanced professional issues in the design and implementation of ABA programs, so as to facilitate appropriate treatment selection, fidelity of implementation and systematic monitoring of treatment efficacy and providing training and feedback on performance. In accordance with the Behavior Analysis Certification Board (BACB), this course meets criteria for 168 hours of practicum experience.
Prerequisite: PSY 666.

Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
PSY 674. Applications of ABA in Development Disabilities. 3 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this course is to provide students with supervised clinical experience in the application of behavior analysis toward the treatment of individuals with autism and developmental disabilities who exhibit problematic behavior, behavioral deficits or developmental delays participating in ABA therapy. During this course, students will provide direct ABA services aimed at reducing problematic behavior and promoting the development and maintenance of new skills. Experiential activities provided during this practicum course focus on functional assessment, the identification of meaningful treatment goals, identification of reinforcers via systematic assessment, and the implementation of ABA intervention techniques and programs to treat problematic behavior and behavioral and language deficits. In accordance with the Behavior Analysis Certification Board (BACB), this course meets criteria for 168 hours of practicum experience.
Prerequisite: PSY 666. And must pass with a GPA 3.2.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

PSY 675. Advanced Applications of Applied Behavior Analysis II. 3 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this course is to provide students with supervised clinical experience in selecting, and developing applied behavior analytic procedures and techniques for individuals with autism and developmental delay and providing clinical supervision to those implementing behavioral procedures. During this course, students will assist instructors in providing supervision to individuals who provide direct ABA services for individuals participating in ABA therapy. Experiential activities provided during this practicum course additionally focus on advanced professional issues in the design and implementation of ABA programs, so as to facilitate appropriate treatment selection, collection of data related to fidelity of implementation and systematic monitoring of treatment efficacy. In accordance with the Behavior Analysis Certification Board (BACB), this course meets criteria for 168 hours of practicum experience.
Prerequisite: PSY 666. And must pass with a GPA 3.2.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 676. Application of ABA: Principles and Concepts. 3 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this course is to provide students with supervised clinical experience in selecting, developing and implementing applied behavior analysis procedures and techniques. During this course, students will provide direct ABA services aimed at improving the behavioral functioning of individuals participating in ABA therapy. Experiential activities provided during this practicum course focus on the application of basic principles and concepts in ABA, including the identification of behavioral targets, measuring behavioral, monitoring changes in behavior over time, and implementing reinforcement-based interventions. In accordance with the Behavior Analysis Certification Board (BACB), this course meets criteria for 168 hours of practicum experience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 677. Application of the Assessment and Treatment of Language and Learning. 3 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this course is to provide students with supervised clinical experience in the application of behavior analysis toward the treatment of individuals who exhibit behavioral deficits or developmental delays. During this course, students will provide direct ABA services aimed at promoting the development and maintenance of new skills. Experiential activities provided during this practicum course focus on the identification of meaningful treatment goals, identification of reinforcers via systematic assessment, and the implementation of ABA intervention techniques and programs to treat behavioral and language deficits. In accordance with the Behavior Analysis Certification Board (BACB), this course meets criteria for 168 hours of practicum experience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 678. Capstone in Applied Behavior Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
This advanced practicum course is a culmination of all past coursework and practicum experience in the ABA Master's program. The course is designed to provide ABA graduate students with hands-on experience conducting and disseminating applied research to address a socially significant topic. Completion of the course requires a synthesis of a number of previously taught skills including consuming research, considering the ethics of the project, implementing behavior analytic change procedures, selecting an appropriate experimental design, measurement, graphing, and professional writing.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
**PSY 679. Advanced Application of ABA. 3 Credit Hours.**
The purpose of this course is to provide students with supervised clinical experience in selecting, development and implementing applied behavior procedure and techniques. During this course, student will provide direct ABA services aimed at improving the behavioral functioning of individuals participation in ABA therapy. Experiential activities provided during this practicum course additionally focus on advanced professional issues in the design and implementation of ABA programs, so as to facilitate appropriate treatment selection, fidelity of implementation and systematic monitoring of treatment efficacy. In accordance with the Behavior Analysis Certification Board (BACB), this course meets criteria for 168 hours of practicum experience.

Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

**PSY 680. Research. 1-4 Credit Hours.**
Investigation of an original problem.

Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**PSY 681. Research. 1-4 Credit Hours.**
Investigation of an original problem.

Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**PSY 683. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.**
Topics in selected areas of specialization.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**PSY 684. Readings in Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.**
Supervised readings in selected topics.

Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**PSY 685. Seminar in Clinical Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.**
Content varies by semester.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

**PSY 687. Seminar in Clinical Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.**
Content varies by semester.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

**PSY 688. Seminar in Developmental Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.**
Content varies by semester.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

**PSY 690. Seminar in Developmental Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.**
Content varies by semester.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

**PSY 692. Seminar in Personality. 3 Credit Hours.**
Content varies by semester.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
PSY 693. Seminar in Behavioral Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

PSY 694. Seminar in Behavioral Medicine. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 696. Cognitive and Behavioral Neuroscience Journal Club. 1 Credit Hour.
This 1-credit course will provide an opportunity for graduate students in the Cognitive and Behavioral Neuroscience Graduate Program within the psychology department to discuss recently published literature in the field. The course will consist of in-depth discussions held every week, led by graduate students and other trainees, on research articles and topics of their choice. Typically, discussion will alternate between an empirical article and a more advanced methods article every other week. A faculty member from the CBN program will organize the journal club, facilitate and guide discussion, provide clarification of key concepts, and evaluate student performance.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 697. Seminar in Biological Psychology, Neuroimaging in the Psychological Sciences I: Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 698. Seminar in Quantitative Psychology. 3 Credit Hours.
Content varies by semester.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

PSY 803. Internship in Clinical Psychology. 1 Credit Hour.
Supervised internship in clinical psychology. May not be counted as part of the 90 hours required for the Ph.D. degree.
Components: CLN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 804. APA Accredited Internship in Clinical Psychology. 1 Credit Hour.
Supervised internship in clinical psychology. May not be counted as part of the 90 hours required for the Ph.D. degree.
Components: CLN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

PSY 805. Postdoctoral Practicum. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Advanced clinical psychology training for individuals who have completed a clinical psychology Ph.D. or PsyD. from an APA-accredited doctoral program. Supervision of clinical activity by licensed faculty members.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

PSY 806. Summer Research Practicum. 1 Credit Hour.
Faculty-supervised research during the summer for students in the Psychology Ph.D. Program.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

PSY 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
PSY 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Research in residence for the thesis for the master's degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in PSY 810 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 825. Continuous Registration--Master's Study. 1 Credit Hour.
To establish residence for non-thesis master's students who are preparing for major examinations. Credit not granted. Regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 830. Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but for not less than a total of 12 hours. Up to 12 hours may be taken in a regular semester, but not more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 840. Post-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. who have advanced to candidacy. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but not for less than a total of 12. Not more than 12 hours of PSY 740 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

PSY 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

Public Health (BPH)

BPH 200. Basic Concepts Public Health. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on current health care issues and the health care system as well as the future direction of health care.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

BPH 202. Introductory Statistics in Health Care. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of descriptive and inferential statistics. Principles and methods of summarizing data including tables, graphs, percentile ranks, central tendency, variability, normal distribution. Basic concepts of probability, hypothesis testing, and analysis of variance. Examples and problems from nursing, health sciences, and public health.
Corequisite: MTH 101. Or Requisite: ALEKS or = 55 or SAT Score or = 630 or ACT or = 28.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BPH 206. Introduction to Public Health. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to all aspects of public health, including health services administration, and policy.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

BPH 208. Introductory Epidemiology. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is a general introduction to epidemiology, definition of concepts and natural history of disease and levels of prevention. It also covers measures of morbidity and mortality. Epidemiologic aspects of infectious and chronic diseases.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
BPH 217. Medical Terminology. 1 Credit Hour.
This course will assist the student in understanding the principles of medical word building in order to develop the extensive medical vocabulary used in health care professions. Students receive a thorough grounding in basic medical terminology through the study of root words, prefixes and suffixes. The course emphasizes correct pronunciation, spelling and use of medical terms.
Prerequisite: BIL 150.
Components: CLN.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BPH 301. Human Sexuality and Vulnerable Populations. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of human sexuality via multidisciplinary theoretical perspectives and research. Students will examine the complex relationships of the physiological, psychological, cultural, gender, religious, historical, and political aspects of human sexuality. Human sexuality in the context of health disparities will form the foundation for the course. WRITING COURSE.
Prerequisite: BPH 206 or Requisite: Nursing Clinical Major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

BPH 303. HIV/AIDS and Health Maintenance for Health Care Providers. 3 Credit Hours.
Definition, diagnosis, management and care of diverse patient populations with HIV infection and AIDS. Presented and discussed from an interdisciplinary health care perspective.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BPH 305. Issues in Health Disparities. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will be an introduction to the general research on health systems and health disparities. Emphasis will be paced on social, biological, economic, and social policy issues that impact on the health of minority populations. Concepts associated with epidemiology, poverty, racism, public policy, and international politics will be explored. WRITING COURSE.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BPH 306. Principles of Nutrition. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles of nutrition integrated with cultural dietary patterns for client adaptation across the lifespan.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BPH 309. Health and Environment. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines health issues, scientific understanding of causes and possible future approaches to control of the major environmental health problems. Topics include how the body reacts to environmental pollutants; physical, chemical, and biological agents of environmental contamination; vectors for dissemination; susceptible populations; the scientific bases for policy decisions and emerging global environmental health problems.
Prerequisite: BPH 206.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BPH 310. Global Health. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the concepts of global health and the critical links between public health and social and economic development. Determinants of health and patterns of disease and health outcomes across the global are critically examined. The course reviews the determinants of health status in terms of biology, demography, epidemiology, culture, sociology, economics, and politics. Key concerns regarding reproductive health, child survival, nutrition, communicable diseases, and chronic diseases are examined. Health care delivery in developed vs. undeveloped regions of the world are emphasized.
Prerequisite: BPH 206.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BPH 317. Theories in Growth and Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of growth and development theories through the lifespan with a case study approach to issues commonly encountered nursing practice in a variety of clinical settings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
BPH 319. Contemporary Issues in Bioethics for Health Care. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will cover bioethical issues in the health care environment including ethical principles, theories and decision making strategies.
Prerequisite: BPH 206.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BPH 321. Health Promotion and Disease Prevention. 3 Credit Hours.
The focus of this course is on the understanding and implementation of strategies aimed at promoting health and preventing disease. It also focuses on optimal health maintenance and wellness support for individuals, families, and communities. The content of the course includes health across the lifespan and resources associated with health promotion. Common health alterations will be discussed, as well as socio-cultural perceptions of health and illness.
Prerequisite: BPH 206.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BPH 322. Introduction to Health Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an introduction to the organization, delivery, and financing of health care in the United States. We will consider policy challenges created by the structure of the health care system, including access to care, quality of care, and cost growth. Major areas of focus will include public insurance programs, private insurance, the uninsured, health disparities, and implementation of health care reform legislation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BPH 352. Biological Principles of Public Health. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the biological basis and pathogenesis of diseases from a public health perspective and describes the impact on populations. This course also presents the basic scientific and biomedical concepts of modern public health problems and explores in depth mechanisms and models of the major categories of disease. The biologic principles presented in this course are foundations to developing and implementing public health disease prevention, control, or management programs.
Prerequisites: BPH 206 and BIL 150 and BIL 151 and CHM 103 or CHM 111 or CHM 121 and CHM 105 or CHM 113.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BPH 355. Global Nutrition. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines nutrition related public health issues in the global setting. Nutrition related morbidity and mortality, etiologic factors, and population-focused strategies to address these issues are covered. Food relief and nutrition policies and programs at the local, national and international levels are examined. Current scientific research in international nutrition is reviewed from an epidemiological perspective.
Prerequisite: BPH 206.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BPH 365. Research Methods in Public Health. 3 Credit Hours.
This course utilizes fundamental epidemiological skills to apply concepts and practical issues related to conducting public health research. It covers key processes of research investigations such as the identification of gaps in the field, critical thinking, study design selection, research proposal development, quantitative and qualitative research methods, and best practices for the dissemination of research findings.
Prerequisite: BPH 208.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BPH 402. Global Health Disparities Research. 3 Credit Hours.
This is a 4 week intensive educational experience that prepares students to be successful conducting supervised health disparities research as part of the MHIRT program at a foreign institution, disseminating findings, and applying to graduate school. The training program is broken into a preparation phase (3 weeks prior to leaving to their host country), and a dissemination phase (1 week after they return). Students will be working as a research assistant at a foreign site for eight weeks in between the preparation and dissemination phases of this training program. Students will learn about the influence of culture and healthcare policy on health and health disparities, research design, statistics, communicating research findings and careers in health disparities research.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
BPH 419. Contemporary Health Issues in South Florida. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide students with an in-depth look at public health topics relevant to communities in South Florida. Emphasis will be placed on the social, cultural, and policy issues that impact the health of vulnerable populations in our community. Interdisciplinary researcher knowledge and practice from the University of Miami and other relevant institutions will be highlighted.
Prerequisite: BPH 206.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BPH 461. Practicum in Health Disparities Research. 1-4 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide opportunities for students across all levels of higher education to participate in health disparities research. Students will be mentored by a health disparities researcher with an active research project. Objectives will be established by the research mentor and the student according to educational level, interests and opportunities. Students will be incorporated into the research team and expected to attend project meetings. They will also be expected to participate in scholarly work that could contribute to the success of the project. Examples of scholarly work include co-authoring research papers and presentations, developing recruitment materials, assisting in compiling/developing data collection measures, or any other product deemed appropriate by the mentor.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BPH 465. Public Health Statistics and Data Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to give students an opportunity to apply basic principles of statistics and data management in public health. Students will learn to use statistical techniques to answer questions relating to the morbidity and mortality of health conditions and the efficacy and effectiveness of public health interventions.
Prerequisites: BPH/HCS/NUR 202 and BPH 206.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

BPH 487. Global Health Practicum. 3 Credit Hours.
Collaborative clinical venture between UM/SON and an International School of Nursing. Students will exchange supervised western clinical experiences, knowledge and skills for the care of clients and families in specialty areas, including MedSurg, ICU and/or Emergency nursing units. Students will apply and synthesize basic science knowledge and skills that foster ethical, legal, and culturally specific health care.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

BPH 490. Field Practicum in Community Health. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides students with field experiences in community health. During the didactic portion of the course, students will be introduced to the basic principles and methods used in community health assessment, program development, program implementation, and evaluation. During the field experience component of the course students will work under the supervision of lead faculty to apply the knowledge and skills they obtained during their course of study to address a public health issue.
Prerequisite: BPH 206 and 208 and 321 and 465.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

BPH 499. Selected Topics. 0-6 Credit Hours.
Offerings will vary by semester based upon student demand and availability of faculty.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

Real Estate Development (RED)

RED 601. Introduction to Real Estate Development and Urbanism. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of real estate development of urban places, including the many challenges of the development process such as analyzing market sectors and development opportunities, comprehending the development context of regulation, public policy and politics, raising investment capital, assembling land, program formulation, building types, construction management, marketing, and sales.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
RED 610. Financing Urban Real Estate Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Concepts and techniques for analyzing financial decisions in property development and investment including: real estate economics and investment performance measurement, leasing and property income streams, pro forma analysis, basics of equity and debt valuation, income tax and leverage considerations, mortgages, and deal structures. Emphasis financing individual projects.
ARRE_MREDU Academic Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

RED 612. Applied Real Estate Finance and Investments: 1. 2 Credit Hours.
This course builds a foundation for further study of real estate investments and development. This course provides for advanced application of theory and techniques for the analysis of horizontal and vertical development. Discounted cash flow models are developed and enhanced to address topics including multiple property types, staggered sellouts, and condominiums. Emphasis is placed on analysis where extreme data poverty or uncertain exist.
Requisite: ARRE_MREDU Program and Prerequisite: RED 610.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

RED 614. Applied Real Estate Finance and Investments: 2. 2 Credit Hours.
This course builds a foundation for further study of real estate investments and development. This course provides for advanced application of theory and techniques at the entity and deal-level. Discounted cash flow models are developed and enhanced to address topics including partnerships and waterfalls, income tax considerations and a greater exploration of a variety of public and private debt instruments. Emphasis is placed on analyzing the performance of a prospective development across the entire capital stack.
Requisite: ARRE_MREDU Program and Prerequisite: RED 608 and RED 610.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

RED 618. Technologies and Tools for Commercial Real Estate. 1 Credit Hour.
Students in the Technologies and Tools for Commercial Real Estate will learn basic skills for ARGUS Enterprise, REIS, Co-Star, Real Capital Analytics and/or the latest in Real Estate Technology and Tools. Students will be introduced to concepts of entering leases, budgets, market assumptions or valuation and yield parameters on a repetitive basis. The modules that are covered in the course include Valuation-Cash Flow, Portfolio Level Reporting and Sensitivity. Courses concentrate on practical applications of software and tools through interactive examples and case studies. Participants are exposed to a large cross section of software capabilities, fundamentals and unique nuances. Offered: Spring.
Prerequisite: RED 610.
Components: WKS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

RED 620. Real Estate Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of law and the entitlement process, including contractual aspects of real estate development, finance, management and ethical issues and a real-world overview of the review and approvals process.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

RED 630. Real Estate Market Analysis. 3 Credit Hours.
Identification of critical market factors that determine development opportunities. Topics include business and construction cycles, regional and urban growth trends, commercial and industrial location theories, and advanced demographic analysis and projection techniques to project and analyze occupancy, rental growth, absorption, and competitive supply.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

RED 640. Charrette Training. 1 Credit Hour.
Intensive workshop and training in public outreach and participatory planning with emphasis on analysis of political context, appropriate communication technology, collaboration techniques, and design team management. Offered in conjunction with National Charrette Institute.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
RED 650. Complex Urban Real Estate Transactions. 3 Credit Hours.
Real estate transactions and deal structuring from the development perspective. Using the case study method, the course explores the key components and the disciplines needed for successful real estate transactions and projects.
ARRE_MREDU Academic Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

RED 660. Urban Infill, Preservation, and Mixed Use Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Builds students’ competencies for infill and redevelopment practice focusing on: mixed-use development, transit oriented development, barriers and solutions for urban infill development, urban site analysis, repositioning of urban land, vacant and underutilized properties, long-term land leases, tax incentives, historic preservation, public-private partnerships, business improvement districts, tax increment financing, community (re)development districts, parking strategies, and urban housing types.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

RED 670. Construction and Project Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Management of construction projects including legal considerations and techniques of management science applied to construction. Includes engineering methods of cost and time estimating, and exercises in applications of engineering economics, flow charts, tracking progress, construction contracts, indemnity agreements, and network planning techniques including CPM and PERT.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

RED 680. Entrepreneurship in Real Estate Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Focuses on management and business practices for building new urban real estate firms capable of leading the industry and assuming competitive advantages over conventional models.
ARRE_MREDU Academic Program.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

RED 690. Case Studies in Real Estate Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Students integrate and apply their learning and skills to complex problem-solving involving a series of intensive real world cases of urban real estate development. Focuses on project feasibility and helps hone the required set of development skills.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

RED 699. Capstone: Real Estate Development and Urbanism Charrette. 1-3 Credit Hours.
An intensive real estate development and urban design studio in which students are part of a multi-disciplinary team on an urban development project. Focuses on comprehensive analysis, project planning, feasibility and program development through the application of advanced development skills in an urban context.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

Real Property Development (RPD)

RPD 134. Real Property and Government. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Must have a Plan of Real Property Development LL.M or permission from Real Property Development LLM Director.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

RPD 178. Mortgage Law. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Must have a Plan of Real Property Development LL.M or permission from Real Property Development LLM Director.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

RPD 257. Construction Law. 3 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
RPD 647. Introduction to ARGUS. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Must have a Plan of Real Property Development LL.M or permission from Real Property Development LLM Director.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

RPD 648. ARGUS II. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Must have a Plan of Real Property Development LL.M or permission from Real Property Development LLM Director.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

RPD 801. REAL PROP INDEPENDENT STUDY. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Must have a Plan of Real Property Development LL.M or permission from Real Property Development LLM Director.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.

RPD 823. Real Property Internship. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Must have a Plan of Real Property Development LL.M or permission from Real Property Development LLM Director.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

RPD 900. Basic Real Estate Tax. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Must have a Plan of Real Property Development LL.M or permission from Real Property Development LLM Director.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

RPD 901. Planning and Zoning. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Must have a Plan of Real Property Development LL.M or permission from Real Property Development LLM Director.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

RPD 904. LAND SECURITIES AND FINANCE. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Must have a Plan of Real Property Development LL.M or permission from Real Property Development LLM Director.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

RPD 920. Hospitality. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Must have a Plan of Real Property Development LL.M or permission from Real Property Development LLM Director.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

RPD 921. Negotiation Skills. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Must have a Plan of Real Property Development LL.M or permission from Real Property Development LLM Director.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

RPD 923. Introduction to Real Estate Development. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Must have a Plan of Real Property Development LL.M or permission from Real Property Development LLM Director.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

RPD 924. Real Estate Documents Workshop. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Must have a Plan of Real Property Development LL.M or permission from Real Property Development LLM Director.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

RPD 925. Re Doc W/S II. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Must have a Plan of Real Property Development LL.M or permission from Real Property Development LLM Director.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

RPD 926. Problem-Solving in Real Property Development. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Must have a Plan of Real Property Development LL.M or permission from Real Property Development LLM Director.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

RPD 927. SELECTED TOPICS IN REAL ESTATE DEVELOPMENT. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Must have a Plan of Real Property Development LL.M or permission from Real Property Development LLM Director.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
RDP 932. Basic Condos, Coops, and Planned Unit Development. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Must have a Plan of Real Property Development LL.M or permission from Real Property Development LLM Director.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

RDP 934. Financial Analysis of Real Estate Transactions. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Must have a Plan of Real Property Development LL.M or permission from Real Property Development LLM Director.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

RDP 935. DEVELOPING AFFORDABLE HOUSING: AN OVERVIEW OF REAL ESTATE, REGULATORY, AND POLICY CONSIDERATIONS. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Must have a Plan of Real Property Development LL.M or permission from Real Property Development LLM Director.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

RDP 945. Affordable Housing II and Practicum. 2 Credit Hours.
Pre-requisite: Introduction to Affordable Housing.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.

RDP 953. Real Estate Transactions. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Must have a Plan of Real Property Development LL.M or permission from Real Property Development LLM Director.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

RDP 956. Securitization of Real Estate. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Must have a Plan of Real Property Development LL.M or permission from Real Property Development LLM Director.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

RDP 961. Commercial Real Estate Leasing. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Must have a Plan of Real Property Development LL.M or permission from Real Property Development LLM Director.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

RDP 963. Distressed Property Workouts. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Must have a Plan of Real Property Development LL.M or permission from Real Property Development LLM Director.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

RDP 965. Real Estate Project Development. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Must have a Plan of Real Property Development LL.M or permission from Real Property Development LLM Director.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

RDP 966. Advanced Condos, Coops, and Planned Development. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Must have a Plan of Real Property Development LL.M or permission from Real Property Development LLM Director.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

RDP 967. Drafting, Design, and Construction Documents. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Must have a Plan of Real Property Development LL.M or permission from Real Property Development LLM Director.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

RDP 969. Law of Green Buildings. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Must have a Plan of Real Property Development LL.M or permission from Real Property Development LLM Director.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

RDP 971. Environmental Regulation of Real Property. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Must have a Plan of Real Property Development LL.M or permission from Real Property Development LLM Director.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
RPD 975. Title Insurance. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Must have a Plan of Real Property Development LL.M or permission from Real Property Development LLM Director.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

Religious Studies (REL)

REL 100. Introduction to Hinduism. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduces academic ways of studying religious traditions, and, in particular the tradition(s) of Hindu practice. A religious tradition with contested dates of origins, Indic religious practices that now fall under the term "Hindu" are documented as early as 1500 BCE. The ideas, philosophies and practices that are called Hinduism today grew and diversified through periods of regional empire in the Indian subcontinent, through Indian expansion into the Indian Ocean region, during the arrival and colonization of Persian and European powers in India, and into the modern period of Indian democracy - and beyond. Today, Hindu practices are part of the landscape not only in India, but in Europe, Africa, the Middle East, Southeast Asia and the Americas, too.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

REL 101. Introduction to Religion. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of religious perspectives concerning ultimate reality, humankind, and the world, with special attention to major Asian and Abrahamic religions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

REL 102. Problem of God. 3 Credit Hours.
Contemporary religious issues related to the concept of God. Foundational to this course is an examination of the religious dimension of human experience and consciousness in relation to a number of historical and contemporary problems and challenges. This course approaches "the problem of God" from the angle of human experience, focusing on the various historical, social, and existential determinants of belief. Topics include: globalized religion, the challenge of atheism and humanism, the impact of secularization on religion, and an exploration of the historical, social, and theological images of creation and the divine.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

REL 103. One God: Judaism, Christianity, Islam. 3 Credit Hours.
Monotheism is one of the most important ideas in human history. This course examines how Judaism, Christianity, and Islam have lived it, understood it and interpreted it. The basic structures of all three religions and explore their similarities, differences and interactions on a set of critical issues, both contemporary and classical. The course will encourage students’ conversation and active participation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 105. One Goal: Transforming the Self in Asian Religions. 3 Credit Hours.
A selective survey of some of the continent’s major religious traditions that attempts to provide a sense of their diversity, including a hint of their internal diversity. We will encounter major figures, doctrines, and ethical precepts, but special attention will be paid to one key element shared that distinguishes them from their Abrahamic counterparts (Judaism, Christianity, and Islam): the one goal of self-transformation and the techniques for achieving it. Here we will find the differences among traditions thrown into stark relief even as we encounter surprising parallels and continuities. Along the way students will be exposed to major concepts and approaches to the academic study of religion.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 109. Anthropology of Religion. 3 Credit Hours.
Through themes such as myth, word and text, symbol, gender, pilgrimage, embodiment, and ritual, students learn about lived religion through anthropological research and field methods. The course also exposes introductory-level students to diverse world religious traditions: Korean folk religion, Indonesian Islam, Hinduism in diaspora, Judaism across cultures, Japanese temple Shinto traditions, and more.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
REL 111. Introduction to the Old Testament / Hebrew Scriptures. 3 Credit Hours.
The history and literature of ancient Israel and early Judaism.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

REL 119. Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Awards for course work at another institution for which LTM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

REL 121. Introduction to the New Testament. 3 Credit Hours.
The history and literature of the early Christian movement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

REL 131. Religion in America. 3 Credit Hours.
The history of religion in the U.S. from the pre-colonial period to the present. Includes study of the religion of Native Americans, African Americans, Asian Americans, women, Protestants, Catholics, Jews, and cults.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

REL 139. Course taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Awards for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

REL 151. Religion and Moral Choices. 3 Credit Hours.
Religious responses to dilemmas raised by issues such as capital punishment, biotechnology, abortion, euthanasia, and war.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

REL 159. Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Awards for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

REL 161. Religion and Medicine: Health Care as Spiritual Practice. 3 Credit Hours.
An exploration of the history of medical care and the history of medicine as calling, as well as the changing professionalism of health care; the role of virtue ethics in the practice of medicine; the tensions between religion and medicine; the place of personal religious beliefs in health care; and the changing landscape of health, holism, healing, faith, and the science of medicine.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 181. Asian Religions. 3 Credit Hours.
The religions of Asia loom large in American popular consciousness, yet are at best dimly understood. This course will peel back the platitudes of fortune cookies and "Eastern wisdom" to reveal the richness of Asian religious traditions in their cultural contexts. Students in this highly selective survey will be exposed to some of the major traditions of South and East Asia, gaining a familiarity with their ideas, practices, and sacred figures as well as certain key issues and categories in the academic study of religion.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 219. Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalent. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Awards for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

REL 231. Jewish Civilization and Being Jewish. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to Jewish Civilization from Abraham to present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
REL 232. A Global History of Christianity. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of the historical development of Christianity from the first century to the present, focusing on the major theological and institutional issues considered in their social and cultural contexts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

REL 234. Jerusalem in the Time of Jesus - An Archaeological Odyssey. 3 Credit Hours.
The archaeological evidence of Jerusalem during the time of Jesus. Emphasis on the architectural remains, material culture, and inscriptions of the period that illuminate Jewish society and religion in Jerusalem. The places associated with the Gospels and the last days of Jesus will be a focus.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

REL 236. Cults and New Religious Movements in America. 3 Credit Hours.
Twentieth and twenty-first century religious groups in America, so-called “cults” or new religious movements (NRM’s), located on the periphery of “mainstream” religion. An examination of the origins, beliefs, attraction, and interaction of the NRMs from a variety of disciplinary perspectives (historical, psychological, sociological) as well as from another variety of disciplinary perspectives (potential for violence, “brainwashing”, involvement of women, and charismatic leadership). The goal is to increase our understanding of certain aspects of contemporary religious activity and the general societal response to them, and hence, of religion in general. The task is not to commend or condemn particular religious’ groups, but rather to attempt to reach some understanding of them, first on their terms, then on ours in the appropriate disciplinary contexts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

REL 238. Holy War and Toleration in Western Religious Traditions. 3 Credit Hours.
An exploration of concepts of Holy War and Just War and of traditions of tolerance and intolerance in Judaism, Christianity, and Islam, from ancient times to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

REL 239. Transfer Credits. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents (Religious or Historical Traditions subject area).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

REL 240. Pilgrims, Shrines, Crusades and Saint in Spain. 3 Credit Hours.
The diversity and complexity of the unique kind of Catholic culture which developed in Spain. The focus is on the formative period from 700 to 1700 CE and the major trends in both formal Spanish Catholic thought and everyday lived religion. Themes of pilgrimage, shrines, religious wars, and sainthood are examined. Because Spain in effect exported this particular form of Catholicism to the Americas beginning in 1492, an appreciation of Spanish Catholicism ought to have particular resonance for students interested in Latin America today.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

REL 242. Religion in Revolutionary History. 3 Credit Hours.
Explores the pivotal role of religion in the revolutions that have shaped the modern Western world: the Puritan Revolt in 17th-century England, the American/French Revolutions of 1776 and 1789, and the Russian (Communist) Revolution of 1917.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

REL 250. Spiritual, Not Religious: Spirituality in the 21st Century. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the spiritual outlets and the fabric of religious life in the 21st century, including the New Age movement, the rise of yoga as a spiritual practice, the growth of the self-help phenomenon, the influence of spiritually-oriented figures like Oprah, and the adaptation of religious practice to spiritual seeking. In particular, we will filter this discussion through the experience of the growing percentage of relatively young Americans have no affiliation with religious institutions, many of whom feel attracted to an uncoordinated and decentralized spirituality directed by an individual's life and practice, rather than a church or particular religion.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
REL 252. Religion and Human Sexuality. 3 Credit Hours.
The relationship between religious concepts and sexual values as the religious traditions of the United States confront contemporary sexual ethics and behavior.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

REL 253. Cognitive Science and Religion. 3 Credit Hours.
The basic topics and questions in the cognitive science of religion (CSR), the interdisciplinary approach to understanding how thought, perception, and affective states that underlie the kinds of beliefs and practices we recognize as religion. Questions include: What is religion and how should it be defined? Why throughout history and around the world have people believed in supernatural entities like ancestors, ghosts, or gods? Why do people perform rituals, observe religious dietary restrictions or holy days, read or recite oral and scriptural traditions?
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

REL 255. Religion and Sports: From the Ancients to the Present. 3 Credit Hours.
The intersection of sports and religion from the ancient Greeks to the present, with attention given to the role of religion and sports in American culture. It examines the functions and significance of sport, play, ritual, and religion, recognizing both the dialectical and intimate relationship between sports and religion. Religion has not only influenced sports and sports has influenced religion; in some cases; the two have merged: sports has become a religion. Through various media we will study the topics of religion and sports, the spirituality of sports, and sports as a religion.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

REL 259. Transfer Credits. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents (Religious Issues or Problems subject area).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

REL 261. Religion, Health, and Human Suffering. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines how religion contributes to conceptions of health and suffering and promotes health in the context of suffering
Components: MOD.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

REL 268. Religion in Modern Israel. 3 Credit Hours.
The role of religious values and institutions in modern Israel, with particular attention to religious elements in nationalism, legal traditions, and the political and educational systems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

REL 271. Introduction to Islam. 3 Credit Hours.
Interested in learning about Islam? In this introductory course, students will learn about the religion, culture, and history of Islam. The course examines Muslim beliefs about God, the Prophet Muhammad, the Qur’an, the caliphate and the emergence of various sects. No prior knowledge is assumed. For more, see this video trailer: https://youtu.be/YlCoOXg___WZM
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

REL 281. Introduction to Buddhism. 3 Credit Hours.
The Buddhist tradition from a variety of angles and in several cultural contexts. We will attend to the ideas for which Buddhism is famous, while situating Buddhist practitioners in their social contexts at key historical moments. Throughout we will give attention to the issue of our own perspective and what it means to think across the porous borders of culture in an interrelated world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
REL 288. Chinese Religions. 3 Credit Hours.
Over the last generation, China has largely thrown off communist ideology, becoming an economic powerhouse that will shape the 21st century. Alongside economic growth has come a rediscovery and revitalization of its religious heritage. But what is this religious heritage? What makes it unique? What does it offer? And how does this heritage shape China's religious scene today? This course addresses these questions through a survey of Chinese religion focusing on the "Three Teachings"—Confucianism, Daoism, and Buddhism—as well as popular religion. We will examine their development and mutual interaction, attending to their thought and practice as well as their historical and social context. Students will gain not only a familiarity with the religious traditions of China, but also cultivate their ability to think historically and to balance sympathetic and critical understanding.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 291. Introduction to Hinduism. 3 Credit Hours.
Sources of Hindu belief and practice date back as early as 1500 BCE, but the mythologies of India harken to time immemorial. The tradition that is now known as Hinduism developed through the rise and fall of empires, the evolution of social hierarchies, and the telling and retelling of colorful stories about heroes and divinities. Today, Hindu practices are part of the landscape not only in India, but in Europe, Africa and the Middle East, Southeast Asia and the Americas, too. Through readings, images and films, this course will introduce the rich and layered diversity of Hindu traditions as well as provide exposure to the methods and theories of Religious studies.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 301. Ancient Greece. 3 Credit Hours.
Greek civilization from the Late Bronze Age to the end of Greek independence at the battle of Chaeronea in 338 B.C.E.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

REL 302. The Hellenistic Age. 3 Credit Hours.
Conquests of Alexander the Great and the spread of Greek culture in the Near East under Alexander's successors until the death of Cleopatra in 31 B.C.E.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

REL 303. The Roman Republic. 3 Credit Hours.
Roman civilization from the establishment of the Republic until the Battle of Actium in 31 B.C.E.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

REL 304. The Roman Empire. 3 Credit Hours.
Roman civilization from the reign of Augustus in 27 B.C.E. to the Fall of Rome in 476 C.E.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

REL 305. The Ancient Near East: Religion and Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
Historical and cultural forces in the major religions of the ancient Near East, from 3000 to 300 B.C.E. Cultural achievements such as the Epic of Gilgamesh, the pyramids and the Bible.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

REL 306. Religion and Culture in Ancient Egypt. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of religion and culture in Ancient Egypt from pre-dynastic times to the Roman era.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 307. Religion and Culture in Pre-Islamic Arabia. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of religion and culture in Arabia from prehistory to the coming of Islam.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
REL 308. The Greco-Roman Context of Early Christianity. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of a range of first-century CE practices and texts that informed the lives of the people who we now call early Christians. Emphasis will be given to the historical, moral psychological, political, religious, rhetorical, archaeological and social contexts of early Christianity. From practices like animal sacrifice, to discourses on the role of the gods in human activity, we will consider what aspects of Greco-Roman religion Christianity adapted or rejected. We will also discuss how people conducted their daily lives, and how they understood larger issues such as how the body worked, the significance of gender, morality and philosophy and how these discourses are reflected in the early theology of the Jesus movement.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 311. Prophecy and Prophetic Literature in the Hebrew Bible. 3 Credit Hours.
Prophecy in ancient Israel and Judah and the prophetic literature of the Hebrew Bible in relation to its ancient near-eastern historical, religious, and social context.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

REL 312. The Torah and Ancient Law. 3 Credit Hours.
The first five books of the Hebrew Bible (Genesis, Exodus, Leviticus, Numbers, Deuteronomy) in relation to their ancient Near Eastern historical, cultural, and religious context.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

REL 314. The Rise of Judaism. 3 Credit Hours.
The history and literature of early Judaism, covering the period from the fall of Jerusalem in 587/586 BCE to the beginnings of rabbinic Judaism and the formation of the Mishnah (ca.200 CE).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

REL 315. Jewish Mysticism. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of the major ideas and texts dealing with Jewish Mysticism (Kabbalah, Hassidism).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

REL 319. Transfer Credits. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents (Religious Literature or Texts subject area).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

REL 321. Jesus and the Gospels. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the Jesus tradition, focusing on the formative period of the first two centuries. Special emphasis on the four New Testament Gospels, with a survey of the treatment of Jesus in other documents, both Christian and non-Christian.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

REL 322. The Apostle Paul: Letters, Controversies, and Philosophy. 3 Credit Hours.
The heritage, writings, and legacy of the apostle Paul. Careful analysis of the Pauline corpus (especially Romans), with particular attention given to the radically different interpretations of Paul in both ancient and modern thought.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 324. The Bible and Modern Film. 3 Credit Hours.
The diverse ways in which contemporary cinematic arts interpret and depict narratives from the Bible and the ancient Mediterranean world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

REL 325. Jesus in Myth and History. 3 Credit Hours.
Changing concepts of Jesus in Western culture, as they emerge in literature, art, and films.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
REL 326. The Bible in History. 3 Credit Hours.
The use of key biblical texts in the history of Christianity. First, it gives general attention to the ways in which Christians have understood the Bible through two thousand years of history. Second, it explores the relationship between the Bible and important historical developments in Christianity with close attention to particular episodes. We seek to answer the question of why biblical texts lie dormant or are largely ignored and then spring to life, become the focus of attention, and transform the way people think and live.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

REL 330. Caribbean Religion. 3 Credit Hours.
Caribbean Religion with an emphasis on African Diaspora and Creole religions. The religious traditions we will cover include: Rastafarianism, Regla de Ocha (Santeria), Voodoo, Espiritismo, Regla de Palo, and Obeah.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

REL 331. Religions of Asia. 3 Credit Hours.
The major religions of South and East Asia including Hinduism, Buddhism, Confucianism, Taoism, and Shinto.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 332. Judaism, Christianity, and Islam. 3 Credit Hours.
Completes the study of world religions begun in REL 331, but emphasizes the religions of the West. Religions studied: Zoroastrianism, Sikhism, Judaism, Christianity, and Islam. May be taken without having had REL 331.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 334. The American Jewish Experience: Hollywood and Popular Culture. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis and interpretation of the image of the Jew and the Jewish experience in American cinema, with emphasis on how the experience and attitudes of Americans in general and the American Jewish community in particular have been reflected on the screen from the pre-World War II period until the present and on the tension between maintaining an ethnic identity and assimilating.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

REL 335. American Religion in Modern Film. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of the role of religion (primarily Christianity) in popular culture and the way in which religion becomes the vehicle for aesthetic, social, political, and other cultural purposes. Exploration of contemporary American religious life with special attention given to groups and issues depicted through the medium of film. We focus on how film uses religion rather than on how religion uses film. That is, we analyze how mainstream movies (both directly religious and essentially secular) appropriate religious imagery and themes, rather than how religions use film to communicate their beliefs and practices.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

REL 336. The American Encounter with Asian Religions. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of inter-cultural interaction and inter-religious encounter focusing on the history of American responses to Asian religions from 1784 to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 338. Latin American and U.S. Latino/a Religion. 3 Credit Hours.
The roots of Latino/a religion in Indigenous, African, and Spanish culture and religiosity. Issues of race, identity, politics, and culture will feature prominently throughout the course.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

REL 339. Transfer Credits. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents (Religious or Historical Traditions subject area).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
REL 341. Modern Religious Thought I. 3 Credit Hours.
The main currents and major figures in Western religious thought from the beginnings of the Enlightenment to the middle of the nineteenth century.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 342. Modern Religious Thought II. 3 Credit Hours.
Western religious thought from the middle of the nineteenth century to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 343. Saints and Sinners: Introduction to Catholicism. 3 Credit Hours.
This course considers contemporary forms of Catholic piety, social ethics, political action, and theology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 345. Religion and Gender. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of what we know about the lives of women (and men) from the classical period through modernity, with an emphasis on sexuality and gender in ancient Greece and Rome. Using cross-cultural analysis and a variety of ancient literature, scholarship and material culture, together we will reconstruct and (re)examine the socio-cultural environments and practices that have fostered Western discourses on sexual difference and gender identity over time, paying particular attention to how religion and religious practices are integral to understandings of the natural world, natural law and the self. Some of the questions we will ask include: What does it mean to be male or female? What can we discover about ourselves from the way(s) we have sex? How are all these things related to life, love, power?
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

REL 347. Experiencing Religion: Conversion. 3 Credit Hours.
The phenomenon of religious conversion from a multi-disciplinary (anthropological, historical, psychological, sociological) perspective in a variety of religious traditions, which address the following questions: What is religious conversion? What are the factors that make religious conversion viable for some people? How do we describe, explain, and evaluate religious conversion? Special emphasis is given to the history of Christian conversion.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

REL 348. Reformation Europe. 3 Credit Hours.
The religious, political, cultural, social, and economic forces that produced a schism in 16th-century Western Christendom. Note: May be taken for credit in only one department as REL 348 or HIS 328.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 349. All Roads Lead to Rome: A Multi-Disciplinary Approach to Religion and Rome. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines Rome's role as importer, exporter, cultivator, and transformer of religion and the religious life, giving attention to both the past and the present. Students will increase their awareness of the important elements of the major religions discussed in class—their myths, symbols, rituals, doctrines, moral codes, and artistic expressions—and the ways in which Rome has influenced them.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

REL 350. Current Issues in Religion. 3 Credit Hours.
Individual study and group discussion of the relevance of religion to contemporary issues such as race conflict, women's rights, intermarriage, refugees, media, prejudice, and counter culture groups.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
REL 351. Death and Dying. 3 Credit Hours.
For as long as we have documented history on the subject, human beings have debated issues about what it means to be mortal, what it means to live well, how to die well and whether death is truly the end of life. This course surveys discourses about death and death rituals from the ancient Mediterranean (ancient Egypt, Greece and Rome) to the present day. Some of the issues we will discuss include (but are not limited to): the history of certain perspectives on illness, death and burial; the relationship between organized religious systems and death and dying; personhood; theodicy; euthanasia; suicide; and the afterlife.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

REL 352. Religion and Science. 3 Credit Hours.
The religious and ethical issues created by modern science and technology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 353. Religion and American Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
Religious and ethical issues at debate in the American political scene.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

REL 354. Religion and the Problem of Evil. 3 Credit Hours.
Major religious perspectives on the origin and nature of evil and human suffering.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 355. Religion and Its Interpreters. 3 Credit Hours.
Nineteenth and twentieth century Western interpretations of religion including anthropological, sociological, psychological, theological, literary, and feminist approaches.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 356. Myth and Religion. 3 Credit Hours.
How humans use language to form and communicate conceptions of reality, focusing on the highly elusive concept "myth"; special attention to the concept's usefulness for thinking about religion.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

REL 357. Gender, Power, Gods. 3 Credit Hours.
The relationship between sex, gender, and ethics in Judaism, Christianity, Islam and Hinduism. Topics covered include feminism, race and ethnicity, homosexuality, transexuality, and masculinity.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 358. The Color of God: Race and Religion. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will examine the role of race and ethnicity within the discipline of religious studies. We will emphasize the manner in which racial and ethnic identity have contributed to religious identity, and the way in which religion has functioned within the struggles of racially and ethnically marginalized peoples. This course will focus on the Americas and draw from diverse racial, ethnic, and religious traditions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 359. Transfer Credits. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents (Religious Issues or Problems subject area).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

REL 360. Religion and Bioethics. 3 Credit Hours.
The implications of religious thought for contemporary problems of biomedical ethics.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
REL 361. Religion and Youth in Contemporary America. 3 Credit Hours.
An interdisciplinary examination of the role of religion in the lives of teenagers and college students in contemporary America.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

REL 362. The Sanctity of Life: Selected Themes From the Ancient World to the Present. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the religious foundation of the idea that human life is “sacred” and considers a wide range of historical and ethical issues associated with this central concept of Western thought. It explores the meaning of the multi-faceted phrase “sanctity of life,” including its implications for such ethical and legal concerns as conception, birth, and termination of life; human dignity and human rights; the quality of life; and social justice. Some of the issues considered will include bigotry and prejudice; economic and social injustice; euthanasia, infanticide, and suicide; genocide, holy war, jihad, terrorism, and violence; health care and its cost; human trafficking and slavery; martyrdom and self-martyrdom; social stratification; aging, death, disposal of the body; and the afterlife, especially in Dante’s Inferno. We will examine how “life” is defined and described in different cultures at different times in history, and how various religions have influenced these matters.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

REL 363. Religion and Science Fiction: Dystopia, Faith, and the Future. 3 Credit Hours.
Issues surrounding “dystopia” and religion. We will study sustainability movements, authentic vs. synthetic nature, bioethics, technology, and their effects on modern spirituality and the future of religion. In order to discuss these topics, we will examine the intersections between the cultural significance of various dystopic science fiction novels, short stories, video games, television shows, and films with religion.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 364. Spiritual Healing in the Americas from Controversy to Cure. 3 Credit Hours.
Miraculous and nonmedical healing is often accused of being superstitious and bogus, particularly when it comes in conflict with scientific knowledge, biomedical practices, and government regulation. In spite of this religious healing today has garnered increasing visibility and legitimacy. This course explores an interdisciplinary discussion of religious healing in the Americas with an emphasis on healing practices in numerous religious traditions and controversies surrounding faith healing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

REL 365. The Cognitive Foundations of Personal Faith. 3 Credit Hours.
The concept of personal faith, both as a religious construct in the Western Judeo-Christian tradition, and as a secular value in American society. This course approaches the topic through the lens of the interdisciplinary field of cognitive science. In addition to considering religion and faith as objects of study, the course will survey and examine relevant theories and models within current cognitive science, including (a) non-representational dynamical systems and (b) how agents use images in processes of self- and social regulation. The course will also examine biblical texts as the basis of later theological and secular reflection on faith, testing the usefulness of the theories and models studied in the course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

REL 366. Is Star Wars a Religion?. 3 Credit Hours.
From a mysterious force that links the universe, to the resurrection of power figures, from supernatural adoptions, to the clothes and the ruins of its holy cities, the Star Wars franchise both invokes and evokes associations with what we might call religious themes and imagery. This course will explore the possible intersections between the Star Wars universe and the category of religion in an effort to test the proposition that Star Wars is- or perhaps one day might become- a religion. Among the questions we will ask through this case study are: what does it take for something to be a religion? How do new religious movements start? How do we theorize the study of religion? What turns certain narratives into canon? And, crucially, do the similarities between Star Wars and religion represent intentional strategy on the part of the filmmakers, writers, artists, imagineers, or does it reflect a larger social phenomenon?
Components: HRK.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

REL 370. Islam in the Modern World. 3 Credit Hours.
How is Islam understood and practiced in the modern world? Students will learn about the rituals, traditions and popular beliefs of contemporary Muslims through film and key texts. The course also explores fault lines in the community such as the rise of authoritarian states, secularism, and liberal values on one hand and increased sectarianism and patterns of radicalization on the other.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
REL 371. Women, Gender, and Islam. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of issues related to women and gender with an emphasis upon themes pertaining to the Muslim world. We will study the contributions of progressive/feminist Muslim writers in addition to secular academic research on the subject. Topics include Qur’anic revelations concerning women; gendered ideals that developed after the founder’s death; understanding how Islamic texts, rituals, and doctrines have both reinforced and challenged certain gender categories; and the experience of Muslims living in the U.S. and the Middle East, addressing racial as well as gendered hierarchies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

REL 372. Islam and the United States: The Politics of Race, Media, and Terrorism. 3 Credit Hours.
A critical review of the cultural and political history of U.S. relations with various Muslim communities both domestic and foreign. Major themes include the experience of Muslims in North America, xenophobia, racism, national security, law enforcement and violence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

REL 375. Democracy and Religion in Israel and Palestine. 3 Credit Hours.
Israel’s evolution as a nation and a society by focusing on the impact of religion on ethnicity, culture, and democracy.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

REL 376. Shi’ism: Religion, Culture, and History. 3 Credit Hours.
The religious, cultural, and historical aspects of Twelver Shi’ism. The course has a film component.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 377. Sufism: Islamic Mysticism. 3 Credit Hours.
The doctrines, practices, teachings, and history of Sufism, the mystical dimension of Islam.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

REL 380. Holy Bones, Sacred Stones: Archaeology of Early Judaism. 3 Credit Hours.
The post-exilic Jewish community from the Persian period until the Bar Kokhba Revolt (539 BCE to 135 CE). The emphasis will be major archaeological contributions from the Persian period to the Roman imperial period, but particularly the late Hasmonae and Herodian kingdoms that resulted in the transformation of Judaism and the emergence of Christianity. The aim of the course is to acquaint you with the method and theory used in interpreting material culture including comparative, contextual and problem-oriented approaches currently used in Near Eastern archaeology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 383. Activist Bodhisattvas: Buddhist Ethics and Social Engagement. 3 Credit Hours.
One of the most important developments in modern Buddhism has been the turn toward social engagement and activism. Across Asia and beyond, Buddhist organizations and movements have emerged that consider improving society to be an intrinsic Buddhist concern alongside the classic focus on perfecting the self. Where does this development come from? To what degree is it a departure from previous tradition? How do these movements reconceive and rearticulate Buddhist teachings and practices to address the problems of their societies and the global community? What perspectives does socially engaged Buddhism offer to others movements seeking to address the ills of our time? This course will explore these questions through a consideration of selected examples drawn from several Buddhist traditions
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
REL 384. Karma. 3 Credit Hours.
Karma is one of the most central doctrines of Buddhism and by far the most viral. Through lip jars, pop songs, and TV shows, the concept has become familiar to many. But what is karma? How does it work? What does it mean to live in a karmic universe? This course will examine these questions through a consideration of Buddhist doctrine, ritual, ethics, and narrative.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 388. Living Stories: Narrative in Asian Traditions. 3 Credit Hours.
In popular culture, Asian religions are referred to as "Eastern Philosophy." Yet, philosophical doctrine is only one part of Asian religious traditions and for many not the most prominent. Oftentimes narrative, key stories or modes of storytelling, occupies a more central role. But what is that role? How do narratives transmit religious ideas and values and inform ritual life? How do they evolve over time? And how do religious individuals and communities drawn upon them to work in the world? This course will address these questions through a focus on a few narratives selected Asian religions, such as Hinduism, Buddhism, and Confucianism. We will attend to these stories as living phenomena that evolve over time and play a vital role in their communities and also as something that those communities live with as they make their way through the world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 391. Bollywood and Beyond: Religion, Gender and Politics in South Asian Film. 3 Credit Hours.
Themes in Indian society through the lens of Indian cinema – both Bollywood and the regional film industry. The course consists of five modules each lasting between two to three weeks. Module one will situate and frame the entire semester’s readings with a discussion of a brief history of Bollywood and regional cinema, their respective reach, influence and limits in framing, valorizing or even critiquing societal and cultural norms. Each subsequent module will open to lecture and discussion with the screening of either a Bollywood film (often an excerpt), regional cinema or a documentary. The important themes that will be covered in the four modules will relate to a) the significance, centrality, fluidity and perversion of caste in Indian society; b) the multiple cinematic and popular representations and framing of the religious epic - the Ramayana. Using multiple visual and textual narratives of the Ramayana we will discuss the place of myths in the construction of politics and society; c) issues of gender and sexuality - studying the shaping of celluloid goddesses and real lives of women, consumption of sex, queering of it and its depiction in film and reception in society; d) Colonial and post-colonial engagement with modernity in India – through the lens of the nation state and its women, as well as the nation and its “others”: identity politics based on religious exclusivity, communal and secular anxieties in modern India; and e) Diaspora identities and cultural appropriation of Bollywood cinematic frames and references outside India.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

REL 401. Supervised Reading in Religious Literature or Texts. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Independent study to enable students to read extensively in an area of personal interest in religious literature or texts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

REL 402. Supervised Reading in Religious or Historical Traditions. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Independent study to enable students to read extensively in an area of personal interest in religious or historical traditions.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

REL 403. Supervised Reading in Religious Issues or Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Independent study to enable students to read extensively in an area of personal interest in religious issues or problems.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

REL 404. Special Topics in Religious Literature or Texts. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in religious literature or texts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 405. Special Topics in Religious or Historical Traditions. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in religious or historical traditions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
REL 406. Special Topics in Religious Issues or Problems. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in religious issues or problems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 407. Special Projects in Religious Literature or Texts. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected projects in religious literature or texts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 408. Special Projects in Religious or Historical Traditions. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected projects in religious or historical traditions.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 409. Special Projects in Religious Issues or Problems. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected projects in religious issues or problems.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 419. Transfer Credits. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents (Religious Literature or Texts subject area).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

REL 439. Transfer Credits. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents (Religious or Historical Traditions subject area).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

REL 450. Psychology of Religion. 3 Credit Hours.
Contemporary psychological theory and research on religious belief, experience, and behavior. Topics include the biological bases of religion, religious development, and the links of religion to health and well-being.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 451. Ethics and Genetics. 3 Credit Hours.
Pressing social, ethical, and legal issues raised by our constantly increasing knowledge of genetics, and the applications of this knowledge already available or being proposed. Access to and use of personal genetic information; race and genetics; the diagnosis and treatment of inherited diseases; new modalities of healthcare delivery becoming available through genetics; the current state of stem cell research; genetically modified animals and plants as sources of food, medicines, and fuel; and the use of genomics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 459. Transfer Credits. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Courses taken at other institutions with no direct equivalents (Religious Issues or Problems subject area).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

REL 491. Sr. Honors Thesis. 3 Credit Hours.
Directed honors thesis.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 492. Sr. Honors Thesis II. 3 Credit Hours.
Directed honors thesis.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
REL 499. Method and Theory in the Study of Religion. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of central issues and texts in the academic study of religion, with special focus on the rise of the discipline, its axioms, and its several schools of interpretation.
Requisite: Must be in a Plan of Religious Studies or Religious Studies and Health Care.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 501. Supervised Reading in Religious Literature or Texts. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Independent study to enable students to read extensively in an area of personal interest in religious literature or texts.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 502. Supervised Reading in Religious or Historical Traditions. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Independent study to enable students to read extensively in an area of personal interest in religious or historical traditions.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 503. Supervised Reading in Religious Issues or Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Independent study to enable students to read extensively in an area of personal interest in religious issues or problems.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 505. Seminar in Ancient Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Various topics in Greek and Roman Studies.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 510. Seminar in Hebrew Bible and Ancient Judaism. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in Hebrew Bible and Ancient Judaism.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 520. Seminar in New Testament and Early Christianity. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in New Testament and Early Christianity.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 530. Seminar in Religious or Historical Traditions. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in religious or historical traditions.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 550. Seminar in Religious Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected issues in religious ethics and their social implications.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 560. Seminar in Contemporary Religious Issues. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in contemporary religious issues.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 601. Supervised Reading in Religious Literature or Texts. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Independent study to enable students to read extensively in an area of personal interest in religious literature or texts.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
REL 602. Supervised Reading in Religious or Historical Traditions. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Independent study to enable students to read extensively in an area of personal interest in religious or historical traditions.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 603. Supervised Reading in Religious Issues or Problems. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Independent study to enable students to read extensively in an area of personal interest in religious issues or problems.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 605. Seminar in Ancient Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Various topics in Greek and Roman Studies.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 610. Seminar in Hebrew Bible and Ancient Judaism. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in Hebrew Bible and Ancient Judaism.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 620. Seminar in New Testament and Early Christianity. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in New Testament and Early Christianity.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 630. Seminar in Religious or Historical Traditions. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in religious or historical traditions.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 650. Seminar in Religious Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected issues in religious ethics and their social implications.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

REL 660. Seminar in Contemporary Religious Issues. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Selected topics in contemporary religious issues.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

Research Training (RST)

RST 411. Responsible Conduct of Research. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

RST 412. Responsible Conduct of Research. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

RST 501. Responsible Conduct of Research. 0 Credit Hours.
Online research ethics training via CITI Program Responsible Conduct of Research course.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
RST 502. Responsible Conduct of Research. 0 Credit Hours.
Research ethics training via Ethics Programs Responsible Conduct of Research classroom course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

RST 511. Responsible Conduct of Research. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

RST 512. Responsible Conduct of Research. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

RST 601. Responsible Conduct of Research. 0 Credit Hours.
Online research ethics training via CITI Program Responsible Conduct of Research course.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

RST 602. Responsible Conduct of Research. 0 Credit Hours.
Research ethics training via Ethics Programs Responsible Conduct of Research classroom course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

RST 611. Responsible Conduct of Research. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

RST 612. Responsible Conduct of Research. 0 Credit Hours.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

RST 720. Research Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
Course focuses on topics related to what is sometimes called the "responsible conduct of research" (RCR). It covers the landscape of "scientific integrity" - both the principles and day-to-day practicalities of research ethics. The course is inter-disciplinary in its approach. Readings and other materials used a part of the course draw on the examples from many academic fields, and are intended to have application to any academic or professional area of study in which research is conducted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.

RSMAS General (RSM)

RSM 500. Research Diving Techniques. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to introduce students to the practices and policies of scientific diving. The object is to prepare students to use SCUBA as a research tool for the marine sciences. The course content will qualify students as scientific divers under the auspices of the UM/RSMAS Scientific Diving Program and will meet the standards set by the American Academy of Underwater Sciences (AAUS). Students must be certified as a recreational diver with a RSTC recognized certification agency, have a minimum of 10 logged open water dives, two dives within 6 months of starting the course; pass a swim test and complete a physical exam.
Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
RSM 501. Scientific Freediving. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide students who have an interest in conducting underwater research with the skills and competencies to be certified as a University of Miami Scientific Freediver in accordance with the Standards for Scientific Freediving. This course will discuss and evaluate topics related to the history and evolution of freediving and the common techniques; marine mammals and human physiology in relation to freediving activities and adaptations; safety and problem management in the aquatic realm; the practical application of underwater research skills, techniques, and methodologies.
Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

RSM 512. Statistics for Marine Scientists. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers statistical theory, tools, and methods required for data analysis, emphasizing marine science applications.
Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

RSM 513. Statistical Modeling of Extreme and Rare Events. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will focus on rare events and extreme values observed in nature. In particular, students will learn: advanced statistical methods of data analysis, as well as concepts of probability and predictability; statistical modeling of rare and extreme events; and applications of these advanced techniques to real atmospheric and oceanic data. Must have taken RSM 512/RSM 612 or equivalent; or calculus; or permission from instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

RSM 520. Climate and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide students from different disciplinary backgrounds with an overview of physical processes, general concepts and policy debates surrounding climate issues.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

RSM 521. Object-Oriented Programming and Agent-Based Modelling. 3 Credit Hours.
Hands-on training in object-oriented programming using Java, including Java statistical packages, and in the development of agent-based and individual-based simulation models for ecological, physiological, social, economic and physical sciences. Course includes introductions to cellular automatons and models based on social and behavioral networks. No prior programming experience required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

RSM 546. Presentation Boot Camp. 1 Credit Hour.
This course focuses on presenting scientific concepts and research findings more effectively to both technical audiences and the general public.
Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

RSM 547. Methods for Marine and Atmospheric Education. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on curriculum and instructional methods for teaching marine and atmospheric content in formal and informal settings. The course will introduce students to recent national science and engineering, climate, and ocean education standards and best curricula and instructional approaches for teaching and learning science. The course will also focus on identifying and analyzing research on marine and atmospheric education and effectively communicating scientific topics to different audiences.
Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
RSM 548. Management and Leadership in Marine and Atmospheric Science. 3 Credit Hours.
The goal of this course is to become an effective leader/manager while leveraging the individual strengths of a team in the marine and atmospheric field. The course will use leadership theories and case studies to understand how decisions affect outcomes. Students will develop the ability to manage teams effectively amidst a changing world. Students discuss literature and case studies to explore the foundations of effective leadership and support task triage, decision-making, shared mental models, and appropriate executive styles. The course will introduce students to recent national science and engineering, climate, and ocean standards and best approaches when it comes to managing a staff in the marine and atmospheric sciences. The course will also focus on identifying and analyzing marine and atmospheric leadership and effectively communicating scientific topics to different audiences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

RSM 555. Fish Ecology and Oceanography. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is intended to introduce students to key biological, ecological, oceanographic, and climatic processes of direct relevance to fishery species, with a view toward development of an ecosystem perspective.
Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

RSM 556. Polar Science. 3 Credit Hours.
The course covers the physical, chemical and biological components of the polar oceans, atmosphere and coastal regions. The interactions between ocean, ice, atmosphere and land are discussed in detail not only in terms of local relationships, with links to the climate system.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

RSM 557. Motorboat Operator Certification Course. 1-2 Credit Hours.
The MOCC course was developed and formalized by the United States Department of the Interior in the early 1990's. This course is designed to give students broad academic knowledge and practical training running small boats (boats 26' in length or shorter). In addition to the relevant theory, students will get hands-on training trailering small boats, launching and loading at boat ramps, slow and high speed maneuvering, marlinspike (knot tying), as well as in water emergency training and the use of flares and pyrotechnics. The MOCC certification is the training standard for occupational small boating and used by government organizations, public and private research organizations, public aquaria, etc. The certification is a marketable skill for students moving ahead in their careers in marine science. Students must have a valid U.S. driver's license and good driving record (less than 6 points) to be eligible for training in this course.
Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

RSM 558. Techniques in Respirometry, Swim Performance and Behavior of Aquatic Organisms. 2 Credit Hours.
The objectives of this course is to give participants an understanding and overview of methods and hands-on with modern equipment. The emphasis of the course will be on marine fish, but the techniques can be used for freshwater fish and aquatic invertebrates as well. The course is based on lectures, lab exercises and plenary discussions. The final part of the course constitutes a written project based on data collected during the week.
Requisite: Senior Status and Prerequisite: BIL 160.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

RSM 571. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures and research projects in special topics related to Marine and Atmospheric Science.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

RSM 572. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures and research projects in special topics related to Marine and Atmospheric Science.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

RSM 573. Special Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Lectures and research projects in special topics related to Marine and Atmospheric Science.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
RSM 600. Research Diving Techniques. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to introduce students to the practices and policies of scientific diving. The object is to prepare students to use SCUBA as a research tool for the marine sciences. The course content will qualify students as scientific divers under the auspices of the UM/RSMAS Scientific Diving Program and will meet the standards set by the American Academy of Underwater Sciences (AAUS). Students must be certified as a recreational diver with a RSTC recognized certification agency; have a minimum of 10 logged open water dives, two dives within 6 months of starting the course; pass a swim test and complete a physical exam.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

RSM 601. Scientific Freediving. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide students who have an interest in conducting underwater research with the skills and competencies to be certified as a University of Miami Scientific Freediver in accordance with the Standards for Scientific Freediving. This course will discuss and evaluate topics related to the history and evolution of freediving and the common techniques; marine mammals and human physiology in relation to freediving activities and adaptations; safety and problem management in the aquatic realm; the practical application of underwater research skills, techniques, and methodologies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

RSM 611. Principles of Mass Spectrometry and Applications to Marine, Atmospheric, and Environmental Science. 3 Credit Hours.
This course goes in depth into the principles and uses of mass spectrometry. It is intended for graduate students who use mass spectrometry to conduct their research. Concepts taught will include the components of mass spectrometers (vacuum systems, ionization methods, mass analyzers, detectors), different types of mass spectrometers and their uses, and coupling chromatography to mass spectrometry. Each student will be required to give presentations on new advances in mass spectrometry and an in-depth presentation on a mass spectrometer that they use and new findings in the literature relevant to their technique and personal research.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

RSM 612. Statistics for Marine Scientists. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers statistical theory, tools, and methods required for data analysis, emphasizing marine science applications.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

RSM 613. Statistical Modeling of Extreme and Rare Events. 3 Credit Hours.
The course will focus on rare events and extreme values observed in nature. In particular, students will learn: advanced statistical methods of data analysis, as well as concepts of probability and predictability; statistical modeling of rare and extreme events; and applications of these advanced techniques to real atmospheric and oceanic data.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

RSM 615. Marine Tourism and Conservation. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to critical concepts in the practice and management of marine tourism, and explores the potential of tourism to contribute to marine conservation across different geographical locations and taxa. Discussion, readings, and lectures encourage students to draw connections between the biology and ecology of organisms and ecosystems and existing human-environment relationships. We also consider the social context in which tourism is occurring, and how this may shape the success or failure of tourism operators in contributing to conservation. This course will also explore questions about "consumptive" and "non-consumptive" uses of marine resources. Discussion will evaluate both the potential and the limitations of marine tourism as a tool for environmental protection.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

RSM 616. Florida Topics in Environmental Law & Policy. 1 Credit Hour.
This course will provide an overview of environmental law at the state and local level in Florida. The course will include an analysis of relevant law, legislation, and emerging issues for Florida-specific environments. The course will focus on environmental themes that are of particular importance to marine professionals, such as Everglades restoration, coral reef protection, marine protected areas, coastal wetland regulation, water pollution litigation, home rule and state preemption, and climate change policies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.
RSM 617. Instrument Design and Quick Prototyping for Marine Science. 2 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the principles and applications 3D printing, scanning and digital manufacturing for non-engineers. It will cover the basic principles and practice of: (1) computer aided design and drafting (CAD); (2) digital manufacturing techniques, including 3D printing and CNC machining (milling and laser cutting); and (3) performance assessment of student-manufactured prototypes. This will be achieved through lectures and hands-on training in the RSMAS Makers Lab, whereby each student will be required to design, construct, and field-test a new piece of hardware that is relevant to their field and/or individual research.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

RSM 620. Climate and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to provide students from different disciplinary backgrounds with an overview of physical processes, general concepts and policy debates surrounding climate issues.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

RSM 621. Object-Oriented Programming and Agent-Based Modelling. 3 Credit Hours.
Hands-on training in object-oriented programming using Java, including Java statistical packages, and in the development of agent-based and individual-based simulation models for ecological, physiological, social, economic and physical sciences. Course includes introductions to cellular automatons and models based on social and behavioral networks. No prior programming experience required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

RSM 622. Data Management for Scientists. 2 Credit Hours.
This course will cover techniques used in data profiling, filtering, and archiving. online tools will be used for elaborating data management plans and well-established database techniques for manipulating data. Participants will develop data management plans and introduce techniques for data manipulation, such as database design and implementation concepts, query coding, and data cleaning/importing/exporting. Course participants will be exposed to theoretical concepts and engage in hands-on activities throughout the semester. Participants are encouraged to bring their own data for processing or asked to select a dataset from the many online data repositories.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall.

RSM 645. Science Communication: Professional Writing. 1 Credit Hour.
This course introduces students interested in scientific research to various techniques for processing and presenting research data and information. Students will learn techniques to effectively present research to the general public and to the scientific community in written form, such as research papers, grant proposals, conference presentations and fact pages.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

RSM 646. Presentation Boot Camp. 1 Credit Hour.
This course focuses on presenting scientific concepts and research findings more effectively to both technical audiences and the general public.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

RSM 647. Methods for Marine and Atmospheric Education. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on curriculum and instructional methods for teaching marine and atmospheric content in formal and informal settings. The course will introduce students to recent national science and engineering, climate, and ocean education standards and best curricula and instructional approaches for teaching and learning science. The course will also focus on identifying and analyzing research on marine and atmospheric education and effectively communicating scientific topics to different audiences.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
RSM 648. Management and Leadership in Marine and Atmospheric Science. 3 Credit Hours.
The goal of this course is to become an effective leader/manager while leveraging the individual strengths of a team in the marine and atmospheric field. The course will use leadership theories and case studies to understand how decisions affect outcomes. Students will develop the ability to manage teams effectively amidst a changing world. Students discuss literature and case studies to explore the foundations of effective leadership and support task triage, decision-making, shared mental models, and appropriate executive styles. The course will introduce students to recent national science and engineering, climate, and ocean standards and best approaches when it comes to managing a staff in the marine and atmospheric sciences. The course will also focus on identifying and analyzing marine and atmospheric leadership and effectively communicating scientific topics to different audiences.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

RSM 649. Advanced Presentation Boot Camp. 1 Credit Hour.
This follow-up course builds upon the topics and approaches covered in the basic training session and focuses on advanced techniques for designing and delivering effective scientific presentations to both technical audiences and the general public. The course provides opportunities for students to expand and practice their critique language and hone their presentation evaluation and design skills.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

RSM 650. Data Management in the Research Environment. 2 Credit Hours.
This course covers theoretical and practical approaches to research data management in academic contexts. Theoretical aspects include overviews of information science, data policy and data governance. The practical approaches include skills and best practices in research data management, and basic command line computing for data analysis and visualization (python and R). The purpose of the course is to increase research productivity, to enable data stewardship, and to help the student exceed data management expectations/requirements in the research environment. This is a practical methods course with tangible products; students produce a data management plan for their specific research endeavor, or prepare and deposit data into a discipline specific repository (other projects subject to instructor approval will be considered). The class is open to all graduate students in all disciplines. There are no prerequisites and while the course is designed for the first or second year of a graduate program, students who are further along will benefit as well.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

RSM 665. Fish Ecology and Oceanography. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is intended to introduce students to key biological, ecological, oceanographic, and climatic processes of direct relevance to fishery species, with a view toward development of an ecosystem perspective.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

RSM 666. Polar Science. 3 Credit Hours.
The course covers the physical, chemical and biological components of the polar oceans, atmosphere and coastal regions. The interactions between ocean, ice, atmosphere and land are discussed in detail not only in terms of local relationships, with links to the climate system.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

RSM 667. Motorboat Operator Certification Course. 1-2 Credit Hours.
The MOCC course was developed and formalized by the United States Department of the Interior in the early 1990’s. This course is designed to give students broad academic knowledge and practical training running small boats (boats 26’ in length or shorter). In addition to the relevant theory, students will get hands-on training trailering small boats, launching and loading at boat ramps, slow and high speed maneuvering, marlinspike (knot tying), as well as in water emergency training and the use of flares and pyrotechnics. The MOCC certification is the training standard for occupational small boating and used by government organizations, public and private research organizations, public aquaria, etc. The certification is a marketable skill for students moving ahead in their careers in marine science. Students must have a valid U.S. driver’s license and good driving record (less than 6 points) to be eligible for training in this course.

Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
RSM 668. Techniques in Respirometry, Swim Performance and Behavior of Aquatic Organisms. 2 Credit Hours.
The objectives of this course is to give participants an understanding and overview of methods and hands-on with modern equipment. The emphasis of the course will be on marine fish, but the techniques can be used for freshwater fish and aquatic invertebrates as well. The course is based on lectures, lab exercises and plenary discussions. The final part of the course constitutes a written project based on data collected during the week.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

RSM 671. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures and research projects in special topics related to Marine and Atmospheric Science.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

RSM 672. Special Topics. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Lectures and research projects in special topics related to Marine and Atmospheric Science.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

RSM 673. Special Topics. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Lectures and research projects in special topics related to Marine and Atmospheric Science.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

RSM 700. Research Ethics. 0 Credit Hours.
Online research ethics training, required for all graduate students.
Components: DIL.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

RSM 710. The Physical Environment of Marine Organisms. 3 Credit Hours.
The fluid environment of the sea influences the growth, distribution, and survival of marine organisms. The physical processes that affect organisms occur in space and time, ranging from the molecular properties of water to basin-wide linkages between oceanic regime and climate shifts are discussed. Course emphasis is placed on how physical processes affect the life of plankton to nekton. Students are required to present reviews based on the literature.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

RSM 771. Educational Training 1. 0 Credit Hours.
Educational training workshop and presentations.
Components: WKS.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

RSM 772. Educational Training 2. 0 Credit Hours.
First semester of educational training.
Components: WKS.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

RSM 773. Educational Training 3. 0 Credit Hours.
Second semester of educational training.
Components: WKS.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

RSM 780. Directed Readings. 1 Credit Hour.
The goal of this directed readings course is to cover a wide range of current marine and atmospheric science topics, and to give students experience independently reading about recent advances in research. The course will also give the students an opportunity to practice presentation and communication skills. Students will be assessed based on their presentations and participation.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
SOC 101. Introduction to Sociology. 3 Credit Hours.
The scientific study of society and several sociological concepts, including, but not limited to: social theory, social research, social economy, social interaction, social class, social construction, gender stratification, race and ethnicity, family, and deviance. This course will help students to examine the social world around them using the sociological imagination. Students will learn how to connect research to concepts, deepening their understanding of the social world and social phenomena and develop critical thinking skills.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SOC 103. Social Problems. 3 Credit Hours.
Sociological theories and methods will be used to interpret data, evaluate social policies, and analyze the manner in which ideologies perceive and frame problems. This course will develop critical thinking skills necessary to assess social problems, as well as the ability to recognize, exercise, and develop one's agency to address these issues.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 210. Introduction to Social Research. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides students with an overview of the social science research process and introduces them to the various methodological strategies used by social scientists. The various steps by which research is conducted will be examined such as study design and implementation, data collection and interpretation of findings. Students will also be able to critique the strengths and limitations of difference research methodologies.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SOC 211. Quantitative Methods for Sociologists. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to introduce students to descriptive and inferential statistics used in sociology, criminology, and other social sciences. We will cover measures of central tendency and variation, probability distributions, hypothesis testing, and bivariate techniques such as correlation and an introduction to regression.
Prerequisite: SOC 101, 210. Corequisite: 212.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SOC 212. Quantitative Methods Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
Statistical lab associated with SOC 211 introduces the use of computer statistical packages for analyzing quantitative data.
Prerequisite: SOC 101 and SOC 210 And Corequisite: SOC 211 or PSY 291 or PSY 292.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SOC 270. Deviant Behavior. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the study of deviant behaviors. We will examine the ways in which deviance is constructed and defined. Major sociological perspectives and theories will be applied in order to understand how they aid in the formation and development of social deviance. In addition, various forms of deviant behaviors will be discussed, including: drug use, sexual deviance, violence, suicide, LGBT issues, inequality and crime. The role of social control will also be examined in terms of how it impacts the way in which deviance is understood in society.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 271. Criminal Justice. 3 Credit Hours.
Provide students with both an introduction to the basics of the criminal justice system and a critical approach to contemporary issues in the field. We will focus on the nature of crime and how it is measured; issues in policing and law enforcement; the judicial system and legal process; sentencing; corrections; and prison life. Throughout the course we will focus on current controversies and debates, including such issues as the war on drugs, racism in the criminal justice system, violent crime rates, and incarceration rates.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
SOC 291. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Content will vary by semester.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

SOC 292. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to address a specific topic which will vary by semester.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 293. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to address a specific topic which will vary by semester.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 301. Social Organization. 3 Credit Hours.
The focus of this course is formal organizations, with an emphasis on the workplace. The topics that are discussed include theories of work, organizational paradigms, bureaucracy, impact of technology, unionization, and the new workplace. The fundamental theme is how organizational style influences productivity.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 302. Social Psychology: Sociological Perspective. 3 Credit Hours.
The influence of human groups, social processes, and social structures on behavior and self, with some attention devoted to the effect of social interaction on groups, processes, and structures. Topics of study include the development of the self, the process of social interaction, the significance of language, and the social construction of reality.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 303. Social Inequalities. 3 Credit Hours.
An overview of the sociological approach to the analysis of structured socioeconomic inequality (a.k.a. "social stratification") in contemporary American society. In this regard, emphases are placed on identifying trends, causes, and consequences of the distribution of a wide range of material (e.g. income, wealth) and symbolic (status, prestige) rewards in American society.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 304. Dynamics of Poverty in the United States. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines trends in the incidence and causes of major types of poverty among the urban underclass, the homeless, migrant laborers, the working poor. Also explores policy-related solutions.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
SOC 305. Globalization and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
Concepts and theories that are currently in use to understand globalization both as a process and as a structure: social aspects and narratives of globalization, and theoretical sociological models as scaffolding for understanding many of the disparate characteristics of globalization. Globalization as it spans disciplinary division and its understanding: the emergence of novel economic forms and practices as a pivotal driving force for globalization. Human migrations and their consequences on cultural identity and diffusion, and the role of the technology in the creation and consolidation the global world. New and complex structures of socioeconomic inequality at national and at transnational levels, the disproportionately important roles that women play in these new structures of inequality, and the social forces and movements that have emerged to resist globalization or to alter it in important ways.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

SOC 306. Wealth and Poverty in Contemporary America. 3 Credit Hours.
The causes and consequences of rapidly changing patterns of concentration of socioeconomic resources, such as wealth and income in America. This changing concentration is associated with the proliferation of impoverishment and privilege in America. Analyzes macro-economic changes, demographic shifts, technological advances, and evolving ideological postures as sources of these trends.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

SOC 320. Social Epidemiology: Illness and Death in Society. 3 Credit Hours.
Social epidemiology and the sociological study of health and longevity. Specifically, this course examines the ways in which key sociological variables structure, shape, or patterns the health and longevity of the US population. This course covers several variables of sociological interest, including socioeconomic status, race/ethnicity, sex/gender, age, family status, and religion.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

SOC 321. Applied Health Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
The role of public and private institutions in health promotion, health care delivery, and health insurance. We will explore the theoretical and practical reasons for intervention in health-related decisions and health care markets, the related empirical evidence, and the effects of these interventions on health outcomes and social welfare. Students will understand how and why government and society in general attempts to influence health-related behaviors and health insurance markets, and the resulting effects on individuals’ choices, expenditures, health outcomes, and overall quality of life.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

SOC 332. Collective Behavior. 3 Credit Hours.
Classical theories, issues, and research on fads, fashions, riots, crowd behavior, social movements and other forms of collective behavior.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 335. LGBTQ Communities. 3 Credit Hours.
Gender, race, age and class differences in the experiences of gays and lesbians. A life-span perspective guides the course after the presentation of some background of biological, psychological, and sociological theories pertaining to homosexuality.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

SOC 340. Sociology of Religion. 3 Credit Hours.
Social foundations of religion, growth and change within religious institutions and relationships of religion to other institutions.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
SOC 341. Social and Cultural Change. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey of major theories of change; analysis of the processes and mechanisms of change. Contemporary transitions in the underdeveloped regions of
the world.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 342. Contemporary Latin American Societies. 3 Credit Hours.
Social characteristics of Latin American societies and their comparison with North American society.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 345. Population and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
Demographic analysis of fertility, mortality, sex-age structure, migration, urbanization and population control.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 350. Sociology of the Family. 3 Credit Hours.
A critical investigation of the family while applying sociological theories, perspectives, and concepts, based on current research in the field. As the
family is an important institution in social life, and one in which have all experienced in some way, we will see that there is not "one" particular way
of experiencing this institution. The various definitions and versions of the family will be addressed historically, with an emphasis on how they are
shaped by public perception. In addition, more recent trends in family life will be addressed, including cohabitation, marriage, divorce, parenthood,
family policy, family structure, and marginalized family types.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 351. Business and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
The influence of business objectives, values, and ethics on American culture, moral standards, and societal institutions. A careful analysis of the
choices made by individuals, companies, and governments will demonstrate that sensible "choice architecture" can successfully nudge people
toward better decisions without restricting their freedom of choice. Specific topics include: corporate social responsibility; ethical issues in business;
business and government in a global society; business and public policy; the corporation and the natural environment; business and technological
change; and business relationships with consumers and employees.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 352. Sport and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
The status position and role of sport in society. Our primary focus will be upon delineating and analyzing sport as a major social institution in
American society. Thus our perspective will be that of the sociologist (i.e., critical more in analysis than in judgement) rather than that of a sports
journalist or sports fan. We shall examine both amateur and professional sports in terms of their interlocking relationships with each other and with
other major social institutions (e.g., education, economics, and politics) as well as their significance for promoting and maintaining cultural values
such as competition, fair play, teamwork, gender roles, and the like. The objective is to provide students with critical assessment and analytical skills
for examining and understanding the impact of sports on both individuals and society.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 359. The Sociology of Human Sexuality. 3 Credit Hours.
A socio-historical survey of sexual ideologies, attitudes and behavior in human societies, with emphasis on social and biological factors.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
SOC 365. Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
Exposure to and insight into the operations of community non-profit or government based social service agencies. The course involves prearranged study and supervised work in a variety of organizations and institutions, affording students the opportunity to use their sociological imagination while providing a “hands-on” sociological experience in the local community.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SOC 368. Violence in America. 3 Credit Hours.
Issues relevant to the study of violence in the United States will be covered. While the emphasis throughout will be on street violence (i.e., homicide, robbery, rape, and aggravated assault), other forms (e.g., corporate violence, intimate partner violence) will also be covered. In particular, we will:
Examine violence in historical, international, and situational contexts, examine the major explanations of violence, and examine the factors associated with violent crime. We will also consider how we seek to control violence in the U.S.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 369. Crime and Public Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
The dimensions and causes of the crime problem in America, and the uses and limits of the criminal justice system in dealing with it. We will examine the enormous expansion of the American prison system in recent years, and ask how much it has affected the crime rate. Additionally, we will consider a variety of possible strategies for preventing or controlling so-called “street” crime, both within the criminal justice system and beyond it including prevention and rehabilitation programs as well as expanding social and economic opportunities. Along the way, we will pay particular attention to several controversial issues, including the death penalty, drugs, and gun control.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

SOC 370. Juvenile Delinquency. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of sociological perspectives and concepts to examine juvenile delinquency and the juvenile justice system. The course takes into account the various social factors that shape juvenile delinquency and its control, such as race, ethnicity, socioeconomic status, gender, and sexuality. In addition, students will take a critical view of the policies developed to control such behavior.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SOC 371. Criminology. 3 Credit Hours.
The concepts of crime and criminal law, reviews several theoretical approaches to studying crime and criminal behavior, and focuses on several types of crime. In particular, it includes such topics as definitions of crime, sources of crime statistics, correlates and causes of crime, terrorism, genocide, corporate crime, and cybercrime.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SOC 372. Criminology: Police and Community. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of policing in U.S. society. Interaction with groups and institutions. The overall objective of this course is to provide students with an understanding of the role of the police in American society. The source will focus on the sociological study of policing, not professional training to become a police officer. Students will gain a better understanding of the history of the police, their role in American society and in the American system of criminal justice. In addition, students will discuss and critique important issues and trends in modern policing
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.
SOC 373. Criminology: Courts and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
The importance of the criminal courts and the impact that the criminal courts have on society. You will gain a realistic sense of what it is like to work in and be a part of the criminal justice system. The roles and responsibilities of the major courthouse players will be discussed. You will discover the challenging situations that judges must navigate as well as the difficulties that confront prosecutors and defense attorneys as they deal with victims, defendants and crushing caseloads.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 374. Criminology: Corrections. 3 Credit Hours.
Corrections in the U.S. society; philosophies of rehabilitation, punishment, and incapacitation.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 375. Sociology of Mental Health and Illness. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to sociological theories and research regarding the definition, experience, and treatment of mental illness.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 377. Sociology of Drug Abuse. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of sociological perspectives and concepts to examine drug use and abuse. The course examines the historical and theoretical understanding of the social causes and consequences of drug use, as well as the correlates of use and abuse. The course also takes a critical perspective of the policies developed to reduce the harms associated with drug use and abuse.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 378. Criminology: Law and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
How law, crime, and justice systems in the United States relate to social structure. The course covers two major themes: lawmaking (and how it relates to lawbreaking) and the justice system.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 380. Sociology of Gender. 3 Credit Hours.
The phenomenon of gender in society using sociological theory and research. Topics of focus include the social construction of gender, gender identity, and gender discrimination within various social institutions such as the family, the educational system, the media, the world of employment, and more.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 381. Aging in Society. 3 Credit Hours.
The aging processes, the aged and social institutions; special issues.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 382. The U.S. Jewish Community. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of minority group analysis to the U.S. Jewish community.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
**SOC 383. Sociology of Education. 3 Credit Hours.**
The examination and analysis of education as a major social institution. As such, this course assesses the structure, processes, and interaction patterns within the educational system. All levels (elementary, secondary, and postsecondary), and types (public and private) of education are considered. The course also examines the impact of education on social stratification, social mobility, and socioeconomic inequality, especially along race, gender, and class lines.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

**SOC 384. Medical Sociology. 3 Credit Hours.**
A brief early history, methods, theory and concepts of social science research on health and health care mainly from the last half of the previous century to the present. We will explore gender, race, class, age, social and cultural differences in the experiences of individuals as they deal with health and illness across the life course. The course will provide students with a sociological analysis of a broad array of health/illness issues and the health services industry.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

**SOC 385. U.S. Latinos. 3 Credit Hours.**
Sociological perspectives are employed in the examination of the historical, social, economic, and cultural experiences of Latino/as in the United States.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

**SOC 386. U.S. Immigration. 3 Credit Hours.**
The major sociological debates in the field of immigration with an emphasis on recent immigrants to the U.S.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Offered by Announcement Only.

**SOC 387. Race and Ethnic Relations. 3 Credit Hours.**
The nature and dynamics of race and ethnic relations with particular emphasis on racial and ethnic groups in the United States. We examine basic concepts and major theories in the analysis of race and ethnic relations, racial and ethnic inequality, past and recent immigration experiences, and the historical and current status of specific racial and ethnic groups. Students will also be engaged in a variety of exercises designed to develop critical assessment and analytical skills for examining and understanding issues related to race and ethnicity.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**SOC 388. The Black Ghetto in Urban Society. 3 Credit Hours.**
The origin and development of the concept of "ghetto" and application of this concept to both past and contemporary views of black life in America. Students are introduced to the historical and social significance of the black ghetto in the context of the larger body of literature on the ghetto phenomenon. Emphasis is placed on gaining an understanding and developing critical insight into issues and prospects for the resolution of issues related to black ghettoization.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

**SOC 389. The Black Athlete in White America. 3 Credit Hours.**
The impact of racism on sport in the United States with a specific focus on the Black athlete. Drawing upon the literature on race and sport in America, the course takes a historical view of the social context in which black athletes have competed and excelled in their craft against tremendous odds both inside and outside of sport competition.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.
SOC 390. Directed Studies. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individually supervised readings or research on special topics offered by arrangement with instructor.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 391. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Content will vary by semester.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SOC 401. Sociological Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
The work of theorists such as Comte, Durkheim, Marx, Weber, Parsons, and symbolic interactionists. The epistemology, methodology, and social ontology is each theory is discussed, along with the social context and chief concerns of each theorist.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SOC 410. Social Research Practicum. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Each student will work directly with a designated faculty mentor to obtain general research training, data analysis techniques, and technical writing skills. AB part of the research practicum, students will work in collaboration with their faculty mentor to prepare a journal-length research manuscript and assemble related research materials to gain practical knowledge of the scientific research process. This one-on-one experience will also enhance students' training in sociology and provide them with useful analysis and writing skills when they enter the job market.
Prerequisites: SOC 101 and SOC 210 and SOC 211 and SOC 212.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SOC 470. Theories of Deviant Behavior. 3 Credit Hours.
Various theories of causes of deviance/crime. It begins with an overview of the early classical and positivist foundations of criminological thought and then moves on to discussing more recent extensions of social disorganization, strain, control, social learning, and other contemporary theories of crime. It also covers the role of theory in scientific research, familiarizes with the foundations of current theoretical debates in criminology, and introduces the empirical research on the reviewed theories.
Prerequisite: SOC 101 and SOC 371.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SOC 480. Health Disparities in the U.S.. 3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive examination of U.S. health disparities based on a variety of social variables, including race and ethnicity, gender, socioeconomic status, sexual orientation, and the environment. In doing so, this course will draw on theoretical perspectives from multiple disciplines to examine the relationship between social factors and health outcomes. The most pressing U.S. health disparities will be discussed and put into a historical and global context in order to identify priorities for the elimination of health disparities. After exploding the known and suspected causes of disparities in health outcomes, attention will turn to an overview of the common multi-level strategies used to reduce health disparities. Students will go away with a broad-based understanding of current health disparities issues and the ability to critically examine these issues.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

SOC 487. Race, Ethnicity, and Criminal Justice. 3 Credit Hours.
An in-depth examination of the relationships involving race, ethnicity, immigration, crime, and the criminal justice system. We will consider why these are important issues to study, how and what we know about these relationships, and how we might explain them. We will direct attention to research on defining race and ethnicity, racial and ethnic variations in criminal victimization and offending, population distributions, policing, the court system and sentencing, corrections, and the death penalty. Our approach will primarily be sociological, although where appropriate we will draw from other disciplines (e.g., political science, history, etc.) as well. Prerequisite: Six credits in Sociology.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
SOC 488. Gender and Crime. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of gender, power, and crime, including feminist theories and the criminal justice system.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 490. Directed Studies in Sociology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Supervised independent study on special topics. Arrangement with individual faculty.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SOC 491. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
This upper level course is designed to address a specific topic which will vary by semester.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 492. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
This upper level course is designed to address a specific topic which will vary by semester.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 493. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
This upper level course is designed to address a specific topic which will vary by semester.
Prerequisite: SOC 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 498. Senior Honors Thesis in Sociology or Criminology I. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Independent research project.
Prerequisites: SOC 101 and SOC 210 and SOC 211 and SOC 212.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SOC 499. Senior Honors Thesis in Sociology or Criminology II. 3-6 Credit Hours.
Independent research project.
Prerequisites: SOC 101 and SOC 210 and SOC 211 and SOC 212.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SOC 601. Classical Sociological Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
The focus of this course is the work of Comte, Durkheim, Marx, Weber, and Parsons, along with more recent perspectives such as symbolic interactionism, phenomenology, ethnomethodology, and critical theory.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 602. Contemporary Sociological Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Recent developments in social theory, such as, for example, the work of Giddens, Habermas, Derrida, Bourdieu, Baudrillard, and Lyotard, along with important themes such as feminism, integration, the linguistic turn, habitus, (anti)foundationalism, and symbolic violence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
SOC 603. Special Topic: Sociology of Knowledge-Science and Technology. 3 Credit Hours.
To address the debates over the nature of social science and technology. In addition to the theoretical disputes, the applications, critiques, and politics of scientific inquiry and technology use will be the focus of attention.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SOC 604. Proseminar in Sociology. 1 Credit Hour.
Introduction to Sociology: the research process, departmental resources, and the graduate program.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

SOC 609. Social Statistics. 3 Credit Hours.
Probability theory, descriptive statistics and tests of independence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 610. Advanced Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
Quantitative techniques for the measurement of theoretical constructs, the consequences of technique selection, and the relationships between method and underlying theory.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 611. Advanced Sociological Statistical Analysis I. 3 Credit Hours.
Multiple linear regression and regression diagnostics using Stata, analysis of categorical dependent variables, count dependent variables, simultaneous equations, and panel data models. Some topics may not be covered and others may be added at the discretion of the instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

SOC 612. Sociological Statistics II. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced statistical analysis techniques covering topics such as hierarchical linear models (HLM), structural equation models (SEM), instrumental variables (IV), factor analysis, propensity score matching (PSM), and nonparametric methods. Some topics may not be covered and others may be added at the discretion of the instructor.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 613. Qualitative Research Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
In-depth introduction to qualitative, inductive methods, with emphases on grounded theory and action research. Focus on qualitative interviewing (including focus groups) and participant observation for the collection of data in naturalistic social settings, with simultaneous data analysis; qualitative methods in mixed-methods research introduced. Covers ties between methods and theory, additional basic methods used in qualitative research, and typical analytic approaches; touch on more esoteric methods; study current issues and debates relevant to this set of approaches to generating knowledge.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 614. Evaluation Research. 3 Credit Hours.
Conceptualizing, designing, conducting, and interpreting the results of evaluation research programs in health and human service agencies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 615. Class Structure and Social Stratification. 3 Credit Hours.
Theoretical and research approaches to class structure and social stratification, with a focus on the U.S. Examines the conflict perspective(s) and major alternative views including economic class, status and power, gender and race.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
SOC 616. Social Psychology: Sociological Perspectives. 3 Credit Hours.
Theories and research addressing the mutual influence between social groups and structures, on the one hand, and individual selves and behaviors, on the other. Balance emphasis between symbolic interactionist and structural approaches, with attention to additional related, yet distinct theoretical perspectives.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 617. Social Organization. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines theories of organization and work, discrimination, technology and job design, bureaucracy, productivity and organizational culture, responsible organizations, and alienation.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 620. Social Epidemiology. 3 Credit Hours.
Theories, issues and methods of study pertinent to health and illness in society. Social factors implicated in patterns of disease occurrence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 622. Teaching Seminar in Sociology. 3 Credit Hours.
Pedagogical techniques for teaching sociology at the college/university level.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

SOC 632. Social Psychology of Health and Illness. 3 Credit Hours.
Social and psychological factors affecting susceptibility to illness, health related beliefs and behaviors, the doctor-patient relationship, and health care systems and patient compliance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 635. Medical Sociology: Issues in Research and Theory. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of health, illness, and health care from sociological perspectives. Includes social-structural, interpretive, and critical approaches, as various authors have used these to address specific issues. Phenomena to be examined range from macro (e.g. population patterns of mortality and morbidity, health care policy) to micro (e.g. the subjective experience of illness). Related theories and methodologies discussed. Focus varies somewhat by instructor and as issues emerge in the discipline.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 636. Health Diversity Across the Life Course. 3 Credit Hours.
Diversity in health across the life course from broad sociological and cross-disciplinary theoretical traditions. Key questions in medical sociology will be addressed to discover the impact of the life course processes on the health or vitality of diverse individuals and diverse populations, with a focus on inequality and the elements of time and history.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 650. Social Analysis of Race Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
The impact of race relations research on the discipline of sociology.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 651. Race Relations: Social Psychological Perspectives. 3 Credit Hours.
Social psychological perspectives on the nature, causes, and consequences of racial inequality in American society.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
SOC 652. Theories of Race and Ethnic Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
Micro- and macro-level theories of race and ethnic relations.
Components: DIS.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 653. Race, Ideology, and Framing Inequality. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines the various ideologies that have emerged on the limited states to describe and, at times, resist racial inequality.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 670. Theories in Criminology and Criminal Justice. 3 Credit Hours.
Review and critique of central criminological theories. Evaluation of these theories in view of recent criminological research.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 671. Seminar on Criminology. 3 Credit Hours.
Selected issues, topics, theories, and recent research in criminology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 672. Research in Crime and Delinquency. 3 Credit Hours.
Measurement issues; effects of race, gender, age, and socio-economic status on criminality; extra-legal factors affecting criminal justice decision making.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 673. The Criminal Justice System. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the U.S. criminal justice system. Topics include historical and current concepts of criminal justice, the interrelationships among the different components of the system, and the roles and functions of the system in American society. The four major areas covered include philosophies of punishment, policing, courts, and corrections.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

SOC 674. Seminar on Policing. 3 Credit Hours.
The role of the police in American society. The focus is on the sociological study of policing: the analysis and evaluation of research. Topics include the history of the police, their role in American society and in the American system of criminal justice. In addition, drawing upon current research studies, discussion and critique of important issues and trends in modern policing.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

SOC 675. Courts, Corrections and Punishment. 3 Credit Hours.
A broad overview of criminal court systems, sentencing, and corrections. Sociological, criminological, and sociolegal perspectives are drawn upon to blend both theoretical and policy perspectives in order to examine these systems critically. Particular attention will be given to the topics of racial, gender, and class disparities in criminal justice punishment. The course is organized around these themes: 1) theories of punishment and social control; 2) court organizations, actors, and sentencing 3) incarceration, and 4) other correctional populations, including probation and parole
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
SOC 676. Seminar on Juvenile Delinquency. 3 Credit Hours.
The overall objective is to provide students with an understanding of the current research and knowledge on juvenile delinquency. Topics include the nature and extent of delinquency, the social causes of juvenile delinquency, and assess research concerning social factors leading to delinquency. In addition, students will study current thinking and research concerning the control and prevention of delinquency.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

SOC 677. Criminology and Public Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Various issues in crime and criminal justice policy and the role of criminological theory and research in addressing them are discussed. Topics will include trends in crime rates, guns and violence, gangs, drugs and crime, policing, courts and sentencing, community corrections and offender re-entry, capital punishment, and environmental criminology. Emphasis is on understanding implications of theoretical criminology for criminal justice practice and on examining the role of scientific research and empirical evidence in addressing the issues in crime and justice. Various crime control strategies and crime prevention programs and their effectiveness and challenges to their implementation are covered. Special topics will vary by instructor.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

SOC 679. Communities and Crime. 3 Credit Hours.
Examination of various aspects of the relationships between communities, crime, and crime control. Major theoretical traditions - such as social disorganization theory, routine activities theory, and broken windows - are addressed. The roles of neighborhood structure and process, and their relationships with various forms of crime and policing, are covered.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

SOC 680. Race/Ethnicity, Crime and Criminal Justice. 3 Credit Hours.
An in-depth examination of the relationships involving race, ethnicity, immigration; crime; and the criminal justice system. Topics include why these are important issues to study, how and what we know about these relationships, and how we might explain them. Attention is directed to research on defining race and ethnicity, racial and ethnic variations in criminal victimization and offending, population distributions, policing, the court system and sentencing, corrections, and the death penalty. The approach will primarily be sociological, although where appropriate other disciplines (e.g., political science, history) will be drawn on as well.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

SOC 681. Sociology of Violence. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminar on issues relevant to the sociology of violence, with a focus on violence in the United States. While the emphasis throughout will be on street violence (i.e., homicide, robbery, rape, and aggravated assault), other forms of violence (e.g., corporate violence, family violence) will also be covered. In particular, we will examine violence in historical, international, and situational contexts, the major explanations of it, the factors associated with it, and efforts to control and prevent violence.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

SOC 682. Alcohol, Drugs, and Crime. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of different categories of illegal drugs and review their basic psychopharmacology, the sociological constructions of the dangers of drug use, the racialization of drug use and connections with “dangerous classes” of people, and the social consequences of America’s particular brand of social control. The goals are to present these issues in all their complexity and explore some of the repercussions of addressing them in the ways that the US has chosen.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.
SOC 683. Comparative Criminal Justice Systems. 3 Credit Hours.
Focus is on understanding crime and justice issues from a comparative, cross-national standpoint. Extant definitions of crime and deviance are placed in cultural contexts, existing methods of studying crime on a global scale, and various types of criminal behavior that occur in isolated group contexts as well as those crimes that transcend country boundaries are discussed. Topics will include genocide, transnational organized crime, human trafficking, and international terrorism. Criminal justice systems from select countries around the world and their responses to both localized and transnational crime are reviewed. Critical comparative analysis of crime and justice issues is emphasized. The final research paper will require integrating theory, methods, and scholarly writing using a global perspective.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

SOC 690. Directed Studies. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individually supervised readings or research on special topics. Offered by arrangement with the instructor.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 691. Special Topics and Current Issues in Medical Sociology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Seminar topics will be announced in schedule of classes.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 692. Special Topics and Current Issues in Criminology. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Seminar topics will be announced in schedule of classes.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 693. Special Topics and Current Issues in Race/Ethnic Relations. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Seminar topics will be announced in schedule of classes.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SOC 791. Graduate Internship and Paper. 6 Credit Hours.
Internships are intended to provide students with meaningful work experiences related to their professional interests. This is especially the case for students who are not yet employed in positions related to criminology and/or criminal justice. The internship period should provide the student with the opportunity to examine a criminal justice-related agency or organization, its various roles and functions, and to participate in work experiences related to that agency's goals and purposes. The academic goal is to provide integration of theoretical concepts in criminology and criminal justice with the demands and constraints imposed within a professional work role. For students the internship represents an opportunity to achieve this integration and to acquire experience in the area in which they have been academically trained. Students who elect to take the internship and required paper will complete approximately 300 hours of work with an agency and will complete an approximately 30 page paper.
SOC 791 18 hr requirement.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SOC 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's thesis enrolls for credit, in most departments not to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SOC 820. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the thesis for the master's degree after the student has enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in SOC 710 (usually six credits). Credit not granted. May be regarded as full time residence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
SOC 830. Pre-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but not for more than 6 hours. Up to 6 hours may be taken in a regular semester or in a summer session.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SOC 840. Post-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. who have advanced to candidacy. The student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor, but not for less than a total of 12.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SOC 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish research in residence for the Ph.D. after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

Spanish (SPA)

SPA 101. Elementary Spanish I. 3 Credit Hours.
For students with no background or previous study of Spanish. The focus of SPA 101 is the development of communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehension of Spanish and an introduction to the cultural practices of the Spanish-speaking world. Themes on: university life, family, leisure activities, and professions. Includes both oral and written assignments of grammatical structures and vocabulary introduced, informal and formal writing. Conducted entirely in Spanish. Not open to students who have completed 2 or more years of high school Spanish. Closed to heritage and native speakers of Spanish.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 102. Elementary Spanish II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of SPA 101. The development of communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehension of Spanish and an introduction to the cultural practices of the Spanish-speaking world. Themes on: childhood and adolescence, university life, home and community, food and lifestyle, and environmental issues. Includes both oral and written assessments of grammatical structure and vocabulary introduced, informal and formal writing. Conducted entirely in Spanish.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 105. Accelerated Elementary Spanish. 3 Credit Hours.
For students with previous study of Spanish needing to review material covered in SPA 101 and 102 in preparation for continued study of Spanish at the intermediate level. The focus of SPA 105 is the continued development of communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehension of Spanish and an introduction to the cultural practices of the Spanish-speaking world. Themes on: university life, family, leisure activities, and professions, childhood and adolescence, home and community, food and lifestyle, and environmental issues. Includes both oral and written assessments of grammatical structures and vocabulary introduced, informal and formal writing. Conducted entirely in Spanish.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SPA 107. Basic Spanish for Heritage Learners. 3 Credit Hours.
Designed for students with little or no prior instruction in Spanish who, because of family background or social experience, can understand some casual spoken Spanish and have a passive knowledge of the language, but do not speak the language themselves. Focus on developing basic speaking, reading, and writing abilities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 195. Transfer Credit. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 100-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
SPA 201. Intermediate Spanish I. 3 Credit Hours.
For students with previous study of Elementary-level Spanish. The focus of SPA 201 is the continued development of communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing and comprehension of Spanish and as an introduction to the cultural practices, family values, and social and environmental issues. Includes both oral and written assessments of grammatical structures and vocabulary introduced, informal and formal writing. Conducted entirely in Spanish.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 202. Intermediate Spanish II. 3 Credit Hours.
For students with previous study of Spanish at the intermediate level. SPA 202 focuses on the continued development of critical skills in reading, writing, speaking and listening in Spanish with special emphasis on the cultural diversity of the Spanish-speaking world. Themes on: relationships, cultural values, different historical perspectives, and current politics explored through articles, films, and literary texts. The course will develop writing and reading strategies, providing students with the tools to think, read, and write critically and analytically in papers of 1-3 pages. Progress will also be assessed through quizzes and exams. Course conducted entirely in Spanish.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SPA 203. Advanced Spanish. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of SPA 202. This course prepares students for advanced literature, linguistics, and culture courses. The class will use films, literary works, and other cultural texts. Students will write analytic essays of 3-5 pages to develop style, vocabulary, and syntax.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SPA 207. Intermediate Spanish for Heritage Learners. 3 Credit Hours.
Designed for students with some prior instruction in Spanish who, because of family background or social experience, can understand casual spoken Spanish and have some functional communication abilities in the language. Focus on developing basic speaking, reading, and writing abilities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 208. Advanced Spanish for Heritage Learners. 3 Credit Hours.
Designed for those students who, because of family background or social experience and prior instruction in Spanish, possess functional communication abilities in the language. Focus is on developing formal speaking, reading and writing abilities. Counts towards the major and minor in Spanish.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 280. Special Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 200 level study abroad course led by UM faculty.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

SPA 295. Transfer credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 200-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.

SPA 301. Interpreting Literary and Cultural Texts in Spanish. 3 Credit Hours.
Sixth semester of college Spanish. Tools for the interpretation and analysis of literary and cultural materials from the Spanish-speaking world. Acquisition of terminology and theories through the study of the main literary genres (prose, poetry, and drama) and a complementary genre of cultural analysis (e.g. film studies, cultural studies, etc.). Emphasis on critical writing skills. Closed to heritage/native speakers. Students may not receive credit for both SPA 301 and SPA 307(formerly 343). The course is taught in Spanish.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
SPA 302. The Culture of Spain. 3 Credit Hours.
Historical survey of the arts, science, letters, and political and social institutions in Spain.
Prerequisite: SPA 203 OR SPA 208.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 303. The Cultures of Spanish America. 3 Credit Hours.
Historical survey of the arts, letters, science, and political and social institutions in Spanish-speaking Americas.
Prerequisite: SPA 203 OR SPA 208.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 307. Interpreting Literary and Cultural Texts in Spanish for Heritage/Native Speakers. 3 Credit Hours.
Tools for the interpretation and analysis of literary and cultural materials from the Spanish-speaking world. Acquisition of terminology and theories through the study of the main literary genres (prose, poetry, and drama) and a complementary genre of cultural analysis (e.g., film studies, cultural studies, etc.). Emphasis on critical writing skills. Special attention to characteristics of heritage/native speaker expression. Students may not receive credit for both 301 and 307  – or formerly 343.
Prerequisite: SPA 208.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SPA 310. Topics in Spanish and Spanish American Studies in Translation. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics in the literatures and/or cultures of the Spanish-speaking world. Readings and discussion in English. Development of critical reading and writing skills. Fulfills humanities literature requirement. Does not fulfill foreign language requirement. Maybe be repeated when the topic varies. Maybe used toward the Spanish major in accordance with Department of Modern Languages and Literature stipulations.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 318. Cinema from the Spanish-Speaking World in Translation. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics in the cinema of the Spanish-speaking world. Analysis of films in their cultural context. This course is taught in English and does not fulfill the CAS foreign language requirement. Maybe be repeated for credit if topics vary.
Prerequisite: ENG 106 or ENG 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 321. Introduction to Literary Themes. 3 Credit Hours.
Hispanic literatures through thematic readings. Topics may include Modernismo and Cosmopolitismo, the "Boom" of Latin American narrative, Spanish vanguard poetry, and others. May be repeated for credit if topics vary.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SPA 322. Cultural Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Issues related to the cultures in the Spanish-speaking world. Topics may include film, journalism, religion, language in society, popular and mass culture, visual arts, immigration, slavery, mestizaje. May be repeated for credit if topics vary.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 325. Topics in Spanish-Language Cinema. 3 Credit Hours.
Cinema of the Spanish-speaking world. Analysis of films in their cultural context. May be repeated for credit if topics vary.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
SPA 330. Topics in Gender and Sexuality. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of gender and sexuality as developed in the Hispanic context. May be repeated if topics vary.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 340. Migration Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics within the literary and/or cultural dimensions of migration in the Spanish-speaking world.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 353. Colonial Spanish American Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics within Latin American literatures and cultures from the colonial centuries. May be repeated for credit if topics vary.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 354. 19th-Century Spanish American Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics within Latin American literature and cultures from independence to the end of the nineteenth century. May be repeated for credit if topics vary.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 355. Studies in 20th and 21st Century Latin American Literatures and Cultures. 3 Credit Hours.
Latin American literature and cultures from the beginning of the 20th century to the present. May be used to fulfill the humanities literature requirement.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 360. The Caribbean through Literary Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of the Spanish Caribbean through literary and cultural studies. May be repeated if topics vary.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

SPA 362. Caribbean Cultural Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Cultural Topics within the Spanish-speaking Caribbean. May be repeated for credit when topics vary.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 363. Medieval and Early Modern Peninsular Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics within Spanish peninsular literature and cultures from the earliest literary forms through the seventeenth century. May be repeated for credit if topics vary.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 364. 18th and 19th Century Peninsular Topics. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics within Spanish peninsular literatures and cultures from the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries. May be repeated for credit if topics vary.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
SPA 365. Studies in 20th and 21st Century Spanish Literatures and Cultures. 3 Credit Hours.
Spanish peninsular literatures and cultures from the twentieth century to the present. May be used to fulfill the humanities literature requirement.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SPA 394. Spanish Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The internship is an opportunity to apply analytical, interpretative, and creative skills developed in coursework. Internships ordinarily take place outside the University and they involve UM-faculty supervision, as well as supervised on-site experience in a Spanish-speaking cultural, business, or not-for-profit organization. Students need to fill out the Internship Application Form. Normally 27 internship hours are required per credit earned. A maximum of three semester hours of internship credit may be counted toward the student’s degree program. Permission of MLL faculty member is required (the host will apply documentary evidence of the hours worked).
Prerequisite: SPA 203 OR SPA 208.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 395. Transfer credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 300-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.

SPA 396. Transfer credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

SPA 397. Transfer credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

SPA 398. Transfer credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

SPA 399. Transfer credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

SPA 401. Introduction to Hispanic Linguistics. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey of principal areas of inquiry in Hispanic linguistics, including phonetics/phonology, morphology, syntax, pragmatics, historical, social and dialectal variations.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 402. Spanish Second Language Acquisition. 3 Credit Hours.
The linguistic contrast between Spanish and English and the pedagogical and practical implications of understanding language, especially grammar, from a foreign/second language perspective.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 410. Digital Literacy Through Cultural and Literary Topics in Spanish. 3 Credit Hours.
Digital research methods and tools applied to literary and cultural studies in Spanish. The course looks at major texts in Spanish as data, and with many approaches available to collect, annotate, process, analyze and interpret them. Concepts covered include but are not limited to textual corpus, semantic tagging, text mining, and topic modeling.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
SPA 422. Topics in Hispanic Linguistics. 3 Credit Hours.
Special topics in the study of Hispanic linguistics. Possibilities include phonetics/phonology, pragmatics/discourse analysis, sociolinguistics, sociocultural theory, bilingualism.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 432. Business Ethics and Cultural Debates in Spanish. 3 Credit Hours.
Commercial vocabulary, economic, technical, and diplomatic terminology in Spanish. Composition based on models of business correspondence directed to Spanish-speaking countries or firms.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 433. Medical, Cultural and Bioethical Debates in Spanish. 3 Credit Hours.
Medical vocabulary, technical and practical terminology in Spanish. Composition based on models of the documents, letters, medical history cases required in health care professions.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 434. Legal and Cultural Debates in the Spanish-Speaking World. 3 Credit Hours.
Legal vocabulary, technical and practical terminology in Spanish. Composition based on models of documents, letters and case histories required in legal professions.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 440. Phonetics. 3 Credit Hours.
Spanish pronunciation based on phonetics. Exercises in diction and phonetic transcription. Attention to individual difficulties. Conducted in Spanish.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 442. Stylistics and Composition. 3 Credit Hours.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 444. Introduction to Translation. 3 Credit Hours.
Problems in translation: Spanish to English; English to Spanish.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 446. Cultural Debates: Public Speaking on Societal Issues. 3 Credit Hours.
Intensive training in public speaking in Spanish for academic or professional settings. In-class debates and presentations based on readings about controversies or critical issues within the Spanish-speaking world.
Prerequisite: SPA 301 or SPA 302 or SPA 303 or SPA 307.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 495. Transfer Credits. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Awarded for 400-level course work at another institution for which UM has no direct equivalent.
Components: LEC.
Grading: CNC.
SPA 501. Capstone. 3 Credit Hours.
Course with a broad-based topic designed to integrate all the high-level linguistic, critical and analytical skills with the body of knowledge acquired during the course of study towards the major. Topics vary. Open only to undergraduates completing their Spanish major. To be taken in the last semester of the major.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SPA 591. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings at the undergraduate level.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 592. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings at the undergraduate level.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 593. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings at the undergraduate level.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 594. Senior Honors Thesis I. 3 Credit Hours.
Directed research for honors thesis.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SPA 595. Senior Honors Thesis II. 3 Credit Hours.
Directed writing of honors thesis.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

SPA 641. Elementary SPA I for Graduate Students. 0 Credit Hours.
Designed to develop graduate students' communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing and comprehending Spanish and to provide an introduction to the Spanish-speaking world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 642. Elementary SPA II for Graduate Students. 0 Credit Hours.
Continuation of SPA 641. Designed to develop graduate students' communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending Spanish, and continued engagement with the Spanish-speaking world.
Prerequisite: SPA 641.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 645. Accelerated Elementary SPA for Graduate Students. 0 Credit Hours.
For graduate students with prior study of Spanish who desire to review material covered in SPA641 and SPA642 in preparation for study of Spanish at the intermediate level. Designed to develop graduate students' communicative abilities in speaking, reading, writing, and comprehending Spanish, and continued engagement with the Spanish-speaking world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
SPA 647. Basic SPA for Graduate Heritage Learners. 0 Credit Hours.
For graduate students with little or no prior instruction in Spanish who, because of family background or social experience, can understand casual spoken Spanish and have a passive knowledge of the language but do not speak the language regularly. Focus on developing formal speaking, reading, and writing abilities, and knowledge of the Spanish-speaking world.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 651. Intermediate SPA I for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
For graduate students with previous study of elementary-level Spanish. Designed to develop graduate students' communication skills in both written and spoken Spanish at the intermediate level. Intended primarily for students who will carry out research in the Spanish-speaking world.
Prerequisite: SPA 642 or SPA 645.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 652. Intermediate SPA II for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
For graduate students with previous study of Spanish at the intermediate level. Designed to enhance graduate students' communication skills in both written and spoken Spanish at the high-intermediate level. Intended primarily for students who will carry out research in the Spanish-speaking world.
Prerequisite: SPA 651.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 653. Advanced SPA I for Graduate Research. 0 Credit Hours.
For graduate students with previous study of Spanish at the high-intermediate level. Designed to enhance graduate students' communication skills in both written and spoken Spanish at the advanced-low level. Intended primarily for students who will carry out research in the Spanish-speaking world.
Prerequisite: SPA 652.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 657. Intermediate SPA for Graduate Heritage Learners. 0 Credit Hours.
For graduate students with previous study of Spanish at the elementary level who, because of family background or social experience, can understand casual spoken Spanish and have a passive knowledge of the language but do not speak the language regularly. Designed to enhance graduate students' communication skills in both written and spoken Spanish at the intermediate-high level. Intended principally for heritage learners who will carry out research in the Spanish-speaking world.
Prerequisite: SPA 647.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 658. Advanced SPA for Graduate Heritage Learners. 0 Credit Hours.
For graduate students with previous study of Spanish at the intermediate-high level who, because of family background or social experience, can understand casual spoken Spanish and have a passive knowledge of the language but do not speak the language regularly. Designed to enhance graduate students' communication skills in both written and spoken Spanish at the advanced-low level. Intended principally for heritage learners who will carry out research in the Spanish-speaking world.
Prerequisite: SPA 657.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 693. Teaching Practicum. 3 Credit Hours.
Supervised pedagogical and professional training in collaboration with UM faculty.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 711. Topics in Spanish Medieval Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Recent topics: Libro de Buen amor, the epic, Berceo, cancionero poetry.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
SPA 713. Topics in the Golden Age. 3 Credit Hours.
Recent topics: culturanismo and conceptismo, La Celestina, Cervantes, the picaresque, sixteenth-century theatre.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 715. Topics in 18th-19th Century Spanish Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Recent topics: neoclassicism, romantic theatre, Spain and the European Enlightenment, Galdos, realism, postromantic poetry.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 716. Topics in 20th Century Spanish Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Recent topics: the generation of 1898, Garcia Lorca, the post-war novel, contemporary theater.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 721. Special Topics in Hispanic Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Special Topics in Hispanic Studies
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 733. Topics in Colonial Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Recent topics: the chroniclers, Sor Juana Ines de la Cruz, Baroque of the Indies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 735. Topics in 19th Century Latin American Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Recent topics include: romanticism, modernist poetry, anti-slavery novel.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 736. Topics in 20th Century Latin American Literature. 3 Credit Hours.
Recent topics: modernism, magic realism, the short story, the novel of the Mexican Revolution, the Boom and post-Boom.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 791. Writing Practicum. 1 Credit Hour.
The writing of a publishable research paper under faculty guidance.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

SPA 792. Directed Readings. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Directed Readings at the graduate level.
Components: IND.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 830. Pre-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. Prior to admission to candidacy, the student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Not more than 12 hours of SPA 730 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session. Students who have not passed their qualifying examinations yet, but are not taking any courses, may enroll in SPA 730.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
SPA 840. Post-Candidacy Doctoral Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ph.D. After admission to candidacy, the student will enroll for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Not more than 12 hours of SPA 740 may be taken in a regular semester, nor more than six in a summer session. Students who have passed their qualifying examinations, but are not taking courses any more, may enroll in SPA 740. Where a student has passed his/her qualifying examinations, and (b) is engaged in an assistantship, he/she may still take the maximum allowable credit stated above.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

SPA 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Used to establish residence for the Ph.D., after the student has been enrolled for the permissible cumulative total in appropriate doctoral research. Credit not granted. May be regarded as full-time residence as determined by the Dean of the Graduate School.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Strategic Communication (STC)

STC 102. Graphic Design for Strategic Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the art of visual communication as it relates to design for advertising and public relations. Students will learn how to use Adobe Photoshop and InDesign as tools for applying basic graphic design techniques used in print and promotional materials. Topics include typography, design principles, art & image manipulation, conceptualization and layout stages, color theory and color reproduction, and printing processes.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

STC 103. Statistical Reasoning for Strategic Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to statistical reasoning for advertising and public relations. 
Prerequisite: MTH 101 or Requisite: ALEKS MTH >= 60 or SAT MTH Section Score >= 620 or ACT MTH Score >=28.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

STC 114. Principles of Advertising. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the principles and practice of advertising in a free-market economy. Students will be introduced to several areas of advertising including account planning, creative strategy, media planning, research methods, consumer behavior, and integrated marketing. Emphasis on cultural, social, ethical, and regulatory aspects of advertising.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

STC 116. Principles of Public Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the principles and practice of public relations. Students will learn how public relations operates within organizations, its impact on publics and its functions in society. Students will study the professional development of the field; concepts, issues and principles in the practice; and models of theories guiding the practice. They will also be challenged to critically evaluate the practice and purpose of public relations in contemporary American society.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

STC 200. Advertising Strategy Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the development of effective advertising strategies. Topics include strategic, industry and competitor analysis, brand analysis and development, consumer behavior and segmentation, insight development, and writing a strategic and creative brief.
Prerequisite: STC 114.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

STC 201. Public Relations Strategy Development. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces students to research-based strategy development and planning at the core of public relations practice.
Prerequisite: STC 116.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
STC 202. Advanced Graphic Design for Advertising. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will delve more deeply into the concepts of graphic design as they relate to the field of advertising. More specifically, this course will touch upon the use of art, illustration, and photography in advertising design. Topics also will include brand design, visual identity guidelines, and campaign building from a visual standpoint. Students will learn to use Adobe Illustrator as a tool for creating artwork in both traditional and non-traditional media. This course serves as a foundation for advertising portfolio development.
Prerequisite: STC 102.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

STC 203. Advanced Graphic Design for Public Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
Graphic design techniques for public relations and the use of computer software as layout and design tools. Selection, preparation, and study of design principles and production processes for typography, photography, art work, and white space.
Prerequisites: STC 102.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

STC 231. Creative Advertising Concepts and Copywriting. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to creative advertising. Students learn how to create advertising campaign ideas as well as the fundamentals of writing for television, the internet, print, social media, and others.
Prerequisite: STC 114. And JMM 108.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

STC 232. Writing for Public Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles and techniques for the development of creative strategies, concepts, and writing of effective public relations messages for all types of media.
Prerequisites: JMM 108, STC 116 or STC 114 or JMM 102.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

STC 233. Writing for Advertising Account Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to writing for the business side of advertising. This course will prepare students to write and create comprehensive reports and prepare presentations related to the function of account management, including agency credentials and pitch presentations, writing for research and creative strategies, and preparing briefing and summary documents.
Prerequisite: STC 114. And JMM 108.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

STC 290. Special Topics in Strategic Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
This course subject matter varies according to announced special topic. See class schedule for details.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 302. Advanced Graphic Design and Photography. 3 Credit Hours.
This course builds upon photography and image manipulation techniques for varied formats in graphic design, including print, outdoor and non-traditional media. Students will create visual messages and focused visual statements, as well as gain an understanding of how to produce complex conceptual images for advertising using Adobe Creative Suite software. Topics will include conceptual thinking, photography, image manipulation, and creative strategy development and execution.
Prerequisites: STC 102 and STC 202 or STC 203.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
STC 303. Typography and Brand Design. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide an advanced experience in the development and understanding of brand design and typography. Students will develop a custom typeface and create a branding project that will encompass all facets of a brand’s experience. Topics included are: typographic essentials, typographic design, creating effective logos and trademarks, visual identity guidelines, packaging, merchandise design and environmental graphics. Prerequisite: STC 102, and STC 202.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 304. Project Management for Advertising. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will introduce students to project management methodology, the use of project management tools in the advertising industry and in advertising campaign management, and the key components and approaches to successful project management. Topics include defining a project scope, writing a project plan, defining objectives and metrics of success, and elements of managing a project successfully.
Prerequisite: STC 103.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 311. Public Relations Research. 3 Credit Hours.
Public relations research techniques focusing on applications of strategic planning, message evaluation, opinion research, and theory testing of public relations programs. Emphasis on qualitative and quantitative methods and data analysis. Prerequisite: STC 103 OR JMM 285 OR PSY 291 OR PSY 292 OR MAS 201 OR STC 201 OR STC 200.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

STC 312. Research Methods for Advertising. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of research techniques used in the field of advertising. Students will learn to collect, analyze, and report secondary and primary research findings as they apply to advertising decision-making.
Prerequisite: STC 103 OR JMM 285 OR PSY 291 OR PSY 292 OR MAS 201 OR STC 201 OR STC 200.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

STC 316. Ethics in Strategic Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will focus on ethical issues as they relate to the fields of advertising and public relations. Case studies will focus on the application of personal and professional ethical standards as applied to contemporary industry practices.
Prerequisite: STC 116 AND Prerequisite: STC 114.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 330. Travel and Tourism. 3 Credit Hours.
Development of tourism and destination promotion strategies and initiatives. Overview of public relations account structures within the tourism industries of airlines, travel destinations, hotels, and others.
Prerequisite: STC 114 Or STC 116 And Junior Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 331. Advanced Copywriting. 3 Credit Hours.
An advanced course in creative advertising concepts and copywriting. Students learn advanced techniques to create, execute, and pitch persuasive advertising ideas for television, print, social media, radio, and the Internet.
Prerequisite: STC 231.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

STC 334. Social Media Messaging and Strategies. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will examine the utility of major social media platforms as they relate to strategic communication. Topics will include message and campaign development, targeting, engagement, writing across social media platforms, social media management, and analytics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
STC 340. Digital and Mobile Advertising. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will explore the use and effectiveness of digital and mobile advertising platforms for contemporary advertising campaign development, focusing on concepts such as consumer targeting, message development, and the determination of appropriate media selections.
Prerequisite: STC 114.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 346. Public Relations Message Development and Execution. 3 Credit Hours.
This course teaches students to integrate public relations writing and design techniques in order to effectively reach a desired target audience. Students will learn to create strategic messages in multiple outlets, such as e-newsletters and brochures, and also will learn how to create and execute successful media pitches.
Prerequisites: STC 203 and STC 232.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

STC 350. International and Cross-cultural Advertising. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will explore the economic, political, and socio-cultural issues that drive the strategies behind multicultural advertising in the U.S., as well as international advertising in the global marketplace. Emphasis will be placed on understanding cultural similarities and differences as they relate to multicultural and international advertising.
Prerequisite: STC 114.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 380. Advertising Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students select an internship in the field of advertising for on-the-job training. The student will work a minimum of 45 hours per credit. No more than three (3) credits of internship may be completed in any given semester.
Requisite: Sophomore Status, Cumulative GPA 2.5.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

STC 381. Public Relations Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students select an internship in the field of public relations for on-the-job training. The student will work a minimum of 45 hours per credit. No more than three (3) credits of internship may be completed in any given semester.
Requisite: Sophomore Status, Cumulative GPA 2.5.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

STC 384. Advertising Creative Strategy and Execution. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will have students engaged in the development of creative advertising campaigns. Students will be immersed in the development of big ideas and the execution of those ideas across multiple media platforms to meet specific campaign objectives.
Prerequisite: STC 200. And STC 202. And STC 231.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

STC 388. Media Planning. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the principles and concepts of advertising media planning including media selection, media plan development, forecasting, and budgeting.
Prerequisite: STC 200 or JMM 102 and JMM 108.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

STC 389. Media Buying and Advertising Sales. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will learn the art of buying media in all categories, as well as how to sell advertising space in these media.
Prerequisite: STC 201 and JMM 102 and JMM 108.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
STC 390. Art Direction. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will teach students art direction skills highly focused on the conceptual development and execution of campaigns across multiple media platforms, including print, TV/video, interactive, digital, and social media.
Prerequisites: STC 202 or STC 203 and STC 231 or STC 232.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

STC 401. Seminar in Advertising and Society. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will examine the ethical, persuasive, cultural, societal, and economic effects of advertising, focusing on the theoretical frameworks that explain how advertising works in these arenas.
Requisite: Junior Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 404. Advertising Entrepreneurship. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the entrepreneurial aspects of working in the advertising industry, from the perspective of assisting in the launch of a new brand or company, and from that of the process of defining and starting a new advertising agency business.
Prerequisite: STC 200 and Junior Standing or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 402. Public Opinion and Mass Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
An exploration of the formation and role of public opinion in mass communication. Emphasis is placed on its role in advertising and promotion. Topics include the evolution and history of public opinion in American culture, the application of public opinion on attitude formation and persuasion, measurement of public opinion, and propaganda.
Requisite: Junior Status or Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 412. Advanced Research Methods for Advertising. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the application of advanced research techniques and methods related to the advertising field. Students will focus on practical quantitative and qualitative research techniques, as well as conducting experimental and creative research.
Requisite: Junior Standing or Higher.
Components: RSC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 414. Advanced Business and Advertising Strategy Development. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the holistic understanding and application of concepts in developing contemporary marketing, advertising and business strategies. Students will learn how to analyze industry, business, consumer, and organizational environments to develop strategic plans and implement an advertising strategy accordingly.
Prerequisite: STC 200 and Junior Standing or higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 423. Crisis Communication and Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces the student to crisis communication and management from a strategies, theory-based approach steeped in case research from historical cases and business case studies.
Prerequisite: STC 116 and STC 201 and Requisite: Junior Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 424. Media Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
Students in this course will get the inside scoop on how to communicate with reporters, will learn why different media outlets cover the same story in different ways, and how fake news is impacting the field of journalism.
Requisite: Junior Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
STC 425. Cases in Public Relations Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will examine the management and administrative functions of public relations using a case-study approach.
Pre-requisites: STC 116. And Requisite: Junior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 426. Sports, Publicity, and Promotions. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide a review, examination and practical application of sports communications, publicity and promotions in strategic communications.
Requisite: Junior Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 428. Public Relations Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles and practice of public relations management in a variety of contexts including agency, consultancy, corporate, and nonprofit.
Prerequisite: STC 116 and STC 201 and Requisite: Junior Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 434. Advertising Campaigns. 3 Credit Hours.
Capstone course in which students develop a full-scale advertising campaign. Students are responsible for conducting secondary and primary research, strategic planning, development of creative executions, planning and executing media selections, and campaign evaluation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

STC 435. Advanced Research Methods for Public Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines the measures, mechanisms, and necessary considerations for measuring public relations outcomes and communication effectiveness, as well as evaluating the impact of public relations efforts.
Rerequisite: STC 311 & Junior Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 436. Public Relations Campaigns. 3 Credit Hours.
The capstone course for seniors in their last year of study. Theory and principles, audience research, strategic planning, and targeted communication are applied in developing a campaign to influence attitudes and behavior on behalf of a real client. A written plan, professional presentation, and teamwork are emphasized.
Prerequisites: Public Relations Requisites by Track.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

STC 437. PR and Politics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will examine the candidates in current political elections, their likability factors, truthfulness, strengths and weaknesses, and how they get their messages out to the world.
Requisite: Junior Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 438. Practicum in Advertising. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students will work in the advertising field for advanced on-the-job training in their specific area of advertising specialization.
Prerequisite: STC 380. Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
STC 439. Public Relations Practicum. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students will work in the public relations field for on-the-job training. Students must work a minimum of 45 hours per credit earned.
Prerequisite: STC 381. Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

STC 444. Social Media Analytics. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide an overview and practical application of various public and commercial social media analytics and tools, and will cover sources of data, metrics, analyses, and tools used in the development of successful social media campaigns.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

STC 450. Strategic Communication in Health Care. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides a general introduction to the role of media and strategic communication in healthcare industry. A variety of topics are addressed from handling internal and external communication practice of health-related organizations to applying the principles of strategic communication to areas such as healthcare public relations and social marketing.
Prerequisite: STC 114 or STC 116 and STC 200 or STC 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

STC 460. Corporate Communication and Public Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on exploring external and internal environment of organizations. Students will learn how organizations use public relations and other forms of communication to strategically and effectively communicate with external and internal publics in today's complex business environment.
Prerequisite: STC 116 and STC 201 and Requisite: Junior Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 482. International Public Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides a general introduction to the study and practice of public relations within a global marketplace. A variety of topics are addressed including the role of culture in global public relations, differences in styles of public relations practices across international groups and the role organizations play in this process.
Prerequisite: STC 116 and STC 201 and Requisite: Junior Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 483. Integrated Marketing Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
An exploration of how brands are built and promoted through the integration of advertising, public relations, sales promotion, personal selling, direct marketing, and e-commerce.
Prerequisites: STC 114 or STC 116 or MKT 201.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 488. Digital, Mobile, and Web Media Evaluation. 3 Credit Hours.
Focus on the evaluation of digital, mobile, and web-based advertising as part of integrated advertising media plans. Topics include audience estimation, cost-gathering, and evaluation of potential effectiveness.
Prerequisite: STC 388.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 490. Special Topics in Advertising. 3 Credit Hours.
This course subject matter varies according to announced special topic. See class schedule for details.
Pre-requisite: STC 114.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
STC 491. The Business of Account Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will lead to a stronger understanding of the role of account management in marketing communication and advertising agencies. Topics will include advertising agency management, client services, and financial planning within the agency.
Prerequisite: STC 200 or Requisite: Junior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

STC 492. Advanced Advertising Creative Development. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide an advanced creative experience working in teams, while focusing on the creation of award-winning work. Projects are determined by industry award briefs.
Prerequisite: STC 202 and STC 231 and STC 384.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

STC 493. Special Topics in Public Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
This course subject matter varies according to announced special topic. See class schedule for details.
Requisite: Junior Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

STC 495. Advertising Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will learn to approach advertising problems at both micro and macro levels from the perspective of a manager in charge of solving such problems. Emphasis will be on problem identification, development of alternative strategies to solve problems, tactics for executing strategies, and evaluation of proposed solutions.
Prerequisites: STC 200 and STC 233 and STC 312 and STC 388. Requisite: Senior Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

STC 496. Advertising Portfolio Development. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will assist students in putting together a professional-quality advertising portfolio of their work.
Pre/Corequisite: STC 384 and Requisite: Senior Status.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

STC 498. AAF National Student Advertising Campaign Competition. 3 Credit Hours.
Students compete in the American Advertising Federation's National Student Advertising Campaign Competition.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 499. Projects and Directed Research in Strategic Communication. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual study. No more than three credits may be counted toward a Communication major or minor.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

STC 620. Public Relations Fundamentals. 3 Credit Hours.
A seminar to explore the theories and methodologies of public relations encompassing writing, principles, and campaigns. Students will explore public relations history and gain an understanding of how the various types of public relations (e.g., corporate, firm or agency, not-for-profit, governmental) operate within the larger business system.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

STC 621. Writing for Public Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles and techniques for the development of strategic thinking, information-gathering, and writing public relations messages across traditional, digital, social and web-based media.
Prerequisite: STC 620.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
STC 622. Design for Strategic Communication. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to design principles and tactics used in the creation of public relations messages and campaigns.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

STC 623. Crisis Communication and Management. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces the student to crisis communication and management from a strategies, theory-based approach steeped in case research from historical cases and business case studies.
Prerequisite: STC 620.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 624. Media Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
Students in this course will get the inside scoop on how to communicate with reporters, will learn why different media outlets cover the same story in different ways, and how fake news is impacting the field of journalism.
Prerequisite: STC 620.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 625. Cases in Public Relations Administration. 3 Credit Hours.
Course analyzes organizational principles, internal budgeting, and evaluation of public relations departments and counseling firms.
Prerequisite: STC 620. Or Requisite: Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 626. Sports, Publicity, and Promotions. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will provide a review, examination and practical application of sports communications, publicity and promotions in strategic communications.
Prerequisite: STC 620.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 628. Public Relations Management. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles and practice of public relations management in a variety of contexts including agency, consultancy, corporate, and nonprofit.
Prerequisite: STC 620.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 629. Special Topics Seminar in Public Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
A seminar to identify and discuss the role of fundraising in the not-for-profit sector.
Prerequisite: STC 620.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 632. Seminar in Public Relations and Political Campaigns. 3 Credit Hours.
A seminar to examine the role of public relations in American political campaigns.
Prerequisite: STC 620.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 634. Non-Profit and Public Information Campaigns. 3 Credit Hours.
A public seminar that focuses on non-profit organizations and governmental institutions.
Prerequisites: STC 620, STC 621, STC 622.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
STC 635. Advanced Research Methods for Public Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will delve into the measures, mechanisms, and necessary considerations for measuring public relations effectiveness and evaluating the impact of public relations efforts.
Prerequisites: COM 601, STC 620, COM 602 or COM 603.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 636. Public Relations Campaigns. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory and principles, audience research, strategic planning, and targeted communication are applied in developing a campaign to influence attitudes and behavior on behalf of a real client. A written plan, professional presentation, and teamwork are emphasized. You are expected to meet a substantial challenge by applying and building on knowledge and skills already acquired. Of special concern is how you acquit yourself as a working communication professional that is committed to the goal and who effectively budgets time, plans, exhibits leadership, adheres to ethical and legal practice, and demonstrates a strong work ethic.
Prerequisite: COM 601, STC 620, STC 621 And STC 622.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

STC 644. Seminar in Public Relations Ethics. 3 Credit Hours.
To explore through readings, discussion, and research contemporary ethical issues in public relations.
Prerequisite: STC 620. Or Requisite: Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 650. Strategic Communication in Health Care. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides a general introduction to the role of media and strategic communication in healthcare industry. A variety of topics are addressed from handling internal and external communication practice of health-related organizations to applying the principles of strategic communication to areas such as healthcare public relations and social marketing.
Prerequisite: STC 620. Or Requisite: Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 660. Corporate Communication and Public Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on exploring external and internal environment of organizations. Students will learn how organizations use public relations and other forms of communication to strategically and effectively communicate with external and internal publics in today’s complex business environment.
Prerequisites: COM 601, STC 620. Or Requisite: Permission of Instructor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 682. International Public Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides a general introduction to the study and practice of public relations within a global marketplace. A variety of topics are addressed including the role of culture in global public relations, differences in styles of public relations practices across international groups and the role organizations play in this process.
Prerequisite: STC 620.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

STC 690. Public Relations Practicum I. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Professional functions related to public relations requirements in a professional environment acting as an account executive.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

STC 691. Special Topics in Public Relations. 3 Credit Hours.
This course subject matter varies according to announced special topic. See course schedule for details.
Prerequisite: STC 620.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
STC 699. Advanced Projects and Directed Research in Public Relations. 1-6 Credit Hours.
Individual study. May be repeated to a maximum of six credits.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

Taxation Law (TAX)

TAX 140. TAXATION OF BUSINESS ENTITIES. 3 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Plan of Tax LLM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

TAX 800. Writing Requirement (Tax). 1-4 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Plan of Tax LLM.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.

TAX 801. Individual Research. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Plan of Tax LLM.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.

TAX 802. Individual Research - Tax. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Plan of Tax LLM.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.

TAX 810. Ind Grad Research. 1-4 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Plan of Tax LLM.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.

TAX 900. Tax Planning Skills. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Plan of Tax LLM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

TAX 903. Comparative Transfer Pricing. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Plan of Tax LLM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

TAX 910. Income Tax of Trusts and Estates. 3 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Plan of Tax LLM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

TAX 912. TRANS INVOLV CONSOLID GROUPS. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Plan of Tax LLM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

TAX 913. Adv Tx Corp Part Sub. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Plan of Tax LLM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

TAX 914. Tax Planning and Drafting. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Plan of Tax LLM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

TAX 915. International Inbound. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Plan of Tax LLM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
TAX 916. International Outbound. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Plan of Tax LLM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

TAX 917. High Net Worth. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Plan of Tax LLM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

TAX 918. International Trans Europe. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Plan of Tax LLM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

TAX 922. Limitations On Loss Utilization. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Plan of Tax LLM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

TAX 923. Structuring Latin American Investments into the U.S.. 1 Credit Hour.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

TAX 924. Structuring U.S. Investments into Latin America. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

TAX 925. Introduction to U.S. Tax System. 4 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Plan of Tax LLM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

TAX 926. TAXATION OF ATHLETES AND ENTERTAINERS. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Plan of Tax LLM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

TAX 930. International Transactions Latin America. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Plan of Tax LLM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

TAX 943. Federal Tax Procedure. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Plan of Tax LLM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

TAX 946. Federal Wealth Transfer Tax. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Plan of Tax LLM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

TAX 947. Partnership Tax II. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Plan of Tax LLM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAX 948. Corporate Tax. 3 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Plan of Tax LLM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

TAX 949. Property Transactions. 3 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Plan of Tax LLM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
TAX 950. Partnership Tax. 3 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Plan of Tax LLM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

TAX 954. Federal Criminal Tax Practice. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Plan of Tax LLM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAX 957. Tax Exempt Organizations. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Plan of Tax LLM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

TAX 958. Estate Planning. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Plan of Tax LLM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAX 959. Tax Accounting. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Plan of Tax LLM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

TAX 961. Advanced Corporate Tax. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Plan of Tax LLM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAX 964. Advanced Corporate Tax. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Plan of Tax LLM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAX 968. Tax Accounting. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Plan of Tax LLM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

TAX 971. Taxation of Investment Funds. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Plan of Tax LLM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

TAX 972. Taxation of Special Entities. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Plan of Tax LLM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAX 973. Income Tax Treaties. 2 Credit Hours.
Requisite: Plan of Tax LLM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAX 977. State and Local Tax. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: Plan of Tax LLM.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.

TAX 980. Tax Characterization. 2 Credit Hours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
TAX 983. Financial Instruments. 2 Credit Hours.  
Requisite: Plan of Tax LLM.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAX 984. Introduction to Financial Instruments. 1 Credit Hour.  
Requisite: Plan of Tax LLM.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.

TAX 985. Cross Border Taxation of Financial Instruments. 1 Credit Hour.  
Requisite: Plan of Tax LLM.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.

Teaching and Learning (TAL)

TAL 103. Psychological Foundations of Education. 3 Credit Hours.  
The first half of this course addresses the following topics related to the psychological foundations of education: the teaching-learning process in the classroom, human development, learning theories, and motivation. The second half of the course will address the following topics related to the social foundations of education: critical perspectives of education and schooling in the USA, issues such as accessibility, language hegemony, and race and racism through the lens of history, philosophy, anthropology, sociology and cultural studies.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 107. American Sign Language I. 3 Credit Hours.  
This course is designed to allow participants to learn about Deaf Culture and be able to sign with sufficient fluency to discuss work, social, and family topics using two to four sentence responses.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall.

TAL 191. Developmental Reading for College Students. 3 Credit Hours.  
Instruction in college level reading strategies based on individual student needs. Emphasis on vocabulary, comprehension and techniques of test preparation.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 203. Children's Literature. 3 Credit Hours.  
History, trends, and genres of children's literature with emphasis on children's literature as a curriculum resource.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 204. Building Positive Relationships in Diverse Inclusive Secondary Schools. 3 Credit Hours.  
Course is designed to assist general education teachers in meeting the needs of diverse secondary school students. Emphasis is placed on language and culture in the classroom, as well as students with disabilities.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 205. Contemporary Issues in Disability Studies. 3 Credit Hours.  
This course allows students to explore contemporary issues individuals with disabilities face with an emphasis on the more personal aspects of living with a disability and issues that influence their daily lives.  
Components: LEC.  
Grading: GRD.  
Typically Offered: Fall.
TAL 207. American Sign Language II. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to allow participants to learn about Deaf Culture and be able to sign with sufficient fluency to discuss work, social, and family topics using four to six sentence responses. Students will be able to independently participate in a signed conversation without the use of voicing. Prerequisite: TAL 107.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

TAL 305. Classroom and Behavior Management. 3 Credit Hours.
The principles of behavior analysis and classroom management strategies, both preventative and problem solving. Special emphasis includes effective communication with students, parents and other stakeholders; meeting the needs of all learners based on individual differences, cultural and linguistic diversity; knowledge of research-based strategies that support intellectual, personal and social well-being and development of all students; planning and conducting lessons in a safe, efficient and supportive learning environment. Field experience required.
Corequisite: TAL 306.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 306. Teacher Preparation Seminar I. 0 Credit Hours.
This hybrid zero credit course has been designed to provide additional support for students in our teacher preparation programs. Students will enroll in this course while they participate in a series of field experiences where they gain practical experience integrating theory and practice while working with students in K-12 settings. Major topics include: the Florida Educator Accomplished Practices, Live Text, and guidelines and procedures. Corequisite TAL 305.
Corequisite: TAL 305.
Components: SEM.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 307. American Sign Language 3. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to allow participants to learn more about Deaf Culture and be able to sign with sufficient fluency to discuss work, social, and family topics at a conversational level.
Pre-requisite: TAL 107 And TAL 207.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 308. Language Development for Linguistically and Culturally Diverse Children. 3 Credit Hours.
Course provides an introduction to theories of linguistics as well as first and second language acquisition. Readings and lectures serve to highlight the development of language and language challenges faced by students for whom Standard English is a second language and/or a second dialect. Theories of linguistics are used to identify, explain and assess literacy challenges. Field experience required. This course counts as one of two required stand-alone ESOL courses.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 322. Mathematics Instruction in the Elementary School. 4 Credit Hours.
Principles and practices in the teaching of elementary school mathematics. Attention is paid to infusion of technology, linguistic and cultural diversity, students with exceptionalities, and the origins of gender bias. Field experience required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 323. Interdisciplinary Methods in the Content Areas. 3 Credit Hours.
This course aims to discuss the goals and objectives for interdisciplinary learning in the content areas, and help practice, design, and enact interdisciplinary learning activities appropriate for elementary school. During the semester, the class will create an engaging environment to help you: Understand what is the nature of interdisciplinary understanding and practices; Examine elementary curricula and state/national standards that speak to interdisciplinary learning; Develop and enact authentic lessons/units for interdisciplinary learning; Create supportive learning environments that engage diverse students; Assess student interdisciplinary learning using multiple methods; and Learn to use a variety of innovative educational technologies that facilitate interdisciplinary learning. Field Experience required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
TAL 324. Education and the Arts. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of the fine and performing arts and their relation to Pre-K to 12 education. Emphasis is placed on experiential learning and methods of incorporating the arts in school curricula. The course also includes a focus on the value of the arts to the individual and society.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 330. Introduction to the Education of Exceptional Individuals. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey course providing a general orientation to Exceptional Individual Education as an integral part of the general education structure. Includes an introduction to appropriate educational programs for exceptional individuals.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 332. Assessment of Exceptional Students. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of assessment instruments used to classify, assess and evaluate exceptional students in inclusive and special education settings. Advanced written, digital, and oral communication proficiencies, to include research and report-writing as well as oral presentation skills, are emphasized in this course.
Prerequisite: ENG 105 And ENG 106 prerequisite of enrollment is required for this course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 360. The Teacher in American Society. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on the historical development of teaching in the US, contemporary educational reform and social change, issues involving teacher work, the impact of technology on schooling, ethical and legal issues in teaching, topics involving Race, Gender Social Class and Equity. Popular Culture sources are emphasized in the course's content.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 370. Pop Culture and Education. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines how popular culture influences and is influenced by the work and culture of schools. In examining artifacts and trends in popular culture today and the past, the forms of popular culture we will analyze will include: motion pictures, television programs, mainstream news, music, books, magazines, zines, fashion, web-based content, graffiti, tattoos, street art, mobile communication, video games, social networking, and more.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 371. Race and Racism in the Making of US Public Education. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will examine the roles of race and racism in the social construction of education and schooling in United States, with an emphasis on how said constructions have impacted the lived experiences of marginalized racial and ethnic minorities, with a particular emphasis on Black Americans. The central themes of the course will be how and why schools in the United States of America were constructed and continue to act as sites of State-sponsored racism, paying attention not only to whom this process marginalizes but also whom it benefits. While the focus of the course will be on race, it is impossible to study race alone, in a vacuum. Therefore, a great deal of attention will be paid to issues of intersectionality, with particular emphases paid to the intersections of race and ethnicity, class, gender, sexual identity, geography, historical specificity, and disability. The semester will begin with a historical overview of the roles education and schooling have played in the lives of African Americans. Our starting point will be roughly 1850. It is important to note that the distinction is made between school and education. The course will examine the roles schools (Saturday Schools, public schools, religious schools, and Historically Black Colleges and Universities to name a few) have played, but it is also crucial to examine the roles of education outside of the context of formalized schooling. The course will examine crucial educational sites such as religious institutions and traditions (outside of religious schools), family life, community education, and oral traditions.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

TAL 390. Topics in Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of emerging policy, practice, empirical research and scholarly writings on important educational issues for which formal course title and syllabus have not been developed and formalized in the UM Bulletin. Allows for experimental instructional formats. Course number indicates appropriate student audience. See Course Notes for specific topic.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
TAL 404. Content Area Literacy in the Secondary Classroom. 3 Credit Hours.
Essentials of literacy instruction in various subject areas for middle, junior and senior high schools; instructional methods and materials for
development of reading, writing and study strategies. Emphasis is also placed on selecting appropriate materials, motivating students, and helping
students with exceptional needs and students who are English Language Learners.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 407. American Sign Language 4. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to allow participants to learn more about Deaf Culture and be able to understand signed conversations in a small group and
sign with sufficient fluency to discuss work, social, and family topics at a conversational level.
Prerequisite: TAL107, TAL 207, TAL 307.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 420. Introduction to Literacy, Assessment, and Instruction in Elementary School. 3 Credit Hours.
Multidisciplinary survey of reading and writing acquisition in the elementary school. Assessment and instruction in the major components of reading:
phonological awareness, word identification and phonics, fluency, vocabulary, and comprehension. Field Experience required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 421. Language Arts and Social Studies in the Elementary School. 3 Credit Hours.
Addresses Language Arts competencies in reading, writing, listening, speaking, viewing and visual literacy, following state/national standards.
Research based strategies and approaches for teaching content areas, with a focus on Social Studies competencies, are modeled and integrated
through Social Studies content and literature. Field experience required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

TAL 422. Mathematics Instruction in the Elementary School. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles and practices in the teaching of elementary-school mathematics. Attention is paid to infusion of technology, linguistic and cultural diversity,
students with exceptionalities, and the origins of gender bias. Field experience required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 425. Inclusive Classrooms in the Elementary School. 3 Credit Hours.
The course prepares elementary school teachers to meet the individual needs of students with exceptionalities who have been integrated into the
general education classroom. Field experience required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 426. Practicum in Reading. 3 Credit Hours.
Supervised practicum in reading and writing. Emphasis is on assessment and interventions for elementary students with a range of academic,
linguistic and cultural challenges in becoming proficient readers. This course is a designated Upper Level Communications Requirement; advanced
written digital and/or oral communication proficiencies will be emphasized in this course.
Prerequisite: ENG 105 And ENG 106 prerequisite of enrollment is required for this course.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 428. ESOL Curriculum and Methods and Assessments. 3 Credit Hours.
The course addresses the application of TESOL theories, principles, and current research to the use of curriculum, methods, and assessment. In doing
so, the course focuses on an understanding of the differences between curriculum, methods, and assessment designed for children who are native
speakers of Standard English and those designed for ESOL. Specific TESOL modifications appropriate for content areas are also addressed. Field
experience required. This course counts as the second of two required ESOL specific courses. Advanced written, digital, and oral communication
proficiencies, to include research and report-writing as well as oral presentation skills, are emphasized in this course.
Prerequisite: TAL 308 and Co-requisite: TAL 429.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
TAL 429. Teacher Preparation Seminar II. 0 Credit Hours.
This hybrid zero credit course has been designed to provide additional support for students in our teacher preparation programs. Students will enroll in this course while they participate in a series of field experiences where they gain practical experience integrating theory and practice while working with students in K-12 settings. Major topics include: the Florida Educator Accomplished Practices, Live Text, and guidelines and procedures. Corequisite: TAL 428 for students in programs that lead to the ESOL Endorsement; TAL 506 for students in MED and SEC except Secondary English majors.
Corequisite: TAL 428 or TAL 506.
Components: SEM.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 432. Inclusive Models of Teaching. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on models of inclusion and the educational roles to support student success in inclusive settings. Topics addressed include: differentiated staffing patterns; working as a member of a team; successful collaborative practices; effective communication; understanding of varied cultural backgrounds; strategies for facilitating successful inclusion including differentiation of instruction and application of principles of Universal Design for Learning (UDL); co-teaching; strategies for working effectively with students, families, parents, guardians, administrators, general education teachers, paraprofessionals and other professionals, including students, families, and team members; and creating school partnerships. Field Experience required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

TAL 434. Specialized Instructional Strategies/Transition. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on evidence-based interventions and models of support for students with disabilities in K – 12 settings and strategies for preparing students for transition from school. Topics addressed include: strategies for using Assistive Technology effectively; strategies for enhancing self-advocacy and self-determination for students with disabilities; strategies for enhancing family involvement in career development and post school employment; transition services and models; preparing students with disabilities for employment and post-secondary education; residential alternatives; recreation and leisure for students with disabilities. Field Experience required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

TAL 444. Instruction in Secondary Science. 2-3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of methods, materials, and content appropriate for teaching science in the secondary school.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

TAL 461. Pidgins, Creoles and African-American English in Education. 3 Credit Hours.
The course examines some of the most commonly spoken languages in the African diaspora in North and South America as well as in the Caribbean, namely, pidgins, creoles and African-American English. The course also explores the linguistic contributions that West African and European languages have made to the development of Atlantic Pidgins, Creoles and African-American English. Analyses of their lexicons, morphological and grammatical features are addressed along with the ways in which these linguistic structures are used to index different identities in the African-American and Creole cultures. Additionally, the course renews the call for a responsive agenda that recognizes the obstacles faced in formal education by child speakers of Creoles and African-American English and the need for public awareness of the extensively researched merits of accommodating these vernaculars in the classroom.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

TAL 470. Student Teaching in the Elementary School. 9 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive semester-long program in observation and supervised teaching in the elementary school. The student spends full time in an elementary school participating in all activities of the teacher under the guidance of school and university personnel.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 471. Student Teaching in the Elementary Schools for K-12 Areas. 3-6 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive program in observation and supervised teaching in the elementary school. The student spends full-time for one half a semester in an elementary school, participating in all activities of the teacher under the guidance of school and university personnel.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
TAL 473. Associate Teaching in the Secondary School for K-12 Areas. 3-6 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive program in observation and supervised teaching in the secondary school. The student spends full time for one half a semester in a secondary school, participating in all activities of the teacher under the guidance of school and university personnel.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 480. Seminar On Teaching. 3 Credit Hours.
The seminar is designed to support teacher candidates during the associate teaching experience. Students receive support and assistance in completing Florida Educator Accomplished Practices (FEAP) electronic portfolios. Students share, reflect, and discuss their daily experiences in class during culminating experience in the field.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 490. Seminar On Teaching. 3 Credit Hours.
The seminar is designed to support teacher candidates during the associate teaching experience. Students receive support and assistance in completing Florida Educator Accomplished Practices (FEAP) electronic portfolios. Students share, reflect, and discuss their daily experiences in class during culminating experience in the field.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 491. Applied Research in Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to basic research methods, ethics in education research, and the implications of research on the practice of teaching. Assist a TAL faculty member with a research project.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 493. Online Teaching and Leadership. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to teaching-learning process in online learning environments, including asynchronous modalities, assessment and evaluation, technology and digital copyright usage.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 495. Individual Study. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual work on a special project under faculty guidance. Application for Admission to Advanced Individual Study will be required.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 496. Undergraduate Research Honors. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual work on a special project under faculty guidance. Application for Admission to Advanced Individual Study will be required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 501. Classroom Based Assessment. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Principles and classroom applications of educational measurement and assessment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 502. Classroom Based Research. 3 Credit Hours.
Application of research principles to evaluation and improvement of teacher effectiveness. Use of scientific methods in problem solving and decision making in the classroom. Student experiences in the planning, conduct, analysis and reporting of classroom research are included.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 503. Technology Applications in Education. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to help you better understand why and how to use modern technologies in educational settings. Throughout the course, you will identify and share accessible technological resources, participate in hands-on activities, conduct mini-teaching, and create technology-enhanced instructional materials. You will examine the affordances and constraints of a variety of technologies including mobile learning, computer-based visualizations, web-based curriculum platforms, augmented and mixed reality, and online collaboration tools. You will discuss with the instructor and peers critical issues and policy relevant to the effective use of technologies in K-12 classrooms or informal learning environments.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
TAL 504. Building Positive Relationships in Inclusive Secondary Schools. 3 Credit Hours.
Designed to assist general education teachers in meeting the needs of diverse secondary school students. Focus on students with disabilities, language and culture in the classroom, and developing culturally competent classroom management methods.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 506. Issues and Strategies for ESOL. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides a comprehensive foundation in ESOL (English for Speakers of Other Languages) competencies based on Florida’s mandates and TESOL standards. Theory and practice will be emphasized in the areas of applied linguistics, cross cultural communication and understanding, methods of teaching, assessment, and curriculum and material development.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

TAL 508. Language Development for Linguistically and Culturally Diverse Students. 3 Credit Hours.
Course will provide an introduction to theories of linguistics, first and second language acquisition, as well as foundations of English learner education. Readings and lectures will serve to highlight the development of language and literacy, including challenges faced by students for whom Standard English is a second language and/or a second dialect. This course will be the first in a two-course ESOL sequence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 517. Curriculum, Assessment, Teaching and Learning for Physical Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of content knowledge, pedagogy, and materials appropriate for teaching physical science in the elementary school. The course content focuses on instructional practice with an emphasis on developing teacher content knowledge in physical science, pedagogy, and student literacy in physical science.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 518. Curriculum, Assessment, Teaching and Learning for Number, Operations, and Algebra. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines topics that address the mathematical ideas underlying number, operations and algebra. Related curriculum, instructional and assessment issues will be also discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 522. Curriculum, Assessment, Teaching and Learning in the Earth Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of content knowledge, pedagogy, and materials appropriate for teaching Earth science in the elementary school. The course content focuses on instructional practice with an emphasis on developing teacher content knowledge in Earth science, pedagogy, and student literacy in life science.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 523. Curriculum, Assessment, Teaching and Learning for Data Analysis and Probability. 3 Credit Hours.
Data in the elementary school: how to gather (biased and unbiased samples), store, manage, represent, analyze. Probabilistic inferences in elementary school: chance, odds, counting, related topics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 524. Education and the Arts. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of the fine and performing arts and their relation to PreK-12 education. Emphasis is placed on experiential learning and methods of incorporating the arts in school curricula. The course also includes a focus on the value of the arts to the individual and society.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 526. Practicum in Reading. 3 Credit Hours.
Supervised practicum in reading and writing. Emphasis is on assessment and interventions for elementary students with a range of academic, linguistic and cultural challenges in becoming proficient readers.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
TAL 527. Language and Assessment in ESOL. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of language systems with a focus on understanding and applying linguistic terms. Course prepares teachers to conduct informal and formal assessment procedures with English language learners. Field experience with English language learners is required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 528. ESOL Curriculum, Methods, and Assessment. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on applying TESOL theories, principles, and current research to the development and use of instructional materials, curriculum, and methods. The course will enhance participant’s knowledge of the regular English language arts curriculum in comparison with the ESOL curriculum.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 531. Educating Exceptional Students. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey course in special education emphasizing characteristics and problems associated with various categories of exceptional learners. Policy, issues, and trends in special education will be discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 540. Instruction and Assessment in the Secondary School. 3 Credit Hours.
Research-based instructional processes in the secondary school.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 541. Instruction and Assessment in Secondary English Language Arts. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of methods, materials, and content appropriate for teaching language arts in the secondary school.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 542. Instruction and Assessment in Secondary Mathematics. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of methods, materials, and content appropriate for teaching mathematics in the secondary school.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 543. Instruction and Assessment in Secondary Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of methods, content and assessments appropriate for teaching science in the secondary school.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 544. Instruction and Assessment in Secondary Social Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of methods, materials, and content appropriate for teaching the social sciences in the secondary school.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 545. Methods of Teaching in the Elementary School. 3 Credit Hours.
Theories and research-based practices for reading/language arts, science, social studies, and math instruction for all learners, including diverse populations in elementary classrooms.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 550. Language and Early Reading Instruction. 3 Credit Hours.
Factors related to emergent literacy with an emphasis on diverse aspects of language that influence literacy and learning; development of emergent literacy and word perception; emergent literacy curriculum development; appropriate assessment and instructional techniques. Understanding of reading as a process of student engagement in fluent decoding and construction of meaning. Writing intensive.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
TAL 552. Reading Comprehension. 3 Credit Hours.
Development of comprehension, rate, and study skills; reading in the content areas; evaluation of materials, organization of programs; issues, problems, and exceptional readers. Emphasis is placed on understanding reading as a process of student engagement in fluent decoding of words and construction of meaning.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

TAL 553. Mentoring and Internship in Classroom Teaching. 3-6 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive program of supervised teaching in elementary or secondary class rooms.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 554. Literacy and Learning Strategies in the Content Area. 3 Credit Hours.
Literacy instruction in content areas for grades 6 through 12; instructional methods and materials for development of language arts, reading, and study skills. Emphasis on appropriate materials, motivation, and support for students with exceptional needs and English language learners.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 557. Exceptional Student Education and Classroom Management. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Introduction to theories and methods of effective classroom management and learning environments, perceptions of disabilities, addressing disruptive behaviors in classrooms and behavioral assessment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 558. ESOL Strategies and Classroom Management. 1-5 Credit Hours.
This course provides a general overview of foundation in ESOL (English for Speakers of Other Languages) competencies based on Florida’s mandates and ESOL Standards. Theory and practice will be emphasized in the areas of applied linguistics, cross cultural communication and understanding, methods of teaching, assessment, and curriculum and material development. A Classroom Management Plan will be developed based on current issues and effective classroom strategies for diverse populations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 568. Education Reform, Policy, and the Social Organization of Schooling. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to introduce students to the politics and policy debates in American education, including how the U.S. K-12 public education is organized as a socially-constructed system. We will examine the politics of a variety of recent reforms at the local, federal and state levels and their impact on institutions, students and the public.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 569. Teaching and Management for Diverse Classrooms. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will emphasize building a classroom culture and community that meets the needs of all students, including learners with disabilities and learners with culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds. A history of major legal requirements for diverse populations is examined, including the meaning of learning differences, definitions and causes of disabilities, language acquisition processes, and methods for teaching diverse populations. An introduction to theories and methods of effective classroom management for building learning communities is integrated throughout the course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 570. Student Teaching in the Elementary School. 9 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive semester-long program in observation and supervised teaching in the elementary school. The student spends full-time in an elementary school participating in all activities of the teacher under the guidance of school and university personnel.
Corequisite: TAL 580.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
TAL 572. Student Teaching in the Secondary School.. 6-9 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive program in observation and supervised teaching in the secondary school. The student spends full-time in a secondary school participating in all activities of the teacher under the guidance of school and university personnel.
Corequisite: TAL 580.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 577. Human Development, Learning and Schooling. 3 Credit Hours.
Major theories of child development and learning will be discussed with a focus on how they apply to teaching and learning in K-12 schools.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 580. Seminar on Teaching. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topical seminar to accompany associate teaching
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 584. Topics in the Professional Development and Supervision of Teachers.. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics include the preparation of clinical teachers to induct, guide, and supervise the field experiences of students and associate teachers; techniques in the observation and supervision of in-service teachers; creation and implementation of professional development plans; reading in the research on teacher development across the career.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 590. Topics in Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of emerging policy, practice, empirical research and scholarly writing on important educational issues for which formal course title and syllabus have not been developed and formalized in the UM Bulletin. Allows for experimental instructional formats. Course number indicates appropriate student audience. See Course Notes for specific topic.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 591. Workshop in Education. 1-6 Credit Hours.
A critical study of practical problems of teachers. Significant problems are defined, literature and research are reviewed, and individual or small group projects are required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 593. Online Teaching and Leadership. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to teaching-learning process in online learning environments, including asynchronous modalities, assessment and evaluation, technology and digital copyright usage.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 595. Research Honors Project. 2 Credit Hours.
Faculty mentored research project. This course is restricted to students in the SEHD who have been accepted into the Research Honors Program and are working with a Faculty mentor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 596. Research Honors Project. 2 Credit Hours.
Faculty mentored research project. This course is restricted to students in the SEHD who have been accepted into the Research Honors Program and are working with a Faculty mentor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
TAL 597. Research Honors Project - Thesis Writing. 2 Credit Hours.
Faculty mentored research project. This course is restricted to students in the SEHD who have been accepted into the Research Honors Program and are working with a Faculty mentor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 598. Research Honors Project - Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
Faculty mentored research project. This course is restricted to students in the SEHD who have been accepted into the Research Honors Program and are working with a Faculty mentor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 599. Workshop in Education. 1-6 Credit Hours.
A critical study of practical problems of teachers. Significant problems are defined, literature and research are reviewed, and individual or small group projects are required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 600. Human Learning. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an overview of major theories of human development from childhood through adulthood. This course will focus on the individual learner as influenced by individual- and social-learning processes; the interrelationships between human learning and development; social settings for learning such as classroom, business, and informal learning environments; the applications of learning theories and models, the learning of language(s), content, social practices, and reasoning processes. Emphasis will be placed on how social, cultural, and linguistic diversity interact to create variation in human learning.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 601. Educational Assessment and Accountability. 3 Credit Hours.
This course covers the principles and classroom applications of educational measurement and assessment as well focuses on accountability policies and practices at the school, district, state and federal levels.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 602. Organizational Learning. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an overview on how organizations adapt and change, including changes that could be thought of as constituting “learning.” Changes in shared values, structures, and practices can facilitate and/or hinder an organization’s capacity to gather, select, and process information, to retain that information, and to act upon knowledge valued and created by members. Emphasis is placed on how participants’ own careers fit within their employment or field-placement sites as learning organizations and how their efforts can help their sites to learn.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 603. Technology Applications in Education. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to help you better understand why and how to use modern technologies in educational settings. Throughout the course, you will identify and share accessible technological resources, participate in hands-on activities, conduct mini-teaching, and create technology-enhanced instructional materials. You will examine the affordances and constraints of a variety of technologies including mobile learning, computer-based visualizations, web-based curriculum platforms, augmented and mixed reality, and online collaboration tools. You will discuss with the instructor and peers critical issues and policy relevant to the effective use of technologies in K-12 classrooms or informal learning environments. As a graduate level course, you will need to conduct a small-scale research that investigates the effectiveness of a technology-enhanced learning environment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 604. Building Positive Relationships in Inclusive Secondary Schools. 3 Credit Hours.
Designed to assist general education teachers in meeting the needs of diverse secondary school students. Focus on students with disabilities, language and culture in the classroom, and developing culturally competent classroom management methods.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
TAL 605. Mentoring and Internship in Classroom Teaching. 3-6 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive program of supervised teaching in elementary or secondary class rooms.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 606. Issues and Strategies for ESOL. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides a comprehensive foundation in ESOL (English for Speakers of Other Languages) competencies based on Florida’s mandates and TESOL standards. Theory and practice will be emphasized in the areas of applied linguistics, cross cultural communication and understanding, methods of teaching, assessment, and curriculum and material development.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 607. Instructional Leadership. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the components of effective supervision of instruction. Leadership theories which apply to educational settings; legal rights and responsibilities of students, teachers and administrators will be covered. As well as the examination of various models of teaching.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 608. Language Development for Linguistically and Culturally Diverse Students. 3 Credit Hours.
Course will provide an introduction to theories of linguistics, first and second language acquisition, as well as foundations of English learner education. Readings and lectures will serve to highlight the development of language and literacy, including challenges faced by students for whom Standard English is a second language and/or a second dialect. This course will be the first in a two-course ESOL sequence.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 609. Supervised Practicum in Reading and Writing. 3 Credit Hours.
Supervised practicum in reading and writing. Emphasis is on assessment and interventions for elementary and secondary students with a range of academic, linguistic and cultural challenges in becoming proficient readers.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 610. Literacy and Learning Strategies in the Content Area. 3 Credit Hours.
Literacy instruction in content areas for grades 6 through 12; instructional methods and materials for development of language arts, reading, and study skills. Emphasis on appropriate materials, motivation, and support for students with exceptional needs and English language learners.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 611. Topics in the Professional Development and Supervision of Teachers.. 3 Credit Hours.
Topics include the preparation of clinical teachers to induct, guide, and supervise the field experiences of students and associate teachers; techniques in the observation and supervision of in-service teachers; creation and implementation of professional development plans; reading in the research on teacher development across the career.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 612. Building Positive Relationships with Diverse Learners. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the principles of various theoretical perspectives of classroom management and discipline. Applications to the management of behavior problems of children and adolescents. Contemporary research analyzed and discussed. Writing intensive course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 613. Prescriptive Teaching of Exceptional Students. 3 Credit Hours.
Techniques for individualization of instruction for exceptional students, including educational prescription, and curriculum adaptation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
TAL 614. Assessment in Special Education. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of assessment instruments used to assess and evaluate exceptional students in inclusive and special education settings. Emphasis is on assessments for students in K-12 settings with a range of academic, linguistic, and cultural challenges in becoming proficient learners. Graduate students will complete a research paper using APA writing format.
Prerequisite: TAL 629.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 615. Reading in the Elementary School. 3 Credit Hours.
Extending competencies in teaching reading, including exceptional children in the regular classroom, with emphasis on applying findings from research in reading to classroom practices. 20 hours of field experience required for all students who are not currently teaching.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

TAL 616. Mathematics in the Elementary School. 3 Credit Hours.
Content, methods, and research appropriate for teaching mathematics in the elementary school, including exceptional children in the regular classroom. Content is defined as a pre-algebra mathematics. 20 hours of field experience required for all students who are not currently teaching.
Writing intensive course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

TAL 617. Science in the Elementary School. 3 Credit Hours.
Extending competencies of elementary school teachers in teaching science to children, including exceptional children in the regular classroom. Development of science programs based on research which has classroom applications. 20 hours of field experience required for all students who are not currently teaching.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

TAL 618. Social Studies in the Elementary School. 3 Credit Hours.
Extending competencies in teaching social studies to children, including exceptional children in the regular classroom, with an emphasis on research applications. 20 hours of field experience required for all students who are not currently teaching.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

TAL 619. Exceptional Student Education and Classroom Management. 1-5 Credit Hours.
Introduction to theories and methods of effective classroom management and learning environments, perceptions of disabilities, addressing disruptive behaviors in classrooms and behavioral assessment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 620. Teaching and Management for Diverse Classrooms. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will emphasize building a classroom culture and community that meets the needs of all students, including learners with disabilities and learners with culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds. A history of major legal requirements for diverse populations is examined, including the meaning of learning differences, definitions and causes of disabilities, language acquisition processes, and methods for teaching diverse populations. An introduction to theories and methods of effective classroom management for building learning communities is integrated throughout the course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 621. Student Teaching in the Elementary School. 5-6 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive semester-long program in observation and supervised teaching in the elementary school. The student spends full-time in an elementary school participating in all activities of the teacher under the guidance of school and university personnel.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
TAL 622. Student Teaching in the Secondary School. 5-6 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive program in observation and supervised teaching in the secondary school. The student spends full-time in a secondary school participating in all activities of the teacher under the guidance of school and university personnel.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 623. Seminar on Teaching. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Topical seminar to accompany associate teaching
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 624. Education and the Arts. 3 Credit Hours.
Exploration of the fine and performing arts and their relation to PreK-12 education. Emphasis is placed on experiential learning and methods of incorporating the arts in school curricula. The course also includes a focus on the value of the arts to the individual and society.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 625. Online Teaching and Leadership. 3 Credit Hours.
Introduction to teaching-learning process in online learning environments, including asynchronous modalities, assessment and evaluation, technology and digital copyright usage.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 626. Workshop in Education. 1-6 Credit Hours.
A critical study of practical problems of teachers. Significant problems are defined, literature and research are reviewed, and individual or small group projects are required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 627. Understanding Culture in the Classroom. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the conflicts and the strategies for resolution between the patterns of culture in the classroom and the patterns of culture that school children bring to the classroom - patterns which are learned in their families and communities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

TAL 628. Internship in Special Education Settings. 3-6 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive program of supervised teaching in special education settings. The student spends two full semesters employed as a full-time teacher while under the guidance of school and university personnel.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 629. Educating Exceptional Students. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey course in special education emphasizing characteristics and problems associated with various categories of exceptional learners. Policy, issues, and trends in special education will be discussed.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 630. Instructing Students Who Have Literacy Challenges. 3 Credit Hours.
Administration and interpretation of instructional assessments with instructional strategies and materials based upon scientifically based reading research for the prevention and remediation of reading difficulties.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
TAL 631. Assessment of Reading and Related Learning Disabilities. 3 Credit Hours.
Theories and procedures for screening, diagnosis, and progress-monitoring of reading and related learning disabilities. Includes instruction and supervised clinical experiences in administration and interpretation of assessments with an emphasis on prevention, identification, and remediation of reading and related learning disabilities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

TAL 632. Intervention for Reading and Related Learning Disabilities. 3 Credit Hours.
Theories and procedures for screening, diagnosis, and progress-monitoring of reading and related learning disabilities. Includes instruction and supervised clinical experiences in administration and interpretation of assessments with an emphasis on prevention, identification, and intervention of reading and related learning disabilities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

TAL 633. Reading Comprehension. 3 Credit Hours.
Development of comprehension, rate, and study skills; reading in the content areas; evaluation of materials, organization of programs; issues, problems, and exceptional readers. Emphasis is placed on understanding reading as a process of student engagement in fluent decoding of words and construction of meaning.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

TAL 634. Language and Reading Instruction. 3 Credit Hours.
Extending competencies of K-12 school teachers in teaching reading to children, including exceptional children in the regular classroom. Emphasis on applying findings from research in reading and writing to classroom practices.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 635. Inclusive Models of Teaching. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on models of inclusion and the educational roles to support student success in inclusive settings. Topics addressed include: differentiated staffing patterns; working as a member of team; successful collaborative practices; effective communication; including differentiation of instruction and application of principles of Universal Design for Learning (UDL); co-teaching; strategies for working effectively with students, families, parents, guardians, administrators, general education teachers, paraprofessionals, and other professionals, including students, families, and team members; and creating school partnerships.
Prerequisite: TAL 629. And TAL 614.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 636. Universal Design for Learning and Assistive Technology Strategies for Transition. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on evidence-based interventions and models of support for students with disabilities in K-12 settings and strategies for preparing students for transition from school. Topics addressed include: strategies for using Assistive Technology effectively; strategies for enhancing self advocacy and self determination for students with disabilities; strategies for enhancing family involvement in career development and post school employment; transition services and models; preparing students with disabilities for employment and postsecondary education; residential alternatives; recreation and leisure for students with disabilities.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 637. Field Experience Seminar I. 0 Credit Hours.
This hybrid zero credit course has been designed to provide additional support for students in our teacher preparation programs. Students will enroll in this course while they participate in a series of field experiences where they gain practical experience integrating theory and practice while working with students in K-12 settings. Major topics include: the Florida Educator Accomplished Practices, Live Text, and guidelines and procedures.
Corequisite: TAL 612.
Components: SEM.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
TAL 638. Language Arts and Culture in the Classroom. 3 Credit Hours.
Extending competencies in the language arts including linguistic and cultural diversity and children with disabilities in elementary classrooms. Emphasis on research applications. 20 hours of field experience required for all students who are not currently teaching. Writing intensive course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

TAL 639. Field Experience Seminar II. 0 Credit Hours.
This hybrid zero credit course has been designed to provide additional support for students in our teacher preparation programs. Students will enroll in this course while they participate in a series of field experiences where they gain practical experience integrating theory and practice while working with students in K-12 settings. Major topics include: the Florida Educator Accomplished Practices, Live Text, and guidelines and procedures. Co-requisite: TAL 606.
Components: LAB.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 640. Typical and Atypical Child Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Theories and research in the development of children from conception through eight years of age. Factors which influence development and the relationship of typical development to patterns of delayed and atypical development. Writing intensive course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

TAL 641. Working with Families of Young Children with Disabilities: Strategies and Medical Issues. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will address issues related to working with families of young children with special educational and health needs. This will include strategies for effective communication and collaboration with all members of the interdisciplinary team. This is a writing intensive course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

TAL 642. Evaluation and Assessment in Infant and Early Childhood Special. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will become familiar with a variety of formal and informal screening, evaluation, assessment instruments, and procedures currently in use with children birth to eight. They will learn criteria for selecting and using developmentally and culturally appropriate instruments and become familiar with the multi-, inter-, and trans-disciplinary team approaches. Students will write formal reports and develop an IEP and an IFSP. May require field experience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

TAL 643. Intervention Strategies in Infant and Early Childhood Special Education. 3 Credit Hours.
The focus of this course will be the implementation of IEPs and IFSPs through the use of developmentally appropriate curriculum, methods, and intervention strategies for infants, toddlers, and young children with special needs. This will include implementation and adaptation of existing curriculum and materials for young children to meet the special needs of this population. May require field experience. Writing Intensive course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

TAL 644. Early Childhood Curriculum Development. 3 Credit Hours.
Development of curriculum for children from birth to eight years of age. Emphasis on application of research findings. 20 hours of field experience required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

TAL 645. Methods for Communications and Language in Young Children with Disabilities. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will focus on language theories, models, and methods for birth-eight year olds. The course will present an overview of normal development in communication and discuss conditions that might impede progress as well as signs that would suggest a problem is present. This course may require field experience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
TAL 646. Working with Children who Exhibit Challenging Behaviors. 3 Credit Hours.
Challenging behaviors in young children; influences of culture, language, ethnicity; applying Response to Intervention in Preschool settings; evidence-based classroom and behavior management strategies; planning intensive individualized interventions; applying positive behavioral support.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 647. Language and Early Reading Instruction. 3 Credit Hours.
Factors related to emergent literacy with an emphasis on diverse aspects of language that influence literacy and learning; development of emergent literacy and word perception; emergent literacy curriculum development; appropriate assessment and instructional techniques. Understanding of reading as a process of student engagement in fluent decoding and construction of meaning. Writing intensive.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

TAL 648. Practicum/Internship with Infants and Toddlers with Disabilities. 3 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive program in observations and supervised teaching in a school/center for infants and toddlers with disabilities (0-3 yrs.). The student spends full time in the school/center participating in all activities of the teacher under the guidance of school and university personnel.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 649. Practicum/Internship with Children with Disabilities (3-5 yrs.). 1-6 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive program in observation and supervised teaching in a school/center for children with disabilities (3-5 yrs.). The student spends full time in the school/center participating in all activities of the teacher under the guidance of school and university personnel.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 650. Early Reading Instruction and Literature for Young Children. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of literature for young children emphasizing multicultural literature and use of literature across the curriculum. Development of emergent literacy; examination of emergent literacy curriculum as well as appropriate assessment and instruction techniques. Emphasis on understanding or reading as a process.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 651. Affective, Relational, and Cultural Factors and Processes in Learning. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the impacts of non-cognitive factors on learning and the inter-relationships among what are usually thought of as cognitive and non-cognitive spheres of learning. At times, there may be conflicts between cultural practices as found in learning settings (including classrooms, businesses, and informal learning environments) and the practices into which learners have been encultured by families and communities; at other times, an individual's identity and the values being imparted in a learning environment may work synergistically. The course includes a critical examination of the sources of these factors on human and organizational learning programs and practices.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 652. Assessment of Human and Organizational Learning. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an overview of the assessment of learners in educational, business, work place, and informal settings, with an emphasis on considerations related to cultural and linguistic diversity. Topics include classroom-based assessment, high-stakes assessment in educational settings, testing for job placement and certification, and program evaluation. Among the assessment techniques to be covered are cognitive interviews, the analysis of group-based processes, discourse analysis, and focus-group work.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 654. STEM Methods for Diverse Learners. 3 Credit Hours.
Research-based instructional practices and processes to meet the needs of all learners, including diverse populations, for mathematics/science education in schools.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
TAL 659. Practicum in Education and Social Change. 3 Credit Hours.
This practicum course is the culminating project for the Education and Social Change Master's Program. Participants will review the literature, design, and present an action project within the context of a school or community setting.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 660. Instruction and Assessment in the Secondary School. 3 Credit Hours.
Research-based instructional processes in the secondary school.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 661. Instruction in Secondary English. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of methods, materials, and content appropriate for teaching language arts in the secondary school.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 662. Instruction in Secondary Mathematics. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of methods, materials, and content appropriate for teaching mathematics in the secondary school.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 663. Instruction in Secondary Science. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of methods, materials, and content appropriate for teaching science in the secondary school.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 664. Instruction in Secondary Social Studies. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of methods, materials, and content appropriate for teaching the social sciences in the secondary school.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 665. Methods of Teaching in the Elementary School. 3 Credit Hours.
Theories and research-based practices for reading/language arts, science, social studies, and math instruction for all learners, including diverse populations in elementary classrooms.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 666. Introduction to the Politics of Education, Teaching, and Learning. 3 Credit Hours.
Survey overview of political debates involving education as a nested and loosely-coupled system where pressures at one level can be supported or countermanded at another. Historical and critical take on present-day debates. Depending on student interests, may go in-depth on topics such as economic politics, cultural politics, state and local control.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

TAL 667. Education Reform, Policy, and the Social Organization of Schooling. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to introduce students to the politics and policy debates in American education, including how the U.S. K-12 public education is organized as a socially-constructed system. We will examine the politics of a variety of recent reforms at the local, federal and state levels and their impact on institutions, students and the public.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 668. Human Development, Learning and Schooling. 3 Credit Hours.
Major theories of child development and learning will be discussed with a focus on how they apply to teaching and learning in K-12 schools.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
**TAL 669. Teacher and Student Well-Being in Education. 3 Credit Hours.**

This will be an intensive, 600 level course specifically designed for students taking the Master’s degree in Education and Social Change. The main thrust of the course will be to link theory and research on personal, organizational, and collective well-being with educational success and school reform. Well-being is a positive state of affairs, brought about by the simultaneous satisfaction of personal, relational, organizational, and community needs. In this course we will examine the signs, sources, and strategies of well-being in individuals, relationships, organizations and communities. The course will focus on applications of theory and research to the well-being of students, parents, teachers, and schools. We will explore the organizational well-being of schools and the policy changes needed to improve the linkages between community development and educational success of children living in poverty. Some of the questions that will be explored in the course include: What is well-being? How is your personal well-being related to the well-being of other people, organizations, and communities? What is the role of values in promoting a just society? What strategies might work for engaging relevant constituencies in educational and social change? The course will be divided into five sections as follows: - Paradigms of well-being and educational reform - Personal well-being of children, teachers, parents, and administrators - Organizational well-being with a focus on schools and educational settings - Community well-being and its relationship to educational policy - Challenges and conclusions We will cover theory and research as well as practical skills. We will watch videos, engage in role playing, discuss, and write about well-being. Our hope is that the theory and skills that you pick up in this class will help you in your personal life, your educational work, and your community change efforts. You should begin thinking about your final paper as you learn through the presentations, readings, discussions, and other assignments for this course.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**TAL 670. Teacher Preparation Seminar I. 0 Credit Hours.**

This hybrid zero credit course has been designed to provide additional support for students in our teacher preparation programs. Students will enroll in this course while they participate in a series of field experiences where they gain practical experience integrating theory and practice while working with students in K-12 settings. Major topics include: the Florida Educator Accomplished Practices, Live Text, and guidelines and procedures.

**Components:** SEM.

**Grading:** SUS.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**TAL 671. Curriculum, Assessment, Teaching and Learning for Physical Science. 3 Credit Hours.**

Analysis of content knowledge, pedagogy, and materials appropriate for teaching physical science, K-16. The course content focuses on instructional practice with an emphasis on developing teacher content knowledge in physical science, pedagogy, and student literacy in physical science.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**TAL 672. Curriculum, Assessment, Teaching and Learning for Number, Operations, and Algebra. 3 Credit Hours.**

This course examines topics that address the mathematical ideas underlying number, operations and algebra. Related K-16 curriculum, instructional and assessment issues will be also discussed.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**TAL 673. Curriculum, Assessment, Teaching and Learning for Measurement and Geometry. 3 Credit Hours.**

Topics involving measurement and geometry in the K-16 mathematics curriculum, how students learn and reason, assessment, instructional strategies.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall, Spring, & Summer.

**TAL 674. Internship in the Elementary School. 3-6 Credit Hours.**

A comprehensive program of supervised teaching in a K-6 classroom in the elementary school. The student spends a full semester employed as a full-time teacher while under the guidance of school and university personnel.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.

**TAL 675. Curriculum, Assessment, Teaching and Learning in the Earth Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.**

Analysis of content knowledge, pedagogy, and materials appropriate for teaching Earth science, K-16. The course content focuses on instructional practice with an emphasis on developing teacher content knowledge in Earth science, pedagogy, and student literacy in life science.

**Components:** LEC.

**Grading:** GRD.

**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.
TAL 676. Curriculum, Assessment, Teaching and Learning for Data Analysis and Probability. 3 Credit Hours.
Data in the K-16 mathematics: how to gather (biased and unbiased samples), store, manage, represent, analyze. Probabilistic inferences in K-16 mathematics: chance, odds, counting, related topics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 677. Applied Research in Education. 3 Credit Hours.
A graduate course in education emphasizing different research methods educators and researchers can utilize to gauge and improve student learning.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 679. Teacher Preparation Seminar II. 0 Credit Hours.
This hybrid zero credit course has been designed to provide additional support for students in our teacher preparation programs. Students will enroll in this course while they participate in a series of field experiences where they gain practical experience integrating theory and practice while working with students in K-12 settings. Major topics include: the Florida Educator Accomplished Practices, Live Text, and guidelines and procedures.
Components: SEM.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 680. Foundations of Bilingual Education. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will focus on the historical foundations of bilingual education in the U. S., current models of bilingual or dual language programs in PK-12 school settings, and contemporary understandings of bilingualism/bilingual development using sociolinguistic and sociocultural perspectives.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 681. Principles of Curriculum Development and Engagement for TESOL. 3 Credit Hours.
Components of curriculum and instructional management and engagement in ESOL classrooms. Pupil/teacher interaction, curriculum organization, student assessment and evaluation, materials development and adoption, utilization of resources, and classroom organization.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 682. Methods of Teaching Content Areas in TESOL. 3 Credit Hours.
This course examines subject matter education for English language learners (ELLs) in the K-12 and international English as a foreign language (EFL) settings. Best practices are investigated and applied within different teaching contexts with a focus on helping students gain access to core subject knowledge.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 683. Introduction to Theories and Practice of TESOL. 3 Credit Hours.
Theory and practical methodology of language and literacy instruction and assessment to children, adolescents, and adults for whom English is not their first language, in alignment with current state, national, and professional standards (as applicable). There will be a focus on inquiry into instructional approaches based on contemporary theories of learning, standards-based and data-driven lesson planning, and reflective practices in the teaching and assessment of English learners.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 684. Advances Techniques in TESOL. 3 Credit Hours.
This course addresses advanced techniques in TESOL. The course focuses on methods and approaches for teaching English language learners and specific strategies to deliver instruction in the content areas.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
TAL 685. Language Assessment. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will familiarize students with the nature of and current methodologies of language assessment within a framework of psychometric and linguistic.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 686. Principles of First and Second Language Acquisition. 3 Credit Hours.
This course will familiarize students with the principles and processes at work in the acquisition of first and other languages. The course focuses on similarities and differences in the ways that first and second languages are learned and factors that influence the learning process for both.
Participants will become familiar with current research related to language acquisition through course lectures, interactive course activities and individual as well as collaborative presentations.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 687. Home Language Strategies. 3 Credit Hours.
As a culminating course in the Bilingual/Biliteracy program track, this course will review theories in bilingual development, sociolinguistics, and language teaching in Spanish to build Spanish language proficiency for dual language teachers. There will also be an emphasis on communicating with Spanish-speaking parents of K-12 English learners.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 689. Language and Literacy for Academic Learning. 3 Credit Hours.
This course introduces key concepts and practical teaching approaches for learning the academic literacies needed to be successful in school contexts. Review of language theories and research concerning teaching academic literacy for education are highlighted throughout the course and embedded within disciplinary contexts for different subject areas (i.e., mathematics, social studies/history, English language arts, and science). Linguistic pedagogy is a central focus of the course to examine applications of language theory in K-12 classrooms serving English learners.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 690. Topics in Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of emerging policy, practice, empirical research and scholarly writing on important educational issues for which formal course title and syllabus have not been developed and formalized in the UM Bulletin. Allows for experimental instructional formats. Course number indicates appropriate student audience. See Course Notes for specific topic.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

TAL 691. Workshop in Education. 1-6 Credit Hours.
A critical study of practical problems of teachers. Significant problems are defined, literature and research are reviewed, and individual or small group projects are required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 692. Curriculum, Assessment, Teaching and Learning for the Life Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of content knowledge, pedagogy, and materials appropriate for teaching life science, K-16. The course content focuses on instructional practice with an emphasis on developing teacher content knowledge in life science, pedagogy, and student literacy in life science.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 700. Professional Seminar. 1 Credit Hour.
The TAL Pro-seminar consists of a series of interactive sessions at which faculty, doctoral students, and guest speakers have the opportunity to discuss current topics in education research. Its purpose is to enhance the culture of scholarship and collegiality within the Department and to provide informal guidance to doctoral students on research and career directions in education.
DOCTORAL STANDING.
Components: SEM.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
TAL 701. Teacher in American Society. 3 Credit Hours.
An historical, philosophical, and sociological analysis of the teaching profession in American society. The role and status of teachers in American culture will be discussed. Contemporary issues such as the union movement, status assignment, rewards and incentives, and the role of the teacher as an instrument in the definition of the culture will also be covered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

TAL 702. The Social and Cultural Foundation of Education. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is an interdisciplinary seminar reviewing the major literature in the Social and Cultural Foundation of Education. Classic, Modern and Post-Modern texts will be read with an emphasis on the literature written after 1980 (Post-Modern). Emphasis will be placed on the exploration of key policy questions, as well as the analysis of key sociological concepts related to the field such as hegemony, cultural reproduction, social capital and privilege. The course is intended to provide a "baseline" for understanding the field.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 703. Issues and Trends in Multicultural Education. 3-6 Credit Hours.
The study and critical examination of the theory and practice of multicultural education. Development of a personal theory of effective education for pluralism is included.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 704. Introduction to the Learning Sciences. 3 Credit Hours.
In this course we will explore perspectives and research on domain-specific and domain-general learning in and out of schools, especially those typically considered in the field of the Learning Sciences. We will examine various perspectives researchers use to inform their work and how these perspectives provide insight into what it means to learn and know. The course objectives include the following: -Understand key questions addressed in research on learning -Understand foundational and modern theories and perspectives in learning -Understand how various learning theories are applied in domain-specific/general research contexts and their limitations -Develop and articulate your own perspectives and research questions on learning.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 705. Design of online learning environments. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an overview of technology applications in learning environments, including history, theoretical foundations, design processes, and available technologies. The course includes an exploration of online learning applications/software, instructional design considerations, and curriculum development for online settings. Topics could include multi-literacies, digital youth network, media and connected learning, web-based learning, AI and machine based learning models.
TAL 704 OR TAL 600.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 706. Design of Formal Learning Environments. 3 Credit Hours.
This course on instructional design provides an overview of theoretical approaches to learning that can be used to analyze learning environments, of learning goals for creation and sequencing of learning activities, and of how resources can be deployed in support effective learning. Topics can include the use of theoretical learning trajectories, tenets and applications of universal design, and social support and intellectual scaffolds for learning.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 707. Design for workplace related learning. 3 Credit Hours.
This course deepens participants' understandings of workplace training and professional development by relating learning to needs assessments; instructional design techniques; program planning, marketing, and delivery techniques; and evaluation of adult learning programs within a variety of organizational settings. Emphasis is placed on constructing training and professional development programs that are meaningful to a diverse workforce and that achieve individual and organizational outcomes to improve an individual's and the organization's performance.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
TAL 708. Design of Out-of-School, Informal Learning. 3 Credit Hours.
This graduate seminar focuses on learning concepts and practices in and out of formal (school) instructional settings. People learn across a variety of places and over their entire lifespans; much of this learning is elective or interest-driven, in the sense that people voluntarily engage in activity in order to learn. In this we course, we consider how learning is organized within and across a variety of informal settings, including state and national parks, museums, theater organizations, zoos, aquariums, sports teams, one-on-one performance coaching, after school programs, non-profit community centers, in families or home environments, in virtual or online social spaces, and even in interactions between medical personnel and their clients. This course will include ties to sociocultural theories of development and learning as applied to out-of-school, informal contexts. The course provides a review of new empirical research and an overview of theoretical approaches to learning that can be used to analyze informal learning environments. The course will involve theoretical and empirical readings with group discussion, but also visits from and to people who are involved in learning in informal settings.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 709. Applied Research and Development in Learning Sciences - Seminar I. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students define and conceptualize a group-based project on learning within their particular employment settings. Groups will develop and implement a plan for a well-focused first effort. The project and its results may be submitted as a digital artifact making use of multiple media in a single language (such as English, French, Italian, Spanish, Portuguese or Chinese) by a team where that language was used to implement the plan and where its use will facilitate the project's completion. Each individual member of the team submits a paper defining their unique contributions to the project in such a way that it is clear that the work built upon and drew from course work in the Learning Sciences. Individual contributions must be substantive and should be complementary. Projects must be approved by advisor before it is implemented; if a language other than English will be employed, it must also be approved by faculty who will review and evaluate it.
Components: SEM.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 710. Introduction to Research. 3 Credit Hours.
This graduate course focuses on diverse philosophies and epistemologies of research and the various methodologies that arise from them. Students will develop an understanding of and appreciation for a range of complementary educational research traditions. The goal is to enable students to participate meaningfully and critically in multiple discourse communities that employ and/or produce research bearing on substantive local, national, and international issues in education.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 711. Video Analysis Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
Video-based data has become ubiquitous in educational research. This methods course is designed to facilitate learning how to use video-based research methods in educational research. Despite the growing interest in video-based approaches, we are still beginning to theorize about various points of view when collecting and analyzing video data. There are practical questions about collecting video data and a growing number of software programs to support data analysis. The goal of this course is to learn about video-based methods for data analysis by critically engaging with how others do video analysis and by doing it collectively in the classroom and individually in a final paper.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

TAL 712. Applied Research and Development in the Learning Sciences - Seminar 2. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Students build upon, (re)define, (re)conceptualize, (re)develop and (re)implement their group-based project from TAL709 by using the research methods employed in its evaluation. The advanced project and its results may be submitted as a digital artifact making use of multiple media in a single language (such as English, French, Italian, Spanish, Portuguese or Chinese) by a team where that language was used to implement the plan and where its use will facilitate the project's completion. Each individual member of the team submits a paper defining their unique contributions to the project in such a way that it is clear that the work built upon and drew from course work in the Learning Sciences. Individual contributions must be substantive and should be complementary. Projects must be approved by advisor before it is implemented; if a language other than English will be employed, it must also be approved by faculty who will review and evaluate it.
Components: SEM.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 714. Introduction to Qualitative Methods. 3 Credit Hours.
The purpose of this course is to introduce graduate students to qualitative research methods and enable them to become educated consumers of such research. Students will also be introduced to basic strategies of qualitative interviewing and observation and will be encouraged to reflect on the potential fit between their own developing skills and their research interests.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
TAL 720. Research in Residence - Masters. 1 Credit Hour.
Masters-degree and Ed.S. students enrolled for credit as determined by advisor. Credit awarded when thesis is accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 730. Topics in Language and Literacy Learning. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Review of emerging policy, practice, empirical research and scholarly writing on important educational issues for which formal course title and syllabus have not been developed and formalized in the UM Bulletin. Allows for experimental instructional formats. Course number indicates appropriate student audience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 731. Language Policy and Planning (K-12). 3 Credit Hours.
The course focuses on the areas that have been of particular interest to sociolinguists and language planners, namely, status planning, corpus planning, prestige planning, language-in-education planning, the language rights of linguistic minorities and the more recent movements from macro issues on language policy and planning (LPP) to micro issues involved in indexing linguistic, ethnic and racial identities. In addition, the course will address matters of migration, imperialism, state formation and political conflicts due to LPP in the United States as well as in countries in Latin America, the Caribbean, Africa, Asia and Europe.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 732. Seminar in Reading. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminar providing intensive study of contemporary topics in reading. Open to advanced graduate students in reading.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 733. Applied Linguistics. 3 Credit Hours.
In-depth study of phonology, morphology, syntax, semantics and pragmatics of spoken and written discourse and the application to second language acquisition theories. Issues of nonstandard dialects and creoles as well as their impact on literacy challenges will be discussed. Globalization of English and linguistic imperialism will be addressed.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 734. Theory and Research in Reading. 3 Credit Hours.
This course explores the intellectual roots of theories of reading and how these are used to generate testable research hypotheses about linguistic, psychological, social, and cultural factors that influence and sustain reading development and reading performance. The course surveys works that have influenced research and theory in the field of reading from its inception in the early 1900's—through the work of experimental psychologists such as Huey—to present times. The readings and lectures will include work that represents the influence of the intellectual traditions of the introspectionists, behaviorism, cognitive psychology, constructionism, socio-cultural theory, and cognitive neuroscience.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 735. Theory and Research in Writing. 3 Credit Hours.
Seminar that explores the complementary relationship between reading and writing through the reading and analysis of theoretical and research literature on writing theory and writing instruction.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 736. Pidgins, Creoles and African-American English in Sociolinguistic Research. 3 Credit Hours.
The course examines the typology of languages that emerged in North and South America as well as in the Caribbean as a result of sociolinguistic contact between European languages and west African languages, namely, pidgins, creoles and African-American English. The course also examines current debates on the extent to which the superstrate and substrate languages as well as the principles of Universal Grammar and the Language Bioprogram Hypothesis have contributed to the linguistic structures of Atlantic Pidgins, Creoles and African-American and Creole cultures are explored. Additionally, the course addresses the sociolinguistic research that advocates dialect diversity and the affirmation of vernacular languages as a means of social and educational reform.
Requisite: Graduate Standing.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
TAL 752. Seminar in Reading/Learning Disabilities. 3-12 Credit Hours.
Contemporary topics in reading and learning disabilities. Rotating topics and faculty. Open only to advanced graduate students in reading and learning disabilities pursuing specialist or doctoral degrees. Specialist students enroll for a total of six hours, and doctoral students for a total of 12 hours. Course may be repeated for a total of 12 credits. Subtitles describing the topics to be offered will be shown in parentheses in the printed schedule, following the title.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 753. Introduction to Science of Learning. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides an overview of the major theoretical traditions and foundations that undergird and inform the Science of Learning across human settings. We will learn about the study and design of learning experiences as well as technologies and strategies for facilitating learning including access to learning and learner linguistic and cultural diversity and inclusion.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 754. Disability and Diversity: Critical Views. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines critical issues in the cultural/historical conceptualization of the field of special education against the background of cross-cultural views of disabilities.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 755. Current Issues in Special Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Current issues and trends in special education from historical, societal, policy, practice, and research perspectives. Topics may include identification, referral, and eligibility; inclusion and Least Restrictive Environment; parent involvement; participation of students with disabilities in high-stakes testing; cultural/linguistic diversity; the disproportionate placement of minorities; and teacher qualifications, certification, and education.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 756. Research in Special Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Critical analysis of empirical research studies in selected areas of special education research, focusing on research designs, data analysis methods, and interpretation of findings.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 757. Seminar in Special Education. 3-12 Credit Hours.
Study in special interest areas in special education. May be taken for up to 12 credits.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 758. Topics in Special Education. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Review of emerging policy, practice, empirical research and scholarly writing in important educational issues for which format course title and syllabus have not been developed and formalized in the UM Bulletin. Allows for experimental instructional formats. Course number indicates appropriate student audience. See Course Notes for specific topics.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 770. Topics in STEM Education. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Review of emerging policy, practice, empirical research and scholarly writing on important educational issues for which format course title and syllabus have not been developed and formalized in the UM Bulletin. Allows for experimental instructional formats. Course number indicates appropriate student audience. See Course Notes for specific topics.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
TAL 772. Instructional Design and Technology in STEM Education. 3 Credit Hours.
This course is designed to help you take an engineering approach in instructional design, development, and evaluation in STEM education. The course focuses on instructional systems development with a particular emphasis on technology-enhanced K-12 STEM education environments. We will develop an in-depth theoretical understanding and practical skills of instructional design and technology.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 773. Teaching and Teacher Education. 3 Credit Hours.
This course focuses on several key dimensions of schools and schooling and their relationship to larger historical and social contexts, including the history of U.S. education; equity issues in past and present U.S. education; contemporary educational issues & theory; and international/global education.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 774. STEM Learning. 3 Credit Hours.
Provides an overview of the historical roots and current state of the learning sciences, as they apply to the study of learning in science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM). Organized around reading, discussion and synthesis of research.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 775. STEM Curriculum and Policy. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of mathematics and science curricula, with the inclusion of engineering and technology as applied science and mathematics. Study of the competing forces that shape curriculum including standards documents, state and national policy, conceptions of the disciplines, modern and postmodern analyses of curriculum theory.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 776. Assessment in STEM Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Overview of the theoretical and research frameworks for student assessment in science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM). Topics include classroom-based assessment, testing for high stakes and other purposes, national and international comparisons in mathematics and science achievement and factors impacting on STEM-related persistence and careers.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 777. STEM-Education Research Practicum. 3 Credit Hours.
Defining an empirical or theoretical research issue, arguing for its importance; framing the study based on related research; designing, implementing and documenting appropriate research methods; reporting and interpreting the results; writing and submitting a manuscript – in the fields that comprise STEM-education.
Components: PRA.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 778. Diversity and Equity in STEM Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Issues of unequal student achievement, course taking, degree-seeking, and careers that rely on science, engineering, technology and mathematics (STEM). Focus is on social-demographic groups defined along lines of race, ethnicity, social class, gender language, and their interactions. Historical and social antecedents, current day policies and practices, extant research consequences and future trends.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 790. Advance Topics in Education. 3 Credit Hours.
Review of emerging policy, practice, empirical research and scholarly writing on important educational issues for which formal course title and syllabus have not been developed and formalized in the UM Bulletin. Allows for experimental instructional formats. Course number indicates appropriate student audience. See Course Notes for specific topic.
Components: SEM.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
TAL 793. Advanced Individual Study. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual work on a special project under faculty guidance. Application for Admission to Advanced Individual Study form will be required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 794. Advanced Individual Study. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual work on a special project under faculty guidance. Application for Admission to Advanced Individual Study form will be required.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 796. Practicum/Internship: Elementary Exceptional Student Education Classroom. 1-6 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive program of observations and supervised teaching in an elementary exceptional student education classroom. The student spends full time in the classroom participating in all activities of the teacher under the guidance of school and university personnel.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 801. Advanced Individual Study for Doctoral Students. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individual work on a special project under faculty guidance. Application for Admission to Advanced Individual Study form will be required.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 810. Master's Thesis. 1-6 Credit Hours.
The student working on his/her master's or Ed.S. thesis enrolls for credit. In most departments no to exceed six, as determined by his/her advisor.
Credit is not awarded until the thesis has been accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 815. Post-Candidacy Thesis Research. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Masters-degree and Ed.S. students enrolled for credit as determined by advisor. Credit awarded when thesis is accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 825. Continuous Registration - Master's Study. 1 Credit Hour.
To establish residence for non-thesis master's study who are preparing for major examinations or working on culminating project. Credit not granted. Regarded as full time residence.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 830. Pre-Candidacy Dissertation Research. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Doctoral students enrolled for credit as determined by advisor. Credit is awarded when dissertation is accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

TAL 835. Doctor of Education Dissertation. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Required of all candidates for the Ed.D. The student enrolls for credit as determined by his/her advisor. Credit is not awarded until the doctoral project has been accepted. Total enrollment may not exceed 12 credits.
Components: LEC.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

TAL 840. Post-Candidacy Dissertation Research. 1-12 Credit Hours.
Doctoral students enrolled for credit as determined by advisor. Credit is awarded when dissertation is accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
TAL 850. Research in Residence. 1 Credit Hour.
Doctoral students enrolled for credit as determined by advisor. Credit awarded when dissertation is accepted.
Components: THI.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

TAL 862. Principles of Curriculum Development and Classroom Management for TESOL. 3 Credit Hours.
Components of curriculum and instructional management in ESOL classrooms. Pupil/teacher interaction, curriculum organization, student assessment and evaluation, materials development and adoption, utilization of resources, and classroom organization will be covered.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

TAL 878. Teaching in the Elementary School (YR). 3-6 Credit Hours.
A comprehensive year-long program in observation and supervised teaching in the elementary school. The student spends full time in an elementary school participating in all activities of the teacher under the guidance of school and university personnel following the calendar of the school system.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

Theatre Arts (THA)

THA 101. Introduction to Theatre. 3 Credit Hours.
Intro survey course in theatre--what it is now, how it works, its practitioners and the relationship of theatre to the contemporary world. Attendance at Ring Theatre productions is required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 102. Introduction to the Audition. 2 Credit Hours.
Students will learn the methods and techniques used to create a successful performance audition. The student will learn how to choose appropriate audition material and how to rehearse the material for an effective and professionally-minded audition.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

THA 103. Introduction to Theatre Crafts. 1 Credit Hour.
Students will learn the techniques and methods used to create costumes, scenery and stage properties for theatrical productions. Lectures and hand-on projects will allow students to practice their skills in scenic construction, scenic painting, sewing, and costume crafting.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

THA 104. Performance Practicum. 3 Credit Hours.
Students will be cast in and rehearse a performance piece with a stage director. Students will learn effective methods for memorizing text and best professional practices in their collaboration with the director and artistic team. The piece will be performed in front of a live audience at the end of the course.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

THA 105. Introduction to Acting. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic tools of acting craft including analysis, physical action and reacting in the moment explored through exercises, scripted work and readings. A doing class, making attendance essential.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

THA 106. Introduction to Acting for the Musical Theatre. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic tools of Musical Theatre Acting craft including vocal approaches for the actor, theatrical and musical analysis, physical action and an introduction to musical theatre acting styles explored through exercises, scripted work with an extensive listening component.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
THA 108. Introduction to Standardized Patient Simulation. 3 Credit Hours.
Standardized patients are actors who are trained to realistically portray a specific patient's history, subtext, personality, physical infirmities and emotional states within a simulated interview or simulated physical examination session with a medical student. Students will learn basic acting skills and physiological knowledge needed to support and serve interactive clinical training.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 110. Freshman Performance Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory component to supplement Theatre Arts BFA Performance training courses.
Corequisite: THA 111 or THA 112.
Components: LAB.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 111. Acting I-A. 2 Credit Hours.
Introduction to the elements of drama and theatre, and to the basic tools of acting craft.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 112. Acting I-B (Script Analysis). 2 Credit Hours.
Continued work on basic tools of craft including script analysis.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 113. Movement I-A. 1 Credit Hour.
The integrated method of voice, movement and acting training known as The Expressive Actor developed by Michael Lugering.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 114. Movement I-B. 1 Credit Hour.
A continuation of THA 113, this course challenges students to apply the fundamentals of the Expressive Actor training to character building and scene work.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 116. Dance I-A. 2 Credit Hours.
Beginning ballet and jazz for Musical Theatre with strong focus on technique and terminology.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 117. Dance I-B. 2 Credit Hours.
Continuation of THA 116.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 120. Freshman Studio I. 1-2 Credit Hours.
First year theatre laboratory with strong focus on ensemble, rehearsal, and performance skills.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
THA 121. Freshman Studio II. 1-2 Credit Hours.
A continuation of THA 120.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 131. Musical Theatre Skills I. 2 Credit Hours.
The first semester of a four semester practical course sequence designed to teach musical skills, techniques, keyboard skills and theory relevant to the contemporary musical theater actor.
BFA Musical Theatre majors (THTR7_BFA) only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 132. Musical Theatre Skills II. 2 Credit Hours.
The second semester of a four semester practical course sequence designed to teach musical skills, techniques, keyboard skills and theory relevant to the contemporary musical theater actor.
BFA Musical Theatre majors (THTR7_BFA) only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 140. Introduction to Dance. 3 Credit Hours.
Beginning dance skills and stylistic elements of theatrical forms of dance (repeatable).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 141. Introduction to Scenic, Costume, and Light Design in Theatre and Film. 2 Credit Hours.
Beginning facets of the scenic, costume, and lighting design process mainly for theater, and some aspects of film. Students will learn the basic role of scenic, costume, and lighting designers in theater and film. The course will put students into practice of the professional process by which theatrical designers analyze a text, provide visual research, create preliminary drawings, and create final drawings for stage designs. The main objective of the course is to develop "designer's eye". Each project will challenge students to cultivate artistry, creativity, and skills to search metaphor for designs. This introductory course serves as the prerequisite of most of higher level theatrical design courses. It is important for all students who are interested in taking other design or drawing courses to gain knowledge of the basic design languages and tools in this course. Students are required to take the accompanying THA 143 Lab in order to gain more hands-on experience with the use, maintenance, and operation of actual theatrical equipment.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 142. Introduction to Theatre Technology. 2 Credit Hours.
A hands-on course providing skills in the operations necessary to execute scenic or lighting design: basic scenery construction, materials and techniques, scenic painting and lighting hang and focus procedures.
Components: EXP.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 143. Backstage Crew Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
Participation in the backstage running crew during technical rehearsals and performances of one production in the Jerry Herman Ring Theatre season. Evening and weekend hours required.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 144. Production Crew Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
Hands-on work in the preparation of technical elements (scenery, costumes, props, lighting, sound) or front-of-house services for Jerry Herman Ring Theatre productions.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.
THA 150. Musical Theatre Vocal Techniques. 1 Credit Hour.
Fundamentals of Vocal Productions explored through group lessons. Enrollment limited to first-year BFA students. May be taken twice for credit.
BFA Musical Theatre majors (THTR7_BFA) only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 160. Dance Styles. 3 Credit Hours.
A variety of ethnic dance forms that will vary from one semester to the next. Different cultural dance styles will be offered on a rotating basis.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 161. Beginning/Intermediate Tap. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Beginning/intermediate tap class. Not a lecture class; students will be dancing during each class period. Tap shoes are required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 162. Intermediate/Advanced Tap. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Intermediate/advanced tap class. Not a lecture class; students will be dancing during each class period. Tap shoes are required.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 191. Introductory Applied Music Theatre Voice I. 1 Credit Hour.
One-half hour individual lessons tailored to the individual needs of the students. Enrollment is limited to first-year BFA music theater students. BFA Musical Theatre majors (THTR7_BFA) only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 192. Introductory Applied Music Theatre Voice II. 1 Credit Hour.
One-half hour individual lessons tailored to the individual needs of the student. Enrollment is limited to first-year BFA music theater students. BFA Musical Theatre majors (THTR7_BFA) only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 194. Singing for Actors. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Fundamentals of singing to include breath control, tone production, articulation. An ensemble approach to exploring and gain self-confidence in the skill of singing for the American musical stage.
Requisite: Theatre Performance Major or Additional (THA2_BFA, THTR2_AS_A).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

THA 196. Singing for the Stage I-A. 1-2 Credit Hours.
The selection of learning process and performance of Musical Theatre Songs with emphasis on lyrics. BFA Musical Theatre majors (THTR7_BFA) only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 197. Singing for the Stage I-B. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Continuation of THA 196. BFA Musical Theatre majors (THTR7_BFA) only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
THA 198. Voice and Speech I-A. 1 Credit Hour.
Fundamentals of relaxation and breath management, alignment, tone production, pitch and resonance. Anatomy and physiology of the vocal structures. Introduction to the International Phonetic Alphabet (IPA).
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 199. Voice and Speech I-B. 2 Credit Hours.
Development of General American speech production and articulation skills through further phonetic study. Explorations in range, inflection, resonance, tempo and rhythm within the application of voice to text.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 206. Acting for Musical Theatre. 3 Credit Hours.
Intermediate tools of Acting for the Musical Theatre including analysis and investigations in style.
Prerequisite: THA 105 or THA 106.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 208. Intermediate Standardized Patient Training. 3 Credit Hours.
Standardized patients are healthy people who are trained to realistically portray a specific patient’s history, subtext, personality, physical infirmities and emotional states within a simulated interview or simulated physical examination session with a medical student. Students with previous SP experience will learn intermediate acting skills and work with patient histories that deal with behavioral health.
Prerequisite: THA 108.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 210. Sophomore Performance Laboratory. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory component to supplement Theatre Arts BFA Performance training courses.
Corequisite: THA 211 or THA 212.
Components: LAB.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 211. Acting II-A. 2 Credit Hours.
Intensive scene study for sophomore conservatory actors. Basic tools of craft developed through use of contemporary plays, script analysis, and rehearsal techniques.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 212. Acting II-B. 2 Credit Hours.
A continuation of THA 211.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 214. Movement II. 1 Credit Hour.
Stage combat utilizing the Dueling Arts International Level-1 curriculum for the Unarmed, Broadsword, and Single Rapier disciplines. Students will have the option of submitting their skills tests for adjudication and possible certification through Dueling Arts International.
Prerequisite: THA 114.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
THA 216. Dance II-A. 1 Credit Hour.
Intermediate Musical Theatre dance taught through ballet and jazz, with an emphasis on technique and style.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 217. Dance II-B. 2 Credit Hours.
A continuation of THA 216 incorporating characterization and additional style.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 231. Music Theatre Skills II. 2 Credit Hours.
The third semester of a four semester practical course sequence designed to teach musical skills, techniques, keyboard skills and theory relevant to the contemporary musical theatre actor.
BFA Musical Theatre majors (THTR7_BFA) only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 232. Music Theatre Skills IV. 2 Credit Hours.
The fourth and final semester of a four semester practical course sequence designed to teach musical skills, techniques, keyboard skills and theory relevant to the contemporary musical theatre actor.
Prerequisite: THA 231.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 240. Introduction to Dance II. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of THA 140 (repeatable).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 241. Basic Costume Sewing and Scenic Painting. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic scenic painting and costume construction techniques. Scenic painting includes fundamentals in wood, marbles, brick, stones, lights and shadows. Costume construction includes fundamentals in hand/machine sewing, dyeing, distressing and pattern reading.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 242. Drafting for the Theatre. 3 Credit Hours.
Drafting standards and techniques used for the theatre to produce scenic and lighting plans. Hand drafting and computer aided drafting.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 243. Beginning Theatre Design How to Sketch Your Idea. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic sketching, mechanical drawing and rendering techniques used for costume and scenic design. Basic black and white figure drawing, lights and shadows and perspective elevations.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 244. Theatre Design and Collaboration - Three Dimentional Creativity for Scenery and Costumes. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced training in drawing and rendering used for costume and scenic design for the theatre. Color costume plates and scenic renderings.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
THA 245. Technical Planning for Theatrical Productions. 3 Credit Hours.
Characteristics and structure of Scenery, Properties, Scenic Art, Costumes, Lighting, Sound and Video departments for theatrical performance. Study of each production department's budgeting, scheduling and logistical needs.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

THA 246. Survey of Design for Theater and Live Entertainment. 3 Credit Hours.
Principles and procedures of the design and technical production aspects of theatre and live entertainment.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

THA 247. Master Electrician for the Stage. 3 Credit Hours.
Training for the position of Master Electrician and Assistant Lighting Designer (or theatrical productions. Practical application of production planning, lighting paperwork, overseeing lighting crews, advanced electrical theory, power distribution, and creative problem solving.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

THA 248. Introduction to Design for Film. 3 Credit Hours.
Various aspects of costume design and production in films by introduction to the designer's roles, design models, design language, and collaborative efforts in film to the student. Later in the semester students will experience developing their own designs through simpler projects, such as designing a song or scene from novels.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 251. Intermediate Acting I. 3 Credit Hours.
Basic tools of the actor's craft are developed through script work, scene study, and improvisational techniques.
Prerequisite: THA 105 or THA 106.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 252. Intermediate Acting II. 3 Credit Hours.
A continuation of THA 251 focusing on script analysis and choice making for scene work.
Prerequisite: THA 251.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 253. Special Topics in Voice for the Stage. 3 Credit Hours.
Study of vocal production in both broad and specialized areas including general vocal training for stage or public speaking, voice over techniques and dialects.
Prerequisite: THA 105.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 254. Movement for Actors. 3 Credit Hours.
Physical range and control, physicalization and condition of character, and stage violence.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 281. History of Western Theatre Architecture. 3 Credit Hours.
Covers the evolution of performance spaces in Europe and the United States, from Ancient Greek structures to modern-day multi-venue Performing Arts complexes.

Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
THA 291. Beginning Applied Music Theatre Voice I. 1 Credit Hour.
One-Hour individual lessons tailored to the individual needs of the students. Enrollment is limited to second-year BFA music theater students.
BFA Musical Theatre majors (THTR7_BFA) only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 292. Beginning Applied Music Theatre Voice II. 1 Credit Hour.
One-hour Individual lessons tailored to the Individual needs of the student. Enrollment is limited to second-year BFA music theater students.
BFA Musical Theatre majors (THTR7_BFA) only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 294. Singing for Actors II-A. 2 Credit Hours.
Development of musical theatre singing technique for BFA Acting majors. Skills to be developed include proper breathing, tone, articulation, lyric interpretation, and physical presentation. Course is repeatable.
Requisite: Theatre Performance Major or Additional (THA2_BFA, THTR2_AS_A).
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

THA 296. Singing for the Stage II-A. 1 Credit Hour.
A continuation of ideas presented in THA 196 and 197.
BFA Musical Theatre majors (THTR7_BFA) only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 297. Singing for the Stage II-B. 1 Credit Hour.
The study of material derived from the popular music canon (pop, rock, et al), melding contemporary vocal styling with the traditional narrative aims of theatrical storytelling. The incorporation of concurrent musical theatre skills training in the creation of vocal arrangements.
BFA Musical Theatre majors (THTR7_BFA) only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 298. Voice and Speech II-A. 1 Credit Hour.
Improvement of individual voice and speech skills: through in-depth examination of habitual speech formation and vocal patterns. Application of the IPA within American accent study.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 299. Voice and Speech II-B. 2 Credit Hours.
Strengthening the connection between the acting impulse and speaking voice. Extended voice production within scene work. Introduction to Shakespeare's verse structure.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 301. Theater and the Holocaust. 3 Credit Hours.
Through readings, research, class discussions and personal reflections this course explores the philosophical and historical context of Holocaust-related plays written in the aftermath of World War II.
Prerequisite: ENG 106.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
THA 302. People, Places and Play: Theatre that Changed the World. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination through the lens of the drama, the seminal events that brought about the death of romanticism and gave birth to the modern era. Emphasis is placed on social change as evidenced through theatre as a mirror to the world in events, dramatic literature and the people that shaped it from the Revolutions of 1848 to the present; exploring the great minds outside the world of theatre and the effect this had on the great minds in the theatre. *Not open to Theatre Majors or Minors: for BGS students only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

THA 310. Junior Performance Lab. 1 Credit Hour.
Laboratory Component to supplement Theatre Arts BFA Performance training courses, specifically TBA 311, THA 312, THA 316, THA 313, THA 396, THA 398 & THA 399
Components: LAB.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 311. Acting III-A. 2 Credit Hours.
An in-depth study of acting Shakespeare, focusing on text and physicality. The source material may include texts of fellow Elizabethan/Jacobean playwrights as well as other 16th/17th Century European playwrights. The student is expected to incorporate period movement and style, voice technique, and acting skills studied in prerequisite and concurrent courses
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 312. Acting III-B. 2 Credit Hours.
A continuation of THA 311 with focus on high style and Comedy of Manners. May include Shaw, Wilde, and Coward.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 313. Movement III. 1 Credit Hour.
A focus on the physical performance techniques and requirements of a variety of historic theatrical periods.
Prerequisite: THA 214.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 314. Movement II-B. 1 Credit Hour.
Fundamentals of mask work through the study of a "personal clown"; the character mask and/or an in-depth study of Commedia dell'Arte masks and character types.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 315. Auditioning I. 2 Credit Hours.
First semester of a two semester sequence designed to aid BFA students in the development of material and techniques necessary for professional audition circumstances.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 316. Dance III-A. 2 Credit Hours.
Advanced Musical Theatre Dance incorporating high technical proficiency for expression, characterization and style.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
THA 317. Dance III-B. 2 Credit Hours.
A continuation of THA 316.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 341. Sound for the Theatre. 3 Credit Hours.
A basic sound design class to develop an ear for music and sound.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

THA 342. Scenic Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Techniques for analyzing, planning and designing stage scenery, executing color rendering and stage models.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

THA 343. Costume Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Techniques for analyzing, planning, and designing theatrical costumes. Executing color rendering plates.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 344. Lighting Design. 3 Credit Hours.
Techniques for analyzing, planning and designing theatrical lighting. Executing light plots and corresponding paperwork.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 345. Scenic Materials and Structures. 3 Credit Hours.
Materials used in scenic construction and advantages of each. Students will perform basic structural analysis on scenery built with these materials
Prerequisite: THA 142.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 347. Stage Make-Up. 3 Credit Hours.
A lecture-laboratory course in make-up for the stage, television and motion picture.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Summer.

THA 350. Musical Theatre Vocal Techniques II. 1 Credit Hour.
Advanced Musical Theatre Vocal Techniques explored through group or private lessons.
BFA Musical Theatre majors (THTR7_BFA) only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 351. Auditioning and Preparing for the Profession. 3 Credit Hours.
How to succeed in the theatre profession. Students will prepare audition pieces and learn resume preparation, headshots, interviewing, and other
aspects of searching for and obtaining work. Not for BFA Students.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 352. Singing for the Musical Theater. 3 Credit Hours.
The process of acting and singing a song for a musical play or review. Song selection, technical and acting mechanics, and how to deliver the song
using 16 and 32 bar material.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
THA 356. Improvisational Acting. 1-3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to the basic craft of Improvisational Acting through an exploration of short form and long form improvisational acting styles.
Prerequisite: THA 112 or THA 252.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 364. The Theatre Industry. 3 Credit Hours.
Producing trends on Broadway, the Road, and Regional Theatre. The basics of producing, managing, and marketing a play from securing the performance rights to closing night.
Prerequisite: THA 101.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 365. Principles of Stage Management. 3 Credit Hours.
The study of the basic work of a theatrical stage manager from pre-production to post production, including preliminary work, auditions, rehearsals, coordinating of departments, technical & dress rehearsals, performance and post production duties. Much class time is devoted to discussing the role of the stage manager as a theatre collaborator. Also discussed are stage and business techniques as applied to the entertainment industry with a focus on strengthening organizational and interpersonal skills in order to function successfully as an effective leader.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 366. Theatre Management Practicum I. 3 Credit Hours.
Practical experience on the annual season ticket campaign, marketing, finances, house management, and facilities management at the Jerry Herman Ring Theater. Open only to Theatre Management majors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 367. Theatre Management Practicum II. 3 Credit Hours.
Practical experience on the annual season ticket campaign, marketing, finances, house management, and facilities management at the Jerry Herman Ring Theatre. Open only to Theatre Management majors.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 369. Producing New Plays and Musicals. 3 Credit Hours.
The components needed to produce a new body of theatrical work. Topics that will be discussed are the selection of a creative team, developmental timelines, budgeting, and approaches to managing a new work from both a business and creative perspective. This is a hands-on class that will span the entire process from creation of a script to performance.
Prerequisite: THA 364.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

THA 370. Popular Culture and Entertainment: Performance, Spectacle, and Audience Experience. 3 Credit Hours.
An exploration of the ways in which performance uses spectacle to create events that captivate audiences. What purpose does popular entertainment serve for the general public in different eras? How does entertainment encourage us to play? What does this playful diversion do for us as individuals? Why do artists use spectacle to manipulate our experience and perception of the world?
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

THA 375. Introduction to Playwriting. 3 Credit Hours.
Understanding of the basic principles involved in play construction.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
THA 376. Beg, Borrow and Steal: Adapting for the Stage. 3 Credit Hours.
A writing workshop supplemented with readings, discussions, and staging in which classical texts are adapted into new stage translations for contemporary audiences. Utilizing today's best theatre acting/directing methodologies, students will complete a series of short adaptation exercises as well as a longer, co-directed project.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 377. Make Them Laugh: How to Write Comedy. 3 Credit Hours.
Analysis of comedic masters in order to create your own comedic material.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

THA 381. Play Analysis I. 3 Credit Hours.
Play structure from the viewpoints of the actor, director, designer, and audience. Understanding the play and making production choices.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 382. Play Analysis II. 3 Credit Hours.
A continuation of THA 381. Emphasis on non-realistic theatre.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 383. Queer Theatre: Body Politics/Staging Sexuality. 3 Credit Hours.
Examines theatrical representations of GLBTQ issues in the U.S. from the 1960s to the present, in terms of the aesthetic/political project of "Queer Theater." Considering theater as a transformative social form, students will have opportunities for creative practice and scholarship. May be taken for Writing Credit.
Prerequisite: ENG 106.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 384. Music in the American Theatre: Its Dramaturgy, Music, and Cultural. 3 Credit Hours.
A survey of the history of musical theater in America, from its earliest days with American colonial works to our present era of Internet-facilitated global artistic exchange. As a result, the course encompasses a vibrant diversity of intimately related musical-theatrical forms, styles, methods, and cultural responses, represented by such heterogeneous labels as ballad opera, minstrel show, operetta, and mega-musical, to name just a few.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 385. History of Interior Design and Furniture. 3 Credit Hours.
The history and evolution of western interior decor and furniture design from Classical Greece through the present. Lectures and design exercises highlight changing aesthetics in architectural design, interior design and the decorative arts for theatrical designers and production designers for film.
Requisite: Sophomore Standing or Higher.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 386. History of Fashion. 3 Credit Hours.
A history of clothing and other visual elements that provide a research background for theatrical design, prehistoric through present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 388. African American Theatre History. 3 Credit Hours.
African-Americans struggles for self-definition against prevailing hegemonies using theatre as a tool for expressing the truth of their identities.
Prerequisite: ENG 106.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
THA 391. Intermediate Applied Music Theatre Voice I. 1 Credit Hour.
One-hour individual lessons tailored to the individual needs of the student. Enrollment is limited to third-year BFA music theater students.
BFA Musical Theatre majors (THTR7_BFA) only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 392. Intermediate Applied Music Theatre Voice II. 1 Credit Hour.
One-hour individual lessons tailored to the individual needs of the student. Enrollment is limited to third-year BFA music theater students.
BFA Musical Theatre majors (THTR7_BFA) only.
Components: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 396. Singing for the Stage III-A. 1-2 Credit Hours.
Instruction and coaching of advanced vocal and audition material drawn from American musical theatre.
BFA Musical Theatre majors (THTR7_BFA) only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 398. Voice and Speech III-A. 1 Credit Hour.
Application of voice and speech in classic texts-particularly that of Shakespeare and translation plays. Accent monologues and scenes.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 399. Voice and Speech III-B. 1 Credit Hour.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 401. Internship. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Prescribed work and study at a theatre, opera, or dance company as it pertains to the major’s concentration of study. Collateral reports, readings, conference s with faculty supervisor.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 402. Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of THA 401.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 403. Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of THA 402.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 404. Internship. 3 Credit Hours.
Continuation of THA 403.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 410. Independent Study. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Individualized instruction on special topics.
Components: THI.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
THA 411. Acting IV-A. 2 Credit Hours.
An in-depth scene study from the works of 19th Century European playwrights writing in the styles of Naturalism and Realism. Playwrights may include but are not limited to Ibsen, Strindberg and Chekhov. A focus on incorporating period movement and style, voice technique, and the further development of acting skills studied in prerequisite courses.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 412. Acting IV-B. 2 Credit Hours.
Scene study focusing on contemporary playwrights who use elevated language. May include Pinter, Stoppard, Mamet, Anouilh, Churchill, and others.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 413. Movement III-A. 3 Credit Hours.
Unarmed combat for the stage: basic and advanced techniques including punches, slaps, kicks, rolls and fight choreography. As sanctioned by the Society of American Fight Directors (SAFD).
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

THA 415. Auditioning I. 2 Credit Hours.
A course dedicated to the business of theatre for actors. Students will prepare three to five audition pieces. Covers headshots, resumes, income tax situations, unions, and methods of searching for and obtaining work.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 416. Auditioning-II. 2 Credit Hours.
Continuation of THA 415.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 420. Senior Studio. 3 Credit Hours.
Rehearsal and production of a showcase culminating in a New York performance for agents and casting directors.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Summer.

THA 421. The American Theatre: Industry Journeys and Careers. 3 Credit Hours.
Theatre business career paths of the American theatre, lecture by prominent industry leaders from around the nation with theatre department faculty. Topics of study include Broadway, Off Broadway, touring productions, regional theatres and performing arts center management, as well as business skills development including knowledge and interview evaluation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 431. Musical Theatre Styles I. 2-3 Credit Hours.
Focus on the preparation of a professional musical theatre audition book. Emphasis on all current musical theatre song styles. 16 and 32 bar audition cuts, full songs and appropriate monologues.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
THA 432. Musical Theatre Styles II. 2-3 Credit Hours.
Musical scene study class exploring scenes from various styles and genres of musical theatre. Scenes will consist of spoken dialogue and singing. Continuation of THA 431.
Requisite: BFA Performance or Musical Theatre majors only.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

THA 441. Advanced Design and Management Practicum I. 3 Credit Hours.
Hands on practicum training working as a designer or technical craftsperson for a mainstage or studio production; or as an assistant designer or assistant technical craftsperson for a mainstage production. Repeatable once for credit toward major.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

THA 442. Advanced Design and Management Practicum II. 3 Credit Hours.
Hands on practicum training working as a designer or technical craftsperson for a mainstage or studio production; or as an assistant designer or assistant technical craftsperson for a mainstage production.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

THA 450. Special Topics in Performance. 1-3 Credit Hours.
Intensive study and practical exploration of a specialized area of performance such as Social Theatre, Physical Theatre, Classical Greek Theatre, Commedia dell’arte, Solo Performance, Dance Auditioning, Musical Theatre Performance, among others. Final performances before an invited audience.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

THA 451. Advanced Acting: Classical Poetic Text. 3 Credit Hours.
An introduction to styles focusing on the Greeks, Shakespeare, Restoration and other plays on poetic language.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall.

THA 452. Advanced Acting: Contemporary Poetic Text. 3 Credit Hours.
Acting and scene study focusing on contemporary playwrights who use poetic language, such as Mamet, Stoppard, Pinter, Shepard, Vogel, and Churchill.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

THA 453. Theatre Arts Capstone. 3 Credit Hours.
An opportunity to implement the knowledge and skills gained in course work in the areas of design and technical theatre, acting, directing, and playwriting within a student-driven, faculty-supervised, collaborative performance project. This course is the required capstone for seniors majoring in Theatre Arts but open to and repeatable for underclassmen.
**Components:** PRA.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Spring.

THA 455. Acting for the Camera. 3 Credit Hours.
An advanced set of professional skills and practices for motion picture acting through scene work, episodic series work and collaboration. Upon completion of this class each actor will have performed in staging and shooting exercises and a variety of shot scenes. They will work with an editor to cut their reels, collaborate with a variety of directors, learn how camera and editing affects performance and learn to work efficiently and optimally on a professional film set.
Prerequisite: THA 312.
**Components:** LEC.
**Grading:** GRD.
**Typically Offered:** Fall & Spring.
THA 456. Improvisational Acting II. 1-3 Credit Hours.
The further study of improvisational skills and the development of long form techniques.
Prerequisite: THA 356.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 459. Stage Management Practicum. 3 Credit Hours.
Practical experience as a stage manager for a production. Weekly individual meetings with instructor for analysis of performance and evaluation.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 461. Play Direction I. 3 Credit Hours.
The art and craft of stage direction.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 462. Play Direction II. 3 Credit Hours.
A continuation of THA 461 in which the student directs a one act play. Enrollment limited.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 463. Advanced Stage Management I. 3 Credit Hours.
A study of stage management techniques and practices as applied to the professional theatre: Career preparation including cover letter and resume skills. This course provides discussion on the Actor's Equity LORT Rule Book, the discovery and understanding of personality types and traits, goal setting and cue calling skills.
Prerequisite: THA 365.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 464. Advanced Stage Management II. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced stage management techniques and practices as applied to the professional theatre: Touring, including an analysis of the basic practices and procedures of Advance Calls, Route Sheets and Itineraries. Cueing: reading, writing and calling in "Dance Eights." This course also provides leadership assessments and an examination of leadership styles and methodologies.
Prerequisite: THA 463.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 465. Broadway and the Road. 3 Credit Hours.
An examination of the historical and contemporary practices of Broadway production taught through a series of lectures by renowned guest speakers from the theatre industry. Topics discussed include the career paths of experts in the field, business structures, current developments and trends on Broadway and in commercial Broadway tours.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 466. Theatrical Unions. 3 Credit Hours.
History of theatrical unions in America. Major unions and their contracts: actors, directors and choreographers, playwrights, composers and lyricists, designers and non-union personnel management and organizational structure.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

THA 467. Producing for Regional Theatre. 3 Credit Hours.
History of American Regional Theatre. Forming the non-profit corporation; the mission statement; the Board of Directors; legal and tax requirements; budgeting and record keeping; staffing and organizational management.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.
THA 468. Professions of the American Theatre. 3 Credit Hours.
A detailed examination of several administrative professions in the theatre and the roles these professions play in play production. Careers studied include casting direction, company management, artistic direction, development, marketing, education and literary management.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

THA 469. Producing Musical Theatre II. 3 Credit Hours.
Designed to develop, refine, rehearse, mount, and present a new musical.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

THA 471. Directing the Actor for Film. 3 Credit Hours.
The craft of directing actors for work before a camera.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall & Spring.

THA 472. Where Stage and Film Meet. 3 Credit Hours.
The relationship between theatre and film combining a theoretical-critical as well as a practical perspective. Viewing of seminal films and readings from a selection of texts from the early days of cinema until the 2000's touch on the point or view or critics, playwrights, and directors. Also explores the concept of theatricality in film, or the ways in which different theatrical practices, concepts, and techniques can play fundamental roles in filmmaking.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Offered by Announcement Only.

THA 475. Lyric Writing for Musical Theatre. 3 Credit Hours.
Lyric-writing laboratory for musical theatre, operating on a workshop model. Following a study of musical theater's basic lyrical forms and functions, students will, on a weekly basis, craft their own theatre lyrics - intended to be set to music-according to studied models and will share them in a safe, collaborative environment for consideration and critique.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 481. Theatre History I. 3 Credit Hours.
Theatre history from the Greeks through European Renaissance.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

THA 482. Theatre History II. 3 Credit Hours.
Theatre history from the 17th century to the present.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 485. Playwriting II. 3 Credit Hours.
Further examination of dramatic writing techniques including Hero's Journey model, adaptation and experimental structures.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 487. Advanced Projects. 3 Credit Hours.
Advanced practical projects in directing, stage management, dramatic writing or dramaturgy. Repeatable up to four times for credit towards minor.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

THA 491. Advanced Applied Music Theatre Voice I. 1 Credit Hour.
One-hour individual lessons tailored to the individual needs of the student. Enrollment is limited to fourth-year BFA music theater students. BFA Musical Theatre majors (THTR7_BFA) only.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.
THA 492. Advanced Applied Music Theatre Voice II. 1 Credit Hour.
One-hour individual lessons tailored to the individual needs of the student. Enrollment is limited to fourth-year BFA music theater students.
Component: LAB.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.

University Internship (UMI)

UMI 105. UMI 105: University Internship Part Time 1.00 Credit Hour. 1 Credit Hour.
A part-time 1 credit internship designed to provide opportunities for career exploration, skill development, and exposure to career field. Completion of at least one semester of coursework at UM is required.
Component: EXP.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

UMI 110. UMI 110: University Internship Full Time 1.00 Credit Hour. 1 Credit Hour.
A full-time 1 credit internship designed to provide opportunities for career exploration, skill development, and exposure to career field. Completion of at least one semester of coursework at UM is required.
Component: EXP.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

UMI 205. UMI 205: University Internship Part Time 1.00 Credit Hour. 1 Credit Hour.
A part-time 1 credit internship designed to provide opportunities for career exploration, skill development, and exposure to career field. Completion of at least one semester of coursework at UM is required.
Component: EXP.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

UMI 210. UMI 210: University Internship Full Time 1.00 Credit Hour. 1 Credit Hour.
A full-time 1 credit internship designed to provide opportunities for career exploration, skill development, and exposure to career field. Completion of at least one semester of coursework at UM is required.
Component: EXP.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

UMI 305. UMI 305: University Internship Part Time 1.00 Credit Hour. 1 Credit Hour.
A part-time 1 credit internship designed to provide opportunities for career exploration, skill development, and exposure to career field. Completion of at least one semester of coursework at UM is required.
Component: EXP.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

UMI 310. UMI 310: University Internship Full-time 1.00 Credit Hour. 1 Credit Hour.
A full-time 1 credit internship designed to provide opportunities for career exploration, skill development, and exposure to career field. Completion of at least one semester of coursework at UM is required.
Component: EXP.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

UMI 405. UMI 405: University Internship Part Time 1.0 Credit Hour. 1 Credit Hour.
A part-time 1 credit internship designed to provide opportunities for career exploration, skill development, and exposure to career field. Completion of at least one semester of coursework at UM is required.
Component: EXP.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

UMI 410. UMI 410: University Internship Full Time 1.0 Credit Hour. 1 Credit Hour.
A full-time 1 credit internship designed to provide opportunities for career exploration, skill development, and exposure to career field. Completion of at least one semester of coursework at UM is required.
Component: EXP.
Grading: CNC.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.
UMI 605. University Internship. 1 Credit Hour.
A part-time 1-credit internship designed to provide opportunities for career exploration, skill development, and exposure to career field. Completion of at least one semester of coursework at UM is required.
Components: EXP.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

UMI 610. University Internship. 1 Credit Hour.
A full-time 1-credit internship designed to provide opportunities for career exploration, skill development, and exposure to career field. Completion of at least one semester of coursework at UM is required.
Components: EXP.
Grading: SUS.
Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, & Summer.

University of Miami Experience (UMX)

UMX 100. The University of Miami Experience. 0 Credit Hours.
The University of Miami Experience (UMX 100) is a graded, comprehensive virtual self-paced course specifically designed to assist first year students, transfer students included, in making a successful transition to the University of Miami. The course creates opportunities for students to learn skills integral to developing connections with students, staff, administrators, and faculty. UMX provides an opportunity for students to utilize UM resources necessary for success in college and beyond. Specifically, students will be exposed to campus leadership opportunities, academic and career planning, university traditions, study abroad opportunities, personal wellness programs, as well as advising and registration through videos, power points, blogs, threaded discussions, and more. These resources and opportunities are only a click away for the students enrolled.
Components: DIL.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

Urban Studies (URB)

URB 201. Metropolitan Miami. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides interdisciplinary perspectives on the urbanization of South Florida and on Miami’s urban milieu. The course uses the case of Metropolitan Miami to introduce and illustrate a range of basic concepts in urban studies.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Fall.

URB 301. Cities in Time and Space. 3 Credit Hours.
This course provides interdisciplinary perspectives on the city, urbanity, and urbanization through a series of wide-ranging historical-geographical contexts.
Components: LEC.
Grading: GRD.
Typically Offered: Spring.
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